Consolidated Balance Sheet

AS AT 31 MARCH 2001

	Note	2001	2000
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Fixed assets	11	166,615	163,809
Current assets			
Inventories	13	228,629	336,132
Accounts receivable, deposits and prepayments	14	791,444	761,893
Taxation recoverable		7,495	_
Cash and bank balances		151,593	156,087
		1,179,161	1,254,112
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued charges	15	215,231	293,055
Trust receipt loans	23	516,480	610,471
Taxation		_	8,712
Bank loans	18		
Secured		5,040	11,646
Unsecured		54,360	33,037
Proposed dividend		_	6,004
		791,111	962,925
Net current assets		388,050	291,187
Total assets less current liabilities		554,665	454,996
Financed by:			
Share capital	16	42,926	40,026
Reserves	17	449,708	414,457
Shareholders' funds		492,634	454,483
Bank loans	18	60,460	_
Deferred taxation	19	1,571	513
		554,665	454,996

On behalf of the Board



SHAM Kit Ying Director SHAM Yee Lan, Peggy Director