|  | $\mathbf{2 0 0 2}$ | 2001 |
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| Notes | $\boldsymbol{H K} \boldsymbol{\$}^{\mathbf{3} 000}$ | $H K \${ }^{\prime} 000$ |


| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Profit before tax |  | 95,735 | 58,329 |
| Adjustments for: |  |  |  |
| Depreciation | 6 | 22,616 | 16,761 |
| Dividend income from listed investments | 6 | (17) | (773) |
| Share of profit of a jointly-controlled entity |  | $(4,313)$ | (118) |
| Interest income | 6 | $(6,505)$ | $(11,009)$ |
| Interest income from listed investments | 6 | $(1,087)$ | $(11,822)$ |
| Interest expense | 7 | 17 | 1,967 |
| Loss on disposal of fixed assets | 6 | 80 | 385 |
| Loss on write off of fixed assets | 6 | - | 1,342 |
| Provision for impairment in value of land |  |  |  |
| Deficit on revaluation of leasehold land and buildings | 6 | 4,867 | 9,175 |
| Deficit on revaluation of investment properties | 6 | 15,500 | 24,450 |
| Net holding loss on short term investments | 6 | - | 1,735 |
| Provision for impairment of long term investments | 6 | 2,110 | 1,769 |
| Gain on disposal of long term investments | 6 | (247) | $(23,049)$ |
| Loss/(gain) on disposal of short term investments | 6 | 1,358 | $(3,626)$ |
| Provision for doubtful debts | 6 | 3,850 | 9,111 |
| Exchange adjustments on consolidation of foreign subsidiaries |  | 303 | 939 |


| Operating profit before working capital changes | $\mathbf{1 3 4 , 2 6 7}$ | 92,352 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |
| Proceeds from disposal of short term investments | $\mathbf{3 , 0 9 7}$ | 25,131 |
| Increase in inventories | $\mathbf{( 7 , 3 3 1 )}$ | $(8,614)$ |
| Increase in trade receivables | $\mathbf{( 8 0 , 5 7 5 )}$ | $(62,719)$ |
| Increase in other receivables | $\mathbf{( 3 , 1 3 6 )}$ | $(7,957)$ |
| Increase in trade payables | $\mathbf{2 9 , 9 2 4}$ | 11,917 |
| Increase in other payables and accruals | $\mathbf{2 3 , 9 5 9}$ | 12,926 |

Cash generated from operations
100,205
63,036

| Interest paid | $\mathbf{( 1 7 )}$ | $(2,405)$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Hong Kong profits tax paid | $\mathbf{( 3 , 5 3 4 )}$ | $(263)$ |
| Overseas tax paid | $\mathbf{( 2 4 )}$ | $(333)$ |


|  | Notes | $\begin{array}{r} 2002 \\ H K \${ }^{3} 000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2001 \\ H K \$, 000 \end{array}$ |
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| NET CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES |  | 96,630 | 60,035 |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES |  |  |  |
| Purchases of fixed assets | 14 | $(29,572)$ | $(34,541)$ |
| Purchases of long term investments |  | $(2,340)$ | $(122,969)$ |
| Increase in long term deposits |  | $(45,443)$ | - |
| Repayment from a jointly-controlled entity |  | 3,900 | 10,920 |
| Partial disposal of interest in a subsidiary | 32 | - | 54,064 |
| Proceeds from disposal of fixed assets |  | 633 | 1,443 |
| Proceeds from disposal of long term investments |  | 7,644 | 187,755 |
| Interest received |  | 7,364 | 33,015 |
| Dividends from listed investments |  | 17 | 773 |
| Net cash from/(used in) investing activities |  | $(57,797)$ | 130,460 |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES |  |  |  |
| Proceeds from exercise of share options |  | - | 3,122 |
| Capital returned |  | - | $(308,127)$ |
| New bank loans |  | - | 237,900 |
| Repayment of bank loans |  | - | $(288,600)$ |
| Dividends paid |  | $(12,490)$ | $(25,659)$ |
| Net cash used in financing activities |  | $(12,490)$ | $(381,364)$ |
| NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND |  |  |  |
| CASH EQUIVALENTS |  | 26,343 | $(190,869)$ |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year |  | 100,670 | 291,539 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR |  | 127,013 | 100,670 |
| ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND |  |  |  |
| CASH EQUIVALENTS |  |  |  |
| Cash and bank balances | 25 | 69,628 | 70,949 |
| Time deposits with original maturities within three months | 25 | 57,385 | 29,721 |
|  |  | 127,013 | 100,670 |

