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### Corporate Information

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

#### **Executive Directors:**

Mr. Ng Choi Wah (Chairman) Mr. Lui Yiu Wing

Mr. Lam Ka Fai

### **Independent non-executive Directors:**

Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald

### **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald (Chairman)

Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul

### **REMUNERATION COMMITTEE**

Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx (Chairman)

Mr. Ng Choi Wah

Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald

### **NOMINATION COMMITTEE**

Mr. Ng Choi Wah *(Chairman)* Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul

### **COMPANY SECRETARY**

Mr. Chan Ming Hang (Certified Public Accountants)

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### **STOCK CODE**

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### Chairman's Statement

Dear Shareholders,

On behalf of the board of directors (the "**Board**") of Ching Lee Holdings Limited (our "**Company**", together with our subsidiaries, our "**Group**"), I have the pleasure to present to you the annual results for the year ended 31 March 2017.

#### **OVERVIEW**

This year was definitely a remarkable year for the development of our Group. Our successful listing on the GEM of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited on 29 March 2016 was a milestone of the Group which boosted the confidence of our stakeholders and enhanced the Group's profile. The listing greatly promoted the Group's brand in Hong Kong as well as provided the Group with a readily accessible capital platform for the Group's future business development.

The total revenue of the Group increased by approximately HK\$104.4 million or 22.0% from approximately HK\$475.5 million for the year ended 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$579.8 million for the year ended 31 March 2017. In general, the increase in revenue was resulted by the greater demand for the Group's contracting business and favorable market condition. Basic earnings per share was HK2.55 cents as compared with HK2.63 cents per share for the year ended 31 March 2016.

### **FORWARD**

Looking ahead, the Group is confident about the outlook and the prospects of the construction market in Hong Kong. We believe that we are well positioned to expand our market share and maintain our active status in the construction main contracting industry in Hong Kong. In view of our potential undertaking of more projects in the future, with the Listing of the Company in 2016, it will provide more available resource to the Group to engage in the current business as well as further expanding the scope of services.

### **APPRECIATION**

On behalf of the Board, I wish to take this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude to all our customers, shareholders and business partners for their continuous care and support. I would also like to thank all of our employees for their commitment and loyalty they have shown throughout the years.

By Order of the Board **Ng Choi Wah** *Chairman* 

Hong Kong, 10 May 2017

### **BUSINESS REVIEW AND OUTLOOK**

We are a main contractor in Hong Kong principally engaged in providing (i) substructure building works services; (ii) superstructure building works services; and (iii) repair, maintenance, alteration and addition for an existing structure ("RMAA") work services.

In general, substructure and superstructure building works refer to building works in relation to the parts of the structure below or above the ground level respectively, while RMAA works are for existing structures. The scope of our substructure building works projects consisted of demolition and hoarding, site formation and foundation works. The scope of our superstructure building works projects consisted of development and redevelopment of educational, residential, and commercial buildings, and the scope of our RMAA works consisted of improvement, fitting-out works, renovation works, restoration works and external works.

The Group's revenue for the year ended 31 March 2017 was recorded at approximately HK\$579.8 million which represented an increase of approximately HK\$104.4 million or 22.0% from approximately HK\$475.5 million for the year ended 31 March 2016.

	Year ended	Increase/	
	2016	2017	(Decrease)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	%
Substructure building work services Superstructure building work services RMAA work services	88,106	55,094	(37.5)
	365,067	384,297	5.3
	22,301	140,458	529.8
	475,474	579,849	22.0

### (i) Substructure building works services

For the year ended 31 March 2017, revenue recorded in this segment amounted to approximately HK\$55.1 million (2016: approximately HK\$88.1 million). The decrease by approximately HK\$33.0 million was mainly due to approximately HK\$44.5 million from the completion/substantial completion of substructure building works completed during the year ended 31 March 2016. The decrease was partly offset by an increase of approximately HK\$8.8 million from a substructure project for which substantial portion of works had been performed for the year ended 31 March 2017.

### (ii) Superstructure building works services

For the year ended 31 March 2017, revenue recorded in this segment amounted to approximately HK\$384.3 million (2016: approximately HK\$365.1 million). The increase by approximately HK\$19.2 million was mainly due to the commencement of four superstructure projects amounted to approximately HK\$144.7 million and a substantial portion of works of two superstructure projects performed amounted to approximately HK\$67.3 million for the year ended 31 March 2017. In addition, revenue from variation works of a superstructure project amounted to approximately HK\$7.2 million was confirmed and received from the customer. The increase was partially offset by a decrease of approximately HK\$199.4 million from the completion/substantial completion of six superstructure projects during the year ended 31 March 2016.

### (iii) RMAA works services

For the year ended 31 March 2017, revenue recorded in this segment amounted to approximately HK\$140.5 million (2016: approximately HK\$22.3 million). The increase by approximately HK\$118.2 million was mainly due to an increase of approximately HK\$28.7 million from the completion/substantial completion of two major RMAA projects and the commencement of three new RMAA projects during the year ended 31 March 2017, which contributed revenue of approximately HK\$89.2 million.

### **FINANCIAL REVIEW**

#### Revenue

The Group's revenue for the year ended 31 March 2017 recorded at approximately HK\$579.8 million which represented an increase of approximately HK\$104.4 million or 22.0% from approximately HK\$475.5 million for the year ended 31 March 2016. The increase in total revenue was mainly due to an increase from superstructure building works services and RMAA works services amount to approximately HK\$19.2 million and HK\$118.2 million respectively. The increase was offset by decrease in substructure building works services of approximately HK\$33.0 million.

### **Gross Profit and Gross Profit Margin**

Our gross profit increased by approximately HK\$14.5 million or 23.7%, from approximately HK\$61.1 million for the year ended 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$75.6 million for the year ended 31 March 2017. During the year ended 31 March 2017, the gross profit margin was approximately 13.0%, which is close to the gross profit margin of prior year of approximately 12.8%.

### **Other Income and Gains**

Other Income and Gains decreased by HK\$12.5 million or 98.6% from approximately HK\$12.6 million for the year ended 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$0.2 million for the year ended 31 March 2017. The significant decrease was mainly due to one-off gain on disposal of a property of approximately HK\$12.1 million for the year ended 31 March 2016.

### **Administrative and Other Operating Expenses**

Administrative and Other Operating Expenses decreased by approximately HK\$2.0 million or 4.3% from approximately HK\$45.9 million for the year ended 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$43.9 million for the year ended 31 March 2017.

Administrative expenses mainly consist of listing expenses, staff costs, depreciation, donation, consultancy fees and others. The decrease was attributable by (i) decrease in listing expenses of approximately HK\$9.1 million for services rendered by professional parties for the year ended 31 March 2016; (ii) increase in staff costs paid to directors and staff of approximately HK\$6.9 million due to increase in number of staff and salary level during the year; (iii) decrease in consultancy fees of approximately HK\$2.4 million; (iv) decrease in donation of approximately HK\$1.5 million; (v) increase in depreciation of approximately HK\$1.4 million and (vi) increase in others of approximately HK\$2.7 million.

### **Finance Costs**

Finance Costs decreased by approximately HK\$0.9 million or 55.6% from approximately HK\$1.6 million for the year ended 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$0.7 million for the year ended 31 March 2017. Although bank loans increased significantly from approximately HK\$14.6 million as at 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$35.9 million as at 31 March 2017, finance cost did not rise accordingly as repayments of bank loans were mainly made in March 2016 and new bank borrowings were made in January and February 2017.

#### **Income Tax**

Income Tax increased by approximately HK\$0.5 million or 10.5% from approximately HK\$5.2 million for the year ended 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$5.7 million for the year ended 31 March 2017.

### Profit and Total Comprehensive Income for the Year Attributable to the Owners of the Company

Profit and total comprehensive income for the year attributable to the owners of the Company increased by approximately HK\$4.3 million or 20.5% from approximately HK\$21.1 million for the year ended 31 March 2016 to approximately HK\$25.5 million for the year ended 31 March 2017.

Such increase was primarily attributable to (i) the increase in revenue and gross profit for the year ended 31 March 2017; and (ii) the one-off listing expenses incurred by the Group for its listing during the year ended 31 March 2016, net off with one-off gain on disposal of a property for the year ended 31 March 2016.

### LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES

As at 31 March 2017, the Group had total assets of approximately HK\$283.9 million, which is financed by total liabilities and shareholders' equity of approximately HK\$202.9 million and HK\$81.0 million, respectively. The Group's current ratio at 31 March 2017 was approximately 1.2 compared to approximately 1.1 at 31 March 2016.

### **Gearing Ratio**

The gearing ratio of the Group as at 31 March 2017 was approximately 45.2% (31 March 2016: approximately 26.3%), which is calculated based on the total obligations under finance lease and total bank borrowings divided by total equity as at the respective reporting date.

#### **Capital Expenditure**

Total capital expenditure for the year ended 31 March 2017 was approximately HK\$17.3 million, which was mainly used in the purchase of machineries and buildings.

### **Contingent Liabilities**

At the end of the reporting periods, there were no significant contingent liabilities for the Group.

### **Commitments**

At the end of the reporting periods, there were no significant capital commitments for the Group.

#### **Charges on Group Assets**

Assets with a carrying value of approximately HK\$57.1 million were pledged as securities for the Group's banking facilities and surety bonds. Details of the charges on assets of the Group are set out in notes 18 and 22 to the financial statements.

### **Segment Information**

Segmental information is presented for the Group as disclosed on note 6 of the consolidated financial statements.

### **FOREIGN EXCHANGE EXPOSURE**

The Group was not exposed to foreign exchange risk during the year ended 31 March 2017.

### **TREASURY POLICY**

The Group has adopted a prudent financial management approach towards its treasury policies and thus maintained a healthy liquidity position throughout the year. Interest for the current bank borrowings were mainly on floating rate basis and the bank borrowings were denominated in Hong Kong dollars, hence, there is no significant exposure to foreign exchange rate fluctuations.

### **CAPITAL STRUCTURE**

The shares of the Company were successfully listed on the GEM Board of the Stock Exchange on 29 March 2016. There has been no change in the capital structure of the Group since then. The share capital of the Group only comprises of ordinary shares.

As at 31 March 2017, the Company's issued share capital was HK\$10,000,000 and the number of its issued ordinary shares was 1,000,000,000 of HK\$0.01 each.

### FUTURE PLANS FOR MATERIAL INVESTMENTS AND CAPITAL ASSETS

Save as disclosed in the prospectus of the Company dated 21 March 2016 (the "**Prospectus**") and in this report, the Group did not have other plans for material investments or capital assets.

### MATERIAL ACQUISITIONS AND DISPOSALS OF SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATED COMPANIES

There was no significant investment, material acquisition and disposal of subsidiaries and associated companies by the Company during the year ended 31 March 2017.

#### **EMPLOYEES AND REMUNERATION POLICIES**

As at 31 March 2017, the Group employed a total of 86 employees (31 March 2016: 80 employees). The staff costs of our Group (including salaries, allowances, other benefits and contribution to defined contribution retirement plan) for the year ended 31 March 2017 were approximately HK\$48.9 million (For the year ended 2016: approximately HK\$33.1 million).

The remuneration package for our employees generally includes salary and bonuses. Our employees also receive welfare benefits, including exam leave, retirement benefits, occupational injury insurance, medical insurance and other miscellaneous items. We conduct annual review of the performance of our employees for determining the level of bonus, salary adjustment and promotion of our employees. Our executive Directors will also conduct research on the remuneration packages offered for similar positions in the Hong Kong construction main contracting industry in order to keep our remuneration packages at a competitive level. We have also adopted the Share Option Scheme which is designed to provide incentives and rewards to our employees.

### SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENTS HELD

Except for investment in its subsidiaries, the Group did not hold any significant investments during the year ended 31 March 2017.

#### PRINCIPAL RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Group believes that the risk management practices are important and use its best effort to ensure it is sufficient to mitigate the risks present in our operations and financial position as efficiently and effectively as possible.

- I. Our revenue is mainly derived from projects which are not recurring in nature and any significant decrease in the number of our projects would affect our operations and financial results;
- II. We depend on our suppliers for concrete, steel and other construction materials, and any shortage or delay of supply, or deterioration in the quality, of the same could materially and adversely affect our operations, and we may not be able to identify an alternative source of stable supply with acceptable quality and price;
- III. We may be involved in construction and/or labour disputes, legal and other proceedings arising from our operations from time to time and may face significant legal liabilities as a result;
- IV. We determine our tender price based on the estimated time and costs to be involved in a project, yet the actual time and costs incurred may deviate from our estimate due to unexpected circumstances, thereby adversely affecting our operations and financial results;
- We rely on our Board members and senior management staff, and their departure would adversely affect our operations and financial results;
- VI. Our works are labour intensive. If we or our subcontractors experience any shortage of labour, industrial actions, strikes or material increase in labour costs, our operations and financial results would be adversely affected;
- VII. Expiry, withdrawal, revocation, downgrading and/or failure to renew any of our various registrations and certifications would adversely affect our operations and financial results; and
- VIII. There is no guarantee that we would not be subject to any claims in relation to defects of our works, which may result in further costs to make good the defects, and/or deduction of the retention monies to be released and/or claims from our customers against us.

For other risks and uncertainties facing the Group, please refer to the section headed "Risks Factors" in the Prospectus.

An analysis of the Group's financial risk management (included credit risk, and liquidity risk) objectives and policies are provided in note 34 to the consolidated financial statements.

### **COMPARISON OF BUSINESS OBJECTIVES WITH ACTUAL BUSINESS PROGRESS**

An analysis comparing the business objectives as set out in the Prospectus with the Group's actual business progress for the period from the Listing Date (i.e. 29 March 2016) to 31 March 2017 is set out below:

Objectives	Implementation Plans	Actual business progress for the six months ended 31 March 2017
Objectives  To reserve more capital to satisfy our potential customers' requirement for surety bond	Implementation Plans  To purchase surety bond as required for any new project	Four new projects were awarded by the way of tender from October 2016 to March 2017. However, the Group is not required to pay the cash collateral of surety bonds for these projects by the employers.
To arrange and sponsor our engineering staff to attend external technical seminars and occupational health and safety courses	To arrange and sponsor our engineering staff to attend external technical seminars and occupational health and safety courses	The Group recruited 25 staff to further develop the business including three project managers, two assistant project managers, three quantity surveyors, four site foreman, five assistant foreman, six levellers etc
	To evaluate the performance of our staff and the size of our departments	The Group arranged and sponsored staff to attend the part-time business management degree course and diploma by third parties during the period.
		The Group evaluated the performance of our staff and workload of each department before expanding our size of teams.
To acquire machinery	To purchase one crawler drill	The Group purchased 2 sets of Double Blade Stone Cutters, one set of Excavator, 2 sets of Crane and other tools for our substructure building work services.
To reduce our gearing ratio	N/A	N/A

### **USE OF PROCEEDS**

The net proceeds from the Listing in March 2016, after deducting the underwriting fees, the Stock Exchange trading fee and SFC transaction levy for the New Shares and estimated listing expenses in connection with the Placing, were approximately HK\$42.5 million.

The actual net proceeds from the issue of new shares of the Company under the Placing was different from the estimated net proceeds of approximately HK\$39.0 million as set out in the Prospectus.

The Group adjusted the use of proceeds in the same manner and in the same proportion as shown in the Prospectus, which is (i) approximately 40.1% of the net proceeds, representing approximately HK\$17.0 million to reserve more capital to satisfy our potential customers' requirement for surety bond, (ii) approximately 24.8% of the net proceeds, representing approximately HK\$10.5 million to expand our workforce, and arrange and sponsor our engineering staff to attend external technical seminars and occupational health and safety courses, (iii) approximately 7.7% of the net proceeds, representing approximately HK\$3.3 million to acquire machinery, (iv) approximately 17.4% of the net proceeds, representing approximately HK\$7.4 million to reduce our gearing ratio, and (v) approximately 10% of the net proceeds, representing approximately HK\$4.3 million for working capital and other general corporate purposes.

An analysis of the utilisation of the net proceeds from the Listing Date up to 31 March 2017 is set out below:

	Adjusted use of proceeds in the same manner as stated in prospectus HK\$ million	Planned use of net proceeds as stated in the Prospectus up to 31 March 2017 HK\$ million	Actual use of net proceeds up to 31 March 2017 HK\$ million
To reserve more capital to satisfy our potential	47	0.4	0.0
customers' requirement for surety bond (Note)  To expand our workforce, and arrange and sponsor	17	8.4	0.0
our engineering staff to attend external	10.5	5.2	5.7
To acquire machinery	3.3	3.3	11.5
To reduce our gearing ratio	7.4	7.4	7.4
Working capital and other general corporate	4.3	2.1	1.0
	42.5	26.4	25.6

Note: There will be no changes in the planned use of proceeds for surety bond even though nil was used up to 31 March 2017.

