## Directors' Report

The Board of directors (the "Board") of AMS Public Transport Holdings Limited (the "Company") is pleased to present their annual report together with the audited financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") to the shareholders for the year ended 31 March 2006.

## **Principal activities**

The Company is an investment holding company and its subsidiaries are principally engaged in the operation of green minibus routes and the provision of public light bus ("PLB") related services in Hong Kong. Particulars of the Company's subsidiaries are set out in note 20 to the financial statements.

#### Results and dividends

The results of the Group for the year are set out in the consolidated income statement on page 37. The Directors recommend the payment of a final dividend of HK9.0 cents per ordinary share and a special dividend of HK4.0 cents per ordinary share (2005: final dividend of HK12.0 cents) in respect of the year, to shareholders on the register of members on 17 August 2006.

#### Reserves

Movements in the reserves of the Group and of the Company during the year are set out in note 28 to the financial statements.

#### **Donations**

Charitable donations made by the Group during the year amounted to HK\$72,000 (2005: HK\$436,000).

#### Property, plant and equipment

Details of the movements in property, plant and equipment of the Group are set out in note 16 to the financial statements.

### **Principal subsidiaries**

Particulars of the Company's principal subsidiaries as at 31 March 2006 are set out in note 20 to the financial statements.

### Bank loans and overdrafts

The bank loans and overdrafts of the Company are shown in notes 23 to the financial statements.

#### **Share capital**

Details of the movements in share capital of the Company are set out in note 26 to the financial statements.

### Distributable reserves

Distributable reserves of the Company at 31 March 2006 amounted to HK\$127,933,000 (2005: HK\$127,730,000).

### Five year financial summary

A summary of the results and of the assets and liabilities of the Group for the last five financial years is set out on page 66.

#### **Directors**

The directors during the year and up to the date of this report are:

#### **Executive Directors:**

Mr. Wong Man Kit

Ms. Ng Sui Chun

Mr. Chan Man Chun

Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent

#### **Independent non-executive Directors:**

Dr. Leung Chi Keung Dr. Lee Peng Fei, Allen

Mr. Lam Wai Keung

In accordance with Article 87(1) of the Company's Articles of Association, Mr. Chan Man Chun, Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent, Dr. Leung Chi Keung, Dr. Lee Peng Fei, Allen and Mr. Lam Wai Keung retire and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting. The three Independent Non-Executive Directors of the Company were appointed for periods of three years starting from 2004. Pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules"), the Company had received the annual confirmation of the independence from the three Independent Non-Executive Directors and the Company considered the Independent Non-Executive Directors to be independent.

#### **Directors' service contracts**

Except for the service contract of Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent which commenced from 16 October 2004, each of the Executive Directors has a service contract with the Company commencing from 22 March 2004. All of these contracts cover an initial term of three years, and will continue thereafter until terminated by either party giving to the other not less than six month's written notice expiring not earlier than the date of expiry of the initial term. All Independent Non-Executive Directors are appointed on a term of three years.

None of the directors who are proposed for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting has a service contract with the Company which is not determinable within one year without payment of compensation, other than statutory compensation.

The remuneration of the Directors and the details of the five highest-paid individuals of the Company are set out in note 15 to the financial statements.

#### Directors' interests in contracts

For the year ended 31 March 2006, some of the Directors had interests in the following contracts with the Group:

- (i) Mr. Wong Man Kit, Ms. Ng Sui Chun and Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent, all being executive Directors, were indirectly interested in a minibus leasing agreement entered between Gurnard Holdings Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, as lessee and Maxson Transportation Limited ("Maxson"), Hong Kong & China Transportation Consultants Limited ("HKCT") and Glory Success Transportation Limited ("Glory Success") as lessors. The lessors are beneficially owned and controlled by the major shareholders, the Wong Family;
- (ii) A subsidiary of the Company entered a contract with Mr. Chan Man Chun, an executive Director of the Company, to purchase a motor vehicle at a consideration of HK\$17,000; and
- (iii) A subsidiary of the Company entered a contract with a related company owned by Mr. Wong Man Kit and Ms. Ng Sui Chun to dispose a motor vehicle at a consideration of HK\$170,000.

