

Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

For the year ended 31st December 2004

	Note	2004 US\$'000	2003 US\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	29(a)	265,566	217,066
Interest received		2,043	1,812
Profits tax paid		(1,421)	(1,121)
Net cash from operating activities		<u>266,188</u>	<u>217,757</u>
Cash flows from investing activities			
Dividends received from jointly controlled entities		5,989	11,799
Dividends received from associated companies		59,504	57,679
Dividends received from investee companies		21,346	19,959
Purchase of fixed assets		(278,523)	(198,410)
Return of capital and distribution of reserves by an associated company		51	41,935
Loans advanced to a jointly controlled entity, associated companies and an investee company		(38,076)	(25,925)
Investment in investment securities		(13,075)	–
Compensation received for loss of containers		316	412
Sale of fixed assets		19,103	17,014
Repayment of loans by a jointly controlled entity, an associated company and an investee company		21,956	12,780
Decrease/(increase) in restricted bank deposits		759	(4,239)
Investments in jointly controlled entities and associated companies		(338,980)	(74,430)
Sale of investment securities		–	12,308
Proceeds on disposal of jointly controlled entities		4,943	–
Net cash used in investing activities		<u>(534,687)</u>	<u>(129,118)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities	29(b)		
Loans borrowed		252,950	89,620
Proceeds from issue of Notes		–	298,101
Issue of shares on exercise of share options		41,516	1,101
Share issue expenses		(8)	–
Repayments of loans		(78,238)	(330,097)
Dividends paid		(98,131)	(87,528)
Dividends paid to minority shareholders of subsidiaries		(1,674)	(1,528)
Interest paid		(27,466)	(9,448)
Other incidental borrowing costs paid		(2,362)	(5,169)
Net cash from/(used in) financing activities		<u>86,587</u>	<u>(44,948)</u>
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes		<u>(586)</u>	<u>(216)</u>
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		<u>(182,498)</u>	<u>43,475</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at 1st January		<u>271,779</u>	<u>228,304</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at 31st December	29(c)	<u>89,281</u>	<u>271,779</u>