

RESULTS ANNOUNCEMENT DATE

Interim results

22nd August, 2002 (Thur)

Final results

20th March, 2003 (Thur)

FINANCIAL CALENDAR

Deadline for lodging share transfer documents for final dividend entitlement

29th April, 2003 (Tue) at 4:00 p.m.

Closure of register of members

30th April, 2003 (Wed) to 5th May, 2003 (Mon)

Annual General Meeting

5th May, 2003 (Mon)

DIVIDENDS

Interim: 2.8 Hong Kong cents per share

paid on 19th September, 2002 (Thur)

Proposed final: 2 Hong Kong cents per share

payable on 9th May, 2003 (Fri)

SHAREHOLDER ENQUIRIES

Any matters relating to your shareholding, such as transfer of shares, change of address, loss of share certificates, should be addressed to the Hong Kong Branch Share Registrar and Transfer Agent, contact details of which are set out as follows:

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