Definitions

The following terms and expressions contained in this report shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the meanings assigned to them as follows:

Company : Anhui Conch Cement Company Limited

Group : Anhui Conch Cement Company Limited and its subsidiaries

Conch Holdings : Anhui Conch Holdings Company Limited

Directors : Directors of the Company

Reporting Period : The period from 1 January 2005 to 31 December 2005

Clinker : The semi-finished products made in the process of cement

H Shares : The foreign shares in the capital of the Company, which are listed on The

Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, with a nominal value of RMB1.00 per share and which are subscribed for and are traded in Hong Kong

currency

Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

PRC : The People's Republic of China

RMB : Renminbi