CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2001

	Six mont		Unaudited months ended 30 June
		2001	2000
	Note	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Turnover	2	641,386	741,232
Cost of sales		(381,291)	(488,557)
Gross profit		260,095	252,675
Other revenues		124,148	72,818
Net gain on vessel insurance claim Distribution, administrative and other		-	49,564
operating expenses		(103,276)	(105,944)
Operating profit	3	280,967	269,113
Finance costs		(40,264)	(49,093)
Share of profits less losses of			
Associates		327,226	279,903
Jointly controlled entities		78,970	14,084
Gain/(loss) on disposal of associates		5,165	(19,134)
Profit before taxation		652,064	494,873
Taxation	4	(51,444)	(44,675)
Profit after taxation		600,620	450,198
Minority interests		(38,767)	(52,206)
Profit attributable to shareholders		561,853	397,992
Interim dividend	5	143,792	102,492
Basic earnings per share	6	HK 27.38 cents	HK 19.51 cents
Fully diluted earnings per share	6	HK 27.09 cents	HK 19.46 cents