

Director's interests in equity or debt securities

At 30th September 2002, the interests of the directors and chief executives in the shares and options of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Securities (Disclosure of Interests) Ordinance ("SDI Ordinance")), as recorded in the register maintained by the Company under Section 29 of the SDI Ordinance or as notified to the Company, were as follows:

- (a) 138,583,000 shares of the Company are beneficially owned by Sum Tai Holdings Limited which is in turn wholly owned by a discretionary trust established for the benefit of Mr YIP Sum Yin, Madam YU Hung Min and their family.
- (b) 47,980,000 shares of the Company are beneficially owned by Maroc Ventures Inc. which is in turn wholly owned by a discretionary trust established for the benefit of Mr YIP How Yin, Maurice and his family.

Save as disclosed above and other than certain non-beneficial ordinary shares in subsidiaries held in trust for the Group by Mr YIP Sum Yin, none of the directors, chief executives or their associates have any beneficial or non-beneficial interests in the share capital of the Company or associated corporations which are required to be disclosed or notified pursuant to the SDI Ordinance.

Apart from the interests mentioned above, at no time during the year was the Company, its subsidiaries or its holding company a party to any arrangement to enable the directors or chief executives of the Company to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporate.

Substantial shareholders

At 30th September 2002, the register of substantial shareholders maintained under Section 16(1) of the SDI Ordinance shows that the Company had not been notified of any substantial shareholders' interests, being 10% or more of the Company's issued share capital, other than those of the directors and chief executives as disclosed above.