

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

for the year ended 30 September 2004 (Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2004 \$'000	2003 \$'000
Shareholders' equity at the beginning of the year		63,470	40,429
Net profit for the year	29(a)	50,361	36,041
Dividend declared or approved during the year	29(a)	–	(13,000)
Issuance of shares by placing and public offer	28(d)	7,800	–
Share premium	29(a)	120,200	–
Share issuance costs	29(a)	(30,727)	–
Net increase in shareholders' equity arising from capital transactions with shareholders		97,273	–
Shareholders' equity at the end of the year		211,104	63,470

The notes on pages 40 to 75 form part of these financial statements.