



萬隆控股集團有限公司  
Ban Loong Holdings Limited

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# CORPORATE INFORMATION

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### Executive Directors:

Mr. Chow Wang (*Chairman & Chief Executive Officer*)

Mr. Chu Ka Wa (*Chief Financial Officer*)

(appointed on 23 January 2017)

Mr. Wang Zhaoqing (*Chief Operating Officer*)

(appointed on 23 January 2017)

Mr. Cheung Wai Shing

(resigned on 24 January 2017)

### Non-Executive Director:

Mr. Fong For

### Independent Non-Executive Directors:

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Mr. Leung Kai Kui, Johnny

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan

## COMMITTEES

### Audit Committee

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan (*Chairman*)

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Mr. Leung Kai Kui, Johnny

### Remuneration Committee

Mr. Leung Kai Kui, Johnny (*Chairman*)

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan

Mr. Chow Wang

Mr. Chu Ka Wa

### Nomination Committee

Mr. Chow Wang (*Chairman*)

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Mr. Leung Kai Kui, Johnny

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan

Mr. Chu Ka Wa

## COMPANY SECRETARY:

Ms. Li Wing Sze

(appointed on 24 January 2017)

## AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES

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# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## OPERATING RESULTS

The financial results of Ban Loong Holdings Limited (the “Company”) and its subsidiaries (the “Group”) for the year ended 31 March 2017 were highlighted as follows:

- Revenue during the year ended 31 March 2017 was HK\$299.3 million, representing an increase of approximately 157.2% from HK\$116.4 million in 2015/2016. The increase was mainly attributable to (i) increase in income from money lending segment due to increase in number of borrowers and the expansion of lending ability of the Group; and (ii) full year of operation and revenue recognition of trading segment during the year 2016/2017, as compared with partial year of operation in 2015/2016 as our trading business only commenced in June 2015.
- Gross profit amounted to HK\$28.0 million during the year ended 31 March 2017, representing an increase of 66.6% from HK\$16.8 million in 2015/2016. Gross profit margin was 9.4% in the current year, while the gross profit margin was 14.4% in 2015/2016. Gross profit margin was a weighted average figure of all active operating segments. Money lending segment, which with high gross profit margin, was the main contributor of gross profit during the year ended 31 March 2017. The overall margin was diluted, especially by the trading segment where the gross profit margin was relatively thin.
- Loss of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2017 increased to HK\$199.1 million, as compared to HK\$42.4 million in 2015/2016. The increase in loss was due to the loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries and impairment loss of amount due from Tong Bai Country Yin Di Mining Company Limited (“Yin Di Mining”) and its subsidiary (the “De-consolidated Subsidiaries”).

For the detailed financial results of each operating segment, please refer to the note 7 of the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

## FINAL DIVIDEND

The Board did not propose a final dividend.

## BUSINESS REVIEW

During the year, the Group’s operations involved in three identifiable business segments namely the mining operations segment, the money lending segment and the trading segment. The mining operations segment, of which the segment was deconsolidated during the year, refers to the exploration and exploitation of mineral resources in China conducted by Jun Qiao Limited and its subsidiaries (the “Jun Qiao Group”). The money lending segment refers to the money lending business engaged in Hong Kong by Ban Loong Finance Company Limited (“Ban Loong Finance”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company which is a licensed money lender in Hong Kong. The trading segment refers to the trading of goods and commodities in China by Wan Long Xing Ye Commercial Trading (Shenzhen) Limited (萬隆興業商貿(深圳)有限公司) (“Wan Long Xing Ye”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company.

During the year, the Group had discontinued and ceased the business operation of the financial quotation segment conducted by Choudary Limited and its subsidiaries (the “Choudary Group”).

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## BUSINESS REVIEW (CONTINUED)

### The Mining Operations Segment

The mining operations of the Group is owned by Jun Qiao Limited (晉翹有限公司) (“Jun Qiao”, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability and a 60%-owned subsidiary of the Company. Jun Qiao owns 100% of the issued share capital of Xing Hua Yuan Investment Group Limited (興華源投資集團有限公司) (“Xing Hua Yuan”, a limited liability company in Hong Kong), which in turn owns 90% of the equity interest in Zhengzhou Jinfuyuan Mining Company Limited (“Jinfuyuan Mining”), a sino-foreign equity joint venture established in the People’s Republic of China (“the PRC”), which in turn owns 90% of the equity interest in Yin Di Mining, a limited liability company established in the PRC. Yin Di Mining owns (a) the other 10% equity interest in Jinfuyuan Mining; (b) a mining license covering Yin Di Mining Area (銀地礦區) with an area of approximately 1.81 square kilometers situated at Tongbai County, Henan Province, the PRC; and (c) 95% of the equity interest in Xinjiang Xin Jiang Yuan Mining Company Limited (“Xin Jaing Yuan”), a limited liability company established in the PRC, which in turn owns an exploration license which covers Hu Lei Si De Mining Area (呼勒斯德礦區) with an area of approximately 29.12 square kilometers situated at Ji Tai County (奇台縣), Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region (新疆維吾爾自治區), the PRC.

On 13 January 2017, the Company was informed by the management of its indirect subsidiary, Yin Di Mining, that it has received a copy of a civil ruling numbered (2017) Yu 1330 Min Chu No. 92 and dated 9 January 2017 (the “First Civil Ruling”) issued by Tong Bai County People’s Court (“Tong Bai Court”) upon the asset-preserving application by Mr. Wang Huaqing (王華清) and Mr. Huang Suiyun (黃隨雲) on 9 January 2017 in respect of an alleged contractual dispute involving Yin Di Mining. Pursuant to the First Civil Ruling, it was ordered (inter alia) by Tong Bai Court that:

1. The entire equity holding of Yin Di Mining be frozen and all transfer procedures involving the entire equity holding of Yin Di Mining be suspended with effect from 9 January 2017 to 8 January 2018;
2. The mining license numbered C4100002014053220134362 (the “Mining License”) owned by Yin Di Mining be frozen and all transfer procedures involving the said Mining License be suspended with effect from 9 January 2017 to 8 January 2018; and
3. Yin Di Mining shall not sell, pledge, charge or create encumbrance of any nature over the said frozen assets.

Upon searches of public records following the revelation of the First Civil Ruling on 13 January 2017, the Company was given to understand that another civil judgment numbered (2016) Yu 01 Min Chu Na 709 and dated 10 October 2016 (the “Second Civil Judgment”) was issued by Henan Province Zhengzhou City Intermediate People’s Court (“Zhengzhou Court”) in respect of the civil action filed by 河南省桂圓實業有限公司(Henan Guiyuan Industry Co., Ltd.) (“Henan Guiyuan”) with Zhengzhou Court on 6 May 2016 relating to an alleged equity transfer dispute involving the equity of Yin Di Mining owned by Jinfuyuan Mining.

Henan Guiyuan requested Zhengzhou Court to order (inter alia) that: (a) the equity transfer agreement dated 28 February 2011 signed between Jinfuyuan Mining, and Henan Guiyuan for the transfer of equity of Yin Di Mining at the consideration of RMB28,000,000 payable in cash (the “Equity Transfer Agreement”) be terminated and that all the equity holding in Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining be re-transferred to Henan Guiyuan; (b) loss and damages for breach of contract in the amount of RMB5,000,000 be awarded; and (c) costs to be borne by Jinfuyuan Mining.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## BUSINESS REVIEW (CONTINUED)

### The Mining Operations Segment (Continued)

Pursuant to the Second Civil Judgment, it was ordered (inter alia) by Zhengzhou Court that:

1. The Equity Transfer Agreement be terminated;
2. All equity holding of Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining be re-transferred to Henan Guiyuan;
3. Damages of RMB500,000 be awarded to Henan Guiyuan; and
4. Costs of RMB211,800 be borne by Jinfuyuan Mining.

Upon searches of public records conducted by the Group's legal advisers, the Company was given to understand that a ruling enforcement order dated 23 November 2016 (the "Enforcement Order") was issued by the Zhengzhou Court ordering Jinfuyuan Mining to transfer the entire equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan.

According to public record searches conducted by the Company and its legal advisers on the official web site of National Enterprise Credit Information Publicity System operated by the State Administration for Industry and Commerce of the PRC, the 90% equity of Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining was purportedly transferred to Henan Guiyuan on 17 January 2017 (the "Purported Transfer"). Due to the obstacles faced by the Group in exercising control over and gathering information and documents regarding the Mining Segment, the Group regards that it has lost control over the entire operations of the Mining Segment and all the mining assets held by Jun Qiao Group, including mining structure and plant and equipment, prepaid lease payment, mining right and reserves and exploration right, and prepayments for exploration and evaluation activities (the "Mining Assets") since then.

For the year ended 31 March 2017, Yin Di Mining ceased to consolidate into the consolidated financial statements of the Group since 1 April 2016 due to the obstructions faced by the Group in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, Yin Di Mining, which cause the Group to regard that it has lost control over the entire operations of all Mining Assets. No results of Yin Di Mining were consolidated to the Group and loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries of HK\$115.8 million was recognized for the year ended 31 March 2017.

It appears to the Company that certain individuals might have falsely held themselves out to have authority from Jinfuyuan Mining and produced fraudulent documents to the Zhengzhou Court during the course of the Litigation in an attempt to reverse the Equity Transfer Agreement and to cause the equity holding in Yin Di Mining to be transferred to Henan Guiyuan without the knowledge of the Company, Yin Di Mining and Jinfuyuan Mining.

The Group commenced civil actions seeking to recover the 90% equity of Yin Di Mining, and filed criminal complaints against any person(s)/entity(ies) who are suspected to have conducted unlawful activities in relation to the Purported Transfer. The Group has also filed criminal complaints with the relevant PRC law enforcement authorities about suspected conspiracy of fraud, false litigation and suspected use of forged documents during the course of the Litigations. The criminal case was accepted by the Public Security Bureau on 26 January 2017. Moreover, the Group has commenced civil retrial procedures with the Henan Higher People's court to overturn the Zhengzhou Court's judgment in relation to the Second Civil Judgment and Enforcement Order in March 2017. Based on the legal advice currently obtained by the Group, the Group should have sufficient evidential bases to successfully overturn the judgments made by the Zhengzhou Court and to recover the Mining Assets.

Due to the uncertainty of the conditions and situations of Yin Di Mining, the operating lease contract with Henan Heng Yi Mining Company Limited (the "Leasee") (the "Operating Lease Contract") was terminated since January 2017.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## BUSINESS REVIEW (CONTINUED)

### The Money Lending Segment

Ban Loong Finance is a money lender licensed to carry out money lending business in Hong Kong. Its business primarily focuses in the area of short-term personal and corporate loans. As restricted by the available financial resources of the Group, Ban Loong Finance does not conduct business in retail level. Potential borrowers were sought from the social and business networks of the management and marketing team. To safeguard assets of the Group, the management and credit control team will review and assess the credit risk of each loan application carefully to ensure recoverability of each lending. The management will then conduct background check on borrowers, including, where necessary, obtaining credit reports issued by independent credit rating agent and examining borrowers' assets backing. Depending on the result of the cost and benefit analysis, Ban Loong Finance may request loan applicants to provide adequate security and/or guarantee before approving a loan application. Generally speaking, borrowers would be requested to pay interest monthly, in order to facilitate the management's continual monitoring of the financial stability of borrowers.

