

Annual Report 2016



 $(A\ joint\ stock\ limited\ company\ incorporated\ in\ the\ People's\ Republic\ of\ China\ with\ limited\ liability)$ 

(Stock Code: 0958)

\* For identification purpose only

## **Overview**

The Company is committed to the investment, construction and operation of new energy projects. It focuses on developing and operating wind power projects while promoting synergistic growth of solar power and other renewable energies. The Company adheres to scientific development and rational business distribution. With operations of scaled wind farms and distributed wind farms, utilization of onshore and offshore wind resources, attention to both development and acquisition, the Company strives to improve its growth quality and efficiency and to continuously increase its profitability, competitiveness and sustainable development capabilities, so as to maintain its established position in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC") and to expand into international markets with a view to becoming an internationally competitive and premier renewable energy provider.

Since its establishment, the Company has been focusing on its mission of green power development and clean energy production. The Company places great emphasis on protecting and improving the environment and on fulfilling its social responsibilities, and strives to bring sustainable, stable and increasing returns to its shareholders.



# CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

Dear Shareholders,

In the past year, with strong support of our shareholders, the Company was committed to developing into a world-class new energy enterprise with international competitiveness and focused on improving development quality and efficiency by constantly adapting itself to new normal status, capturing new opportunities, overcoming new challenges and kicking off a good start for the "13th Five-Year Plan" period.

In 2016, the Company focused on improving the efficiency for its existing capacity and securing high efficiency for its newly installed capacity, maintaining a healthy development pattern of higher growth of power generation capacity than average growth of installed capacity and higher growth of profit than that of power generation capacity and revenue. The Company's profitability was further improved with its net profit attributable to equity shareholders reaching a record high. The Company adhered to the development philosophy of enhancing the three core competitiveness through strengthening preliminary development, infrastructure construction and production development as well as building of professional teams. Effective measurement was taken to further reduce construction costs and finance costs, which strengthened the risk management ability of the Company. The Company continued to optimize its marketing mechanism under new circumstances and proactively engaged in market transactions, becoming an industry leader in terms of power utilisation hours with its competitiveness significantly improved. In 2016, we focused on strengthening standardized management of various aspects and enhancing our soft power in a comprehensive manner, which steadily improved our image in the capital market and our industry position, thus effectively enhanced our sustainable development capacity.

Currently, it has become a global consensus to develop low-carbon and clean energy, cope with climate changes and promote green development. Energy transformation has become an irreversible development trend. The Chinese government is committed to adjusting energy structure by promoting energy transformation and upgrading, and has undertaken that the proportion of



non-fossil energy to total energy consumption will be increased to 15% by 2020. The Guiding Opinions on Guiding System for Setting Renewable Energy Development and Utilization Targets (《關於建立可再生能源開發利用目標引導制度的指導意見》) promulgated by the National Energy Administration specified that power generation capacity from renewable resources other than hydropower of each power generation enterprise shall account for more than 9% of the total power generation capacity by 2020; China will accelerate adjustment of its energy structure; and the new energy industry is still in a period with historical strategic opportunities. Meanwhile, adjustments of grid tariff will be carried out in the "13th Five-Year Plan" period to be in line with international standards, and the scope and scale of electricity related market transactions will gradually expand, which will lead to more intensified competition in the electricity market.

In the face of opportunities and challenges, the Board of the Company will carefully observe and analyze the external environment, and formulate effective operating and development strategies in light of the new situations, in order to continue to maximize the interests of shareholders; continue to improve its modern enterprise management system to optimize corporate management; comprehensively broaden its international vision, fully benchmark itself to world leading new energy enterprises, continue to consolidate its strengths and improve its weak points so as to improve its overall competitiveness; accelerate the pace of reform and innovation and make breakthroughs in development ideas, profit model, management mode and technical research and development, in an effort to strengthen development of the Company.

On behalf of the Board of the Company, I would like to extend our sincere gratitude to all of our shareholders, the public and our friends for their long-term care, trust and support. The Company will move forward at a steadier pace to achieve better performance and create sustained and greater return for our shareholders!



Dear Shareholders,

In 2016, under the leadership of the Board, the management and all employees of the Company worked together to vigorously improve the quality and efficiency of various businesses and promote reform and innovation in the Company. Fruitful achievements were made in its various activities with a record-high operating results, stronger competitiveness and improved market image, laying a solid foundation for the future development of the "13th Five-Year Plan" and for the goal of developing into a world-class new energy enterprise.

In the past year, the Company spared no efforts to strengthen safety production management, vigorously strengthened marketing design at the top-level and proactively carried out market transactions, making the Company an industry leader in terms of power utilisation hours. The Company also took effective measures to cut down costs, resulting in a year-on-year decrease in finance costs and newly-built projects costs. In addition, the Company actively reviewed and approved high quality projects, with the total approved capacity of 1,681.5 MW in wind power projects in 2016, in which projects in the Tier IV tariff regions accounting for 64%. The Company also strengthened project construction target assessment management, with an increase of 742.0 MW in the installed capacity. Efforts were stepped up to strengthen comprehensive budget management, bidding and tendering management, internal control and risk management, intensive regional management and investor relationship management, which further enhanced the Company's comprehensive strength. Through a series of measures covering production, operation and management, the Company's profitability and competitiveness continued to improve, hitting new record highs in its key operating data. The Company recorded revenue of RMB9.2386 billion in 2016, representing a year-on-year increase of 25.6%. Net profit attributable to equity shareholders amounted to RMB2.6589 billion, representing a year-on-year increase of 43.0%. Return on net assets (excluding interests held by non-controlling shareholders) was 14.0%, representing a year-on-year increase of 3.0 percentage points. The Company was granted the China Securities Golden Bauhinia Award for the third consecutive years and has received a number of

# PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT



major awards in several important capital market award campaigns such as the 5th Corporate Governance Asia Excellence Awards and the China Financial Market Awards for Listed Companies, which contributed to higher brand recognition in the capital market.

The year 2017 is not only an important year for the further penetration of supply-side structural reform, but also represents a critical year for the Company to build itself into a world-class new energy enterprise with international competitiveness. The Chinese government launched a series of positive renewable energy development programs recently, which further affirmed the unwavering commitment of the government to vigorously develop new energies, indicating a promising prospect for the industry. In the coming year, the management team of the Company will continue to implement various strategies formulated by the Board and, focusing on the operation and development goals for the year, make sustained efforts to improve production and management, further optimize business structure, refine management of infrastructure construction, effectively expand market transactions and continue to cut down costs and improve efficiency, so as to create better return for our shareholders.

Lastly, on behalf of the management and employees of the Company, I would like to extend our sincere gratitude to all of our shareholders and investors for their continuing support and trust!

# **Corporate Profile**



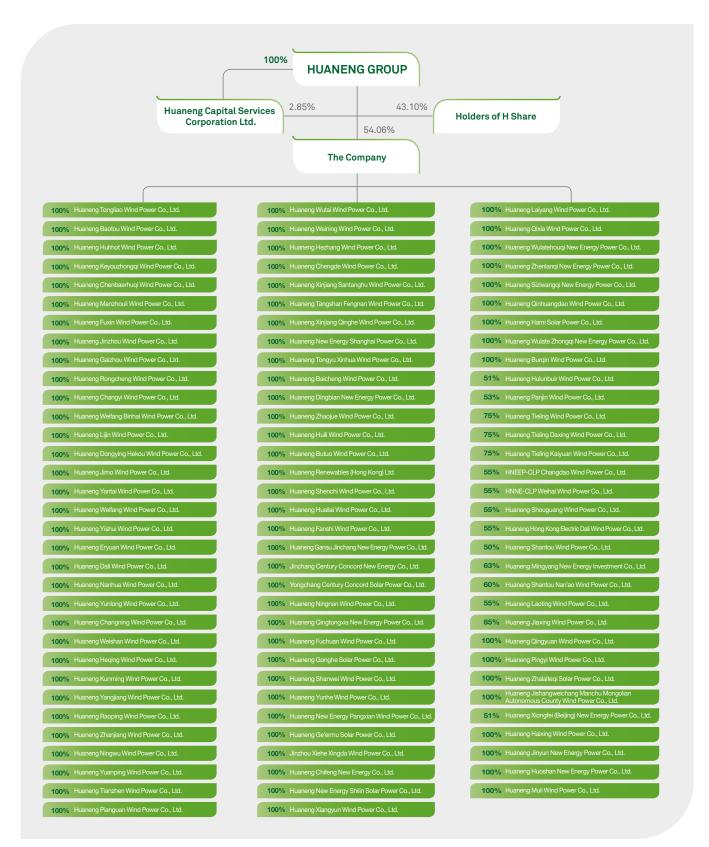
#### **CORPORATE INTRODUCTION**

The predecessor of Huaneng Renewables Corporation Limited (the "Company") is Huaneng New Energy Industrial Co., Ltd., which was established in November 2002. On 10 June 2011, the Company was successfully listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("Hong Kong Stock Exchange") with an aggregate of 8,446,898,000 shares in issue, and later in 2013 and 2014, 582,317,360 new H shares and 698,780,832 new H shares were issued respectively by way of non-public offering. As at the end of 2016, the total number of shares of the Company was 9,727,996,192 shares, of which China Huaneng Group ("Huaneng Group"), the controlling shareholder of the Company, directly and indirectly held 56.90% of the Company's total issued shares.

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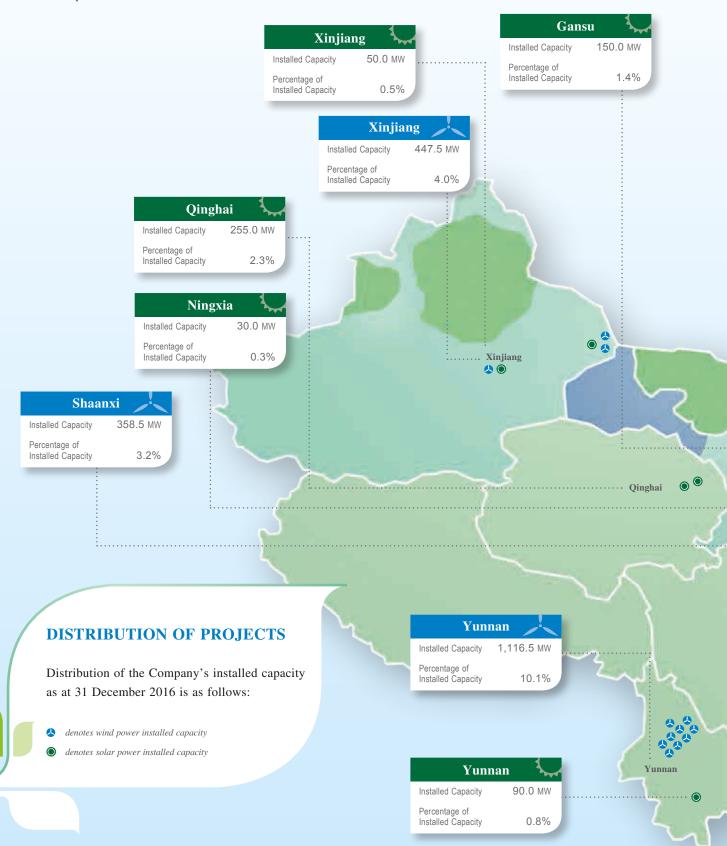
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#### **CORPORATE STRUCTURE**

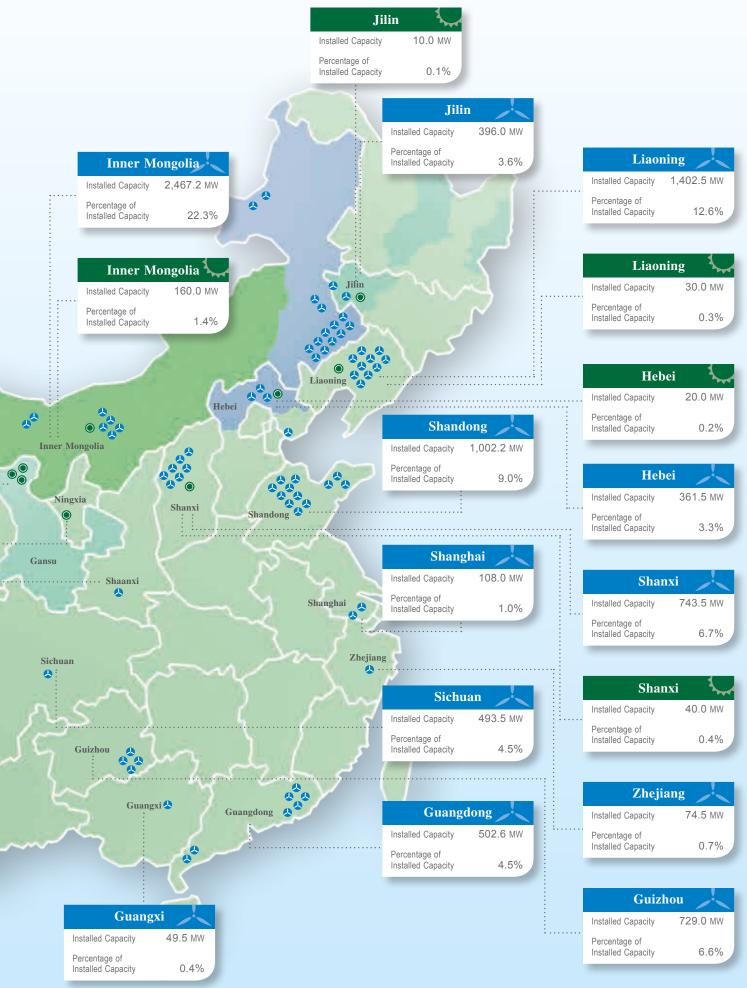


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Note: Percentage of the installed capacity represents the percentage ratio of the Company's installed capacity in each region to the total installed capacity of the Company (Due to rounding, the total percentage may not add up to 100%)



# Major Corporate Events in 2016

#### **January**

The Company was granted the "Best Investor Relationship Award" and the "Best CFO Award" in the campaign of "2015 China Financial Market Awards for Listed Companies" hosted by the financial magazine China Financial Market (《中國融資》) in Hong Kong.

The Company held the second session of the first staff representative meeting and 2016 work meeting to review its works in 2015, analyse the circumstances faced by the Company and study the plan for its work in 2016.

The Company successfully issued the first tranche of super shortterm debentures with an amount of RMB2 billion with the issuing interest rate of 2.9%.

#### **February**

The Company established the monthly announcement system for power generation disclosure, and issued the announcement on power generation for January 2016, announcing its power generation of 1,551,467.3 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 41.0%.



#### March

The Company announced its annual results for 2015, with net profit attributable to equity shareholders reaching RMB1,859.5 million, representing a year-onyear increase of 65.9%.

The Company held its 2015 annual results analyst/fund manager meeting and press conference in Hong Kong, and carried out its 2015 annual results roadshow afterwards.

The Company convened the 2016 Safety Production Meeting to summarise the safety production work in 2015, analyse the current safety production situation and make plan of safety production work in 2016.

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for February 2016, announcing its power generation of 1,217,614.0 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 27.0%.

#### April

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for March 2016, announcing its power generation of 1,833,349.4 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 20.7%.



#### May

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for April 2016, announcing its power generation of 2,044,013.1 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 32.4%.

#### June

Huaneng Yunnan Wuzipo Wind Farm relocated the dispatch center to Dali Centralised Control Center, making it the first wind power centralised control center of China Southern Power Grid with dispatch authorisation.

The "2016 Asian Excellence Awards" (2016年度亞洲卓越企業 大獎) award ceremony was hosted by the Corporate Governance Asia (《亞洲企業管治》) in Hong Kong. The Company was granted the "Best Environmental Responsibility Award" and the "Best Investor Relations Award", and Mr. LIN Gang, an Executive Director and President of the Company, received the award of "Asia's Best CEO".

The Company held its 2015 annual general meeting. Resolutions including the Work Report of the Board of Directors for 2015, Work Report of the Supervisory Committee for 2015, Financial Report for 2015 and Profit Distribution for 2015 were considered and passed.

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for May 2016, announcing its power generation of 2,247,131.8 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 43.4%.



#### July

The Company successfully issued the green corporate bonds with an amount of RMB1.14 billion with the coupon rate of 2.95%, which was 37.9% below the benchmark bank lending rate for the same term. The Company is among the first pilot state-owned enterprises to issue green bonds.

The Company held its 2016 midyear work meeting cum economic activities analysis meeting, and summarized its work in the first half of the year, analysed the circumstances faced by the Company and made work plan for the second half of the year.

The Company issued the announcements on power generation for June and the first half of 2016 respectively, announcing its gross power generation for the first half of the year of 10,337,282.8 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 31.0%.



#### October

The Company entered into the Cooperation Agreement regarding 6 MW Roof-top Photovoltaic Power Generation Project for BAIC Motor Powertrain Co., Ltd. (《北京汽車動力總成有限公司廠 房屋頂6 MW光伏發電項目合作協 議》) with BAIC Motor Corporation Limited and its subsidiary BAIC Motor Powertrain Co., Ltd., for which the relevant filing procedures have been completed. This project will become Huaneng's first distributed new energy project in Beijing, which will have great demonstration effect and influence.

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for September 2016, announcing its power generation of 1,106,800.2 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 22.5%.

#### **August**

The Company announced its interim results for 2016, with net profit attributable to equity shareholders of the Company reaching RMB1,806.9 million, representing a year-on-year increase of 59.4%.

The Company held its 2016 interim results analyst/fund manager meeting and press conference in Hong Kong, and carried out its 2016 interim results roadshow afterwards.

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for July 2016, announcing its power generation of 1,268,398.1 MWh, representing a yearon-year increase of 47.9%.



#### September

The Company successfully issued the second tranche of short-term debentures of 2016 with an amount of RMB1 billion with the coupon rate of 2.50%, which was 42.5% below the benchmark bank lending rate for the same term.

The 2016 Wind Power Generation Maintenance Skills Competition was hosted by Huaneng Group, with 43 participants from ten member companies of the Group participating in the competition. Two, five and seven of our participants obtained the first prize, second prize and third prize, respectively.

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for August 2016, announcing its power generation of 1,062,509.0 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 47.6%.

#### November

Mr. LIN Gang, Executive Director and President of the Company, was named the "Best CEO of Listed Company" in the 2016 China Securities Gold Bauhinia Award in Hong Kong. The Company received the "Best Listed Company Award".

The Company issued the announcement on power generation for October 2016, announcing its power generation of 1,793,127.5 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 28.9%.



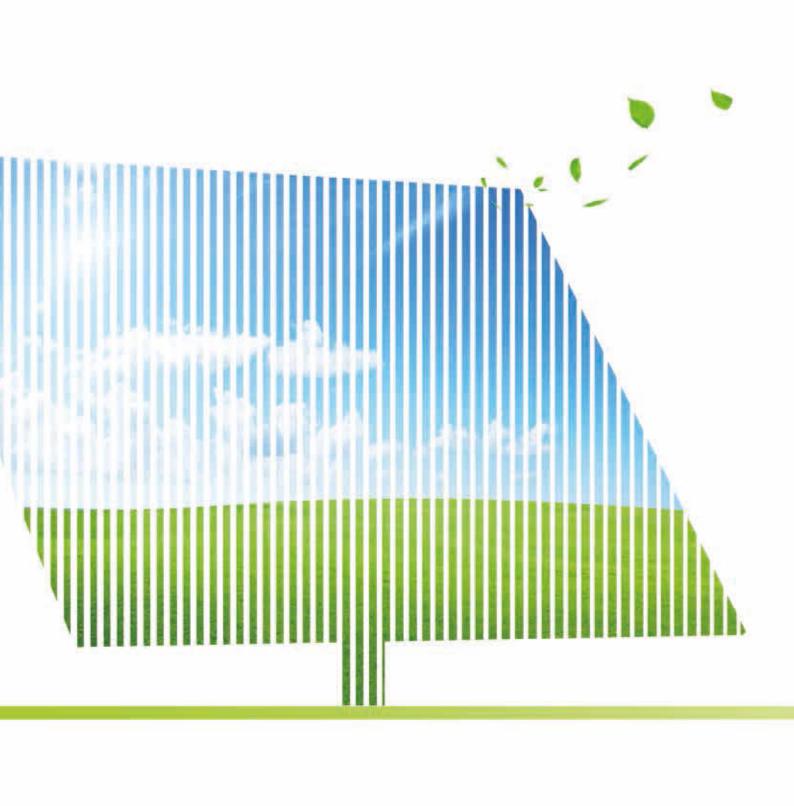
#### December

The Company's first extraordinary general meeting in 2016 was convened to consider and approve the deposit transactions (including the relevant proposed annual caps) contemplated under the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement dated 12 August 2016 entered into between the Company and China Huaneng Finance Corporation Limited.

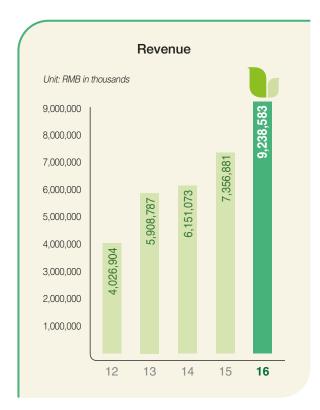
The Company's branch company in Jilin officially became a member unit of the Electricity Market Management Committee of Jilin Province.

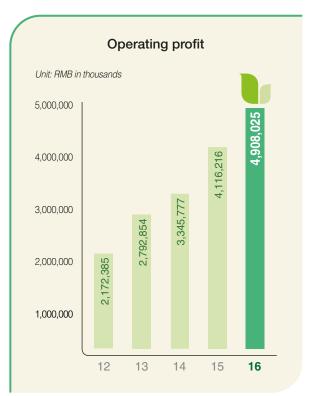
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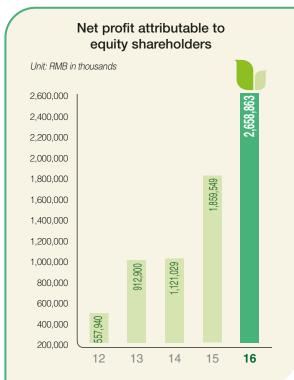
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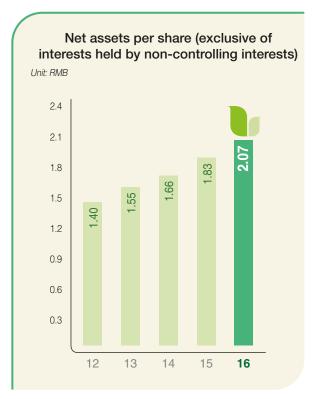


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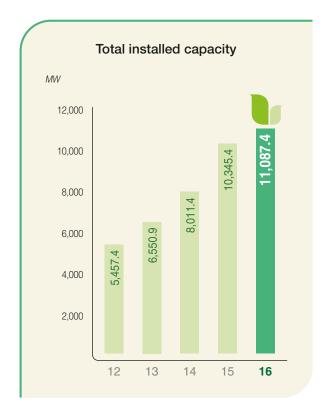






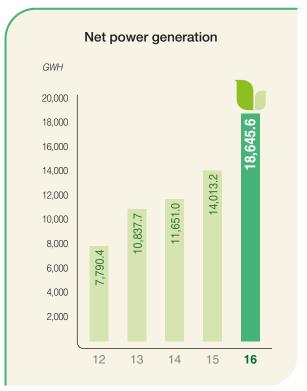


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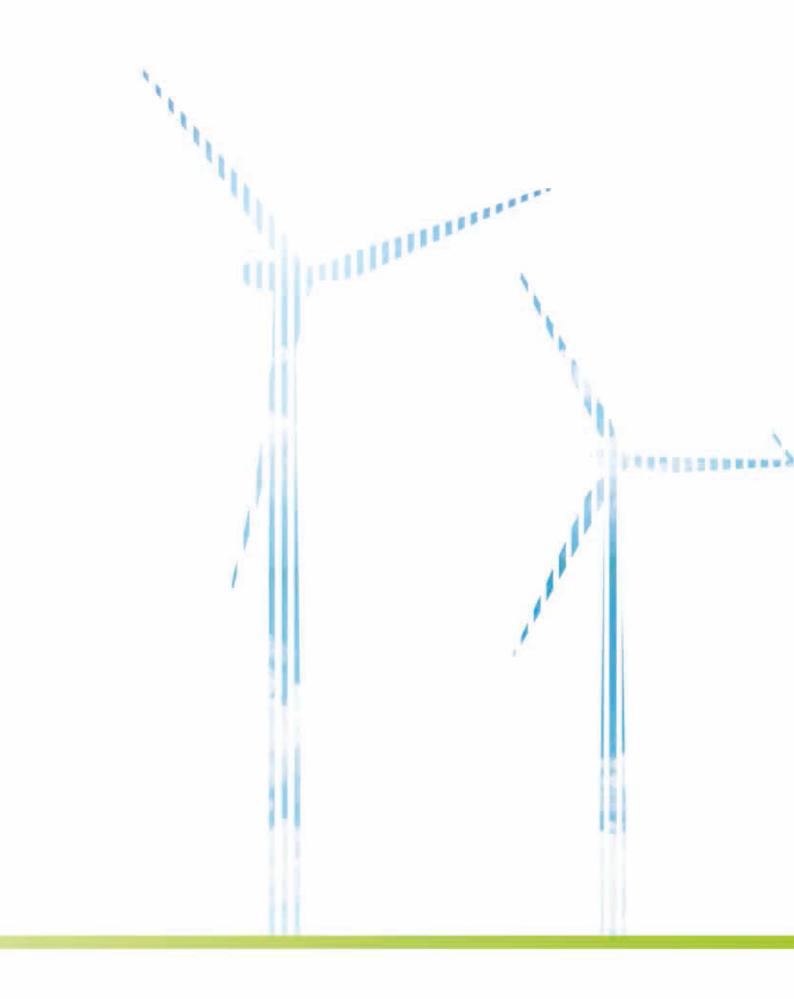
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#### 5 YEARS SUMMARY OF CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF **COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Revenue	4,026,904	5,908,787	6,151,073	7,356,881	9,238,583
Other net income	189,542	79,035	167,651	434,889	321,698
Operating expenses	(2,044,061)	(3,194,968)	(2,972,947)	(3,675,554)	(4,652,256)
Operating profit	2,172,385	2,792,854	3,345,777	4,116,216	4,908,025
Net profit	601,084	942,349	1,146,764	1,899,186	2,708,014
Profit attributable to:					
Equity shareholders	557,940	912,900	1,121,029	1,859,549	2,658,863
Non-controlling interests	43,144	29,449	25,735	39,637	49,151
Basic and diluted earnings					
per share (RMB cents)	6.61	10.66	12.39	19.12	27.33

#### 5 YEARS SUMMARY OF CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL **POSITION**

	At 31 December				
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Total non-current assets	44,152,975	50,811,145	62,996,820	74,900,999	76,749,036
Total current assets	9,545,946	9,859,871	11,141,483	7,651,780	8,695,572
Total assets	53,698,921	60,671,016	74,138,303	82,552,779	85,444,608
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Total current liabilities	14,881,944	19,344,110	25,740,898	28,533,234	30,517,250
Total non-current liabilities	26,125,678	26,466,004	31,512,204	35,395,087	33,933,395
Total liabilities	41,007,622	45,810,114	57,253,102	63,928,321	64,450,645
NET ASSETS	12,691,299	14,860,902	16,885,201	18,624,458	20,993,963
Total equity attributable to equity shareholders					
of the Company	11,820,042	14,024,769	16,101,254	17,797,808	20,137,150
Non-controlling interests	871,257	836,133	783,947	826,650	856,813
TOTAL EQUITY	12,691,299	14,860,902	16,885,201	18,624,458	20,993,963





#### 2016 BUSINESS REVIEW

In 2016, the Company's management, together with all of its staff, made joint efforts to overcome challenges and difficulties and responded proactively to the new situation and changes in the power market. As its core task, the Company persisted in promoting the quality of future development and economic efficiency, with an aim to enhance competitiveness. The Company also made innovations on its management mechanism to improve quality and enhance efficiency where the operating performance has achieved a new height, thus laying a good start for the "13th Five-Year" period.

# 1. Consolidating foundations for safety management and further improving operation management

In 2016, focusing on the core task of "enhancing safety management ability", the Company enhanced frontline safety management ability, so as to improve the level of fundamental safety management. The Company also promoted equipment and technology upgrading, and improved repair and maintenance standard, effectively improving the operating condition of facilities.

# 2. Actively participating in on-market power transactions and improving the Company's marginal utility

Adhering to the marketing philosophy of "economic benefit-centric and market demand-oriented", the Company made innovations on its management mechanism in response to market changes. Upholding the principle of increasing contribution margin, and with an aim to "increasing generation volume while maintaining the prices", the Company actively participated in on-market power transactions, so as to maximize the contribution margin of power generation. In response to the relevant policies frequently promulgated by the state and local governments, the Company promptly organised researches and studies on the measures to react to the situation, and proactively participated in the formulation of industry regulations, with an effort to create a favorable market environment.

In 2016, the gross power generation of the Company reached 19,435,069.4 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 32.5%, of which wind power generation amounted to 18,432,500.2 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 33.1% and solar power generation amounted to 1,002,569.2 MWh, representing a year-on-year increase of 22.6%. Such increase in power generation was mainly attributable to the following four factors: 1. Increase in installed capacity and continuous optimization of power structure and business layout; 2. Effective decrease in generation loss arising from abandonment of wind power and grid curtailment through enhanced efforts in exploring new markets; 3. Improvement in project operating level through enhancement of maintenance and technology transformation; and 4. Continuous improvement in overall management.

The power generation by business sector and region in 2016 and 2015 is set out as follows:

Gross power generation of the year (MWh)

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<b>Business sector and region</b>	2016	2015	Change		
Wind power generation	18,432,500.2	13,851,505.2	33.1%		
Including: Inner Mongolia	4,284,749.2	3,133,980.9	36.7%		
Liaoning	2,572,316.8	2,174,850.7	18.3%		
Shandong	1,764,391.4	1,679,158.4	5.1%		
Yunnan	2,686,241.1	2,124,725.8	26.4%		
Shanxi	1,284,525.8	1,141,230.5	12.6%		
Guizhou	1,178,490.3	1,049,340.9	12.3%		
Guangdong	993,551.1	704,901.2	40.9%		
Hebei	676,450.2	586,689.1	15.3%		
Sichuan	968,273.0	463,643.8	108.8%		
Xinjiang	802,944.1	320,575.2	150.5%		
Jilin	444,688.9	181,318.2	145.3%		
Shanghai	199,822.4	137,469.1	45.4%		
Shaanxi	511,688.8	119,294.7	328.9%		
Zhejiang	64,367.1	34,326.7	87.5%		
Solar power generation	1,002,569.2	817,562.4	22.6%		
Total	19,435,069.4	14,669,067.6	32.5%		

The weighted average utilization hours of the Company's wind farms in 2016 were 1,966 hours, representing an increase of 84 hours as compared to 2015 and 224 hours over the nation-wide average level, achieving a leading position in the industry. The weighted average utilization hours of the Company's solar power projects in 2016 were 1,528 hours, representing a decrease of 63 hours as compared to 2015.

#### Management Discussion and Analysis

The weighted average utilization hours of the Company by business sector and region in 2016 and 2015 are set out as follows:

	Weighted averag	ur)	
Business sector and region	2016	2015	Change
Weighted average utilization			
hours of wind power	1,966	1,882	4.5%
Including: Inner Mongolia	1,744	1,651	5.6%
Liaoning	1,934	1,775	9.0%
Shandong	1,831	1,764	3.8%
Yunnan	2,570	2,960	-13.2%
Shanxi	1,842	1,724	6.8%
Guizhou	1,671	1,674	-0.2%
Guangdong	2,084	1,982	5.1%
Hebei	1,952	1,923	1.5%
Sichuan	2,765	2,771	-0.2%
Xinjiang	2,152	1,619	32.9%
Jilin	1,571	1,832	-14.2%
Shanghai	1,850	1,633	13.3%
Shaanxi	2,501	2,380	5.1%
Zhejiang	1,866	1,974	-5.5%
Weighted average utilization	•		

#### 3. Strengthening project management and promoting smooth progress in project construction

In 2016, along the principle of maximising quality and economic efficiency, the Company co-ordinated the allocation of resources, and established a project management alert mechanism, so as to effectively control the risk relating to the progress of the projects. The Company also strengthened quality control for different stages, with an effort to develop award-winning wind power projects. Huaneng Yunnan Dali Shamaoshan Wind Power Project and Huaneng Yunnan Weishan Biandanshan Wind Power Project were granted the China Power Engineering Quality Award in 2016.

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The Company's newly installed capacity in 2016 was 742.0 MW, of which the capacity of newly installed wind power projects and photovoltaics power projects was 532.0 MW and 210.0 MW respectively. By setting the targets of project schedule in a scientific and rational manner, photovoltaic projects consisting of a total capacity of 190.0 MW were put into operation before the implementation of the on-grid tariff reduction in the middle of the year, thus securing both tariff and profit. The operation of wind power projects in Guangxi and the photovoltaic projects in Hebei, Jilin and Xinjiang made the Company's first operating wind power project or photovoltaic project in these four regions, respectively.

hours of solar power

As at 31 December 2016, the Company accumulated a total installed capacity of 11,087.4 MW, of which the total installed capacity of wind power projects and photovoltaic projects was 10,252.4 MW and 835.0 MW.

