## CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

For the year ended 31 December 2004

	Notes	2004 HK\$'000	2003 HK\$'000
Turnover	4	64,179	57,213
Cost of sales		(12,575)	(9,961)
Gross profit		51,604	47,252
Other operating income	5	3,383	2,370
Marketing, selling and distribution costs		(24,039)	(13,698)
Administrative expenses		(43,355)	(29,378)
Research and development expenditure		(1,500)	(2,247)
Loss on disposal of beneficial rights to a			
drug under development		(400)	_
(Loss) gain arising on investments in securities	6	(41,293)	36,200
Allowance for doubtful debts	7	(2,391)	(3,956)
(Loss) profit from operations	8	(57,991)	36,543
Finance costs	10	(289)	(730)
Gain on partial disposal of subsidiaries	11	_	19,127
Loss on disposal of subsidiaries	35	_	(14,948)
Share of loss of an associate		-	(1,433)
(Loss) profit before taxation		(58,280)	38,559
Income tax expense	12	(2,504)	(7)
(Loss) profit before minority interests		(60,784)	38,552
Minority interests		(208)	(1,704)
(Loss) profit for the year		(60,992)	36,848
(Loss) earnings per share (cents)	13		
- Basic	19	(2.4)	1.7
– Diluted		N/A	1.7