STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 March 2004

	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium HK\$'000	Exchange reserve HK\$'000	Properties revaluation reserve HK\$'000	Retained profits HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
THE GROUP At 1 April 2002 - as originally stated - adjustment on adoption of SSAP 12	599,479	814,485	1,854	134,662	882,033	2,432,513
(Revised) (Note 2)				(21,453)	17,580	(3,873)
 as restated Deficit on revaluation Deferred tax liability arising on revaluation of land and buildings 	599,479 -	814,485 -	1,854 -	113,209 (1,339)	899,613 -	2,428,640 (1,339)
				(1,783)		(1,783)
Net loss not recognised in the consolidated income statement				(3,122)		(3,122)
Profit for the year Dividends					343,548 (239,792)	343,548 (239,792)
At 31 March 2003 Surplus on revaluation Deferred tax liability arising on	599,479 -	814,485 –	1,854 -	110,087 14,517	1,003,369 –	2,529,274 14,517
revaluation of land and buildings Reversal of deferred tax liability	_	-	-	(2,530)	-	(2,530)
upon disposal of land and buildings Release on disposal of land and buildings				516 (2,932)	2,932	516
Net gain not recognised in the consolidated income statement				9,571	2,932	12,503
Profit for the year Dividends					438,797 (287,750)	438,797 (287,750)
At 31 March 2004	599,479	814,485	1,854	119,658	1,157,348	2,692,824
THE COMPANY At 1 April 2002 – as originally stated	599,479	814,485	-	-	576,527	1,990,491
 adjustment on adoption of SSAP 12 (Revised) 					2,589	2,589
as restatedProfit for the yearDividends	599,479 - -	814,485 - -		-	579,116 249,880 (239,792)	1,993,080 249,880 (239,792)
At 31 March 2003 Profit for the year Dividends	599,479 - -	814,485 –			589,204 473,912 (287,750)	2,003,168 473,912 (287,750)
At 31 March 2004	599,479	814,485			775,366	2,189,330

Distributable reserves of the Company at 31 March 2004 calculated under Section 79B of the Companies Ordinance amounted to HK\$775,366,000 (2003: HK\$589,204,000).