The breakdown of the Company's installed capacity by business sector and region as at 31 December 2016 and 2015 is set out as follows:

	Installed capacity (MW)			
	As at 31 December	As at 31 December		
<b>Business sector and region</b>	2016	2015	Change	
Wind power installed capacity	10,252.4	9,720.4	5.5%	
Including: Inner Mongolia	2,467.2	2,467.2	_	
Liaoning	1,402.5	1,359.0	3.2%	
Shandong	1,002.2	952.7	5.2%	
Yunnan	1,116.5	1,116.5	_	
Shanxi	743.5	694.0	7.1%	
Guizhou	729.0	729.0	_	
Guangdong	502.6	502.6	_	
Hebei	361.5	361.5	_	
Sichuan	493.5	493.5	_	
Xinjiang	447.5	447.5	_	
Jilin	396.0	396.0	_	
Shanghai	108.0	108.0	_	
Shaanxi	358.5	58.5	512.8%	
Zhejiang	74.5	34.5	115.9%	
Guangxi	49.5	-	_	
Solar power installed capacity	835.0	625.0	33.6%	
Including: Qinghai	255.0	255.0	_	
Gansu	150.0	150.0	_	
Ningxia	30.0	30.0	_	
Inner Mongolia	160.0	70.0	128.6%	
Yunnan	90.0	90.0	_	
Shanxi	40.0	20.0	100.0%	
Liaoning	30.0	10.0	200.0%	
Xinjiang	50.0	_	_	
Jilin	10.0	_	_	
Hebei	20.0	_	_	
Total	11,087.4	10,345.4	7.2%	

# 4. Bettering the preliminary work of new projects and seizing quality resources for future development

Facing increasingly fierce competition for resources in 2016, the Company achieved certain breakthroughs in the development in new regions and new business scopes. The Company undertook 894.0 MW capacity of projects which were included in the annual provincial wind-power development plans and 565.0 MW capacity of projects which were included in the annual wind farm development base. The Company also obtained clean energy development right along UHV transmission lines in Ximeng with an installed capacity of 400.0 MW. The total capacity amounted to 1,859.0 MW.

The Company obtained a total approved capacity of 1,681.5 MW in wind power projects in 2016, of which Tier IV resources regions projects accounted for 64.0%, and established business presence in Anhui and Fujian provinces for the first time. The Company obtained the filed photovoltaic projects with a capacity of 160.86 MW. The Company successfully completed the relevant filing procedures for its first project in Beijing, namely, the roof-top photovoltaic project jointly developed by Huaneng Xiongfei and BAIC Motor Powertrain, which was included in the 13th Five-Year Plan on Renewable Energy Development of Beijing. The Pilot Project for Integrated Complementarity of Multi-energy System for Datong Economic Development Zone launched by the Company was included in the list of the first batch projects published by the National Energy Administration.

# 5. Achieving remarkable results by implementing stringent control over construction costs and financial costs of projects

In 2016, the Company significantly reduced construction costs by enhancing the on-site management of project construction and strictly reviewing project settlement. Regarding control over financial costs, the Company adopted a series of measures, such as increasing low-interest loans, replacement of existing loans by low-interest loans and implementing central capital management. The Company has successfully issued the super short-term debenture, short-term debenture and green corporate bond with the principal amount of RMB8 billion, RMB2 billion and RMB1.14 billion respectively. Funding costs decreased significantly as compared with the previous year.

#### 6. Benefiting from the enhanced technological support

In 2016, the Company refined its internal project review system, which effectively improved the quality of potential projects. The Company also steadily promoted the R&D and application of advanced technology and the construction of R&D laboratory, and independently developed the micro site selection technology of anemometer tower. The meso and micro scale wind power resource assessment platform has been established by the resource assessment laboratory.

#### 7. Awards in the capital market

In 2016, the Company continued to enhance and perfect the management of investor relations, proactively cultivated the relationship with investors, and has obtained a series of honors and awards in the capital market. The Company was granted the China Securities Golden Bauhinia Award for the third consecutive year, and also the "Best Listed Company" and the "Best CEO of Listed Company" awards. The Company

was awarded the "Asia's Best CEO", "Best Environmental Responsibility" and "Best Investors Relations" at 5th Corporate Governance Asian Excellence Awards. The Company was also awarded the "Best CFO" and "Best Investors Relations" at 2016 Financing and Listed Companies Awards. The 2015 Annual Report of the Company was granted the Honorable Award for Frontpage Design of the Energy and Infrastructure Category at the 30th International ARC Awards.

#### 2017 BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Looking ahead into 2017, the continual penetration of the supply-side structural reform and power sector reform will bring new opportunities and challenges to the business development of the Company. The launching of a series of renewable energy development plans and the effective implementation of a number of favorable policies shown the State's determination to develop renewable energy and to promote on-going transformation and upgrading of energy structure. Such plans policies provide great support for a healthy and orderly development of the wind power and solar power. Meanwhile, at a new development phase that is characterized with slowdown in economic growth and generally eased supply-demand condition of electricity, the renewable energy industry is also facing challenges of the complex environment including intensified market competition with acute production-consumption imbalance in certain regions, intense difficulties in obtaining quality resources and project approvals as well as more stringent environmental protection requirements during the construction stage.

Facing the new situation, the Company will continue to adhere to the principle of emphasizing quality and economic efficiency with impregnable faith. By accurately analyzing the industry policy trend, the Company will formulate its business plans in advance, strive to make innovations and breakthroughs, and seize development opportunities to further enhance the Company's profitability, competitiveness, anti-risk ability and sustainable development capability.

In 2017, the Company will focus on the following work:

#### 1. Implementing safety responsibility and improving operation management

Efforts will be made to further improve the safety monitoring system and safety protection system, implement accountability system on safety management at all levels and consolidate foundations for safety operation. The Company will continue to enhance operation management, repair and maintenance and technological transformation, so as to further improve the quality and efficiency of operation management.

#### 2. Continuing to optimize business layout and improve development quality

The Company will continue to optimize its business layout, seize opportunities for business development and proactively enrich effective resource reserves. Adhering to the principle of quality-centric, the Company will make efforts to improve efficiency in project development and expedite the completion of projects.

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# 3. Reinforcing the supervision of project construction and ensuring the projects putting in operation in an efficient and quality status

The Company will take effective measures to respond to new tariff adjustment policies, and continue to optimize its business layout. Efforts will be made to reinforce management of project construction and improve construction quality of projects, so as to ensure the high-efficiency and high-quality of the project in the operation.

# 4. Enhancing capability to cope with market changes and actively exploring on-market power transactions

The Company will enhance analysis on policies of the power market, proactively participate in formulation of market rules and safeguard the legitimate rights and interests of the industry. The Company will also enhance its capability to cope with market changes and actively increase the volume of on-market power transactions, with an effort to reduce the grid curtailment rate.

#### 5. Continuing to deepen cost control and enhancing management efficiency

The Company will continue to explore diversified financing channels, pursue low-cost financing opportunities and optimize capital structure, so as to enhance management efficiency.

#### RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND ANALYSIS

#### 1. Overview

In 2016, profit before taxation of the Group amounted to RMB2,909.5 million, representing an increase of RMB868.9 million or 42.6% as compared with RMB2,040.6 million of the previous year. Net profit amounted to RMB2,708.0 million, representing an increase of RMB808.8 million or 42.6% as compared with RMB1,899.2 million of the previous year. Net profit attributable to equity shareholders of the Company amounted to RMB2,658.9 million, representing an increase of RMB799.4 million or 43.0% as compared with RMB1,859.5 million of the previous year.

#### 2. Revenue

In 2016, the Group achieved revenue of RMB9,238.6 million, representing an increase of RMB1,881.7 million or 25.6% as compared with RMB7,356.9 million of the previous year, which was mainly because: in 2016, the Group's electricity sales was 18,645.6 million kWh, representing an increase of 4,632.4 million kWh or 33.1% as compared with 14,013.2 million kWh of the previous year. The Group's on-grid tariff (tax inclusive) of 2016 was RMB0.579/kWh, representing a decrease of 5.7% as compared with the previous year.

#### 3. Other net income

In 2016, the Group's other net income amounted to RMB321.7 million, representing a decrease of RMB113.2 million or 26.0% as compared with RMB434.9 million of the previous year. The main reason was the decrease in penalty income from suppliers.

#### 4. **Operating expenses**

In 2016, the Group's operating expenses amounted to RMB4,652.3 million, representing an increase of RMB976.7 million or 26.6% as compared with RMB3,675.6 million of the previous year, which was primarily due to the increase in depreciation and amortization expenses of the newly installed capacity of operational projects, the increase in personnel costs and the increase in repairs and maintenance, administration expenses and other operating expenses.

Depreciation and amortization expenses: In 2016, the Group's depreciation and amortization expenses amounted to RMB3,462.3 million, representing an increase of RMB727.0 million or 26.6% as compared with RMB2,735.3 million of the previous year, which was mainly due to the increase in installed capacity of operational projects.

Personnel costs and administration expenses: In 2016, the Group's personnel costs and administration expenses amounted to RMB626.3 million, representing an increase of RMB66.9 million or 12.0% as compared with RMB559.4 million of the previous year. The increase was attributable to: (1) the increase in headcount resulting from the Group's scale expansion; and (2) the increase in lease expenses, tax expenses and other relevant expenses.

Repairs and maintenance and other operating expenses: In 2016, the Group's repairs and maintenance and other operating expenses amounted to RMB563.6 million, representing an increase of RMB182.7 million or 48.0% as compared with RMB380.9 million of the previous year. The main reason was the increase in repairs and maintenance expenses, material costs and other relevant expenses due to the increase in installed capacity of operational projects.

#### 5. **Operating profit**

In 2016, the Group's operating profit amounted to RMB4,908.0 million, representing an increase of RMB791.8 million or 19.2% as compared with RMB4,116.2 million of the previous year.

#### 6. **Net finance expenses**

In 2016, net finance expenses of the Group amounted to RMB1,995.4 million, representing a decrease of RMB77.6 million or 3.7% as compared with RMB2,073.0 million of the previous year. The decrease was primarily due to the significant year-on-year decrease in average financing cost as a result of the various measures including negotiation to lower the interest of existing debt, and the various measures including issuance of bonds to increase low-interest debt.

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#### 7. Income tax

In 2016, the income tax expenses of the Group amounted to RMB201.5 million, representing an increase of RMB60.1 million or 42.5% as compared with RMB141.4 million of the previous year. The increase was mainly due to the increase in the profit before taxation.

#### 8. Liquidity and source of funding

As at 31 December 2016, the current assets of the Group amounted to RMB8,695.6 million, including bank deposits, cash and restricted deposits of RMB2,604.6 million, trade debtors and bills receivable of RMB4,635.4 million. Current liabilities of the Group amounted to RMB30,517.3 million, comprising RMB22,562.9 million of short-term borrowings (including short-term borrowings, short-term debentures, super short-term debentures and long-term borrowings and bonds payable due within one year) and RMB7,440.1 million of other payables (which primarily consisted of payables for equipment purchased from suppliers, construction payables and retention payables). As at 31 December 2016, the current ratio (the current assets to current liabilities ratio) of the Group was 0.28, representing an increase of 0.01 as compared with 0.27 as at 31 December 2015.

As at 31 December 2016, the Group's outstanding borrowings (including bonds) amounted to RMB50,934.8 million, representing an increase of RMB1,530.7 million as compared with RMB49,404.1 million as at 31 December 2015. As at 31 December 2016, the Group's outstanding borrowings comprised short-term borrowings (including short-term borrowings, short-term debentures, super short-term debentures and long-term borrowings and bonds payable due within one year) of RMB22,562.9 million and long-term borrowings (including bonds) of RMB28,371.9 million, which were principally denominated in RMB.

#### 9. Capital expenditure

In 2016, the capital expenditure of the Group amounted to approximately RMB7,904.2 million, representing a decrease of RMB7,975.3 million or approximately 50.2% as compared with RMB15,879.5 million of the previous year, which was primarily due to the year-on-year decrease in the capital construction investment in 2016.

#### 10. Net gearing ratio

As at 31 December 2016, the net gearing ratio of the Group, which was calculated by dividing net debt (total borrowings and obligations under finance lease minus cash and cash equivalents) by the sum of net debt and total equity, was 71.0%, representing a decrease of 1.2 percentage points as compared with 72.2% as at 31 December 2015.

#### 11. Material investments

The Group did not make any material investments in 2016.

#### **12.** Material acquisitions and disposals

The Group did not have any material acquisition or disposal in 2016.

#### 13. Pledge of assets

As at 31 December 2016, certain property, plant and equipment of the Group were pledged for bank loans of Huaneng Ge'ermu Photovoltaic Power Generation Co., Ltd..

#### 14. **Contingent liabilities**

As at 31 December 2016, the Group did not have any material contingent liability.

#### RISK FACTORS AND RISK MANAGEMENT

#### 1. Risk associated with polices

Wind power and solar power companies largely depend on the State policy and industry policy, laws and regulations and the incentive schemes. Changes in the upstream and downstream policies and the laws and regulations in the facilities manufacturing sector and power grid sector have a great impact on wind power and solar power enterprises. With further deepening of the power sector reform, establishment of power trading mechanism, orderly liberalization of the power generation and consumption plan, establishment of green certificate trading system and the forthcoming promulgation of the renewable energy quota system, the competition in the power market is increasingly fierce. These will have direct impact on the Company's sales and marketing strategies and its sales revenue accordingly. In addition, on-grid tariff adjustment of new projects will play an important role in the nurture of potential projects.

The Company will proactively provide advice and recommendations to the relevant government authorities, closely follow the policy trend, strengthen assessment on policies, and improve the insight into, and sensitivity towards the policies. Focusing on economic efficiency and adopting a marketoriented approach, the Company will conduct analysis to develop the best marketing strategy, so as to secure resources in areas with high profit margin in advance and take prospective measures to manage the relevant risks. The Company will coordinate the development and implementation of practical measures to reduce potential risks, so as to take the initiative to manage risks associated with policies.

#### 2. Risk associated with grid curtailment

While the country's economy is slowing down, the structural changes in the economy and further implementation of energy conservation and emission reduction policy had accelerated the effort of phasing out or closing down of disused production capacity. It led to a reduction of production or even closure of some high-energy consumption industries which had caused a significant drop in power consumption in certain industrial areas. At the same time, the transmission channels were experiencing varied degrees of problem in transmission deficiency due to the power grid structure, which resulted in serious grid curtailment of wind power and solar power in some areas.

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The Company had further optimised the layout of its projects in recent years. It shifted the focus of project development into regional offices with better grid access conditions. The Company will also continue to improve the operating condition of the facilities by strengthening equipment management and optimizing the operation of wind turbines. In addition, the Company actively participated in the formulation of consumption policy in relation to the wind power sector by both national and local governments, reflecting the reasonable demands of wind power companies. It aimed to strive for the best interest of both the industry and the Company to pursue favorable policies and to create a better environment for the Company's operation and development.

#### 3. Risk associated with climate

Wind power and solar power companies are sensitive to seasonal climate changes. Wind and solar resources interact along with seasonal changes which is the key factor affecting the power generation. The risk of climate instability imposed great constraints on power generation. Furthermore, extreme weather like typhoons, freeze, strong dust storms, fog and haze, lightning and so forth, would pose greater risks to the operation of the wind power and solar power companies.

For those areas with extreme weather problems like typhoons and freeze, the Company would conduct researches and critical assessment on selection of equipment models and network solutions so as to raise the design standard. It also fully assesses the impact of climate on both safety and efficiency of the wind farm in order to formulate feasible and practical solutions. For projects already in operation, the Company, based on the experience in dealing with extreme weather, has prepared contingency plans and strengthened on-site drills, which help to improve its capability to counter and handle disasters.

### **Human Resources**

#### 1. SUMMARY OF HUMAN RESOURCES

As at 31 December 2016, the Company had a total of 2,222 full-time employees, among which 159 received postgraduate degrees or above (representing 7.16% of the total number of employees), 1,497 received undergraduate degrees (representing 67.37% of the total number of employees) and 566 received college diplomas or below (representing 25.47% of the total number of employees).

The Company had 10 employees aged above 55 (representing 0.45% of the total number of employees); 412 employees aged between 36 and 55 (representing 18.54% of the total number of employees); 1,800 employees aged 36 or below (representing 81.00% of the total number of employees).

#### 2. **EMPLOYEE INCENTIVES**

The Company has adopted various incentive mechanisms to attract talents and has established an effective mechanism for staff performance appraisal and management. It has also studied and formulated incentive policies to attract professional technical and management talents in the wind power industry. To cope with development needs, the Company has established a sound performance assessment mechanism based on the position-specific target accountability system, which is conducted by objectively evaluating the performance of staff against all performance targets framed in a sense that incentives and restraints run concurrently. Open promotion is adopted for some mid-level positions, thus creating opportunities for staff development. The Company is strived to achieve the multi-channel development of management talents, technical talents, and talents with special skills.

#### 3. STAFF TRAINING

To meet the needs for healthy development of the Company and self-development of employees, the Company attaches great importance to the buildup of its workforce and has been strengthening employee training. With a view to enhancing the professional capability and management skills of employees, the Company organized a wide range of trainings under different levels and categories in 2016 for various personnel ranging from the management to technical employees. The Company provides a four-level orientation and training program to newly-joined staff including management interface cognition, standardized management of power generation system, wind power enterprises basic practice and scientific and refined management of listed companies, and designs training programs based on the professional and specialty backgrounds of individual employees. The Company's subsidiaries organized various professional training and induction training courses delivered by professional lecturers and experienced technical experts, and the employees took part in various kinds of technical skills competitions. The Company also actively encourages its subsidiaries to carry out on-the-job training, appraisal and certification of skilled personnel so as to improve employees' quality.

#### 4. REMUNERATION POLICY

The Company has fully implemented an annual remuneration system for the management of its subsidiaries with different categories of remuneration mechanisms. The Company scientifically determines employee's remuneration based on the remuneration policy, with an emphasis on the evaluation results of employees in determining performance-based remuneration. It awards its subsidiaries that meet or exceed expectations on task completion or have special contributions. The remuneration policy favours subsidiaries with good performance. The Company cares about frontline staff and staff who work in remote areas or who face difficult living conditions. The Company provides income incentives and links job performance of the management and employees of its subsidiaries with their income. Based on evaluation results, remunerations are adjusted to favour individuals and departments with outstanding contributions, and collaboration among different departments is also taken into account, which cultivates a result, performance and contribution oriented working culture.

# Social Responsibility Report

#### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION RESPONSIBILITY

The Company is dedicated to the investment, construction and operation of renewable energy projects, such as wind power and solar energy projects. With the development and utilization of wind resources and solar resources as its core business, the Company also promotes the synergistic development of other renewable energies. The Company strictly abides by the environmental protection regulations implemented by the government during business development, and is dedicated to providing clean energy, promoting adjustments to the energy mix, promoting energy conservation and emission reduction as well as responding proactively to climatic changes both at home and abroad, so as to facilitate efficient use of energy in society, improve the living environment, and achieve the target of sustainable development. The Company performs assessments on environmental sensitivity at the early stage of the deliberation on project development, putting the potential environmental impacts of such projects as an important indicator in evaluating the projects. At the preliminary stage of the project during which project feasibility is studied, the Company strictly complies with relevant national regulations on environmental impact assessment management and evaluates the potential impacts on the ecology, water, noise levels, atmosphere, natural landscape and electromagnetic radiation generated by the project. The Company puts forward protective measures and environmental monitoring plans, ensuring that environmental protection works are invested in tandem with other works and recognized by relevant government management authorities and social organizations, and achieving a win-win situation for the development of renewable energies and protection of the ecosystem. The Company has been earnestly observing national environmental protection requirements and adhering to green development concepts in the project construction and operation stage. During the course of construction, the Company emphasizes environmental protection and achieves "Three-Sync" (simultaneous design, construction and commissioning of environmental protection and water and soil conservation facilities along with the major works) to ensure concordance in project construction and environmental protection. Through closely integrating wind farms with the surroundings, the Company delivers environment-friendly, eco-harmonious and landscaped green projects.

As a renewable energy corporation, the Company is committed to the development and utilization of wind energy and solar energy resources. The Company does not use fuel, produce emissions or cause any pollution to the environment. In 2016, the Company diligently fulfilled the responsibility of energy conservation and emission reduction by generating green electricity of 19,435,069.4 MWh, equivalent to a reduced emission of approximately 17.50 million tonnes of carbon dioxide. During the year, 12 voluntary emissions reduction projects were successfully filed with the National Development and Reform Commission.

#### SAFETY RESPONSIBILITY

In 2016, upholding the people-oriented principle, the Company enhanced the "Red Line" awareness in production safety, and promoted the implementation of safety responsibility. Great efforts were made by the Company to strengthen safety education and training, prevent and control behaviors in breach of regulations on safety production, identify and eliminate potential risks and strengthen safety inspection as well as other fundamental works. In addition, the Company continued to improve safety management system, consolidated the foundation for safety production and increased the safety level of equipment. The Company focused on safeguarding employees' occupational health, and strived to reduce tower climbing practice and prevent common occupational hazards in the wind power industry such as waist strain by equipping all turbines with climb aid and promoting the application of electric lifting devices such as climb-free devices and elevators. In 2016, no general or above safety production incidents or incidents that affected the safety operation of grids were reported. The Company maintained overall stable performance in safety production.

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Meanwhile, the Company regularly conducts a comprehensive assessment of the credit rating of its suppliers based on the results from comprehensive evaluation of projects implemented by them and evaluation results after expiration of the warranty period, and these assessment results will be consolidated and announced, or any supplier failed in the assessment will be included into the list of unqualified suppliers, in order to avoid risks arising from purchasing from unqualified suppliers.

#### STAFF RESPONSIBILITY

#### **Protection of Staff Benefits**

- 1. The Company has consistently implemented a fair, just and open employment policy and strictly abides by the Labor Law, the Labour Contract Law, the Implementation Rules of the Labour Contract Law and other laws and regulations. The Company made efforts to strengthen management of labour contracts, and has entered into labour contracts with all employees according to the law.
- 2. The Company has further improved its remuneration allocation system, standardized the salary system and criteria and optimized the structure of income mix. In accordance with the law, the Company has established a social security system for payment of the corporate's part of the social insurance costs for social welfare protection, including employee health care benefits and pensions.
- 3. The Company has implemented an employment policy under which all employees are treated equally regardless of their gender and nationality. The Company protects the legitimate rights and interests of female employees in accordance with the relevant laws and regulations. The Company strictly abides by the labour laws and regulations of the country, offers job opportunities to graduates and recruits employees in a standardized manner.
- 4. The Company pays high attention to employees' health and safety and provides physical examination for all employees every year. The Company protects the employees' rights to holidays and work leaves, and employees are entitled to paid holidays.

#### **Support for Staff Development**

The Company attaches great emphasis to employees' development and training and has developed multi-level, multi-channel and comprehensive training programs including orientation training, on-the-job training and promotion training, in an effort to reinforce general competence of the staff, so as to facilitate mutual growth and joint development of the staff and the Company.

The Company emphasizes on provision of a platform for career development of its staff, and has set up the competition, post rotation and retirement mechanism. The Company offers various on-the-job training programs to its employees, and organizes training programs on specific tasks, wind power generation maintenance skills competition and other activities to allow employees to learn from these practice and competitions, with an aim to improve their professional skills. These activities not only provide employees with better platform to realise self-development, but also build up talent reserve for the steady development of the Company.

#### **Code of Conduct for Employees**

The Company safeguards the legitimate rights and interests of employees. It strictly abides by the Labour Law, Labour Contract Law and Law on the Protection of Rights and Interests of Women and other laws and regulations to protect the legitimate rights and interests of employees. The Company opposes any kind of discrimination and forced labour, and prohibits child labour.

The Company focuses on the improvement of the Staff Representative Congress System and the Plant Affairs Publicity System, supports the staff's active participation in democratic management and guarantees the staff's full entitlement to the rights to be informed, participate, express and supervise. The Company signed the letter of commitment for constructing an honest and integrity atmosphere within the Company with each department and system unit every year, and requires its employees to strictly abide by various national laws and regulations and work with integrity.

#### SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

In 2016, the Company actively participated in public welfare activities and proactively shouldered the social responsibility of a central enterprise and a listed company. The Company supported local economic, social and cultural initiatives, and initiated public welfare activities such as providing education funds, alleviating poverty, offering disaster relief and supporting reconstruction, so as to achieve harmonious development of the Company and society. The Company focuses on its missions of green power development and clean energy production by incorporating the concept of social responsibility into its development strategies, production and operation, and placing great emphasis on protecting and improving the environment, with a view to creating and establishing a sound image for "Huaneng".

# **Corporate Governance Report**

The board (the "Board") of directors (the "Directors") of the Company hereby presents to the shareholders the corporate governance report for the period between 1 January 2016 and 31 December 2016 (the "Reporting Period").

#### CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Company has always placed an emphasis on corporate governance and promotion of innovative management of its corporate governance system. The Company is committed to maintaining and promoting stringent corporate governance, and considers it as an indispensable part in creating values for shareholders. The principle of the Company's corporate governance is to promote effective risk management and internal control measures and to increase the transparency and accountability of the Board to all shareholders. The Company has complied with the Corporate Governance Code (the "Code") in Appendix 14 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules"). The Company periodically reviews its corporate governance practices to ensure continuous compliance with the Code. During the Reporting Period, except for the following deviation, the Company strictly complied with the principles and code provisions and some of the recommended best practices as set out in the Code. Mr. CAO Peixi (non-executive Director, chairman of the Board and chairman of the nomination committee) did not attend the 2015 annual general meeting of the Company held on 23 June 2016 due to work commitments. This constitutes a deviation from code provisions A.6.7 and E.1.2 of the Code, which provide requirements on attendance of the general meeting and other matters.

Set out below is a summary of how the Company strengthens its corporate governance, improves its operation quality and complies with the Code.

#### 1. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board exercises its powers and functions in accordance with the provisions as set out in the articles of association of the Company (the "Articles of Association"). The Articles of Association contain certain requirements regarding the composition and operation of the Board. The Board reports its work at the shareholders' meetings, implements the resolutions passed thereupon and is accountable to shareholders' meetings.

#### 1. Composition of the Board

During the Reporting Period, the Board comprises eleven Directors. The biographical details of the Directors as at the date of this report are set out on page 73 to page 77 of this annual report. There are no relationships (including financial, business, family or other material or relevant relationship) among the Board members. Each Director has sound knowledge, experience and expertise relevant to the business operation and development of the Company. All Directors are aware of their joint and several responsibilities to shareholders.

The Company has entered into service contracts with each of the Directors with a term ending on 1 July 2019 from the relevant date of appointment<sup>(1)</sup>.

The information of the Directors during the Reporting Period is as follows<sup>(2)</sup>:

Name	Position in the Company	Date of Appointment
CAO Peixi	Chairman of the Board,	4 August 2010
	Non-executive Director	
ZHANG Tingke	Vice Chairman of the Board,	1 November 2011
	Non-executive Director	
WANG Kui	Non-executive Director	12 August 2014
LIN Gang	Executive Director, President	23 February 2012
XIAO Jun	Executive Director	21 June 2013
YANG Qing	Executive Director	4 August 2010
HE Yan	Executive Director	12 August 2014
QIN Haiyan	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010
DAI Huizhu	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010
ZHOU Shaopeng	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010
WAN Kam To	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010

#### Notes:

- (1) The terms of Directors' Service Contract stipulate that "the term of office of Party B shall begin on the date when Party B is appointed by the Board as a supplemental director and end on the date of the next general meeting on which Party B is eligible for re-election. If Party B is re-elected, the contract shall continue to be valid".
- (2) On 28 March 2017, Mr. CAO Peixi resigned as the Chairman of the Board and Non-executive Director of the Company due to work adjustment. Mr. ZHANG Tingke resigned as the Vice Chairman of the Board and Non-executive Director of the Company due to retirement, Mr. XIAO Jun resigned as the Executive Director of the Company due to work adjustment, and Mr. HE Yan resigned as the Executive Director of the Company due to work adjustment. On the same day, the Board of the Company appointed Mr. LU Fei, Mr. SUN Deqiang and Mr. DAI Xinmin as the Non-executive Directors of the Company, and Mr. LIN Gang was appointed as the Chairman of the Board while Mr. CAO Shiguang was appointed as the Executive Director and President of the Company.

During the Reporting Period, the Board had been in compliance with the requirements of the Listing Rules regarding the appointment of at least three Independent Non-executive Directors with at least one Independent Non-executive Director possessing appropriate professional qualifications, or accounting or related financial management expertise, and no less than one third of the Board was represented by Independent Non-executive Directors. The qualifications of the four Independent Non-executive Directors of the Company are in full compliance with the requirements under Rules 3.10 (1) and (2) and Rule 3.10A of the Listing Rules. Moreover, the Company has received annual confirmations from each Independent Non-executive Director of his/her independence in accordance with Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. The Company therefore considered that all Independent Non-executive Directors are in compliance with the independence requirements as set out in the Listing Rules.

# Corporate Governance Report

On the diversity of Board members, the current session of the Board comprises two female Directors. The Company fully understands the benefits of diversity of Board members to its development. It has adopted a Board diversity policy and has further enriched the composition of the Board members at the reelection of a new session of the Board. The current composition of the Board members reflects differentiation and diversification in various aspects such as expertise, industry experience, age, gender, qualification and background.

The Board has reviewed its performance during the Reporting Period, obtained advice from senior management and considered the advice contained in the report of the Supervisory Committee. The Board believes that it effectively performed its responsibilities and maintained the interests of the Company and its shareholders in the past year.

## 2. Board Meetings and General Meetings

The Articles of Association set forth detailed responsibilities and procedures of the Board (please refer to the Articles of Association for details). The Board will convene regular meetings to hear business results report of the Company and make prompt decisions. Major business decisions of the Company are subject to discussion and approval by the Board. The Board may convene ad hoc meetings. Each Director should be notified no less than 14 days prior to a regular Board meeting and a reasonable period of time for sufficient communication prior to ad hoc meeting to ensure each Director is duly informed of meeting agenda and will be able to express opinion. Each Independent Non-executive Director should express opinion within their responsibility.

Except for the Board's consideration of matters in relation to connected transactions as stipulated by the Articles of Association, the quorum for a Board meeting is at least half of the total number of the Directors. A Director may attend the Board meeting in person, or appoint another Director in writing as his proxy to attend the Board meeting. The secretary to the Board is responsible for preparing and keeping minutes of Board meetings and ensuring that such minutes are available for inspection by any Director.

During the Reporting Period, four Board meetings and two general meetings were held by the Company. Details of Directors' attendance of Board meetings and general meetings are as follows:

		The Second and Third Sessions of the Board (four meetings)		General Meetings (two meetings)	
Name	Position in the Company	Number of Meetings Attended/ Held	Attendance Rate	Number of Meetings Attended/ Held	Attendance Rate
CAO Peixi	Chairman of the Board, Non-executive Director	3/4	75% (Additional attendance by proxy: 1)	0/2	0%
ZHANG Tingke	Vice Chairman of the Board, Non-executive Director	4/4	100%	0/2	0%
WANG Kui	Non-executive Director	3/4	75% (Additional attendance by proxy: 1)	0/2	0%
LIN Gang	Executive Director, President	4/4	100%	1/2	50%
XIAO Jun	Executive Director	4/4	100%	2/2	100%
YANG Qing	Executive Director	4/4	100%	1/2	50%
HE Yan	Executive Director	4/4	100%	2/2	100%
QIN Haiyan	Independent Non-executive Director	3/4	75% (Additional attendance by proxy: 1)	1/2	50%
DAI Huizhu	Independent Non-executive Director	4/4	100%	0/2	0%
ZHOU Shaopeng	Independent Non-executive Director	4/4	100%	2/2	100%
WAN Kam To	Independent Non-executive Director	3/4	75% (Additional attendance by proxy: 1)	2/2	100%

The Company believes that all Directors have contributed sufficient time to perform their responsibilities.

#### 3. Powers Exercised by the Board and the Management

The powers and duties of the Board and the management have been clearly defined in the Articles of Association. The Board is responsible for deciding on the Company's business strategies and investment plans and the establishment of the Company's internal management structure, formulating the Company's fundamental management system, deciding on and monitoring the implementation of the Company's risk management system, determining other material business and administrative matters of the Company and monitoring the performance of the management.

The management of the Company is responsible for implementing resolutions approved by the Board and administering the Company's daily operation and management.

#### 4. Chairman and President

During the Reporting Period, Mr. CAO Peixi was the Chairman of the Board and Mr. LIN Gang was the President. The roles of the Chairman of the Board and President (i.e. chief executive officer pursuant to the relevant requirements under the Listing Rules) of the Company are separated and held by different persons to ensure independence of responsibilities and balance of power and authority between them. The Rules of Procedures of Board Meetings approved by the Board clearly defined the division of duties between the Chairman and the President.

Mr. CAO Peixi, Chairman of the Board, is primarily responsible for leading the Board in determining the overall development strategies of the Company, ensuring that the Board is functioning effectively in performing its duties, ensuring the formulation of good corporate governance system and practices and ensuring that the Board acts in the best interest of the Company and all of its shareholders. Mr. LIN Gang, the President, was primarily responsible for matters related to the Company's daily operation and management, including the implementation of Board resolutions, formulating basic management provisions and making daily operation decisions.

On 28 March 2017, Mr. CAO Peixi and Mr. LIN Gang resigned as the Chairman of the Board and the President of the Company respectively. On the same date, Mr. LIN Gang was appointed as the Chairman of the Board and Mr. CAO Shiguang was appointed as the President of the Company.

## 5. Remuneration of the Directors and Senior Management

The remuneration committee makes recommendations in respect of Directors' remuneration according to criteria such as work experience. Directors' remuneration is determined by the Board with reference to recommendations from the remuneration committee, Directors' experience, work performance, position and market condition and is subject to the approval at general meetings. The remuneration packages of senior management are determined by the Board with reference to recommendations from the remuneration committee.

# 6. Appointment and Re-election of Directors

Pursuant to the Articles of Association, Directors shall be elected at general meetings with a term of office of three years and may be re-elected. The Company has implemented a set of effective procedures for the appointment of new Directors. Nomination of new Directors shall first be considered by the nomination committee whose recommendations will then be put forward to the Board for consideration. All newly nominated Directors are subject to election and approval at general meetings. Any person appointed by the Board to fill a temporary vacancy on or as an addition to the Board shall hold office until the next following annual general meeting, and shall then be eligible for re-election.

# 7. Continuing Professional Development of Directors

During the Reporting Period, all Directors were provided with necessary orientation training and adequate data in a timely manner to ensure their appropriate understanding of the operations and businesses of the Company and their responsibilities under applicable regulations, ordinances, rules and the Listing Rules.

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The Company also keeps all Directors informed of any update of the Listing Rules and any other applicable regulations, provides relevant training to the Directors to ensure their compliance with and enhance their understanding of good corporate governance practices. In addition, the Company provides briefing and other trainings to improve and update the knowledge and skills of the Directors.