Save as aforesaid, none of the Directors had any material interest, whether directly or indirectly, in any contract of significance to the business of the Group to which the Company, or any of its subsidiaries was a party during the year.

#### Directors' interests in shares

#### Directors' interests in the shares and underlying shares of the Company and its associated corporations

As at 31 March 2006, the interests and short positions of the Directors in the shares and underlying shares of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of the Securities and Futures Ordinance ("SFO")) which as recorded in the register required to be kept under Section 352 of Part XV of the SFO or notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Companies (the "Model Code"), were as follows:

	Name of Director	Long position/ Short position	Capacity	Nature of interest	Number of ordinary shares held	Approximate Percentage of share holding		
(1)	AMS Public Transport Holdings Limited							
	Mr. Wong Man Kit (Note a)	Long position	Founder of a discretionary trust	Other	146,070,000	64.21%		
		Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	2,000,000	0.88%		
		Long position	Spouse of Ms. Ng Sui Chun	Family	8,324,000	3.66%		
	Ms. Ng Sui Chun (Notes a & b)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	146,070,000	64.21%		
		Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	8,324,000	3.66%		
		Long position	Spouse of Mr. Wong Man Kit	Family	2,000,000	0.88%		
	Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent (Note a)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	146,070,000	64.21%		
		Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	2,000,000	0.88%		
	Mr. Chan Man Chun	Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	3,320,000	1.46%		
		Long position	Spouse of Ms. Chan Lai Ling	Family	200,000	0.09%		
	Dr. Lee Peng Feng, Allen	Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	300,000	0.13%		
	Dr. Leung Chi Keung	Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	300,000	0.13%		
(2)	Skyblue Group Limited							
	Mr. Wong Man Kit (Note a)	Long position	Founder of a discretionary trust	Other	2	100%		
	Ms. Ng Sui Chun (Notes a & b)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	2	100%		
	Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent (Note a)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	2	100%		
(3)	Metro Success Investments Limited							
	Mr. Wong Man Kit (Note a)	Long position	Founder of a discretionary trust	Other	100	100%		
	Ms. Ng Sui Chun (Notes a & b)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	100	100%		
	Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent (Note a)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	100	100%		

#### Directors' interests in shares (continued)

Directors' interests in the shares and underlying shares of the Company and its associated corporations (continued)

		Long position/		Nature of	Number of ordinary	Approximate Percentage of share	
	Name of Director	Short position	Capacity	interest	shares held	holding	
(4)	All Wealth Limited						
	Mr. Wong Man Kit (Note c)	Long position	Founder of a discretionary trust	Other	1	100%	
	Ms. Ng Sui Chun (Note b & c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	1	100%	
	Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent (Note c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	1	100%	
(5)	A.I. International Holdings Limited						
	Mr. Wong Man Kit (Note c)	Long position	Founder of a discretionary trust	Other	6	100%	
	Ms. Ng Sui Chun (Note b & c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	6	100%	
	Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent (Note c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	6	100%	
(6)	Maxson Transportation Limited						
	Mr. Wong Man Kit (Note c)	Long position	Founder of a discretionary trust	Other	180,000	60%	
	, ,	Long position	Spouse of  Ms. Ng Sui Chun	Family	30,000	10%	
	Ms. Ng Sui Chun (Notes b & c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	180,000	60%	
	(	Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	30,000	10%	
	Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent (Note c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	180,000	60%	
	,	Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	45,000	15%	
(7)	Hong Kong & China Transportation Consultants Limited						
	Mr. Wong Man Kit (Note c)	Long position	Founder of a discretionary trust	Other	6,000	60%	
		Long position	Spouse of  Ms. Ng Sui Chun	Family	1,000	10%	
	Ms. Ng Sui Chun (Notes b & c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	6,000	60%	
		Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	1,000	10%	
	Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent (Note c)	Long position	Beneficiary of a discretionary trust	Other	6,000	60%	
		Long position	Beneficial owner	Personal	1,500	15%	

