## CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

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| OPERATING ACTIVITIES |  |  |
| Profit before taxation | 139,400,839 | 120,098,683 |
| Adjustments for: |  |  |
| Results attributable to associates | $(103,359,165)$ | (90,620,823) |
| Depreciation of property, plant and equipment | 3,733,765 | 3,045,031 |
| Amortisation of loan arrangement fees | 1,966,875 | 1,031,250 |
| Finance income | $(1,618,902)$ | (375,557) |
| Finance costs | 21,799,073 | 22,769,475 |
| Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment | 367,884 | - |
| Operating cash flows before movements in working capital | 62,290,369 | 55,948,059 |
| Decrease in hotel inventories | 89,643 | 192,706 |
| Increase in investments in securities | $(4,517,955)$ | - |
| Increase in trade and other receivables | $(2,000,066)$ | $(3,153,249)$ |
| Increase (decrease) in trade and other payables | 2,191,921 | $(294,398)$ |
| Decrease in amount due to an associate | $(5,723)$ | $(55,722)$ |
| Cash generated from operations | 58,048,189 | 52,637,396 |
| Hong Kong Profits Tax paid | $(825,806)$ | $(864,156)$ |
| Hong Kong Profits Tax refunded | - | 46,143 |
| NET CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES | 57,222,383 | 51,819,383 |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES |  |  |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | $(6,333,285)$ | $(2,611,896)$ |
| Increase in amounts due from associates | $(2,859,702)$ | $(4,580,314)$ |
| Increase in pledged fixed deposit | $(12,815)$ | $(4,252)$ |
| Finance income received | 1,618,902 | 375,557 |
| Dividend received from associates | - | 50,000 |
| NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES | $(7,586,900)$ | $(6,770,905)$ |


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| FINANCING ACTIVITIES |  |  |
| Repayment of loans and advances | (739,704,980) | (155,076,473) |
| Interests paid | $(18,078,570)$ | $(22,915,126)$ |
| Loan arrangement fees paid | $(4,200,000)$ | - |
| Dividend paid | $(2,008,130)$ | $(1,857,133)$ |
| Finance charges paid | $(288,037)$ | $(282,263)$ |
| Share issue expenses | $(339,903)$ | $(206,794)$ |
| New loans raised | 700,000,000 | 150,000,000 |
| Advance from an associate | 3,272,476 | 3,711,068 |
| NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES | $(61,347,144)$ | $(26,626,721)$ |
| NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | $(11,711,661)$ | 18,421,757 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF THE YEAR | 34,982,060 | 16,560,303 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE YEAR | 23,270,399 | 34,982,060 |
| ANALYSIS OF THE BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS |  |  |
| Bank balances and cash | 23,270,399 | 35,236,746 |
| Bank overdrafts | - | $(254,686)$ |
|  | 23,270,399 | 34,982,060 |