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the business performance of the money lending segment was summarised below:

- Aggregate amount of lending	HK\$255.0 million (2016: HK\$127.4 million)
- Total number of lending	27 (2016:12)
- Range of effective annual percentage rate ("APR")	10.0%-42.6% (2016: 10.03%-42.58%)
- Weighted average APR	16.6% (2016: 22.36%)

During the year ended 31 March 2017, revenue generated from the segment, contributed essentially by interest received and accrued, increased from approximately HK\$9.1 million in 2015/2016 to approximately HK\$25.6 million.

### Trading Segment

Wan Long Xing Ye carried out trading of goods and commodities business in China. During the year ended 31 March 2017, Wan Long Xing Ye mainly engaged in the trading of refined edible oil (2015/2016: refined edible oil and stainless steel coil). The trading of stainless steel coil was ceased during the year 2016/2017. During the year ended 31 March 2017, trading revenue amounted to approximately HK\$273.7 million (2015/2016: HK\$100.5 million), whereas trading of 40,747 tonnages (2015/2016: 1,088.69 tonnages) of refined edible oil and no stainless steel coil (2015/2016: 15,301.61 tonnages) were completed.

### Discontinued Operation – The Financial Quotation Services Segment

During the year, the Group had discontinued the financial quotation services segment conducted by Choudary Group. The segment used to provide financial quotation services and develop wireless applications. The financial quotation services segment had performed unsatisfactorily since around 2012. Despite the efforts of the Company's management, no improvement was seen in the business performance of the Choudary Group. To minimize the ongoing loss, the management considered that the operation of this segment be discontinued.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## BUSINESS REVIEW (CONTINUED)

### Discontinued Operation – The Financial Quotation Services Segment (Continued)

On 24 January 2017, the Company and Mr. Zhou Zhichang (the “Purchaser”) entered into a sale and purchase agreement (the “Sale and Purchase Agreement”) pursuant to which the Company conditionally agreed to sell, and the Purchaser conditionally agreed to acquire, 51% of the issued share capital of the Choudary Group, at a consideration of HK\$1.75 million. The disposal was completed and the consideration fully received by the Company on 24 January 2017.

The loss for the year amounted to approximately HK\$2.4 million was essentially arrived at by deducting from the gross profit of approximately HK\$7.2 million by the staff related cost and rental of approximately HK\$7.4 million and HK\$1.1 million, respectively.

## SELLING AND DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES

The Group did not incur any selling and distribution expenses during the year ended 31 March 2017 (2015/2016: HK\$0.2 million).

## GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group’s general and administrative expenses (which mainly comprises legal and professional fees, salaries, directors’ fees and office rentals) amounted to approximately HK\$24.9 million (2015/2016: HK\$30.4 million), which were 18.3% lower than that in 2015/2016 mainly because of the deconsolidation of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries during the year.

## FINANCE COSTS

Finance costs decreased by 2.3% from HK\$4.8 million to HK\$4.7 million. The finance costs were mainly due to interest incurred on bonds and convertible bonds issued in previous years.

## INCOME TAX EXPENSES

During the year ended 31 March 2017, income tax expenses amounted to HK\$2.7 million (2015/2016: HK\$0.9 million) were incurred. The increase in the income tax expenses was mainly because of the significant increase of profit generated from the money lending segment during the year.

## LOSS PER SHARE

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the basic and diluted loss per share from continuing operations amounted to 5.83 HK cents, which is 4.82 HK cents more than the basic and diluted loss per share from continuing operations of 1.01 HK cents in 2015/2016.

## INTANGIBLE ASSETS

The Group’s intangible assets of HK\$305.1 million as at 31 March 2016 represented the mining right and reserves and exploration right resulted from the acquisition of Jun Qiao Group in the prior years. All the intangible assets were derecognized during the year ended 31 March 2017 after the deconsolidation of Yin Di Mining.



# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## TRADE RECEIVABLES

The Group's trade receivables as at 31 March 2017 amounted to approximately HK\$10.4 million which represented an increase of approximately HK\$8.5 million as comparing with the trade receivables of approximately HK\$1.9 million as at 31 March 2016. The change was mainly contributed by the increase in revenue in the trading segment that occurred near the year end. The management did not foresee any recoverability problem as most of the amount has been settled as at the announcement date. The management will constantly review the ageing and credit standing of customers to ensure trade receivables can be fully recovered.

## OTHER RECEIVABLES, DEPOSITS AND PREPAYMENTS

The breakdown of other receivables, deposits and prepayments were as follows:

	31 March 2017 HK\$	31 March 2016 HK\$
Other receivables	67,509,817	21,103,996
Deposits	903,615	2,777,515
Prepayment	31,173,560	10,674,801
	<b>99,586,992</b>	<b>34,556,312</b>

The increase in the overall balance was due to some short-term interest-free advances to certain independent third parties and staff amounted to HK\$62,261,126 (31 March 2016: HK\$20,838,119). Included in other receivable is HK\$67,365,271 which was fully recovered subsequent to the end of the reporting period. The remaining balances were not material to the Group.

## DEFERRED TAX LIABILITIES

As at 31 March 2017, deferred tax liabilities attributable to Jun Qiao, mainly on the increase in fair value of intangible assets in accordance with the relevant accounting principle, of HK\$73.4 million were all credited to the profit and loss due to the derecognition of the related intangible assets during the year ended 31 March 2017.

## FINANCIAL POSITION

The Group's consolidated statement of financial position remained solid. Shareholders' equity increased from HK\$326.2 million to HK\$344.7 million. Total assets decreased by 23.7% to HK\$460.9 million mainly due to the derecognition of the Mining Assets after the deconsolidation of Yin Di Mining. Net assets decreased by 20.7% to HK\$344.3 million was primarily due to the issue of new shares upon placing/conversion of the convertible bonds/rights issue and the loss incurred during the year.

As disclosed in the Company's Interim Report 2016/2017, as at 30 September 2016, the Group had outstanding unsecured 5.5% per-annum 7-years (i.e. due between January and July 2021) corporate bonds (the "Bonds") with aggregate principal sum of HK\$70 million. The repayment obligations of the Company under the instruments of the Bonds is guaranteed by Jun Qiao. Under the terms of the subscription agreements in relation to the Bonds, to the extent which is legally permissible, the Company and Jun Qiao undertook to continue to maintain its interests in the Mining Assets and not to dispose of, transfer or sell any of the Mining Assets until the maturity of the Bonds, unless the consent of the majority of the bondholders is obtained. The Company will be advised by its legal advisers in upholding its right in matters relating to the incidents arising from the First Civil Ruling, the Second Civil Judgment, the Enforcement Order and the Bonds.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES

As at 31 March 2017, the Group's cash and cash equivalents amounted to HK\$114.3 million (31 March 2016: HK\$62.7 million).

As at 31 March 2017, the Group had outstanding Bonds with aggregate principal sum of HK\$70 million. Under the terms of the subscription agreements in relation to the Bonds, to the extent which is legally permissible, the Company undertook to continue to maintain its interests in the Mining Assets and not to dispose of, transfer or sell any of the Mining Assets until the maturity of the Bonds, unless the consent of the majority of the bondholders is obtained. The directors of the Company considered that the Group does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of the Bonds for at least 12 months after the reporting period and hence classified the Bonds as current liabilities.

During the year ended 31 March 2017, due to the obstructions faced by the Company in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries, the Company regards that it has lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. The Company will be advised by its legal advisers in upholding its right in matters relating to the incidents arising from the First Civil Ruling, the Second Civil Judgment, the Enforcement Order and the Bonds.

	As at 31 March 2017	As at 31 March 2016
Current ratio (current assets/current liabilities)	3.9 times	9.2 times
Gearing ratio (total liabilities/total assets)	25%	28%

The Group's liquidity remains healthy. Nevertheless, as the Company is still keen on looking for strategic investment to diversify its business operation, additional financing might be requested when suitable investment opportunity was identified. The management will assess and consider various possible fund raising alternatives to strengthen the capital base and financial position of the Company and to make sure that the Company will have sufficient working capital to support its future operational and investment needs.

## SHARE CAPITAL

As at 31 March 2017, the total number of issued ordinary shares of the Company was 4,540,126,800 shares (31 March 2016: 2,430,553,200 shares).

### Increase in Authorised Share Capital

At the annual general meeting of the Company held on 29 September 2016, an ordinary resolution was passed for the increase of the authorized share capital of the Company and the authorised share capital the Company has been increased from HK\$60,000,000.00 divided into 6,000,000,000 Shares to HK\$200,000,000.00 divided into 20,000,000,000 Shares by the creation of additional 14,000,000,000 Shares, which rank pari passu in all respects with each other.

The increase of authorised share capital can provide the Company with more flexibility for fund raising by allotting and issuing new Shares in the future as and when appropriate.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## ACTUAL USE OF PROCEEDS OF PAST EQUITY FUND-RAISING ACTIVITIES

### (1) Share placing announced on 19 January 2017

On 19 January 2017, the Company announced a placing of shares (“January 2017 Placing”), on best effort basis, for a maximum of 534,132,000 shares at a price of HK\$0.11 per Share under the general mandate granted to the Directors at the annual general meeting of the Company held on 29 September 2016. The January 2017 Placing was completed on 1 February 2017 whereby a total of 534,132,000 placing shares have been successfully placed. The net proceeds raised in the January 2017 Placing were approximately HK\$57.29 million, which was originally intended to be used for the repayment of part of the Bonds. The Company wishes to update shareholders and the investing public that due to ongoing negotiation with the representatives of the holders of the Bonds, the net proceeds of the January 2017 Placing were temporarily applied to short-term or repayable-on-demand loans to the Group’s customers by way of treasury management. The Company is of the view that such short term treasury management of the net proceeds will be able to generate interest income to offset the possible continual accruing of interest expenses on the Bonds.

