Statements of Changes in Equity For the year ended December 31, 2003



			Reserves			
	Note	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium HK\$'000	Investment revaluation reserve HK\$'000	Revenue reserve HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
Group						
Balance at January 1, 2002* As previously reported Prior year adjustment arising from a change in accounting		2,014,000	4,826,326	(14,500)	(5,382,451)	1,443,375
policy for income taxes	12	-	-	-	13,000	13,000
As restated		2,014,000	4,826,326	(14,500)	(5,369,451)	1,456,375
Profit for the year Dividend approved in respect of		_	-	-	117,259	117,259
the previous year Dividend declared in respect of the current year		-	-	-	(50,350) (30,289)	(50,350)
Deficit on revaluation of investments and net loss not recognised in the					()	(
profit and loss account Transfer to the profit and loss account on impairment		_	_	(58,156)	_	(58,156)
of investments Transfer to the profit and loss account on disposal		-	-	72,870	-	72,870
of debt securities Shares issued under share		_	_	(214)	_	(214)
option scheme		5,234	12,039	-	_	17,273
Balance at December 31, 2002*		2,019,234	4,838,365	-	(5,332,831)	1,524,768
Profit for the year Dividend approved in respect of		-	-	-	220,458	220,458
the previous year Dividend declared in respect of		-	-	-	(30,289)	(30,289)
the current year		_	_	_	(30,289)	(30,289)
Balance at December 31, 2003'	ł	2,019,234	4,838,365	-	(5,172,951)	1,684,648

Statements of Changes in Equity (continued)

For the year ended December 31, 2003

		Reserves			
	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium HK\$'000	Investment revaluation reserve HK\$'000	Revenue reserve HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
Company					
Balance at January 1, 2002	2,014,000	4,826,326	_	489,438	7,329,764
Profit for the year	-	_	-	456	456
Dividend approved in respect of the previous year	-	-	_	(50,350)	(50,350)
Dividend declared in respect of the current year	_	_	_	(30,289)	(30,289)
Shares issued under the share option scheme	5,234	12,039	_	_	17,273
Balance at December 31, 2002	2,019,234	4,838,365	-	409,255	7,266,854
Profit for the year Dividend approved in respect of	_	-	_	109,728	109,728
the previous year	_	-	_	(30,289)	(30,289)
Dividend declared in respect of the current year	-	_	_	(30,289)	(30,289)
Balance at December 31, 2003	2,019,234	4,838,365	_	458,405	7,316,004

At December 31, 2003, reserves of the Company available for distribution to shareholders amounted to HK\$458,405,000 (December 31, 2002: HK\$409,255,000).

The application of the share premium account is governed by Section 48B of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

* Included in the Group's revenue reserve is positive goodwill written off against reserves in prior years amounting to HK\$197,785,000.

