44 CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

As at 31 December, 2002 (Expressed in Renminbi)

		2002	2001
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Non-current assets			
Fixed assets	10	26,920,829	22,352,215
Construction in progress	11	661,352	340,063
Lease prepayments		201,854	357,622
Interest in associated companies	13	692,026	531,055
Interest in jointly controlled entities	14	461,962	174,338
Other investments		201,854	195,201
Lease and equipment deposits		2,147,038	2,265,003
Deferred expenditure	15	283,303	48,183
Long term receivables		12,034	11,091
		31,582,252	26,274,771
Current assets			
Inventories	17	545,700	467,018
Trade receivables	18	671,776	556,542
Other receivables	10	372,586	196,751
Prepaid expenses and other assets		244,690	340,157
Cash and cash equivalents	20	3,771,043	2,817,863
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		5,605,795	4,378,331
Current liabilities			
Bank and other loans	21	5,240,726	2,177,516
Obligations under finance leases	22	1,566,698	1,451,929
Amounts due to related companies	19	525,090	718,265
Other liabilities		646,989	678,133
Accounts payable	23	532,480	590,700
Bills payable		1,299,680	-
Sales in advance of carriage		390,531	370,546
Accrued expenses		2,341,454	2,013,555
Tax payable		78,145	73,464
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		12,621,793	8,074,108
Net current liabilities		(7,015,998)	(3,695,777)
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Total assets less current liabilities		24,566,254	22,578,994

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s at 31 December, 2002

	Note	2002 RMB'000	2001 RMB'000		
Non-current liabilities and deferred items					
Bank and other loans	21	5,835,434	3,627,594		
Obligations under finance leases	22	6,631,751	7,691,634		
Provision for major overhauls	24	141,887	125,661		
Deferred credits		48,095	15,072		
Deferred taxation	16	779,234	519,577		
		13,436,401	11,979,538		
		11,129,853	10,599,456		
Representing:					
Share capital	25	3,374,178	3,374,178		
Reserves	26	6,239,029	5,847,485		
Shareholders' equity		9,613,207	9,221,663		
Minority interests		1,516,646	1,377,793		
		11,129,853	10,599,456		
Approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 14 March, 2003					

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Director	Director	Director

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