

## **SUMMARY OF RESULTS**

For the six months ended September 30, 2000, the Group's turnover amounted to HK\$739.8 million, an increase of 32.5 per cent as compared with HK\$558.5 million for the same period of last year. The unaudited consolidated profit attributable to shareholders amounted to HK\$47.3 million, an increase of 23.7 per cent over the corresponding period in the previous year. The basic earnings per share for the period amounted to 9.6 cents compared to 8.2 cents for the same period of last year.