

CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Year ended 31 December 2000

	Notes	2000 HK\$'000	1999 <i>HK\$'000</i>
TURNOVER	3	23,751	24,785
Other revenue		768	1,154
Staff costs		(7,002)	(8,023)
Depreciation expense		(130)	(269)
Other operating expenses		(13,533)	(13,028)
PROFIT FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	4	3,854	4,619
Finance costs	5	(9,527)	(6,652)
Share of profits less losses of:			
Jointly-controlled entity		11,552	20,280
Associates		1,463	6,612
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		7,342	24,859
Tax	8	(2,987)	(6,672)
NET PROFIT FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES ATTRIBUTABLE TO SHAREHOLDERS	9	4,355	18,187
EARNINGS PER SHARE – Basic (cents)	10	0.53	2.42