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Standard Chartered Adjusts Savings Rate and Best Lending Rate

Standard Chartered announces that its Hong Kong Dollar Savings Rate will be raised from 1.5 per cent to 2 per cent. The Best Lending Rate will be adjusted from 6.75 percent per annum to 7.25 percent per annum.

The changes will take effect from Friday, 23 September 2005.

渣打香港調整儲蓄存款及最優惠貸款利率

渣打香港宣佈由二零零五年九月廿三日(星期五)起，港元儲蓄存款利率將由一釐半加至兩釐。而最優惠貸款利率將由年息六釐七五調整至年息七釐二五。