Consolidated income statement

For the period ended 31 December 2003

		1 April 2003	
		to 31 December	Year ended
		2003	31 March 2003
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Turnover	5	7,274	27,442
Other revenue	6	12,068	6,986
Gain on disposal of brokerage business	4	-	187,377
Staff costs		(9,666)	(13,894)
Other operating expenses		(3,658)	(6,281)
Profit from operations		6,018	201,630
Finance costs	7	-	(176)
Share of profits of associates		1,452	40
Profit before taxation	8	7,470	201,494
Taxation	9	(386)	(1,656)
Profit attributable to shareholders	20	7,084	199,838
Dividends	10	_	182,880
Earnings per share	21	HK\$0.10	HK\$2.78

Period from