Below is the summary of the training received by the Directors for the period between 1 January 2016 and 31 December 2016 based on the records provided by the Directors:

	Category of
	Continuing
	Professional
Name	Development
CAO Peixi	В
ZHANG Tingke	В
WANG Kui	В
LIN Gang	A, B
XIAO Jun	A, B
YANG Qing	A, B
HE Yan	A, B
QIN Haiyan	В
DAI Huizhu	В
ZHOU Shaopeng	A, B
WAN Kam To	A, B

# Notes:

attending briefing and/or seminar A:

B: reading seminar materials and other updated information regarding the latest development of the Listing Rules and other applicable regulations

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#### 2. BOARD COMMITTEES

There are three Board committees, namely the audit committee, remuneration committee and nomination committee.

#### **Audit Committee**

During the Reporting Period, the audit committee consists of three Non-executive Directors, namely Mr. ZHOU Shaopeng (Independent Non-executive Director), Mr. WANG Kui (Non-executive Director) and Mr. WAN Kam To (Independent Non-executive Director). Mr. ZHOU Shaopeng currently serves as the chairman of the audit committee.

The primary responsibilities of the audit committee are to review and supervise the risk management, internal control and financial reporting process of the Company and to maintain an appropriate relationship with external auditors, including, among other things:

- advising the Board in respect of appointment, re-appointment and removal of external auditors, reviewing and approving the compensation of external auditors, supervising the work of external auditors and formulating policies in terms of all non-audit services to be provided by external auditors;
- reviewing the Company's annual and interim financial statements, monitoring its financial
  control, internal control and risk management systems, examining and reviewing its financial and
  accounting policies and supervising the implementation of such policies;
- examining and reviewing the procedures for the treatment of complaints received by the Company regarding its financial reporting process, risk management, internal control and other violation of laws and regulations; and
- examining and reviewing the Company's continuing connected transactions and ensuring that the terms of such transactions are consistent with those approved by the shareholders of the Company.

The audit committee will meet with the management of the Company from time to time in performing its obligations to review annual results, risk management and internal control systems of the Company and other responsibilities under the Code, so as to review the interim and annual results, interim and annual reports, and other financial, internal control, corporate governance and risk management matters of the Company. The audit committee also proposes recommendations to the Board. The audit committee will meet with external auditors in the absence of the management of the Company (if applicable) to discuss its independent review of the interim financial report and the annual audit of the consolidated financial statements.

During the Reporting Period, the audit committee held two meetings, the details of which are as follows:

- (1) On 14 March 2016, the audit committee of the second session of the Board held its first meeting in 2016 to review and pass the following resolutions: (1) Resolution regarding the Company's 2015 Annual Results Announcement and 2015 Annual Report; (2) Resolution regarding the 2015 Annual Final Financial Report; (3) Resolution regarding the Company's 2015 Annual Profit Distribution; (4) Resolution regarding the Company's 2015 Annual Internal Control Report; (5) Resolution regarding the Company's 2015 Annual Internal Audit Report; (6) Resolution regarding the Audit Fee for 2015 and the Appointment of Auditor of the Company for 2016; (7) Resolution regarding the Company's 2015 Annual Connected Transactions Report; and (8) Resolution regarding the Audit Opinion from KPMG on the Company's 2015 Annual Financial Position.
- On 10 August 2016, the audit committee of the third session of the Board held its second meeting (2)in 2016 to review and pass the following resolutions: (1) Resolution regarding the Company's 2016 Interim Results Announcement and 2016 Interim Report; (2) Resolution regarding the Company's 2016 Interim Financial Report; and (3) Resolution regarding the Review Opinion from KPMG on the Company's 2016 Interim Financial Position.

Both Mr. ZHOU Shaopeng and Mr. WAN Kam To attended the above two meetings. Mr. WANG Kui did not attend such two meetings due to work commitments.

#### Remuneration Committee

During the Reporting Period, the remuneration committee consists of three Directors, namely Mr. QIN Haiyan (Independent Non-executive Director), Mr. LIN Gang (Executive Director, and resigned on 28 March 2017) and Ms. DAI Huizhu (Independent Non-executive Director). Mr. CAO Shiguang (Executive Director) was appointed as a member of the remuneration committee on 28 March 2017. Mr. QIN Haiyan currently serves as the chairman of the remuneration committee.

The remuneration committee has its rules of procedure, which provide that its primary responsibilities are to formulate the remuneration policies and structures for all Executive Directors, to evaluate the performance of Executive Directors and senior management, to review Directors' service contracts, to determine the compensation of all Directors and senior management and to ensure that neither the Director nor any of his or her associate may determine his or her own compensation, etc.

The remuneration committee will make recommendations to the Board regarding appropriate policies and structures for the compensations of all Directors and senior management. The remuneration committee considers the management's incentive plan with reference to the corporate objective and mission set by the Board as well as the compensation of comparable companies, the time committed and responsibilities undertaken by the management regarding the Company's businesses, and the employment conditions of other companies so as to ensure that the compensation incentive is in line with the interests of the shareholders.

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During the Reporting Period, the remuneration committee held one meeting, the details of which are as follows:

On 15 March 2016, the remuneration committee of the second session of the Board held its first meeting in 2016 to consider the remuneration of Directors, supervisors and senior management members of the Company. All members of the remuneration committee attended the meeting.

#### **Nomination Committee**

During the Reporting Period, the nomination committee consists of three Directors, namely, Mr. CAO Peixi (Non-executive Director and chairman of the nomination committee, and resigned on 28 March 2017), Mr. ZHOU Shaopeng (Independent Non-executive Director) and Mr. QIN Haiyan (Independent Non-executive Director). Mr. LIN Gang (Executive Director) was appointed as the chairman of the nomination committee on 28 March 2017.

The primary responsibilities of the nomination committee are to identify and recommend to the Board candidates suitable to serve on the Board, to review the evaluation procedure of the performance of the Board, and to formulate and recommend to the Board nomination procedures and standards.

The nomination committee will consider the track record and qualifications of candidates, the Articles of Association and Board diversity in selecting and recommending candidates of directorship.

During the Reporting Period, the nomination committee held one meeting, the details of which are as follows:

On 15 March 2016, the nomination committee of the second session of the Board held its first meeting in 2016 to consider the resolution regarding the re-election of a new session of the Board.

Both Mr. ZHOU Shaopeng and Mr. QIN Haiyan attended the above meeting. Mr. CAO Peixi did not attend such meeting due to work commitments.

# **Board Diversity Policy**

The Company fully understands the benefits of diversity of Board members to its development. It has adopted a Board diversity policy and has further enriched the composition of the Board members at the re-election of a new session of the Board. The current session of the Board comprises two female Directors. The current composition of the Board members reflects differentiation and diversity in many aspects such as expertise, industry experience, age, gender, qualifications and background. In the future, the Company will continue to explore and perfect the composition of the Board based on its business characteristics, and will formulate policies in relation to diversity for implementation.

#### DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS **3.**

The Directors acknowledged their responsibility for preparing the financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2016. There are no material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. In addition, appropriate insurance coverage for Directors' liability has been arranged against possible legal proceedings to be taken against the Directors.

#### 4. CORPORATE GOVERNANCE FUNCTIONS

The members of the Board should be jointly responsible for performing corporate governance responsibilities. During the Reporting Period, the Board performed the following duties in accordance with its terms of reference:

- To develop and review the Company's policies and practices on corporate governance and make changes as it deems necessary, and to ensure their effectiveness;
- To review and monitor the training and continuing professional development of Directors and senior management;
- To review and monitor the Company's policies and practices on compliance with legal and regulatory requirements;
- To develop, review and monitor the code of conduct and the compliance manual (if any) applicable to Directors and employees; and
- To review the Company's compliance with the Code and to review the disclosures in the corporate governance report.

#### 5. COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE FOR SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Model Code") set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules to govern securities transactions by its Directors and supervisors. Having made specific enquiry to all Directors and supervisors of the Company, all Directors and supervisors have confirmed that they strictly complied with the required standard set out in the Model Code during the Reporting Period.

The Board will examine the corporate governance practices and operation of the Company from time to time so as to ensure compliance with relevant requirements under the Listing Rules.

#### 6. RISK MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL CONTROL

The Company places emphasis on its risk management and internal control. It has established a prudent risk management and internal control systems to protect shareholders' investments and the Company's assets.

The Company formulated several rules and regulations on risk management and internal control, including "Rules of Procedures of Board Meetings" (《董事會議事規則》), "Rules of Procedure of Meetings of the Audit Committee" (《審核委員會議事規則》), "Rules of Procedure of Meetings of the Remuneration Committee" (《薪酬委員會議事規則》), "Rules of Procedure of Meetings of the Nomination Committee" (《提名委員會議事規則》), "Measures on the Administration of Connected Transactions" (《關連交易管理辦法》), "Measures on the Administration Disclosure" (《信息披露管理辦法》), "Measures on the Administration of Legal Matters" (《法律事務管理辦法》), "Comprehensive Risk Management Measures" (《全面風險管理辦法》), "Measures on the Administration of Fixed Assets" (《固定資產管理辦法》), "Financial and Accounting Reporting System" (《財務會計報告制度》), "Routine Accounting System" (《日常會計核算制度》), and "Capital Management System" (《資金管理制度》), which have been updated in accordance with the prevailing laws and regulations of the PRC and the Listing Rules from time to time. The Company has also engaged experts to provide compliance training to its employees to enable them to understand the importance of compliance and internal audit practices.

The Company also established various departments to ensure compliance with relevant laws and regulations, including specialized departments responsible for liaising with regulatory authorities to obtain necessary government approvals, permits, licenses and property certificates prior to the commencement of construction; commercial departments to organize bidding processes and procurement for wind power equipment and selection of contractors for project construction; safety departments to periodically monitor the safety of the project construction and operations of subsidiaries of the Company; and auditing departments which report their findings directly to the management based on their periodical review of the Company's financial management and the development, construction and operations of wind farms.

During the Reporting Period, the Board conducted a review of the effectiveness and assessed the risk management and internal control systems of the Company and its subsidiaries and was not aware of any material deficiencies nor any material defaults with respect to financial, operational and compliance controls and risk management. The Board considers that the current risk management and internal control systems of the Company and its subsidiaries are effective and adequate and believes that the qualifications and experience of the staff of the Company's accounting and financial reporting functions, its training programs and budget are adequate.

#### 7. AUDITORS AND REMUNERATION

KPMG and KPMG Huazhen LLP were engaged as the international and domestic auditors of the Company respectively for the year ended 31 December 2016.

For the year ended 31 December 2016, the fee for audit services was RMB14.9 million. For the year ended 31 December 2016, the fees for non-audit services amounted to RMB3.5 million. The non-audit services mainly involved the review of the Company's 2016 interim results.

The responsibilities of the Company's external auditor, KPMG, regarding its report on the Financial Statements are set out on page 83 to page 85 of this annual report.

#### 8. **INVESTOR RELATIONSHIP**

The Company attaches great importance to the management of investor relations. It constantly strengthens and improves the investor relations management standards, discloses the information of the Company in a true, accurate, complete and timely manner in strict accordance with regulatory requirements, so as to increase the transparency and visibility of the Company, thereby improving the Company's image in the capital market.

In 2016, the Company has further strengthened its efforts in investor relations management by proactively developing new channels, communicating with investors by different means of communication in a timely manner, enhancing the daily communication with investors in particular. The Company has achieved a comprehensive and efficient exchanges, which helps in establishing a bridge for effective communication between the Company and the capital market.

## **Corporate presentations**

In March and August 2016, the management of the Company carried out 2015 annual results roadshow and 2016 interim results roadshow in Hong Kong respectively, and held two investment analyst meetings and one press conference.

## **Investment summits**

In 2016, the Company attended six domestic and overseas major investment summits. Through one-to-one meetings and group meetings, the Company facilitated target-oriented and in-depth communications with investors and analysts from 86 institutions.

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#### Visits by and general enquiries from investors

In 2016, the Company arranged nearly one hundred general investor meetings through one-toone meetings, group meetings and telephone conference, and facilitated in-depth and efficient communication with over 200 institutional investors and analysts.

The Company has established websites in both Chinese and English as the platform for disclosure of the Company's information. The Company publishes its announcements, financial information and other relevant information on the website at www.hnr.com.cn. Shareholders are welcome to make enquiries directly to the Company and the Company will respond to all enquiries in a timely and appropriate manner.

During the Reporting Period, the Company convened one annual general meeting and one extraordinary general meeting.

According to Article 63 of the Articles of Association, the Directors shall convene an extraordinary general meeting within two months where shareholder(s) who individually or jointly holds 10% or more of the Company's issued and outstanding voting shares request(s) in writing for the convening of an extraordinary general meeting.

According to Article 66 of the Articles of Association, when the Company convenes a shareholders' general meeting, shareholder(s) holding 3% or more of the total voting shares of the Company are entitled to propose to the Company in writing ad hoc resolutions, which if within the functions and powers of the shareholders' general meeting, are required to be added to the agenda of the general meeting. The content of such resolutions mentioned shall (1) fall within the business scope of the Company and the functions and powers of the shareholders' general meeting without violating any laws and regulations; (2) contain definite subjects for discussion and specific matters to be resolved; and (3) be delivered or served on the Board in writing 10 days prior to the date of the shareholders' general meeting.

Shareholders may send written enquiries or proposals to the Company's principal place of business in Hong Kong at 36th Floor, Tower Two, Times Square, 1 Matheson Street, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong.

#### 9. ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

In order to reflect the new share capital structure as well as the registered capital of the Company and the amendment of relevant laws and regulations such as the "Company Law of the People's Republic of China" and "Guidelines for Articles of Association of Chinese Listed Companies", the amendments of the Articles of Association were approved at the 2015 annual general meeting held on 23 June 2016.

#### **10. COMPANY SECRETARY**

During the Reporting Period, Ms. SONG Yuhong served as the sole company secretary of the Company. During the Reporting Period, Ms. SONG had duly complied with the relevant training requirement under Rule 3.29 of the Listing Rules, satisfying the requirement of 15 hours per year.

The Board hereby presents to shareholders the annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016.

## PRINCIPAL BUSINESS

The Company is principally engaged in wind power generation. Details of the subsidiaries, an associate and a joint venture of the Company are set out in Notes 16, 17 and 18 to the Financial Statements.

#### SHARE ISSUE AND LISTING

The Company issued by way of initial public offering (the "**IPO**") an aggregate of 2,646,898,000 H shares (upon partial exercise of over-allotment option) with a nominal value of RMB1.00 each at a price of HK\$2.50 per H share. Subsequent to that, the listing of shares of the Company on the main board of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange took place in June 2011. 264,688,800 state-owned shares with a nominal value of RMB1.00 each were converted into H shares under international offering on a one-for-one basis and transferred to the National Council for Social Security Fund of the PRC. The total number of shares of the Company after the IPO was 8,446,898,000 shares, including 5,535,311,200 domestic shares and 2,911,586,800 H shares.

On 21 October 2013, the Company completed the placing of an aggregate of 582,317,360 H shares, representing approximately 6.40% of the total number of issued shares (as enlarged by the allotment and issue of the placing shares) and approximately 16.70% of the total number of H shares in issue (as enlarged by the allotment and issue of the placing shares). After the placing, the total number of issued shares of the Company increased from 8,446,898,000 shares to 9,029,215,360 shares. The total number of issued H shares increased from 2,911,586,800 H shares to 3,493,904,160 H shares. As at 31 December 2013, China Huaneng Group, the controlling shareholder of the Company, directly and indirectly held 61.30% of the Company's total issued shares. For further details, please refer to the Company's announcements dated 15 October 2013 and 21 October 2013, respectively. Approximately HK\$155 million was not yet utilized as at 31 December 2016.

On 23 December 2014, the Company completed the placing of an aggregate of 698,780,832 H shares, representing approximately 7.18% of the total number of issued shares (as enlarged by the allotment and issue of the placing shares) and approximately 16.67% of the total number of H shares in issue (as enlarged by the allotment and issue of the placing shares). After the placing, the total number of issued shares of the Company increased from 9,029,215,360 shares to 9,727,996,192 shares. The total number of issued H shares increased from 3,493,904,160 H shares to 4,192,684,992 H shares. As at 31 December 2014, China Huaneng Group, the controlling shareholder of the Company, directly and indirectly held 56.90% of the Company's total issued shares. For further details, please refer to the Company's announcements dated 16 December 2014 and 23 December 2014. The net proceeds from the placing amounted to approximately HK\$1,720,613,283 (after deduction of the commissions and estimated expense), which has been fully utilized as at 31 December 2016.

#### SHARE CAPITAL

As at 31 December 2016, the Company had 9,727,996,192 shares in issue with nominal value of RMB1.00 each. The total issued share capital of the Company was RMB9,727,996,192.

#### RESULTS

The audited results of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2016 are set out in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income on page 86 to page 87. The financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2016 is set out in the consolidated statement of financial position on page 88 to page 89. The consolidated cash flow of Group for the year ended 31 December 2016 is set out in the consolidated cash flow statement on page 91 to page 93.

A discussion and analysis of the Group performance during the year, financial position as at the end of the year and the material factors underlying its results and future development in the Company's business are set out in the section headed "Management Discussion and Analysis" on page 18 to page 30.

# RESERVES

Details of the movements in reserves of the Company during the year are set out in Note 29(a) to the Financial Statements. At as 31 December 2016, the aggregate amount of reserves available for distribution to equity shareholders of the Company was RMB1,272,401,000 (2015: RMB909,477,000).

#### PROFIT DISTRIBUTION

The Board recommends the payment of a final dividend of RMB0.041 per ordinary share (tax inclusive) in cash. Subject to the approval in the annual general meeting, final dividends will be distributed on or before 21 August 2017.

In accordance with the Enterprise Income Tax Law of the People's Republic of China and its implementation regulations which came into effect on 1 January 2008, the Company is required to withhold and pay enterprise income tax at the rate of 10% on behalf of the non-resident enterprise shareholders whose names appear on the register of members for H shares of the Company when distributing final dividends to them. Any H shares registered not under the name of an individual shareholder, including HKSCC Nominees Limited, other nominees, agents or trustees, or other organizations or groups, shall be deemed as shares held by non-resident enterprise shareholders. Therefore, on this basis, enterprise income tax shall be withheld from dividends payable to such shareholders. If holders of H shares intend to change its shareholder status, please enquire about the relevant procedures with your agents or trustees. The Company will strictly comply with the laws or the requirements of the relevant government authority and withhold and pay enterprise income tax on behalf of the relevant shareholders based on the register of members for H shares of the Company.

For the individual holders of the H shares who are Hong Kong or Macau residents or residents of the countries which had an agreed tax rate of 10% for dividend with China under the relevant tax agreement, the Company should withhold and pay individual income tax on behalf of the relevant shareholders at a rate of 10%. Should the individual holders of the H shares are residents of the countries which had an agreed tax rate of less than 10% with China under the relevant tax agreement, the Company shall withhold and pay individual income tax on behalf of the relevant shareholders at a rate of 10%. In that case, if the relevant individual holders of the H shares wish to reclaim the extra amount withheld due to the application of 10% tax rate, the Company can apply for the relevant agreed preferential tax treatment pursuant to the Notice of the State Administration of Taxation in relation to the Administrative Measures on Preferential Treatment Entitled by Non-residents under Tax Treaties (Tentative) (Guo Shui Fa [2009] No.124) (《國家稅務總局關於印發〈非居民享受税收協議待遇管 理辦法(試行)〉的通知》(國税法[2009]124號)). The Company will assist with the tax refund after the approval of the competent tax authority. Should the individual holders of the H shares are residents of the countries which had an agreed tax rate of over 10% but less than 20% with China under the tax agreement, the Company shall withhold and pay the individual income tax at the agreed actual rate in accordance with the relevant tax agreement. In the case that the individual holders of the H shares are residents of the countries which had an agreed tax rate of 20% with China, or which has not entered into any tax agreement with China, or otherwise, the Company shall withhold and pay the individual income tax at a rate of 20%.

## PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Please refer to Note 13 to the Financial Statements for details of properties, plants and equipments of the Group during the year.

#### **BONDS**

During the year, the Company successfully issued short-term debentures with an amount of RMB2 billion, super short-term debentures with an amount of RMB8 billion, and green corporate bonds with an amount of RMB1.14 billion in meeting its operational needs. For other relevant information, please refer to Note 23 to the financial statements.

#### BANK LOANS AND OTHER BORROWINGS

Details of bank loans and other borrowings of the Company as of 31 December 2016 are set out in Note 23 to the Financial Statements.

# PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF THE COMPANY'S LISTED SECURITIES

Between 1 January 2016 and 31 December 2016 (the "**Reporting Period**"), neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, sold or redeemed any listed securities of the Company.

#### PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS

According to the Articles of Association and PRC laws, there are no provisions for preemptive rights requiring the Company to offer new shares to existing shareholders of the Company in proportion to their shareholdings.

# **DIRECTORS, SUPERVISORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT**

The following table sets forth certain information concerning the Directors, supervisors and senior management of the Company during the Reporting Period<sup>(1)</sup>.

Name	Position in the Company	Date of Appointment
CAO Peixi	Chairman of the Board, Non-executive Director	4 August 2010
ZHANG Tingke	Vice Chairman of the Board, Non-executive Director	1 November 2011
WANG Kui	Non-executive Director	12 August 2014
LIN Gang	Executive Director, President	23 February 2012
XIAO Jun	Executive Director, Vice President	21 June 2013
YANG Qing	Executive Director, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	4 August 2010
HE Yan	Executive Director, Vice President	12 August 2014
QIN Haiyan	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010
DAI Huizhu	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010
ZHOU Shaopeng	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010
WAN Kam To	Independent Non-executive Director	6 August 2010
HUANG Jian	Chief Supervisor	1 November 2011
WANG Huanliang	Supervisor	4 August 2010
YU Zewei (2)	Supervisor	27 July 2012
SHI Yan (2)	Supervisor	15 March 2016
HE Ji	Vice President	19 December 2012
DING Kun	Vice President	29 April 2011
YAN Shusen	Vice President	23 August 2011
SHI Yan	Vice President	12 August 2014
AO Hai	Vice President	12 August 2014
SONG Yuhong	Company Secretary	4 August 2010

# Notes:

- (1) On 28 March 2017, Mr. CAO Peixi resigned as the Chairman of the Board and Non-executive Director of the Company due to work adjustment, Mr. ZHANG Tingke resigned as the Vice Chairman of the Board and Nonexecutive Director of the Company due to retirement, Mr. XIAO Jun resigned as the Executive Director of the Company due to work adjustment, and Mr. HE Yan resigned as the Executive Director of the Company due to work adjustment. On the same day, the Board of the Company appointed Mr. LU Fei, Mr. SUN Deqiang and Mr. DAI Xinmin as the Non-executive Directors of the Company, and Mr. LIN Gang was appointed as the Chairman of the Board while Mr. CAO Shiguang was appointed as the Executive Director and President of the Company. Due to work adjustment, on the same day, Ms. YANG Qing resigned as the chief accountant of the Company, and the Board has resolved to appoint Mr. CAO Shiguang to assume the role of the chief accountant of the Company.
- The term of YU Zewei as a supervisor expired upon conclusion of the 2015 annual general meeting of the Company. (2) On 15 March 2016, Mr. SHI Yan was elected as the staff represtative supervisor of the third session of the supervisory committee by the staff of the Company.

## BIOGRAPHIES OF DIRECTORS, SUPERVISORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

Biographical details of Directors, supervisors and senior management are set out on page 73 to page 80 of this annual report.

## SERVICE CONTRACTS OF DIRECTORS AND SUPERVISORS

Each of the Directors and supervisors has entered into service contracts with the Company. None of the Directors or supervisors has entered into a service contract with the Company which is not determinable by the Company within one year without payment of compensation, other than statutory compensation.

# REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND SUPERVISORS

Details of the remuneration of the Directors and supervisors of the Company are set out in Note 9 to the Financial Statements.

# INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND SUPERVISORS IN TRANSACTION, ARRANGEMENT OR CONTRACT OF SIGNIFICANCE

During the financial year ended 31 December 2016, there was no transaction, arrangement or contract of significance in relation to the Company's business in which the Company or its subsidiaries was a party or in which a Director and supervisor or their connected entities had a material interest, either directly or indirectly, subsisting during the financial year ended 31 December 2016.

# INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS IN COMPETING BUSINESS

During the year of 2016, save as disclosed below, none of the Directors and their associates had any competing interests in any business which competed or was likely to compete, either directly or indirectly, with the business of the Company:

Name	Position in the Company	Other Interests
CAO Peixi	Chairman of the Board, Non-executive Director	President of Huaneng Group, chairman of Huaneng International Power Development Corporation ("HIPDC"), chairman and an executive director of Huaneng Power International, Inc. ("HPI")
ZHANG Tingke	Vice Chairman of the Board, Non-executive Director	Vice president of Huaneng Group, chairman of Huaneng Shandong Shidao Bay Nuclear Power Co., Ltd.
WANG Kui	Non-executive Director	Chief of planning department of Huaneng Group

# INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS OF THE DIRECTORS, SUPERVISORS AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE IN THE SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND **DEBENTURES**

As at 31 December 2016, none of the Directors, supervisors or chief executive of the Company had any interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (as defined in Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance of Hong Kong (the "SFO")) which would have to be notified to the Company and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of the SFO (including interests or short positions which they were deemed or taken to have under such provisions of the SFO), or which have to be recorded under section 352 of the SFO in the register referred to therein, or which were required to be notified to the Company and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

# INTEREST AND SHORT POSITIONS OF SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS AND OTHER PERSONS IN THE SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES

As at 31 December 2016, to the best knowledge of the Directors, the following persons (other than the Directors, chief executive or supervisors of the Company) had interests or short positions in the shares or underlying shares of the Company which would fall to be disclosed by the Company pursuant to Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to section 336 of the SFO:

				Approximate	
				percentage	Approximate
				in the	percentage
				relevant	in the total
				class of	share
Name of	Class of	Capacity/Nature of	Number of shares	shares	capital
shareholder	shares	interests	held (Shares)	$(\%)^{(2)}$	$(\%)^{(3)}$
Controlling shareholder					
China Huaneng	Domestic	Beneficial owner/Interest of	5,535,311,200	100%	56.90%
Group <sup>(1)</sup>	shares	controlled corporation	(Long position)		
Other substantial shareholders					
JPMorgan Chase	H shares	Beneficial owner/Investment	286,973,707	6.84%	2.95%
& Co.		manager/Custodian	(Long position)		
			890,000	0.02%	0.01%
			(Short position)		
			257,578,340	6.14%	2.65%
			(Lending pool)		
National Council for	H shares	Beneficial owner	280,192,800	6.68%	2.88%
Social Security Fun	d		(Long position)		

			Approximate	;	
				percentage in the	Approximate percentage
				relevant class of	in the total share
Name of	Class of	Capacity/Nature of	Number of shares	shares	capital
shareholder	shares	interests	held (Shares)	$(\%)^{(2)}$	$(\%)^{(3)}$
Citigroup Inc.	H shares	Interest of controlled	249,970,871	5.96%	2.57%
		corporation/Custodian/	(Long position)		
		Person having a security	232,381,877	5.54%	2.39%
		interest in share	(Lending pool)		
BlackRock, Inc.	H shares	Interest of controlled	216,106,917	5.15%	2.22%
		corporation	(Long position)		
			4,737,300	0.11%	0.05%
			(Short position)		

#### Notes:

- (1) China Huaneng Group is beneficially interested in 5,258,545,640 domestic shares, representing approximately 54.06% of the total share capital of the Company. Huaneng Capital Services Corporation Ltd. ("Huaneng Capital") is interested in 276,765,560 domestic shares, representing approximately 2.85% of the total share capital of the Company. Since Huaneng Capital is a wholly-owned subsidiary of China Huaneng Group, China Huaneng Group is therefore taken to be interested in the domestic shares held by Huaneng Capital, with a total interest of 56.90%. Percentages may not add up to the total due to rounding.
- (2) It is calculated on the basis that the Company has issued 5,535,311,200 domestic shares or 4,192,684,992 H shares as at 31 December 2016.
- (3) It is calculated on the basis that the Company has issued 9,727,996,192 shares as at 31 December 2016.

# DIRECTORS' AND SUPERVISORS' RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES OR DEBENTURES

Save as otherwise disclosed in this annual report, at no time during the Reporting Period was the Company or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangement that would enable the Directors and Supervisors to acquire benefits by means of acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporate, and none of the Directors, Supervisors or any of their spouses or children under the age of 18 were granted any right to subscribe for the equity or debt securities of the Company or any other body corporate or had exercised any such right.

#### MANAGEMENT CONTRACT

The Company did not enter into any contract in respect of the management or administration of the entire or any significant part of the business of the Company nor did any such contract subsist at any time during 2016.

# SIGNIFICANT EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

There were no significant events subsequent to 31 December 2016.

## CONNECTED TRANSACTIONS

#### 1. Non-exempt Continuing Connected Transactions of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2016

The Company has entered into certain non-exempt continuing connected transactions during 2016. The table below sets out the annual caps for 2016 and the actual transaction amounts of such connected transactions:

Connected Transaction	Connected Person	Annual Cap for 2016 (RMB'000)	Transaction Amount for 2016 (RMB'000)
Provision of production services to the Company	Huaneng Group	123,700	57,592
2. Provision of insurance services to the Company	Huaneng Group	105,000	63,916
3. Provision of office leasing and related property services to the Company	Huaneng Group	50,000	33,304
4. Provision of production services to Huaneng Group	Huaneng Group	11,000	1,220
5. Provision of deposit services to the Company	China Huaneng Finance Corporation Limited ("Huaneng Finance")	2,500,000	2,499,122(1)
6. Entering into of Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement	Huaneng Carbon Asset Management Co., Ltd. ("Huaneng Carbon Asset Management")	6,000	0
7. Provision of financial leasing services to the Company	Huaneng Tiancheng Financial Leasing Co., Ltd. ("Tiancheng Leasing Company")	750,000 and lease interest of 50,000	278,632 <sup>(2)</sup> and lease interest of 19,224

#### Notes:

- (1) The actual transaction amount disclosed represents the highest daily deposit balance.
- (2) The actual transaction amount disclosed represents the balance as at 31 December 2016.

Actual

(1) On 25 October 2013, the Company entered into the Connected Transactions Framework Agreement related to a number of other continuing connected transactions with Huaneng Group for a term of three years commencing on 1 January 2014. Pursuant to the Framework Agreement, (i) the Company will procure production services from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2014, 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2016 are RMB89.20 million, RMB105.70 million and RMB123.70 million, respectively); (ii) the Company will procure insurance services from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2014, 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2016 are RMB75.00 million, RMB90.00 million and RMB105.00 million, respectively); (iii) the Company will lease offices and procure related property services from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2014, 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2016 are RMB30.32 million, RMB32.37 million and RMB34.42 million, respectively); and (iv) the Company will offer production services to Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2014, 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2016 are RMB9.00 million, RMB10.00 million and RMB11.00 million, respectively). On 15 March 2016, the Company announced that the annual cap for the leasing of office buildings and purchase of related property services by the Company from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates for the year ending 31 December 2016 was revised to RMB50.00 million.

Pursuant to the Connected Transactions Framework Agreement, the pricing terms with respect to the purchase of production services by the Company from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the prevailing market rates, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar type of services in the PRC.

The pricing terms with respect to the purchase of insurance by the Company from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the guidelines from time to time promulgated by the China Insurance Regulatory Commission, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar type of insurance services in the PRC.

The pricing terms with respect to the leasing of office buildings and purchase of related property services by the Company from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the prevailing market rates, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar leases of office buildings and related property services in the PRC.

The pricing terms with respect to the sale of production services by the Company to Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the prevailing market rates, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar type of services in the PRC.

As at the date the Company entered into the Connected Transactions Framework Agreement, being 25 October 2013, Huaneng Group held a 61.30% equity interest in the Company, including a 58.24% equity interest directly held by Huaneng Group and a 3.07% equity interest held through Huaneng Capital, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Huaneng Group. As such, Huaneng Group is a connected person of the Company and the transactions between the Company and Huaneng Group constitute continuing connected transactions pursuant to the Listing Rules. For more information on the continuing connected transactions, please refer to the Company's announcement dated 25 October 2013.

The actual transaction amounts of the above four continuing connected transactions in 2016 are RMB57.59 million, RMB63.92 million, RMB33.30 million and RMB1.22 million respectively, which are within the annual caps disclosed in the annuancements of the Company dated 25 October 2013 and 15 March 2016.

(2) On 30 December 2013, the Company entered into the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement with Huaneng Finance for a term commencing on 1 January 2014 and expiring on 31 December 2016. Pursuant to the new Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, the following transactions will be entered into: (i) placing deposits by the Company with Huaneng Finance; and (ii) provision of loan advancement by Huaneng Finance to the Company.

Pursuant to the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, the terms and pricing arrangements with respect to the deposit transactions are negotiated on arm's length, and will be fixed within the margin of official deposit interest rates published by the People's Bank of China from time to time. Huaneng Finance shall provide deposit interest on commercial terms that are based on arm's length negotiations and no less favourable than those offered by independent third parties for similar services to the Company in the PRC.

As at the date the Company entered into the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, being 30 December 2013, Huaneng Group held a 61.30% equity interest in the Company, including a 58.24% equity interest directly held by Huaneng Group and a 3.07% equity interest held through Huaneng Capital, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Huaneng Group. Huaneng Group currently holds a 51.00% equity interest in Huaneng Finance. As such, Huaneng Finance is an associate of Huaneng Group and a connected person of the Company, and the new Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder constitute continuing connected transactions of the Company.

Under the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2014, 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2016 are RMB2.5 billion respectively. The actual transaction amount of the continuing connected transactions in 2016 is RMB2.499 billion, which is within the annual cap disclosed in the annual central three company dated 30 December 2013.

For details of the transactions, please refer to the Company's announcements dated 25 October 2013 and 30 December 2013, and the Company's circular dated 20 January 2014.

On 30 June 2014, the Company entered into the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement with Huaneng Carbon Asset Management. The Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement is effective for a term commencing from 30 June 2014 to 31 December 2016. Under the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement, the Company will provide Huaneng Carbon Asset Management with information on the domestic voluntary emission reduction project, and entrust Huaneng Carbon Asset Management to proceed with project development. Huaneng Carbon Asset Management will accept the entrustment from Huaneng Group and the Company and use a specified funding from Huaneng Group to develop the above voluntary emission reduction project.

