## CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

| 18-month period ended 31 December 2001 | Notes | 18-month period ended <br> 31 December 2001 <br> HK\$'000 | (Restated) <br> 12-month period ended 30 June 2000 <br> HK\$’000 |
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| Net Cash Inflow from Operating Activities | 28(a) | 793,491 | 668,743 |
| Returns on Investments and Servicing of Finance |  |  |  |
| Interest received |  | 36,488 | 25,658 |
| Dividends received from: |  |  |  |
| Listed investments |  | 4,449 | 6,331 |
| Associates |  | 6,652 | 5,865 |
| Interest paid |  | $(1,020)$ | $(1,564)$ |
| Dividends paid to minority shareholders in subsidiaries |  | (333) | - |
| Dividends paid |  | $(832,309)$ | $(519,450)$ |
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|  |  | $(786,073)$ | $(483,160)$ |
| Tax |  |  |  |
| Hong Kong profits tax paid |  | $(204,764)$ | $(73,151)$ |
| Investing Activities |  |  |  |
| Additions to fixed assets |  | $(117,363)$ | $(39,279)$ |
| Purchase of a subsidiary |  | - | $(28,000)$ |
| Purchase of business |  | $(4,325)$ | - |
| Purchases of long-term investment shares |  | - | $(144,293)$ |
| Proceeds from disposals of subsidiaries | 28(c) | 18,701 | - |
| Proceeds from disposals of interests in associates |  | 3,508 | - |
| Proceeds from disposals of fixed assets |  | 8,719 | 1,853 |
| Proceeds from disposals of long-term investment shares |  | 92,427 | 101,601 |
| Decrease in bank deposits with maturity more than three months |  | 179,357 | 209,218 |
| Net cash inflow from investing activities |  | 181,024 | 101,100 |
| Net Cash (Outflow) / Inflow before Financing Activities |  | $(16,322)$ | 213,532 |
| Financing Activities | 28(b) |  |  |
| Proceeds from issue of shares |  | 7,298 | 12,415 |
| Repayment of bank loans |  | $(5,367)$ | $(43,805)$ |
| Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities |  | 1,931 | $(31,390)$ |
| (Decrease) / Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents |  | $(14,391)$ | 182,142 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period |  | 296,743 | 114,601 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Period |  | 282,352 | 296,743 |
| Bank Balances and Deposits at End of Period |  |  |  |
| Bank balances and deposits with maturity within three months |  | 282,352 | 296,743 |
| Bank balances and deposits with maturity more than three months |  | 1,323 | 180,680 |
| Total |  | 283,675 | 477,423 |

