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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Note | \$000 | \$000 |
| Operating activities |  |  |  |
| Profit before taxation |  | 392,258 | 550,909 |
| Adjustments for: |  |  |  |
| Depreciation |  | 456,385 | 412,193 |
| Amortisation of deferred expenditure |  | 30,942 | 24,637 |
| Loss on disposal of fixed assets |  | 451 | 15,269 |
| Finance income |  | $(48,722)$ | $(60,468)$ |
| Write back of provision for amount due from an associate |  | $(26,419)$ | - |
| Finance costs |  | 492 | 1,164 |
| Exchange loss |  | 5 | 19 |
| Operating profit before changes in working capital |  | 805,392 | 943,723 |
| Increase in inventories |  | $(64,870)$ | $(94,625)$ |
| Decrease/(increase) in trade receivables, deposits, prepayments and other receivables |  | 12,357 | $(100,425)$ |
| Increase in payables, accruals, customers' deposits and deferred income |  | 93,367 | 52,317 |
| Cash generated from operations |  | 846,246 | 800,990 |
| Investing activities |  |  |  |
| Payment for purchase of fixed assets |  | $(745,575)$ | $(343,382)$ |
| Proceeds from disposal of fixed assets |  | 8,199 | 2,357 |
| Payment for purchase of investment securities |  | $(1,269)$ | $(7,511)$ |
| Payment for purchase of held-to-maturity debt securities |  | - | $(945,841)$ |
| Proceeds from disposal of held-to-maturity debt securities | 21 | 467,800 | 68,259 |
| Additions to deferred expenditure |  | $(69,024)$ | $(30,074)$ |
| Interest received |  | 66,756 | 74,260 |
| Net cash used in investing activities |  | $(273,113)$ | $(1,181,932)$ |

## CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

For the year ended 30 June 2005
(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

|  | Note | $2005$ | $2004$ <br> $\$ 000$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Financing activities |  |  |  |
| Proceeds from shares issued under share option scheme |  | - | 19,192 |
| Payment for repurchase of shares |  | - | $(18,634)$ |
| Repayment of shareholder's loan from a minority shareholder |  | $(8,156)$ | $(4,894)$ |
| (Increase)/decrease in pledged bank deposits |  | $(1,919)$ | 66,519 |
| Proceeds from new bank loans |  | 170,000 | 600,000 |
| Repayment of bank loans |  | $(320,000)$ | $(450,000)$ |
| Dividends paid |  | $(303,051)$ | $(2,322,710)$ |
| Finance costs paid |  | (522) | $(1,134)$ |
| Net cash used in financing activities |  | $(463,648)$ | $(2,111,661)$ |
| Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents |  | 109,485 | $(2,492,603)$ |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 1 July |  | 328,188 | 2,820,725 |
| Effect of foreign exchange rates changes |  | - | 66 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 30 June | 25 | 437,673 | 328,188 |

