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		2004	2003	2002
	NOTES	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
GROSS SALES OF COAL		11,757,052	8,386,629	7,772,315
TRANSPORTATION COSTS OF COAL		(1,402,715)	(1,592,294)	(1,558,414)
NET SALES OF COAL RAILWAY TRANSPORTATION	6	10,354,337	6,794,335	6,213,901
SERVICE INCOME		220,771	154,585	142,471
COST OF SALES AND		10,575,108	6,948,920	6,356,372
SERVICE PROVIDED	7	(4,551,703)	(3,755,023)	(3,362,901)
GROSS PROFIT		6,023,405	3,193,897	2,993,471
SELLING, GENERAL AND		(7.470.0(0)		
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	8	(1,479,863)	(1,264,858)	(1,231,059)
OTHER OPERATING INCOME	9	165,732	105,845	103,729
OPERATING INCOME		4,709,274	2,034,884	1,866,141
INTEREST EXPENSES	10	(35,942)	(59,966)	(117,929)
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	11	4,673,332	1,974,918	1,748,212
INCOME TAXES	13	(1,518,762)	(587,710)	(523,148)
INCOME BEFORE MINORITY INTERES	т	3,154,570	1,387,208	1,225,064
MINORITY INTEREST		(253)	(522)	(3,065)
NET INCOME		3,154,317	1,386,686	1,221,999
APPROPRIATIONS TO RESERVES		737,782	425,566	817,187
DIVIDEND	14	470,680	298,480	287,000
EARNINGS PER SHARE	15	RMB1.06	RMB0.48	RMB0.43
EARNINGS PER ADS	15	RMB53.20	RMB24.16	RMB21.29