## Notes:

- (a) As at 31 March 2006, a total of 146,070,000 shares of the Company were held by Skyblue Group Limited ("Skyblue"), which is a wholly owned subsidiary of Metro Success Investments Limited ("Metro Success"). Metro Success is a wholly owned subsidiary of JETSUN UT CO. LTD. ("JETSUN"), which is the trustee of The JetSun Unit Trust, of which 9,999 units are owned by HSBC International Trustee Limited ("HSBCITL") as the trustee of The JetSun Trust and the remaining 1 unit is owned by Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent. The entire issued share capital of JETSUN is owned by HSBCITL. Mr. Wong Man Kit is the settlor of The JetSun Trust, which is a discretionary trust and its discretionary objects include Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent and Ms. Ng Sui Chun.
- (b) Ms. Ng Sui Chun is one of the discretionary objects of the discretionary trust as mentioned in Note (a) above and she personally held long position of 8,324,000 shares of the Company as at 31 March 2006.
- (c) All Wealth Limited ("All Wealth"), A.I. International Holdings Limited ("AllH"), Maxson and HKCT (collectively "Associated Corporations") are associated corporations within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO of the Company by virtue of Metro Success's interests in the entire issued share capital of each of the Associated Corporations. Mr. Wong Man Kit, being the settlor of The JetSun Trust, and Ms. Ng Sui Chun and Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent, being the discretionary objects of The JetSun Trust, are deemed to be interested in all the Associated Corporations.

#### Directors' interests in shares (continued)

#### Directors' interests in the shares and underlying shares of the Company and its associated corporations (continued)

Save as disclosed herein and other than certain shares in subsidiaries held as nominees by certain directors of the Group, none of the directors and their associates has any interests or short positions in any shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any associated corporations (within the meaning of the SFO) as recorded in the register to be kept under section 352 of Part XV of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

### Biographical details of directors and senior management

Brief biographical details of directors and senior management are set out on page 24 to 25.

#### Management contracts

No contracts concerning the management and administration of the whole or any substantial part of the business of the Company were entered into or existed during the year.

#### Share option scheme

Pursuant to the written resolution passed by all shareholders of the Company on 22 March 2004, the share option scheme ("Share Option Scheme") was adopted by the Company.

#### **Summary of the Share Option Scheme**

- (a) Purpose of the Share Option Scheme

  The purpose of the Share Option Scheme is to enable the Group to grant options to selected participants as incentives for their contribution to the Group.
- (b) Participants of the Share Option Scheme
  Pursuant to the Share Option Scheme, the Directors may, at their absolute discretion, invite any person belonging to any of the following classes of participants, to take up options to subscribe for Shares:
  - (i) any employee or proposed employee (whether full-time or part-time and including any executive director), consultants or advisers of or to the Company, any of its subsidiaries or any entity ("Invested Entity") in which the Group holds an equity interest;
  - (ii) any non-executive directors (including independent non-executive directors) of the Company, any of its subsidiaries or any Invested Entity;
  - (iii) any supplier of goods or services to any member of the Group or any Invested Entity;
  - (iv) any customer of the Group or any Invested Entity;
  - (v) any person or entity that provides research, development or other technological support to the Group or any Invested Entity; and
  - (vi) any shareholder of any member of the Group or any Invested Entity or any holder of any securities issued by any member of the Group or any Invested Entity,

and for the purpose of the Share Option Scheme, the options may be granted to any company wholly owned by one or more persons belonging to any of the above classes of participants. The basis of eligibility of any of the above classes of participants to the grant of any options shall be determined by the Directors from time to time on the basis of the relevant participants' contribution to the development and growth of the Group.

### Share options scheme (continued)

#### Summary of the share option scheme (continued)

(c) Total number of shares available for issue under the Share Option Scheme

The total number of Shares which may be issued upon exercise of all outstanding options (excluding, for this purpose, options which have lapsed in accordance with the terms of the Share Option Scheme and any other share option scheme of the Company) to be granted under the Share Option Scheme and any other share option scheme of the Company must not in aggregate exceed 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of the approval of the limit. The Scheme Mandate Limit under the Share Option Scheme was refreshed and renewed by ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders at an extraordinary general meeting held on 25 July 2005 which enabled the grant of further share options to subscribe up to 22,750,000 shares (the "Scheme Mandate Limit") representing 10% of the shares in issue as at the said date and at the date of this report.