### (2) Rights issue announced on 14 November 2016

On 14 November 2016, the Company announced a rights issue (“2016 Rights Issue”) of 1,335,331,600 shares at the subscription price of HK\$0.11 per share on the basis of one rights share for every two existing shares, which became unconditional on 28 December 2016. The net proceeds raised in the 2016 Rights Issue were approximately HK\$143.1 million, which was originally intended to be used: (a) as to approximately HK\$55 million for the development of the Group’s money lending business; (b) as to approximately HK\$50 million for the development of the Group’s trading business; and (c) as to approximately HK\$37.7 million for general working capital of the Group. The Company wishes to update shareholders and the investing public that the net proceeds of the 2016 Rights Issue were actually used: (a) as to HK\$70 million for the provision of a loan to Queensway Asia Limited (as part of the Group’s money lending business), as disclosed by the Company on 12 December 2016 and 12 January 2017; (b) as to HK\$40 million for the capital injection into Wan Long Xing Ye Commercial Trading (Shenzhen) Limited (as part of the Group’s trading business); (c) as to HK\$3 million for the establishment of a new investment entity in Hong Kong engaging in trading, marketing and supply-chain management, as disclosed by the Company on 12 December 2016; and (d) as to approximately HK\$29.7 million, of which (i) HK\$12.9 million was set aside for the repayment of the Bonds, if and required to do so; and (ii) HK\$16.8 million was left for general working capital, of which HK\$12.3 million was set aside for payment of operating expenses and was all used as original intention during the period from December 2016, after the completion of the 2016 Rights Issue, to 31 May 2017 (including salaries and remuneration of HK\$4.0 million, bond interest of HK\$1.9 million, rental expenses of HK\$1.6 million and other operating expenses of HK\$4.8 million); and HK\$4.5 million was set aside for the settlement of professional fee (such as legal fees in Hong Kong and China, audit fee and printing costs). The actual uses of proceeds are largely consistent with the intended uses, but were slightly adjusted to fit the actual funding needs of the Group’s money lending and trading businesses and the Group’s staff costs and overheads incurred from time to time.

### (3) Share placing announced on 6 June 2016

On 6 June 2016, the Company announced a placing of shares (“June 2016 Placing”), on best effort basis, for a maximum of 190,110,640 shares at a price of HK\$0.09 per Share under the general mandate granted to the Directors at the annual general meeting of the Company held on 30 September 2015. The June 2016 Placing was completed on 15 June 2016 whereby a total of 190,110,000 placing shares have been successfully placed. The net proceeds raised in the June 2016 Placing were approximately HK\$16.60 million, which was originally intended to be used for financing the Group’s money lending business. The Company wishes to update shareholders and the investing public that the net proceeds of the June 2016 Placing were actually used as intended.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## ACTUAL USE OF PROCEEDS OF PAST EQUITY FUND-RAISING ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED)

### (4) Convertible bond placing announced on 19 February 2016

On 19 February 2016, the Company announced a placing of convertible bonds (“February 2016 CB Placing”), on best effort basis, with a principal amount of up to HK\$52.8 million carrying rights to convert to Shares at the conversion price of HK\$0.12 per Share under the general mandate granted to the Directors at the annual general meeting held on 30 September 2015. The February 2016 CB Placing was completed on 4 March 2016 whereby convertible bonds with an aggregate principal amount of HK\$30 million have been successfully placed. The net proceeds raised in the February 2016 CB Placing were approximately HK\$29.35 million, which was originally intended to be used for financing the Group’s money lending business. The Company wishes to update shareholders and the investing public that the net proceeds of the 2016 Rights Issue were actually used: (a) as to approximately HK\$26 million for financing the Group’s money lending business and (b) as to approximately HK\$3.35 million used for working capital (comprising mostly staff costs and office overheads). The actual uses of proceeds are largely consistent with the intended uses, but were slightly adjusted to cater for the Group’s staff costs and overheads incurred from time to time.

## EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

There were no significant events that have occurred subsequent to the end of the reporting period.

## PLEDGE OF ASSETS

As at 31 March 2017, no assets of the Group were pledged to secure general banking facilities granted to the Group.

## CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

As at 31 March 2017, the Group had no material capital commitments.

## CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

As at 31 March 2017, the Group had no material contingent liabilities.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE EXPOSURE

Most of the operations and trading transaction, assets and liabilities of the Group were denominated in Hong Kong dollar and Renminbi. During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group had an insignificance amount of exchange difference.

The Group adopted a conservative treasury policy, with most of the bank deposits being kept in Hong Kong dollars and Renminbi, to minimize exposure to foreign exchange risks. As at the year end and during the year, the Group had no foreign exchange contracts, interest or currency swaps, or other financial derivatives for hedging purposes.

## COMMODITY PRICE RISK

The price of the Group’s products of the mining operations is influenced by international and domestic market prices and changes in global supply and demand for such products. Price volatility of metals is also affected by the global and the PRC economic cycles as well as the fluctuations of the global currency market. Both the international and domestic market price of metals as well as the volatility of their supply and demand are beyond the control of the Company. Therefore, the volatility of commodity price may affect the revenue from the Group’s mining operation and thus the comprehensive income of the Group. The Group did not engage in nor enter into any trading contracts and price arrangements to hedge the risk of volatility of metals prices.



# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## EMPLOYEE REMUNERATION POLICY

As at 31 March 2017, the Group had 25 employees (31 March 2016: 61 employees). Total salaries, commissions, incentives and all other staff related costs incurred for the year ended 31 March 2017 (continuing and discontinued positions) amounted to approximately to HK\$15.2 million (31 March 2016: HK\$21.4 million). Our remuneration policies are in line with prevailing market practices and formulated on the basis of the performance and experience of individual employees. Apart from basic salaries, other staff benefits included provident funds, life insurance and medical assistance benefit. The Company may also grant share options to eligible employees to motivate their performance and contribution to the Group.

## PROSPECTS

### The Mining Operations

During the year ended 31 March 2017, due to the obstructions faced by the Company in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries, the Company regards that it has lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. The Company commenced civil actions seeking to recover the 90% equity of Yin Di Mining, and filed criminal complaints against any person(s)/entity(ies) who are suspected to have conducted unlawful activities in relation to the Purported Transfer. Based on the legal advice currently obtained by the Group, the Group should have sufficient evidential bases to successfully overturn the judgments made by the Zhengzhou Court.

Before the de-consolidation, the scale of the Group's mining operations is considered small and limited. The Group can only be a market follower, and has no influence on the market price and sales of ores and ores concentrates in the local market. The segmental results of the mining operations segment of the Group had not been performing well in the past few years.

The Company will be advised by its legal advisers in upholding its right in matters relating to the incidents arising from the First Civil Ruling, the Second Civil Judgment and the Enforcement Order.

### Money Lending Business

During and subsequent to the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group has made several short-term loans to customers. These customers are mainly corporations or individuals who either have stable business track records or reasonable asset backing, with careful assessment by the Group on the cost and benefit analysis by comparing the rate of return and the risk exposure. Depending on risk assessment, the Group may request customers to provide adequate guarantees before releasing the loans. The management considered the potential of the segment was high and the segment could help to provide a constant cash inflow to the Group. The Group has planned for an increase of overall loan portfolio size to achieve better economy of scale and efficiency optimisation.

The Group is also considering to expand its money lending business into the PRC micro-lending market, where opportunities arise from the related policies support and guidance from the General Office of the State Council of the People's Republic of China.

The management expected the money lending segment will remain as one of the major revenue and profit contributors of the Group in the coming years.

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## PROSPECTS (CONTINUED)

### Trading Segment

Wan Loong Xing Ye is the flagship company of the Group in the PRC which engages in the domestic trading of goods and commodities in the PRC. At present, it trades mainly refined edible oil. The Group intends to further broaden the categories of goods involved in the trading business so as to minimise the concentration risk in trading a particular type of goods.

The management has planned to broaden the categories of goods traded and increase the size of trading volume with a view to achieving economy of scale and improving the gross profit margin. The segment is expecting to remain as the main revenue contributor of the Group in the coming years.

As disclosed in the Company's announcement dated 23 February 2017, the Company entered into a joint venture agreement (the "JV Agreement") with 雲南白藥清逸堂實業有限公司 (Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang Industry Co., Ltd.) ("Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang") in relation to the establishment of a joint venture company (the "JV Company") to cooperate on the market development of Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang's products and other personal care products in Asean countries. The JV Company will be owned as to 60% by the Company and 40% by Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang. The initial size of investment of the JV Company will be RMB2 million (approximately HK\$2.3 million).

Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang is a limited liability company established in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC") which is principally engaged in the manufacture and sale of personal care products and other household products. Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang is a 40% owned subsidiary of 雲南白藥集團股份有限公司 (Yunnan Baiyao Group Co., Ltd.) ("Yunnan Baiyao Group"). Yunnan Baiyao Group is a joint stock limited liability company established in the PRC whose A shares are listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange with stock code: 000538.

The management considers the entering into of the JV Agreement is consistent with the Group's strategy to diversify the product range of its trading business. Under China's initiative of "One Belt One Road", the Company is optimistic with the cooperation with Yunnan Baiyao Group in the joint development of the personal care products market in Asean countries.

The JV Company has not yet commenced business up to the date of this report.

### Other

The management always believes that it is in the best interest of the Company and the shareholders to diversify the Group's business portfolio. The Company will continue to identify appropriate potential investment opportunities.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors are pleased to present their report together with the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017.

## PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND GEOGRAPHICAL ANALYSIS OF OPERATIONS

The principal activity of the Company is investment holding. The activities of the principal subsidiaries are shown in note 38 to the consolidated financial statements.

An analysis of the Group's performance for the year by reportable and geographical segments is set out in note 7 to the consolidated financial statements.

## BUSINESS REVIEW

A fair review of the business of the Group and a discussion and analysis of the Group's performance during the year and the material factors underlying its results and financial position are provided in the "Management Discussion and Analysis" sections, respectively on pages 3 to 13 of this Annual Report.

The financial risk management objectives and policies of the Company were disclosed in note 6 to the consolidated financial statements.

These discussions form part of this Directors' Report.

## RESULTS AND APPROPRIATIONS

The results of the Group for the year are set out in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income on page 39.

## RESERVES

Movements in the reserves of the Group during the year are set out in the consolidated statement of changes in equity on page 44.

## PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Details of the movements in property, plant and equipment of the Group are set out in note 16 to the consolidated financial statements.

## SHARE CAPITAL

Details of the movements in share capital of the Company are set out in note 30 to the consolidated financial statements.

## DISTRIBUTABLE RESERVES

Distributable reserves of the Company are set out in note 37 to the consolidated financial statements.

## FIVE-YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY

A summary of the results and of the assets and liabilities of the Group for the last five financial years is set out on page 124.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT

## DIRECTORS

The directors during the year and up to the date of this report were:

### Executive Directors:

Mr. Chow Wang (*Chairman & Chief Executive Officer*)

Mr. Chu Ka Wa (*Chief Financial Officer*)

(appointed on 23 January 2017)

Mr. Wang Zhaoqing (*Chief Operating Officer*)

(appointed on 23 January 2017)

Mr. Cheung Wai Shing

(resigned on 24 January 2017)

### Non-Executive Director:

Mr. Fong For

### Independent Non-Executive Directors:

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan

In accordance with the Company's Bye-laws, Mr. Chow Wang, Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny and Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan should retire at the forthcoming annual general meeting (Notice of which will be dispatched in due course) and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election. None of the directors proposed for re-election has a service contract with the Company or its subsidiaries which is not determinable by the Company or its subsidiaries within a year without payment of compensation other than statutory compensation.

## DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S BIOGRAPHICAL DETAILS

Biographical details of the directors and senior management of the Company are set out on pages 20 to 22 of this Annual Report.

