## Financial Summary

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## RESULTS

|                                                                                 |       | 2006                | For the yea<br>2005 | 2004 (restated)     | December<br>2003<br>(restated) | 2002<br>(restated) |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|
|                                                                                 | Note  | \$'000              | \$'000              | \$'000              | \$'000                         | \$'000             |
| Turnover                                                                        |       | 1,221,254           | 921,217             | 681,875             | 1,525,807                      | 1,783,020          |
| Profit from operations<br>Net non-operating                                     |       | 110,794             | 80,369              | 75,279              | 72,949                         | 111,231            |
| income<br>Net valuation gains on                                                |       | _                   | 59,746              | 76,306              | 35,659                         | 17,177             |
| investment properties<br>Finance costs<br>Share of profits less                 |       | 23,123<br>(2,906)   | 20,497<br>(396)     | 14,287<br>(547)     | (7,664)                        | (12,045)           |
| losses of associates                                                            |       | 19,259              | 20,315              | 25,477              | 22,274                         | 10,422             |
| Profit before taxation<br>Income tax                                            |       | 150,270<br>(23,476) | 180,531<br>(736)    | 190,802<br>(28,536) | 123,218<br>(15,831)            | 126,785<br>(9,593) |
| Profit for the year from<br>continuing operations<br>Loss from discontinued     |       | 126,794             | 179,795             | 162,266             | 107,387                        | 117,192            |
| operations                                                                      |       |                     |                     | (9,674)             |                                |                    |
| Profit for the year                                                             |       | 126,794             | 179,795             | 152,592             | 107,387                        | 117,192            |
| Attributable to:<br>Equity shareholders of<br>the Company<br>Minority interests |       | 121,320<br>5,474    | 175,759<br>4,036    | 146,616<br>5,976    | 102,762<br>4,625               | 115,509<br>1,683   |
| Profit for the year                                                             |       | 126,794             | 179,795             | 152,592             | 107,387                        | 117,192            |
| Earnings per share<br>Basic                                                     | (iii) | 13.5 cents          | 19.5 cents          | 16.3 cents          | 11.4 cents                     | 12.8 cents         |
| Diluted                                                                         |       | 13.5 cents          | N/A                 | N/A                 | 11.2 cents                     | 12.3 cents         |
| Dividend per share<br>Interim dividend declared<br>the year                     |       | 1.5 cents           | _                   | _                   | _                              | _                  |
| Final dividend proposed<br>after the balance sheet<br>date                      |       | 2.0 cents           | 1.5 cents           |                     | _                              |                    |

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## **ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**

|                                       | As at 31 December |          |            |            |            |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|------------|------------|------------|--|--|
|                                       | 2006              | 2005     | 2004       | 2003       | 2002       |  |  |
|                                       |                   |          | (restated) | (restated) | (restated) |  |  |
|                                       | \$'000            | \$'000   | \$'000     | \$'000     | \$'000     |  |  |
|                                       |                   |          |            |            |            |  |  |
| Fixed assets                          | 805,781           | 434,406  | 370,808    | 363,411    | 394,710    |  |  |
| Interest in associates                | 182,434           | 176,003  | 169,689    | 154,978    | 151,264    |  |  |
| Negative goodwill                     | —                 | —        | _          | (17,246)   | (18,693)   |  |  |
| Other non-current assets              | —                 | 46       | 202        | 4,318      | 6,843      |  |  |
| Net current assets                    | 144,383           | 380,978  | 254,835    | 126,507    | 73,049     |  |  |
| Total assets less current liabilities | 1,132,598         | 991,433  | 795,534    | 631,968    | 607,173    |  |  |
| Non-current liabilities               | (21,687)          | (12,217) | (9,833)    | (9,335)    | (92,186)   |  |  |
|                                       | 1,110,911         | 979,216  | 785,701    | 622,633    | 514,987    |  |  |
|                                       |                   |          |            |            |            |  |  |
| Share capital                         | 450,792           | 450,792  | 901,583    | 901,583    | 899,833    |  |  |
| Reserves                              | 622,477           | 499,090  | (140,668)  | (299,334)  | (404,969)  |  |  |
| Total equity attributable to equity   |                   |          |            |            |            |  |  |
| shareholders of the Company           | 1,073,269         | 949,882  | 760,915    | 602,249    | 494,864    |  |  |
| Minority interests                    | 37,642            | 29,334   | 24,786     | 20,384     | 20,123     |  |  |
| Total equity                          | 1,110,911         | 979,216  | 785,701    | 622,633    | 514,987    |  |  |

Notes:

- (i) The HKICPA has issued a number of new and revised HKFRSs that are effective or available for early adoption for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2005. Figures for 2004 and 2005 have been adjusted for these new and revised policies. However, it is not practicable to restate earlier years for comparison purposes other than the presentation of share of associates' taxation and minority interests.
- (ii) Hong Kong Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 12 (revised) "Income taxes" was first effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2003. In order to comply with this revised statement, the Group adopted a new accounting policy for deferred tax in 2003. The new accounting policy has been adopted prospectively as the effect of this change in accounting policy is not material and, therefore, no comparative figures have been restated for earlier years.
- (iii) Earnings per share from 2002 to 2004 have been retrospectively adjusted for the share consolidation of every 10 issued and unissued shares into one new share which took place in December 2005.