## CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT



For the year ended 31 December, 2003

	NOTES	2003	2002
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Turnover	5	198,934	192,865
Cost of sales		(117,065)	(110,412)
Gross profit		81,869	82,453
Other operating income	5	584	457
Selling and distribution expenses		(20,225)	(17,034)
Administrative expenses		(26,969)	(22,422)
Profit from operations	6	35,259	43,454
Finance costs	7	(8,401)	(8,369)
Profit before taxation		26,858	35,085
Taxation	9	(5,516)	(5,246)
Profit before minority interests		21,342	29,839
Minority interests		(1,199)	(812)
Profit for the year		20,143	29,027
Dividends	10	7,000	2,219
Earnings per share – basic	11	II.8 cents	20.7 cents