

## Condensed Consolidated Income Statement

		Unaudited	
		Six months ended 30 June	
	Note	2005 HK\$'000	2004 HK\$'000
Sales	5	445,338	551,112
Cost of services	10	(210,373)	(208,090)
<b>Gross profit</b>		<b>234,965</b>	343,022
Other gains	9	16,562	3,556
Administrative expenses	10	(38,246)	(47,186)
<b>Operating profit</b>		<b>213,281</b>	299,392
Share of loss of associates		(1,909)	(11,093)
<b>Profit before income tax</b>		<b>211,372</b>	288,299
Income tax expense	11	(26,660)	(34,679)
<b>Profit for the period</b>		<b>184,712</b>	253,620
<b>Attributable to:</b>			
Equity holders of the Company		185,240	253,619
Minority interests		(528)	1
		<b>184,712</b>	253,620
<b>Earnings per share for profit attributable to the equity holders of the Company during the period</b> (expressed in HK\$ per share)			
- basic	12	0.47	0.65
- diluted	12	0.47	0.65
<b>Interim dividend</b>	13	<b>31,221</b>	31,221