

Publication of a Prospectus

Regulatory Announcement

Royal Bank of Canada

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4th Supplementary Notes Base Prospectus dated March 12, 2021 relating to the Programme for the Issuance of Securities of Royal Bank of Canada.

The 4th Supplementary Notes Base Prospectus, together with the document incorporated by reference therein, have been submitted to the National Storage Mechanism and will shortly be available for inspection at: <https://data.fca.org.uk/#/nsm/nationalstoragemechanism>.

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4th Supplementary Notes Base Prospectus dated March 12, 2021
http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/1591S_1-2021-3-12.pdf

Document Incorporated by Reference (or certain portions thereof as specified under "Documents Incorporated by Reference" in the Prospectus):

RBC First Quarter 2021 Report to Shareholders
http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/1591S_2-2021-3-12.pdf

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