

Summary of Financial Information

For the year ended 31 December 2000

A summary of the published results and assets and liabilities of the Group for the last five financial years, as extracted from the audited financial statements of the Group is set out below.

RESULTS

HK\$'million	2000	Year ended 31 December			
		1999	1998	1997	1996
TURNOVER	2,190	1,572	897	438	345
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)	188	92	(374)	(32)	(121)
Share of profits and losses of associates	1	–	(14)	2	–
Share of profits and losses of jointly-controlled entities	5	(23)	3	1	–
PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE TAX	194	69	(385)	(29)	(121)
Tax	(13)	(8)	(8)	–	–
PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE MINORITY INTERESTS	181	61	(393)	(29)	(121)
Minority interests	40	49	36	(1)	(1)
NET PROFIT/(LOSS) ATTRIBUTABLE TO SHAREHOLDERS	221	110	(357)	(30)	(122)

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

HK\$'million	2000	As at 31 December			
		1999	1998	1997	1996
TOTAL ASSETS	4,541	3,483	2,656	2,838	466
TOTAL LIABILITIES	(1,510)	(902)	(644)	(125)	(226)
MINORITY INTERESTS	(95)	(36)	(40)	(2)	(1)
NET ASSETS	2,936	2,545	1,972	2,711	239

