



FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

	Year ended 31st December,	
	2004 US\$'000 Audited	2003 US\$'000 Audited
Turnover		
Continuing operations	1,713,036	1,447,654
Discontinued operation	–	209,692
	<u>1,713,036</u>	<u>1,657,346</u>
Cost of sales	<u>(1,550,580)</u>	<u>(1,492,465)</u>
Gross profit	162,456	164,881
Selling and distribution costs	(61,608)	(69,431)
General and administrative expenses	(99,754)	(100,142)
Other income, net	5,998	1,099
Loss on disposal of discontinued operation	–	(18,413)
Profit/(Loss) from operating activities	<u>7,092</u>	<u>(22,006)</u>
Finance costs	(29,252)	(32,071)
Share of profits and losses of jointly controlled entities	(24,987)	5,146
Share of profits and losses of associates	<u>2,220</u>	<u>(1,446)</u>
Loss before tax	<u>(44,927)</u>	<u>(47,868)</u>
Continuing operations	(44,927)	(47,868)
Discontinued operation	–	(2,509)
	<u>(44,927)</u>	<u>(50,377)</u>
Tax		
Continuing operations	(9,441)	(3,737)
Discontinued operation	–	(4,173)
	<u>(9,441)</u>	<u>(7,910)</u>
Loss after tax	<u>(54,368)</u>	<u>(58,287)</u>
Minority interests	<u>(8,018)</u>	<u>(4,471)</u>
Net loss from ordinary activities attributable to shareholders	<u>(62,386)</u>	<u>(62,758)</u>
Accumulated losses at beginning of year		
As previously reported	(105,716)	(49,650)
– effect of adopting IFRS 3	8,884	–
	<u>(96,832)</u>	<u>(49,650)</u>
As restated	(96,832)	(49,650)
Accumulated losses	<u>(159,218)</u>	<u>(112,408)</u>
Transfers from/(to) reserves	(922)	6,692
Accumulated losses at end of year	<u>(160,140)</u>	<u>(105,716)</u>
Loss per share: Basic	(US cents 2.89)	(US cents 2.91)
Dividend per share	–	–