Pursuant to the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement, if the relevant reduction emission project is registered successfully, the Company will enter into another agreement with either Huaneng Group or Huaneng Carbon Asset Management pursuant to the terms of the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement to deal with the allocation arrangements on the principle that project revenue will be allocated to the special accounts opened or designated by the Company and Huaneng Group (or Huaneng Carbon Asset Management) for receiving revenue from emission reduction units in accordance with the tiered proportions set out below:

CCER market price (per tonne)	Proportion allocated to Huaneng Group	Proportion allocated to the Company
Lower than RMB3	70%	30%
RMB3 (inclusive) to RMB5	60%	40%
RMB5 (inclusive) to RMB8	50%	50%
RMB8 (inclusive) to RMB10	40%	60%
RMB10 or above	30%	70%

If no emission reduction is achieved as a result of the project being not registered or no certification having been issued by the project, the Company needs not to pay any fees to the Huaneng Group account or pay reductions to a special reductions account.

Under the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement, each of the proposed annual caps for 2014, 2015 and 2016 are RMB6 million. The Company is not required to pay any fees for the first certification or before the first certification. However, upon successful registration of the project, it is required to pay in advance for the certification fees for the second or subsequent certifications (consultation fees for project supervision after the second or subsequent certification will be negotiated by both parties separately and determined after signing of the certification service agreement) and deduct the same before allocating project revenue. The proposed annual caps, consideration and payment arrangements were negotiated on arm's length terms, taking into account the prevailing market conditions. The pricing policy of the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement was reflected in the tiered proportions and the Company's share of the revenue from emission reduction units following the obtaining of different stage(s) of emission reductions certification. Such pricing policy was based on arm's length negotiation taking into account the risks associated with the development of domestic voluntary emission reduction projects and the risks associated with the revenue to be generated from selling of the CCER units. As at the date the Company entered into the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement, being 30 June 2014, Huaneng Group held a 61.30% equity interest in the Company, including a 58.24% equity interest directly held by Huaneng Group and a 3.07% equity interest held through Huaneng Capital, a whollyowned subsidiary of Huaneng Group. Huaneng Carbon Asset Management has five existing shareholders, all of which are units under Huaneng Group (with Huaneng Capital holding 60%, the Company holding 10%, Huaneng Sichuan Hydropower Co., Ltd. holding 10%, Huaneng Lancang River Hydropower Co., Ltd. ("Huaneng Lancang River") holding 10%, and Xi'an Thermal Power Research Institute Co., Ltd. holding 10%). As such, Huaneng Carbon Asset Management is a connected person of the Company and the transaction as contemplated under the Domestic Voluntary Emission Reduction Project Development Agreement constitutes a continuing connected transaction of the Company.

The actual transaction amount of the continuing connected transactions in 2016 is nil, which is within the annual cap disclosed in the Company's announcement dated 30 June 2014.

(4) On 12 August 2014, the Company entered into the Strategic Cooperation Agreement with Tiancheng Leasing Company. The Strategic Cooperation Agreement is effective for a term commencing from 12 August 2014 to 31 December 2016. Under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement, Tiancheng Leasing Company will provide the Company with financial leasing services. On 15 March 2016, the Company and Tiancheng Leasing Company entered into a legally binding Memorandum on the Strategic Cooperation Agreement, pursuant to which the Company and Tiancheng Leasing Company has agreed to amend certain provisions of the Strategic Cooperation Agreement, so as to expand the type of financial leasing services and revise the annual cap for transaction amount of financial leasing and transaction amount of lease interest for 2016 to RMB750 million and the annual cap with respect to the lease interest for 2016 to RMB50 million.

The Directors and senior management of the Company will monitor closely and review regularly the financial leasing transactions contemplated under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement. The Company will adopt a series of risk management arrangements, and endeavour to maintain, in relation to the financial leasing transactions, the independence of the Company; the fairness of the amount of each financial lease(s); the fairness of the terms of the transactions; and the right of the Company to obtain financial lease service from independent third parties other than Tiancheng Leasing Company. The lease interest will be determined by the parties on a just and fair basis, taking into account the market conditions and referring to the benchmark lending rates for term loans promulgated by the People's Bank of China from time to time, and will be no less favourable than those offered to the Company by domestic independent third parties for provision of similar service. Handling fee, if any, will be charged on terms no less favourable than those offered by independent third parties to the Company and its subsidiaries, by Tiancheng Leasing Company and payable by the Company and its subsidiaries when financial leasing agreement under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement is entered into and at a rate determined by reference to, among others, the rate charged by the other domestic major financial institutions in the PRC in relation to finance leasing of the same or similar types of assets, or if available, the applicable rates published by the People's Bank of China for this kind of services from time to time, and will be set out in the relevant written finance lease(s). The rate of the lease interest will be determined at the inception of each financial leasing agreement under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement. In the event that the People's Bank of China adjusts the annual RMB benchmark lending rate for term loan during the subsistence of the relevant financial leasing agreement, there will be corresponding adjustment(s) to the interest rate. The transaction amount shall be payable in arrears on a quarterly or yearly basis or such other intervals as the parties may agree.

Under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement, Memorandum on the Strategic Cooperation Agreement and the Company's announcements dated 12 August 2014, 15 September 2014 and 15 March 2016, each of the proposed annual caps for 2014 and 2015 are RMB900 million respectively. The annual caps of lease interest are RMB50.00 million and RMB85.00 million. The annual cap for transaction amount of financial leasing and transaction amount of lease interest for 2016 was revised to RMB750 million and the annual cap with respect to the lease interest for 2016 was revised to RMB50 million.

As at the date the Company entered into the Strategic Cooperation Agreement, being 12 August 2014, Huaneng Group held a 61.30% equity interest in the Company, including a 58.24% equity interest held directly by Huaneng Group and a 3.07% equity interest held through Huaneng Capital, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Huaneng Group. Tiancheng Leasing Company has four existing shareholders, all of which are units under Huaneng Group (with the Company holding 15%, Huaneng Capital holding 45%, China Hua Neng Group Hong Kong Limited ("Hua Neng HK") holding 25%, and Huaneng Lancang River holding 15%). As such, Tiancheng Leasing Company is a connected person of the Company and the transaction contemplated under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement constitutes a continuing connected transaction of the Company under the Listing Rules.

The actual transaction amount of the continuing connected transaction in 2016 is RMB278.63 million and lease interest is RMB19.22 million, which is within the annual cap disclosed in the Company's announcements dated 12 August 2014, 15 September 2014 and 15 March 2016.

The Independent Non-executive Directors have reviewed each of the above continuing connected transactions and confirmed that such transactions have been:

- (1) entered into in the ordinary and usual course of business of the Company and its subsidiaries:
- conducted on normal commercial terms or better terms; and (2)
- (3) conducted according to the agreements governing them on terms that are fair and reasonable and in the interests of the shareholders of the Company as a whole.

The Company has engaged KPMG, its external auditor, to report on the Company's abovementioned continuing connected transactions in accordance with Hong Kong Standard on Assurance Engagements 3000 "Assurance Engagement Other Than Audits or Reviews of Historical Financial Information" and with reference to Practice Note No. 740 "Auditor Letter on Continuing Connected Transactions under the Hong Kong Listing Rules". The auditor has issued an unqualified letter containing their conclusions in respect of the continuing connected transactions set out above in accordance with Rule 14A.56 of the Listing Rules. A copy of the auditor letter has been provided by the Company to the Hong Kong Stock Exchange.

The related party transactions in 2016 that fall under the definition of "Continuing Connected Transaction" in Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules were disclosed in Note 33(a) to the Financial Statements prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs"). The Company has complied with the disclosure requirements in accordance with Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules.

# 2. Non-exempt Continuing Connected Transactions of the Company for the years from 2017 to 2019

(1) On 12 August 2016, the Company entered into the Connected Transactions Framework Agreement related to a number of continuing connected transactions with Huaneng Group for a term of three years commencing on 1 January 2017. Pursuant to the Framework Agreement, (i) the Company will procure production services from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2017, 31 December 2018 and 31 December 2019 are RMB75.00 million, RMB78.50 million and RMB82.00 million, respectively); (ii) the Company will procure insurance services from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2017, 31 December 2018 and 31 December 2019 are RMB105.00 million, RMB110.00 million and RMB115.00 million, respectively); (iii) the Company will lease offices and procure related property services from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2017, 31 December 2018 and 31 December 2019 are RMB62.00 million, RMB72.00 million and RMB77.00 million, respectively); and (iv) the Company will offer production services to Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates (the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2017, 31 December 2018 and 31 December 2019 are RMB1.80 million, RMB2.00 million and RMB2.20 million, respectively).

Pursuant to the Connected Transactions Framework Agreement, the pricing terms with respect to the purchase of production services by the Company from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the prevailing market rates, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar type of services in the PRC.

The pricing terms with respect to the purchase of insurance by the Company from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the guidelines from time to time promulgated by the China Insurance Regulatory Commission, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar type of insurance services in the PRC.

The pricing terms with respect to the leasing of office buildings and purchase of related property services by the Company from Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the prevailing market rates, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar leases of office buildings and related property services in the PRC.

The pricing terms with respect to the sale of production services by the Company to Huaneng Group and its subsidiaries and associates will be agreed following arm's length negotiations between the relevant parties with reference to the prevailing market rates, but in any event at terms and prices no less favourable than those offered to the Company by an independent third party for the same or similar type of services in the PRC.

As at the date the Company entered into the Connected Transactions Framework Agreement, being 12 August 2016, Huaneng Group held a 56.90% equity interest in the Company, including a 54.06% equity interest directly held by Huaneng Group and a 2.85% equity interest held through Huaneng Capital, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Huaneng Group. As such, Huaneng Group is a connected person of the Company and the transactions between the Company and Huaneng Group constitute continuing connected transactions pursuant to the Listing Rules. For more information on the continuing connected transactions, please refer to the Company's announcement dated 12 August 2016.

(2) On 12 August 2016, the Company entered into the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement with Huaneng Finance for a term commencing on 1 January 2017 and expiring on 31 December 2019. Pursuant to the new Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, the following transactions will be entered into: (i) placing deposits by the Company with Huaneng Finance; and (ii) provision of loan advancement by Huaneng Finance to the Company.

Pursuant to the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, the terms and pricing arrangements with respect to the deposit transactions are negotiated on arm's length, and will be fixed within the margin of official deposit interest rates published by the People's Bank of China from time to time. Huaneng Finance shall provide deposit interest on commercial terms that are based on arm's length negotiations and no less favourable than those offered by independent third parties for similar services to the Company in the PRC.

As at the date the Company entered into the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, being 12 August 2016, Huaneng Group held a 56.90% equity interest in the Company, including a 54.06% equity interest directly held by Huaneng Group and a 2.85% equity interest held through Huaneng Capital, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Huaneng Group. Huaneng Group currently holds a 51.00% equity interest in Huaneng Finance. As such, Huaneng Finance is an associate of Huaneng Group and a connected person of the Company, and the new Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereunder constitute continuing connected transactions of the Company.

Under the Deposit and Loan Services Framework Agreement, the annual caps for the three years ending 31 December 2017, 31 December 2018 and 31 December 2019 are RMB2.5 billion respectively. For details of the transactions, please refer to the Company's announcement dated 12 August 2016 and the Company's circular dated 14 September 2016.

(3) On 12 August 2016, the Company entered into the Strategic Cooperation Agreement with Tiancheng Leasing Company. The Strategic Cooperation Agreement is effective for a term commencing from 1 January 2017 to 31 December 2019. Pursuant to the Strategic Cooperation Agreement, Tiancheng Leasing Company will provide financial leasing services to the Company and its subsidiaries by way of direct lease, sale-and-leaseback and entrusted lease.

The Directors and senior management of the Company will monitor closely and review regularly the financial leasing transactions contemplated under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement. The Company will adopt a series of risk management arrangements, and endeavour to maintain, in relation to the financial leasing transactions, the independence of the Company; the fairness of the amount of each financial lease(s); the fairness of the terms of the transactions; and the right of the Company to obtain financial lease service from independent third parties other than Tiancheng Leasing Company. The lease interest will be determined by the parties on a just and fair basis, taking into account the market conditions and referring to the benchmark lending rates for term loans promulgated by the People's Bank of China from time to time, and will be no less favourable than those offered to the Company by domestic independent third parties for provision of similar service. Handling fee, if any, will be charged on terms no less favourable than those offered by independent third parties to the Company and its subsidiaries, by Tiancheng Leasing Company and payable by the Company and its subsidiaries when financial leasing agreement under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement is entered into and at a rate determined by reference to, among others, the rate charged by the other domestic major financial institutions in the PRC in relation to finance leasing of the same or similar types of assets, or if available, the applicable rates published by the People's Bank of China for this kind of services from time to time, and will be set out in the relevant written finance lease(s). The rate of the lease interest will be determined at the inception of each financial leasing agreement under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement. In the event that the People's Bank of China adjusts the annual RMB benchmark lending rate for term loan during the subsistence of the relevant financial leasing agreement, there will be corresponding adjustment(s) to the interest rate. The transaction amount shall be payable in arrears on a quarterly or yearly basis or such other intervals as the parties may agree.

Under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement and the Company's announcement dated 12 August 2016, each of the proposed annual caps of transaction amount for 2017, 2018 and 2019 are RMB850 million respectively, and the annual caps of lease interest are RMB50.00 million respectively.

As at the date the Company entered into the Strategic Cooperation Agreement, being 12 August 2016 Huaneng Group held a 56.90% entity interest in the Company, including a 54.06% equity interest held directly by Huaneng Group and a 2.85% equity interest held through Huaneng Capital, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Huaneng Group. Tiancheng Leasing Company has four existing shareholders, all of which are units under Huaneng Group (with the Company holding 5.56%, Huaneng Renewables (Hong Kong) Limited holding 4.44%, Huaneng Capital holding 39%, Hua Neng HK holding 21%, Huaneng Power International, Inc. holding 20% and Huaneng Lancang River holding 10%). As such, Tiancheng Leasing Company is a connected person of the Company and the transaction contemplated under the Strategic Cooperation Agreement constitutes a continuing connected transaction of the Company under the Listing Rules.

For details of the transactions, please refer to the Company's announcement dated 12 August 2016.

#### COMPLIANCE WITH NON-COMPETITION AGREEMENT

The Company entered into the Non-Competition Agreement with Huaneng Group on 6 August 2010, as amended by a supplemental agreement dated 23 November 2010, under which Huaneng Group agreed not to compete with us in our core businesses and granted the Company the option for new business opportunities, the option for acquisitions and the pre-emptive rights. Pursuant to the agreement, the Independent Non-executive Directors are responsible for reviewing and considering whether or not to take up a new business opportunity referred to by Huaneng Group or exercise pre-emptive rights, and such decision will be made by the Independent Nonexecutive Directors. Also, the Independent Non-executive Directors will perform a periodic review on the retained business (as defined in the Company's prospectus dated 30 May 2011) by Huaneng Group's unlisted subsidiaries and make recommendations to the Board as to whether to exercise the option to acquire any of the retained business by Huaneng Group's unlisted subsidiaries.

During the year, the Independent Non-executive Directors have reviewed the implementation of the Non-Competition Agreement and have confirmed that Huaneng Group had been in full compliance with the agreement and there was no breach by Huaneng Group.

# MAJOR CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS

For the year ended 31 December 2016, purchase from the Group's five largest suppliers as defined under the Listing Rules in aggregate accounted for less than 23.19% of the Group's total purchase of goods and services for the year.

For the year ended 31 December 2016, sales to the Group's five largest customers in aggregate contributed 56.9% of the Group's total sales for the year, among which, sales to the largest customer contributed 13.5% of the Group's total sales for the year.

During the year, so far as the Directors are aware, none of the Directors, associates of the Directors or any shareholders of the Company (who to the knowledge of the Directors owns more than 5% equity interests of the Company's issued share capital) had any interest in the Company's five largest suppliers or five largest customers during the year.

#### **REMUNERATION POLICIES**

As at 31 December 2016, the Company had 2,222 full-time employees. Remuneration of employees of the Company will be determined based on the complexity involved with the positions and the responsibilities to be performed by the employees, as well as with reference to work performance. The remuneration of the Directors, supervisors and senior management of the Company includes the following components:

#### **(1)** Basic salary and allowance (excluding the allowance of independent Directors)

Basic salary will be determined based on evaluation and factor analysis of a particular position with reference to relevant salaries in the market. The Company and its subsidiaries contribute housing fund and other social insurance for its employees in accordance with relevant regulations. All these account for approximately 36% of the total remuneration.

#### (2) Bonus

Bonus will be determined based on the performance of the Directors, supervisors and senior management, which accounts for approximately 48% of the total remuneration.

#### (3) Pension contribution

All Directors, supervisors and senior management are entitled to the pension plan maintained by the Company, including basic pension insurance and enterprise annuity. Pension contribution accounts for approximately 10% of the total remuneration.

The Company will pay an annual service fee of RMB140 thousand (before tax) to each independent Director, and will reimburse reasonable expenses (including travel and office expenses) incurred by independent Directors in connection with their attendance of Board meetings, shareholders' meetings and performance of their responsibilities in accordance with the Company Law and Articles of Association. Save and except for the above, the Company provides no other benefit to the independent Directors.

During the Reporting Period, the Company's senior management positions included President, Vice-President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary to the Board, and their remunerations ranged from approximately RMB630,000 to RMB910,000 (before tax).

## RETIREMENT AND EMPLOYEES BENEFIT SCHEME

Details of the Company's retirement and employees benefit scheme are set out in Note 9 to the financial statements.

#### **DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN CONTRACT**

No Director had a material interest, either directly or indirectly, in any contract of significance to the business of the Company to which the Company, or any of its holding companies, subsidiaries or fellow subsidiaries was a party during the reporting period.

# **MANAGEMENT CONTRACT**

No contract concerning management or administration of the whole or any substantial part of the business of the Group was entered into or subsisted during the reporting period.

## RELATIONSHIPS WITH STAKEHOLDERS

The Group maintains good relationship with customers, suppliers and other business partners to achieve its long-term goals. Our management have kept good communication, promptly exchanged ideas and shared business update with them. In 2016, there was no material and significant dispute between our Group and its customers, suppliers and other business partners.

#### COMPLIANCE WITH THE RELEVANT LAWS AND REGULATIONS

As far as the Board and management are aware, the Group has complied in material respects with the relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the business and operation of the Group. In 2016, there was no material breach of or non-compliance with the applicable laws and regulations by the Group.

# **EQUITY-LINKED AGREEMENTS**

For the year ended 31 December 2016, the Group has not entered into any equity-linked agreement.

## **OTHER DISCLOSURES**

An analysis of the Company's performance using key financial performance indicators, a discussion on the principal risks and uncertainties facing by the Company and an indication of likely future development in the Company's business are set out in the section headed "Management Discussion and Analysis" in this annual report; discussions on the Company's environmental policies and performance and permitted indemnity provisions provided by the Company to its Directors are included in the sections headed "Social Responsibility Report" and "Corporate Governance Report" respectively in this annual report. These discussions form part of this Directors' Report.

# COMPLIANCE WITH THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE CODE

The Company has always placed an emphasis on corporate governance and promoted the innovation of corporation management system. The Company is committed to maintaining and promoting stringent corporate governance, and considers it as an indispensable part in creating values for shareholders. The principle of the Company's corporate governance is to promote effective internal control measures and to increase the transparency and accountability of the Board to all shareholders. The Company has complied with the Code in Appendix 14 of the HKEX Listing Rules. The Company periodically reviews its corporate governance practices to ensure continuous compliance with the Code. During the Reporting Period, except for the following deviation, the Company strictly complied with the principles and code provisions and some of the recommended best practices as set out in the Code. Mr. CAO Peixi (non-executive Director, chairman of the Board and chairman of the nomination committee) did not attend the 2015 annual general meeting of the Company held on 23 June 2016 due to work commitments. This constitutes a deviation from code provisions A.6.7 and E.1.2 of the Code, which provide requirements on attendance of the general meeting and other matters.

#### PUBLIC FLOAT

Based on information publicly available to the Company and so far as the Directors are aware, not less than 25% of the issued share capital of the Company was held by the public as at the date of this annual report, which was in compliance with the requirements under the Listing Rules.

#### **MATERIAL LITIGATION**

As far as the Directors are aware, no material litigation or claims are pending or threatened against the Company.

#### **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The 2016 annual results and the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016 of the Group prepared in accordance with the IFRSs have been reviewed by the audit committee of the Company.

#### **AUDITORS**

KPMG and KPMG Huazhen LLP were engaged as the international and domestic auditors of the Company respectively for the year ended 31 December 2016. KPMG has audited the accompanying financial statements, which were prepared in accordance with the IFRSs. The Company has retained KPMG and KPMG Huazhen LLP (Previously "KPMG Huazhen") since the date of its listing. Further Board meeting will be convened to consider matters relating to appointment of auditor of the Company for 2017.

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS

The 2016 annual general meeting is proposed to be held in June 2017. Details of the resolutions to be considered and approved and the date of the annual general meeting will be set out in the notice of 2016 annual general meeting to be issued by the Company in due course.

By order of the Board **Huaneng Renewables Corporation Limited** *Chairman of the Board* **LIN Gang** 

Beijing, the PRC, 28 March 2017

# Report of the Supervisory Committee

The Supervisory Committee of the Company currently consists of three members, and at least one member must be employee representative supervisor elected by employees. Except for the employee representative supervisor, other supervisors are elected by shareholders at the general meeting. All supervisors shall have a term of three years, which is renewable upon reelection and re-appointment. The major duties of the Supervisory Committee include, but are not limited to monitoring the financial activities of the Company; supervising the conduct of Directors and senior management officers in carrying out their duties and proposing to remove Director or senior management officer who has violated applicable laws, regulations, Articles of Association or shareholders resolutions; demanding Directors, President and other senior management officers to rectify any action that is prejudicial to the interest of the Company; reviewing and verifying financial reports, operation reports and profit distribution proposals prepared by the Board, and in case of doubt, appointing certified public accountants and practicing auditors to re-examine the financial information of the Company; bringing actions on behalf of the Company against Directors or senior management officers; and exercising other powers and performing other functions and duties conferred by the Articles of Association.

In 2016, all members of the Supervisory Committee of the Company strictly complied with relevant laws and regulations and the Articles of Association and earnestly performed their duties to protect the interest of the shareholders and the benefit of the Company. The relevant implementation procedures were in compliance with relevant laws and regulations and the Articles of Association. Set out below is a summary of the major tasks performed by the Supervisory Committee in the Reporting Period:

## MEETINGS CONVENED BY THE SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE

In accordance with applicable laws and regulations, the Articles of Association and the practical needs of the Company's development, the Supervisory Committee convened three meetings and completed the following tasks in 2016:

- 1. At the seventh meeting of the second session of the Supervisory Committee held on 15 March 2016, the proposals on the work report of the Supervisory Committee for 2015, annual result announcement and annual report of the Company for 2015, annual final financial report for 2015, financial budget report for 2016, profit distribution plan for 2015 and re-election of the Supervisory Committee of the Company were considered and approved.
- 2. At the first meeting of the third session of the Supervisory Committee held on 7 July 2016, the proposals on the election of Chief Supervisor of the third session of the Supervisory Committee of the Company were considered and approved.
- 3. At the second meeting of the third session of the Supervisory Committee held on 12 August 2016, the proposals on the interim results announcement and interim report of the Company for 2016 and the interim financial report of the Company for 2016 were considered and approved.

## WORK OF THE SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE

In 2016, the Supervisory Committee mainly carried out the following tasks:

## Report of the Supervisory Committee

### **Monitoring Company's Operation**

During the Reporting Period, members of the Supervisory Committee participated in discussions of major operating decisions through attending Board meetings and general meetings of shareholders held by the Company, reviewed proposals submitted to the Board for consideration and monitored the operation of the Company. The Supervisory Committee is of the opinion that the business activities of the Company complied with relevant laws and regulations and the Articles of Association. Meanwhile, the Directors and senior management of the Company have diligently performed their duties and earnestly implemented the resolutions of the general meetings of the shareholders to safeguard the interests of the shareholders and the benefit of the Company. In the course of examining the operation of the Company and supervising the performance of duties of the Directors and senior management, the Supervisory Committee has not found any of their behaviors that contravened any applicable laws or the Articles of Association or any issues that has caused damage to the interests of the shareholders and the Company.

## **Examining the Company's Financial Condition**

During the Reporting Period, the Supervisory Committee carefully examined and reviewed the relevant financial information and the auditors' reports of the Company. The Supervisory Committee is of the opinion that the preparation of the Company's financial statements complies with the International Financial Reporting Standards and is not aware of any irregularities. Having duly reviewed the 2016 annual financial report and relevant information to be submitted by the Board to the general meeting of shareholders, and as audited by the independent auditors with an unqualified opinion, the Supervisory Committee is of the opinion that the annual report reflects the financial condition and operating results of the Company on a consistent basis and in an accurate, true and fair manner.

## Monitoring the Company's Information Disclosure

During the Reporting Period, the Supervisory Committee reviewed the information disclosure system and all relevant documents that the Company has publicly published and is of the opinion that the Company has disclosed the relevant information in a timely, true, accurate and complete manner in accordance with the requirements of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and no false information was found.

Chief Supervisor **HUANG Jian** 

Beijing, the PRC, 28 March 2017

## **EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**



LIN Gang, aged 52, is an Executive Director of the Company and Chairman of the Board. Mr. Lin joined the Company in February 2012 and was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company. He was re-elected as an Executive Director of the Company

in June 2016. Mr. Lin has served successively as Deputy Chief of Engineering Division of Engineering Department of Huaneng Power International, Inc. ("HPI"), Assistant to General Manager and Deputy General Manager of Huaneng Beijing Branch Company (Beijing Thermal Power Plant), Deputy Manager of Comprehensive Planning Department, Deputy Manager (in charge of the department) of Marketing and Sales Department of HPI, President of Huaneng Northeast Branch Company (concurrently Director of Heilongjiang Office), Manager of Marketing and Sales Department of HPI, Assistant to President of HPI, Vice President of HPI, and President of Huaneng Renewables Corporation Limited. Mr. Lin graduated from North China Electric Power University, specializing in thermal power, and holds a master degree in science. He also graduated from Guanghua School of Management, Peking University with an EMBA degree. Mr. Lin is a professor-level senior engineer.



CAO Shiguang, aged 48, is an Executive Director and the President of the Company. Mr. Cao joined the Company in January 2017, and was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company on 28 March 2017. He has successively served as a Deputy

Chief of Comprehensive Division of Comprehensive Planning & Financing Department of State Power Corporation, Chief of Comprehensive Planning Division of Planning & Development Department and Manager of Planning & Development Department of China Huadian Corporation, Vice President of Green Coal Power Company, Deputy Manager and Manager of Budgeting & Comprehensive Planning Department of China Huaneng Group, Deputy Dean and Dean of Huaneng Technical Economics Research Institute. Mr. Cao graduated from Beijing Graduate Faculty of North China Electric Power University, majoring in power system and automation with a master degree in engineering. He also graduated from Harbin Institute of Technology with a doctor degree, majoring in power system and automation. Mr. Cao is a senior engineer.



YANG Qing, aged 48, is an Executive Director and Vice President of the Company. Ms. Yang joined the Company in May 2002. She was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company in August 2010 and was reappointed as an Executive

Director of the Company in June 2016. Ms. Yang has served successively as deputy chief of the Financial Department of Huaneng Group, chief of the First Financial Department of Huaneng Group, deputy chief accountant cum manager and deputy chief accountant of the Financial Department of Huaneng New Energy Environment Industrial Co., Ltd., Vice President and chief accountant of HNEIC. The Chief Financial Officer of Huaneng Renewables Corporation Limited. Ms. Yang graduated from the accounting department of Central University of Finance & Economics, majoring in foreign financial accounting, and subsequently obtained a master's degree in economics from the School of Finance of Renmin University of China. Ms. Yang is a senior accountant.

### NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS



WANG Kui, aged 50, is a Non-executive Director of the Company and the chief of the Planning and Development Department of Huaneng Group. He was appointed as a Non-executive Director of the Company on 12 August 2014. Mr. Wang has served

successively as deputy chief of Planning Division of Comprehensive Planning Department, deputy chief (in charge of work) and chief of Planning Division of Planning and Development Department of China Huaneng Group, deputy head of Preparation Team of the Founding of Xinjiang Energy Development Co., Ltd., Vice President of Huaneng Xinjiang Energy Development Co., Ltd., member of the Standing Committee of the CPC Committee and vice governor (assigned to aid Xinjiang) of Kizilsu Kirghiz Autonomous Prefecture, Vice President and President of Huaneng Shanxi Branch. He graduated from Beijing Institute of Economics with a bachelor's degree in quantitative economics. Mr. Wang subsequently received a MBA degree from Guanghua School of Management, Peking University. Mr. Wang is a senior engineer.



LU Fei, aged 52, is a Non-executive Director of the Company and the Manager of Budgeting & Comprehensive Planning Department of China Huaneng Group ("Huaneng Group"). Mr. Lu was appointed as a Non-executive Director of the Company on 28 March

2017. He joined Huaneng Group in August 1986. He served as Deputy Manager of Huaneng Nantong Power Plant Fuel Transportation Company and the Deputy Manager and Manager of its Planning Department and Manager of its Production Department. He was the Assistant to General Manager of Huaneng Nantong Branch Company (Plant) (concurrently Manager of Planning Department) and its Deputy General Manager. Mr. Lu also served in Huaneng Power International, Inc. as Deputy Manager of Fuel Department, Deputy Manager (Vice President) of Fuel Department (Corporate) and Manager of Budgeting Department. He was with Huaneng Group as its Manager of Operation Co-ordination Department, Manager of Sales & Marketing Department and Manager of Budgeting and Comprehensive Planning Department. Mr. Lu graduated from the Thermophysical Engineering Department of Zhejiang University, majoring in thermal power with a bachelor's degree in engineering. He subsequently obtained a MBA degree from the School of Economics & Management from Tsinghua University. Mr. Lu is a senior engineer.



SUN Deqiang, aged 54, is a Non-executive Director of the Company and the Manager of the Sales & Marketing Department of Huaneng Group. Mr. Sun was appointed as a Non-executive Director of the Company on 28 March 2017. He joined Huaneng Group in

July 1983. He was with Shandong Baiyanghe Power Plant as Deputy General Manager, Deputy General Manager (concurrently Chief Engineer), Deputy General Manager (concurrently Chief Engineer of Shandong Baiyanghe Power Plant and General Manager of Baiyanghe Branch Company of Shandong Power Hongyuan Power Generation Maintenance Co., Ltd.). He was the General Manager of Huaneng Baiyanghe Power Plant and Huaneng Changxing Power Plant. He served in Huaneng Hainan Power Generation Co., Ltd. as Vice President (concurrently General Manager of Huaneng Haikou Power Plant) and President (concurrently General Manager of Huaneng Haikou Power Plant). He was President and Vice Chairman, and Chairman (concurrently General Manager of its Hainan Branch Company) of Huaneng Hainan Power Generation Co., Ltd.. He graduated from Shandong Engineering Institute, majoring thermal power, with a bachelor's degree in engineering. He is a professor-level senior engineer.



DAI Xinmin, aged 55, is a Non-executive Director of the Company and the Manager of Capital Operation & Equity Management Department of Huaneng Group. Mr. Dai was appointed as a Non-executive Director of the Company on 28 March 2017. Mr. Dai joined

Huaneng Group in October 1998. He has successively served as the Deputy Chief of Industry Division of Industry & Transportation Department, Chief of Industry Division I of Property Rights Registration & Assets Statistics Department, and Deputy Director General of Property Rights Department of the Stateowned Assets Supervision and Administration Commission, Deputy Manager of Financial Department and Deputy Chief Accountant of Huaneng Group, Manager of Financial Department and Chief Accountant of Huaneng Comprehensive Industry Corporation, Deputy Manager of Assets Operation and Management Department of Huaneng Group, and Manager of Supervision and Audit Department of Huaneng Power International, Inc.. Mr. Dai graduated from the Industrial Economy Department of Shanghai College of Finance and Economics, majoring in industrial economy with a bachelor's degree in economics. He also obtained the EMBA degree majoring in executive business administration from Peking University. He is a senior economist.

# INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS



QIN Haiyan, aged 47, is an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company, the director of China General Certification Center (北京鑒衡認證中心), the secretary-general of the Wind Power Committee of China Renewable Energy Society, the Vice-Chair

of IECRE, and standing director of China Renewable Energy Society. He is also the deputy head of the Climatic Resources Application Research Committee of China Meteorological Society, Vice-Chairman of the Renewable Energy Committee of China Association of Resources Comprehensive Utilization and member of the Technical Committee of National Wind Power Machinery Standardization. Mr. Qin was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in August 2010 and was reappointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in June 2016. Mr. Qin has led over 20 research projects in the area of renewable energies. For example, he was the person-in-charge for the "Analysis of the Development Potential of China's Offshore Wind Power", and the person-incharge for the "Establishment of Certification for Wind Turbines", a project sponsored by the PRC government, World Bank and the Global Environment Facility. He graduated from Shanghai Jiao Tong University with a bachelor's degree in engineering. He also obtained an MBA degree from Renmin University of China.



**DAI Huizhu**, aged 78, is an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company, and the senior consultant, professor and Supervisor of Doctorate Students of Renewable Energy Department of China Electric Power Research Institute. Ms. Dai was appointed as

an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in August 2010 and was re-appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in June 2016. Ms. Dai held various positions at Northeast Institute of Electric Power Engineering (東 北電力學院), including assistant lecturer, lecturer, associate professor, professor head of Research Section of Electrical Engineering Fundamentals and deputy head of Electric Power Research Institute. She also held various positions at China Electric Power Research Institute, including, among others, head of New Energy Power Generation Laboratory, head of Graduate Department and chief engineer of Rural Electrification Research Department. Ms. Dai has conducted in-depth studies in the renewable energy and directed many research projects. She was the person-in-charge and participated in the drafting of "Research Report on Electric Power System" as part of the Evaluation of Renewable Energies, a project sponsored by the PRC government, World Bank and Global Environment Facility. Ms. Dai has led many award-winning research projects in wind power area. Ms. Dai has also published a number of research papers within and outside China. Ms. Dai graduated from Tsinghua University majored in electrical engineering.