## NEW SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The old share option scheme was adopted by the Company on 27 March 2002 for a period of ten years and expired on 26 March 2012. In order to continue to provide the Company with a flexible means of giving incentive to Eligible Participants to recognize and acknowledge the contributions that Eligible Participants made or may make to the Group, a new share option scheme (the "New Share Option Scheme") has been approved by the shareholders at the annual general meeting of the Company held on 30 September 2013 (the "Adoption Date"), the Directors may, at their discretion, invite any participants to take up options to subscribe for fully paid ordinary shares in the Company subject to the terms and conditions stipulated therein.

The New Share Option Scheme is valid and effective for ten years and will expire on 29 September 2023. From the Adoption Date up to 31 March 2016, no option has been granted. Save for the New Share Option Scheme, the Company do not have any other share option scheme as at 31 March 2017.



# DIRECTORS' REPORT

## DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S INTERESTS IN SECURITIES

As at 31 March 2017, according to the register of interest kept by the Company under Section 336 of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO") and so far as was known to the Directors, none of the Directors and chief executives of the Company held any interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which (i) were required to be notified to the Company and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions which they were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO); or (ii) were required, pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein; or (iii) were required, pursuant to the Model Code for the Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Companies (the "Model") of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules"), to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange were as follows:

Names of Directors	Capacity	Number of Shares held (long position)	Percentage of the issued share capital of the Company
Chow Wang	Beneficial owner	382,606,000	8.43%
Fong For	Beneficial owner	349,068,000	7.69%

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 March 2017, none of the Directors or Chief Executive of the Company had any interest or short position in any shares, underlying shares or debenture of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within meaning of the SFO) which (a) were required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions which Directors have taken or deemed to have under such provisions of SFO) or (b) were required pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein; or which (c) were required, pursuant to the Model Code to be notified to Company and the Stock Exchange.

## DIRECTORS' RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES OR DEBENTURES

Apart from the New Share Option Scheme disclosed in the section "NEW SHARE OPTION SCHEME", at no time during the period was the Company, or any of its subsidiaries, a party to any arrangements to enable the Directors to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in, or debentures of the Company or any other body corporate and neither the Directors nor any of their spouses or children under 18 years of age, had any right to subscribe for shares or debt securities of the Company, or had exercised any such rights during the period under review.

## DIRECTORS' INTEREST IN CONTRACTS

No contracts of significance in relation to the Group's business to which the Company, its subsidiaries, its fellow subsidiaries or its holding companies was party and in which a director of the Company had a material interest, whether directly or indirectly, subsisted at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT

## **SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' AND OTHER PERSON'S INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES**

As at 31 March 2017, so far as is known to the Directors or chief executive of the Company, the Company had not been notified of any interest or short position in the shares, underlying shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which would fall to be disclosed under provisions of Division 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or any persons (other than the Directors and chief executive of the Company) who was directly and indirectly interested in 10% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital carrying rights to vote at general meetings of any other member the Group.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 March 2017, the Company had not been notified of any other interests or short positions in the shares or underlying shares of the Company.

## **PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES**

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased or sold any of the Company's securities during the year and the Company has not redeemed any of its securities during the year.

## **PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS**

No pre-emptive rights exist under the laws of Bermuda in relation to issues of new shares by the Company.

## **MANAGEMENT CONTRACTS**

No contracts concerning the management and administration of the whole or any substantial part of the business of the Company were entered into or existed during the year.

## **PERMITTED INDEMNITY PROVISION**

Pursuant to Bye-Law 164 of the Company's Bye-Laws and relevant provisions of the regulations stipulated, every Director or other officer of the Company shall be indemnified and secured harmless out of the assets and profits of the Company from and against all losses and liabilities which he may incur or sustain in or about the execution of the duties of his office or otherwise in relation thereto, and no Director or other officer shall be liable for any loss, damages or misfortune which may happen to or be incurred by the Company in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, provided that this Bye-Law shall only have effect in so far as its provisions are not avoided by the Bermuda Companies Act.

A permitted indemnity provision for the benefit of the Directors is currently in force and was in force throughout the financial year. The Company has taken out and maintained Directors' and officers' liabilities insurance throughout the year, which provides appropriate cover for the Directors of the Group.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT

## MAJOR CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS

The percentage of the Group's purchases and sales for the year attributable to major suppliers and customers are as follows:

### Purchases

– the largest supplier	48%
– five largest suppliers combined	98%

### Sales

– the largest customer	43%
– five largest customers combined	76%

No directors, their associates or any shareholder (which to the knowledge of the directors owns more than 5% of the Company's issued share capital) had an interest in the major suppliers or customers noted above.

## SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

As far as the information publicly available to the Company is concerned and to the best knowledge of the Directors of the Company, the public float of shares of the Company has remained above the minimum percentage required by the Stock Exchange throughout the year.

## RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Significant related party transactions entered by the Group during the year ended 31 March 2017, which did not constitute connected transactions under the Listing Rules, are disclosed in Note 34 to the consolidated financial statements.

## EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

There were no significant events that have occurred subsequent to the end of the reporting period.

## ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE REPORT 2017

The Company's corporate governance practices, including Audit Committee, Nomination Committee and Remuneration Committee, are set out in the Corporate Governance Report on pages 23 to 33 of this Annual Report.

The Company's ESG report will be published on the Company's and the Stock Exchange's website in relation to environmental and social activities performed in 2016 in due course.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT

## AUDITORS

SHINEWING (HK) CPA Limited ("SHINEWING") resigned as the auditor of the Company and its subsidiaries with effect from 9 March 2017 as the Company cannot reach a mutual agreement with SHINEWING on the audit fee for the financial year ended 31 March 2017.

On 5 April 2017, HLB Hodgson Impey Cheng Limited ("HLB") was appointed as auditor of the Company to fill the casual vacancy following the resignation of SHINEWING. The financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017 have been audited by HLB who retires and, being eligible, offer itself for reappointment. A resolution for their reappointment as auditors of the Company will be proposed at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

On behalf of the Board

### **Chow Wang**

*Chairman and Chief Executive Officer*

Hong Kong, 28 June 2017



# BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

**Mr. Chow Wang (“Mr. Chow”)**, aged 53, has over more than 20 years of experience in the field of business development, trading and investment. After Mr. Chow finished his secondary education in China in early 80’s, he was engaged in trading business in Shenzhen, China. After relocating to Hong Kong in late 80’s, Mr. Chow established Ban Loong Shareholding Limited (“Ban Loong”) and acquired Union Shine Technology Limited (“Union Shine”). Ban Loong is engaged in the investment in private equity projects in Hong Kong and China, while Union Shine is engaged in the production of consumer electronic products, accessories and parts. Mr. Chow has extensive experience in corporate development and management, and has a well-established social network in financial and business sectors in Hong Kong and China.

Mr. Chow was appointed as an Executive Director, the Chairman of the Board, the Chairman of the Nomination Committee and a member of the Remuneration Committee of the Company with effect from 9 October 2014. Mr. Chow was appointed as the Chief Executive Officer of the Company with effect from 23 January 2017.

Mr. Chow currently acts as a director of the following subsidiaries of the Company, namely, Ban Loong Finance Company Limited, Wan Long Xing Ye Commercial Trading (Hong Kong) Limited and Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang Hong Kong Limited.

**Mr. Chu Ka Wa (“Mr. Chu”)**, aged 32, joined the Company in 2013 and was appointed as the Financial Controller of the Company since March 2013. Mr. Chu obtained a Bachelor of Accounting degree from The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology in 2008 and a Master of Corporate Governance degree from The Hong Kong Polytechnic University in 2016. Mr. Chu is a member of Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Mr. Chu is an associate member of Hong Kong Institute of Chartered Secretaries and an associate member of the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators.

Mr. Chu was appointed as an Executive Director and Chief Financial Officer of the Company on 23 January 2017. Mr. Chu was also appointed as an authorized representative and a member of the Nomination Committee and the Remuneration Committee of the Company on 24 January 2017.

Mr. Chu currently acts as a director of the following subsidiaries of the Company, namely, Ban Loong Finance Company Limited, Susanoo Ventures Limited, Wan Long Xing Ye Commercial Trading (Hong Kong) Limited and Yunnan Baiyao Qingyitang Hong Kong Limited.

**Mr. Wang Zhaoqing (“Mr. Wang”)**, aged 53, joined the Company in 2013 and was appointed as the Chief Operating Officer of the Company since December 2013. Mr. Wang graduated from College for Administrative Personnel of the Customs, China in 1987 and College of Economics, Jinan University, Guangzhou in 1989. He also obtained a Master of Business Administration degree from Hong Kong Baptist University in 2004. Mr. Wang obtained a Doctor of Business Administration degree from Victoria University, Switzerland in 2009. From 2007 to 2008, he was a Senior Visiting Scholar in Asia School of Business Singapore. Mr. Wang has over 25 years of working experience in the business operating sector, and is experienced in financial and economic analysis, and the management of import and export.

Mr. Wang was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company on 23 January 2017.

Mr. Wang currently acts as a director of the following subsidiaries of the Company, namely, Ban Loong Finance Company Limited and Jun Qiao Limited.

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

**Mr. Cheung Wai Shing (“Mr. Cheung”)**, aged 47, holds a Bachelor Degree in Accountancy from City University of Hong Kong, and a Master’s of Science Degree in Finance from University of Michigan-Dearborn. He is a fellow member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and The Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, and an associated member of The Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales. Mr. Cheung has extensive experience in accounting, financial management and corporate governance and has worked in “big four” accounting firms and various private and public companies. Mr. Cheung was appointed as the company secretary and authorized representative of the Company with effect from 21 August 2008 and an Executive Director of the Company effective 28 August 2008. Mr. Cheung resigned as authorized representative of the Company on 21 May 2011 and was re-appointed on 28 September 2011. Mr. Cheung was appointed as a member of the Remuneration Committee and the Nomination Committee with effect from 29 March 2012.

Mr. Cheung resigned as an Executive Director, Company Secretary and Authorized Representative of the Company on 24 January 2017.

### NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

**Mr. Fong For (“Mr. Fong”)**, aged 58, completed his high school education in Lufeng, Guangdong, China. He is currently an Honorary President of the Confederacy of Hong Kong Shanwei Clansmen Limited, and a Vice President of the Standing Committee of the Overseas Friendship Association of Shanwei. Mr. Fong was also previously a member of the Shanwei Committee of the Chinese People’s Political Consultative Conference. Mr. Fong has many years of business and management experience in textile, trading, investments, property development and logistics. Mr. Fong was appointed as a Non-executive Director on 12 December 2014.

On 11 May 2006, Mr. Fong (a) pleaded guilty to one summons relating to his failure to notify the listed issuer of his interests in shares of Zheda Lande Scitech Limited, whose H shares are listed on the Growth Enterprise Market of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Stock Exchange”) with stock code: 8106, amounting to over 10% of the H shares of that listed company which should be disclosed under Part XV of the SFO; (b) was convicted for contravening Part XV of the SFO; and (c) was fined by The Eastern Magistrates’ Courts of Hong Kong for HK\$6,000 (and investigation costs of the Securities and Futures Commission). Save as disclosed above, Mr. Fong has not been convicted of any other offences.

