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Consolidated Balance Sheet

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		2000	1999
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	12	1,330,653	1,279,978
Operating rights	13	10,026	_
		1,340,679	1,279,978
CURRENT ASSETS		.,0.0,0,7	.,,,,,,,
Inventories, at cost		15,139	130,724
Investment in a security	15	485	485
Trade and other receivables	16	53,746	294,505
Amounts due from the Sinopec Group	17	64,629	81,525
Short-term pledged bank deposits and bank balance	28	59,329	28,885
Short-term bank deposits		49,027	3,007
Bank balances and cash		154,213	89,797
		396,568	628,928
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	18	138,054	68,212
Amounts due to the Sinopec Group	19	32,326	8,568
Dividend payable		20,737	_
Taxation		23,666	13,453
Bank borrowings – due within one year	20	54,511	406,696
		269,294	496,929
NET CURRENT ASSETS		127,274	131,999
		1,467,953	1,411,977
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Share capital	21	103,683	103,750
Reserves	22	919,474	779,330
		1,023,157	883,080
MINORITY INTEREST		248,380	226,409
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Bank borrowings – due after one year	20	56,229	107,287
Loan/advance from the Sinopec Group	23	140,187	195,201
		196,416	302,488
		1,467,953	1,411,977

The financial statements on pages 19 to 47 were approved by the Board of Directors on 9th April 2001 and are signed on its behalf by:

Zhai Xu Dong Director Zhan Hai Tao Director