ZHOU Shaopeng, aged 70, is an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company, a professor at Chinese Academy of Governance (國家行政學 院). Mr. Zhou was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in August 2010 and was re-

appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in June 2016. Mr. Zhou has served as an assistant researcher, associate researcher, researcher and Supervisor of Doctorate Students of Industrial Economics Institute of Chinese Academy of Social Sciences. Mr. Zhou was the author or coauthor of over 30 academic books and research reports. He has also published over 300 research papers and a book called "Zhou Shaopeng Economic Anthology". Mr. Zhou graduated from Beijing Mechanical Institute majored in Industrial Economics and graduated from Chinese Academy of Social Sciences with a master's degree and a doctor's degree in economics.



WAN Kam To, aged 64, is an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company. In addition, he serves as an independent non-executive director at China Resources Land Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 1109), Dalian Port (PDA) Company Limited

(Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 2880, Shanghai Stock Exchange: 601880), Fairwood Holdings Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 0052), KFM Kingdom Holdings Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 3816), Shanghai Pharmaceutical Holding Co., Ltd. (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 2607, Shanghai Stock Exchange: 601607), S. Culture International Holdings Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 1255), Kerry Logistics Network Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 0636), Harbin Bank Co., Ltd. (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 6138), Target Insurance (Holdings)

Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 6161) and China World Trade Center Company Limited (Shanghai Stock Exchange: 600007) and a fellow of Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants. Mr. Wan was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in August 2010 and was re-appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in June 2016. Mr. Wan has served as a partner of PricewaterhouseCoopers, an independent director of Mindray Medical International Limited (New York Stock Exchange: MR) and RDA Microelectronics, Inc. (NASDAQ: RDA) and an independent non-executive director of Real Gold Mining Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 0246) and Greater China Professional Services Limited (Hong Kong Stock Exchange: 8193). He graduated from Hong Kong Polytechnic University (previously known as Hong Kong Polytechnic) with a Higher Diploma in accountancy.

## **SUPERVISORS**



HUANG Jian, aged 54, is a supervisor of the Company, the Assistant to the President of Huaneng Group, a supervisor of HPI and a Director of Huaneng Capital Services Co., Ltd.. Mr. Huang was appointed as a supervisor of the Company in November 2011 and was

reappointed as a supervisor of the Company in June 2016. Mr. Huang has held various positions in HIPDC including the deputy chief of the Cost and Pricing Office of the Finance Department, chief of the Pricing General Office of the Finance Department, chief accountant of the Beijing Branch and deputy manager of the Finance Department. He also served as the deputy chief accountant, chief accountant, Vice President and secretary to the board of directors of HPI, and deputy chief economist and a director of the

Budgeting and Comprehensive Planning Department of Huaneng Group, a Non-executive Director of HPI and the Chairman of the Board of Huaneng Hainan Power Ltd.. Mr. Huang graduated from the accounting department of the Institute of Fiscal Science of the Ministry of Finance, with a master's degree in economics. He is a senior accountant.



WANG Huanliang, aged 58, is a supervisor of the Company and the deputy chief auditor of Huaneng Group. Mr. Wang was appointed as a supervisor of the Company in August 2010 and was re-appointed as a supervisor of the Company in June 2016. Mr. Wang has held

various positions at the Power Planning and Design Institute of the Ministry of Water Resources and Electrical Power, including, among others, accountant, section chief and deputy chief of the Finance Section, deputy chief and chief of the Operating Finance Section of the Finance Department. He has also served as the deputy manager of the Finance Department of Huaneng Group, the Vice Chairman and President of Beihai Xinli Industrial Co., Ltd., head of Beihai Port Management Bureau, Vice President and chief accountant of Huaneng Energy & Communications Holding Co., Ltd. and head of the Audit Department of Huaneng Group. Mr. Wang graduated from the Correspondence School of Renmin University of China. He also graduated from the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences with a master's degree in currency and banking. He is a senior accountant.



SHI Yan, aged 49, is a Vice President and general counsel of the Company. Mr. Shi joined the Company in June 2014 and was appointed as a supervisor of the Company in March 2016. He has served successively as deputy chief of the legal division under

the department of general management of Huaneng Group (in charge of work), deputy director of the legal affairs office and the chief of contract and dispute office in the enterprise management and legal affairs department. Mr. Shi graduated from Renmin University of China in commercial law. He also obtained a master degree in law from Peking University. He is a senior economist.

## SENIOR MANAGEMENT



**LIN Gang** – Please refer to his biography under the subsection headed "Executive Directors".



**CAO Shiguang** – Please refer to his biography under the subsection headed "Executive Directors".



YANG Qing – Please refer to her biography under the subsection headed "Executive Directors".



HE Yan, aged 52, is a Vice President of the Company. Mr. He joined the Company in May 2002. He was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company in August 2010, and retired as an Executive Director of the Company on 21 June 2013. He was re-appointed as

an Executive Director of the Company on 12 August 2014, and retired as an Executive Director of the Company on 28 March 2017. Mr. He has served successively as manager of First Business Department of Huaneng Construction Consultation Co., Ltd., deputy manager of Assets Operation Department of Huaneng Comprehensive Industrial Co., Ltd., manager of New Energy Department and manager of Construction and Engineering Department of Huaneng New Energy Environment Industrial Co., Ltd., and Vice President of HNEIC. He graduated from Wuhan University, majoring in logic, and was a postgraduate student with a master's degree. He subsequently obtained a MBA degree from University of California. Mr. He is a senior economist.



HE Ji, aged 56, is a Vice President of the Company. Mr. He joined the Company in December 2012. Mr. He has served successively as deputy chief and chief of the Safety Supervision Division of Huaneng Group, chief of the Safety Supervision Division of

Safety Supervision and Technology Environmental Protection Department of Huaneng Group, head of Discipline Inspection Commission, Chairman of Labor Union of Huaneng Hebei Corporation, Vice President of Huaneng Hebei Corporation. Mr. He obtained a bachelor's degree in power engineering from Tsinghua University. He is a senior engineer.



DING Kun, aged 45, is a Vice President of the Company. Mr. Ding joined the Company in October 1998. Mr. Ding has served successively as deputy general manager and chief engineer of Huaneng Dali Hydropower Co., Ltd., general manager of Jilin Tongyu Wind

Power Branch of HIPDC, the person-in-charge of HNEIC Inner Mongolia Branch, the preparatory bureau of Wuchuan Wind Power Project and Wulate Middle Banner Wind Power Project, assistant to president and concurrently manager of Construction and Engineering Department of HNEIC, assistant to president and concurrently manager of Construction and Engineering Department of the Company. Mr. Ding obtained a bachelor's degree in power system automation from Beijing University of Agricultural Engineering and a master's degree in control engineering from Kunming University of Science and Technology. He is a senior engineer.



YAN Shusen, aged 50, is a Vice President of the Company. Mr. Yan joined the Company in May 2011. Mr. Yan has served successively as deputy director of the Policy Research Office of Peking University, deputy head of the Development and Planning

Department and concurrently the director of the Undertakings Development and Planning Office of Peking University, a confirmed chief rank investigation and research fellow and concurrently the vice chief of the Youth Cadre Services Division of Cadre Services Bureau I, chief of the Youth Cadre Services Division of Cadre Services Bureau I, chief of the Personnel Services Division of Cadre Services Bureau I and chief of the Personnel General Division of the Personnel Services Bureau under the Central Committee of Communist Party of China ("CCCPC") Organization Department, director of the Office and chief of Division I of the Personnel Services Bureau under the CCCPC Organization Department. Mr. Yan graduated from the politics and administrative management department of Peking University with a doctorate degree, and also held a juris doctor degree. He is an associate research fellow.



**SHI Yan** – Please refer to his biography under the subsection headed "Supervisors".



AO Hai, aged 44, is a Vice President of the Company. Mr. Ao joined the Company in October 2006. He has served successively as deputy manager, manager and production safety department manager of Electrical Branch Company of Fuxin Power Plant, engineering manager, assistant to general

manager, deputy manager, deputy manager(in charge of work), general manager, manager of science and technology department, manager of safety production department, manager of construction department and assistant to president of Huaneng Fuxin Wind Power Co., Ltd. Mr. Ao obtained a bachelor degree from Harbin Institute of Technology in power system and its automation. He is an Engineer.



SONG Yuhong, aged 49, is the Company secretary and assistant of the President of the Company. Ms. Song joined the Company in April 2002. She has served successively as deputy manager of New Energy Department, deputy manager

of the Second Project Department, and manager of the Commerce Department of HNEIC. Ms. Song graduated from Beijing University of Technology with a bachelor's degree in computer science. She also graduated from North China Electric Power University with a master's degree in management. She is a senior engineer.

## **COMPANY SECRETARY**



**SONG Yuhong** – Please refer to her biography under the sub-section headed "Senior Management".

# **Independent Auditor's Report**

Independent auditor's report to the shareholders of Huaneng Renewables Corporation Limited (Established in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

## **OPINION**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Huaneng Renewables Corporation Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (the "Group") set out on pages 86 to 173, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2016, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated cash flow statement for the year then ended and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2016 and of its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and have been properly prepared in compliance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

### BASIS FOR OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing ("HKSAs") issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the HKICPA's Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants ("the Code") together with any ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in the People's Republic of China, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## **KEY AUDIT MATTERS**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

## Independent Auditor's Report

### Assessing potential impairment of certain property, plant and equipment

Refer to Note 13 to the consolidated financial statements and the accounting policies in Note 2 (i) and (l).

### The Key Audit Matter

Certain of the Group's wind power plants located in areas with a decrease or slow-down in the growth rate of power consumption and curtailment in the purchase of wind power by grid companies recorded operating losses for the year ended 31 December 2016 and certain projects under construction in these areas have been delayed, both of which are considered by management to represent indicators of potential impairment of the related property, plant and equipment.

Where indicators of potential impairment of property, plant and equipment were identified management performed impairment assessments of these assets as at 31 December 2016 using value-in-use calculations for each smallest identifiable group of assets that generate independent cash flows ("cash-generating unit") by preparing discounted cash flow forecasts for each cash-generating unit.

Preparing discounted cash flow forecasts requires management to exercise significant judgement, particularly in relation to estimating future sales volumes, future on-grid tariffs, future capital expenditure, future operating costs and the discount rates applied in estimating the recoverable amounts of each cash-generating unit.

We identified assessing potential impairment of certain property, plant and equipment as a key audit matter because the carrying value of property, plant and equipment is material to the consolidated financial statements and because of the significant management judgement and estimation required in assessing potential impairment which could be subject to error or potential management bias.

### How the matter was addressed in our audit

Our audit procedures to assess the potential impairment of certain property, plant and equipment included the following:

- assessing management's identification of cashgenerating units ("CGUs") and the allocation of assets to each CGU and assessing the methodology adopted by management in its preparation of the discounted cash flow forecasts with reference to our understanding of the Group's business and the requirements of the prevailing accounting standards;
- evaluating management's discounted cash flow forecasts for each CGU by comparing the assumptions adopted by management with our understanding of the business and the industry in which the Group operates, in particular, for the assumptions relating to future sales volumes, future on-grid tariffs, future capital expenditure and future operating costs, where we compared the assumptions with the historical information of nearby power plants or feasibility study reports issued by third party professionals and considered the future development plans of the local grid connections;
- challenging management's rationale for adopting cash flow projections over a period greater than five years;
- engaging our internal valuation specialists to assist us in assessing whether the discount rates applied in the discounted cash flow forecasts were within the ranges adopted by other companies in the same industry;
- comparing the actual results for the current year to management's estimates in their discounted cash flow forecasts for the previous year in order to assess the historical accuracy of the management's forecasting process;
- performing sensitivity analyses of the discount rates applied and the assumptions for revenue adopted by management in the discounted cash flow forecasts to assess what changes thereto, either individually or collectively, would result in a different conclusion being reached and assessing whether there were any indicators of management bias in the selection of key assumptions.

## INFORMATION OTHER THAN THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND AUDITOR'S REPORT THEREON

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises all the information included in the annual report, other than the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors are responsible for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with IFRSs issued by the IASB and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The directors are assisted by the Audit Committee in discharging their responsibilities for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

# AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE AUDIT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. This report is made solely to you, as a body, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report.

## Independent Auditor's Report

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with HKSAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with HKSAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

# Independent Auditor's Report

We communicate with the Audit Committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Audit Committee with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence and communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence and, where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the Audit Committee, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Ho Ying Man Simon.

## **KPMG**

Certified Public Accountants 8th Floor, Prince's Building 10 Chater Road Central, Hong Kong

28 March 2017

# Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

		2016	2015
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Revenue	4	9,238,583	7,356,881
Other net income	5	321,698	434,889
Operating expenses			
Depreciation and amortisation	7(b)	(3,462,334)	(2,735,263)
Personnel costs	7(a)	(402,972)	(370,247)
Repairs and maintenance		(188,879)	(108,597)
Administration expenses		(223,301)	(189,180)
Other operating expenses		(374,770)	(272,267)
		(4,652,256)	(3,675,554)
Operating profit		4,908,025	4,116,216
Finance income		137,329	169,517
Finance expenses		(2,132,759)	(2,242,488)
Net finance expenses	6	(1,995,430)	(2,072,971)
Share of loss of a joint venture and an associate		(3,066)	(2,689)
Profit before taxation	7	2,909,529	2,040,556
Income tax	8	(201,515)	(141,370)
Net profit		2,708,014	1,899,186

# Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

		2016	2015
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	11		
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to	11		
profit or loss:			
Available-for-sale financial asset: net movement			
in the fair value reserve		(34,008)	10,445
Exchange difference on translation of financial		(-1,000)	,
statements of a subsidiary outside mainland			
China		6,327	21,120
		(27,681)	31,565
		(27,001)	31,303
Total comprehensive income for the year		2,680,333	1,930,751
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Net profit attributable to:  Equity shareholders of the Company		2,658,863	1,859,549
		49,151	
Non-controlling interests		49,131	39,637
Net profit		2,708,014	1,899,186
Total comprehensive income attributable to:			
Equity shareholders of the Company		2,631,182	1,891,114
Non-controlling interests		49,151	39,637
Total comprehensive income for the year		2,680,333	1,930,751
Basic and diluted earnings per share (RMB cents)	12	27.33	19.12

# **Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**

At 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

		2016	2015
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	13	72,106,536	68,657,975
Lease prepayments	14	351,368	317,057
Intangible assets	15	653,588	681,685
Interest in an associate	17	29,423	30,548
Interest in a joint venture	18	76,853	78,794
Other non-current assets	19	3,527,953	5,130,858
Deferred tax assets	26(b)	3,315	4,082
Total non-current assets		76,749,036	74,900,999
Current assets			
Inventories		32,715	42,965
Trade debtors and bills receivable	20	4,635,392	2,899,958
Prepayments and other current assets	21	1,415,172	122,087
Tax recoverable	26(a)	7,743	10,362
Restricted deposits	( /	34,492	26,842
Assets held for sale			45,794
Cash at bank and on hand	22	2,570,058	4,503,772
Total current assets		8,695,572	7,651,780
Current liabilities			
Borrowings	23	22,562,887	18,726,955
Obligations under finance leases	24	434,781	495,757
Other payables	25	7,440,069	9,250,091
Tax payable	26(a)	79,513	60,431
Total current liabilities		30,517,250	28,533,234
Net current liabilities		(21,821,678)	(20,881,454)
Total assets less current liabilities		54,927,358	54,019,545

# Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

At 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

		2016	2015
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Non-amount to belief			
Non-current liabilities	2.2	20.251.025	20 (77 112
Borrowings	23	28,371,935	30,677,113
Obligations under finance leases	24	1,583,339	2,018,120
Deferred income	27	215,238	230,517
Other non-current liabilities	28	3,743,257	2,449,506
Deferred tax liabilities	26(b)	19,626	19,831
Total non-current liabilities		33,933,395	35,395,087
NET ASSETS		20,993,963	18,624,458
CAPITAL AND RESERVES	29		
	29	0.505.007	0.707.006
Share capital		9,727,996	9,727,996
Reserves		10,409,154	8,069,812
Total equity attributable to equity			
shareholders of the Company		20,137,150	17,797,808
Non-controlling interests		856,813	826,650
TOTAL EQUITY		20,993,963	18,624,458

Approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 28 March 2017.

Name: Lin Gang Name: Cao Shiguang Position: Chairman Position: Director

# Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

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	Note	Share capital RMB'000 (Note 29(c))	Capital reserve RMB'000 (Note 29(d)(i))	Statutory surplus reserve RMB'000 (Note 29(d)(ii))	Exchange reserve RMB'000 (Note 29(d)(iii))	Fair value reserve RMB'000 (Note 29(d)(iv))	Retained earnings RMB'000	Subtotal RMB'000	Non- controlling interests RMB'000	Tota equity RMB'000
Balance at 1 January 2015		9,727,996	2,601,478	124,714	(13,577)	-	3,660,643	16,101,254	783,947	16,885,201
Changes in equity for 2015: Net profit Other comprehensive income		-	-	-	- 21,120	- 10,445	1,859,549	1,859,549 31,565	39,637	1,899,186 31,565
Total comprehensive income			-	-	21,120	10,445	1,859,549	1,891,114	39,637	1,930,751
Net capital contributions by non-controlling interests Transfer to reserve fund Dividends by subsidiaries to		-	-	34,973	-	-	(34,973)	-	39,265	39,265
non-controlling interests Dividends to equity		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(36,199)	(36,199
shareholders of the Company	29(b)		_		-		(194,560)	(194,560)	_	(194,560
Balance at 31 December 2015		9,727,996	2,601,478	159,687	7,543	10,445	5,290,659	17,797,808	826,650	18,624,458
Balance at 1 January 2016		9,727,996	2,601,478	159,687	7,543	10,445	5,290,659	17,797,808	826,650	18,624,458
Changes in equity for 2016: Net profit Other comprehensive income		- -	- -	-	- 6,327	- (34,008)	2,658,863	2,658,863 (27,681)	49,151 -	2,708,014 (27,681
Total comprehensive income		<del>_</del> _	<u>-</u>		6,327	(34,008)	2,658,863	2,631,182	49,151	2,680,333
Net capital contributions by non-controlling interests Transfer to reserve fund		-	-	- 72,751	- -	- -	- (72,751)	-	34,840 -	34,840
Dividends by subsidiaries to non-controlling interests Dividends to equity		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(53,828)	(53,828
shareholders of the Company	29(b)	-	-	-	-	-	(291,840)	(291,840)	-	(291,840

The notes on pages 94 to 173 form part of these financial statements.

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Balance at 31 December 2016

# **Consolidated Cash Flow Statement**

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net profit	2,708,014	1,899,186
Adjustments for:	_, ,	-,,
Depreciation	3,417,650	2,696,223
Amortisation	44,684	39,040
Amortisation of deferred income	(15,538)	(15,538)
Provision for impairment loss on property,	` , ,	, ,
plant and equipment	_	2,859
Interest expenses on financial liabilities	2,129,197	2,238,129
Foreign exchange differences, net	(77,388)	(116,975)
Interest income on financial assets	(39,198)	(41,215)
Dividend income	(19,435)	(10,140)
Share of loss of a joint venture and an associate	3,066	2,689
Net loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	3,546	_
Income tax	201,515	141,370
Others	5,018	5,599
Changes in working capital:		
Decrease/(increase) in inventories	10,250	(29,835)
(Increase)/decrease in trade debtors and bills receivable	(1,934,500)	138,424
Increase in prepayments and other current assets	(25,027)	(17,694)
Increase in other payables	1,105,747	876,148
Cash generated from operations	7,517,601	7,808,270
PRC income tax paid	(179,252)	(126,437)
Net cash from operating activities	7,338,349	7,681,833

# Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Cash flows from investing activities		
Payments for acquisition of property, plant and equipment,		
lease prepayments and intangible assets	(7,876,681)	(12,643,666)
Payment for acquisition of available-for-sale equity securities	-	(324,419)
Payments for acquisition of unquoted equity investment	(16,350)	(144,000)
Dividends received	19,435	10,140
Interest received	35,722	45,561
Time deposits	129,450	367,716
Restricted deposits	(7,650)	(25,247)
Others	346,573	200,285
Net cash used in investing activities	(7,369,501)	(12,513,630)

# **Consolidated Cash Flow Statement**

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

		2016	2015
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Cash flows from financing activities			
Net capital contributions from			
non-controlling interests		34,840	39,265
Proceeds from borrowings		42,241,702	33,933,969
Repayment of borrowings		(40,964,569)	(28,688,107)
Dividends paid by subsidiaries to			
non-controlling interests		(23,674)	(19,841)
Dividends paid to equity shareholders of the Company		(291,840)	(194,560)
Interest paid		(2,204,535)	(2,440,215)
Payment of finance lease obligations		(645,117)	(849,967)
Others		(4,942)	(3,000)
Net cash (used in)/from financing activities		(1,858,135)	1,777,544
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(1,889,287)	(3,054,253)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		3,469,653	6,384,626
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes		85,023	139,280
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December	22	1,665,389	3,469,653

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

## 1 PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND ORGANISATION

Huaneng Renewables Corporation Limited (the "Company") was established in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC") on 5 August 2010 as a joint stock company with limited liability. The Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") are mainly engaged in wind power and solar power generation and sale in the PRC.

## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## (a) Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with all applicable International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs"), which collective term includes all applicable individual International Financial Reporting Standards, International Accounting Standards ("IASs") and interpretations issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. These financial statements also comply with the applicable disclosure provisions of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("HKSE"). Significant accounting policies adopted by the Group are set out below.

The IASB has issued certain new and revised IFRSs that are first effective or available for early adoption for the current accounting period of the Group. Note 2 (c) provides information on any changes in accounting policies resulting from initial application of these developments to the extent that they are relevant to the Group for the current and prior accounting periods reflected in these financial statements.

## (b) Basis of preparation of the financial statements

The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016 comprise the Group and the Group's interest in an associate and a joint venture.

As at and for the year ended 31 December 2016, a portion of the Group's funding requirements for capital expenditures were partially satisfied by short-term financing. Consequently, as at 31 December 2016, the Group has net current liabilities of approximately RMB21.8 billion. Taking into consideration of the expected operating cash flows of the Group and the undrawn available banking facilities, the Group are expected to refinance certain short-term borrowings and also consider alternative sources of financing, where applicable and when needed. Therefore, the directors of the Company are of the opinion that the Group will be able to meet its liabilities as and when they fall due within the next twelve months and have prepared the consolidated financial statements on a going concern basis.

The measurement basis used in the preparation of the financial statements is the historical cost basis, except that certain financial instruments classified as available-for-sale (see note 2(g)) are stated at their fair value.

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#### SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED) 2

#### **(b)** Basis of preparation of the financial statements (continued)

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with IFRSs requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Judgements made by management in the application of IFRSs that have significant effect on the financial statements and major sources of estimation uncertainty are discussed in Note 3.

#### (c) Changes in accounting policies

The IASB has issued a number of amendments to IFRSs that are first effective for the current accounting period of the Group. None of these developments have had a material effect on how the Group's results and financial position for the current or prior periods have been prepared or presented.

The Group has not applied any new standard or interpretation that is not yet effective for the current accounting period.

#### (d) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements are presented in Renminbi ("RMB"), rounded to the nearest thousand, which is the Group's presentation currency and the functional currency of the Company and its PRC subsidiaries.

#### (e) Subsidiaries and non-controlling interests

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Group. The Group controls an entity when it is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. When assessing whether the Group has power, only substantive rights (held by the Group and other parties) are considered.

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

## (e) Subsidiaries and non-controlling interests (continued)

An investment in a subsidiary is consolidated into the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases. Intra-group balances, transactions and cash flows and any unrealised profits arising from intra-group transactions are eliminated in full in preparing the consolidated financial statements. Unrealised losses resulting from intra-group transactions are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

Non-controlling interests represent the equity in a subsidiary not attributable directly or indirectly to the Company, and in respect of which the Group has not agreed any additional terms with the holders of those interests which would result in the Group as a whole having a contractual obligation in respect of those interests that meets the definition of a financial liability. For each business combination, the Group can elect to measure any non-controlling interests either at fair value or at the non-controlling interests' proportionate share of the subsidiary's net identifiable assets.

Non-controlling interests are presented in the consolidated statement of financial position within equity, separately from equity attributable to the equity shareholders of the Company. Non-controlling interests in the results of the Group are presented on the face of the consolidated statement of comprehensive income as an allocation of the total profit or loss and total comprehensive income for the year between non-controlling interests and the equity shareholders of the Company. Loans from holders of non-controlling interests and other contractual obligations towards these holders are presented as financial liabilities in the consolidated statement of finance position in accordance with notes 2(o) or (p) depending on the nature of the liability.

Changes in the Group's interests in a subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions, whereby adjustments are made to the amounts of controlling and non-controlling interests within consolidated equity to reflect the change in relative interests, but no adjustments are made to goodwill and no gain or loss is recognised.

When the Group loses control of a subsidiary, it is accounted for as a disposal of the entire interest in that subsidiary, with a resulting gain or loss being recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in that former subsidiary at the date when control is lost is recognised at fair value and this amount is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition of a financial asset (see note 2 (g)) or, when appropriate, the cost on initial recognition of an investment in an associate or joint venture (see note 2(f)).

In the Company's statement of financial position, an investment in a subsidiary is stated at cost less impairment losses (see note 2(1)), unless the investment is classified as held for sale (or included in a disposal group that is classified as held for sale) (see note 2(x)).

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **(f) Associates and joint ventures**

An associate is an entity in which the Group or the Company has significant influence, but not control or joint control, over its management, including participation in the financial and operating policy decisions.

A joint venture is an arrangement whereby the Group or the Company and other parties contractually agree to share control of the arrangement, and have rights to the net assets of the arrangement.

An investment in an associate or a joint venture is accounted for in the consolidated financial statements under the equity method, unless it is classified as held for sale (or included in a disposal group that is classified as held for sale) (see note 2 (x)). Under the equity method, the investment is initially recorded at cost, adjusted for any excess of the Group's share of the acquisition-date fair values of the investee's identifiable net assets over the cost of the investment (if any). Thereafter, the investment is adjusted for the post acquisition change in the Group's share of the investee's net assets and any impairment loss relating to the investment (see note 2 (1)). Any acquisition-date excess over cost, the Group's share of the post-acquisition, post-tax results of the investees and any impairment losses for the year are recognised in profit or loss whereas the Group's share of the post-acquisition post-tax items of the investees' other comprehensive income is recognised in other comprehensive income.

When the Group's share of losses exceeds its interest in the associate or the joint venture, the Group's interest is reduced to nil and recognition of further losses is discontinued except to the extent that the Group has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the investee. For this purpose, the Group's interest is the carrying amount of the investment under the equity method together with the Group's long-term interests that in substance form part of the Group's net investment in the associate or the joint venture.

Unrealised profits and losses resulting from transactions between the Group and its associates and joint ventures are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the investee, except where unrealised losses provide evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred, in which case they are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

If an investment in an associate becomes an investment in a joint venture or vice versa, retained interest is not remeasured. Instead, the investment continues to be accounted for under the equity method.

In all other cases, when the Group ceases to have significant influence over an associate or joint control over a joint venture, it is accounted for as a disposal of the entire interest in that investee, with a resulting gain or loss being recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in that former investee at the date when significant influence or joint control is lost is recognised at fair value and this amount is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition of a financial asset (see note 2(g)).

For the year ended 31 December 2016 (Expressed in RMB unless otherwise stated)

## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

## (f) Associates and joint ventures (continued)

In the Company's statement of financial position, investments in associates and joint ventures are stated at cost less impairment losses (see note 2(1)), unless classified as held for sale (or included in a disposal group that is classified as held for sale) (see note 2(x)).

## (g) Other investments in debt and equity securities

The Group's and the Company's policies for investments in debt and equity securities, other than investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures, are as follows:

Investments in debt and equity securities are initially stated at fair value, which is their transaction price unless it is determined that the fair value at initial recognition differs from the transaction price and that fair value is evidenced by a quoted price in an active market for an identical asset or liability or based on a valuation technique that uses only data from observable markets. Cost includes attributable transaction costs, except where indicated otherwise below. These investments are subsequently accounted for as follows, depending on their classification:

Investments in securities held for trading are classified as current assets. Any attributable transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred. At the end of each reporting period, the fair value is remeasured, with any resultant gain or loss being recognised in profit or loss. The net gain or loss recognised in profit or loss does not include any dividends or interest earned on these investments as these are recognised in accordance with the policies set out in notes 2(u)(iv) and (v).

Dated debt securities that the Group and/or the Company have the positive ability and intention to hold to maturity are classified as held-to-maturity securities. Held-to-maturity securities are stated at amortised cost less impairment losses (see note 2(1)).

Investments in securities which do not fall into any of the above categories are classified as available-for-sale securities. At the end of each reporting period the fair value is remeasured, with any resultant gain or loss being recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated separately in equity in the fair value reserve. As an exception to this, investments in equity securities that do not have a quoted price in an active market for an identical instrument and whose fair value cannot otherwise be reliably measured are recognised in the statement of financial position at cost less impairment losses (see note 2(1)). Dividend income from equity securities and interest income from debt securities calculated using the effective interest method are recognised in profit or loss in accordance with the policies set out in notes 2(u)(iv) and (v), respectively. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from changes in the amortised cost of debt securities are also recognised in profit or loss.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (g) Other investments in debt and equity securities (continued)

When the investments are derecognised or impaired (see note 2(1)), the cumulative gain or loss recognised in equity is reclassified to profit or loss. Investments are recognised/derecognised on the date the Group commits to purchase/sell the investments or they expire.

#### (h) **Business combinations under common control**

Business combinations arising from transfer of interests in entities that are under the control of the equity shareholders that controls the Group are accounted for as if the acquisition had occurred at the beginning of the years or, if later, at the date that common control was established. The assets and liabilities acquired are recognised at the carrying amounts recognised previously in the Group's equity shareholders' consolidated financial statements.

Upon transfer of interest in an entity to another entity that are under the control of the equity owner that controls the Group, any difference between the Group's interest in the carrying value of the assets and liabilities and the cost of transfer of interest in the entity is recognised directly in equity.

#### (i) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses (see note 2(1)).

The cost of self-constructed items of property, plant and equipment includes the cost of materials, direct labour, the initial estimate, where relevant, of the costs of dismantling and removing the items and restoring the site on which they are located, and an appropriate proportion of production overheads and borrowing costs (see note 2(w)).

The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment is the cash price equivalent at the recognition date. If payment is deferred beyond normal credit terms, the difference between the cash price equivalent and the total payment is recognised as interest over the period of credit unless such interest is capitalised.

Gains or losses arising from the retirement or disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment are determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item and are recognised in profit or loss on the date of retirement or disposal.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (i) Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost of items of property, plant and equipment, less their estimated residual value, if any, using the straight line method over their estimated useful lives as follows:

_	Buildings and structures	8-30 years
_	Generators and related equipment	5-30 years
-	Motor vehicles	8-9 years
_	Furniture, fixtures and others	5-8 years

Where parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, the cost of the item is allocated on a reasonable basis between the parts and each part is depreciated separately. Both the useful life of an asset and its residual value, if any, are reviewed annually.

#### **(j) Intangible assets**

The Group recognises an intangible asset arising from a service concession arrangement when it has a right to charge for usage of the concession infrastructure. Intangible assets received as consideration for providing construction services in a service concession arrangement are measured at fair value upon initial recognition. Subsequent to initial recognition the intangible asset is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses (see note 2(1)).

Other intangible assets that are acquired by the Group are stated in the statement of financial position at cost less accumulated amortisation (where the estimated useful life is finite) and impairment losses (see note 2(1)). Expenditure on internally generated goodwill and brands is recognised as an expense in the period in which it is incurred.

Amortisation of intangible assets with finite useful lives is charged to profit or loss on a straightline basis over the assets' estimated useful lives. The following intangible assets with finite useful lives are amortised from the date they are available for use and their estimated useful lives are as follows:

-	Concession assets	25 years
_	Software and others	3-5 years

Both the period and method of amortisation are reviewed annually.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (k) Leased assets

An arrangement, comprising a transaction or a series of transactions, is or contains a lease if the Group determines that the arrangement conveys a right to use a specific asset or assets for an agreed period of time in return for a payment or a series of payments. Such a determination is made based on an evaluation of the substance of the arrangement and is regardless of whether the arrangement takes the legal form of a lease.

#### (i) Classification of assets leased to the Group

Assets that are held by Group under leases which transfer to the Group substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as being held under finance leases. Leases which do not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the Group are classified as operating leases.

#### (ii) Assets acquired under finance leases

Where the Group acquires the use of assets under finance leases, the amounts representing the fair value of the leased asset, or, if lower, the present value of the minimum lease payments, of such assets are recognised as property, plant and equipment and the corresponding liabilities, net of finance charges, are recorded as obligations under finance leases. Depreciation is provided at rates which write off the cost or valuation of the assets over the term of the relevant lease or, where it is likely the Group will obtain ownership of the asset, the life of the asset, as set out in note 2(i). Impairment losses are accounted for in accordance with the accounting policy as set out in note 2(1). Finance charges implicit in the lease payments are charged to profit or loss over the period of the leases so as to produce an approximately constant periodic rate of charge on the remaining balance of the obligations for each accounting period. Contingent rentals are charged to profit or loss in the accounting period in which they are incurred.

#### (iii) Operating lease charges

Where the Group has the use of assets held under operating leases, payments made under the leases are charged to profit or loss in equal instalments over the accounting periods covered by the lease term, except where an alternative basis is more representative of the pattern of benefits to be derived from the leased asset. Lease incentives received are recognised in profit or loss as an integral part of the aggregate net lease payments made. Contingent rentals are charged to profit or loss in the accounting period in which they are incurred.

The cost of acquiring land held under an operating lease is amortised on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease term.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **(l)** Impairment of assets

(i) Impairment of investments in debt and equity securities and other receivables

Investments in debt and equity securities and other current and non-current receivables that are stated at cost or amortised cost or are classified as available-for-sale securities are reviewed at the end of each reporting period to determine whether there is objective evidence of impairment. Objective evidence of impairment includes observable data that comes to the attention of the Group about one or more of the following loss events:

- significant financial difficulty of the debtor;
- a breach of contract, such as a default or delinquency in interest or principal payments;
- it becoming probable that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation;
- significant changes in the technological, market, economic or legal environment that have an adverse effect on the debtor; and
- a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of an investment in an equity instrument below its cost.

