CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30TH JUNE, 2001

		Six month ended 30th June, 2001 2000	
	Note	(Unaudited) HK\$	(Unaudited) HK\$
Turnover	2	6,157,452	3,060,644
Other revenues		(270,136)	15,007,646
		5,887,316	18,068,290
Staff salaries		(751,698)	(767,489)
Depreciation and amortisation of goodwill		(296,929)	(173,150)
Other operating costs		(2,709,109)	(4,084,609)
Unrealised gain/(loss) on other investments		15,211,457	(3,887,525)
Provision for diminution of investment securities	9	(5,000,000)	
Operating profit	3	12,341,037	9,155,517
Finance costs	4	(1,335,569)	(387,567)
Share of losses of associated companies		(991,847)	
Profit before taxation		10,013,621	8,767,950
Taxation charge	5	(68,000)	(430,000)
Profit attributable to shareholders		9,945,621	8,337,950
Dividends	6		(569,913)
Profit for the period	13	9,945,621	7,768,037
Basic earnings per share Diluted earnings per share	7 7	1.02 cents N/A	0.98 cent N/A

No statement of recognized gains and losses is presented as profit attributable to shareholders of HK\$9,945,621 (2000: HK\$8,337,950) shown above is the only component.