The business objectives, future plans and planned use of proceeds as stated in the Prospectus were based on the best estimation and assumption of future market conditions made by the Group at the time of preparing the Prospectus while the proceeds were applied based on the actual development of the Group's business and the industry.

#### **Executive Directors**

Mr. NG Choi Wah, aged 51, is the founder of our Group. Mr. Ng is also the chairman of the nomination committee, and a member of the remuneration committee. He was appointed as a Director on 16 November 2015 and was designated as an executive Director on 16 December 2015. He was also appointed as the Chairman and the chief executive officer of our Group on 16 December 2015. Mr. Ng is responsible for overseeing the corporate strategy, operational management as well as sales and marketing of our Group. Mr. Ng is also a director of Ching Lee Construction, Ching Lee Engineering and Ching Lee Foundation. He has over 27 years of experience in providing building work services.

From January 1988 to May 1990, Mr. Ng was employed as a site agent or a sub-agent by Wing Mou Construction Co. Ltd. for various projects under the Housing Department, the Territory Development Department and the Architectural Services Department of Hong Kong. Mr. Ng was employed by W. M. Construction Limited as a project manager from November 1993 to January 1998. In March 1999, Mr. Ng acted as a director of Ching Lee Engineering.

In November 1990, Mr. Ng graduated with a higher diploma in building from City Polytechnic of Hong Kong (currently known as the City University of Hong Kong). In April 2002, he received his bachelor's degree in applied science in construction management and economics from Curtin University of Technology in Australia by distance learning.

Mr. Ng was registered as a Chartered Environmentalist by the Society for the Environment in January 2012. He was also elected as a member of the Association of Building Engineers (currently known as the Chartered Association of Building Engineers) in the United Kingdom in July 2013 and is currently a chartered building engineer.

Mr. Ng is also dedicated in community service. In February 2015, he was appointed as an honorary treasurer by the Hong Kong General Building Contractors Association for the period between 2015 and 2017. Mr. Ng was also appointed as a vice president of East Kowloon region of the Scout Association in Hong Kong in June 2015.

Save as disclosed above, he was not a director in any other listed companies for the last three preceding years.

Mr. LUI Yiu Wing, aged 45, was appointed as an executive Director on 16 December 2015. Mr. Lui is responsible for overseeing the operational management of our Group. Mr. Lui is also a director of Ching Lee Construction and Ching Lee Engineering. He has over 15 years of experience in the building works industry. He became a registered architect of the Architects Registration Board in October 1999. In May 2003, Mr. Lui joined our Group and acted as a director of Ching Lee Construction. He was then promoted to senior project manager in October 2012.

Mr. Lui graduated with a bachelor's degree in social science from the Chinese University of Hong Kong in December 1994. He then received his master's degree in architecture from the Chinese University of Hong Kong in December 1997.

Save as disclosed above, he was not a director in any other listed companies for the last three preceding years.

Mr. LAM Ka Fai, aged 44, was appointed as an executive Director on 16 December 2015. In May 2003, Mr. Lam joined our Group and acted as a director of Ching Lee Construction and is currently responsible for overseeing the operational management of our Group. Mr. Lam is also a director of Ching Lee Construction and Ching Lee Engineering. He has over 18 years of experience in the building works industry. In January 2014, he became a member of the Chartered Institute of Building and a chartered building engineer of the Chartered Association of Building Engineers, in the United Kingdom.

Mr. Lam worked as a project co-ordinator at W.M. Construction Limited from September 1997 to April 1998. From April 1999 to July 2014, Mr. Lam worked as a project co-ordinator at Hien Lee Engineering Co., Ltd and his last position was project manager. Since July 2014, Mr. Lam has served our Group as a senior E&M project manager.

In November 2007, he obtained a bachelor's degree in engineering in building engineering (building services engineering) from the City University of Hong Kong. In October 2011, Mr. Lam obtained a master's degree in science in project management from The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. He became a member of the Australian Institute of Building in July 2013.

Save as disclosed above, he was not a director in any other listed companies for the last three preceding years.

### **Independent Non-executive Directors**

**Dr. WAI Wing Hong Onyx**, aged 56, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 10 March 2016. He is also the chairman of the remuneration committee and a member of the audit and nomination committees of our Company. He is primarily responsible for providing independent judgment to bear on issues of strategy, policy, performance, accountability, resource, key appointments and standard of conduct of our Group.

Dr. Wai is currently a professor in the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. He joined the Hong Kong Polytechnic (currently known as The Hong Kong Polytechnic University) as a lecturer since October 1992 and has worked in the University ever since.

Dr. Wai obtained his bachelor's degree in applied science in civil engineering at the University of Windsor in Windsor, Canada in June 1984. In August 1986, he received his master's degree in science in the Ohio State University in the USA. In December 1991, Dr. Wai obtained his doctor of philosophy at the same university. In December 2014, he received a merit award in "Study of Green Roof (Landscape Research Study Category)" from The Hong Kong Institute of Landscape Architects. Dr. Wai also has a number of professional appointments. He is currently a council member of the Hong Kong Institute of Science. Dr. Wai was admitted as a member of the Hong Kong Institution of Engineers in June 2000. Dr. Wai has also contributed to various journals and publications, including, among others, "Environmental Pollution" and "Journal of Hydroinformatics".

Save as disclosed above, he was not a director in any other listed companies for the last three preceding years.

**Mr. TONG Hin Sum Paul**, aged 79, was appointed as an independent non-executive Director on 10 March 2016. He is also a member of the audit and nomination committees of our Company. He is primarily responsible for providing independent judgment to bear on issues of strategy, policy, performance, accountability, resource, key appointments and standard of conduct of our Group.

Mr. Tong was called to the bar in 1989 and is currently a barrister. He was appointed as a life fellow of St. John's College, the University of Hong Kong, in 2008. In March 2009, he was also appointed as a panel member of the Securities and Futures Appeals Tribunal for the period between April 2009 and March 2011.

Mr. Tong obtained his bachelor's degree in arts from the University of Hong Kong in November 1963. He then furthered his studies in the University of Cambridge, England, and obtained his bachelor's degree in arts and master's degree in arts in June 1987 and February 1991, respectively. Mr. Tong also went to Yale University and obtained a master's degree in sacred theology in July 1971.

Save as disclosed above, he was not a director in any other listed companies for the last three preceding years.

**Mr. CHAU Kam Wing Donald**, aged 54, was appointed as an independent non- executive Director on 10 March 2016. He is also the chairman of the audit committee and a member of the remuneration committee of our Company. He is primarily responsible for providing independent judgment to bear on issues of strategy, policy, performance, accountability, resource, key appointments and standard of conduct of our Group.

He has over 20 years of experience in audit, tax and financial management. Mr. Chau is an executive director of Winox Holdings Limited (stock code: 6838), the issued shares of which is listed on the Stock Exchange, since March 2011. He is also an independent non-executive director of China Water Affairs Group Limited (stock code: 855) since March 2007, Eco-Tek Holdings Limited (stock code: 8169) since March 2008, Carpenter Tan Holdings Limited (stock code: 837) since November 2009, 浙江長安仁恒科技股份有限公司 (Zhejiang Chang'an Renheng Technology Co., Ltd.\*) (stock code: 8139) since May 2014, the issued shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange. From November 2009 to June 2015, Mr. Chau was also an independent non-executive director of 浙江世寶股份有限公司 (Zhejiang Shibao Company Limited\*) (Hong Kong stock code: 1057 and Shenzhen stock code: 2703), the issued shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange and Shenzhen Stock Exchange.

Mr. Chau obtained a master's degree in business administration from the University of San Francisco in the USA in December 2000. He is also a fellow member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants and a practising member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

Save as disclosed above, he was not a director in any other listed companies for the last three preceding years.

### **SENIOR MANAGEMENT**

**Mr. TSE Henry Lai Han**, aged 52, joined our Group in August 2013 and is currently a project director. He is responsible for overseeing the overall operational management of our Group, in particular, on foundation works and contract administration.

Mr. Tse has considerable experience in property and development projects management. Prior to joining our Group, from October 2011 to July 2013, Mr. Tse served as a deputy general manager (development — Hong Kong properties) in a group company in the K. Wah Group. Since September 2004, he is also an independent non-executive director of Tern Properties Company Limited (stock code: 277), the issued shares of which are listed on the Stock Exchange.

Mr. Tse received his bachelor's degree in applied science majoring in civil engineering and master's degree in applied science from The University of British Columbia in Vancouver, Canada in May 1987 and November 1989, respectively.

**Mr. LEE Tsz Yuen**, aged 38, joined our Group in March 2007 and is currently a contract manager. He is responsible for overseeing the operations of sub-vetting and quantity surveying.

Mr. Lee has considerable experience in surveying and building works. His working experience prior to joining our Group is listed in the table below:

Entities	Position	Duration
Diamond Term Ltd.	Surveyor	May 2003–February 2006
Diamond Term Decoration Ltd.	Quantity surveyor	March 2006–September 2006
WH Interior Design & Contracting Co. Ltd.	Assistant quantity surveyor	November 2006–March 2007

In July 2008, Mr. Lee obtained a higher diploma in quantity surveying from (Hong Kong) Continuous Professional Education Centre.

Mr. WONG Yee Ching, aged 28, is a safety officer of our Group. He joined our Group in June 2013.

Mr. Wong has about 4 years of experience in construction safety industry. He is responsible for implementing the safety management system in our Group.

Mr. Wong obtained his Bachelor of Science in Applied Science in 2009 from The Open University of Hong Kong. In 2014, he received his diploma in Occupational Health and Safety from The Open University of Hong Kong. He is a registered safety officer under the Factories and Industrial Undertakings (Safety Officers and Safety Supervisors) Regulations.

His working experience in our Group is listed in the table below:

Position	Duration
Safety Supervisor	June 2013-September 2014
Assistant Safety Officer	September 2014–February 2015
Safety Officer	February 2015–present

**Mr. LAW Chun Man**, aged 34, joined our Group in October 2014 and is currently an electrical and mechanical manager. He is responsible for the day-to-day coordination and supervision of electrical and mechanical works of our Group.

Mr. Law has considerable experience in the building and engineering industry. He joined Interlite (Asia) Limited as an engineer from January 2006 to March 2011. From March 2011 to May 2012, he served as a project engineer for Thorn Security (Hong Kong) Ltd. Prior to joining our Group, Mr. Law was employed by Hsin Chong Construction (Engineering) Limited as a building services engineer from May 2012 to October 2014. Mr. Law obtained his bachelor's degree in engineering in fire engineering from the University of Central Lancashire in August 2015 by distance learning.

Mr. NG Ho Nam, aged 28, is an building services coordinator of our Group. He joined our Group in October 2015.

Mr. H.N. Ng has about 7 years of experience in building and engineering industry. From February 2010 to September 2012, he was an assistant engineer at Telemax Environmental and Energy Management Limited. He was primarily responsible for providing design of building services installation for building projects. He then joined Hsin Chong Construction (Engineering) Limited as a building services engineer from October 2012 to September 2015, in which he had gained experience in managing and coordinating a team to handle building projects.

Mr. H.N. Ng obtained his Higher Diploma in Building Services Engineering from Hong Kong Institute of Vocational Education in 2012. In 2014, he received his bachelor's degree in Engineering majoring in Fire Engineering from City University of Hong Kong.

Mr. Ng's working experience prior to joining our Group is listed in the table below:

Entities	Position	Duration
Telemax Environmental and Energy Management Limited	Assistant Building Services Engineer	February 2010–September 2012
Hsin Chong Construction (Engineering) Limited	Building Services Engineer	October 2012–September 2015
Ching Lee Engineering Limited	Building Services Coordinator	October 2015–present

### **COMPANY SECRETARY**

**Mr. Chan Ming Hang**, aged 35, was appointed as the company secretary of our Company on 21 December 2015. He is primarily responsible for the company secretarial matters of our Group.

Mr. Chan has over 10 years of experience in the fields of accounting, auditing and compliance matters of listed companies in Hong Kong. He was employed by Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu from August 2004 to January 2014 and his last position was senior manager. Mr. Chan has been a member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants since January 2009.

Mr. Chan obtained his postgraduate certificate in professional accounting from the City University of Hong Kong in November 2004.

### **COMPLIANCE OFFICER**

**Mr. Ng Choi Wah**, was appointed as the compliance officer (Rule 5.19 of the GEM Listing Rules) of our Company on 21 December 2015. Details of the qualification and experience of Mr. Ng have been disclosed in the paragraph headed "Executive Directors" of this section.

### **AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVES**

Mr. Ng and Mr. Lui are the authorised representatives of our Company.

### INTRODUCTION

We are committed to achieving and maintaining high standards of corporate governance, as our Board believes that good and effective corporate governance practices are key to obtaining and maintaining the trust of the shareholders of the Company and other stakeholders, and are essential for encouraging accountability and transparency so as to sustain the success of the Group and to create long-term value for the shareholders of the Company.

### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICE**

The Company has applied the principles and code provisions in the Corporate Governance Code and Corporate Governance Report (the "Code") as set out in Appendix 15 to the GEM Listing Rules. In the opinion of the Board, the Company has complied with the Code for the year ended 31 March 2017.

### **DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS**

The Company adopted the required standard of dealings set out in rules 5.48 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules as the code of conduct regarding Directors' securities transactions in securities of the Company. Based on specific enquiry with the Directors, all Directors confirmed that they had fully complied with the required standard of dealings and there was no event of non-compliance from the Listing Date up to the date of this annual report.

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

### Composition

The composition of the Board during the year and up to the date of this annual report is set out as follows:

### **Executive Directors**

Mr. Ng Choi Wah (Chairman)

Mr. Lui Yiu Wing Mr. Lam Ka Fai

### **Independent non-executive Directors**

Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald

Biographical details of the Directors are set out in "Biographical Details of the Directors and Senior Management" on pages 12 to 17 of this annual report.

### INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

In compliance with rule 5.05A, 5.05(1) and (2) of the GEM Listing Rules, the Company has appointed three independent non-executive Directors representing more than one-third of the board and at least one of whom has appropriate professional qualifications, or accounting or related financial management expertise.

The Company has received from each independent non-executive Director an annual confirmation of his independence, and the Company considers such Directors to be independent in accordance with the criteria set out in rule 5.09 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **FUNCTIONS OF THE BOARD AND MANAGEMENT**

The Board supervises the management of the business and affairs of the Company and ensures that it is managed in the best interests of the shareholders as a whole while taking into account the interest of other stakeholders. The Board is primarily responsible for formulating the business strategy, reviewing and monitoring the business performance of the Group, approving the financial statements and annual budgets as well as directing and supervising the management of the Company. Execution of operational matters and the powers thereof are delegated to the management by the Board with clear directions. The Board is regularly provided with management update report to give a balanced and understandable assessment of the performance, position, recent development and prospect of the Group in sufficient details.

The Board is also responsible for the corporate governance functions under code provision D.3.1 of the Code. The Board has reviewed and discussed the corporate governance policy of the Group and is satisfied with the effectiveness of the corporate governance policy.

With the various experience of both the executive Directors and the independent non-executive Directors and the nature of the Group's business, the Board considered that the directors have a balance of skills and experience for the business of the Group.

### TERMS OF APPOINTMENT AND RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Each of our executive Directors has entered into a service contract with our Company on 10 March 2016 and we signed letters of appointment with each of our independent non-executive Directors on the same day. The service contracts with our executive Directors are for an initial term of three years commencing from the date on which the shares of the Company are listed on the GEM (i.e. 29 March 2016) and can be terminated by either party giving not less than three months' notice in writing. The letter of appointment with each of our independent non-executive Directors are for an initial term until 31 March 2017 commencing from 10 March 2016 and can be terminated by either party giving not less than one month's notice in writing.

The service contracts and letters of appointment are subject to termination in accordance with their respective terms. The service contracts can be renewed in accordance with our articles of association and the applicable GEM Listing Rules.

According to our articles of association, one-third of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office by rotation at every annual general meeting of the Company, provided that every Director shall retire from office by rotation and are subject to re-election at annual general meeting at least once every three years. Directors who are appointed to fill casual vacancies shall hold office only until the next following general meeting after their appointment, and are subject to re-election by shareholders of the Company.