If any such evidence exists, any impairment loss is determined and recognised as follows:

- For investment in associates and joint ventures accounted for under the equity method in the consolidated financial statements (see note 2(f)), the impairment loss is measured by comparing the recoverable amount of the investment with its carrying amount in accordance with note 2(1)(ii). The impairment loss is reversed if there has been a favourable change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount in accordance with note 2(1)(ii).
- For unquoted equity securities carried at cost, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the carrying amount of the financial asset and the estimated future cash flows, discounted at the current market rate of return for a similar financial asset where the effect of discounting is material. Impairment losses for equity securities carried at cost are not reversed.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **(1) Impairment of assets (continued)**

- (i) Impairment of investments in debt and equity securities and other receivables (continued)
  - For trade and other current receivables and other financial assets carried at amortised cost, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate (i.e. the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition of these assets), where the effect of discounting is material. This assessment is made collectively where these financial assets share similar risk characteristics, such as similar past due status, and have not been individually assessed as impaired. Future cash flows for financial assets which are assessed for impairment collectively are based on historical loss experience for assets with credit risk characteristics similar to the collective group.

If in a subsequent period the amount of an impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be linked objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised, the impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss. A reversal of an impairment loss shall not result in the asset's carrying amount exceeding that which would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised in prior years.

For available-for-sale securities, the cumulative loss that has been recognised in the fair value reserve is reclassified to profit or loss. The amount of the cumulative loss that is recognised in profit or loss is the difference between the acquisition cost (net of any principal repayment and amortisation) and current fair value, less any impairment loss on that asset previously recognised in profit or loss.

Impairment losses recognised in profit or loss in respect of available-for-sale equity securities are not reversed through profit or loss. Any subsequent increase in the fair value of such assets is recognised in other comprehensive income.

Impairment losses in respect of available-for-sale debt securities are reversed if the subsequent increase in fair value can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised. Reversals of impairment losses in such circumstances are recognised in profit or loss.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **(l)** Impairment of assets (continued)

(i) Impairment of investments in debt and equity securities and other receivables (continued)

Impairment losses are written off against the corresponding assets directly, except for impairment losses recognised in respect of trade and other receivables, whose recovery is considered doubtful but not remote. In this case, the impairment losses for doubtful debts are recorded using an allowance account. When the Group is satisfied that recovery is remote, the amount considered irrecoverable is written off against trade and other receivables directly and any amounts held in the allowance account relating to that debt are reversed. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously charged to the allowance account are reversed against the allowance account. Other changes in the allowance account and subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off directly are recognised in profit or loss.

#### (ii) Impairment of other assets

Internal and external sources of information are reviewed at the end of each reporting period to identify indications that the following assets may be impaired or an impairment loss previously recognised no longer exists or may have decreased:

- property, plant and equipment;
- pre-paid interests in leasehold land classified as being held under an operating lease;
- intangible assets; and
- investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures in the Company's statement of financial position.

If any such indication exists, the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

### Calculation of recoverable amount

The recoverable amount of an asset is the greater of its fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. Where an asset does not generate cash inflows largely independent of those from other assets, the recoverable amount is determined for the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows independently (i.e. a cash-generating unit).

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#### SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED) 2

#### **(1)** Impairment of assets (continued)

#### (ii) Impairment of other assets (continued)

## Recognition of impairment losses

An impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss if the carrying amount of an asset, or the cash-generating unit to which it belongs, exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognised in respect of cash-generating units are allocated to reduce the carrying amount of the assets in the unit (or group of units) on a pro rata basis, except that the carrying value of an asset will not be reduced below its individual fair value less costs of disposal (if measurable) or value in use (if determinable).

## Reversals of impairment losses

An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a favourable change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount.

A reversal of an impairment loss is limited to the asset's carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised in prior years. Reversals of impairment losses are credited to profit or loss in the year in which the reversals are recognised.

#### (m) **Inventories**

Inventories include materials for repairs and maintenance and spare parts, and are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Inventories are initially recorded at cost and are charged to operating expenses when used, or capitalised to property, plant and equipment when installed, as appropriate, using weighted average cost basis. Cost of inventories includes costs of purchase and transportation costs. Provision for inventory obsolescence is determined by the excess of cost over net realisable value.

#### (n) Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables are initially recognised at fair value and thereafter stated at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less allowance for impairment of doubtful debts (see note 2(1)), except where the receivables are interest-free loans made to related parties without any fixed repayment terms or the effect of discounting would be immaterial. In such cases, the receivables are stated at cost less allowance for impairment of doubtful debts.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **(0) Interest-bearing borrowings**

Interest-bearing borrowings are recognised initially at fair value less attributable transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, interest-bearing borrowings are stated at amortised cost with any difference between the amount initially recognised and redemption value being recognised in profit or loss over the period of the borrowings, together with any interest and fees payable, using the effective interest method.

#### **(p)** Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables are initially recognised at fair value. Except for financial guarantee liabilities measured in accordance with note 2(t)(i), trade and other payables are subsequently stated at amortised cost unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost.

#### **(q)** Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at bank and on hand, demand deposits with banks and other financial institutions, and short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, having been within three months of maturity at acquisition.

#### Short term employee benefits and contributions to defined contribution retirement plans (r)

Salaries, annual bonuses, contributions to defined contribution retirement plans and the cost of non-monetary benefits are accrued in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees. Where payment or settlement is deferred and the effect would be material, these amounts are stated at their present values.

A defined contribution plan is a post-employment benefit plan under which an entity pay fixed contributions into a separate entity and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay further amounts. Obligation for the statutory defined contribution pension plans are recognised as an expense in profit or loss when they are due.

#### **(s) Income tax**

Income tax for the year comprises current tax and movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities. Current tax and movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that they relate to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case the relevant amounts of tax are recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

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#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (s) **Income tax (continued)**

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities arise from deductible and taxable temporary differences respectively, being the differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and their tax bases. Deferred tax assets also arise from unused tax losses and unused tax credits.

Apart from certain limited exceptions, all deferred tax liabilities, and all deferred tax assets to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the asset can be utilised, are recognised. Future taxable profits that may support the recognition of deferred tax assets arising from deductible temporary differences include those that will arise from the reversal of existing taxable temporary differences, provided those differences relate to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity, and are expected to reverse either in the same period as the expected reversal of the deductible temporary difference or in periods into which a tax loss arising from the deferred tax asset can be carried back or forward. The same criteria are adopted when determining whether existing taxable temporary differences support the recognition of deferred tax assets arising from unused tax losses and credits, that is, those differences are taken into account if they relate to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity, and are expected to reverse in a period, or periods, in which the tax loss or credit can be utilised.

The limited exceptions to recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities are those temporary differences arising from goodwill not deductible for tax purposes, the initial recognition of assets or liabilities that affect neither accounting nor taxable profit (provided they are not part of a business combination), and temporary differences relating to investments in subsidiaries to the extent that, in the case of taxable differences, the Group controls the timing of the reversal and it is probable that the differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future, or in the case of deductible differences, unless it is probable that they will reverse in the future.

The amount of deferred tax recognised is measured based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of the assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

The carrying amount of a deferred tax asset is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and is reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow the related tax benefit to be utilised. Any such reduction is reversed to the extent that it becomes probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available.

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### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (s) **Income tax (continued)**

Current tax balances and deferred tax balances, and movements therein, are presented separately from each other and are not offset. Current tax assets are offset against current tax liabilities, and deferred tax assets against deferred tax liabilities, if the Company or the Group has the legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the following additional conditions are met:

- in the case of current tax assets and liabilities, the Company or the Group intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously; or
- in the case of deferred tax assets and liabilities, if they relate to income tax levied by the same taxation authority on either:
  - the same taxable entity; or
  - different taxable entities, which, in each future period in which significant amounts of deferred tax liabilities or assets are expected to be settled or recovered, intend to realise the current tax assets and settle the current tax liabilities on a net basis or realise and settle simultaneously.

### **(t)** Financial guarantees issued, provisions and contingent liabilities

## (i) Financial guarantees issued

Financial guarantees are contracts that require the issuer (i.e. the guarantor) to make specified payments to reimburse the beneficiary of the guarantee (the "holder") for a loss the holder incurs because a specified debtor fails to make payment when due in accordance with the terms of a debt instrument.

Where the Group issues a financial guarantee, the fair value of the guarantee is initially recognised as deferred income within trade and other payables. The fair value of financial guarantees issued at the time of issuance is determined by reference to fees charged in an arm's length transaction for similar services, when such information is obtainable, or is otherwise estimated by reference to interest rate differentials, by comparing the actual rates charged by lenders when the guarantee is made available with the estimated rates that lenders would have charged, had the guarantees not been available, where reliable estimates of such information can be made. Where consideration is received or receivable for the issuance of the guarantee, the consideration is recognised in accordance with the Group's policies applicable to that category of asset. Where no such consideration is received or receivable, an immediate expense is recognised in profit or loss on initial recognition of any deferred income.

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## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

## **(t)** Financial guarantees issued, provisions and contingent liabilities (continued)

## (i) Financial guarantees issued (continued)

The amount of the guarantee initially recognised as deferred income is amortised in profit or loss over the term of the guarantee as income from financial guarantees issued. In addition, provisions are recognised in accordance with note 2(t)(ii) if and when (i) it becomes probable that the holder of the guarantee will call upon the Group under the guarantee, and (ii) the amount of that claim on the Group is expected to exceed the amount currently carried in trade and other payables in respect of that guarantee i.e. the amount initially recognised, less accumulated amortisation.

## Other provisions and contingent liabilities (ii)

Provisions are recognised for other liabilities of uncertain timing or amount when the Group or the Company has a legal or constructive obligation arising as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made. Where the time value of money is material, provisions are stated at the present value of the expenditure expected to settle the obligation.

Where it is not probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required, or the amount cannot be estimated reliably, the obligation is disclosed as a contingent liability, unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote. Possible obligations, whose existence will only be confirmed by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more future events are also disclosed as contingent liabilities unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote.

## (u) Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Provided it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the revenue and costs, if applicable, can be measured reliably, revenue is recognised in profit or loss as follows:

### (i) Sales of electricity

Electricity revenue is recognised when electricity is supplied to the provincial grid companies. Revenue excludes value added tax ("VAT") or other sales taxes and is after deduction of any trade discounts.

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## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (u) **Revenue recognition (continued)**

#### (ii) Service concession construction revenue

Revenue relating to construction services under a service concession arrangement is recognised based on the stage of completion of the work performed. Operation revenue that represents the sales of electricity is recognised in the period in accordance with note 2(u)(i).

### (iii) Rendering of services

Revenue from the rendering of services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion of the transaction based on the progress of work performed.

#### (iv) Dividends

Dividend income from unlisted investments is recognised when the equity shareholder's right to receive payment is established. Dividend income from listed investments is recognised when the share price of the investment goes ex-dividend.

## (v) Interest income

Interest income is recognised as it accrues using the effective interest method.

## (vi) Government grants

Government grants are recognised in the statement of financial position initially when there is reasonable assurance that they will be received and that the Group will comply with the conditions attaching to them. Grants that compensate the Group for expenses incurred are recognised as income in profit or loss on a systematic basis in the same periods in which the expenses are incurred. Grants that compensate the Group for the cost of an asset are recognised initially as deferred income and consequently are recognised in profit or loss on a systematic basis over the useful life of the asset by way of reduced depreciation expense.

### (v) Translation of foreign currencies

Foreign currency transactions during the year are translated at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the end of the reporting period. Exchange gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss.

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## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

## (v) Translation of foreign currencies (continued)

Non-monetary assets and liabilities that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the foreign exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. Nonmonetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are stated at fair value are translated using the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates the fair value was measured.

The results of foreign operations are translated into RMB at the exchange rates approximating the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates of the transactions. Statement of financial position items are translated into RMB at the closing foreign exchange rates at the end of the reporting period. The resulting exchange differences are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated separately in equity in the exchange reserve.

On disposal of a foreign operation, the cumulative amount of the exchange differences relating to that foreign operation is reclassified from equity to profit or loss when the profit or loss on disposal is recognised.

## **Borrowing costs** (w)

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset which necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised as part of the cost of that asset. Other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

The capitalisation of borrowing costs as part of the cost of a qualifying asset commences when expenditure for the asset is being incurred, borrowing costs are being incurred and activities that are necessary to prepare the asset for its intended use or sale are in progress. Capitalisation of borrowing costs is suspended or ceases when substantially all the activities necessary to prepare the qualifying asset for its intended use or sale are interrupted or complete.

### (x) Non-current assets held for sale

A non-current asset (or disposal group) is classified as held for sale if it is highly probable that its carrying amount will be recovered through a sale transaction rather than through continuing use and the asset (or disposal group) is available for sale in its present condition. A disposal group is a group of assets to be disposed of together as a group in a single transaction, and liabilities directly associated with those assets that will be transferred in the transaction.

When the Group is committed to a sale plan involving loss of control of a subsidiary, all the assets and liabilities of that subsidiary are classified as held for sale when the above criteria for classification as held for sale are met, regardless of whether the Group will retain a non-controlling interest in the subsidiary after the sale.

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## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (x) Non-current assets held for sale (continued)

Immediately before classification as held for sale, the measurement of the non-current assets (and all individual assets and liabilities in a disposal group) is brought up-to-date in accordance with the accounting policies before the classification. Then, on initial classification as held for sale and until disposal, the non-current assets (except for certain assets as explained below), or disposal groups, are recognised at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell. The principal exceptions to this measurement policy so far as the financial statements of the Group and the Company are concerned are deferred tax assets, assets arising from employee benefits and financial assets (other than investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures). These assets, even if held for sale, would continue to be measured in accordance with the policies set out elsewhere in note 2.

Impairment losses on initial classification as held for sale, and on subsequent remeasurement while held for sale, are recognised in profit or loss. As long as a non-current asset is classified as held for sale, or is included in a disposal group that is classified as held for sale, the non-current asset is not depreciated or amortised.

## Related parties **(y)**

- A person, or a close member of that person's family, is related to the Group if that person: (a)
  - (i) has control or joint control over the Group;
  - (ii) has significant influence over the Group; or
  - (iii) is a member of the key management personnel of the Group or the Group's parent.
- (b) An entity is related to the Group if any of the following conditions applies:
  - (i) The entity and the Group are members of the same group (which means that each parent, subsidiary and fellow subsidiary is related to the others).
  - (ii) One entity is an associate or joint venture of the other entity (or an associate or joint venture of a member of a group of which the other entity is a member).
  - (iii) Both entities are joint ventures of the same third party.
  - (iv) One entity is a joint venture of a third entity and the other entity is an associate of the third entity.

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## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

## **Related parties (continued) (v)**

- (b) An entity is related to the Group if any of the following conditions applies: (continued)
  - (v) The entity is a post-employment benefit plan for the benefit of employees of either the Group or an entity related to the Group.
  - (vi) The entity is controlled or jointly controlled by a person identified in (a).
  - (vii) A person identified in (a)(i) has significant influence over the entity or is a member of the key management personnel of the entity (or of a parent of the entity).
  - (viii) The entity, or any member of a group of which it is a part, provides key management personnel services to the Group or to the Group's parent.

Close members of the family of a person are those family members who may be expected to influence, or be influenced by, that person in their dealings with the entity.

## 3 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES IN APPLYING THE GROUP'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Group's financial condition and results of operations are sensitive to accounting methods, assumptions and estimates that underlie the preparation of the financial statements. The Group bases the assumptions and estimates on historical experience and on various other assumptions that the Group believes to be reasonable and which form the basis for making judgments about matters that are not readily apparent from other sources. On an on-going basis, management evaluates its estimates. Actual results may differ from those estimates as facts, circumstances and conditions change.

The selection of critical accounting policies, the judgments and other uncertainties affecting application of those polices and the sensitivity of reported results to changes in conditions and assumptions are factors to be considered when reviewing the financial statements. The principal accounting policies are set forth in Note 2. The Group believes the following critical accounting policies involve the most significant judgments and estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements.

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## CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES IN 3 APPLYING THE GROUP'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (a) Recoverability of receivables in relation to carbon credits

The Group reviews its receivables in relation to carbon credits on a periodic basis to assess impairment and to determine the amount of impairment loss if the receivables were considered to be impaired. These allowances reflect the difference between the carrying amount of the receivables and the present value of estimated future cash flows. Factors affecting this estimate mainly include the external environment in relation to carbon market, the credit status, financial conditions and reputation of the debtors, history of payments by the debtors (e.g. payment delinquency or default) and the enforceability of the underlying contracts. Any change in circumstances including the Group's business in relation to carbon credits development and the external environment would affect the carrying amounts of the receivables.

## **(b)** Impairment losses for other bad and doubtful debts

The Group estimates impairment losses for bad and doubtful debts resulting from the inability of the customers and other debtors to make the required payments. The Group bases the estimates on the aging of the receivable balance, debtors' credit-worthiness, and historical write-off experience. If the financial condition of the customers and debtors were to deteriorate, actual write-offs would be higher than estimated.

## (c) **Impairment losses of non-current assets**

In considering the impairment losses that may be required for certain of the Group's assets which include property, plant and equipment, lease prepayments, intangible assets and investment in joint venture and associate, recoverable amount of the asset needs to be determined. The recoverable amount is the greater of the fair value less costs to sell and the value in use. It is difficult to precisely estimate selling price because quoted market prices for these assets may not be readily available. In determining the value in use, expected cash flow generated by the asset are discounted to their present value, which requires significant judgment relating to items such as level of sale volume, selling price and amount of operating costs. The Group uses all readily available information in determining an amount that is reasonable approximation of recoverable amount, including estimates based on reasonable and supportable assumptions and projections of items such as sale volume, selling price and amount of operating costs.

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## CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES IN 3 APPLYING THE GROUP'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (d) Recognition of deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets in respect of unused tax losses and tax credit carried forward and deductible temporary differences are recognised and measured based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of the assets, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period. In determining the carrying amounts of deferred assets, expected taxable profits are estimated which involves a number of assumptions relating to the operating environment of the Group and require a significant level of judgment exercised by the directors. Any change in such assumptions and judgment would affect the carrying amounts of deferred tax assets to be recognised and hence the net profit in future years.

## (e) **Depreciation**

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets, after taking into account the estimated residual value. The Group reviews the estimated useful lives of the assets regularly. The useful lives are based on the Group's historical experience with similar assets and taking into account anticipated technological changes. The depreciation expense for future periods is adjusted if there are significant changes from previous estimates.

## **(f) Income tax**

The Group files income taxes with a number of tax authorities. Judgment is required in determining the provision for taxation. There are many transactions and calculations for which the ultimate tax determinations are uncertain during the ordinary course of business. Where the final tax outcomes of these matters are different from the amounts originally recorded, the differences may impact the current income tax and deferred income tax provisions in the periods in which the final tax outcomes became available.

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### 4 REVENUE

The amount of each significant category of revenue recognised during the year is as follows:

	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000
Sales of electricity (note (i))	9,232,562	7,354,091
Others	6,021	2,790
	9,238,583	7,356,881

Note:

(i) Sales of electricity were mainly generated by the wind power plants of the Group. The Group has a single reportable operating segment. As the Group does not have material operations outside the PRC, no geographic segment information is presented.

## **OTHER NET INCOME** 5

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Government grants	253,610	182,432
Penalty income from suppliers and constructors (note (i))	48,471	243,164
Net loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(3,546)	_
Others	23,163	9,293
	321,698	434,889

Note:

(i) Penalty income from suppliers and constructors mainly represented compensations from third party wind turbine suppliers or constructors for revenue losses incurred due to certain spare parts of wind turbines not running stably at the early stage of the operation for certain wind power plants.

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## 6 FINANCE INCOME AND EXPENSES

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Interest income on financial assets	39,198	41,215
Foreign exchange gains	78,696	118,162
Dividend income	19,435	10,140
Finance income	137,329	169,517
Interest on bank loans and other borrowings and finance		
charges on obligations under finance leases	2,336,931	2,656,726
Less: interest expenses capitalised into property,		
plant and equipment (note (i))	207,734	418,597
	2,129,197	2,238,129
Foreign exchange losses	1,308	1,187
Bank charges and others	2,254	3,172
Finance expenses	2,132,759	2,242,488
Net finance expenses recognised in profit or loss	(1,995,430)	(2,072,971)

# Note:

The borrowing costs have been capitalised at rates of 3.26% to 4.81% for the year ended 31 December 2016 (i) (2015: 4.08% to 6.31%).

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## 7 PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION

Profit before taxation is arrived at after charging:

### (a) Personnel costs

	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000
	247.420	221 752
Salaries, wages and other benefits  Contributions to defined contribution retirement plan	346,438 56,534	331,753 38,494
	402.072	270 247
	402,972	370,24

Pursuant to the relevant labour rules and regulations in the PRC, the Group participated in defined contribution retirement schemes (the "Schemes") organised by the relevant local government authorities for its employees. The Group is required to make contributions to the Schemes at 14% to 20% of the salaries of the employees. The local government authorities are responsible for the pension obligations to retired employees. In addition, the Group and its staff participate in a retirement plan managed by China Huaneng Group ("Huaneng Group") to supplement the abovementioned Schemes and the Group makes contributions to the retirement plan at 5% of the salaries of the employees. The Group has no other material obligation to make payments in respect of pension benefits other than the annual contributions described above.

## **(b)** Other items

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Amortisation		
<ul> <li>lease prepayments</li> </ul>	6,102	4,637
- intangible assets	38,582	34,403
Depreciation		
- property, plant and equipment	3,417,650	2,696,223
Impairment losses recognised in other		
operating expenses		
- property, plant and equipment	-	2,859
Auditors' remuneration		
<ul><li>audit services</li></ul>	14,900	15,000
– other services	3,500	3,500
Operating lease charges		
- hire of properties	39,076	28,801
Cost of inventories	111,465	56,361

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## 8 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF **COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

## (a) Taxation in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income represents:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Current tax		
Provision for the year		
- PRC (note (i) and Note 26(a))	200,381	133,453
- Hong Kong profits tax (note (ii))	-	-
Under-provision for prior years (Note 26(a))	572	6,637
	200,953	140,090
Deferred tax		
Reversal of temporary differences (Note 26(a))	562	1,280
	201,515	141,370

## Notes:

- (i) The provision for income tax of the Group is calculated based on a statutory rate of 25% of the assessable profit of the Group, except for certain subsidiaries of the Group which are tax exempted or taxed at preferential rates, as determined in accordance with the relevant PRC income tax rules and regulations for the year ended 31 December 2016 and 2015.
- (ii) Huaneng Renewables (Hong Kong) Limited, a subsidiary of the Group incorporated in Hong Kong in 2011, is subject to Hong Kong profits tax which is calculated at 16.5% of its estimated assessable profit for the year. The subsidiary had no assessable profit for 2016 and 2015.

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## 8 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF **COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (CONTINUED)**

## Reconciliation between tax expense and accounting profit at applicable tax rates: **(b)**

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Profit before taxation	2,909,529	2,040,556
Applicable tax rate	25%	25%
Notional tax on profit before taxation	727,382	510,139
Tax effect of non-deductible expenses	2,224	1,875
Tax effect of non-taxable income	(3,748)	(2,724)
Tax effect of differential tax rate and tax concessions		
of certain subsidiaries of the Group (note (i))	(578,833)	(400,003)
Tax effect of temporary differences utilised while		
not recognised in prior years	(715)	_
Tax effect of temporary differences not recognised	-	715
Tax effect of unused tax losses not recognised	97,126	98,240
Tax effect of tax losses utilised while not recognised		
in prior years	(26,748)	(31,223)
Tax credits in relation to purchase of certain		
environmental protection equipment (Note (ii))	(17,881)	(42,051)
Under-provision for prior years (Note 26(a))	572	6,637
Others	2,136	(235)
Income tax	201,515	141,370

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## INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF 8 COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (CONTINUED)

## **(b)** Reconciliation between tax expense and accounting profit at applicable tax rates: (continued)

Notes:

(i) Pursuant to CaiShui [2008] No.46 Notice on the Execution of the Catalogue of Public Infrastructure Projects Entitled for Preferential Tax Treatment (關於執行公共基礎設施項目企業所得稅優惠目 錄有關問題的通知), certain wind power projects and solar power projects of the Group, which are approved after 1 January 2008, are entitled to a tax holiday of a 3-year full exemption followed by a 3-year 50% exemption commencing from their respective years in which their first operating income is derived (the "3+3 tax holiday").

In addition, pursuant to Caishui [2012] No.10 Notice on the Implementation of Public Infrastructure Projects and Projects of Environmental Protection, Energy Saving and Water Conservation Entitled for Preferential Tax Treatment (關於公共基礎設施項目和環境保護節能節水項目企業所得稅優惠政策問 題的通知), certain wind power projects of the Group, which are approved before 31 December 2007, are also entitled to the 3+3 tax holiday commencing from the year in which the first operating income is derived but could only enjoy those tax benefit subsequent to 1 January 2008.

Pursuant to Caishui [2011] No. 58 Notice on Issues Concerning Relevant Tax Policies to In-depth Implementation of the Western Development Strategy (關於深入實施西部大開發戰略有關稅收政 策問題的通知) and Announcement [2012] No. 12 Public Announcement on Corporate Income Tax Issues Relating to In-depth Implementation of the Western Development Strategy (關於深入實施西部 大開發戰略有關企業所得税問題的公告), certain subsidiaries of the Group, being enterprises engaged in state encouraged industries established in the specified western regions, are taxed at a preferential income tax rate of 15% and can enjoy the preferential tax rate till 31 December 2020.

(ii) Pursuant to Caishui [2008] No. 48 Notice on Issues Concerning Implementation of Catalogue of Corporate Income Tax Incentives for Special Equipment for Environmental Protection, the Catalogue of Corporate Income Tax Incentives for Special Equipment for Energy and Water Conservation, and the Catalogue of Corporate Income Tax Incentives for Special Equipment for Work Safety (關於執行 環境保護專用設備企業所得税優惠目錄、節能節水專用設備企業所得税優惠目錄和安全生產專用 設備企業所得税優惠目錄有關問題的通知), certain subsidiaries of the Group, being enterprises have purchased special equipment for use in environmental protection, energy and water conservation and work safety purposes stipulated in above mentioned catalogues, 10% of the amount invested in the special equipment can be deducted from the income tax in the current year, and such unused tax credit could be carried forward to the following five years.

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## 9 **DIRECTORS' AND SUPERVISORS' EMOLUMENTS**

Directors' emoluments disclosed pursuant to section 383(1) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and Part 2 of the Companies (Disclosure of Information about Benefits of Directors) Regulation are as follows:

	Salaries,				
	Directors' and	allowances		Retirement	
	Supervisors'	and benefits		scheme	2016
	fees	in kind	Bonuses	contributions	Total
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Directors					
Mr. Cao Peixi (Chairman)	_	-	_	_	-
Mr. Zhang Tingke	_	_	_	_	-
Mr. Wang Kui	_	-	_	_	-
Mr. Lin Gang	_	339	471	95	905
Mr. Xiao Jun	_	339	471	95	905
Ms. Yang Qing	_	297	400	87	784
Mr. He Yan	-	297	400	87	784
Independent non-executive					
directors					
Mr. Qin Haiyan	140	_	_	_	140
Ms. Dai Huizhu	140	_	_	_	140
Mr. Zhou Shaopeng	140	_	_	_	140
Mr. Wan Kam To	140	-	-	-	140
Supervisors					
Mr. Huang Jian	_	_	_	-	-
Mr. Wang Huanliang	-	_	-	-	-
Mr. Yu Zewei					
(retired in March 2016)	-	74	100	21	195
Mr. Shi Yan					
(appointed in March 2016	) -	224	300	65	589
	5(0	1 550	2 1 4 2	450	4.722
	560	1,570	2,142	450	4,722

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## **DIRECTORS' AND SUPERVISORS' EMOLUMENTS (CONTINUED)** 9

		Salaries,			
	Directors' and	allowances		Retirement	
	Supervisors'	and benefits		scheme	2015
	fees	in kind	Bonuses	contributions	Total
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Directors					
Mr. Cao Peixi (Chairman)	_	_	_	_	_
Mr. Zhang Tingke	_	_	_	_	_
Mr. Wang Kui	_	_	_	_	_
Mr. Lin Gang	_	333	527	90	950
Mr. Xiao Jun	_	333	527	83	943
Ms. Yang Qing	_	291	448	81	820
Mr. He Yan	-	291	448	81	820
Independent non-executive					
directors					
Mr. Qin Haiyan	140	_	_	_	140
Ms. Dai Huizhu	140	_	_	_	140
Mr. Zhou Shaopeng	140	_	_	_	140
Mr. Wan Kam To	140	-	_	-	140
Supervisors					
Mr. Huang Jian	_	-	_	_	-
Mr. Wang Huanliang	-	-	-	_	_
Mr. Yu Zewei	_	291	448	80	819
	560	1,539	2,398	415	4,912

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## 10 INDIVIDUALS WITH HIGH EMOLUMENTS

Of the five individuals with the highest emoluments, four (2015: four) are directors whose emoluments are disclosed in Note 9. The aggregate of the emoluments in respect of the other one (2015: one) individual are as follows:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind	297	291
Bonuses	400	448
Retirement scheme contributions	87	81
	784	820

The emoluments of the one (2015: one) individual with the highest emoluments are within the following bands:

	2016	2015
HKD500,001 to HKD1,000,000	1	_
HKD1,000,001 to HKD1,500,000	-	1

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## 11 OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:		
Available-for-sale equity securities:		
- Changes in fair value recognised during the year		
(Note 19(iii))	(34,008)	10,445
- Tax expense		
Net movement in the fair value reserve	(34,008)	10,445
Exchange difference on translation of financial statements		
of a subsidiary outside mainland China		
- Before and net of tax amount	6,327	21,120
Other comprehensive income	(27,681)	31,565

## **EARNINGS PER SHARE** 12

The calculation of basic earnings per share is based on the net profit attributable to the equity shareholders of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2016 of RMB2,658,863,000 (2015: RMB1,859,549,000) and the weighted average number of shares in issue during the year ended 31 December 2016 of 9,727,996,000 (2015: 9,727,996,000 shares).

The weighted average number of shares in issue is set out below:

	2016	2015
	Thousands	Thousands
	shares	shares
Issued ordinary shares at 1 January	9,727,996	9,727,996
Effect of new shares issued	_	_
	9,727,996	9,727,996

There was no difference between the basic and diluted earnings per share as there were no dilutive potential shares outstanding for the years presented.

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# 13 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Buildings and structures RMB'000	Generators and related equipment RMB'000	Motor vehicles RMB'000	Furniture, fixtures and others RMB'000	Construction in progress RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Cost:						
At 1 January 2015	4,531,428	47,657,795	211,209	82,903	13,421,035	65,904,370
Additions	553	239	12,622	11,251	13,524,143	13,548,808
Transfer from construction in progress	1,501,453	11,198,931	1,278	4,219	(12,705,881)	-
Disposals	-	(13,588)	-	-	_	(13,588)
Reclassification to assets held for sale	-	(54,132)	-	-	-	(54,132)
Reclassification	(22,042)	21,663	(1,051)	1,430		-
At 31 December 2015	6,011,392	58,810,908	224,058	99,803	14,239,297	79,385,458
At 1 January 2016	6,011,392	58,810,908	224,058	99,803	14,239,297	79,385,458
Additions	176	9,330	6,368	10,879	6,882,609	6,909,362
Transfer from construction in progress	1,188,222	12,923,774	_	1,371	(14,113,367)	_
Disposals	(476)	(17,815)	(1,891)	-	-	(20,182)
Reclassification	(92,304)	92,354	537	(587)	-	-
Other	(2,910)	(16,797)	(87)	-	_	(19,794)
At 31 December 2016	7,104,100	71,801,754	228,985	111,466	7,008,539	86,254,844
Accumulated depreciation and						
impairment losses:						
At 1 January 2015	474,106	7,391,303	85,459	39,808	40,344	8,031,020
Depreciation charge for the year	196,432	2,471,452	22,307	12,991	-	2,703,182
Written back on disposal	_	(1,240)	-	-	-	(1,240)
Impairment losses recognised	-	2,859	-	-	-	2,859
Reclassification to assets held for sale	-	(8,338)	-	-	-	(8,338)
Reclassification	(5,896)	6,357	(734)	273	_	_
At 31 December 2015	664,642	9,862,393	107,032	53,072	40,344	10,727,483
At 1 January 2016	664,642	9,862,393	107,032	53,072	40,344	10,727,483
Depreciation charge for the year	247,571	3,140,670	22,575	13,036	· -	3,423,852
Written back on disposal	(31)	(1,600)	(1,396)	· -	_	(3,027)
Reclassification	(9,987)	10,102	45	(160)	_	_
At 31 December 2016	902,195	13,011,565	128,256	65,948	40,344	14,148,308
Net book value:	E 24/ 750	40.040.515	117.007	AC 701	14 100 052	(0 (55 055
At 31 December 2015	5,346,750	48,948,515	117,026	46,731	14,198,953	68,657,975
At 31 December 2016	6,201,905	58,790,189	100,729	45,518	6,968,195	72,106,536

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## 13 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

## Notes:

- (i) The Group's property, plants and buildings are all located in the PRC.
- (ii) Property, plant and equipment held under finance leases

Certain properties and equipment of the Group with an aggregate net book value of RMB2,651,525,000 as at 31 December 2016 (2015: RMB3,265,205,000), are accounted for as finance leases (of which RMB384,674,000 are finance leases pursuant to sales and leaseback transactions (2015: RMB890,768,000)), with lease periods of 60 to 120 months.

Certain properties and equipment helds under finance leases with an aggregate net book value of RMB1,233,778,000 as at 31 December 2016 (2015: RMB1,750,398,000), are pledged by the future electricity revenue of relevant wind power projects of the Group.

