NOTICE OF PAYMENT OF INTERIM DIVIDEND

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The board of directors (the "Board" or the "Directors") declared the payment of an interim dividend of HK\$0.04 per share ("Dividend") for the Period (2005: HK\$0.05), amounting to approximately HK\$56.5 million (2005: HK\$56.1 million). The Dividend will be paid on 8th February, 2007 (Thursday) to shareholders whose names appear on Register of Members of the Company on 25th January, 2007 (Thursday).

CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS

The Register of Members of the Company will be closed, for the purpose of determining shareholders' entitlement to the Dividend, from 24th January, 2007 (Wednesday) to 25th January, 2007 (Thursday) (both days inclusive), during which period no share transfer will be effected.

In order to qualify for the Dividend, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Share Registrar in Hong Kong, Secretaries Limited, at 26th Floor, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong for registration no later than 4:00 p.m. on 23rd January, 2007 (Tuesday).