The Company has taken out directors and officers liability insurance to cover liabilities arising from legal action against the Directors.

### NUMBER OF MEETINGS AND DIRECTORS' ATTENDANCE

Our Board meets regularly for considering, reviewing and/or approving matters relating to, among others, the financial and operating performance, as well as, the overall strategies and policies of our Company. Additional meetings are held when significant events or important issues are required to be discussed and resolved.

During the year, the Board held four meetings and one Shareholders' meeting (being the annual general meeting of the Company) was held. The Directors' attendance records in respect of meetings held during the year are shown as follows:

Attendance Record of Meetings held during the Year					
Name of Directors	Board	Audit Committee	Nomination Committee	Remuneration Committee	Annual General Meeting
Number of total meetings	4	4	1	2	1
Mr. Ng Choi Wah	4/4	N/A	1/1	2/2	1/1
Mr. Lui Yiu Wing	4/4	N/A	N/A	N/A	1/1
Mr. Lam Ka Fai	4/4	N/A	N/A	N/A	1/1
Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx	4/4	4/4	1/1	2/2	1/1
Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul	3/4	3/4	0/1	N/A	1/1
Mr. Chan Kam Wing Donald	4/4	4/4	N/A	2/2	1/1

### **DIRECTORS' TRAINING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

To assist Directors' continuing professional development, the Company recommends Directors to attend relevant seminars to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills. Directors also participate in continuous professional development programmes such as external seminars organised by qualified professionals, to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills in relation to their contribution to the Board. All board members have received directors' training hosted by our auditor, BDO Financial Services Limited, which was about, inter alias, the listing rules, Corporate Governance and Internal Control.

All the Directors also understand the importance of continuous professional development and are committed to participate any suitable training to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills.

Pursuant to the code provision A.6.5 of the Code, during the year ended 31 March 2017 and up to the date of the report, all Directors had participated in continuous professional development in the following manner:

Name of Directors	Reading materials relevant to Listing Rules	Training on Director's responsibilities
Mr. Ng Choi Wah	$\checkmark$	$\sqrt{}$
Mr. Lui Yiu Wing	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$
Mr. Lam Ka Fai	$\sqrt{}$	
Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx	$\sqrt{}$	
Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul	$\sqrt{}$	
Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald	$\sqrt{}$	

### **CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

Pursuant to the code provision A.2.1 of the Code, the roles of Chairman and CEO should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual. The division of responsibilities between the chairman and chief executive should be clearly established.

Mr. Ng Choi Wah currently assumes the role of both chairman of the Company and chief executive of the Company. In view that Mr. Ng has been assuming day-to-day responsibilities in operating and managing our Group since 1998 and the rapid development of our Group, the Board believes that with the support of Mr. Ng's extensive experience and knowledge in the business of the Group, vesting the roles of both Chairman and chief executive officer of our Company in Mr. Ng strengthens the solid and consistent leadership and thereby allows for efficient business planning and decision which is in the best interest to our Group. Mr. Ng delegates the role and responsibilities including operations, management, business development and strategy planning of the Group to other Executive Directors. The Board will review the need of appointing suitable candidate to assume the role of chief executive when necessary.

#### **BOARD COMMITTEE**

The Board has established three Board committees, namely, the Audit Committee, the Remuneration Committee and the Nomination Committee, for overseeing particular aspects of the Company's affairs. All Board committees have been established with defined written terms of reference, which are posted on the GEM's website www.hkgem.com and the Company's website at www.chingleeholdings.com. All the Board committees should report to the Board on their decisions or recommendations made. The practices, procedures and arrangements in conducting meetings of Board committees follow in line with, so far as practicable, those of the Board meetings set out above.

All Board committees are provided with sufficient resources to perform their duties and, upon reasonable request, are able to seek independent professional advice in appropriate circumstance, at the Company's expense.

The Board is responsible for performing the corporate governance duties set out in the Code which included developing and reviewing the Company's policies and practices on corporate governance, training and continuous professional development of Directors, and reviewing the Company's compliance with the code provision in the Code and disclosures in this report.

#### **Audit Committee**

We have established an audit committee pursuant to a resolution of our Directors passed on 10 March 2016 in compliance with Rule 5.28 of the GEM Listing Rules and with the written terms of reference in compliance with the Code as set out in Appendix 15 of the GEM Listing Rules. The primary duties of our audit committee are (i) to make recommendations to our Board on the appointment and removal of external auditors, (ii) to review the financial statements and material advice in respect of financial reporting process of our Group and (iii) to oversee the internal control systems of our Group. Our audit committee currently consists of all three of our independent non-executive Directors, namely Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx, Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul and Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald. Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald who has the appropriate accounting and financial related management expertise, is the chairman of the audit committee.

The Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee. The Audit Committee is of the opinion that the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2017 comply with applicable accounting standards, GEM Listing Rules and that adequate disclosures have been made.

### **Remuneration Committee**

We have established a remuneration committee pursuant to a resolution of our Directors passed on 10 March 2016 in compliance with Rule 5.34 of the GEM Listing Rules and with the written terms of reference in compliance with the Code. The primary duties of our remuneration committee are (i) to review and make recommendations to our Board on the overall remuneration policy and structure relating to all Directors and senior management of our Group; (ii) to review and approve other remuneration-related matters, including benefits-in-kind and other compensation payable to our Directors and senior management; and (iii) to review and approve performance-based remuneration and to establish a formal and transparent procedure for developing policy in relation to remuneration. Our remuneration committee currently consists of an executive Director, namely Mr. Ng, and two of our independent non-executive Directors, namely Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx and Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald. Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx is the chairman of our remuneration committee. The Remuneration Committee has reviewed the remuneration packages and emoluments of Directors and senior management and considered that they are fair and reasonable during the year ended 31 March 2017.

### Remuneration of directors and senior management

Our Directors and senior management receive compensation in the form of salaries, allowances, bonuses and other benefits-in-kind, including our contribution to the pension scheme. Our Remuneration Committee determines the salaries of our Director's based on each Director's qualification, position and seniority.

### **Nomination Committee**

We have established a nomination committee pursuant to a resolution of our Directors passed on 10 March 2016 with written terms of reference in compliance with the Code. The primary duties of our nomination committee are (i) to review the structure, size and composition of our Board on a regular basis; (ii) to identify individuals suitably qualified to become Board members and to select or make recommendations to our Board on the selection of individuals for nomination of directorships of the Company; (iii) to assess the independence of independent non-executive Directors; and (iv) to make recommendations to our Board on relevant matters relating to the appointment or re-appointment of Directors. Our nomination committee currently consists of one executive Director, namely Mr. Ng, and two of our independent non-executive Directors, namely Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx and Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul. Mr. Ng is the chairman of the nomination committee.

### **Board Diversity Policy**

The Board has adopted a board diversity policy which sets out the approach to achieve a sustainable and balanced development of the Company and also to enhance the quality of performance of the Company.

In designing the Board's composition, Board diversity has been considered from a number of perspectives, including but not limited to gender, age, cultural and educational background, industry experience, technical and professional skills and/or qualifications, knowledge, length of services and time to be devoted as a director. The Company will also take into account factors relating to its own business model and specific needs from time to time. The ultimate decision is based on merit and contribution that the selected candidates will bring to the Board.

### DIRECTORS' AND AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

All Directors acknowledges their responsibility to prepare the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017 to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Group and of the results and cash flows for that year. The Directors continue to adopt the going concern approach in preparing the consolidated financial statements and are not aware of any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt upon the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

The responsibilities of the external auditors about their financial reporting are set out in the independent auditor's report attached to the Company's financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017 set out in this annual report.

### **AUDITORS' REMUNERATION**

For the year ended 31 March 2017, the remuneration paid or payable to BDO Limited and its affiliate companies in respect of audit and non-audit services provided is set out below:

Services rendered	Remuneration paid/payable (HK\$'000)
Audit services	1,550
Non-audit services	-
	1,550

#### INTERNAL CONTROLS AND RISK ASSESSMENT

The Board is responsible for the establishment, maintenance and review of the Group's system of internal controls and risk assessment. A review of internal controls systems of different operations was conducted by an independent external risk advisory firm to ensure the effectiveness and adequacy internal controls system.

The Board considered the internal controls system of the Group to be adequate and effective for the year ended 31 March 2017. The Board also conducted a review of the adequacy of resources, qualifications and experience of staff of the Group's accounting and financial reporting function, and their training programs and budget which are considered to be adequate for the year ended 31 March 2017.

The Board has conducted a review of the implemented system and procedures, covering financial, operational and legal compliance controls and risk management functions. The Directors consider that the Group has implemented appropriate procedures safeguarding the Group's assets against unauthorised use or misappropriation, maintaining proper accounting records, execution with appropriate authority and compliance of the relevant laws and regulations.

The Group recognises that good risk management is essential for the long-term development on the Group's business. The management is responsible to establish, implement, review and evaluate effectiveness of the internal control system underpinning the risk management framework. Upon taking into full account of the new requirements effective from 1 January 2016 under the GEM Listing Rules brought by the Stock Exchange relating to risk management and internal control, the management has formulated the risk management and control framework.

### **OBJECTIVES OF RISK MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL CONTROL**

The Group has adopted a three-tier risk management approach to identify, assess, mitigate and handle risks. At the first line of defence, department staff/employees are responsible for identifying, assessing and monitoring risks associated with each business or transactions. The management, as the second line of defence, provides independent oversight of the risk management activities of the first line of defence. It ensures that risks are within the acceptable range and that the first line of defence is effective. As the final line of defence, the audit committee of the Company, with the professional advices and opinions from the external professional company by whom internal audit work of the Group was conducted on annual basis, ensures that the first and second lines of defence are effective through constant inspection and monitoring.

### **COMPANY SECRETARY**

Mr. Chan Ming Hang ("Mr. Chan"), an employee of the Company, was appointed by the Board as the company secretary of the Company ("Company Secretary") on 10 March 2016. The biographical details of Mr. Chan are set out under the section headed "Biographical Details of Directors and Senior Management".

The primary duties of the Company Secretary include, but are not limited to, the following: (i) to ensure the Board procedures are followed and that the activities of the Board are carried out efficiently and effectively; (ii) to assist the chairman to prepare agendas and Board papers for meetings and disseminate such documents to the Directors and Board committees in a timely manner; (iii) to timely disseminate announcements and information relating to the Group; and (iv) to maintain formal minutes of the Board meetings and other Board committee meetings.

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Company Secretary of the Company had confirmed that he had taken no less than 15 hours of relevant professional training in accordance with Rule 5.15 of the GEM Listing Rules.

#### HANDLING INSIDE INFORMATION

An information disclosure policy is in place to ensure potential inside information being captured and confidentiality of such information being maintained until consistent and timely disclosure are made in accordance with the Listing Rules. The policy regulates the handling and dissemination of inside information, which includes:

- Designated reporting channels from different operations informing any potential inside information to designated departments;
- Designated persons and departments to determine further escalation and disclosure as required; and
- Designated persons authorised to act as spokespersons and respond to external enquiries.

### SHAREHOLDERS' RIGHT

The general meetings of the Company provide an opportunity for communication between the shareholders and the Board. An annual general meeting of the Company shall be held in each year and at the place as may be determined by the Board. Each general meeting, other than an annual general meeting, shall be called an extraordinary general meeting ("**EGM**").

### Procedures and right for shareholders to convene EGM

The following procedures for shareholders to convene an extraordinary general meeting are subject to the Articles of Association (as amended from time to time), and the applicable legislation and regulation, in particular the GEM Listing Rules (as amended from time to time):

- (a) Pursuant to Article 58 of the articles of association, any one or more Members holding at the date of deposit of the requisition not less than one-tenth of the paid up capital of the Company (the "Eligible Shareholder(s)") carrying the right of voting at general meetings of the Company shall at all times have the right, by written requisition to the Board or the Secretary of the Company, to require an EGM to be called by the Board for the transaction of any business specified in such requisition; and such meeting shall be held within two months after the deposit of such requisition.
- (b) The written requisition must state the purposes of the meeting, signed by the Eligible Shareholder(s) and deposit it to the Board or the company secretary of the Company at the Company's principal place of business at Room 203–204, 2nd Floor, Hang Bong Commercial Centre, 28 Shanghai Street, Jordan, Kowloon, Hong Kong, and such may consist of several documents in like form, each signed by one or more requisitionists.
- (c) the Requisition must state clearly the name of the Eligible Shareholder(s) concerned, his/her/their shareholding, the reason(s) to convene an EGM and the details of the business(es) proposed to be transacted in the EGM, and must be signed by the Eligible Shareholder(s) concerned together with a deposit of a sum of money reasonable sufficient to meet the Company's expenses in serving the notice of the resolution and circulating the statement submitted by the shareholders concerned in accordance with the statutory requirements to all the registered shareholders;
- (d) the Requisition will be verified with Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company and upon their confirmation that the Requisition is proper and in order, the Board will convene an EGM by serving sufficient notice in accordance with the requirements under the Articles to all the registered Shareholders. On the contrary, if the Requisition has been verified as not in order or the Shareholders concerned have failed to deposit sufficient money to meet the Company's expenses for the said purposes, the Eligible Shareholder(s) concerned will be advised of this outcome and accordingly, the Board will not call for an EGM;
- (e) If within 21 days of such deposit the Board fails to proceed to convene such meeting the Eligible Shareholder(s) himself/herself/themselves may do so in the same manner, and all reasonable expenses incurred by the Eligible Shareholder(s) as a result of the failure of the Board shall be reimbursed to the Eligible Shareholder(s) by the Company.

### Right to put enquiries to the Board

For putting forward any enquiries to the Board, shareholders may send written enquiries to the Company. Shareholders may send their enquiries or requests in respect of their rights to the Company's principal place of business in Hong Kong.

### Procedures for shareholders to put forward proposals at shareholders' meetings

There are no provisions allowing shareholders to move new resolutions at the general meetings under the Companies Law (Revised) of Cayman Islands. However, pursuant to the Articles, shareholders who wish to move a resolution may by means of Requisition convene an EGM following the procedures set out above.

#### COMMUNICATION WITH SHAREHOLDERS AND INVESTOR RELATIONS

The Company has established a range of communication channels between itself and its shareholders, investors and other stakeholders. These include the annual general meeting, the annual report, interim report and quarterly reports, notices, announcements and circulars that are available on Company's website at www.chingleeholdings.com.

For the year ended 31 March 2017, there had been no significant change in the Company's constitutional documents.

### Environmental, Social and Governance Report

### **GENERAL**

This is the Environmental, Social and Governance ("ESG") Report prepared by the Group pursuant to the Environmental, Social and Governance Reporting Guide as set out in Appendix 20 of the GEM Listing Rules ("ESG Reporting Guide").

For the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group has been attaching much importance to environmental and social responsibility work, integrated the ideas of environmental and social responsibility into the Group's operation and management activities. The implementation of our ESG strategy is the responsibility of the Board and employee's participation is vital to the success of it.

For details of the Group's financial performance and corporate governance matters, please refer to other sections in the annual report of the Company of which this ESG Report forms part.

### A. ENVIRONMENTAL

#### 1. EMISSION

Our Group engaged in the construction industry which may generate some hazardous waste due to the business nature, the Group takes all reasonable step to closely monitor and manage the environmental effect of the operations. The Group target to minimize the impact on the environment and always seeks less harmful ways to the environment in the operations. The Group has adopted the emission control measures, included but not limited to: i) trip-ticket system to record disposal of construction waste to disposal facilities; and ii) open burning is prohibited in all sites.

### 2. USE OF RESOURCES

The Group has been very active on being environmentally friendly. The Group is very supportive on reducing the consumption of fuel, electricity and enhancing the efficiency in several ways namely: i) Employees are encouraged by the Group to turn off the electronic equipment when it is not being used and switch the lights off before leaving the office; ii) the Group advocates the temperature at the office to be remained at 25.5 Celsius; iii) double-sided printing is also being encouraged by the Group and; iv) the Group arranges the surplus materials on the construction site to be re-used in other construction sites instead of dumping.

### 3. THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES

The Group has developed the Environmental Management System which has been certified to comply with ISO 14001. The Group set up the Environmental Information Board in the office on order to spread the practical tips and information about the environmental friendly action to the management and employees to minimize the impact of the business on the environment.

