

Consolidated Income Statement

for the year ended 31 March 2006

	Notes	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000 (restated)
Turnover	7	2,556,572	2,524,508
Cost of sales		(2,419,821)	(2,405,599)
Gross profit		136,751	118,909
Other income		74,817	97,934
General and administrative expenses		(155,548)	(175,623)
Finance costs	8	(15,002)	(3,279)
Gain on disposal of a subsidiary		–	5,430
Share of results of jointly controlled entities		21,219	16,430
Profit before taxation	9	62,237	59,801
Taxation	11	(6,967)	(8,321)
Profit for the year		55,270	51,480
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the parent		56,525	51,630
Minority interests		(1,255)	(150)
		55,270	51,480
Dividends paid	12	16,753	28,753
Earnings per share			
– basic	13	7.6 cents	7.0 cents
– diluted		7.6 cents	7.0 cents