BALANCE SHEET AT 31ST DECEMBER 2003

	Note	2003	2002
		HK\$	HK\$
Non-current assets			
Fixed assets	12	127,976,518	129,333,831
Subsidiary companies	13	703,412,735	724,247,356
Investment securities	14	12,649	74,969
		831,401,902	853,656,156
Current assets			
Debtors and prepayments	16	744,199	1,002,416
Bank balances and cash		5,087,440	1,700,214
		5,831,639	2,702,630
Current liabilities			
Rental and other deposits		2,244,345	2,333,822
Creditors and accruals	18	5,764,545	9,436,748
Short term bank loan, unsecured	19	4,000,000	
Bank overdrafts, secured	19	4,889,769	5,115,351
		16,898,659	16,885,921
Net current liabilities		(11,067,020)	(14,183,291)
Net assets		820,334,882	839,472,865
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	23	287,669,676	287,669,676
Reserves	24	518,281,722	537,419,705
Proposed final dividend	24	14,383,484	14,383,484
Shareholders' funds		820,334,882	839,472,865

On behalf of the Board

William Ma Ching Wai Director

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