

**Consolidated profit and loss account**  
**for the six months ended 30 June 2001 – unaudited**  
*(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)*

		<b>Six months ended 30 June</b>	
		<b>2001</b>	<b>2000</b>
	<i>Note</i>	<i>\$'000</i>	<i>\$'000</i>
<b>Turnover</b>	3	150,394	250,508
Cost of sales		<u>(126,014)</u>	<u>(219,071)</u>
		24,380	31,437
Other revenue		8,610	25,227
Distribution costs		(3,803)	(8,786)
Administrative expenses		(17,481)	(20,948)
Other operating expenses		<u>(55,118)</u>	<u>(4,188)</u>
(Loss)/profit from operations		(43,412)	22,742
Finance costs	4	<u>(53,642)</u>	<u>(52,374)</u>
		(97,054)	(29,632)
<b>Share of results of associates</b>			
Share of net (losses)/profits before taxation		(74,232)	5,038
<b>Write back of provision for interest in associate</b>	8	161,132	–
<b>Share of profits of jointly controlled entity</b>		<u>7,657</u>	<u>4,156</u>
<b>Loss from ordinary activities before taxation</b>	4	(2,497)	(20,438)
<b>Taxation</b>	5	<u>3,628</u>	<u>4,834</u>
<b>Loss from ordinary activities after taxation</b>		(6,125)	(25,272)
<b>Minority interests</b>		<u>4,353</u>	<u>(769)</u>
<b>Loss for the period</b>		<u><u>(1,772)</u></u>	<u><u>(26,041)</u></u>
<b>Loss per share</b>			
Basic	7	<u><u>(0.1) cent</u></u>	<u><u>(1.0) cent</u></u>

The notes on pages 13 to 21 form part of these interim financial report.