

Financial Summary

	Year ended 31 March				
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
RESULTS					
Turnover	<u>1,200,854</u>	<u>1,250,763</u>	<u>1,527,847</u>	<u>1,598,968</u>	<u>1,713,574</u>
Profit before taxation	31,793	36,305	120,481	115,954	96,896
Share of losses of associates	<u>(140)</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
	31,653	36,305	120,481	115,954	96,896
Taxation	<u>(5,733)</u>	<u>(7,530)</u>	<u>(21,674)</u>	<u>(19,347)</u>	<u>(16,389)</u>
Profit before minority interests	25,920	28,775	98,807	96,607	80,507
Minority interests	<u>(2,436)</u>	<u>3,070</u>	<u>6,008</u>	<u>720</u>	<u>(1,265)</u>
Profit for the year attributable to shareholders	<u>23,484</u>	<u>31,845</u>	<u>104,815</u>	<u>97,327</u>	<u>79,242</u>

	At 31 March				
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES					
Total assets	508,144	448,349	510,683	558,595	623,308
Total liabilities	(188,048)	(107,333)	(84,162)	(59,241)	(67,143)
Minority interests	<u>(5,963)</u>	<u>(2,893)</u>	<u>3,115</u>	<u>3,835</u>	<u>—</u>
Shareholders' funds	<u>314,133</u>	<u>338,123</u>	<u>429,636</u>	<u>503,189</u>	<u>556,165</u>

Note: Certain comparative figures in prior years have been restated as a result of the adoption of new and revised statements of standard accounting practice.