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1.4.2004 1.4.2003 to to 31.12.2004 31.3.2004 Notes HK\$'000 HK\$'000 **OPERATING ACTIVITIES** Loss from operations (32,934)(3,108)Adjustments for: Interest income (824)(1,279)Dividend income from listed securities (283)(181)Depreciation of property, plant and equipment 300 422 Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment 42 Surplus arising on revaluation of investment property (180)(90)Equity- settled consultancy services 16,713 Operating cash flows before movements in working capital (17,208)(4,194)Decrease (increase) in debtors, deposits and prepayments 498 (168)Decrease in investments in securities 14,189 (Decrease) increase in creditors, accrued charges and other payables 2,670 (2,641)Cash generated (used in) from operations (19,351)12,497 Tax paid (202)NET CASH (USED IN) FROM **OPERATING ACTIVITIES** (19,351)12,295 **INVESTING ACTIVITIES** Repayment of short term receivables 11,585 56,576 Interest received 824 1,279 Dividend income from listed securities 283 181 Increase in short term receivables (15,113)(26, 135)Purchase of an associate (998)Purchase of property, plant and equipment (153)(26)Purchase of a subsidiary 25 (40,500)NET CASH USED IN INVESTING **ACTIVITIES** (3,445)(8,752)

For the nine months ended 31st December, 2004

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	1.4.2004	1.4.2003
	to	to
	31.12.2004	31.3.2004
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from issue of		
convertible bonds	19,500	_
Interest paid	_	(42)
NET CASH FROM (USED IN)		
FINANCING ACTIVITIES	19,500	(42)
TINANGING ACTIVITIES		
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN		
	(0.000)	0.504
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENT	(3,296)	3,501
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT		
	00.047	40.504
THE BEGINNING OF THE PERIOD	22,047	18,564
EFFECT OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE		
RATE CHANGES	3	(18)
NATE CHANGES		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE		
END OF THE PERIOD/YEAR,		
represented by		
Bank balances and cash	18,754	22,047