Despite the conviction disclosed above, both Mr. Fong and the Company consider that it is appropriate for Mr. Fong to act as a director of the Company because the relevant offence has no relevance to his character and integrity and was, according to Mr. Fong, an act of oversight. In particular, although Mr. Fong failed to file the disclosure form to the listed issuer, he did file the disclosure form to the Stock Exchange. The Company has enquired with Mr. Fong about the offence and conviction before his appointment, who confirmed to the Company that he had now gained the relevant knowledge and experience and would be able to comply with the statutory and regulatory requirements imposed on directors of listed companies.

### INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

**Mr. Jiang Zhi (“Mr. Jiang”)**, aged 48, obtained a master degree (major in civil and commercial law) from Southwest University of Political Science & Law in Shenzhen, PRC in 2001. Mr. Jiang has been practising in various reputable law firms in Shenzhen since 1989. Mr. Jiang obtained PRC solicitors practising certificate and became a qualified lawyer in China in 1993. Mr. Jiang was previously a founder and currently a partner of Guangdong Jun Yan Law Firm from 2003 to August 2015. Mr. Jiang now is the partner of 廣東深信律師事務所. Mr. Jiang provides legal advice to many clients in different industries in the PRC. His practice area includes mainly contract law, real estate law, corporate law and medical law. Mr. Jiang has solid academic foundation and rich practical experience in those areas. Mr. Jiang was appointed as an arbitrator of the Qingyuan Arbitration Commission with hiring period from 1 June 2017 to 1 June 2019. Mr. Jiang was also appointed as deputy secretary for the Secretariat of the Qingyuan Arbitration Commission with hiring period from 27 May 2017 to 28 May 2020.

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

Mr. Jiang was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director, a member of the Audit Committee, Nomination Committee and Remuneration Committee of the Company on 19 January 2015.

**Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny (“Mr. Leung”)**, aged 60, holds a Bachelor of Laws of the University of London. Mr. Leung is a qualified solicitor in Hong Kong, England & Wales and Singapore, and is a Notary Public and China Appointed Attesting Officer. He has over 31 years of experience in legal field and is the senior partner of Messrs. Johnny K.K. Leung & Co., Solicitors & Notaries.

Mr. Leung is currently an independent non-executive director of Celestial Asia Securities Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 1049) which is listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Stock Exchange”) and Phoenitron Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 8066) which is listed on the Growth Enterprise Market of the Stock Exchange (“GEM”). Mr. Leung retired as an independent non-executive director of AMCO United Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 630) on 30 June 2015 which is listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange. Mr. Leung was appointed as an independent non-executive director of Aeso Holding Limited (Stock Code: 8341) (“Aeso”) on the date of initial listing of Aeso on GEM (i.e. 13 January 2017) and resigned on 8 June 2017 accordingly.

Mr. Leung was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director, the Chairman of the Remuneration Committee and a member of the Audit Committee and the Nomination Committee of the Company on 9 October 2014.

**Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan (“Ms. Wong”)**, aged 44, has been a certified practising accountant of the Australian Society of Certified Practising Accountants and a certified public accountant of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants since May 1999 and May 2000, respectively. She is also a member of The Society of Chinese Accountants and Auditors, a fellow and a certified tax adviser of the Taxation Institute of Hong Kong. Ms. Wong has more than 19-year experience in auditing, accounting and taxation. She is the founder of Messrs. C.S. Wong & Co. and the Director of Pan-China (H.K.) CPA Limited. Ms. Wong is currently the chief financial officer and company secretary of Astrum Financial Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 8333) which is listed on the Growth Enterprise Market of the Stock Exchange. Ms. Wong resigned as the company secretary of Yin He Holdings Limited (formerly known as Zebra Strategic Holdings Limited) (Stock Code: 8260) on 31 August 2015 which is listed on the Growth Enterprise Market of the Stock Exchange and resigned as the company secretary of Grand Investment International Limited (Stock Code: 1160) which is listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange on 16 June 2017.

Ms. Wong was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director, the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Nomination Committee and the Remuneration Committee of the Company on 9 October 2014.

### COMPANY SECRETARY

**Ms. Li Wing Sze (“Ms. Li”)**, joined the Company in October 2010 and was appointed as the Assistant Company Secretary of the Company since October 2010. Ms. Li obtained a Bachelor of Arts (Honours) degree in Business Administration and Management from De Monfort University, England in 2006, and a Master of Science in Professional Accounting & Corporate Governance from City University of Hong Kong in 2009. Before joining the Company, Ms. Li had many years of working experience in company secretarial field and had worked as assistant company secretary of other listed companies of Hong Kong since as early as 2006. Ms. Li is an associate member of Hong Kong Institute of Chartered Secretaries and an associate member of the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

The board of directors (the “Directors”) of the Company (the “Board”) is committed to achieving and maintaining high standards of corporate governance to ensure that all decisions are made in good faith, in the best interest of shareholders and in long-term shareholders value.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The corporate governance standards of the Company are built on the principles of independence, accountability, transparency and fairness. The Company has complied with the Code Provisions set out in the Corporate Governance Code (the “CG Code”) contained in Appendix 14 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the “Listing Rules”) on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (“the Stock Exchange”) throughout the year ended 31 March 2017.

In the opinion of the Board, the Company has complied with the Code Provisions save for deviations as set out below:

### Code Provision A.2.1

Under the code provision A.2.1, the roles of chairman and chief executive should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual. From 23 January 2017 onwards, the roles of chairman and chief executive of the Company were performed by Mr. Chow Wang.

The Board considers that vesting the roles of chairman of the Board and chief executive of the Company in the same individual is beneficial to the business prospects and management of the Company. The Board will nevertheless review this structure from time to time and will consider the segregation of the two roles at the appropriate time.

### Code Provision A.4.1

Under the code provision A.4.1, non-executive directors should be appointed for a specific term, subject to re-election. All non-executive directors of the Company were not appointed for a specific term, but every director of the Company will be subject to retirement no later than the third annual general meeting after his election, under the Company’s Bye-Laws. As such, the Board considers that sufficient measures have been taken to ensure that the Company’s corporate governance practices are not less exacting than those in the CG Code.

### Code Provision A.6.7

Code Provision A.6.7 stipulates that independent non-executive directors (“INEDs”) and other non-executive directors (“NEDs”) should attend general meeting. Out of three INEDs of the Company, only one INED attended the annual general meeting of the Company held on 29 September 2016 (the “2016 AGM”) and two INEDs and one NED were unable to attend the 2016 AGM due to other business engagement.

## DIRECTORS’ SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted a code of conduct regarding directors’ securities transactions on terms no less exacting than the required standard of the Model code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the “Model Code”) as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules. The prohibitions on securities dealing and disclosure requirements in the Model Code apply to specified individuals including the Group’s senior management and also persons who are privy to relevant negotiations or agreements or any inside information of the Group.

Having made specific enquiry of all directors, the Board confirms that the Directors of the Company have complied with the Model Code regarding directors’ securities transactions during the year and up to the date of publication of this Annual Report.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board is responsible for the leadership and control of the Company, oversee the Group's businesses and evaluate the performance of the Group. The Board also focuses on overall strategies and policies with particular attention paid to the growth and financial performance of the Group.

The Board delegates day-to-day operations of the Group to Executive Directors and senior management, while reserving certain key matters for its approval. When the Board delegates aspects of its management and administration functions to Management, it has given clear directions as to the powers of the Management, in particular, with respect to the circumstances where Management shall report back and obtain prior approval from the Board before making decisions or entering into any commitments on behalf of the Company.

The Directors of the Company were supplied with adequate and relevant information in a timely manner to enable them forming decision in the relevant meetings. Every Director is aware that he/she should give sufficient time and attention to the affairs of the Company. Agreed procedures are in place providing to the member of the Board and/or committee to seek independent professional advice at the Company's expenses to assist them to discharge their duties.

The Company's senior management regularly supplies the Board and its Committees with adequate information in a timely manner to enable them to make informed decisions. For Board meetings and the Board Committee meetings, the agenda accompanying with Board papers were sent to all directors at least 2 days before the intended date of the Board meetings or Board Committee meetings.

### Board Composition

The Board currently consists of seven directors as follows:

#### Executive Directors

Mr. Chow Wang (*Chairman & Chief Executive Officer*)

Mr. Chu Ka Wa (*Chief Financial Officer*)

Mr. Wang Zhaoqing (*Chief Operating Officer*)

#### Non-executive Director

Mr. Fong For

#### Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

### Board Composition (Continued)

There is no financial, business, family or other material/relevant relationship among members of the Board and between the Chairman and the chief executive officer.

All Directors have different professional and relevant industry experiences and background so as to bring in valuable contributions and advices for the development of the Group's business. Currently, there are 3 out of 7 Directors are INEDs and one of them is qualified accountant. Biographical details of the Directors are set out in the section of "Biographical Information of Directors and Senior Management" in this Annual Report.

At each annual general meeting, one-third of the Directors for the time being (or, if their number is not a multiple of three (3), the number nearest to but not less than one-third) shall retire from office by rotation provided that every director shall be subject to retirement at least once every three years. A retiring director shall be eligible for re-election and shall continue to act as a director throughout the meeting at which he retires. According to the Company's Bye-Law, all newly appointed directors will hold office until the first general meeting of members after his/their appointment(s) and shall then be eligible for re-election.

### Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

From 23 January 2017 onwards, the roles of chairman and chief executive of the Company were performed by Mr. Chow Wang.

The Board considers that vesting the roles of chairman of the Board and chief executive of the Company in the same individual is beneficial to the business prospects and management of the Company. The Board will nevertheless review this structure from time to time and will consider the segregation of the two roles at the appropriate time.

### Non-Executive Directors

All non-executive directors of the Company were not appointed for a specific term, but every director of the Company will be subject to retirement no later than the third annual general meeting after his election, under the Company's Bye-Laws. As such, the Board considers that sufficient measures have been taken to ensure that the Company's corporate governance practices are not less exacting than those in the CG Code.

The Company has received written confirmation from each independent non-executive director of their independence to the Group. The Group considered all of independent non-executive directors meet the independence guidelines set out in Rules 3.13 of the Listing Rules and are independent in accordance with the terms of the guidelines.

### Board Meetings

The Board held 10 meetings in the fiscal year. Directors have been consulted to advice the agenda of the Board meeting. Sufficient notice of the Board meeting has been given to the directors.

Directors may attend meetings in person or via telephone, electronic or other communication facilities. Minutes of the Board and the Board Committees are recorded in sufficient details and kept by the company secretary for inspection at any reasonable time on reasonable notice by any directors.



# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

### Board Meetings (Continued)

The Board holds meetings on a regular basis and will meet on other occasions when a board-level decision on a particular matter is required. The Board also monitors and controls financial performance in pursuit of the Group's strategic objectives. The attendance of individual director at Board meetings held during the accounting period is set out below.

