

Consolidated Income Statement for the year ended 31 July, 2002

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2002	2001
		\$'000	\$'000
Turnover	4	932,630	639,182
Cost of sales		(787,380)	(530,889)
		145,250	108,293
Other income	5	198	_
Distribution expenses	7(b)	(19,563)	(18,873)
Administrative expenses	7(b)	(48,208)	(36,152)
Profit from operations		77,677	53,268
Net finance costs	7(a)	(12,993)	(11,626)
Profit from ordinary activities before taxation	7	64,684	41,642
Taxation	8	_	
Profit from ordinary activities after taxation		64,684	41,642
Minority interests		1,107	
Profit attributable to shareholders	11	65,791	41,642
Dividend attributable to the year:			
Final dividend proposed after balance sheet date	12(a)	4,100	30,000
Earnings per share	13		
Basic		9.21 cents	6.72 cents
Diluted		N/A	N/A

The notes on pages 40 to 72 form part of these financial statements.