- (iii) As at 31 December 2016, the Group is in the process of applying for or changing registration of the ownership certificates for certain of its properties. The directors are of the opinion that the Group is entitled to lawfully occupy or use these properties.
- (iv) As at 31 December 2016, certain property, plant and equipment with net book value of RMB401,331,000 (31 December 2015: RMB419,795,000) have been pledged as securities for the long-term loans and borrowings granted to a subsidiary of the Company.

## 14 LEASE PREPAYMENTS

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Cost:		
At 1 January	338,707	172,671
Additions	42,951	166,036
At 31 December	381,658	338,707
Accumulated amortisation:		
At 1 January	21,650	15,501
Amortisation for the year	8,640	6,149
At 31 December	30,290	21,650
Net book value:	351,368	317,057

Lease prepayments mainly represent prepayments for acquiring rights to use land, which is all located in the PRC, for own use properties with lease period of 20-50 years.

As at 31 December 2016, the Group is in the process of applying for registration of the ownership certificates for certain of its land use right. The directors are of the opinion that the Group is entitled to lawfully occupy or use these land.

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#### 15 **INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

	Concession	Software	
	assets	and others	Total
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Cost:			
At 1 January 2015	801,401	10,471	811,872
Additions	2,400	18,501	20,901
At 31 December 2015	803,801	28,972	832,773
At 1 January 2016	803,801	28,972	832,773
Additions	_	11,202	11,202
Others	(623)	_	(623)
At 31 December 2016	803,178	40,174	843,352
Accumulated amortisation:			
At 1 January 2015	111,883	3,782	115,665
Charge for the year	32,003	3,420	35,423
At 31 December 2015	143,886	7,202	151,088
At 1 January 2016	143,886	7,202	151,088
Charge for the year	32,098	6,578	38,676
At 31 December 2016	175,984	13,780	189,764
Net book value:			
At 31 December 2015	659,915	21,770	681,685
At 31 December 2016	627,194	26,394	653,588

The Group entered into service concession agreements with local government (the "Grantor") in prior periods to construct and operate power plants for a concession period of 25 years. The Group is responsible for construction and maintenance of the power plants during the concession period. At the end of the concession period, the Group needs to dismantle the power plants or negotiate with the Grantor for a renewal of the service concession agreement. The Group has recognised intangible assets related to the service concession arrangements, representing the rights the Group receives to charge a fee for sales of electricity. The Group has not recognised service concession receivables as the Grantor will not provide the Group any guaranteed minimum payment for the operating period of the power plants.

The Group recognises the intangible assets at the fair value of the concession construction service as all the contracts related to the power plants construction are entered into at fair market value through public tender in open market. The concession assets are amortised over the operating period of the service concession projects.

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## **16 INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES**

As at 31 December 2016, the subsidiaries of the Company, all of which are unlisted limited liability companies, were listed as follows:

				Percentage of attributable	
				equity interest	
		Place of	Registered	held by	
	Name of the company	Establishment	capital	the Company	Principal activities
1	Huaneng Shantou Nan'ao Wind Power Company Limited 華能汕頭南澳風力發電有限公司 (note (ii))	the PRC	RMB23,000,000	60%	Wind power generation
2	Huaneng Shantou Wind Power Company Limited 華能汕頭風力發電有限公司 (note (ii))	the PRC	RMB194,190,000	50%	Wind power generation
3	HNEEP-CLP Changdao Wind Power Co., Ltd 華能中電長島風力發電有限公司 (note (ii))	the PRC	RMB99,072,000	55%	Wind power generation
4	HNNE-CLP Weihai Wind Power Company Limited 華能中電威海風力發電有限公司 (note (ii))	the PRC	RMB253,240,000	55%	Wind power generation
5	Huaneng Rongcheng Wind Power Company Limited 華能榮成風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB60,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
6	Huaneng Shouguang Wind Power Company Limited 華能壽光風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB186,730,000	55%	Wind power generation
7	Huaneng Changyi Wind Power Company Limited 華能昌邑風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB235,300,000	100%	Wind power generation
8	Huaneng Weifang Binhai Wind Power Company Limited 華能濰坊濱海風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB129,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
9	Huaneng Lijin Wind Power Company Limited 華能利津風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB85,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
10	Huaneng Dongying Hekou Wind Power Company Limited 華能東營河口風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB530,972,880	100%	Wind power generation

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				Percentage of attributable equity interest	
		Place of	Registered	held by	
_	Name of the company	Establishment	capital	the Company	Principal activities
11	Huaneng Laoting Wind Power Company Limited 華能樂亭風力發電有限公司 (note (ii))	the PRC	RMB185,280,000	55%	Wind power generation
12	Huaneng Chengde Wind Power Company Limited 華能承德風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB318,000,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
13	Huaneng Hong Kong Electric Dali Wind Power Company Limited 華能港燈大理風力發電有限公司 (note (ii))	the PRC	RMB150,690,000	55%	Wind power generation
14	Huaneng Eryuan Wind Power Company Limited 華能洱源風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB240,000,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation and relevant services
15	Huaneng Fuxin Wind Power Company Limited 華能阜新風力發電有限責任公司	the PRC	RMB1,453,250,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
16	Huaneng Panjin Wind Power Company Limited 華能盤錦風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB172,336,120	53%	Wind power generation
17	Huaneng Jinzhou Wind Power Company Limited 華能錦州風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB189,080,000	100%	Wind power generation
18	Huaneng Tongliao Wind Power Company Limited 華能通遼風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB1,374,554,000	100%	Wind power generation and relevant services
19	Huaneng Hulunbuir Wind Power Company Limited 華能呼倫貝爾風力發電有限公司 (note (ii))	the PRC	RMB100,000,000	51%	Wind power generation
20	Huaneng Baotou Wind Power Company Limited 華能包頭風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB437,790,700	100%	Wind power and solar power generation

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		Place of	Dogistanad	Percentage of attributable equity interest held by	
	Name of the company	Establishment	Registered capital	the Company	Principal activities
21	Huaneng Huhhot Wind Power Company Limited 華能呼和浩特風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB430,141,300	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
22	Huaneng Keyouzhongqi Wind Power Company Limited 華能科右中旗風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB337,488,000	100%	Wind power generation
23	Huaneng Yangjiang Wind Power Company Limited 華能陽江風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB260,548,600	100%	Wind power generation
24	Huaneng Jimo Wind Power Company Limited 華能即墨風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB72,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
25	Huaneng Tongyu Xinhua Wind Power Company Limited 華能通榆新華風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB364,170,000	100%	Wind power generation
26	Huaneng Xinjiang Santanghu Wind Power Company Limited 華能新疆三塘湖風力發電有限責任公司	the PRC	RMB252,500,000	100%	Wind power generation
27	Huaneng Weining Wind Power Company Limited 華能威寧風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB481,500,000	100%	Wind power generation
28	Huaneng Ningwu Wind Power Company Limited 華能寧武風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB163,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
29	Huaneng New Energy Shanghai Power Company Limited 華能新能源上海發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB110,500,000	100%	Wind power generation
30	Huaneng Tieling Wind Power Company Limited 華能鐵嶺風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB155,500,000	75%	Wind power generation

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				Percentage of attributable equity interest	
	Name of the company	Place of Establishment	Registered capital	held by the Company	Principal activities
_	Name of the company	Establishment	Сарітаі	the Company	1 Tincipal activities
31	Huaneng Yuanping Wind Power Company Limited 華能原平風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB160,846,400	100%	Wind power generation
32	Huaneng Tianzhen Wind Power Company Limited 華能天鎮風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB191,535,400	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
33	Huaneng Pianguan Wind Power Company Limited 華能偏關風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB162,668,900	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
34	Huaneng Hezhang Wind Power Company Limited 華能赫章風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB292,500,000	100%	Wind power generation
35	Huaneng Tieling Daxing Wind Power Company Limited 華能鐵嶺大興風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB479,320,000	75%	Wind power generation
36	Huaneng Baicheng Wind Power Company Limited 華能白城風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB143,890,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
37	Huaneng Yantai Wind Power Company Limited 華能烟台風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB60,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
38	Huaneng Dali Wind Power Company Limited 華能大理風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB210,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
39	Huaneng Weifang Wind Power Company Limited 華能濰坊風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB225,740,300	100%	Wind power generation
40	Huaneng Gaizhou Wind Power Company Limited 華能蓋州風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB85,550,000	100%	Wind power generation

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				Percentage of attributable equity interest	
		Place of	Registered	held by	
	Name of the company	Establishment	capital	the Company	Principal activities
41	Huaneng Raoping Wind Power Company Limited 華能饒平風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB265,830,000	100%	Wind power generation
42	Huaneng Tielingkaiyuan Wind Power Company Limited 華能鐵嶺開原風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB12,860,240	75%	Wind power generation
43	Huaneng Dingbian New Energy Power Company Limited 華能定邊新能源發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB424,430,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
44	Huaneng Chenbaerhuqi Wind Power Company Limited 華能陳巴爾虎旗風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB74,020,000	100%	Wind power generation
45	Huaneng Manzhouli Wind Power Company Limited 華能滿洲里風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB91,480,000	100%	Wind power generation
46	Huaneng Zhanjiang Wind Power Company Limited 華能湛江風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB179,818,100	100%	Wind power generation
47	Huaneng Xinjiang Qinghe Wind Power Company Limited 華能新疆青河風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB185,260,000	100%	Wind power generation
48	Huaneng Nanhua Wind Power Company Limited 華能南華風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB139,500,800	100%	Wind power generation
49	Huaneng Zhaojue Wind Power Company Limited 華能昭覺風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB245,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
50	Huaneng Renewables (Hong Kong) Limited 華能新能源(香港)有限公司	Hong Kong	100,000 shares	100%	Investment management

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				Percentage of attributable equity interest	
	Name of the company	Place of Establishment	Registered capital	held by the Company	Principal activities
51	Huaneng Tangshan Fengnan Wind Power Company Limited 華能唐山豐南風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB45,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
52	Huaneng Yunlong Wind Power Company Limited 華能雲龍風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB63,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
53	Huaneng Changning Wind Power Company Limited 華能昌寧風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB77,439,000	100%	Wind power generation
54	Huaneng Weishan Wind Power Company Limited 華能巍山風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB33,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
55	Huaneng Yishui Wind Power Company Limited 華能沂水風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB78,400,000	100%	Wind power generation
56	Huaneng Mingyang New Energy Investment Company Limited 華能明陽新能源投資有限公司	the PRC	RMB100,000,000	63%	Wind power generation
57	Huaneng Heqing Wind Power Company Limited 華能鶴慶風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB1,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
58	Huaneng Kunming Wind Power Company Limited 華能昆明風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB3,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
59	Huaneng Wutai Wind Power Company Limited 華能五台風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB71,500,000	100%	Wind power generation
60	Huaneng Huili Wind Power Company Limited 華能會理風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB170,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
61	Huaneng Butuo Wind Power Company Limited 華能布拖風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB180,000,000	100%	Wind power generation

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				Percentage of attributable equity interest	
		Place of	Registered	held by	
	Name of the company	Establishment	capital	the Company	Principal activities
62	Huaneng Shenchi Wind Power Company Limited 華能神池風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB232,420,100	100%	Wind power generation
63	Huaneng Huailai Wind Power Company Limited 華能懷來風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB70,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
64	Huaneng Fanshi Wind Power Company Limited 華能繁峙風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB140,628,600	100%	Wind power generation
65	Huaneng Gansu Jinchang New Energy Power Company Limited 華能甘肅金昌新能源發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Solar power generation
66	Jinchang Century Concord New Energy Company Limited 金昌協合新能源有限公司	the PRC	RMB50,000,000	100%	Solar power generation
67	Yongchang Century Concord Solar Power Company Limited 永昌協合太陽能發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB50,000,000	100%	Solar power generation
68	Huaneng Ningnan Wind Power Company Limited 華能寧南風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB150,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
69	Huaneng Qingtongxia New Energy Power Company Limited 華能青銅峽新能源發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB32,000,000	100%	Solar power generation
70	Huaneng Fuchuan Wind Power Company Limited 華能富川風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB67,250,000	100%	Wind power generation
71	Huaneng Gonghe Solar Power Company Limited 華能共和光伏發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB211,190,000	100%	Solar power generation

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				Percentage of attributable equity interest	
		Place of	Registered	held by	
	Name of the company	Establishment	capital	the Company	Principal activities
72	Huaneng Shanwei Wind Power Company Limited 華能汕尾風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB115,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
73	Huaneng Jiaxing Wind Power Company Limited 華能嘉興風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	85%	Wind power generation
74	Huaneng Yunhe Wind Power Company Limited 華能雲和風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
75	Huaneng New Energy Panxian Wind Power Company Limited 華能新能源盤縣風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
76	Huaneng Ge'ermu Photovoltaic Power Generation Company Limited 華能格爾木光伏發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB295,118,100	100%	Solar power generation
77	Jinzhou Century Concord Xingda Wind Power Company Limited 錦州協合興達風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB83,500,000	100%	Wind power generation
78	Huaneng Chifeng New Energy Company Limited 華能赤峰新能源有限公司	the PRC	RMB516,160,000	100%	Wind power generation
79	Huaneng New Energy Shilin Photovoltaic Power Company Limited 華能新能源石林光伏發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB10,000,000	100%	Solar power generation
80	Huaneng Xiangyun Wind Power Company Limited 華能祥雲風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB1,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
81	Huaneng Laiyang Wind Power Company Limited 華能萊陽風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
82	Huaneng Qixia Wind Power Company Limited 華能棲霞風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation

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	Name of the company	Place of Establishment	Registered	Percentage of attributable equity interest held by	Delivatival autivities
	Name of the company	Establishment	capital	the Company	Principal activities
83	Huaneng Wulatehouqi New Energy Power Company Limited 華能烏拉特後旗新能源發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
84	Huaneng Zhenglanqi New Energy Power Company Limited 華能正藍旗新能源發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB55,000,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
85	Huaneng Siziwangqi New Energy Power Company Limited 華能四子王旗新能源發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB38,000,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
86	Huaneng Qinhuangdao Wind Power Company Limited 華能秦皇島風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
87	Huaneng Kumul Photovoltaic Power Generation Company Limited 華能哈密光伏發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB58,000,000	100%	Solar power generation
88	Huaneng Wulatezhongqi New Energy Power Company Limited 華能烏拉特中旗新能源發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
89	Huaneng Burqin Wind Power Company Limited 華能布爾津風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB10,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
90	Huaneng Qingyuan Wind Power Company Limited 華能慶元風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
91	Huaneng Pingyi Wind Power Company Limited 華能平邑風力發電有限公司	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power and solar power generation
92	Huaneng Xiongfei (Beijing) New Energy Power Company Limited 華能雄飛(北京)新能源有限公司 (note (iii))	the PRC	RMB100,000	51%	Solar power generation
93	Huaneng Zhalaiteqi Solar Power Company Limited 華能扎賚特旗太陽能光伏發電有限公司 (note (iii))	the PRC	RMB52,000,000	100%	Solar power generation

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## 16 **INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)**

				Percentage of attributable equity interest	
		Place of	Registered	held by	
	Name of the company	Establishment	capital	the Company	Principal activities
94	Huaneng Jinyun New Energy Power Company Limited 華能縉雲新能源發電有限公司 (note (iii))	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
95	Huaneng Muli Wind Power Company Limited 華能木里風力發電有限公司 (note (iii))	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
96	Huaneng Jishangweichang Manchu Mongolian Autonomous County Wind Power Company Limited 華能吉上圍場滿族蒙古族自治縣風力發電有限公司 (note (iii))	the PRC	RMB100,000	100%	Wind power generation
97	Huaneng Haixing Wind Power Company Limited 華能海興風力發電有限公司 (note (iii))	the PRC	RMB20,000,000	100%	Wind power generation
98	Huaneng Huoshan New Energy Power Company Limited 華能霍山新能源發電有限公司 (note (iii))	the PRC	RMB100,000	100%	Wind power generation

## Notes:

- (i) The English translation of the names is for reference only, except for the subsidiary incorporated in Hong Kong. The official names of these entities are in Chinese.
- (ii) The Company directly owns the most equity interests in these companies but the voting power attached to the equity interests does not allow the Company to have the power to govern the financial and operating activities of these companies according to the articles of association of these companies. The Company is the largest equity owner of these companies and no other equity owners individually or in aggregate had the power to control these companies according to the articles of association. Historically, the Company controlled the operation of these entities by appointing senior management, approving annual budget and determining the remuneration of employees etc. The Company had signed the concert party agreements with certain equity owners of these companies, whereby such equity owners have agreed to vote the same as the Company. Such equity owners have also confirmed that the voting in unison with the Company existed since the establishment of these entities. The PRC lawyer of the Company confirmed that the concert party agreements are valid under relevant PRC laws. Considering above mentioned factors, the directors are of the opinion that the Company controlled these entities during the years presented. Therefore the financial statements of these companies are consolidated by the Company during the years presented.
- (iii) These companies were newly established in 2016.

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## **16 INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)**

The following table lists out the information relation to the subsidiaries of the Group which have material non-controlling interest ("NCI"). The summarised financial information presented below presents the amounts before any inter-company elimination.

	Huaneng Wind Company	Power	HNNE-CI Wind Company	Power	Huaneng Wind Company	Power	Huaneng Laoting Wind Power Company Limited		Huaneng Hong Kong Electric Dali Wind Power Company Limited	
	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000
NCI percentage	50%	50%	45%	45%	47%	47%	45%	45%	45%	45%
Current assets	23,924	20,852	25,240	36,294	26,482	44,024	22,405	19,880	18,882	36,703
Non-current assets	353,622	378,041	469,295	503,730	364,975	384,807	346,672	370,227	277,233	290,843
Current liabilities	(62,149)	(54,379)	(104,562)	(105,251)	(60,067)	(63,662)	(29,715)	(28,997)	(37,496)	(32,813)
Non-current liabilities	(86,189)	(114,026)	(102,059)	(139,597)	(149,560)	(176,480)	(141,045)	(164,168)	(77,165)	(99,524)
Net assets	229,208	230,488	287,914	295,176	181,830	188,689	198,317	196,942	181,454	195,209
Carrying amount of NCI	114,604	115,244	129,561	132,829	85,926	89,150	89,243	88,624	81,654	87,844
Revenue	69,533	73,132	71,089	72,635	47,701	46,152	48,004	45,115	40,691	63,801
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year	20,360	21,820	18,117	25,178	8,460	17,050	5,402	4,029	13,262	27,024
Profit allocated to NCI	10,180	10,910	8,153	11,330	3,976	8,014	2,431	1,813	5,968	12,161
Dividends paid to NCI	10,892	5,425	9,492	882	-	_	42	-	-	8,526
Cash flows from operating activities	50,434	61,733	44,218	74,920	40,127	62,924	23,275	32,535	40,330	48,507
Cash flows from investing activities	(4,284)	(1,297)	(5,083)	(15,230)	(766)	(3,898)	(2,497)	(10,070)	(6,037)	(1,573)
Cash flows from financing activities	(44,060)	(62,881)	(58,460)	(47,770)	(65,176)	(43,785)	(26,510)	(27,300)	(38,743)	(44,777)

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## 17 **INTEREST IN AN ASSOCIATE**

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Interest in an associate	29,423	30,548

The investment in an associate represented the 46% equity interests in Shanghai Lingang Offshore Wind Power Company Limited (上海臨港海上風力發電有限公司) ("Shanghai Lingang") with a registered capital of RMB351,810,000. Shanghai Lingang was established in the PRC in 2012 and is mainly engaged in the development of offshore wind power project.

Summarised financial information of the associate is disclosed as below:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Current assets	133,407	25,203
Non-current assets	971,262	261,793
Current liabilities	(734,723)	(220,586)
Non-current liabilities	(154,000)	(220,360)
Two current natifices	(154,000)	
Equity	215,946	66,410
Included in the above assets and liabilities:		
Cash and cash equivalents	55,718	22,070
Revenue	-	_
Loss for the year	(2,445)	(1,950)
Other comprehensive income	_	_
outer compensate means		
Total comprehensive income	(2,445)	(1,950)
Reconciled to the Group's interest in the associate		
Gross amounts of the net assets	215,946	66,410
Less: Capital injection from the controlling		
shareholder in advance	151,982	
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	63,964	66,410
The Group's effective interest	46%	46%
The Group's share of the net assets	29,423	30,548
Carrying amount in the consolidated financial statements	29,423	30,548

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## 18 INTEREST IN A JOINT VENTURE

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Interest in a joint venture	76,853	78,794

The investment in a joint venture represented the 50% equity interests in Beijing Hua Heng Hai Hui Oceanic Energy Co., Ltd. (北京華恆海惠海洋能有限責任公司) with a registered capital of RMB170,200,000. It was established in the PRC in 2011 and is mainly engaged in the development of oceanic energy.

According to the articles of association of the investee, the decisions about its relevant activities require the unanimous consent of the Company and the other equity owner. The parties sharing control have rights to the net assets of the arrangement.

Summarised financial information of the joint venture is disclosed as below:

	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000
Current assets	62,541	71,574
Non-current assets	121,439	116,130
Current liabilities	(274)	(116)
Non-current liabilities	(30,000)	(30,000)
Equity	153,706	157,588
Included in the above assets and liabilities:		
Cash and cash equivalents	41,518	20,968
Revenue	_	_
Loss for the year	(3,882)	(3,584)
Other comprehensive income		-
Total comprehensive income	(3,882)	(3,584)
Reconciled to the Group's interest in the joint venture		
Gross amounts of the net assets	153,706	157,588
The Group's effective interest	50%	50%
The Group's share of the net assets	76,853	78,794
Carrying amount in the consolidated financial statements	76,853	78,794

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## 19 **OTHER NON-CURRENT ASSETS**

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Deductible VAT (note (i))	2,334,896	4,030,599
Unquoted equity investments in non-listed companies,		
at cost (note (ii))	541,417	525,067
Available-for-sale equity securities,		
measured at fair value - Listed in Hong Kong (note (iii))	300,856	334,864
Deposits and advances to third parties (note (iv))	41,662	44,354
Long-term receivables due from a fellow subsidiary (note (v))	141,321	141,321
Other long-term assets	167,801	54,653
	3,527,953	5,130,858

## Notes:

- Deductible VAT mainly represents the input VAT relating to purchase of property, plant and equipment, (i) which is deductible from output VAT. Those expected to be deducted within one year is presented in prepayments and other current assets since 2016 (see Note 21).
- (ii) The following list contains the unquoted equity investments in non-listed entities as of 31 December 2016, all of which are corporate entities and established in the PRC:

_	Name of the company	Particulars of registered capital RMB'000	Percentage of attributable equity interest	Principal activities
1	China Huaneng Finance Corporation Ltd. (" <b>Huaneng Finance</b> ", 中國華能財務有限責任公司)	5,000,000	1%	Financial services
2	Jilin Zhanyu Wind Power Assets Management Co., Ltd. (吉林省瞻榆風電資產經營管理有限公司)	713,800	12.86%	Management of wind power equipment
3	Neimeng Huhhot Hydro-Power Generation Co., Ltd. (內蒙古呼和浩特抽水蓄能發電有限責任公司)	1,500,000	6.49%	Hydro-power generation utilizing pumped storage technology
4	Huaneng Carbon Asset Management Co., Ltd. ("Huaneng Carbon", 華能碳資產經營有限公司)	250,000	10%	Management and investment of carbon assets
5	Huaneng Tiancheng Financial Leasing Co., Ltd. ((" <b>Huaneng Tiancheng</b> ", 華能天成融資租賃有限公司)	2,700,000	10%	Financial leasing and leasing related services

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## 19 OTHER NON-CURRENT ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Notes: (continued)

#### (ii) (continued)

As at 31 December 2016, the balance of investments in Huaneng Finance, Huaneng Carbon and Huaneng Tiancheng were RMB51,225,000, RMB25,000,000and RMB276,000,000 respectively (2015: RMB51,225,000, RMB15,000,000 and RMB276,000,000).

- (iii) The available-for-sale equity securities were purchased in December 2015, measured at fair value. As at 31 December 2016, the fair value is remeasured based on quoted market price with resultant loss amounting to RMB34,008,000 (31 December 2015: resultant gain amounting to RMB10,445,000) being recognised in other comprehensive income.
- (iv) The deposits and advances to third parties are unsecured and interest free.
- (v) Long-term receivables due from a fellow subsidiary mainly represents the receivables due from Huaneng Carbon, which is not expected to be settled within one year.

## TRADE DEBTORS AND BILLS RECEIVABLE 20

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Amounts due from third parties	4,635,392	2,899,958
Less: allowance for doubtful debts		
	4,635,392	2,899,958
The ageing analysis of trade debtors and bills receivable of the Group	o is as follows:	
	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
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Current	4,635,392	2,899,958
Past due		
	4,635,392	2,899,958
Less: allowance for doubtful debts	_	_
	4,635,392	2,899,958

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#### 20 TRADE DEBTORS AND BILLS RECEIVABLE (CONTINUED)

The Group's trade receivables are mainly wind power electricity sales receivables from local grid companies. Generally, the receivables are due within 15-30 days from the date of billing, except for the tariff premium, representing 32% to 80% of total electricity sales, collected by certain power projects. The collection of such tariff premium is subject to the allocation of funds by relevant government authorities to local grid companies, which therefore takes a relatively long time for settlement.

Pursuant to CaiJian [2012] No.102 Notice on the Interim Measures for Administration of Subsidy Funds for Tariff Premium of Renewable Energy (可再生能源電價附加補助資金管理暫行辦法) jointly issued by the Ministry of Finance, the National Development and Reform Commission and the National Energy Administration in March 2012, a set of standardised procedures for the settlement of the tariff premium has come into force since 2012 and approvals on a project by project basis are required before the allocation of funds to local grid companies. As at 31 December 2016, most of the operating projects have been approved for the tariff premium and certain projects are in the process of applying for the approval. The directors of the Company are of the opinion that the approvals will be obtained in due course and the tariff premium receivables are fully recoverable considering that there are no bad debt experiences with the grid companies in the past and the tariff premium is funded by the PRC government.

Trade receivables that were neither past due nor impaired mainly represented the electricity sales receivable from local grid companies for whom there was no recent history of default.

All trade debtors and bills receivable are expected to be recovered within one year.

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#### 21 PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Government grant receivable	43,051	18,331
Amounts due from fellow subsidiaries	16,305	12,413
Interest receivable	2,031	1,357
Staff advance	5,493	5,054
Deposits (note (i))	40,704	37,222
Prepayments to		
<ul> <li>Fellow subsidiaries</li> </ul>	15,077	144
- Third parties	4,042	5,031
Deductible VAT (Note 19 (i))	1,247,701	_
Others	41,586	43,353
	1,415,990	122,905
Less: allowance for doubtful debts	818	818
	1,415,172	122,087

# Note:

Deposits mainly represented deposits placed with local authorities for developing wind power and (i) construction. The deposits will be released to the Group during certain development stage or by the completion of the power plants construction.

#### 22 **CASH AT BANK AND ON HAND**

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Cash on hand	425	658
Cash at bank and other financial institutions	2,569,633	4,503,114
	2,570,058	4,503,772
Representing:		
- Cash and cash equivalents	1,665,389	3,469,653
- Time deposits with original maturity over three months	904,669	1,034,119
	2,570,058	4,503,772

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#### 23 **BORROWINGS**

#### (a) The long-term interest-bearing borrowings comprise:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Bank and other loans		
- Secured	7,004,018	6,705,635
- Unsecured	23,255,001	24,795,819
Loan from a fellow subsidiary (unsecured)	40,000	_
Other borrowings (Note 23 (e))		
- Unsecured	2,996,415	1,854,368
	33,295,434	33,355,822
Less: Current portion of long-term borrowings		
- Bank and other loans	3,065,890	2,678,709
- Other borrowings	1,857,609	
	28,371,935	30,677,113

As at 31 December 2016, the Group's bank loans guaranteed by Huaneng Group amounted to RMB19,251,000 (2015: RMB19,407,000).

#### **(b)** The short-term interest-bearing borrowings comprise:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Bank and other loans (unsecured)	13,400,000	13,850,000
Loan from fellow subsidiaries (unsecured)	246,756	200,000
Other borrowings (Note 23 (e))		
- Unsecured	3,992,632	1,998,246
Current portion of long-term borrowings		
- Bank and other loans	3,065,890	2,678,709
<ul> <li>Other borrowings</li> </ul>	1,857,609	_
	22,562,887	18,726,955

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#### 23 **BORROWINGS (CONTINUED)**

#### (c) The effective interest rates per annum on borrowings are as follows:

	2016	2015
Long-term (including current portion)		
Bank and other loans	<b>1%</b> (note (i))	1% (note (i))
	4.28%~4.90%	4.31%~6.15%
Loan from a fellow subsidiary	4.41%	n/a
Other borrowings (Note 23 (e))	5.31%, 5.82%	5.31%, 5.82%
	2.98%	
Short-term (excluding current portion of		
long-term borrowings)		
Bank and other loans	3.87%~3.92%	3.92%~5.49%
Loan from fellow subsidiaries	4.66%	3.92%
Other borrowings (Note 23 (e))	2.92%, 3.01%	3.66%, 4.11%
		4.81%

# Note:

(i) A subsidiary of the Company, Huaneng Shantou Nan'ao Wind Power Company Limited ("Nan'ao Power"), obtained a loan from Spanish government through China Construction Bank Guangdong Branch on 29 November 1999. According to the terms of the loan, Nan'ao Power is obligated to use the loan proceeds to purchase goods and services only from entities in Spain. The total loan amount is US\$8,586,809, of which US\$4,317,319 was settled in 2008. The remaining loan of US\$4,269,490 has an annual interest rate of 1% and is repayable semi-annually starting from 15 June 2010. The final installment is to be settled by 15 December 2029. The loan is unsecured and is guaranteed by Huaneng Group.

#### The long-term borrowings (including current portion) are repayable as follows: (d)

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Within 1 year or on demand	4,923,499	2,678,709
After 1 year but within 2 years	3,181,185	5,008,666
After 2 years but within 5 years	10,552,030	9,831,378
After 5 years	14,638,720	15,837,069
	33,295,434	33,355,822

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#### 23 **BORROWINGS (CONTINUED)**

#### (e) Significant terms of other borrowings:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Long-term		
Corporate bonds (note (i))	1,997,394	856,902
Other bond (note (ii))	999,021	997,466
Short-term		
Short-term debentures (note (iii))	1,994,754	1,998,246
Super short-term debentures (note (iv))	1,997,878	_

#### Notes:

- (i) On 29 October 2012, the Company issued a five-year unsecured corporate bond of RMB860 million at par with a coupon rate of 5.09% per annum. The effective interest rate of the bond is 5.31% per annum.
  - On 11 July 2016, the Company issued a five-year unsecured green corporate bond of RMB1,140 million at par with a coupon rate of 2.95% per annum. The effective interest rate of the bond is 2.98% per annum.
- (ii) On 30 July 2014, the Company issued a three-year unsecured non-public bond of RMB1,000 million at par with a coupon rate of 5.65% per annum. The effective interest rate of the bond is 5.82% per
- (iii) On 8 August 2016, the Company issued a one-year unsecured short-term debenture of RMB1,000 million at par with a coupon rate of 2.50% per annum. The effective interest rate is 2.92% per annum.
  - On 5 September 2016, the Company issued a one-year unsecured short-term debenture of RMB1,000 million at par with a coupon rate of 2.50% per annum. The effective interest rate is 2.92% per annum.
- (iv) On 26 September 2016, the Company issued an unsecured super short-term debenture of RMB2,000 million at par with a maturity period of 270 days with the issuing interest rate of 2.79% per annum. The effective interest rate is 3.01% per annum.

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#### 24 **OBLIGATIONS UNDER FINANCE LEASES**

The Group had obligations under finance leases repayable as follows:

	2016		2015	
	Present		Present	
	value of the	Total	value of the	Total
	minimum	minimum	minimum	minimum
	lease	lease	lease	lease
	payments	payments	payments	payments
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Within 1 year	434,781	519,479	495,757	600,237
After 1 year but within 2 years	352,441	424,734	434,781	525,947
After 2 years but within 5 years	953,068	1,058,023	1,114,594	1,273,058
After 5 years	277,830	297,396	468,745	507,094
	1,583,339	1,780,153	2,018,120	2,306,099
	2,018,120	2,299,632	2,513,877	2,906,336
Less: total future interest				
expense		281,512		392,459
Present value of finance				
lease obligations		2,018,120		2,513,877

As at 31 December 2016, the balance of obligations under finance lease with Huaneng Tiancheng was RMB278,632,000 (31 December 2015: RMB324,786,000).

At inception, the lease periods of the finance lease obligation is approximately 5 to 10 years. The principal obligations and interest expenses are to be paid at least annually within the lease period.

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#### 25 **OTHER PAYABLES**

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Payables for acquisition of property, plant and equipment		
and intangible assets	3,673,039	5,517,906
Retention payable (note (i))	2,367,567	2,593,494
Bills payable	941,443	706,484
Dividends payable	64,940	34,786
Amounts due to fellow subsidiaries (note (ii))	52,217	20,697
Payables for staff related costs	42,584	41,239
Payables for other taxes	45,483	62,540
Interest payable	149,536	160,275
Other accruals and payables	103,260	112,670
	7,440,069	9,250,091

### Notes:

- (i) Retention payable represents the retention payables due to equipment suppliers and construction contractors which will be settled in accordance with contracted terms during or upon the expiry of the warranty period.
- (ii) Amounts due to fellow subsidiaries are all unsecured and interest-free.

All of the other payables are expected to be settled within one year or are repayable on demand.