Name	Board	Audit Committee	Nomination Committee	Remuneration Committee
Total numbers of meetings held during the year ended 31 March 2017	10	2	2	3
<b>Executives:</b>				
Mr. Chow Wang	10/10	N/A	2/2	3/3
Mr. Chu Ka Wa (appointed on 23 January 2017)	3/3	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mr. Wang Zhaoqing (appointed on 23 January 2017)	3/3	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mr. Cheung Wai Shing (resigned on 24 January 2017)	2/8	N/A	1/2	2/2
<b>Non-Executive:</b>				
Mr. Fong For	7/10	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Independent Non-executives:</b>				
Mr. Jiang Zhi	10/10	2/2	2/2	3/3
Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny	5/10	2/2	1/2	2/3
Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan	10/10	2/2	2/2	3/3

### Directors' training and professional development

Directors are encouraged to participate in continuous professional development to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills. This is to ensure that their contribution to the Board remains informed and relevant. The Company had arranged an in-house training for Directors organized by our in-house lawyer covering the topics on the inside information disclosure requirements under the Securities and Futures Ordinance and continuing and connected transactions under Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules. Reference materials were from time to time provided to Directors to update them with the relevant laws and Listing Rules.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE FUNCTIONS

The Board is responsible for performing the following corporate governance functions:

- (a) to develop and review the Company's policies and practices on corporate governance and make recommendations;
- (b) to review and monitor the training and continuous professional development of directors and senior management;
- (c) to review and monitor the Company's policies and practices on compliance with legal and regulatory requirements;
- (d) to develop, review and monitor the code of conduct and compliance manual (if any) applicable to employees and directors;
- (e) to review the Company's compliance with the code and disclosure in the Corporate Governance Report;
- (f) to evaluate and determine the nature and extent of the risks it is willing to take in achieving the Group's strategic objectives; and
- (g) to ensure that the Group establishes and maintains appropriate and effective risk management and internal control systems and review their effectiveness.

## BOARD DIVERSITY POLICY

With an aim to achieve diversity on the Board of the Company, the Board has approved and adopted a Board Diversity Policy (the "Policy") and revised to the terms of reference of the Nomination Committee of the Board to ensure the appropriate implementation of the Policy on 29 November 2013. The Policy was made with a view to achieving a sustainable and balanced development of the Company, of which, among others, all Board appointments will be based on meritocracy, and candidates will be considered against appropriate criteria, having due regard for the benefits of diversity on the Board.

The Company commits to selecting the best person for the role. Selection of candidates will be based on a range of diversity perspectives, including but not limited to gender, age, cultural background and ethnicity, in addition to educational background, professional experience, skills, knowledge and length of service. The ultimate decision will be based on merit and contribution that the selected candidates will bring to the Board. The Board's composition (including gender, age, length of service) will be disclosed in the Corporate Governance Report annually.

The Nomination Committee will report annually, in the Corporate Governance Report, on the Board's composition under diversified perspectives, and monitor the implementation of this Policy.

The Nomination Committee will review this Policy, as appropriate, to ensure the effectiveness of this Policy. The Nomination Committee will discuss any revisions that may be required, and recommend any such revisions to the Board for consideration and approval.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## BOARD COMMITTEES

When the Board delegates aspects of its management and administration functions to management, it has given clear directions as to the powers of management, in particular, with respect to the circumstances where management shall report back and obtain prior approval from the Board before making decisions or entering into any commitments on behalf of the Company.

The Company has set up three committees including Audit Committee, Nomination Committee and Remuneration Committee, each Committee with its specific terms of reference as set out in the CG Code.

### Remuneration Committee

The Company has established a remuneration committee (the “RC”) with written terms of reference in consistence with the CG Code for the purpose of making recommendations to the Board on the Company’s remuneration policy and structure for directors and senior management. The written terms of reference are posted on the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange.

The work of the RC during the year ended 31 March 2017 included the following matters:

- i. reviewed and made recommendations to the Board the increment in remuneration packages for the year 2016/2017 for all the Directors and senior management staff of the Company. The RC has considered factors such as salaries paid by comparable companies, time commitment and responsibilities of the directors, employment conditions elsewhere in the Group and desirability of performance-based remuneration. Further details on the remuneration policy and the basis of determining the remuneration payable to the Directors and senior management are set out in the page 12 of this Annual Report;
- ii. determined, with delegated responsibility, the remuneration packages of individual executive directors and senior management. This should include benefits in kind, pension rights and compensation payments, including any compensation payable for loss or termination of their office or appointment;
- iii. ensured no director or any of his associated is involved in deciding his own remuneration; and
- iv. reviewed and made recommendations to the Board the emolument policy of the employees of the Group on the basis of their merit, qualification and competence.

Further details on the remuneration policy and the basis of determining the remuneration payable to the Directors and senior management are set out in pages 82 to 85 of this Annual Report.

The number of RC meeting held during the year and record of individual attendance of members, on a named basis, at meetings held during was set out in section headed “Board Meetings” above.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## BOARD COMMITTEES (CONTINUED)

### Remuneration Committee (Continued)

The RC currently consists of the following members:

#### Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny (*Chairman*)

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan

#### Executive Directors

Mr. Chow Wang

Mr. Chu Ka Wa

### Nomination Committee

The Company has established a nomination committee (the “NC”) with written terms of reference in consistence with the CG Code for the purpose of reviewing the structure, size and composition of the Board on a regular basis and identifying individuals suitably qualified to become board members. It is also responsible for accessing the independence of independent non-executive directors and making recommendations to the Board on the appointment or re-appointment of directors and succession planning for directors. The written terms of reference are posted on the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange.

In addition, the shareholders have the power to nominate any person to become a director of the Company in accordance with the Company’s Bye-Laws, the procedure for election of directors was published on the Company’s website.

The work of the NC during the year ended 31 March 2017 included the following matters:

- i. evaluated the above named directors’ skills, qualifications, knowledge and experiences;
- ii. reviewed the composition of the Board in accordance with the measurable objective of the Board Diversity Policy;
- iii. nominated Mr. Chow Wang as Chief Executive Officer of the Company;
- iv. nominated Mr. Chu Ka Wa, Financial Controller of the company as Executive Director and Chief Financial Officer of the Company;
- v. nominated Mr. Wang Zhaoqing, Chief Operating Officer of the Company as Executive Director of the Company; and
- vi. nominated Ms. Li Wing Sze as Company Secretary of the Company.

The biographies of the above named directors are set out in the section of “Biographical Information of Directors and Senior Management” in this Annual Report. The directors of the Company, namely Mr. Chu Ka Wa and Mr. Wang Zhaoqing have held the office until the special general meeting held on 18 May 2017 (“2017 SGM”) and had been re-elected at the 2017 SGM.

The number of NC meeting held during the year and record of individual attendance of members, on a named basis, at meetings held during was set out in section headed “Board Meetings” above.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## BOARD COMMITTEES (CONTINUED)

### Nomination Committee (Continued)

The NC currently consists of the following members:

#### Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan

#### Executive Directors

Mr. Chow Wang (*Chairman*)

Mr. Chu Ka Wa

### Audit Committee

The Company has established an audit committee (the "AC") with written terms of reference in consistence with the CG Code. The revised terms of reference are posted on the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange.

The AC is responsible for review of the Group's financial information and oversight of the Group's financial reporting system, risk management and internal control procedure. The AC is also responsible for reviewing the interim and final results of the Group prior to recommending them to the Board for approval. In performing its duties, it has unrestricted access to personnel, records, external auditors and senior management.

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the AC held 2 meetings and the work of AC included the following matters:

- i. discussed with management the risk management framework, policies and procedures are in place to identify, assess, manage, control and report risks and draft a written risk management policy to monitor the Group's business objectives;
- ii. discussed with management the status of annual results for the year ended 31 March 2017, interim results for the year ended 30 September 2016;
- iii. discussed with management the risk management policy of the financial year 2016/2017 and considered to hire independent risk management company to access the internal control and risk management of the Company for coming year;
- iv. reviewed and discussed with management and the external auditors regarding the financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016 and management letter;
- v. reviewed and discussed with management and the external auditors regarding the unaudited interim financial statements for the six months ended 30 September 2016 and management letter;
- vi. reviewed the effectiveness of internal control system;
- vii. reviewed the external auditors' statutory audit plan and engagement letter;
- viii. discussed with the management and ensured that the Board has conducted an annual review such that there is adequacy of resources, qualifications and experience of staff of the Company's accounting and financial reporting function; and
- ix. recommended to the Board, for the approval by shareholders, of the re-appointment of the auditors.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## BOARD COMMITTEES (CONTINUED)

### Audit Committee (Continued)

The number of AC meetings held during the year and record of individual attendance of members, on a named basis, at meetings held during was set out in section headed "Board Meetings" above. The Group's Annual Report for the year ended 31 March 2017 has been reviewed by the AC.

The AC currently consists of the following members. Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan is the certified public accountant for many years.

### Independent Non-executive Directors

Ms. Wong Chui San, Susan (*Chairman*)

Mr. Jiang Zhi

Mr. Leung Ka Kui, Johnny

## ACCOUNTABILITY AND AUDIT

### Financial Reporting

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for preparing the financial statements of the Group and have adopted the accounting principles generally accepted in Hong Kong and complied with the requirements of Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards (which include all Hong Kong Accounting Standards and Interpretations) issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

During the reporting year, the management has provided such explanation and information to the Board as necessary to enable the Board to make an informed assessment of the financial information and position of the Group put forward to the Board for approval. The directors are not aware of any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt upon the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

The reporting responsibilities of the Company's independent auditors are set out in the Independent Auditors' Report on pages 34 to 38.

### Risk management and internal control

The Board is overall responsible for evaluating and determining the nature and extent of the risks that it is willing to take in achieving the Group's strategic objectives, and ensuring that the Group established and maintained appropriate and effective risk management and internal control systems.

The management of the Group is responsible for designing, maintaining, implementing and monitoring of the risk management and internal control system to ensure adequate control in place to safeguard the Group's assets and stakeholder's interest.

The internal control systems are designed and implemented to reduce the risks associated with the business accepted by the Group and minimise the adverse impact resulted from the risks. The risk management and internal control system are designed to manage rather than eliminate the risk of failure to achieve business objectives, and can only provide reasonable and not absolute assurance against material misstatement or loss.



# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## ACCOUNTABILITY AND AUDIT (CONTINUED)

### Risk management and internal control (Continued)

Internal control is to ensure the Group's compliance with applicable laws, regulations and our operating principles as well as the reliability of financial and operational reporting. Furthermore, the internal control seeks to safeguard the Group's assets and to ensure overall effectiveness and efficiency of operations to meet the Group's strategic, operational and financial targets. Internal control is aligned with the Group's risk management process. The goal of risk management is to support the Group's strategy and the achievement of objectives by anticipating and managing potential business threats and opportunities.

The Board, through the Audit Committee, conducts review on design and implementation effectiveness of the risk management and internal controls that are significant to the Group on an on-going basis. The Audit Committee would consider the adequacy of resources, qualifications and experience and training of staff and external advisor of the Group's accounting, internal audit and financial reporting function.

During the year under review, the Audit Committee has identified and assessed the risks to the Group through a series of interviews. Moreover, the Audit Committee has independently performed internal control reviews and assessed effectiveness of the Group's risk management and internal control systems. The results of the independent review and assessment were reported to the Board.

