

ULSTER BANK ANNOUNCES NEW PARTNERSHIP WITH AN POST

Partnership will extend Ulster Bank points of presence across Ireland to 1,251 outlets

31 March 2015: Ulster Bank has today announced a new partnership with An Post that will allow it's personal and business customers conduct certain banking transactions via the An Post network in 1,140 new locations.

From April 20th 2015, customers will, for the first time, be able to make cash deposits in any Post Office nationwide or avail of cheque acceptance in designated Post Offices. They will also be able to pay their Ulster Bank credit card bills using cash or debit card at any Post Office.

Customers can withdraw cash at any time from any Ulster Bank ATM nationwide, these enhanced services will complement the online, mobile and telephone banking options already available to Ulster Bank customers.

Jim Ryan, Head of Branch Banking at Ulster Bank, said

"Our goal is to become the best bank for customer trust, service and advocacy so we're continually looking for ways to adapt and enhance the service that our customers need to make banking more convenient for them. This partnership with An Post means that the number of places Ulster Bank customers can conduct basic banking transactions will increase from 111 to 1,251 providing them with greater choice, extended opening hours, accessibility and flexibility."

Liam Sheehan, Sales and Marketing Director at An Post, said:

"We look forward to providing top quality local services to Ulster Bank customers at 1,140 Post Offices around the country – and we're also open on Saturday mornings. This further underpins our unique position in providing local, reliable financial services to Irish business and personal customers."

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For a list of Ulster Bank branches and An Post Post offices nationwide long onto <http://www.ulsterbank.ie/roi/personal/advice-tools/branches.ashx> and <http://www.anpost.ie/AnPost/at+your+local+Post+Office.htm>

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