

ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND PLC  
 Form 424B5  
 May 09, 2011

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of Securities Offered	Maximum Aggregate Offering Price	Amount of Registration Fee(1)
Retail Corporate Notes	\$4,518,000	\$524.54
(1) Calculated in accordance with Rule 457(r) of the Securities Act of 1933		

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 Final Pricing Supplement No. 52 – dated May 9, 2011 (to: Prospectus dated May 18, 2010 and Prospectus Supplement dated September 20, 2010)

CUSIP Number	Aggregate Price Principal Amount	Selling to Public	Net Proceeds	Coupon Type	Coupon Rate	Coupon Frequency	Maturity Date	1st Coupon Date	Coupon Amount	Survivor's Product Option	Product Ranking
78011RBW2	\$4,518,000	100%	\$4,432,158	FIXED	4.50%	MONTHLY	11/15/2019	06/15/2011	\$4.13	NO	SENIOR

(Per Annum)

Redemption Information: Non-Callable/Non-Puttable

Lead Manager and Lead Agent: RBS Securities Inc.

The Royal Bank of Scotland plc	Offering Dates: 05/02/2011 through 05/09/2011	Royal Bank of Scotland plc
	Trade Date: 05/09/2011 @ 12:00 PM ET	Retail Corporate Notes
	Settlement Date: 05/12/2011	Prospectus dated
	Minimum Denomination/Increments: \$1,000.00/\$1,000.00	May 18, 2010
	Guaranteed in full by The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc	and Prospectus Supplement dated
	Initial trades settle flat and clear SDFS: DTC Book-Entry only	
	DTC Number 2230 via RBS Securities Inc.	

If the maturity date or an interest payment date for any note is not September 20, 2010 a business day (as that term is defined in the prospectus supplement), principal, premium, if any, and interest for that note is paid on the next business day, and no interest will accrue from, and after, the maturity date or interest payment date.