Based on the findings as well as the comments of the Audit Committee, the Board considers that Group's internal control system in material aspect is effective and adequate; no material deficiencies have been identified.

The Group strictly follows the requirements of the Securities and Futures Ordinance of Hong Kong (the "SFO") and the Listing Rules and ensures that inside information is disclosed to the public as soon as reasonably practicable unless the information falls within any of the safe harbours of the SFO. Before inside information is fully disclose to the public, such information is kept strictly confidential.

## AUDITOR'S REMUNERATION

SHINEWING (HK) CPA Limited ("SHINEWING") resigned as the auditor of the Company and its subsidiaries with effect from 9 March 2017 as the Company cannot reach a mutual agreement with SHINEWING on the audit fee for the financial year ended 31 March 2017.

On 5 April 2017, HLB Hodgson Impey Cheng Limited ("HLB") was appointed as auditor of the Company to fill the casual vacancy following the resignation of SHINEWINE.

The financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2017 have been audited by HLB. Fee paid or payable to the auditor for audit service provided to the Group is approximately HK\$1,050,000. The auditor's remuneration has been duly approved by the Audit Committee and there was no disagreement between the Board and the Audit Committee on the selection and appointment of the auditor. During the financial year, no fee paid or payable to HLB for non-audit services provided to the Group.

## COMPANY SECRETARY

Ms. Li Wing Sze ("Ms. Li"), the Company Secretary of the Company, has confirmed that for the year ended 31 March 2017, she has complied with Rule 3.29 of the Listing Rules. Ms. Li has taken no less than 15 hours of relevant professional training. Ms. Li's biography is set out in the section of "Biographical Information of Directors and Chief Executive Officer" in this Annual Report.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## COMMUNICATION WITH SHAREHOLDERS

### Effective communication

The general meetings of the Company provide a forum for communication between the shareholders and the Board. The Chairman of the Board as well as chairman of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee, or in their absence, other members of the respective committees, are available to answer questions at the shareholders' meetings.

Separate resolutions are proposed at shareholders' meetings on each substantial issue, including the election of individual directors.

The Company continues to enhance communications and relationships with its investors. Designated senior management maintains regular dialogue with investors and analysis to keep them abreast of the Company's developments. Enquiries from investors are dealt with in an informative and timely manner.

### Voting by poll

The rights of shareholders and the procedures for demanding a poll on resolutions at shareholders' meetings are contained in the Company's articles of association. Details of such rights to demand a poll and the poll procedures are included in all circulars to shareholders and will be explained during the proceedings of meetings.

Poll results were published on the website of the Stock Exchange as well as the Company's website.

## SHAREHOLDERS' RIGHTS

### Convening extraordinary general meeting and putting forward proposals at Shareholder's meetings

Pursuant to section 74 of the Bermuda Companies Act, the Directors of the Company, on the requisition of shareholders of the Company holding not less than one-tenth of the paid-up capital of the Company, can convene a special general meeting to address specific issues of the Company within 21 days from the date of deposit of written notice to the principal place of business of the Company in Hong Kong. The same requirement and procedure also applies to any proposal to be tabled at shareholders' meetings for adoption.

### Shareholders' Enquiries to the Board

Shareholders of the Company may at any time send their enquiries and concerns to the Board in writing through the Company Secretary whose contact details are set out in the "Contact Us" section of the Company's website at <http://www.0030hk.com/news.php>.

## ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITY

The Group has from time to time endeavoured to comply with laws and regulations regarding environmental protection and adopted effective environmental policies to ensure its projects meet the required standards and ethics in respect of environmental protection and to lead its reduction in greenhouse gas emissions that contribute to climate change.

The Company will issue Environmental, Social and Governance Report in a separate manner and publish the report on the Company's website ([www.0030hk.com](http://www.0030hk.com)) and HKEx's website ([www.hkexnews.hk](http://www.hkexnews.hk)).

## CONSTITUTIONAL DOCUMENTS

At the 2016 AGM of the Company, the Company's new bye-laws was passed as special resolution by the shareholders of the Company, updated versions of the Company's new bye-laws are available for download from the Company's website and the HKEx's website.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



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## TO THE MEMBERS OF BAN LOONG HOLDINGS LIMITED

萬隆控股集團有限公司

*(incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)*

## DISCLAIMER OF OPINION

We were engaged to audit the consolidated financial statements of Ban Loong Holdings Limited (the “Company”) and its subsidiaries (collective referred to as the “Group”) set out on pages 39 to 123, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 March 2017, and the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

We do not express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements of the Group. Because of the significance of the matters described in the Bases for Disclaimer of Opinion section of our report, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on these consolidated financial statements and as to whether the consolidated financial statements have been properly prepared in compliance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

## BASES FOR DISCLAIMER OF OPINION

### (a) De-consolidation of subsidiaries

As disclosed in notes 3 and 36 to the consolidated financial statements, the management of the Company became aware during the current financial year of a civil ruling dated 9 January 2017 (the “First Civil Ruling”) and a civil judgement dated 10 October 2016 (the “Second Civil Judgement”). The First Civil Ruling ordered, inter alia, the freezing of the entire equity holding of Tong Bai County Yin Di Mining Company Limited (“Yin Di Mining”), an indirect subsidiary of the Company, and the mining license owned by Yin Di Mining. The Second Civil Judgement ordered, inter alia, that the equity transfer agreement dated 28 February 2011 signed between Zhengzhou Jinfuyuan Mining Company Limited (“Jinfuyuan Mining”), an indirect subsidiary of the Company, and Henan Guiyuan Industry Co. Ltd (“Henan Guiyuan”) for the transfer of equity of Yin Di Mining for the consideration of RMB28,000,000 payable in cash (the “Equity Transfer Agreement”) be terminated and all equity holding of Yin Di Mining be re-transferred to Henan Guiyuan.

Also, upon searches of public records conducted by the Group’s legal advisers, the management of the Company became aware of a ruling enforcement order dated 23 November 2016 (the “Enforcement Order”) issued by Henan Province Zhengzhou City Intermediate People’s Court (“Zhengzhou Court”) ordering Jinfuyuan Mining to transfer the entire equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan. Subsequently, according to the public record searches, the 90% equity interest in Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining was purportedly transferred to Henan Guiyuan on 17 January 2017.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

## BASES FOR DISCLAIMER OF OPINION (CONTINUED)

### (a) De-consolidation of subsidiaries (Continued)

As revealed in the Second Civil Judgement, Henan Guiyuan alleged that Jinfuyuan Mining only paid RMB3,000,000 by way of deposit to Henan Guiyuan between March and November 2011 even though Henan Guiyuan had completed the transfer of the 95% equity of Yin Di Mining to Jinfuyuan Mining in April 2011 in performance of the terms of the Equity Transfer Agreement and that on 30 May 2011, both parties signed a supplemental agreement such that if Jinfuyuan Mining failed to pay the balance of RMB25,000,000 within 60 days, then it shall, inter alia, re-transfer the equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan unconditionally and allow the RMB3,000,000 deposit to be forfeited. Henan Guiyuan further alleged that on 18 December 2015, Jinfuyuan Mining signed a declaration and gave it to Henan Guiyuan, confirming that it owed the outstanding consideration to Henan Guiyuan and agreed to re-transfer its equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan.

Given the above circumstances, the Group faced obstructions in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries and the Group regards that it has lost control over the entire operations of Yin Di Mining and its subsidiary (collectively, the "De-consolidated Subsidiaries") and the directors of the Company have determined to exclude the financial position, results and cash flows of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries from the Group's consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 March 2017 (the "2017 Consolidated Financial Statements"). Hence the De-consolidated Subsidiaries have been deconsolidated with effect from 1 April 2016 in the 2017 Consolidated Financial statements. The resulting loss arising from the deconsolidation of HK\$115,847,836 has been recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and the resulting adjustments of HK\$908,026 and HK\$99,376,259 have been made to the exchange reserve and non-controlling interests respectively.

Under Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standard 10 "Consolidated Financial Statements", the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities of, and non-controlling interests in, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries should be derecognised from the consolidated financial statements of the Group at the date when control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries was lost. As at the date of approval for issuance of the 2017 Consolidated Financial Statements, the investigations by the PRC legal advisers into, inter alia, the factual circumstances and the claims and allegations of Henan Guiyuan, as instructed by the Company, was still in progress and the Company is not yet in a position to assess the impact of the First Civil Ruling and Second Civil Judgement on the operations and financial position of the Group. Further, we were unable to gain access to the books and records of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. Consequently, we were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence and explanation to assess the appropriateness of the accounting treatment adopted by the Group of treating the De-consolidated Subsidiaries as subsidiaries of the Group from 2011 onwards and until the date of their deconsolidation. We were also unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence and explanation to satisfy ourselves as to the date when the Group lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. Had we been able to assess these matters, many elements in the consolidated financial statements for the current financial year and previous financial years might have been materially affected, including the assets and liabilities of the Group as at 31 March 2016 and 2017, the loss and cash flows of the Group for the years ended 31 March 2016 and 2017, and the related disclosures thereof in the consolidated financial statements.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

## BASES FOR DISCLAIMER OF OPINION (CONTINUED)

### (b) Amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Group recorded an impairment of amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries of HK\$71,145,551 due to the circumstances described in (a) above. We were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the validity, existence and impairment assessment of the amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries because: (i) there was inadequate documentary evidence available for us to verify the validity, existence and nature of the amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries; (ii) we were unable to carry out any effective confirmation procedures in relation to the amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries for the purpose of our audit; (iii) there was inadequate documentary evidence available for us to satisfy ourselves as to whether the impairment testing in respect of the amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries were properly recorded and accounted for and in compliance with the requirements of applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") and Hong Kong Accounting Standards, including Hong Kong Accounting Standard 39 "Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement"; and (iv) there were no alternative audit procedures that we could perform to satisfy ourselves as to whether the amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries were free from material misstatement. In addition, the scope limitation explained in (a) above as to the date when the Group lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries would also affect the appropriate accounting period in which the impairment loss should be recognised. Any adjustments that might have been found necessary may have a significant consequential effect on the carrying amount of, and impairment loss on, the amounts due from the De-consolidated Subsidiaries, the net assets of the Group as at 31 March 2017 and the loss and cash flows of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2017, and the related disclosures thereof in the consolidated financial statements.

### (c) Contingent liabilities and commitments

As disclosed in notes 3 and 36 to the consolidated financial statements, due to circumstances described in (a) above, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence and explanations as to whether the contingent liabilities and commitments committed by the Group were properly recorded and accounted for and in compliance with the requirements of applicable HKFRSs, including Hong Kong Accounting Standard 37 "Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets". There were no alternative audit procedures that we could perform to satisfy ourselves as to whether the contingent liabilities and commitments were free from material misstatements. Any adjustment that would be required may have a consequential significant effect on the net assets of the Group and the loss and cash flows of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2017, and the related disclosures thereof in the consolidated financial statements.