### 26 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL **POSITION**

#### (a) Tax payable/(recoverable) in the consolidated statement of financial position represents:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Net tax payable at 1 January	50,069	36,416
Provision for the year ( <i>Note</i> $8(a)$ )	200,381	133,453
Under-provision for prior years ( <i>Note 8(a)</i> )	572	6,637
Income tax paid	(179,252)	(126,437)
Net tax payable at 31 December	71,770	50,069
Representing:		
Tax payable	79,513	60,431
Tax recoverable	(7,743)	(10,362)
	71,770	50,069

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### **26** INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL **POSITION (CONTINUED)**

#### Deferred tax assets and liabilities recognised: **(b)**

The components of deferred tax assets/(liabilities) recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position and the movements during the years are as follows:

	Trial operation		
Deferred tax assets arising from:	income	Others	Total
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
At 1 January 2015	4,626	223	4,849
Charged to profit or loss	(767)	_	(767)
At 31 December 2015	3,859	223	4,082
At 1 January 2016	3,859	223	4,082
Charged to profit or loss	(767)	_	(767)
At 31 December 2016	3,092	223	3,315
		D	epreciation of
			fixed assets
			nortisation of
Deferred tax liabilities arising from:		con	cession assets
			RMB'000
At 1 January 2015			(19,318)
Charged to profit or loss			(513)
			440.004
At 31 December 2015		<del></del>	(19,831)
At 1 January 2016			(19,831)
Charged to profit or loss			205
At 31 December 2016			(19,626)

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### INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL 26 POSITION (CONTINUED)

#### (c) Deferred tax assets not recognised

In accordance with the accounting policy set out in Note 2 (s), as at 31 December 2016, the Group did not recognise deferred tax assets on accumulated tax losses of RMB1,768,186,000 (2015: RMB1,658,871,000), temporary differences primarily related to impairment provision of property, plant and equipment of RMB40,344,000 (2015: RMB43,203,000) and tax credits in relation to purchase of certain environmental protection equipment (Note 8 (b(ii))) of RMB63,556,000 (2015: RMB52,388,000) as the directors considered it is not probable that sufficient future taxable profits will be available to allow the tax losses, temporary differences and tax credits to be utilised in relevant entities. The tax losses that will expire in the years ending 31 December 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021 are RMB146,501,000, RMB411,836,000, RMB440,204,000, RMB381,142,000 and RMB388,503,000 respectively.

#### 27 **DEFERRED INCOME**

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
At 1 January	230,517	247,596
Additions	1,800	_
Credited to profit or loss	(17,079)	(17,079)
At 31 December	215,238	230,517

Deferred income of the Group mainly represents VAT refund granted by the government relating to the purchase of domestic equipment and subsidies relating to the construction of property, plant and equipment, which would be recognised in other income on a straight-line basis over the expected useful life of the relevant assets.

#### 28 OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES

Other non-current liabilities primarily including retention payables due to equipment suppliers and construction contractors which is not expected to be settled within one year.

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#### 29 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS

#### (a) Movements in components of equity

The reconciliation between the opening and closing balances of each component of the Group's consolidated equity is set out in the consolidated statement of changes in equity. Details of the changes in the Company's individual components of equity between the beginning and the end of the year are set out below:

			Statutory		
	Share	Capital	surplus	Retained	Total
	capital	reserve	reserve	earnings	equity
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
At 1 January 2015	9,727,996	2,629,406	124,714	794,720	13,276,836
Changes in equity for 2015:					
Total comprehensive income					
for the year	-	-	-	352,416	352,416
Transfer to reserve fund	-	_	34,973	(34,973)	_
Dividends to equity shareholders					
of the Company (Note 29 (b))	_	-	-	(194,560)	(194,560)
At 31 December 2015	9,727,996	2,629,406	159,687	917,603	13,434,692
At 1 January 2016	9,727,996	2,629,406	159,687	917,603	13,434,692
Changes in equity for 2016:					
Total comprehensive income					
for the year	_	_	_	730,581	730,581
Transfer to reserve fund	_	_	72,751	(72,751)	_
Dividends to equity shareholders			,	(,)	
of the Company (Note 29 (b))	-	_	-	(291,840)	(291,840)
At 31 December 2016	9,727,996	2,629,406	232,438	1,283,593	13,873,433

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#### 29 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS (CONTINUED)

#### **(b) Dividends**

(i) Dividends payable to equity shareholders of the Company attributable to the year

	2016	2015
	RMB	RMB
Final dividend proposed after the end of		
the reporting period of RMB0.041 per share		
(2015: RMB0.03)	398,847,844	291,839,886

The Board of directors resolved on 28 March 2017 that RMB0.041 per share is to be distributed to the equity shareholders for 2016, subject to approval of the equity shareholders at the coming Annual General Meeting. The final dividend proposed after the end of the reporting period has not been recognised as a liability at the end of the reporting period.

Dividends payable to equity shareholders of the Company attributable to the previous (ii) financial year, approved and paid during the year

2016 <i>RMB</i>	2015 <i>RMB</i>
291,839,886	194,559,924
	RMB

#### Share capital (c)

	The Group and the Company		
	2016	2015	
	RMB'000	RMB'000	
Issued and fully paid			
5,535,311,200 domestic state-owned ordinary			
shares of RMB1.00 each	5,535,311	5,535,311	
4,192,684,992 H shares of RMB1.00 each	4,192,685	4,192,685	
	9,727,996	9,727,996	

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#### 29 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS (CONTINUED)

#### (c) Share capital (continued)

All equity shareholders are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company. All shares rank equally with regard to the Company's residual assets.

#### (d) Nature and purpose of reserves

#### (i) Capital reserve

Capital reserve includes share premium and other capital reserve.

Share premium represents the difference between the total amount of the par value of shares issued and the amount of the net proceeds received.

Other capital reserve mainly represents the difference between the total amount of the nominal value of shares issued and the amount of the net assets and cash injected by the promoters upon the establishment of the Company.

#### (ii) Statutory surplus reserve

According to the Company's Article of Association, the Company is required to transfer 10% of its net profit as determined in accordance with the PRC Accounting Rules and Regulations to its statutory surplus reserve until the reserve balance reaches 50% of the registered capital. The transfer to this reserve must be made before distribution of a dividend to equity shareholders. This reserve fund can be utilised in setting off accumulated losses or increasing capital of the Company and is non-distributable other than in liquidation.

#### (iii) Exchange reserve

The Exchange reserve comprises all foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations that have functional currency other than the RMB. The reserve is dealt with in accordance with the accounting policies as set out in Note 2(v).

#### (iv) Fair value reserve

The fair value reserve comprises the cumulative net change in the fair value of availablefor-sale securities held at the end of the reporting period and is dealt with in accordance with the accounting policies in Notes 2(g) and 2(l)(i).

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#### 29 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS (CONTINUED)

#### (e) Capital management

The Group's primary objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can continue to provide returns for equity shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders.

The Group actively and regularly reviews and manages its capital structure to maintain a balance between the higher equity shareholders returns that might be possible with higher levels of borrowings and the advantages and security afforded by a sound capital position, and makes adjustments to the capital structure in light of changes in economic conditions.

The Group monitors its capital structure on the basis of liability-to-asset ratio, which is calculated by dividing total liabilities by total assets. The liability-to-asset ratio of the Group as at 31 December 2016 is 75% (2015: 77%).

There were no changes in the Group's approach to capital management compared with previous years. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries are subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

#### FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES 30

Exposure to credit, liquidity, interest rate and currency risks arises in the normal course of the Group's business.

The Group's exposure to these risks and the financial risk management policies and practices used by the Group to manage these risks are described below.

#### (a) Credit risk

The Group's credit risk is primarily attributable to cash and cash equivalents, trade debtors and bills receivable, prepayments and other current assets and other non-current financial assets.

Substantially all of the Group's cash and cash equivalents are deposited in the stated owned/ controlled PRC banks which the directors assessed the credit risk to be insignificant.

The receivables from sales of electricity mainly represent receivables from the provincial power grid companies. The Group has no significant credit risk with any of these power grid companies as the Company and its subsidiaries maintain long-term and stable business relationships with these companies. The receivables from the provincial power grid companies accounted for 99.7% of the Group's total trade debtors as at 31 December 2016 (2015: 99.5%). For other trade receivables and other receivables, the Group performs an ongoing individual credit evaluation of its customers' and counterparties' financial conditions. The allowance for doubtful debts has been made in the financial statements.

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#### 30 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (CONTINUED)

#### (a) Credit risk (continued)

The maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying amount of each financial asset in the statement of financial position after deducting any impairment allowance. The Group does not provide any other guarantees which would expose the Group to credit risk.

#### **(b)** Liquidity risk

The Group's objective is to ensure continuity of sufficient funding and flexibility by utilising a variety of bank and other borrowings with debt maturities spreading over a range of periods, thereby ensuring that the Group's outstanding borrowing obligation is not exposed to excessive repayment risk in any one year.

The Company is responsible for the Group's overall cash management and the raising of borrowings to cover expected cash demands. The Group's policy is to regularly monitor current and expected liquidity requirements to ensure that it maintains sufficient reserves of cash and adequate committed lines of funding from major financial institutions to meet its liquidity requirements in the short and longer term. In order to repay the borrowings due within one year, the Group negotiates banking facilities and utilises operating cash inflows in its subsidiaries. The Group manages the proportion of its current liabilities with respect to the total liabilities to mitigate the liquidity risk. The directors have determined that adequate liquidity exists to finance the working capital and capital expenditure requirements of the Group during the year.

The following tables show the remaining contractual maturities at the end of the reporting period date of the Group's non-derivative financial liabilities, which are based on contractual undiscounted cash flows (including interest payments computed using contractual rates or, if floating, based on rates current at the end of the reporting period) and the earliest date the Group and can be required to pay:

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#### **30** FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (CONTINUED)

#### Liquidity risk (continued) **(b)**

	Carrying amount RMB'000	Contractual cash flows RMB'000	1 year or less RMB'000	years RMB'000	2-5 years RMB'000	More than 5 years RMB'000
31 December 2016						
Long-term borrowings (Note 23(a))	28,371,935	35,465,508	1,199,096	4,363,266	13,188,075	16,715,071
Short-term borrowings (Note 23(b))	22,562,887	23,135,421	23,135,421	-	-	-
Obligations under finance leases						
(Note 24)	2,018,120	2,299,632	519,479	424,734	1,058,023	297,396
Other non-current liabilities (Note 28)	3,740,673	3,740,673	-	1,048,158	2,456,646	235,869
Other payables (Note 25)	7,440,069	7,440,069	7,440,069	-	-	-
	64,133,684	72,081,303	32,294,065	5,836,158	16,702,744	17,248,336
	Carrying	Contractual	1 year	1-2	2-5	More than
	amount	cash flows	or less	years	years	5 years
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
31 December 2015						
Long-term borrowings ( <i>Note 23(a</i> ))	30,677,113	39,418,269	1,490,976	6,479,567	12,982,839	18,464,887
Short-term borrowings (Note 23(b))	18,726,955	19,116,087	19,116,087	-	-	-
Obligations under finance leases						
(Note 24)	2,513,877	2,906,336	600,237	525,947	1,273,058	507,094
Other non-current liabilities (Note 28)	2,449,506	2,449,506	-	1,035,415	1,343,126	70,965
Other payables (Note 25)	9,250,091	9,250,091	9,250,091	-		-
	63,617,542	73,140,289	30,457,391	8,040,929	15,599,023	19,042,946

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#### **30** FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (CONTINUED)

#### Interest rate risk (c)

The Group's interest rate risk arises primarily from borrowings. Borrowings issued at variable rates expose the Group to cash flow interest rate risk.

The Group regularly reviews and monitors the mix of fixed and variable rate borrowings in order to manage its interest rate risks. During the years ended 31 December 2016 and 2015, however, management of the Group did not consider it necessary to use interest rate swaps to hedge their exposure to interest.

The following table details the profile of the Group's net borrowings (interest-bearing financial liabilities less interest-bearing financial assets) at the end of the reporting period. The detailed interest rates and maturity information of the Group's borrowings are disclosed in Note 23.

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Net fixed rate borrowings:		
Borrowings	10,255,054	4,872,021
Less: Bank deposits (including restricted deposits)	929,579	1,034,119
	9,325,475	3,837,902
Net floating rate borrowings:		
Borrowings	40,679,768	44,532,047
Obligations under finance lease	2,018,120	2,513,877
Less: Bank deposits (including restricted deposits)	1,674,546	3,495,837
	41,023,342	43,550,087
Total net borrowings:	50,348,817	47,387,989

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#### 30 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (CONTINUED)

#### (c) **Interest rate risk (continued)**

At 31 December 2016, it is estimated that a general increase/decrease of 100 basis points in interest rates of net floating borrowings, with all other variables held constant, would have decreased/ increased the Group's profit after tax and retained profits by approximately RMB347,923,000 (31 December 2015: RMB341,495,000).

The sensitivity analysis above has been determined assuming that the change in interest rates had occurred at the end of the reporting period and had been applied to the exposure to interest rate risk for non-derivative financial instruments in existence at the end of the reporting period.

The estimated 100 basis points increase or decrease represents management's assessment of a reasonably possible change in interest rates over the period until the end of the next annual reporting period. The sensitivity analysis is performed on the same basis for 2015.

#### (d) Currency risk

The Group is exposed to currency risk primarily through sales and purchases which give rise to receivables, borrowings and cash balances that are denominated in a foreign currency other than RMB. The currencies giving rise to this risk are primarily Hong Kong dollars, Euros and United States dollars.

#### (i) Recognised assets and liabilities

Substantially all of the revenue-generating operations of the Group are transacted in RMB. In addition, the Group has certain borrowings that are denominated in United States dollars. The Company has certain proceeds from share issuance in Hong Kong dollar that have not converted into RMB which are expected to be utilised following the strategic arrangement of the Group.

On the other hand, RMB is not a freely convertible currency and the PRC government may at its discretion restrict access to foreign currencies for current account transactions in the future. Changes in the foreign exchange control system may prevent the Group from satisfying sufficient foreign currency demands and the Group may not be able to pay dividends in foreign currencies to its equity shareholders.

#### (ii) Exposure to currency risk

The following table details the Group's exposure at the end of the reporting period to currency risk arising from recognised assets or liabilities denominated in a currency other than the functional currency of the entity to which they relate. Differences resulting from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations into the Group's presentation currency are excluded.

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#### **30** FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (CONTINUED)

#### (d) **Currency risk (continued)**

#### (ii) Exposure to currency risk (continued)

	Exposure to foreign currencies (expressed in RMB)						
		2016			2015		
	HKD	USD	EUR	HKD	USD	EUR	
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	
Cash and cash equivalents	1,030,698	37,119	1,967	1,235,560	2	1,967	
Other payables	(2,541)	-	-	(2,111)	_	_	
Short-term borrowings	-	(1,481)	-	-	(1,386)	-	
Long-term borrowings	-	(17,770)	-	-	(18,021)	-	
Net exposure	1,028,157	17,868	1,967	1,233,449	(19,405)	1,967	

The following table indicates the instantaneous change in the Group's profit after tax (and retained profits) and other components of consolidated equity that would arise if foreign exchange rates to which the Group has significant exposure at the end of the reporting period had changed at that date, assuming all other risk variables remained constant. In this respect, it is assumed that the pegged rate between the Hong Kong dollar and the United States dollar would be materially unaffected by any changes in movement in value of the United States dollar against other currencies.

	2016		2013	5
	Increase/	Effect on	Increase/	Effect on
	(decrease)	profit after	(decrease)	profit after
	in foreign	tax and	in foreign	tax and
	exchange	retained	exchange	retained
	rates	earnings	rates	earnings
		RMB'000		RMB'000
HKD	5%	51,408	5%	61,672
	(5)%	(51,408)	(5)%	(61,672)
USD	5%	1,134	5%	(728)
	(5)%	(1,134)	(5)%	728
EUR	5%	98	5%	98
	(5)%	(98)	(5)%	(98)

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#### 30 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (CONTINUED)

#### (d) **Currency risk (continued)**

#### (ii) Exposure to currency risk (continued)

Results of the analysis as presented in the above table represent an aggregation of the instantaneous effects on each of the Group entities' profit after tax and equity measured in respective functional currencies, translated into RMB at the end of the reporting period for presentation purposes.

The sensitivity analysis assumes that the change in foreign exchange rates had been applied to re-measure those financial instruments held by the Group which expose the Group to foreign currency risk at the end of the reporting period, including inter-company payables and receivables within the Group which are denominated in a currency other than the functional currencies of the lender and the borrower. The analysis excludes differences that would result from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations into the Group's presentation currency. The analysis is performed on the same basis for 2015.

#### Fair values (e)

(i) Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value

> The IFRS 13, Fair value measurement requires to disclose the level of the fair value hierarchy within which the fair value measurements are categorised in their entirety. The level into which a fair value measurement is classified is determined with reference to the observability and significance of the inputs used in the valuation technique as follows:

- Level 1 valuations: Fair value measured using only Level 1 inputs i.e. unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date.
- Level 2 valuations: Fair value measured using Level 2 inputs i.e. observable inputs which fail to meet Level 1, and not using significant unobservable inputs. Unobservable inputs are inputs for which market data are not available.
- Level 3 valuations: Fair value measured using significant unobservable inputs.

As at 31 December 2016 and 2015, the financial instruments of the Group carried at fair value are investments in available-for-sale equity securities (see Note 19 (iii)), which fall into Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy described above. During the year ended 31 December 2016 and 2015, there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2, or transfers into or out of Level 3.

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#### FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (CONTINUED) 30

#### Fair values(continued) (e)

(ii) Fair values of financial instruments carried at other than fair value

The carrying amounts of the Group's financial instruments carried at cost or amortised cost primarily including receivables, payables and borrowings are not materially different from their fair values as at 31 December 2016 and 2015, which are estimated by discounting the future contractual cash flows at the current market interest rate that is available to the Group for similar financial instruments.

The investments in unquoted equity securities (see Note 19(ii)) are measured at cost which fair value cannot be measured reliably as these investments in non-listed companies do not have quoted market price in an active market. The Group has no intention to dispose of these investments.

#### 31 COMMITMENTS

(a) Capital commitments outstanding at the year end not provided for in the financial statements were as follows:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Contracted for	2,911,112	7,848,540
Authorised but not contracted for	24,931,505	17,348,769
	27,842,617	25,197,309

At the year end, the total future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable **(b)** operating leases are payable as follows:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Within 1 year	13,336	5,452
After 1 year but within 5 years	26,104	10,257
	39,440	15,709

The Group leases certain buildings through non-cancellable operating leases. These operating leases do not contain provisions for contingent lease rentals. None of the rental agreements contain escalation provisions that may require higher future rental payments.

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#### 32 CONTINGENCY

#### (a) Financial guarantees issued

At 31 December 2016, the Company has issued certain guarantees to banks and other financial institutions in respect of bank loans and finance lease arrangement granted to the subsidiaries, amounting to RMB2,246,400,000 (2015: RMB2,698,673,000).

#### **(b)** Contingent liabilities in respect of taxes on sales of CERs

Up to date, there have been no rules issued on the revenue from sales of CERs is subject to any VAT or business tax. Based on the discussions with local tax authorities, the directors of the Company are of the opinion that no such taxes will be applicable to the revenue from sales of CERs. Therefore, the Group has not made any provision on such contingencies.

#### 33 MATERIAL RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### Transactions with related parties (a)

The Group is part of a larger group of companies under Huaneng Group and has significant transactions and relationships with the subsidiaries of Huaneng Group.

Apart from those disclosed elsewhere in the financial statements, the principal related party transactions which were carried out in the ordinary course of business are as follows:

	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000
Non-exempted continuing connected transactions		
Service provided to		
China Huaneng R&D Center	1,010	66
A fellow subsidiary	153	_
Service provided by		
Fellow subsidiaries (note (ii))	152,160	136,685
Net (withdrawal from)/deposit in		
Huaneng Finance	(1,134,763)	93,871
Interest income		
Huaneng Finance	25,137	24,919
Finance lease obligation repaid to		
Huaneng Tiancheng	46,154	-
Interest expense		
Huaneng Tiancheng	16,431	20,364

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#### 33 MATERIAL RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

#### Transactions with related parties (continued) (a)

	2016 RMB'000	2015 RMB'000
Other connected transactions		
Sales of electricity to		
A fellow subsidiary	3,330	-
Purchase of power generation rights from		
A fellow subsidiary	1,165	_
Sales of carbon credits		
Huaneng Carbon	-	360
Repayments of loan guaranteed by		
Huaneng Group (Note 23(a))	156	187
Service provided by		
Fellow subsidiaries	11,039	10,975
Increase of investment in		
Huaneng Tiancheng	-	126,000
Huaneng Carbon	10,000	_
Loans received from		
Fellow subsidiaries	11,186,756	8,050,000
Loans repaid to		
Huaneng Finance	(11,100,000)	(8,050,000)
Interest expense		
Fellow subsidiaries	45,530	20,358
Working capital received from		
A fellow subsidiary	16	_
Working capital repayment from		
Fellow subsidiaries	(115)	(115)

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#### 33 MATERIAL RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

#### (a) Transactions with related parties (continued)

Notes:

- (i) The related party transactions listed above constitute connected transactions or continuing connected transactions as defined in Chapter 14A of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on HKSE (the "Listing Rules"). The detailed disclosures required by Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules are provided in the "Reports of the Board of Directors" section of the annual report for the year ended 31 December 2016.
- (ii) Service provided by fellow subsidiaries mainly comprised property insurance services provided by Alltrust Insurance Company of China Limited (永誠財產保險股份有限公司), technical services and management support services provided by Xi'an Thermal Power Research Institute Co., Ltd. (西安熱 工研究院有限公司), property lease services provided by Xinsheng Property Management Co., Ltd. (新 升物業管理公司), technological research services provided by China Huaneng R&D Center (華能集 團技術創新中心), and tendering agency services provided by Huaneng Tendering Co., Ltd. (華能招標 有限公司).

#### **(b)** Outstanding balances with related parties

The deposits placed with a fellow subsidiary, Huaneng Finance, amounted to RMB1,160,150,000 as at 31 December 2016 (2015: RMB2,294,913,000). Details of the other outstanding balances with related parties are set out in Notes 19, 21, 23, 24 and 25.

#### (c) Transactions with other state-controlled entities in the PRC

The Group is a state-controlled entity and operates in an economic regime currently dominated by entities directly or indirectly owned or controlled by the PRC government and numerous government authorities and agencies (collectively referred to as "government-related entities").

Apart from transactions mentioned above, the Group conducts a majority of its business activities with government-related entities in the ordinary course of business. These transactions are carried out at terms similar to those that would be entered into with non-government-related entities. Transactions with other government-related entities included but are not limited to the following:

- Sales of electricity;
- Depositing and borrowing money;
- Purchase of materials and receiving construction work services; and
- Service concession arrangement.

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#### 33 MATERIAL RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

#### (c) Transactions with other state-controlled entities in the PRC (continued)

The tariff of electricity is regulated by relevant government. The Group prices its other services and products based on commercial negotiations. The Group has also established its approval processes for sales of electricity, purchase of products and services and its financing policy for borrowing. Such approval processes and financing policy do not depend on whether the counterparties are government-related entities or not.

For the years ended 31 December 2016 and 2015, almost all revenue from the sales of electricity is made to the provincial power grid companies which are government-related entities. As at 31 December 2016 and 2015, substantially all the trade debtors and bills receivable are due from these power grid companies.

The Company and its subsidiaries maintained substantially all of the bank deposits in governmentrelated financial institutions while lenders of substantially all of the Company and its subsidiaries' loans are also government-related financial institutions, associated with the respective interest income or interest expense incurred.

Other collectively significant transactions with government-related entities also included a large portion of equipment and materials purchases, and property, plant and equipment construction services received.

#### (d) Commitments with related parties

Commitments with related parties outstanding at the year end not provided for in the financial statements were as follows:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Services to be provided by related parties	26,161	37,382

According to the agreement signed between the Company and Huaneng Carbon on 10 December 2014, Huaneng Carbon agrees to purchase the carbon credits produced by certain projects of the Group from year 2012 to 2017 at a price of RMB5 per ton (to be adjusted by mutual agreements according to carbon market conditions). In addition, the Group agrees to engage Huaneng Carbon to provide carbon credits management service for the three years ending 31 December 2017. The annual management fee will be calculated at 2% of outstanding debt owed by Huaneng Carbon to the Group (see Note 19(v)) as at the last day of the preceding year.

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#### MATERIAL RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED) 33

#### (e) Key management personnel remuneration

Remuneration for key management personnel, including amounts paid to the Company's directors as disclosed in Note 9, and certain of the highest paid employees as disclosed in Note 10, is as follows:

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Salaries and other emoluments	3,653	3,806
Bonus	4,147	4,967
Retirement scheme contributions	889	848
	8,689	9,621

#### 34 PARENT AND ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The directors of the Company consider its parent and ultimate holding company to be Huaneng Group, which is a state-owned enterprise established in the PRC.

# POSSIBLE IMPACT OF AMENDMENTS, NEW STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE FOR THE YEAR **ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016**

Up to the date of issue of these financial statements, the IASB has issued a number of amendments and new standards which are not yet effective for the year ended 31 December 2016 and which have not been adopted in these financial statements. These include the following which may be relevant to the Group:

	Effective for accounting periods beginning on or after
Amendments to IAS 7, Statement of cash flows: Disclosure initiative	1 January 2017
Amendments to IAS 12, Income taxes:  Recognition of deferred tax assets for unrealised losses	1 January 2017
IFRS 9, Financial instruments	1 January 2018
IFRS 15, Revenue from contracts with customers	1 January 2018
IFRS 16, Leases	1 January 2019

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# POSSIBLE IMPACT OF AMENDMENTS, NEW STANDARDS AND 35 INTERPRETATIONS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016 (CONTINUED)

The Group is in the process of making an assessment of what the impact of these amendments and new standards is expected to be in the period of initial application. So far the Group has identified some aspects of the new standards which may have a significant impact on the consolidated financial statements. Further details of the expected impacts are discussed below. As the Group has not completed its assessment, further impacts may be identified in due course and will be taken into consideration when determining whether to adopt any of these new requirements before their effective date and which transitional approach to take, where there are alternative approaches allowed under the new standards.

### IFRS 9, Financial instruments

IFRS 9 will replace the current standard on accounting for financial instruments, IAS 39, Financial instruments: Recognition and measurement. IFRS 9 introduces new requirements for classification and measurement of financial assets, calculation of impairment of financial assets and hedge accounting. On the other hand, IFRS 9 incorporates without substantive changes the requirements of IAS 39 for recognition and derecognition of financial instruments and the classification of financial liabilities. Expected impacts of the new requirements on the Group's financial statements are as follows:

#### Classification and measurement (a)

IFRS 9 contains three principal classification categories for financial assets: measured at (1) amortised cost, (2) fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL") and (3) fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVTOCI") as follows:

- The classification for debt instruments is determined based on the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the asset. If a debt instrument is classified as FVTOCI then effective interest, impairments and gains/ losses on disposal will be recognised in profit or loss.
- For equity securities, the classification is FVTPL regardless of the entity's business model. The only exception is if the equity security is not held for trading and the entity irrevocably elects to designate that security as FVTOCI. If an equity security is designated as FVTOCI then only dividend income on that security will be recognised in profit or loss. Gains, losses and impairments on that security will be recognised in other comprehensive income without recycling.

Based on the preliminary assessment, the Group expects that its financial assets currently measured at amortised cost will continue with their respective classification and measurements upon the adoption of IFRS 9.

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## POSSIBLE IMPACT OF AMENDMENTS, NEW STANDARDS AND 35 INTERPRETATIONS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016 (CONTINUED)

### IFRS 9, Financial instruments (continued)

### Classification and measurement (continued)

With respect to the Group's financial assets currently classified as "available-for-sale", these are investments in equity securities which the Group may classify as either FVTPL or irrevocably elect to designate as FVTOCI (without recycling) on transition to IFRS 9. The Group has not yet decided whether it will irrevocably designate these investments as FVTOCI or classify them as FVTPL. Either classification would give rise to a change in accounting policy as the current accounting policy for available-for-sale equity investments is to recognise fair value changes in other comprehensive income until disposal or impairment, when gains or losses are recycled to profit or loss in accordance with the Group's policies set out in Notes 2 (g) and 2 (l). This change in policy will have no impact on the Group's net assets and total comprehensive income but will impact on reported performance amounts such as profit and earnings per share.

The classification and measurement requirements for financial liabilities under IFRS 9 are largely unchanged from IAS 39, except that IFRS 9 requires the fair value change of a financial liability designated at FVTPL that is attributable to changes of that financial liability's own credit risk to be recognised in other comprehensive income (without reclassification to profit or loss). The Group currently does not have any financial liabilities designated at FVTPL and therefore this new requirement may not have any impact on the Group on adoption of IFRS 9.

#### (b) Impairment

The new impairment model in IFRS 9 replaces the "incurred loss" model in IAS 39 with an "expected credit loss" model. Under the expected credit loss model, it will no longer be necessary for a loss event to occur before an impairment loss is recognised. Instead, an entity is required to recognise and measure expected credit losses as either 12-month expected credit losses or lifetime expected credit losses, depending on the asset and the facts and circumstances. This new impairment model may result in an earlier recognition of credit losses on the Group's trade receivables and other financial assets. However, a more detailed analysis is required to determine the extent of the impact.

# IFRS 15, Revenue from contracts with customers

IFRS 15 establishes a comprehensive framework for recognising revenue from contracts with customers. IFRS 15 will replace the existing revenue standards, IAS 18, Revenue, which covers revenue arising from sale of goods and rendering of services, and IAS 11, Construction contracts, which specifies the accounting for revenue from construction contracts. The Group is currently assessing the impacts of adopting IFRS 15 on its financial statements. Based on the preliminary assessment, the Group expects that the adoption of IFRS 15 will not materially affect on the Group's consolidated statements.

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# POSSIBLE IMPACT OF AMENDMENTS, NEW STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016 (CONTINUED)

### IFRS 16, Leases

As disclosed in Note 2(k), currently the Group classifies leases into finance leases and operating leases and accounts for the lease arrangements differently, depending on the classification of the lease. The Group enters into some leases as the lessor and others as the lessee.

IFRS 16 is not expected to impact significantly on the way that lessors account for their rights and obligations under a lease. However, once IFRS 16 is adopted, lessees will no longer distinguish between finance leases and operating leases. Instead, subject to practical expedients, lessees will account for all leases in a similar way to current finance lease accounting, i.e. at the commencement date of the lease the lessee will recognise and measure a lease liability at the present value of the minimum future lease payments and will recognise a corresponding "right-of-use" asset. After initial recognition of this asset and liability, the lessee will recognise interest expense accrued on the outstanding balance of the lease liability, and the depreciation of the right-of-use asset, instead of the current policy of recognising rental expenses incurred under operating leases on a systematic basis over the lease term. As a practical expedient, the lessee can elect not to apply this accounting model to short-term leases (i.e. where the lease term is 12 months or less) and to leases of low-value assets, in which case the rental expenses would continue to be recognised on a systematic basis over the lease term.

IFRS 16 will primarily affect the Group's accounting as a lessee of leases for properties, plant and equipment which are currently classified as operating leases. The application of the new accounting model is expected to lead to an increase in both assets and liabilities and to impact on the timing of the expense recognition in the statement of profit or loss over the period of the lease. As disclosed in Note 31 (b), at 31 December 2016 the Group's future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases amount to RMB39,440,000 for properties, the majority of which is payable between 1 and 5 years after the reporting date. Some of these amounts may therefore need to be recognised as lease liabilities, with corresponding right-of-use assets, once IFRS 16 is adopted. The Group will need to perform a more detailed analysis to determine the amounts of new assets and liabilities arising from operating lease commitments on adoption of IFRS 16, after taking into account the applicability of the practical expedient and adjusting for any leases entered into or terminated between now and the adoption of IFRS 16 and the effects of discounting.

The Group is considering whether to adopt IFRS 16 before its effective date of 1 January 2019. However, early adoption of IFRS 16 is only permitted if this is no earlier than the adoption of IFRS 15. It is therefore unlikely that IFRS 16 will be adopted before the effective date of IFRS 15, being 1 January 2018.

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# 36 COMPANY-LEVEL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	2016	2015
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Non-current assets	407 117	207.014
Property, plant and equipment	407,117	397,014
Intangible assets	10,154	7,197
Investments in subsidiaries	16,143,063	14,459,402
Investment in an associate	32,367	32,367
Investment in a joint venture	85,100	85,100
Other non-current assets	14,758,483	15,646,788
Total non-current assets	31,436,284	30,627,868
Current assets		
Trade debtors and bills receivable	_	100
Prepayments and other current assets	17,059,336	15,493,444
Cash at bank and on hand	1,462,628	2,166,920
Total current assets	18,521,964	17,660,464
Current liabilities		
Borrowings	20,785,085	17,497,889
Obligations under finance leases	89,960	158,346
Other payables	889,697	871,765
Tax payable	3,418	3,418
Total current liabilities	21,768,160	18,531,418
Net current liabilities	(3,246,196)	(870,954)
Total assets less current liabilities	28,190,088	29,756,914

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### **36** COMPANY-LEVEL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (CONTINUED)

		2016	2015
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings		14,316,015	16,231,762
Obligations under finance leases		_	89,960
Deferred income		450	500
Other non-current liabilities		190	_
Total non-current liabilities		14,316,655	16,322,222
NET ASSETS		13,873,433	13,434,692
CAPITAL AND RESERVES	29		
Share capital		9,727,996	9,727,996
Reserves		4,145,437	3,706,696
TOTAL EQUITY		13,873,433	13,434,692

Approved and authorised for issue by the Board of directors on 28 March 2017.

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# Glossary of Technical Terms

"CERs" Certified Emission Reductions, which are carbon credits issued by the

> Executive Board of the Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) for emission reductions achieved by registered CDM projects and verified by

a designated operational entity under the Kyoto Protocol

"gross power generation" total power generated by a power plant in a specific period of time,

including auxiliary electricity and electricity generated during the

construction and testing period

"GW" unit of power, gigawatt. 1 GW = 1,000 MW

"GWh" unit of energy, gigawatt-hour. 1 GWh = 1 million kWh. GWh is typically

used as a measure for the annual energy production of large power plants

"installed capacity" the capacity of power generation units or wind turbines that have been

> completely assembled or erected in the case of wind power. For wind power, installed capacity includes the capacity of wind turbines in testing

period

"kWh" unit of energy, kilowatt-hour. The standard unit of energy used in the

> electric power industry. One kilowatt-hour is the amount of energy that would be produced by a generator producing one thousand watts for one

hour

"MW" unit of power, megawatt. 1 MW = 1,000 kW, MW is typically used to

measure installed capacity of power plants

"MWh" unit of energy, megawatt-hour. 1 MWh = 1,000 kWh

"renewable energy" energy generated from sustainable energy sources that are regenerative or,

for all practical purposes, cannot be depleted

"weighted average utilization hours" the consolidated gross power generation less the electricity generated

during the construction and testing period in a specified period divided by

the weighted average consolidated operational capacity in the same period