Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

Year ended 31 December 2008

	Notes	2008 HK\$'000	2007 HK\$'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit before tax		4,348,665	1,274,923
Adjustments for:			
Finance costs	7	388,964	320,416
Write-down of inventories to net realisable value	6	270,319	4,284
Impairment of receivables	6	9,529	10,865
Depreciation and amortisation	6	523,662	365,123
Loss on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment	6	8,384	1,122
Gain on partial disposal of a subsidiary	5	(3,368)	-
Loss on disposal of subsidiaries	6	_	1,917
Impairment of items of property, plant and equipment	6	16,222	56,846
Recognition of prepaid land premiums	6	11,840	10,201
Share of profits of associates		(133,403)	(269,568)
Interest income	5	(76,016)	(173,679)
Unrealised losses on derivative instruments	6	497,708	385,235
Unrealised losses/(gains)on forward currency contracts		6,154	(8,232)
Government grants	5	(690,999)	(269,372)
Equity-settled share option expense	30	16,312	6,647
		5,193,973	1,716,728
Decrease/(increase) in inventories		(1,666,806)	361,385
Increase in accounts and bills receivable		(202,449)	(417,364)
Decrease/(increase) in prepayments, deposits and other receivables		(822,895)	145,464
Increase in amounts due from fellow subsidiaries		(281,757)	(999,361)
Increase in amounts due from associates		(107,787)	(210,722)
Increase in amounts due from related companies		(28,379)	(7,886)
Decrease in derivative financial instruments		(418,864)	-
Decrease/(increase) in amount due from			
the ultimate holding company		(154,217)	15,215
Increase in amounts due from			
minority shareholders of subsidiaries		(41,881)	-
Increase in accounts and bills payable		505,130	493,827
Increase in other payables and accruals		96,225	276,171
Decrease in amounts due to fellow subsidiaries		(62,988)	(349,334)
Increase in amount due to the ultimate holding company		326,296	80,155
Decrease in amount due to the immediate holding company		105.446	(7,883)
Increase/(decrease) in amounts due to related companies		195,446	(392,596)
Increase/(decrease) in amounts due to associates		(10,775)	9,573
Increase/(decrease) in amounts due to		7.505	(4.206)
minority shareholders of subsidiaries		7,595	(4,286)
Government grants received		281,610	240,056
Cash generated from operations		2,807,477	949,142

Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

Year ended 31 December 2008

	Notes	2008 HK\$'000	2007 HK\$'000
Cash generated from operations		2,807,477	949,142
Interest received		76,016	42,356
Interest paid		(385,569)	(306,690)
Mainland China tax paid		(387,008)	(114,112)
Net cash inflow from operating activities		2,110,916	570,696
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Decrease/(increase) in pledged deposits		270,557	(257,555)
Acquisition of subsidiaries	32	(6,018)	_
Disposal of subsidiaries	33	-	731
Dividends from associates		27,334	14,853
Purchase of an available-for-sale investment			(6,265)
Proceeds from disposal of items of property, plant and equipment		31,882	18,547
Purchases of items of property, plant and equipment		(1,150,088)	(1,385,130)
Additions to prepaid land premiums		(47,887)	(45,917)
Government grants received		21,523	48,056
Additions to intangible assets		(23,451)	(5,639)
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(876,148)	(1,618,319)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Increase/(decrease) in amounts due to			
minority shareholders of subsidiaries		5,586	(319)
New bank loans		29,698,796	17,059,136
New other loans		234,000	471,167
Repayments of bank loans		(29,696,860)	(15,855,068)
Repayments of other loans		-	(1,614,529)
Capital contribution from a minority shareholder		-	4,141
Dividends paid to minority shareholders of subsidiaries		(13,524)	(6,242)
Proceeds from issue of shares		_	2,985,386
Share issue expenses		(0.422)	(158,834)
Interest paid		(8,432)	(19,984)
Interest received from subscription monies			131,323
Net cash inflow from financing activities		219,566	2,996,177
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		1,454,334	1,948,554
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		3,286,643	1,249,388
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes, net		153,458	88,701
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR		4,894,435	3,286,643
ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH			
EQUIVALENTS			
Cash and bank balances	25	3,728,613	2,323,193
Non-pledged time deposits with original maturity of less than			
three months when acquired	25	1,165,822	106,293
Liquid investments	24	-	857,157
		4,894,435	3,286,643
		,51 =,200	-,0,010