### Environmental, Social and Governance Report

### **B. SOCIAL ASPECT**

#### 1. EMPLOYMENT

The Group regards people as valuable asset and has established conspicuous guidelines and policies to attract and retain talent. The Group has been investing significantly on the development of human capital and provides competitive remuneration and welfare packages. Promotion opportunities and salary adjustments are benchmarked against individual performance. The Group provides a safe working environment for employees to support their career advancement and fosters their personal development. During the year end 31 March 2017, the Group complied with Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance (Chapter 485 of the Laws of Hong Kong) and other labour related laws and regulations.

#### 2. HEALTH AND SAFETY

The Group sees securing occupational safety and health of the employees as top priority. Not only the Group has been complying with relevant occupational safety and health legislations of Hong Kong, we endeavour to protect our employees from work related accidents/injuries.

### **Safety Audit**

Safety audits were conducted on a timely basis in office (corporate level) and one site (project) according to the statutory requirements of Factories and Industrial Undertakings (Safety Management) Regulation, to check the efficiency, effectiveness and reliability of the safety management and set up plan for further improvements action.

#### 3. DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING

The Group believes that people development enacts a vital role of the fundamental basis for business growth. The Group encourages long term growth and career development by allocating sufficient resources on people development. Other than on-the-job training, employees are invigorated to take part/engage in internal and external training to strengthen their skills, knowledge, and professionalism. The Group also provides training and assist relevant employees in completing the mandatory basic safety training courses and fulfilling the continuous professional training hour requirement.

### 4. LABOUR STANDARDS

The Group adhere to the Employment Ordinance. During the recruitment process, the Group reviews the applicant's identification. Applicants will be requested to provide proof of documents in related to academic qualifications and working experience for verification. The employment policies of the Group also protect the right of free choices of employment by any person and ensure that all the employment relationship is established on a voluntary basis.

### Environmental, Social and Governance Report

### 5. SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

#### Sustainable Procurement

The Group's service quality is cinched by the policy that is in relation to the subcontractors and suppliers. The Group will only select those suppliers and subcontractors within the approved list which has passed the Group's quality control test with a satisfactory record of quality and on-time delivery. The Group aims to maintain the partnership with suppliers and works together to promote sustainable development of the industry. An evaluation will be carried out in an annual basis to assure the performances of the subcontractors and suppliers are adequate. The assessment mainly includes but not limited to the professional qualification, services/products quality, financial status, operation in good integrity, social responsibility, etc. If the result is not in satisfactory, the respective suppliers or subcontractors may be removed from the approved list.

#### 6. PRODUCT RESPONSIBILITY

The Group recognise the significance of the services quality and therefore relevant policies which cover all aspects that is applicable to service quality and safety and to make sure that they comply with the laws and regulations.

The Group communicates and confirms the work plan with customers before the commencement of the project and actively monitors and processes and coordinates with the customers. For the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group has not had any material complaints or request to terminate projects that is due to poor quality nor safety.

### 7. ANTI-CORRUPTION

The Group adheres to stringent anti-corruption policies as stated in the Staff Hand Book that includes Integrity of Business Practices, ethical standard, conflicts of interest, breach of conduct, handling of confidential information and legal requirement on prevention of bribery and against corruption. The Group has adopted best practices with respect to whistle-blowing. Details of our whistle-blowing policy and procedures are published on our Company website. No cases of corruption were reported within the Group during the financial year ended 31 March 2017.

### 8. COMMUNITY INVESTMENT

The Group targets to dedicate itself to take up its corporate social responsibility for the communities where it is present. The Group aims to address community concerns through engaging in volunteer work and charity donation. The Group also encourages the employees to pursue their personal passions and dedicate their time and skills to support the local communities.

The Directors hereby present their report and the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017.

### **CORPORATE REORGANISATION**

The Company was incorporated with limited liability in the Cayman Islands on 16 November 2015.

In preparing for the listing of the Company's shares on the GEM Board of the Stock Exchange (the "Listing"), the Company became the holding company of the companies comprising the Group underwent the corporate reorganisation (the "Reorganisation") upon the completion of the Reorganisation on 15 December 2015.

Details of the Reorganisation are set out in note 1 to the consolidated financial statements. The shares of the Company were listed on the GEM Board of the Stock Exchange with effect from 29 March 2016.

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND BUSINESS REVIEW

The Company is an investment holding company. During the year, the Company's subsidiaries are main contractor in Hong Kong principally engaged in providing substructure building works services, superstructure building works services and RMAA works services.

Further discussion and analysis of these activities as required by Schedule 5 to the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, including a review of the Group's business, a description of the principal risks and uncertainties facing the Group, an analysis using financial key performance indicators and indication of likely future development in the Group's business, can be found in the Management Discussion and Analysis set out on pages 5 to 11 of this annual report. This discussion forms part of this directors' report.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES AND PERFORMANCE**

The principal activity of the Group is in Hong Kong and our operations are governed by Hong Kong laws and regulations including the Air Pollution Control Ordinance (Chapter 311 of the Laws of Hong Kong), Noise Control Ordinance (Chapter 400 of the Laws of Hong Kong), Water Pollution Control Ordinance (Chapter 358 of the Laws of Hong Kong), Waste Disposal Ordinance (Chapter 354 of the Laws of Hong Kong), Dumping at Sea Ordinance (Chapter 466 of the Laws of Hong Kong), Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance (Chapter 499 of the Laws of Hong Kong) and Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Chapter 132 of the Laws of Hong Kong). These laws and regulations cover a broad range of environmental matters, including air pollution, noise emissions, discharge of sewage and waste residues. The Group recognises the importance of environmental protection and has implemented various environmental protection measures in order to minimise the operation impact on the environment and natural resources.

The Group will continue to monitor the construction process in order to ensure that it does not have a significant adverse effect on the environment and that the Group's environmental protection measures are adequate to ensure compliance with all applicable current regulations. As at 31 March 2017, no significant administrative sanctions, penalties or punishments have been imposed upon us for the violation of any environmental laws or regulations.

### **COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS AND REGULATIONS**

To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief, having made all reasonable enquiries, the Group has complied in material respects with the relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the business and operations of the Company and its subsidiaries during the year.

### KEY RELATIONSHIPS WITH EMPLOYEES, CUSTOMERS, SUPPLIERS AND OTHER PARTIES

The Company is of the view that it has been maintaining a good relationship with the following key stakeholders of the Group:

- employees and workers
- major customers
- major suppliers and subcontractors
- bankers

#### **DONATIONS**

Charitable and other donations made by the Group during the year ended 31 March 2017 amounted to HK\$1.4 million (31 March 2016: HK\$2.8 million).

#### PERMITTED INDEMNITY PROVISION

Each Director or other officers of the Company shall be indemnified out of the assets and profits of the Company against all losses or liabilities which he or she may sustain or incur in or about the execution of the duties of his or her office or otherwise in relation thereto. In addition, the Company has maintained appropriate directors and officers liability insurance in respect of relevant legal actions against the Directors.

### **EQUITY-LINKED AGREEMENTS**

Other than the Share Option Scheme of the Company as disclosed below, no equity-linked agreements that will or may result in the Company issuing shares or that require the Company to enter into any agreements that will or may result in the Company issuing shares were entered into by the Company during the year or subsisted at the end of the year.

### **RESULTS AND DIVIDEND**

The Group's results for the year ended 31 March 2017 and the state of affairs of the Company and the Group at that date are set out in the financial statements on pages 41 to 83.

The Directors do not recommend the payment of final dividend in respect of the year end 31 March 2017 (31 March 2016: nil).

#### **SHARE CAPITAL**

As at 31 March 2017, the Company's issued share capital was HK\$10,000,000 and the number of its issued ordinary shares was 1,000,000,000 of HK\$0.01 each.

Details of movements in the share capital during the year are set out in note 23 to the financial statements.

### **PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS**

There is no provisions for pre-emptive rights under the Company's articles of association or the laws of the Cayman Islands which would oblige the Company to offer new shares on a pro rata basis to existing shareholders.

### PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES OF THE COMPANY

Neither the Company, nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities during the year ended 31 March 2017.

### DIVIDEND

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend for the year ended 31 March 2017 (2016: HK\$Nil).

#### **DISTRIBUTABLE RESERVES**

Details of distributable reserves of the Company as at 31 March 2017 are set out in note 24 to the consolidated financial statements.

### **USE OF PROCEEDS FROM THE COMPANY'S PLACING**

The net proceeds from the Listing in March 2016, after deducting the underwriting fees, the Stock Exchange trading fee and SFC transaction levy for the New Shares and estimated listing expenses in connection with the Placing, were approximately HK\$42.5 million.

### **SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

A summary of the published results and assets and liabilities of the Group, as extracted from the Prospectus and the consolidated financial statements of the Company for the years ended 31 March 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017 is set out on page 84 of the annual report. This summary does not form part of the audited financial statements.

#### **DIRECTORS**

The Directors of the Company during the year and up to the date of this report were as follows:

### **Executive Directors**

Mr. Ng Choi Wah (Chairman)

Mr. Lui Yiu Wing Mr. Lam Ka Fai

### **Independent non-executive Directors**

Dr. Wai Wing Hong Onyx

Mr. Tong Hin Sum Paul

Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald

Brief biographical details of Directors and senior management are set out on pages 12 to 17 of the annual report.

#### **DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN CONTRACTS**

No contract of significance, to which the Company, its holding company or subsidiaries was a party and in which a director of the Company had a material interest, whether directly or indirectly, subsisted at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

### **DIRECTORS' SERVICE CONTRACTS**

Each of the executive Directors has entered into a service agreement with the Company for an initial term of three years commencing from the date on which the shares of the Company are listed on the GEM (i.e. 29 March 2016) and will continue thereafter until terminated in accordance with the terms of the agreement. Independent non-executive Directors are appointed for a term until 31 March 2017 initially and can be renewed in accordance with our articles of association and the applicable GEM Listing Rules.

Save as disclosed above, none of the Directors has entered into any service contracts with the Company or any of its subsidiaries which is not determinable by the Group within one year without payment compensation other than the statutory compensation.

#### **COMPETING BUSINESS AND CONFLICT OF INTERESTS**

The Directors are not aware of any business or interest of the Directors nor the controlling shareholder of the Company nor any of their respective associates (as defined in the GEM Listing Rules) that compete or may compete with the business of the Group and any other conflicts of interest which any such person has or may have with the Group during the year ended 31 March 2017.

### **EMOLUMENTS OF THE DIRECTORS AND THE FIVE HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS**

Details of the emoluments of the Directors and the five highest paid individuals of the Group are set out in note 12 to the consolidated financial statements in this annual report.

#### **EMOLUMENT POLICY**

The remuneration committee will review and determine the remuneration and compensation packages of the Directors with reference to their responsibilities, workload, time devoted to the Group and the performance of the Group. The Directors and other employees who have made valuable contribution to the Group may also receive options to be granted under the Share Option Scheme.

### DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVES' INTEREST AND SHORT POSITION IN SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES

As at 31 March 2017, the interests and short positions of the Directors and chief executives of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of Securities and Futures Ordinance ("SFO")) which were notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests or short positions which they were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO), or which were recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO, or which were required, pursuant to Rules 5.46 to 5.68 of the GEM Listing Rules, to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange, were as follows:

### Long positions in shares of the Company

Name of Directors	Company/name of associated company	Nature of interest	Number and class of securities	Approximate percentage of issued share capital
Mr. Ng	The Company	Interest in a controlled corporation	645,000,000 Shares (Note)	64.5%
	JT Glory Limited	Beneficial interest	100 shares of US\$1.00 each	100%
Mr. Lui Yiu Wing	The Company	Beneficial interest	900,000 shares	0.09%

Note: The Shares are registered in the name of JT Glory Limited, the entire issued share capital of which is legally and beneficially owned by Mr. Ng. Under the SFO, Mr. Ng is deemed to be interested in all the Shares held by JT Glory Limited.

### **Short positions in shares of the Company**

As at 31 March 2017, there is no short position of the Directors and chief executives of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of SFO).

### SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN THE SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES OF THE COMPANY

So far as the Directors are aware, as at 31 March 2017, other than the director and chief executive of the Company, the following persons/entities have an interest or a short position in the shares or the underlying shares of the Company as recorded in the register of the Company required to be kept under section 336 of the SFO:

### Long positions in shares of the Company:

Name	Capacity	Number of Shares held	Percentage of shareholding
JT GLory Limited	Beneficial owner	645,000,000 (Note 1)	64.5%
Ms. Cheung Yuk Sheung	Interest of spouse	645,000,000 (Note 2)	64.5%

### Notes:

- 1. JT Glory Limited is wholly-owned by Mr. Ng. Under the SFO, Mr. Ng is deemed to be interested in all the Shares held by JT Glory Limited.
- 2. Ms. Cheung Yuk Sheung is the spouse of Mr. Ng. Under the SFO, Ms. Cheung is deemed to be interested in all the Shares held by Mr. Ng.

### **Short positions in shares of the Company:**

As at 31 March 2017, there is no interest or short position of every person, other than a director and chief executive of the Company, in the shares and underlying shares of the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 336 of the SFO.

### **MAJOR CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS**

For the year ended 31 March 2017, the percentage of revenue attributable to the Group's major customers is set out below:

### Revenue

	Percentage of revenue
— The largest customer	30.1%
— The total of the five largest customers	69.0%

For the year ended 31 March 2017, the percentage of cost of services attributable to the Group's major suppliers is set out below:

#### Cost of services

	Percentage of total purchase
— The largest supplier	5.3%
— The total of the five largest suppliers	19.1%
	Percentage of total subcontracting cost
— The largest subcontractor	6.2%
— The total of the five largest subcontractors	29.1%

None of the Directors, their associates or any shareholder (which to the knowledge of the Directors owns more than 5% of the Company's share capital) had an interest in the major customers, major suppliers and major subcontractors noted above.

### CONNECTED TRANSACTION AND CONTINUING CONNECTED TRANSACTION

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group had not entered into any connected transactions or continuing connected transactions that are not exempted under Rule 20.71 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **SHARE OPTION SCHEME**

The Company adopted a share option scheme on 10 March 2016 (the "**Scheme**"). The terms of the Scheme are in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 23 of the GEM Listing Rules and set out below.

### (a) Purpose of the Share Option Scheme

The purpose of the Share Option Scheme enables our Company to grant Options to the Eligible Persons as incentives or rewards for their contributions to our Group.

### (b) Participants

The Board may, at its discretion, invite any Eligible Persons to take up Options.

### (c) Total number of Shares available for issue under the Share Option Scheme

The maximum number of Shares in respect of which options may be granted under the Share Option Scheme shall not in aggregate exceed 10% of all the Shares in issue as at the Date of Listing (i.e. a total of 100,000,000 Shares representing 10% of the issued share capital of the Company as at the date of this report).

### (d) Maximum entitlement of each participant

The total number of Shares issued and to be issued upon exercise of options granted to each participant (including both exercised and outstanding options) under the Share Option Scheme or any other share option schemes of the Company, in any 12-month period up to the date of grant shall not exceed 1% of the Shares in issue. Any further grant of share options in excess of this limit is subject to shareholders' approval in general meeting.

### (e) Term of subscription of Shares upon exercise of the options

An option may be exercised in accordance with the terms of the Share Option Scheme at any time during a period as the Board may determine which shall not exceed ten years from the date of grant.

### (f) Minimum period for which an option must be held before it can be exercised

The Board may in its absolute discretion set a minimum period for which an option must be held before an option can be exercised.

### (g) Time of acceptance and the amount payable on acceptance of the option

An offer for the grant of options must be accepted within twenty eight days from the date on which the option is granted. The amount payable by the grantee of an option to the Company on acceptance of the offer for the grant of an option is HK\$1.

No share option has been granted since the adoption of the Scheme and there was no share option outstanding as at 31 March 2017.

#### SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

Based on information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of the Directors, during the year ended 31 March 2017, the Company's public float has fallen below 25% as required by Rule 11.23(7) of the GEM Listing Rules. The public float was restored through the disposal of 67,600,000 shares, representing approximately 6.76% of the issued share capital of the Company, by a substantial shareholder, Mighty Edge Limited, to an independent third party on 10 August 2016.

### INTERESTS OF THE COMPLIANCE ADVISER

As notified by the compliance adviser of the Company, Kingsway Capital Limited ("**Kingsway**"), as at 31 March 2017, save for the compliance agreement dated 13 January 2016 entered between the Company and Kingsway, neither Kingsway, its directors, employees, and associates had any interest in relation to the Group which is required to be notified to the Company pursuant to Rule 6A.32 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

The Company's corporate governance report is set out on pages 18 to 25 of this report.

