CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

| | | 2006 | Restated 2005 |
|--|-------|----------------|---------------|
| For the year ended 31 December | Notes | 2006 HK\$'m | HK\$'m |
| | Notes | · | |
| Interest income | | 40,271 | 26,177 |
| Interest expense | | (24,436) | (13,053) |
| Net interest income | 5 | 15,835 | 13,124 |
| Fees and commission income | | 4,985 | 4,006 |
| Fees and commission expenses | | (1,268) | (1,061) |
| Net fees and commission income | 6 | 3,717 | 2,945 |
| Net trading income | 7 | 1,888 | 1,446 |
| Net loss on investments in securities | 8 | (5) | (96) |
| Net insurance premium income | 9 | 6,195 | 3,630 |
| Other operating income | 10 | 334 | 487 |
| Total operating income | | 27,964 | 21,536 |
| Net insurance benefits and claims | 11 | (6,655) | (3,362) |
| Net operating income before loan impairment allowances | | 21,309 | 18,174 |
| Reversal of loan impairment allowances | 12 | 1,790 | 2,645 |
| Net operating income | | 23,099 | 20,819 |
| Operating expenses | 13 | (6,558) | (5,771) |
| Operating profit | | 16,541 | 15,048 |
| Net (loss)/gain from disposal/revaluation of | | 10,541 | 13,040 |
| properties, plant and equipment | 14 | (12) | 50 |
| Net gain from disposal of/fair value adjustments on | 1-7 | (12) | 30 |
| investment properties | 15 | 605 | 1,400 |
| Share of profits less losses of associates | 34 | 5 | 4 |
| Profit before taxation | | 17,139 | 16,502 |
| Taxation | 16 | (2,855) | (2,646) |
| | 10 | | |
| Profit for the year | | 14,284 | 13,856 |
| Attributable to: | | | |
| Equity holders of the Company | | 14,007 | 13,596 |
| Minority interests | | 277 | 260 |
| | | 14,284 | 13,856 |
| Dividends | 18 | 8,966 | 8,543 |
| | | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Earnings per share for profit attributable to the | | • | |
| equity holders of the Company | 19 | 1.3248 | 1.2859 |

The notes on pages 93 to 180 are an integral part of these financial statements.