

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31st August 2003

		<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
	Note	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Total equity as at 1st September		<b>910,183</b>	805,306
Exchange adjustments on translation of the accounts of overseas subsidiaries	23	<b>(200)</b>	204
Exchange reserve transferred to profit and loss account upon disposal of a subsidiary	23	<b>1,469</b>	–
Net gains not recognised in the consolidated profit and loss account		<b>1,269</b>	204
		<b>911,452</b>	805,510
Profit attributable to shareholders	23	<b>257,822</b>	91,129
2003 interim dividends paid	23	<b>(30,234)</b>	–
Issue of shares		<b>45,409</b>	3,787
Issue of warrants		–	10,815
Expenses in connection with issue of new warrants		–	(1,058)
Total equity as at 31st August		<b>1,184,449</b>	910,183