### **AUDITOR**

BDO Limited was appointed by the Directors as the auditor of the Company. BDO Limited will retire, and being eligible, offer themselves for re-appointment at the forthcoming annual general meeting. A resolution for their re-appointment as auditor of the Company will be proposed at the forthcoming annual general meeting. The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017 have been audited by BDO Limited.

### **EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD**

There is no significant event after the reporting period of the Group.

By Order of the Board **Ng Choi Wah** *Chairman* 

Hong Kong, 10 May 2017



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### To the Shareholders of Ching Lee Holdings Limited

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

#### **OPINION**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Ching Lee Holdings Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (hereafter referred to as the "Group") set out on pages 41 to 83, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 March 2017, and the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements. including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 31 March 2017, and of its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (the "HKICPA") and have been properly prepared in compliance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

#### **BASIS FOR OPINION**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing ("HKSAs") issued by the HKICPA. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements" section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the HKICPA's "Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants" (the "Code"), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### **KEY AUDIT MATTERS**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

# REVENUE AND PROFIT RECOGNITION OF PROVISION OF CONSTRUCTION WORKS AND AMOUNTS DUE FROM/TO CUSTOMERS OF CONTRACT WORK

Refer to Notes 4, 5, 7 and 19 to the consolidated financial statements.

The Group is engaged in provision of construction and consultancy works and project management services in Hong Kong (the "Construction Works"). As at 31 March 2017, the Group recorded amounts due from customers of contract work and amounts due to customers of contract work of HK\$78,855,000 and HK\$2,612,000 respectively. The Group recognised revenue and gross profit on provision of the Construction Works of HK\$579,849,000 and HK\$75,564,000 respectively for the year ended 31 March 2017.

The Group recognises revenue and profit of provision of the Construction Works and amounts due from/to customers of contract work according to the Group's management's estimation of the total outcome of the construction contracts as well as the percentage of completion of the Construction Works which requires the estimation of contract costs and gross profit margin of each contract. Contract costs and gross profit margin of individual contract is determined based on budget of the contract which was prepared by the management. Management is required to exercise significant judgement in their assessment of the completeness and accuracy of forecast costs to complete and the ability to deliver contracts within forecast timescales.

#### **OUR RESPONSE**

During our audit, we conducted the following audit procedures, amongst others, to address this key audit matter:

- (i) Evaluating the estimation of revenue and profit recognised on provision of the Construction Works, on a sample basis, by:
  - Comparing the contract sum and budgeted costs to respective signed contracts and approved budgets;
  - Obtaining an understanding from management and project managers about how the approved budgets were prepared and the respective stages of completion were determined;
  - Assessing the reasonableness of key judgements inherent in the approved budgets;
  - Checking the existence and valuation of variations to correspondences with customers; and
  - Checking the management's assessment on the Group's ability to deliver contracts within budgeted timescales by comparing the progress of the contracts against the terms stipulated in the contracts;

- (ii) Assessing the reliability of the approved budgets by comparing the actual outcome against management's estimation of completed contracts on a sample basis; and
- (iii) Checking the accuracy of the amounts due from/to customers of contract work by comparing the amount of progress billings, on a sample basis, to billings issued to customers.

### OTHER INFORMATION IN THE ANNUAL REPORT

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Company's annual report, but does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the directors of the Company are responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The directors are also responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process. The Audit Committee assists the directors in discharging their responsibilities in this regard.

# AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE AUDIT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. This report is made solely to you, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report.

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with HKSAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with HKSAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to
  fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is
  sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement
  resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional
  omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the
  disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events
  in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business
activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for
the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the Audit Committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Audit Committee with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

#### **BDO Limited**

Certified Public Accountants

## Lam Siu Fung

Practising Certificate Number: P05308

Hong Kong, 10 May 2017

# Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	Notes	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Revenue Cost of revenue	7	579,849 (504,285)	475,474 (414,382)
Gross profit		75,564	61,092
Other income and gains Administrative and other operating expenses Finance costs	8 10	183 (43,891) (712)	12,644 (45,861) (1,605)
Profit before income tax Income tax	9 11	31,144 (5,693)	26,270 (5,154)
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year		25,451	21,116
Earnings per share:  — Basic (HK cents)	14	2.55	2.63
— Diluted (HK cents)		2.55	2.63

# Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

As at 31 March 2017

	Notes	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	15	47,862	36,879
Current assets			
Trade and other receivables	17	95,440	64,756
Pledged deposits	18	4,246	13,790
Amounts due from customers of contract work	19	78,855	43,724
Pledged bank deposits	16	25,001	
Bank balances and cash		32,538	71,147
Total current assets		236,080	193,417
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	20	161,510	127,824
Amounts due to customers of contract work	19	2,612	29,248
Obligation under finance lease	21	151	_
Bank borrowings, secured	22	35,867	14,611
Provision of taxation		690	2,203
Total current liabilities		200,830	173,886
Net current assets		35,250	19,531
Total assets less current liabilities		83,112	56,410
Non-current liabilities			
Obligation under finance lease	21	575	_
Deferred tax liabilities	11	1,491	815
Total non-current liabilities		2,066	815
Net assets		81,046	55,595
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	23	10,000	10,000
Reserves	24	71,046	45,595
Total equity		81,046	55,595

Approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 10 May 2017.

Mr. Ng Choi Wah
Executive Director

Mr. Liu Yiu Wing Executive Director

# Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 31 March 2017

		Reserves			
	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium HK\$'000	Merger reserve HK\$'000 (Note)	Retained profits HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
At 1 April 2015	3,711	_	_	16,394	20,105
Adjustments arising from reorganisation	(3,711)	32,676	(28,965)	_	_
Issue of shares under placing (Note 23(c))	2,000	54,600	_	_	56,600
Capitalisation issue (Note 23(c))	8,000	(8,000)	-	_	_
Share issue expenses	_	(5,781)	-	_	(5,781)
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year	-	_	-	21,116	21,116
Dividend declared (Note 13)	-	-	_	(36,445)	(36,445)
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	10,000	73,495	(28,965)	1,065	55,595
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year	_	_	_	25,451	25,451
At 31 March 2017	10,000	73,495	(28,965)	26,516	81,046

Note: Merger reserve represents the difference between the investment costs in subsidiaries and the aggregate amount of issued share capital of subsidiaries pursuant to the group reorganisation carried out by the Group in preparation for the listing of shares of the Company on the Growth Enterprise Market ("GEM") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange").

# Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Operating activities Profit before income tax Adjustments for:	31,144	26,270
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment, net Gain on disposal of non-current asset held for sale Bank interest income Finance costs	6,313 (40) - (14) 712	4,253 (12,122) (400) (6) 1,605
Operating profit before working capital changes (Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables Decrease in pledged deposits Increase in amounts due from customers of contract work Decrease in amounts due to customers of contract work Increase in trade and other payables	38,115 (39,674) 9,544 (35,131) (26,636) 33,686	19,600 6,150 469 (32,177) (4,864) 66,017
Cash (used in)/generated from operating activities Income tax paid	(20,096) (6,530)	55,195 (4,884)
Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities	(26,626)	50,311
Investing activities (Increase)/decrease in pledged bank deposits Purchases of property, plant and equipment Increase in amount due from a director Decrease in amounts due from related companies Proceeds from disposal of non-current assets held for sale Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment Interest received	(25,001) (7,506) - - - 40 14	1,007 (98) (9,929) 20,325 5,000 –
Net cash (used in)/generated from investing activities	(32,453)	16,311
Financing activities Proceeds from new bank borrowings Proceeds from placing, net of issuing expenses Repayments of bank borrowings Capital element of finance lease payments Decrease in amount due to a director Interest paid on bank borrowings Interest paid on obligation under finance lease	41,600 - (20,344) (74) - (698) (14)	50,819 (41,743) (5,962) (2,858) (1,384) (221)
Net cash generated from/(used in) financing activities	20,470	(1,349)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(38,609)	65,273
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	71,147	5,874
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	32,538	71,147
<b>Analysis of the balances of cash and cash equivalents</b> Bank balances and cash	32,538	71,147

31 March 2017

### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION, REORGANISATION AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Ching Lee Holdings Limited (the "Company") is a limited liability company incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 16 November 2015. During the prior year, its shares are listed on the GEM on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing"). The address of its registered office and principal place of business are disclosed in the corporate information section in the annual report.

The principal activities of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "**Group**") are provision of construction and consultancy works and project management services in Hong Kong.

The directors of the Company consider the Company's ultimate parent is JT Glory Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands ("**BVI**").

In connection with the Listing, the Company underwent a reorganisation (the "**Reorganisation**") and became the holding company of its subsidiaries now comprising the Group since 15 December 2015. Details of the Reorganisation are set out in the section headed "History, Reorganisation and Group Structure" to the prospectus of the Company dated 21 March 2016.

The Reorganisation involved the formation of the Group and is considered as business combinations under common control. Immediately after the Reorganisation, there was a continuation of the risks and benefits to the ultimate controlling party that existed prior to the Reorganisation. Accordingly, the Reorganisation has been accounted for in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Guideline 5 *Merger Accounting for Common Control Combinations* and the financial statements have been prepared using the merger basis of accounting as if the current group structure had always been in existence.

Accordingly, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2016 have included the results, changes in equity and cash flows of the companies now comprising the Group from the earliest date presented or since their respective dates of incorporation, whichever was shorter, as if the current group structure had been in existence through prior years. The consolidated statement of financial position of the Group as at 31 March 2016 was prepared to present the assets and liabilities of the companies now comprising the Group as if the current group structure had been in existence at those dates. No adjustment is made to reflect fair values, or recognise any new assets or liabilities as a result of the Reorganisation.

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### 2. ADOPTION OF HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs")

### (a) Adoption of new/revised HKFRSs — effective 1 April 2016

HKFRSs (Amendments)

Annual Improvements 2012–2014 Cycle

Amendments to HKAS 1 Disclosure Initiative

Amendments to HKAS 16 Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation

and HKAS 38

Amendments to HKAS 16 Agriculture: Bearer Plants

and HKAS 41

Amendments to HKAS 27 Equity Method in Separate Financial Statements

Amendments to HKFRS 10, Investment Entities: Applying the Consolidation Exception

HKFRS 12 and HKAS 28

Amendments to HKFRS 11 Accounting for Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations

HKFRS 14 Regulatory Deferral Accounts

#### Amendments to HKAS 1 — Disclosure Initiative

The amendments are designed to encourage entities to use judgement in the application of HKAS 1 when considering the layout and content of their financial statements.

Included in the clarifications is that an entity's share of other comprehensive income from equity accounted interests in associates and joint ventures is split between those items that will and will not be reclassified to profit or loss, and presented in aggregate as a single line item within those two groups.

The adoption of the amendments has no impact on these financial statements.

# Amendments to HKAS 16 and HKAS 38 — Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation

The amendments to HKAS 16 prohibit the use of a revenue-based depreciation method for items of property, plant and equipment. The amendments to HKAS 38 introduce a rebuttable presumption that amortisation based on revenue is not appropriate for intangible assets. This presumption can be rebutted if either the intangible asset is expressed as a measure of revenue or revenue and the consumption of the economic benefits of the intangible asset are highly correlated. The amendments are applied prospectively.

The adoption of the amendments has no impact on these financial statements as the Group has not previously used revenue-based depreciation methods.

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# 2. ADOPTION OF HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs") (CONTINUED)

### (a) Adoption of new/revised HKFRSs — effective 1 April 2016 (Continued)

#### Amendments to HKAS 16 and HKAS 41 — Agriculture: Bearer Plants

The amendments define bearer plants and require biological assets that meet the definition to be accounted for as property, plant and equipment in accordance with HKAS 16. The agricultural produce of bearer plants remains within the scope of HKAS 41. The amendments are applied retrospectively.

The adoption of the amendments has no impact on these financial statements as the Group has no bearer plants.

#### Amendments to HKAS 27 — Equity Method in Separate Financial Statements

The amendments allow an entity to apply the equity method in accounting for its investments in subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates in its separate financial statements. The amendments are applied retrospectively in accordance with HKAS 8.

The adoption of the amendments has no impact on these financial statements as the Company has not elected to apply the equity method in its separate financial statements.

# Amendments to HKFRS 10, HKFRS 12 and HKAS 28 — Investment Entities: Applying the Consolidation Exception

The amendments clarify that the exemption from preparing consolidated financial statements for an intermediate parent entity is available to a subsidiary of an investment entity (including investment entities that account for their subsidiaries at fair value rather than consolidating them). An investment entity parent will consolidate a subsidiary only when the subsidiary is not itself an investment entity and the subsidiary's main purpose is to provide services that relate to the investment entity's investment activities. A non-investment entity applying the equity method to an associate or joint venture that is an investment entity may retain the fair value measurements that associate or joint venture used for its subsidiaries. An investment entity that prepares financial statements in which all its subsidiaries are measured at fair value through profit or loss should provide the disclosures related to investment entities as required by HKFRS 12. The amendments are applied prospectively.

The adoption of the amendments has no impact on these financial statements as the Company is neither an intermediate parent entity nor an investment entity.

### Amendments to HKFRS 11 — Accounting for Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations

The amendments require an entity to apply the relevant principles of HKFRS 3 Business Combinations when it acquires an interest in a joint operation that constitutes a business as defined in that standard. The principles of HKFRS 3 are also applied upon the formation of a joint operation if an existing business as defined in that standard is contributed by at least one of the parties. The amendments are applied prospectively.

The adoption of the amendments has no impact on these financial statements as the Group has not acquired or formed a joint operation.

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# 2. ADOPTION OF HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs") (CONTINUED)

### (b) New/revised HKFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective

The following new/revised HKFRSs, potentially relevant to the Group's financial statements, have been issued, but are not yet effective and have not been early adopted by the Group. The Group's current intention is to apply these changes on the date they become effective.

Amendments to HKAS 7 Disclosure Initiative<sup>1</sup>

Amendments to HKAS 12 Recognition of deferred Tax Assets for Unrealised Losses<sup>1</sup>

HKFRS 9 Financial Instruments<sup>2</sup>

HKFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers<sup>2</sup>

Amendments to HKFRS 15 Clarifications to HKFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers<sup>2</sup>

HKFRS 16 Leases<sup>3</sup>

Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017

- <sup>2</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018
- <sup>3</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019

#### Amendments to HKAS 7 — Disclosure Initiative

The amendments introduce an additional disclosure that will enable users of financial statements to evaluate changes in liabilities arising from financing activities.

### Amendments to HKAS 12 — Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets for Unrealised Losses

The amendments relate to the recognition of deferred tax assets and clarify some of the necessary considerations, including how to account for deferred tax assets related to debt instruments measured of fair value.

#### **HKFRS 9** — Financial Instruments

HKFRS 9 introduces new requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets. Debt instruments that are held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets in order to collect contractual cash flows (the business model test) and that have contractual terms that give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding (the contractual cash flow characteristics test) are generally measured at amortised cost. Debt instruments that meet the contractual cash flow characteristics test are measured at fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVTOCI") if the objective of the entity's business model is both to hold and collect the contractual cash flows and to sell the financial assets. Entities may make an irrevocable election at initial recognition to measure equity instruments that are not held for trading at FVTOCI. All other debt and equity instruments are measured at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL").

HKFRS 9 includes a new expected loss impairment model for all financial assets not measured at FVTPL replacing the incurred loss model in HKAS 39 and new general hedge accounting requirements to allow entities to better reflect their risk management activities in financial statements.

HKFRS 9 carries forward the recognition, classification and measurement requirements for financial liabilities from HKAS 39, except for financial liabilities designated at FVTPL, where the amount of change in fair value attributable to change in credit risk of the liability is recognised in other comprehensive income unless that would create or enlarge an accounting mismatch. In addition, HKFRS 9 retains the requirements in HKAS 39 for derecognition of financial assets and financial liabilities.

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# 2. ADOPTION OF HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs") (CONTINUED)

### (b) New/revised HKFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective (Continued)

#### HKFRS 15 — Revenue from Contracts with Customers

The new standard establishes a single revenue recognition framework. The core principle of the framework is that an entity should recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods and services. HKFRS 15 supersedes existing revenue recognition guidance including HKAS 18 Revenue, HKAS 11 Construction Contracts and related interpretations.

