Cash Flow Statement

For the year ended 31st December, 2000 (Amounts expressed in thousands of Rmb)

Note	2000	1999
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Profit before taxation	2,927,032	2,252,730
Adjustments to reconcile profit before taxation to		
net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	2,666,949	2,391,998
Unrealized exchange gain	(2,709)	(56,243)
Amortization of other long-term assets	15,657	6,814
Provision for bad debts	4,588	_
Provision for inventory obsolescence	10,608	_
Loss on disposals of fixed assets	50,879	6,444
Interest income	(79,723)	(108,601)
Interest expenses	1,024,653	899,780
Decrease (increase) in assets:		
Accounts receivable	207,299	(726,257)
Materials and supplies	(30,928)	18,720
Other receivables and assets	(25,151)	407,779
Due from HIPDC	28,583	(28,583)
Other long-term assets	(86,952)	—
(Decrease) increase in liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(359,046)	886,738
Taxes payable	36,087	39,990
Staff welfare and bonus payable	123,622	(119,038)
Due to HIPDC	130,158	(2,633)
Interest paid	(649,193)	(615,946)
Income tax paid	(428,693)	(370,102)
Interest received	79,641	123,787
Net cash provided by operating activities	5,643,361	5,007,377

For the year ended 31st December, 2000 (Amounts expressed in thousands of Rmb)

	Note	2000	1999
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Capital expenditures		(351,966)	(2,274,342)
Proceeds from disposals of fixed assets		17,872	17,234
Increase in other long-term assets		(1,050)	(3,197)
Decrease in temporary cash investments		955,619	586,489
Increase in short-term investments		(60,000)	
Net cash inflow from acquisition of Nanjing Power Plant	27(a)	—	150,229
Repayment of payable to Nanjing Investment	5(d), 27(a)	(100,000)	(1,111,375)
Expenditures for Shandong Huaneng acquisition	34	(10,096)	
Prepayment of consideration for Shandong Huaneng acquisition	34	(5,767,898)	—
Net cash used in investing activities		(5,317,519)	(2,634,962)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Drawdown of short-term bank loans		1,511,000	142,000
Repayment of short-term bank loans		(261,000)	(419,000)
Drawdown of long-term loans from shareholders		—	18,383
Repayment of long-term loans from shareholders		(737,270)	(1,835,897)
Repayment of long-term loan from Nanjing Investment		(58,123)	(58,123)
Drawdown of long-term bank loans		165,215	1,051,470
Repayment of long-term bank loans		(941,989)	(511,468)
Dividend paid		(508,500)	(452,000)
Net cash used in financing activities		(830,667)	(2,064,635)
Net cash used in financing activities		(850,007)	(2,004,055)
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(504,825)	307,780
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year		2,493,198	2,185,418
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR		1,988,373	2,493,198

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.