

For the year ended 20th February 2007

		2007	2006 (Restated)
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Turnover	6	1,020,351	955,079
Interest income	8	987,351	930,325
Interest expense	9	(144,702)	(130,979)
Net interest income		842,649	799,346
Other operating income	10	115,875	112,212
Other income	11	18,819	4,690
Operating income		977,343	916,248
Operating expenses	12	(353,721)	(294,674)
Operating profit before impairment			
allowances		623,622	621,574
Impairment losses and impairment			
allowances	14	(303,058)	(315,965)
Share of results in associates		(814)	340
Profit before tax		319,750	305,949
Income tax expense	15	(53,054)	(53,966)
Profit for the year		266,696	251,983
Dividends	16	83,753	71,190
Earnings per share	17	63.69 cents	60.17 cents