HKFRS 15 requires the application of a 5-step approach to revenue recognition:

- Step 1: Identify the contract(s) with a customer
- Step 2: Identify the performance obligations in the contract
- Step 3: Determine the transaction price
- Step 4: Allocate the transaction price to each performance obligation
- Step 5: Recognise revenue when each performance obligation is satisfied

HKFRS 15 includes specific guidance on particular revenue related topics that may change the current approach taken under HKFRS. The standard also significantly enhances the qualitative and quantitative disclosures related to revenue.

#### Amendments to HKFRS 15 — Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Clarifications to HKFRS 15)

The amendments to HKFRS 15 included clarifications on identification of performance obligations; application of principal versus agent; licenses of intellectual property; and transition requirements.

#### HKFRS 16 — Leases

HKFRS 16, which upon the effective date will supersede HKAS 17 "Leases" and related interpretations, introduces a single lessee accounting model and requires a lessee to recognise assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, unless the underlying asset is of low value. Specifically, under HKFRS 16, a lessee is required to recognise a right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying leased asset and a lease liability representing its obligation to make lease payments. Accordingly, a lessee should recognise depreciation of the right-of-use asset and interest on the lease liability, and also classifies cash repayments of the lease liability into a principal portion and an interest portion and presents them in the statement of cash flows. Also, the right-of-use asset and the lease liability are initially measured on a present value basis. The measurement includes non-cancellable lease payments and also includes payments to be made in optional periods if the lessee is reasonably certain to exercise an option to extend the lease, or to exercise an option to terminate the lease. This accounting treatment is significantly different from the lessee accounting for leases that are classified as operating leases under the predecessor standard, HKAS 17.

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# 2. ADOPTION OF HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs") (CONTINUED)

# (b) New/revised HKFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective (Continued) HKFRS 16 — Leases (Continued)

In respect of the lessor accounting, HKFRS 16 substantially carries forward the lessor accounting requirements in HKAS 17. Accordingly, a lessor continues to classify its leases as operating leases or finance leases, and to account for those two types of leases differently.

The Group has already commenced an assessment of the impact of adopting the standards and amendments to existing standards to the Group as disclosed above. The Group has so far concluded that the application of these new pronouncements will have no material impact on the Group's financial statements.

#### 3. BASIS OF PREPARATION

### (a) Statement of compliance

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with all applicable HKFRSs, Hong Kong Accounting Standards ("HKASs") and Interpretations (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "HKFRS") and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. In addition, the financial statements include applicable disclosures required by the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the GEM of the Stock Exchange (the "GEM Listing Rules").

#### (b) Basis of measurement

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis.

#### (c) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars ("**HK\$**"), which is the same as the functional currency of the Company and its major subsidiaries.

#### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### (a) Basis of combination and consolidation and subsidiaries

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries. Intra-group balances, transactions and cash flows and any unrealised profits arising from intra-group transactions are eliminated in full in preparing the consolidated financial statements. Unrealised losses resulting from intra-group transactions are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

A subsidiary is an investee over which the Company is able to exercise control. The Company controls an investee if all three of the following elements are present: power over the investee; exposure, or rights to, variable returns from the investee; and the ability to use its power to affect those variable returns. Control is reassessed whenever facts and circumstances indicate that there may be a change in any of these elements of control.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (b) Investment property

Investment property is property held either to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or for both, but not held for sale in the ordinary course of business, use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. Investment property is measured at cost on initial recognition and subsequently at fair value with any change therein recognised in profit or loss.

### (c) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

The cost of property, plant and equipment includes its purchase price and the costs directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised. All other repairs and maintenance are recognised as expense in profit or loss during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated so as to write off their cost net of expected residual value over their estimated useful lives on a straight-line basis. The useful lives, residual value and depreciation method are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period. The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Leasehold land and buildings Over the shorter of lease terms or 50 years

Leasehold improvements4 yearsFurniture and equipment4 yearsMotor vehicles4 yearsMachineries4 years

An asset is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if its carrying amount is higher than the asset's estimated recoverable amount.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from the continued use of the asset.

The gain or loss on disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment is the difference between the net sale proceeds and its carrying amount, and is recognised in profit or loss on disposal.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (d) Leasing

An arrangement, comprising a transaction or a series of transactions, is or contains a lease if the Group determines that the arrangement conveys a right to use a specific asset or assets for an agreed period of time in return for a payment or a series of payments. Such a determination is made based on an evaluation of the substance of the arrangement regardless of whether the arrangement takes the legal form of a lease.

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

The land and buildings elements of property leases are considered separately for the purposes of lease classification. When the lease payments cannot be allocated reliably between the land and buildings elements, the entire lease payments are included in the cost of land and buildings as a finance lease of property, plant and equipment.

### (i) The Group as lessee under finance lease

Where the Group acquires the right to use the assets under finance leases, the amounts representing the fair value of the leased asset, or, if lower, the present values of the minimum lease payments, of such assets are included in property, plant and equipment and the corresponding liabilities, net of finance charges, are recorded as obligation under finance leases.

Subsequent accounting for assets held under finance lease arrangement corresponds to those applied to comparable acquired assets. The corresponding finance lease liability is reduced by lease payments less finance charges.

Finance charges implicit in the lease payments are charged to profit or loss over the period of the leases so as to produce an approximately constant periodic rate of charge on the remaining balance of the obligations for each accounting period.

#### (ii) The Group as lessee under operating lease

The total rentals payable under the operating leases are recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Lease incentives received are recognised as an integrated part of the total rental expense, over the term of the lease.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (e) Financial instruments

#### (i) Financial assets

The Group classifies its financial assets at initial recognition, depending on the purpose for which the asset was acquired. Financial assets are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial assets. Regular way purchases or sales of financial assets are recognised and derecognised on a trade date basis. A regular way purchase or sale is a purchase or sale of a financial asset under a contract whose terms require delivery of the asset within the time frame established generally by regulation or convention in the marketplace concerned.

The Group's financial assets are loans and receivables. These assets are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They arise principally through the provision of goods and services to customers and also incorporate other types of contractual monetary asset. Subsequent to initial recognition, they are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method, unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost, less any identified impairment losses.

#### (ii) Impairment loss on financial assets

The Group assesses, at the end of each reporting period, whether there is any objective evidence that financial asset is impaired. Financial asset is impaired if there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events that has occurred after the initial recognition of the asset and that event has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset that can be reliably estimated. Evidence of impairment may include:

- significant financial difficulty of the debtor;
- a breach of contract, such as a default or delinquency in interest or principal payments;
- granting concession to a debtor because of debtor's financial difficulty;
- it becoming probable that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation; and
- a significant or prolong decline in fair value of an investment below its cost.

An impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss and directly reduces the carrying amount of financial asset when there is objective evidence that the asset is impaired, and is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the original effective interest rate.

Impairment losses are reversed in subsequent periods when an increase in the asset's recoverable amount can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, subject to a restriction that the carrying amount of the asset at the date the impairment is reversed does not exceed what the amortised cost would have been had the impairment not been recognised.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (e) Financial instruments (Continued)

#### (iii) Financial liabilities

The Group classifies its financial liabilities depending on the purpose for which the liabilities were incurred. Financial liabilities at amortised costs are initially measured at fair value, net of directly attributable costs incurred.

Financial liabilities at amortised cost are initially measured at fair value, net of directly attributable costs incurred, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest method, unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost. The related interest expense is recognised in profit or loss.

Gains or losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the amortisation process.

#### (iv) Effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset or financial liability and of allocating interest income or interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts or payments through the expected life of the financial asset or liability, or where appropriate, a shorter period.

#### (v) Equity instruments

Equity instruments issued by the Company are recorded at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

#### (vi) Financial guarantee contracts

A financial guarantee contract is a contract that requires the issuer to make specified payments to reimburse the holder for a loss it incurs because a specified debtor fails to make payment when due in accordance with the original or modified terms of a debt instrument.

A financial guarantee contract issued by the Group and not designated as at FVTPL is recognised initially at its fair value less transaction costs that are directly attributable to the issue of the financial guarantee contract. Subsequent to initial recognition, the Group measures the financial guarantee contract at the higher of: (i) the amount determined in accordance with HKAS 37 *Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets*; and (ii) the amount initially recognised less, when appropriate, cumulative amortisation recognised in accordance with HKAS 18 *Revenue*.

### (vii) Derecognition

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the future cash flows in relation to the financial asset expire or when the financial asset has been transferred and the transfer meets the criteria for derecognition in accordance with HKAS 39.

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the obligation specified in the relevant contract is discharged, cancelled or expired.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (f) Construction contracts

When the outcome of construction contracts can be estimated reliably, revenue from construction works and the associated contract costs are recognised according to the stage of completion of individual contract at the end of the reporting period. The stage of completion is determined using percentage of completion method by reference to the contract costs incurred to date as a proportion of the total estimated contract costs.

When the outcome of construction contracts cannot be estimated reliably, no profit is recognised and revenue is recognised only to the extent of contract costs incurred that would probably be recoverable.

Provisions are made for any foreseeable losses when they are identified and recognised immediately as an expense in profit or loss. Variations in contract work, claims and incentive payments are recognised as revenue when it is probable that they will be approved by customers and they can be measured reliably.

Amounts due from customers of contract work represent contract costs incurred plus recognised profits less progress billings and any foreseeable losses. Amounts due to customers of contract work represent the excess of progress billings over contract costs incurred plus recognised profits less any foreseeable losses. Costs mainly comprise materials, direct labour and sub-contractors' fees. Costs incurred during the period in connection with future activity of a contract are recognised as amounts due from customers of contract work provided it is probable that these costs will be recovered. Amounts billed for works performed but not yet paid by the customers are included in the statement of financial position under "Trade and other receivables".

Retention monies, representing amounts of progress billings which are payable to sub-contractors or receivables from customers when conditions specified in the contracts undertaken are satisfied, are included in the statement of financial position under "Trade and other payables" and "Trade and other receivables" respectively.

### (g) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible into known amount of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

#### (h) Recognition of revenue and other income

Revenue and other income is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and when the income can be measured reliably, on the following basis:

- (i) When the outcome of construction contracts can be estimated reliably, revenue from construction works is recognised according to the percentage of completion of individual contract at the end of the reporting period.
- (ii) Interest income is recognised on a time proportion basis by reference to the principal outstanding using the effective interest method.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (i) Income taxes

Income taxes comprise current tax and deferred tax.

Current tax is based on the profit or loss from ordinary activities adjusted for items that are non-assessable or deductible for income tax purposes and is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the end of reporting period.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the corresponding amounts used for tax purposes. Except for recognised assets and liabilities that affect neither accounting nor taxable profits, deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates appropriate to the expected manner in which the carrying amount of the asset or liability is realised or settled and that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the end of reporting period.

Income taxes are recognised in profit or loss except when they relate to items recognised in other comprehensive income in which case the taxes are also recognised in other comprehensive income or when they relate to items recognised directly in equity in which case the taxes are also recognised directly in equity.

### (j) Employee benefits

#### (i) Short-term employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits are employee benefits (other than termination benefits) that are expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the annual reporting period in which the employees render the related service.

Employee entitlements to annual leave are recognised when they accrue to employees. A provision is made for the estimated liability for annual leave as a result of services rendered by employees up to the end of the reporting period.

Non-accumulating compensated absences such as sick leave and maternity leave are not recognised until the time of leave.

### (ii) Defined contribution retirement plan

Contributions to defined contribution retirement plans are recognised as an expense in profit or loss when the services are rendered by the employees.

### (iii) Share-based payments

The fair value of share options granted to employees is recognised as an employee cost with a corresponding increase in a capital reserve within equity. The fair value is measured at grant date using the binomial lattice model, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted. Where the employees have to meet vesting conditions before becoming unconditionally entitled to the options, the total estimated fair value of the options is spread over the vesting period, taking into account the probability that the options will vest.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (j) Employee benefits (Continued)

#### (iii) Share-based payments (Continued)

During the vesting period, the number of share options that is expected to vest is reviewed. Any resulting adjustment to the cumulative fair value recognised in prior years is charged/credited to the profit or loss for the year of the review, unless the original employee expenses qualify for recognition as an asset, with a corresponding adjustment to the capital reserve. On vesting date, the amount recognised as an expense is adjusted to reflect the actual number of options that vest (with a corresponding adjustment to the capital reserve) except where forfeiture is only due to not achieving vesting conditions that relate to the market price of the Company's shares. The equity amount is recognised in the capital reserve until either the option is exercised (when it is included in the amount recognised in share capital for the shares issued) or the option expires (when it is released directly to retained profits).

#### (iv) Termination benefits

Termination benefits are recognised on the earlier of when the Group can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits and when the Group recognises restructuring costs involving the payment of termination benefits.

### (k) Impairment of non-financial assets

At the end of each reporting period, the Group reviews the carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss or an impairment loss previously recognised no longer exists or may have decreased.

If the recoverable amount (i.e. the higher of the fair value less costs to sell and value in use) of an asset is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised as an expense immediately.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, to the extent that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately.

### (I) Provisions and contingent liabilities

Provisions are recognised for liabilities of uncertain timing or amount when the Group has a legal or constructive obligation arising as a result of a past event, which will probably result in an outflow of economic benefits that can be reasonably estimated.

Where it is not probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required, or the amount cannot be estimated reliably, the obligation is disclosed as a contingent liability, unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote. Possible obligations, the existence of which will only be confirmed by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more future events, are also disclosed as contingent liabilities unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (m) Related parties

- (a) A person or a close member of that person's family is related to the Group if that person:
  - (i) has control or joint control over the Group;
  - (ii) has significant influence over the Group; or
  - (iii) is a member of key management personnel of the Group or the Company's parent.
- (b) An entity is related to the Group if any of the following conditions apply:
  - (i) The entity and the Group are members of the same group (which means that each parent, subsidiary and fellow subsidiary is related to the others).
  - (ii) One entity is an associate or joint venture of the other entity (or an associate or joint venture of a member of a group of which the other entity is a member).
  - (iii) Both entities are joint ventures of the same third party.
  - (iv) One entity is a joint venture of a third entity and the other entity is an associate of the third entity.
  - (v) The entity is a post-employment benefit plan for the benefit of the employees of the Group or an entity related to the Group.
  - (vi) The entity is controlled or jointly controlled by a person identified in (a).
  - (vii) A person identified in (a)(i) has significant influence over the entity or is a member of key management personnel of the entity (or of a parent of the entity).
  - (viii) The entity, or any member of a group of which it is a part, provides key management personnel services to the Group or to the Company's parent.

Close members of the family of a person are those family members who may be expected to influence, or be influenced by, that person in their dealings with the entity and include:

- (i) that person's children and spouse or domestic partner;
- (ii) children of that person's spouse or domestic partner; and
- (iii) dependents of that person or that person's spouse or domestic partner.

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### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (n) Borrowing costs

Borrowings costs attributable directly to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets which require a substantial period of time to be ready for their intended use or sale, are capitalised as part of the cost of those assets. Income earned on temporary investments of specific borrowings pending their expenditure on those assets is deducted from borrowing costs capitalised. All other borrowing costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

# 5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

In the application of the Group's accounting policies, the directors are required to make judgement, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

### Key sources of estimation uncertainty

In addition to information disclosed elsewhere in these financial statements, other key sources of estimation uncertainty that have significant risks of resulting in material adjustments to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within next financial year are as follows:

#### (i) Construction contract

Construction contract revenue is recognised according to the percentage of completion of individual construction contract which requires the estimation of contract costs and gross profit margin of each contract. Contract costs and gross profit margin of individual contract is determined based on budget of the contract which was prepared by the management. In order to ensure that the total estimated contract costs are accurate and up-to-date such that gross profit margin can be estimated reliably, management reviews the costs incurred to date and costs to completion regularly, in particular in the case of costs over-runs and revise the estimated contract costs where necessary. Recognition of variations and claims also requires significant estimation and judgement by the management.

Notwithstanding that, the management regularly reviews and revises the estimates of both contract costs and gross profit margins for the construction contracts as the contracts progress, the actual contract costs and gross profit margins may be higher or lower than the estimations and that will affect the revenue and gross profit recognised.

# (ii) Impairment of receivables

The impairment policy for bad and doubtful debts of the Group is based on management's evaluation of collectability and ageing analysis of receivables and on the specific circumstances for each account. Judgement is required in assessing the ultimate realisation of these receivables, including the current creditworthiness and the past collection history of each customer. If the financial condition of these customers was to deteriorate resulting in an impairment of their ability to make payments, additional allowance will be required.