The Company may seek approval of its shareholders in general meeting to refresh the Scheme Mandate Limit subject to requirements under Chapter 17 of the Listing Rules provided that the total number of shares which may be issued upon exercise of all options to be granted under the Share Option Scheme under the limit as "refreshed" must not exceed 10% of the shares in issue as at the date of approval of the limit. The maximum number of shares which may be issued upon exercise of all outstanding options granted and yet to be exercised under the Share Option Scheme and any other share option scheme of the Company must not exceed 30% of the issued share capital of the Company from time to time.

- (d) Maximum entitlement of each participant
  - Unless approved by shareholders of the Company, the total number of shares issued and to be issued upon exercise of the options granted to each participant (including both exercised and outstanding options) in any 12-month period must not exceed 1% of the Shares in issue.
- (e) Time of exercise of options
  - An option may be exercised in accordance with the terms of the Share Option Scheme at any time during a period to be determined and notified by the Directors to each grantee, which period may commence on a day upon which the offer for the grant of the option is accepted but shall end in any event not later than 10 years from the date of grant of the option subject to the provisions for early termination set out in the Share Option Scheme.
- (f) Minimum period for which an option must be held before it can be exercised The Directors will have the absolute discretion to fix the minimum period for which an option must be held before it can be exercised.
- (g) Payment on acceptance of option
  - Pursuant to the Share Option Scheme, a nominal consideration of HK\$1.00 is payable on acceptance of the grant of an option.
- (h) Basis of determining the subscription price
  - The subscription price of a Share in respect of any particular option granted under the Share Option Scheme shall be such price as the Board in its absolute discretion shall determine, save that such price will not be less than the highest of (i) the nominal value of the Shares, (ii) the average of the closing price of the Shares as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheet for the five consecutive trading days immediately preceding the date of grant of the option; and (iii) the closing price of the Shares as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheet on the date of grant of the option (which must be a trading day).
- (i) Remaining life of the Share Option Scheme
  - The Share Option Scheme will continue to be in full force and effect until 14 April 2014 (i.e. 10 years commencing on the date on which the Share Option Scheme becomes unconditional) unless terminated by the Company by resolution in general meeting. After termination, no further options will be offered but options granted prior to such termination shall continue to be valid and exercisable in accordance with the provisions of the Share Option Scheme.

### **Outstanding share options**

Details of the outstanding options of the Company as at 31 March 2006 which have been granted under the Share Option Scheme are as follows:

	Outstanding at	Number of share options granted during	Number of share options exercised during	Number of share options lapsed	Outstanding at
Name of Directors	1 April 2005	the year	the year	during the year	31 March 2006
Category 1: Directors (Note 1)					
Mr. Wong Man Kit	2,000,000	-	-	_	2,000,000
Ms. Ng Sui Chun	2,000,000	-	-	-	2,000,000
Mr. Chan Man Chun	2,000,000	-	-	-	2,000,000
Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent	2,000,000	_	_	-	2,000,000
Dr. Lee Peng Feng, Allen	300,000	_	_	-	300,000
Dr. Leung Chi Keung	300,000	_	_	-	300,000
Total Directors	8,600,000	-	-	-	8,600,000
Category 2: Employees (Note 2)	4,450,000	-	-	(120,000)	4,330,000
Total all categories	13,050,000	-	-	(120,000)	12,930,000
Total all categories	13,030,000			(120,000)	12,73

#### Notes:

- (1) The exercise price is HK\$1.57 per share and the option period during which the options may be exercised is from 9 November 2004 to 7 November 2014. The date of grant was 8 November 2004, and the closing price of share immediately before the date of grant was HK\$1.56. The options were vested on 8 November 2004 and was exercisable in the next business day on 9 November 2004 and up to 7 November 2014.
- (2) A total of 4,450,000 options were granted to employees on 8 November 2004. Out of the balance, 2,450,000 options were to be vested in five equal tranches on 8 November 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008. The first tranche vested on 8 November 2004 was exercisable in the next business day on 9 November 2004 and up to 7 November 2014. The second, third, fourth and fifth tranches were exercisable when vested and exercisable up to 7 November 2014. The remaining 2,000,000 options were vested on 8 November 2004 and was exercisable in the next business day on 9 November 2004 and up to 7 November 2014.
- (3) The exercise price is HK\$1.57 per share and the date of grant was 8 November 2004, and the closing price of share immediately before the date of grant was HK\$1.56. No option was exercised during the year ended 31 March 2006 but 120,000 options were lapsed upon the retirement of a grantee who was the employee of the Group.

