CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

For the year ended 31 December 2001

		2001	2000
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
NET CASH (OUTFLOW) INFLOW FROM			
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	30	(553,509)	164,059
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND SERVICING OF FINANCE			
Interest paid		(18,947)	(20,641)
Interest income		26,548	26,743
Dividends paid by subsidiaries to			
minority shareholders		(14,582)	(1,871)
Dividend paid to shareholders		(45,600)	—
NET CASH (OUTFLOW) INFLOW FROM			
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND			
SERVICING OF FINANCE		(52,581)	4,231
TAXATION			
Overseas tax paid		(15,378)	(9,214)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(95,382)	(85,670)
Proceeds from sale of property,			
plant and equipment		2,880	2,357
Investment in an associate		—	(234)
Purchase of investments in securities		(80,957)	(1,877)
Proceeds from disposal of other investments	;	52,686	
Repayment from associates		174	—
Advances to minority shareholders	21	(5,584)	—
Disposal of a subsidiary	31	(34)	—
Net cash outflow in respect of	22	(7.048)	
purchase of a subsidiary Net cash inflow in respect of partial	32	(7,048)	
disposal of a subsidiary		41,229	
Net cash outflow in respect of partial		41,229	_
acquisition of subsidiaries		(7,683)	_
acquisition of substatiances			
NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM			
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(99,719)	(85,424)
NET CASH (OUTFLOW) INFLOW			
BEFORE FINANCING		(721,187)	73,652

For the year ended 31 December 2001

	Notes	2001 HK\$'000	2000 HK\$'000
FINANCING	33		
New borrowings		636,684	2,713
Repayment of loan to a director		—	(4,713)
(Repayment to) advances from minority			
shareholders		(49,218)	33,688
Contribution from minority shareholders			
of a subsidiary		43,078	17,927
NET CASH INFLOW (OUTFLOW)			
FROM FINANCING		630,544	49,615
(DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(90,643)	123,267
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 1 JANUARY		656,074	532,461
EFFECT OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES		7	346
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 31 DECEMBER		565,438	656,074