

# HNB Wins Asian Banker Best Retail Bank in Sri Lanka Award for 2024

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*Sanjay Wijemanne, Chief Operating Officer, HNB (sixth from left), Segarajasegaram Sathiyaseelan, and Regional Business Head – Eastern Region, (fifth from left) receiving the awards with representatives from the Asian Banker Magazine, alongside Chandima Gunawardhana, Branch Manager – Homagama, HNB (second from left), Ranjula Fernando, Branch Manager – Negombo Metro, HNB (third from left), Rajiv Gamage, Senior Manager – Pettah Branch, HNB (fourth from left) and V.Vaseekaran, Branch Manager – Thirunelvely, HNB (seventh from left).*

HNB achieved a significant milestone in its journey to become a leader in the Sri Lankan banking industry by winning the Best Retail Bank in Sri Lanka award for the 14th consecutive year at the Asian Banker Global Excellence in Retail Financial Services Awards 2024.

“For generations, HNB has served as a partner in progress to all Sri Lankans, continually evolving to integrate cutting-edge technology and best practices. Our success in retaining this leadership position for 14 years inspires us to reach greater heights,” Damith Pallewatte, Acting CEO, HNB said. The recognition also highlights HNB’s dedication to stability, innovation, and customer-centric banking. The award was presented to Sanjay Wijemanne, Chief Operating Officer, in acknowledgment of HNB’s continual efforts to excel in excellence and innovation.

HNB was ranked among the top five positions in Business Today’s Top 40 rankings 2023.