

Consolidated Income Statement

For the year ended 31 December 2008

	NOTES	2008 HK\$'000	2007 HK\$'000 (restated)
Revenue	7	11,021,405	10,232,882
Contract costs		(9,877,768)	(9,089,599)
Other costs of sales		(234,244)	(312,606)
Gross profit		909,393	830,677
Investment income	9	33,469	99,700
Other income	10	44,518	30,167
Administrative expenses		(394,032)	(332,011)
Distribution and selling expenses		(17,796)	(10,719)
Other expenses		(2,847)	(29,919)
Reversal of impairment loss of properties held for sales		18,292	—
Impairment loss of investment properties		(2,977)	—
Impairment loss of available-for-sale investments		(6,735)	—
Share of profits of associates		9,445	8,788
Finance costs	11	(20,065)	(1,823)
Profit before tax		570,665	594,860
Income tax expense	14	(66,276)	(82,355)
Profit for the year	15	504,389	512,505
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the Company		489,321	453,664
Minority interests		15,068	58,841
		504,389	512,505
Dividends	16	199,875	104,132
Earnings per share	17		
Basic (HK cents)		20.06	20.53
Diluted (HK cents)		19.20	19.27