In respect of the disclosure of value of options and the accounting policy adopted for the options, please refer to the note 27 to the financial statements.

### Major customers and suppliers

The five largest customers of the Group accounted for less than 30% of the Group's total turnover for the year ended 31 March 2006.

The percentages of purchases for the year attributable to the Group's major suppliers are as follows:

#### **Purchases**

– the largest supplier	11.7%	(2005: 10%)
- five largest suppliers combined	40.6%	(2005: 39%)

Mr. Wong Man Kit, Ms. Ng Sui Chun and Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent, the Directors of the Company, are the directors and beneficial shareholders of the Group's second to fourth largest suppliers.

#### Connected transactions

Significant related party transactions entered by the Group during the year ended 31 March 2006, which also constitute connected transactions under the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), required to be disclosed in accordance with Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules, are as follows:

	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Continuing: PLB hire charges paid to related companies (note a) Agency fee income received from related companies (note a)	52,158 2,171	47,084 2,149
Discontinued: Purchase of a motor vehicle from a Director (note b) Disposal of a motor vehicle to a related company (note c)	17 170	-

#### Notes:

(a) Pursuant to the Minibus Leasing Agreement (the "Original Minibus Leasing Agreement") and Minibus Service Agreement dated 22 March 2004, the public light bus ("PLB") hire charges, after deduction of the agency fee, payable to Maxson, HKCT and Glory Success would constitute continuing connected transactions for the Company.

In compliance with the conditional waivers granted to the Company by the Stock Exchange from strict compliance with the announcement and shareholders' approval requirements under Rule 14A.42(3) of the Listing Rules in respect of the foregoing connected transactions, the directors including the Independent Non-Executive Directors of the Company have reviewed and confirmed that:

- 1. the foregoing continuing connected transactions with HKCT, Maxson and Glory Success were entered into:
  - (a) in the ordinary and usual course of the Group's business;
  - (b) either on normal commercial terms or on terms no less favourable to the Group than terms available to or from independent third parties; and
  - (c) in accordance with the respective agreements on terms that are fair and reasonable and in the interests of the shareholders of the Company as a whole;
- 2. the aggregate amount for the year ended 31 March 2006 payable by the Group under the Original Minibus Leasing Agreement, after deduction of the agency fee, did not exceed HK\$60,000,000 (the "Cap Amount") in accordance to the waivers previously granted by the Stock Exchange.

In accordance with paragraph 14A.38 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, the Board of Directors engaged the auditors of the Company to perform certain factual finding procedures on the above continuing connected transaction on a sample basis in accordance with Hong Kong Standard on Related Services 4400 "Engagements to Perform Agreed-Upon Procedures Regarding Financial Information" issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The auditors have reported their factual findings for the selected samples based on the agreed procedures to the Board of Director.

The Original Minibus Leasing Agreement had been expired on 31 March 2006. On 8 February 2006, the Group conditionally entered into a new minibus leasing agreement with HKCT, Maxson and Glory Success ("New Minibus Leasing Agreement") for the further term of three years till 31 March 2009 with the same rental rate as the Original Minibus Leasing Agreement. The new annual cap for total amount rentals payable by the Group to HKCT, Maxson and Glory Success, after deduction of the agency fee, is HK\$74,000,000. The transactions under the New Minibus Leasing Agreement constitute non-exempt continuing connected transactions of the Company in accordance with Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules. An extraordinary shareholders' meeting had been held on 21 March 2006 and the resolutions of approving the New Minibus Leasing Agreement and the new cap amount had been passed. An announcement dated 8 February 2006 was published and a circular dated 2 March 2006 was sent to the shareholders.

- (b) On 30 November 2005, a subsidiary of the Company entered a contract with Mr. Chan Man Chun, an executive Director of the Company, to purchase a motor vehicle at a consideration of HK\$17,000 for the purpose of administrative use. The transaction was entered into in the ordinary and usual course of the Group's business and was at arm's length.
- (c) On 7 March 2006, a subsidiary of the Company entered a contract with a related company owned by the executive Directors Mr. Wong Man Kit and Ms. Ng Sui Chun to dispose a motor vehicle at a consideration of HK\$170,000. The transaction was entered into in the ordinary and usual course of the Group's business and was at arm's length.

