

Condensed Consolidated Income Statement
for the six months ended 30th September, 2001

		Unaudited	
		six months ended	
		30th September,	
		2001	2000
	<i>Notes</i>	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Turnover	2	987,044	1,363,184
Cost of sales		(951,116)	(1,305,691)
Gross Profit		35,928	57,493
Other revenue		22,762	15,961
General and administrative expenses		(39,313)	(46,635)
Profit from operations	2 & 3	19,377	26,819
Finance costs	4	(2,310)	(4,441)
Share of results of jointly controlled entities		8,343	5,568
Profit before taxation		25,410	27,946
Taxation	5	(4,066)	(4,444)
Profit before minority interests		21,344	23,502
Minority interests		99	164
Profit attributable to shareholders		21,443	23,666
Proposed interim dividend	6	3,623	7,245
Earnings per share – basic and diluted	7	3.0 cents	3.2 cents