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# 5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (CONTINUED)

### **Key sources of estimation uncertainty (Continued)**

#### (iii) Impairment of non-financial assets

Management assesses impairment by evaluating conditions specific to the Group that may lead to impairment of non-financial assets. When an impairment trigger exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. Value in use calculations performed in assessing recoverable amounts incorporate a number of key estimates and assumptions about future events, which are subject to uncertainty and might materially differ from the actual results. In making these key estimates and judgements, the directors take into consideration assumptions that are mainly based on market conditions existing at the reporting date and approximate market and discount rates. These estimates are regularly compared to actual market data and actual transactions entered into by the Group.

#### 6. SEGMENT REPORTING

The executive directors of the Company, who are the chief operating decision-makers of the Group, review the Group's internal reporting in order to assess performance and allocate resources. Management has determined the operating segments based on reports reviewed by the executive directors of the Company that are used to make strategic decisions.

Management regularly reviews the operating results from a project-based perspective. The reportable operating segment derives revenue primarily from provision of construction and consultancy works. Business segment information is not considered necessary.

As the executive directors consider the Group's revenue and results are all derived from provision of construction and consultancy works and project management services in Hong Kong and no consolidated assets of the Group are located outside Hong Kong, geographical segment information is not considered necessary.

### Information about major customers

Revenue from major customers, each of them accounted for 10% or more of the Group's revenue, are set out below:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Customer I*	174,558	_
Customer II*	76,719	_
Customer III#	-	91,367
Customer IV#	-	85,786
Customer V#	-	63,716
Customer VI#	-	59,316
Customer VII#	-	52,453
Customer VIII#	-	52,190

<sup>\*</sup> The revenue from this customer in the year ended 31 March 2016 accounted for less than 10% of the Group's revenue for that year.

<sup>#</sup> The revenue from this customer in the year ended 31 March 2017 accounted for less than 10% of the Group's revenue for the year.

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# 7. REVENUE

Revenue, which is also the Group's turnover, represents construction work income during the current and prior years.

### 8. OTHER INCOME AND GAINS

14	
38	6 29
-	12,122 400
	12.644
	40 - 91 83

# 9. PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX

This is arrived at after charging the followings:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Auditor's remuneration	1,550	1,702
Depreciation in respect of:		
— Owned assets	6,280	1,865
— Leased assets	33	2,388
	6,313	4,253
Employee benefit expenses		
(including directors' emoluments (Note 12))		
— Salaries, allowances and other benefits	47,439	32,123
<ul> <li>Contribution to defined contribution retirement plan</li> </ul>	1,501	997
	48,940	33,120
Operating lease payments in respect of land and buildings and car parks	865	345

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### 10. FINANCE COSTS

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Interest on bank borrowings (Note) Interest element of finance lease payments	698 14	1,384 221
	712	1,605

Note: This analysis shows the finance costs of bank borrowings, including term loans which contain a repayment on demand clause, in accordance with scheduled repayment dates set out in the loan agreements. For the years ended 31 March 2016 and 2017, all agreements of bank borrowings contain a repayment on demand clause.

# 11. INCOME TAX AND DEFERRED TAX

(i) The amounts of income tax in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income represent:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Current tax  — Hong Kong Profits Tax  — (Over)/under-provision for prior years Deferred tax	5,164 (147) 676	4,832 306 16
	5,693	5,154

Hong Kong Profits Tax is calculated at 16.5% on the estimated assessable profits for the current and prior years.

The income tax for the year can be reconciled to the profit before income tax in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Profit before income tax	31,144	26,270
Tax calculated at tax rate of 16.5%  Tax effect of revenue not taxable for tax purposes  Tax effect of expenses not deductible for tax purposes  Tax effect of temporary differences not recognised  (Over)/under-provision for prior years  Tax relief for the year	5,139 (37) 735 23 (147) (20)	4,335 (2,154) 2,396 291 306 (20)
	5,693	5,154

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# 11. INCOME TAX AND DEFERRED TAX (CONTINUED)

(ii) Details of the deferred tax liabilities recognised and movements during the current and prior years are as follows:

	Accelerated tax depreciation HK\$'000
At 1 April 2015	799
Charged to profit or loss	16
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	815
Charged to profit or loss	676
At 31 March 2017	1,491

# 12. DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS, HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT'S EMOLUMENTS

#### (a) Directors' emoluments

The emoluments of each of the directors for the years are set out below:

	Fees HK\$'000	Salaries, allowances and other benefits HK\$'000	Discretionary bonuses HK\$'000	Pension scheme contribution HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
Year ended					
31 March 2017					
Executive directors					
Mr. Ng Choi Wah (" <b>Mr. Ng</b> ")	2,082	874	2,640	18	5,614
Mr. Lui Yiu Wing	872	-	1,150	18	2,040
Mr. Lam Ka Fai	759	-	672	18	1,449
Independent non-					
executive directors					
Mr. Wai Wing Hong, Onyx*	144	-	-	-	144
Mr. Tong Hin Sum, Paul*	144	-	-	-	144
Mr. Chau Kam Wing Donald*	144	-	_	-	144
	4,145	874	4,462	54	9,535

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# 12. DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS, HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT'S EMOLUMENTS (CONTINUED)

### (a) Directors' emoluments (Continued)

	Fees HK\$'000	Salaries, allowances and other benefits HK\$'000	Discretionary bonuses HK\$'000	Pension scheme contribution HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
Year ended 31 March 2016 Executive directors					
Mr. Ng	1,802	1,246	675	18	3,741
Mr. Lui Yiu Wing	777	-	498	18	1,293
Mr. Lam Ka Fai	639	_	380	18	1,037
Independent non- executive directors					
Mr. Wai Wing Hong, Onyx*	12	_	_	_	12
Mr. Tong Hin Sum, Paul*	12	_	_	_	12
Mr. Chau Kam					
Wing Donald*	12	_	_	-	12
	3,254	1,246	1,553	54	6,107

<sup>\*</sup> The independent non-executive director was appointed on 10 March 2016.

During the years ended 31 March 2016 and 2017, no emoluments were paid by the Group to the directors as an inducement to join or upon joining the Group or as compensation for loss of office. In addition, none of the directors waived or agreed to waive any emoluments during the years ended 31 March 2016 and 2017.

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# 12. DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS, HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT'S EMOLUMENTS (CONTINUED)

# (b) Five highest paid individuals

The five individuals whose emoluments were the highest in the Group during the year included the following non-director individuals whose emoluments are as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Salaries, allowances and other benefits Contribution to pension scheme	3,019 36	2,378 36
	3,055	2,414

Remuneration of these non-director highest paid individuals was within the following bands:

	2017	2016
HK\$Nil-HK\$1,000,000	_	1
HK\$1,000,001-HK\$1,500,000	1	1
HK\$1,500,001-HK\$2,000,000	1	_

The remaining highest paid individuals are directors of the Company whose emoluments are reflected in the analysis presented in Note 12(a) above.

#### (c) Senior management's emoluments

Emoluments paid or payable to members of senior management who are not directors were within the following bands:

	2017	2016
HK\$Nil-HK\$1,000,000	4	5
HK\$1,000,001-HK\$1,500,000	-	1
HK\$1,500,001-HK\$2,000,000	1	_

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### 13. DIVIDEND

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Special dividend	-	36,445

A special dividend amounted to HK\$36,445,000 (HK\$364,450 per share for 100 shares) was declared by the Company to its then shareholder before the Listing during the prior year.

#### 14. EARNINGS PER SHARE

The calculation of the basic earnings per share attributable to the owners of the Company is based on the following data:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Earnings		
Earnings for the purpose of basic earnings per share		
(Profit for the year attributable to owners of the Company)	25,451	21,116
	2017	2016
Number of shares		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the		
purpose of basic earnings per share (Note)	1,000,000,000	801,639,344

Note: The number of ordinary shares for the purpose of calculating basic earnings per share has been determined on the assumption that the Reorganisation and the capitalisation issue had been effective on the earliest date presented.

Diluted earnings per share amount was the same as basic earnings per share amount as there were no potential dilutive ordinary shares outstanding for the years ended 31 March 2016 and 2017.

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# 15. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Leasehold land and buildings HK\$'000	Leasehold improvements HK\$'000	Furniture and equipment HK\$'000	Motor vehicles HK\$'000	Machineries HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
Cost						
At 1 April 2015	17,490	634	1,418	4,205	12,096	35,843
Additions	18,017	_	98	_	_	18,115
Disposals	(5,349)	-	(715)	-	-	(6,064)
At 31 March 2016 and						
1 April 2016	30,158	634	801	4,205	12,096	47,894
Additions	4,592	234	164	800	11,506	17,296
Disposals	-	-	-	(947)	-	(947)
At 31 March 2017	34,750	868	965	4,058	23,602	64,243
Accumulated depreciation						
1 April 2015	1,720	182	897	2,938	2,911	8,648
Charge for the year	369	129	149	594	3,012	4,253
Write-off on disposals	(1,276)	-	(610)	-	-	(1,886)
At 31 March 2016 and						
1 April 2016	813	311	436	3,532	5,923	11,015
Charge for the year	1,599	136	262	590	3,726	6,313
Write-off on disposals	-	-	-	(947)	-	(947)
At 31 March 2017	2,412	447	698	3,175	9,649	16,381
Net carrying value						
At 31 March 2017	32,338	421	267	883	13,953	47,862
At 31 March 2016	29,345	323	365	673	6,173	36,879

### Notes:

<sup>(</sup>b) The net carrying amount of the Group's property, plant and equipment included in the following amount in respect of asset held under finance lease:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Motor vehicle	767	_

<sup>(</sup>a) The Group's leasehold land and buildings are situated in Hong Kong as at 31 March 2016 and 2017, of which HK\$27,831,000 (2016: HK\$29,345,000) were pledged as securities for the bank facilities of the Group.

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### 16. PLEDGED BANK DEPOSITS

As at 31 March 2017, pledged bank deposits were pledged to secure bank facilities of the Group.

### 17. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Trade receivables Retention receivables Deposits, prepayments and other receivables	38,452 47,500 9,488	12,807 42,541 9,408
	95,440	64,756

The ageing analysis of trade receivables, based on invoice date, as at the end of reporting period is as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Within 30 days 31–60 days Over 60 days	37,025 1,135 292	12,807 - -
	38,452	12,807

The ageing analysis of trade receivables, based on due date, as at the end of reporting period, is as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Neither past due nor impaired Past due but not impaired	37,025	12,807
Past due for less than 30 days More than 30 days but less than 60 days	1,135	_
More than 60 days	292	_
	38,452	12,807

Receivables that were neither past due nor impaired related to a range of customers for whom there was no recent history of default. Receivables that were past due but not impaired related to customers with long business relationship. Based on past experience, management believes that no impairment allowance is necessary as there has not been a significant change in credit quality and the balances are still considered fully recoverable. Credit terms granted to our customers vary from contract to contract, which are generally within 30 days from the date of issuance of the interim certificate.

As at 31 March 2017, retention receivables of HK\$25,486,000 (2016: HK\$36,141,000) were expected to be recovered beyond twelve months after the end of the reporting period.

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### 18. PLEDGED DEPOSITS

Pledged deposits are placed with insurance companies as collaterals for the surety bonds issued in favour of the customers of certain construction contracts. The Group has unconditionally and irrevocably agreed to indemnify the insurance companies for claims and losses the insurance companies may incur in respect of the surety bonds.

As at 31 March 2017, pledged deposits of HK\$4,246,000 (2016: HK\$13,790,000) were expected to be recovered beyond twelve months after the end of the reporting period.

# 19. AMOUNTS DUE FROM/(TO) CUSTOMERS OF CONTRACT WORK

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Costs incurred to date plus recognised profits Less: Progress billings to date	1,371,456 (1,295,213)	859,183 (844,707)
	76,243	14,476
Amounts due from customers of contract work Amounts due to customers of contract work	78,855 (2,612)	43,724 (29,248)
	76,243	14,476

### 20. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Trade payables Bills payable	115,212 12,540	98,545 7,128
Trade and bills payables (Note)	127,752	105,673
Retention payables Other payables, accruals and deposits received	21,013 12,745	9,508 12,643
	161,510	127,824

Note: The Group's bills payables are repayable within 120 days. For other trade payables, the credit period granted by suppliers and contractors is normally 30 to 60 days.

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# 20. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES (CONTINUED)

The ageing analysis of trade payables, based on invoice date, as of the end of reporting period, is as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Within 30 days	87,759	79,328
31–60 days	11,181	9,831
61–90 days	9,110	7,228
Over 90 days	7,162	2,158
	115,212	98,545

As at 31 March 2017, retention payables of HK\$11,394,000 (2016: HK\$8,791,000) were expected to be settled beyond twelve months after the end of the reporting period.

#### 21. OBLIGATION UNDER FINANCE LEASE

As at 31 March 2017, the Group leased a motor vehicle which was classified as finance lease. The lease obligation was secured by the underlying leased asset. The future lease payments under the finance leases are due as follows:

	Minimum lease payments HK\$'000	Interest HK\$'000	Present value of minimum lease payments HK\$'000
As at 31 March 2017  Not later than one year  Later than one year but not later than two years  Later than two years but not later than five years	174	23	151
	174	17	157
	436	18	418
	784	58	726

The present value of future lease payments are analysed as:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Current liabilities Non-current liabilities	151 575	-
	726	_

Note: The effective interest rate of the Group's obligation under finance lease liability as at 31 March 2017 was 3.50% per annum.

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### 22. BANK BORROWINGS, SECURED

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Current liabilities Secured and interest-bearing bank borrowings Bank loans subject to repayment on demand clause (Note (a)) — Bank loans due for repayment within one year — Bank loans due for repayment after one year (Note (b))	31,520 4,347	7,400 7,211
	35,867	14,611

#### Notes:

- (a) Bank loans are interest-bearing at floating rates. The interest rates of the Group's bank loans as at 31 March 2017 granted under banking facilities ranged from 2.24% to 3.50% (2016: 1.18% to 2.53%) per annum.
- (b) The current liabilities as at 31 March 2016 and 2017 include such bank loans that are not scheduled to repay within one year after the end of the reporting periods. They are classified as current liabilities as the related loan agreements contain a clause that provides the lenders with an unconditional right to demand repayment at any time at their own discretion. None of the portion of these bank loans due for repayment after one year which contain a repayment on demand clause and that are classified as current liabilities are expected to be settled within one year.
- (c) As at 31 March 2017, the banking facilities of the Group were secured by leasehold land and buildings of the Group, pledged bank deposits and corporate guarantee of the Company (2016: leasehold land and buildings of the Group and corporate guarantee of the Company).

As at 31 March 2016 and 2017, the Group's bank borrowings were scheduled to repay as of the end of reporting period as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
On demand or within one year  More than one year, but not exceeding two years  More than two years, but not exceeding five years  More than five years	31,520 1,197 905 2,245	7,400 1,923 2,891 2,397
	35,867	14,611

Note: The amounts due are based on the scheduled repayment dates in the loan agreements and no effect of any repayment on demand clause is taken into account.

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## 23. SHARE CAPITAL

The share capital as at 31 March 2016 and 2017 represented the issued share capital of the Company as detailed below:

	2017		2016	
	Number	HK\$'000	Number	HK\$'000
Ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each				
Authorised				
At beginning of year	10,000,000,000	100,000	_	-
On date of incorporation on				
16 November 2015 (Note (a))	-	-	38,000,000	380
Increase in authorised share capital on				
10 March 2016 (Note (a))	-	-	9,962,000,000	99,620
At end of year	10,000,000,000	100,000	10,000,000,000	100,000

	2017		2016	
	Number	HK\$'000	Number	HK\$'000
Ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each				
to and and faller world				
Issued and fully paid				
At beginning of year	1,000,000,000	10,000	_	_
Upon incorporation (Note (a))	-	_	1	_
Allotment of shares (Note (b))	-	_	99	_
Capitalisation issue (Note (c))	-	_	799,999,900	8,000
Issue of shares under placing (Note (c))	-	-	200,000,000	2,000
At end of year	1,000,000,000	10,000	1,000,000,000	10,000

#### Notes:

- (a) The Company was incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 16 November 2015 with initial authorised share capital of HK\$380,000 divided into 38,000,000 ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each. Pursuant to the written resolution of the shareholder of the Company on 10 March 2016, the authorised share capital of the Company was increased from HK\$380,000 to HK\$100,000,000 by the creation of additional 9,962,000,000 shares of HK\$0.01 each. Upon incorporation, 1 nil-paid subscriber share was allotted and issued to the subscriber, which was transferred to Mr. Ng on 16 November 2015, as part of the Reorganisation.
- (b) On 15 December 2015, the Company acquired the entire issued share capital in Ching Lee Group Limited from Mr. Ng in consideration of which, the Company credited as fully paid at par the 1 nil-paid subscriber share held by Mr. Ng and allotted and issued 99 fully paid-up new shares to Mr. Ng as part of the Reorganisation.