## **Major Transaction**

The Company entered into a share purchase agreement with Praise Capital International Limited and Excel Strategy Limited on 9 January 2006 for the acquisition of 80% equity interest in Chinalink Express Holdings Limited. The transaction was completed on 30 May 2006. This transaction constituted a major transaction under the Listing Rules of the Stock Exchange in respect of which an announcement dated 11 January 2006 was published and a circular dated 30 May 2006 was sent to shareholders.

#### Substantial shareholders

As at 31 March 2006, the following persons (other than the Directors of the Company) who have interests or short positions in the shares and underlying shares as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO:

Name of Shareholder	Number of shares/ underlying shares held	Percentage	
HSBCITL	(Note a)	160,020,000	70.34%
JETSUN	(Note a)	146,070,000	64.21%
Metro Success	(Note a)	146,070,000	64.21%
Skyblue	(Note a)	146,070,000	64.21%
Cheah Cheng Hye ("CCH")	(Note c)	20,612,000	9.06%
Value Partners Limited ("VPL")	(Note c)	20,612,000	9.06%
Value Partners High-Dividend Stocks Fund ("VP-HDSF")	(Note c)	20,612,000	9.06%
Bermuda Trust (Cook Islands) Limited ("BTL")	(Note b)	13,500,000	5.93%
The Seven International Holdings Limited ("SIHL")	(Note b)	13,500,000	5.93%
The Seven Capital Limited ("SCL")	(Note b)	13,500,000	5.93%

#### Notes:

- (a) As at 31 March 2006, a total of 146,070,000 shares were held by Skyblue, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Metro Success, which in turn is a wholly owned subsidiary of JETSUN. JETSUN is the trustee of The JetSun Unit Trust, of which 9,999 units are owned by HSBCITL as the trustee of The JetSun Trust and the remaining 1 unit is owned by Mr. Wong Ling Sun, Vincent. The entire issued share capital of JETSUN is owned by HSBCITL.
- (b) As at 31 March 2006, these shares are held by SCL, a wholly owned subsidiary of SIHL, which in turn is a wholly owned subsidiary of BTL. BTL is accustomed and obliged to act in accordance with the discretions or instructions of HSBCITL.
- (c) As at 31 March 2006, these shares are held by VP- HDSF. Its investment manager is VPL, which in turn is controlled by CCH.

All the interests disclosed above represent long position in the shares of the Company.

Save as disclosed herein, the Company has not been notified of any other person (other than a director and chief executive of the Company) who has an interest or a short position in the shares and underlying shares as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO as at 31 March 2006.

#### Model code for securities transactions by Directors (the "Model Code")

The Company has adopted codes of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors (the "Securities Code") and relevant employees on terms no less exacting than the required standard set out in the Model Code contained in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules throughout the year ended 31 March 2006. The Company had also made specific enquiries of all Directors and the Company was not aware of any non-compliance with the required standard of dealings set out in the Model Code and its code of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors.

## Sufficiency of public float

Based on information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of its Directors, the Directors confirm that the Company has maintained the amount of public float as required by the Listing Rules at the date of the annual report.

#### **Audit committee**

The Company has an audit committee which was established in accordance with the requirements of the Code and "A Guide for The Formation of An Audit Committee" published by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The primary duties of the audit committee are to review and supervise the financial reporting process and internal control system of the Group. The committee comprises the three independent non-executive directors of the Company and one of them possesses professional qualification in accounting. An audit committee meeting has been held on 12 July 2006 to review the Group's annual financial statements and annual results announcement and to provide advice and recommendations to the board of directors of the Company.

### Pre-emptive rights

There is no provision for pre-emptive rights under the Company's articles of association and there was no restriction against such rights under the laws of Cayman Islands, which would oblige the Company to offer new shares on a pro-rata basis to existing shareholders.

### Purchase, sale or redemption of the Company's listed securities

During the year ended 31 March 2006, neither the Company nor any of the subsidiaries has purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities.

#### **Auditors**

The financial statements have been audited by PricewaterhouseCoopers who retire and, being eligible, offer themselves for reappointment.

By Order of the Board

Wong Man Kit

Chairman

Hong Kong, 12 July 2006