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## 23. SHARE CAPITAL (CONTINUED)

Notes (Continued):

- (c) Pursuant to the written resolution of the shareholder of the Company on 10 March 2016:
  - (i) 200,000,000 new ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each were issued, by way of placing, at a price of HK\$0.283 per share for a total cash consideration (before share issue expenses) of approximately HK\$56,600,000; and
  - (ii) after the share premium account of the Company being credited as a result of the placing of the Company, an amount of HK\$7,999,999 standing to the credit of the share premium account of the Company was applied in paying up in full at par 799,999,900 shares to be allotted and issued to JT Glory Limited.
- (d) On 10 March 2016, the Company adopted a share option scheme (the "**Scheme**"). The Board of the Company may, at its discretion, invite any eligible persons who have made contributions to the Group to take up share options. The terms of the Scheme are in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 23 of the GEM Listing Rules.

The maximum number of shares in respect of which options may be granted under the Scheme shall not in aggregate exceed 10% of all the shares in issue as at the date of the Listing (i.e. a total of 100,000,000 shares). Moreover, the total number of shares issued and to be issued upon exercise of options granted to each participant (including both exercised and outstanding options) under the Scheme, shall not exceed 1% of the shares in issue in any 12-month period up to the date of grant. Any further grant of share options in excess of this limit is subject to shareholders' approval in general meeting.

The Board may, at its discretion, set a minimum period for which an option must be held before it can be exercised. Participant under the Scheme shall exercise the granted share options within a period the Board may determine, which shall not exceed ten years from the date of grant.

As at 31 March 2016 and 2017, no share option has been granted since the adoption of the Scheme and there was no share option outstanding.

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## 24. RESERVES

The reconciliation between the opening and closing balances of each component of the Group's consolidated equity is set out in the consolidated statement of changes in equity. Details of the changes in the Company's individual components of reserves between the beginning and the end of the year are set out below:

	Share premium HK\$'000	Retained profits HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
Adjustments arising from the reorganisation	32,676	_	32,676
Issue of shares under placing	54,600	_	54,600
Capitalisation issue	(8,000)	_	(8,000)
Share issue expenses	(5,781)	-	(5,781)
Dividend declared (Note 13)	_	(36,445)	(36,445)
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year	_	36,923	36,923
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	73,495	478	73,973
Loss and total comprehensive income for the year	_	(1,862)	(1,862)
At 31 March 2017	73,495	(1,384)	72,111

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# 25. HOLDING COMPANY STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	Notes	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Non-current assets			
Investments in subsidiaries		32,676	32,676
Current assets			
Amounts due from subsidiaries		50,432	81,270
Current liabilities			
Other payables		997	29,973
Net current assets		49,435	51,297
Net assets		82,111	83,973
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	23	10,000	10,000
Reserves	24	72,111	73,973
Total equity		82,111	83,973

Approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 10 May 2017.

Mr. Ng Choi Wah
Executive Director

Mr. Lui Yiu Wing Executive Director

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# 26. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

# **Operating leases** — The Group as lessee

The Group leases office premises under operating lease arrangement. The leases run for an initial period of one to two years and are non-cancellable. The total future minimum lease payments under these leases are due as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Within one year Later than one year and not more than five years	938 145	594 306
	1,083	900

# 27. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

Name of subsidiary	Place and date of incorporation and type of legal entity	Place of operations	Issued and paid-up capital	attribu	e interest table to Group	Principal activities
Ching Lee Group Limited	BVI/16 November 2015/ Limited liability company	Hong Kong	500 shares of US\$500	100%	100%	Investment holding
Ching Lee Engineering Limited	Hong Kong/27 November 1998/ Limited liability company	Hong Kong	3,700,000 shares of HK\$3,700,000	100%	100%	Provision of construction and consultancy works and project management services in Hong Kong
Ching Lee Foundation Limited	Hong Kong/10 August 2007/ Limited liability company	Hong Kong	1,000 shares of HK\$1,000	100%	100%	Dormant
Ching Lee Construction Limited (Note)	Hong Kong/26 May 2003/ Limited liability company	Hong Kong	10,000 shares of HK\$10,000	100%	100%	Property holding
Right Lucky Limited	Hong Kong/25 August 2005/ Limited liability company	Hong Kong	1 share of HK\$1	100%	100%	Property holding

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### 28. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Save for those disclosed elsewhere in these financial statements, the Group has the following significant transactions with related parties.

- (a) During the year ended 31 March 2016, the Group acquired certain leasehold land and buildings from a director and a related company for which a director of the Company is the beneficial owner, in the aggregate amount of HK\$6,211,000 and HK\$11,806,000 respectively. The Group also disposed of certain leasehold land and building to the above related company at a consideration of HK\$16,300,000, resulting in a gain on disposal of HK\$12,227,000 recognised in the profit or loss.
- (b) During the year ended 31 March 2016, the Group disposed of its entire interest in a 10%-owned associate to a director of the Company, at a consideration of HK\$755,000.
- (c) During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group leased certain car parks from a director in the aggregate amount of HK\$208,000. The directors are of the opinion that the rent was determined with reference to market price.
- (d) Compensation of key management personnel

Remuneration of key management personnel, who are executive directors of the Company, during the years were disclosed in Note 12.

#### 29. GUARANTEES

The Group provided guarantees in respect of the surety bonds issued in favour of the customers of certain construction contracts. Details of these guarantees as of the end of the reporting periods are as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Aggregate value of the surety bonds issued in favour of customers	95,627	50,575

The directors are of the opinion that it is not probable that the insurance companies would claim the Group for losses in respect of the guarantee contracts as it is unlikely that the Group is unable to fulfil the performance requirements of the relevant contracts. Accordingly, no provision for the Group's obligations under the guarantees has been made as at 31 March 2016 and 2017.

As at 31 March 2016 and 2017, the Group's surety bonds were secured by the Company's corporate guarantee.

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#### 30. LITIGATIONS

Lawsuits and claims arising from the normal course of business were lodged against the Group which remain outstanding as of the end of reporting period. In the opinion of the directors, sufficient insurance coverage is maintained to cover the losses, if any, arising from most of these lawsuits and claims, or based on opinion from legal counsel, it is difficult at this stage to estimate the possible outflow of economic benefits for certain lawsuits and therefore the ultimate liability under these lawsuits and claims would not have a material adverse impact on the financial position of the Group or no provision should be made.

### 31. NOTES SUPPORTING CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 31 March 2016, the Company declared a special dividend amounted to HK\$36,445,000 to its then shareholder, JT Glory Limited for which, Mr. Ng is the beneficial owner who is also a director and shareholder of the Company. The amount was fully set off against the amounts due with Mr. Ng and related companies for which Mr. Ng is also a director and shareholder.

During the year ended 31 March 2016, the consideration for acquisition of certain leasehold land and buildings from a director and a related company in the aggregate amount of HK\$6,211,000 and HK\$11,806,000 respectively, was settled through the current accounts with the director and the related company respectively.

During the year ended 31 March 2016, the consideration for the disposal of certain leasehold land and building to a related company of HK\$16,300,000 was settled through the current account with the related company.

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group acquired property, plant and equipment of HK\$8,990,000 and HK\$800,000, which was set off against the other receivables in the same amount, and upon the inception of finance lease, respectively.

#### 32. CAPITAL COMMITMENT

As at 31 March 2016 and 2017, the Group did not have any significant capital commitment.

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### 33. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES BY CATEGORY

The following table shows the carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Financial assets		
Loans and receivables at amortised costs		
— Trade and other receivables	95,440	64,756
— Pledged deposits	4,246	13,790
— Pledged bank deposits	25,001	_
— Bank balances and cash	32,538	71,147
Financial liabilities		
Financial liabilities at amortised costs		
— Trade and other payables	161,510	127,824
— Obligation under finance lease	726	_
— Bank borrowings, secured	35,867	14,611

The above financial instruments are not measured at fair value due to their short term nature, the carrying values of the above financial instruments approximate their fair values.

#### 34. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Group is exposed to a variety of financial risks which comprise credit risk, interest rate risk and liquidity risk. The Group's overall risk management focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the Group's financial performance. Risk management is carried out by the key management under the policies approved by the board of directors. The Group does not have written risk management policies. However, the directors meet regularly to identify and evaluate risks and to formulate strategies to manage financial risks.

Generally, the Group employs a conservative strategy regarding its financial risk management. As the directors consider that the Group's exposure to financial risk is kept at a minimum level, the Group has not used any derivatives or other instruments for hedging purposes. The most significant risks to which the Group is exposed to are described below:

### (a) Credit risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that the counterparty to a financial instrument would fail to discharge its obligation under the terms of the financial instrument and cause a financial loss to the Group.

The Group's credit risk is primarily attributable to its trade and other receivables, pledged deposits, amounts due from customers of contract work, pledged bank deposits and bank balances. Management has a credit policy in place and the exposures to credit risk are monitored on an ongoing basis.

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## 34. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

### (a) Credit risk (Continued)

In respect of trade and other receivables, it is the Group's policy to only deal with creditworthy counterparties. In order to minimise credit risk, management has formulated a credit policy and delegated a team responsible for determination of credit limits, credit approvals and other monitoring procedures to ensure that follow-up action is taken to recover overdue debts. Normally, the Group does not obtain collateral from the counterparties.

In respect of bank balances and cash, pledged deposits and pledged bank deposits, the credit risk is limited because majority of the deposits are placed with reputable banks and financial institutions.

The Group provides guarantees in respect of the surety bonds issued in favour of several customers. As at 31 March 2016 and 2017, the maximum exposure to credit risk of guarantees issued by the Group represented the maximum amount the Group could be required to pay if the guarantees were called on, which are disclosed in Note 29. Management considers it is unlikely that the Group is unable to fulfil the performance requirements of the relevant contracts and accordingly, the Group's exposure to credit risk in this regard is low.

The credit policies have been consistently applied and are considered to be effective in managing the Group's exposure.

#### (b) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk relates to the risk that the fair value or cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rate. The Group's interest rate risk mainly arises from bank borrowings. Borrowings arranged at variable rates expose the Group to cash flow interest rate risk.

All of the Group's bank borrowings as at 31 March 2016 and 2017 bore interest at floating rates. Details of bank loans are disclosed in Note 22.

The Group currently does not have an interest rate hedging policy. However, the management closely monitors interest rate exposure and will consider hedging significant interest rate exposure should the need arise.

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### 34. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

### (b) Interest rate risk (Continued)

#### Sensitivity analysis

The following sensitivity analysis demonstrates the Group's exposure to a reasonably possible change in interest rates on its floating-rate bank borrowings with all other variables held constant at the end of each of the reporting periods (in practice, the results may differ from the sensitivity analysis below and the difference could be material):

	Increase/(dec profit for th and retained	e year	
	<b>2017</b> 20 <b>HK\$'000</b> HK\$'0		
Changes in interest rate +1% -1%	(359) 359	(146) 146	

The changes in interest rates do not affect the Group's other component of equity. The above sensitivity analysis is prepared based on the assumption that the borrowing period of the bank borrowings outstanding at the end of each of the reporting periods resembles that of the corresponding financial years. The assumed changes in interest rate are considered to be reasonably possible based on observation of current market conditions and represents management's assessment of a reasonably possible change in interest rate over the period until the next annual reporting period.

### (c) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk relates to the risk that the Group will not be able to meet its obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. The Group is exposed to liquidity risk in respect of settlement of trade and other payables and its financing obligations, and also in respect of its cash flow management. The Group's policy is to regularly monitor its liquidity requirements to ensure that it maintains sufficient reserves of cash and adequate committed lines of funding from major financial institutions to meet its liquidity requirements in the short and longer term. The liquidity policy has been followed by the Group for years and is considered to be effective in managing liquidity risks.

The following tables summarise the remaining contractual maturities of the Group's financial liabilities including bank loans with repayment on demand clause, based on undiscounted cash flows (including interest payments computed using contractual rates or if floating, based on rates ruling at the end of the reporting period) and the earliest date the Group can be required to pay.

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## 34. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

### (c) Liquidity risk (Continued)

Specifically, for bank loans which contain repayment on demand clause which can be exercised at bank's sole discretion, the analysis shows the cash outflow based on the earliest period in which the Group can be required to pay, that is if the lenders were to invoke their unconditional rights to call the loans with immediate effect.

	Carrying amount HK\$'000	Total contractual undiscounted cash flow HK\$'000	Within 1 year or on demand HK\$'000	More than 1 year but less than 2 years HK\$'000	More than 2 years but less than 5 years HK\$'000	More than 5 years HK\$'000
At 31 March 2017						
Trade and other payables	161,510	161,510	161,510	-	-	-
Obligation under finance lease	726	784	174	174	436	-
Bank loans subject to repayment on						
demand clause	35,867	35,867	35,867	-	-	-
	198,103	198,161	197,551	174	436	-

	Carrying amount HK\$'000	Total contractual undiscounted cash flow HK\$'000	Within 1 year or on demand HK\$'000	More than 1 year but less than 2 years HK\$'000	More than 2 years but less than 5 years HK\$'000	More than 5 years HK\$'000
At 31 March 2016 Trade and other payables Bank loans subject to repayment on demand clause	127,824 14,611	127,824 14.611	127,824 14.611	-	-	-
	142,435	142,435	142,435	-	-	

The following tables summarise the maturity analysis of the Group's bank loans with repayment on demand clause based on the agreed scheduled repayments set out in the loan agreements. The amounts include interest payments computed using contractual rates. As a result, these amounts were greater than the amounts disclosed in the "on demand" time banding in the maturity analysis contained above. Taking into account the Group's financial position, the directors do not consider that it is probable that the banks will exercise their discretion to demand immediate repayment. The directors believe that such bank borrowings will be repaid in accordance with the scheduled repayment dates set out in the loan agreements.

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### 34. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

## (c) Liquidity risk (Continued)

	Carrying amount HK\$'000	Total contractual undiscounted cash flow HK\$'000	Within 1 year or on demand HK\$'000	More than 1 year but less than 2 years HK\$'000	More than 2 years but less than 5 years HK\$'000	More than 5 years HK\$'000
Bank loans subject to repayment on demand clause						
As at 31 March 2017	35,867	37,506	32,510	1,290	1,098	2,608
As at 31 March 2016	14,611	15,736	7,725	2,057	3,137	2,817

### (d) Capital management

The Group's capital management objectives are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns to shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders, to maintain an optimal capital structure, to reduce the cost of capital and to support the Group's stability and growth.

The Group monitors capital using gearing ratio, which is total debts to equity. Total debts include bank borrowings and obligation under finance lease. Equity represents total equity of the Group.

The directors of the Company actively and regularly review and manage the Group's capital structure, taking into consideration the future capital requirements of the Group, to ensure optimal shareholders' returns. The Group manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares, raise new debts or sells assets to reduce debts.

The gearing ratios as at the end of reporting period were as follows:

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000
Bank borrowings, secured Obligation under finance lease	35,867 726	14,611 -
Total debts	36,593	14,611
Total equity	81,046	55,595
Gearing ratio	45%	26%

# **Financial Summary**

# **RESULTS**

	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Revenue	579,849	475,474	377,356	200,183
Profit before income tax Income tax	31,144 (5,693)	26,270 (5,154)	22,813 (4,335)	11,354 (1,934)
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year	25,451	21,116	18,478	9,420

## **ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**

	2017	2016	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Total assets Total liabilities	283,942	230,296	183,946	116,802
	(202,896)	(174,701)	(163,841)	(109,625)
Net assets	81,046	55,595	20,105	7,177

#### Note:

The summary above does not form part of the audited consolidated financial statements.

No financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2013 have been published.

The financial information for the years ended 31 March 2015 and 2014 was extracted from the prospectus of the Company dated 21 March 2016.

Such summary was prepared as if the current structure of the Group had been in existence throughout these financial years and is presented on the basis as set out in notes 1 and 3 to the consolidated financial statements.