### (d) Related party transactions

The scope limitation explained in (a) above as to the date when the Group lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries would affect the disclosures of related party transactions in the 2017 Consolidated Financial Statements in the event that the date of loss of control is actually after 1 April 2016. Accordingly, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence as to whether the related party transactions disclosures were properly recorded and accounted for and in compliance with the requirements of applicable HKFRSs including Hong Kong Accounting Standard 24 "Related Party Disclosures". There were no practical alternative procedures that we could perform over the related party transactions which occurred during the year ended 31 March 2017.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

## BASES FOR DISCLAIMER OF OPINION (CONTINUED)

### (e) Opening balances and comparative information

As disclosed in notes 3 and 36 to the consolidated financial statements, due to circumstances described in (a) above, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence as to whether the opening balances as at 1 April 2016 and the comparative figures for the year ended 31 March 2016 were properly recorded and accounted for and in compliance with the requirements of applicable HKFRSs including Hong Kong Accounting Standard 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements". There were no alternative audit procedures that we could perform to satisfy ourselves as to whether the opening balances and the comparative figures were free from material misstatement. Any adjustments that would be required may have a consequential significant effect on the Group's assets and liabilities as at 31 March 2016 and 2017 and its results and cash flows for the years ended 31 March 2016 and 2017, and the presentation and disclosure thereof in the consolidated financial statements.

## OTHER MATTER

The consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2016 were audited by another auditor who expressed a modified opinion on those statements on 30 June 2016.

### Responsibilities of Directors and the Audit Committee 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 HKFRSs issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants 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 Audit Committee are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

### Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our responsibility is to conduct an audit of the Group's consolidated financial statements in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing ("HKSAs") issued by the HKICPA and to issue an auditors' report. We report our opinion solely to you, as a body, in accordance with Section 90 of the Bermuda Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report. However, because of the matters described in the Bases for Disclaimer of Opinion section of our report, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on these consolidated financial statements.

We are independent of the Group in accordance with the HKICPA's Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the "Code"), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.



# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

## Report on Other Matters under sections 407(2) and 407(3) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance

In respect alone of the inability to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence as described in the Bases for Disclaimer of Opinion section of our report above:

- we were unable to determine whether adequate accounting records had been kept; and
- we have not obtained all the information or explanations that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, are necessary and material for the purpose of the audit.

### **HLB Hodgson Impey Cheng Limited**

*Certified Public Accountants*

#### **Hon Koon Fai, Alex**

Practising Certificate Number: P05029

Hong Kong, 28 June 2017

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	Notes	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>Continuing operations</b>			
Revenue	7	299,259,373	116,373,626
Cost of sales		(271,265,726)	(99,566,131)
Gross profit		27,993,647	16,807,495
Other income and gain	8	155,280	34,966
Realised gain on held for trading investment		–	12,992
Gain on disposal of subsidiaries	32	–	215,058
Loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries	36	(115,847,836)	–
Impairment of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries	36	(71,145,551)	–
Fair value (loss)/gain on derivative component of convertible bonds	28	(201,806)	558,546
Loss on write-off of intangible asset		–	(1,272,489)
Loss on write-off of prepayments on exploration and evaluation activities	19	–	(4,553,640)
Selling and distribution expenses		–	(159,646)
General and administrative expenses		(24,870,504)	(30,439,710)
Finance costs	9	(4,654,889)	(4,796,721)
Loss before tax	10	(188,571,659)	(23,593,149)
Income tax expenses	13	(2,661,092)	(939,944)
Loss for the year from continuing operations		(191,232,751)	(24,533,093)
<b>Discontinued operations</b>			
Loss for the year from discontinued operations	14	(7,852,169)	(17,833,841)
Loss for the year		(199,084,920)	(42,366,934)
<b>Other comprehensive (expense)/income for the year</b>			
<i>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>			
Exchange differences arising on translating foreign operation		(3,859,423)	(17,510,743)
Exchange reserve released on de-consolidation of subsidiaries		908,026	–
Exchange reserve released on disposal of subsidiaries		(9,723)	(382,548)
Other comprehensive expense for the year		(2,961,120)	(17,893,291)
Total comprehensive expense for the year		(202,046,040)	(60,260,225)

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	Notes	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>Loss for the year attributable to owners of the Company</b>			
– from continuing operations		(191,218,035)	(23,470,398)
– from discontinued operations		(6,664,156)	(10,067,209)
<b>Loss for the year attributable to owners of the Company</b>		<b>(197,882,191)</b>	<b>(33,537,607)</b>
Loss for the year attributable to non-controlling interests			
– from continuing operations		(14,716)	(1,062,695)
– from discontinued operations		(1,188,013)	(7,766,632)
<b>Loss for the year attributable to non-controlling interests</b>		<b>(1,202,729)</b>	<b>(8,829,327)</b>
		<b>(199,084,920)</b>	<b>(42,366,934)</b>
Total comprehensive expense for the year attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(200,149,098)	(44,282,874)
Non-controlling interests		(1,896,942)	(15,977,351)
		<b>(202,046,040)</b>	<b>(60,260,225)</b>
<b>Loss per share</b>	15		
From continuing and discontinued operations			
– Basic and diluted (HK cents)		(6.04)	(1.45)
From continuing operations			
– Basic and diluted (HK cents)		(5.83)	(1.01)

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 March 2017

	Notes	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	16	4,594,205	63,531,515
Prepaid lease payments	17	–	1,251,386
Intangible assets	18	–	305,080,785
Prepayments for exploration and evaluation activities	19	–	8,526,297
Deferred tax asset	29	138,112	64,157
		<b>4,732,317</b>	378,454,140
<b>Current assets</b>			
Trade receivables	20	10,391,604	1,931,763
Loan and interest receivables	21	231,903,888	122,469,877
Other receivables, deposits and prepayments	22	99,586,992	34,556,312
Derivative component of convertible bonds	28	–	3,779,263
Bank balances and cash	23	114,323,600	62,712,761
		<b>456,206,084</b>	225,449,976
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Trade and other payables	24	43,601,911	15,027,578
Advance subscriptions and licence fees received		–	1,952,611
Amounts due to non-controlling shareholders of subsidiaries	25	4,375,651	4,375,651
Tax payable		1,809,441	3,069,584
Bonds	27	66,829,000	–
		<b>116,616,003</b>	24,425,424
<b>Net current assets</b>		<b>339,590,081</b>	201,024,552
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>		<b>344,322,398</b>	579,478,692
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Provision for reinstatement costs	26	–	757,323
Bonds	27	–	66,029,000
Convertible bonds	28	–	5,306,546
Deferred tax liabilities	29	–	73,438,582
		–	145,531,451
		<b>344,322,398</b>	433,947,241

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 March 2017

	Notes	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Capital and reserves</b>			
Share capital	30	45,401,268	24,305,532
Reserves		299,327,384	301,860,581
Equity attributable to owners of the Company		344,728,652	326,166,113
Non-controlling interests		(406,254)	107,781,128
Total equity		344,322,398	433,947,241

The consolidated financial statements on pages 39 to 123 were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 28 June 2017 and are signed on its behalf by:

**Chow Wang**  
Director

**Chu Ka Wa**  
Director

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGE IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	Attributable to owners of the Company							Non-controlling interests	Total
	Share capital	Share premium	Capital redemption reserve	Convertible bonds equity reserve	Exchange reserve	Accumulated losses	Sub-total		
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$		
At 1 April 2015	19,864,152	381,591,395	176,000	-	11,764,157	(116,607,623)	296,788,081	126,425,145	423,213,226
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(33,537,607)	(33,537,607)	(8,829,327)	(42,366,934)
Other comprehensive expense for the year:									
Exchange differences arising on translating foreign operations	-	-	-	-	(10,362,719)	-	(10,362,719)	(7,148,024)	(17,510,743)
Exchange reserve released on disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	-	-	-	-	(382,548)	-	(382,548)	-	(382,548)
Total comprehensive expense for the year	-	-	-	-	(10,745,267)	(33,537,607)	(44,282,874)	(15,977,351)	(60,260,225)
Issue of shares upon placing (note 30)	2,141,380	38,330,702	-	-	-	-	40,472,082	-	40,472,082
Transaction costs attributable to placing of shares	-	(407,852)	-	-	-	-	(407,852)	-	(407,852)
Issue of shares upon shares subscription	300,000	5,610,000	-	-	-	-	5,910,000	-	5,910,000
Disposal of a subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,666,666)	(2,666,666)
Recognition of equity component of convertible bonds, net of transaction costs (note 28)	-	-	-	19,633,331	-	-	19,633,331	-	19,633,331
Issue of shares upon conversion of convertible bonds (note 30)	2,000,000	6,053,345	-	(15,706,665)	-	15,706,665	8,053,345	-	8,053,345
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	24,305,532	431,177,590	176,000	3,926,666	1,018,890	(134,438,565)	326,166,113	107,781,128	433,947,241



# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGE IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	Attributable to owners of the Company							Non-controlling interests	Total
	Share capital	Share premium	Capital redemption reserve	Convertible bonds equity reserve	Exchange reserve	Accumulated losses	Sub-total		
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$		
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	24,305,532	431,177,590	176,000	3,926,666	1,018,890	(134,438,565)	326,166,113	107,781,128	433,947,241
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(197,882,191)	(197,882,191)	(1,202,729)	(199,084,920)
Other comprehensive (expense)/ income for the year:									
Exchange differences arising on translating foreign operations	-	-	-	-	(3,165,210)	-	(3,165,210)	(694,213)	(3,859,423)
Exchange reserve released on de-consolidation of subsidiaries (note 36)	-	-	-	-	908,026	-	908,026	-	908,026
Exchange reserve released on disposal of subsidiaries (note 32(i))	-	-	-	-	(9,723)	-	(9,723)	-	(9,723)
Total comprehensive expense for the year	-	-	-	-	(2,266,907)	(197,882,191)	(200,149,098)	(1,896,942)	(202,046,040)
Issue of shares upon placing (note 30)	7,242,420	68,622,000	-	-	-	-	75,864,420	-	75,864,420
Transaction costs attributable to placing of shares	-	(1,981,995)	-	-	-	-	(1,981,995)	-	(1,981,995)
Issue of shares upon right issue (note 30)	13,353,316	129,743,891	-	-	-	-	143,097,207	-	143,097,207
De-consolidation of subsidiaries (note 36)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(99,376,259)	(99,376,259)
Disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(6,914,181)	(6,914,181)
Issue of shares upon conversion of convertible bonds (note 30)	500,000	1,232,005	-	(3,926,666)	-	3,926,666	1,732,005	-	1,732,005
At 31 March 2017	45,401,268	628,793,491	176,000	-	(1,248,017)	(328,394,090)	344,728,652	(406,254)	344,322,398

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 31 March 2017

Notes	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Loss before tax from		
– continuing operations	(188,571,659)	(23,593,149)
– discontinued operations	(7,852,169)	(17,833,841)
	<b>(196,423,828)</b>	<b>(41,426,990)</b>
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,230,198	4,131,267
Amortisation of prepaid lease payments	–	106,243
Amortisation of intangible assets	–	8,939,466
Impairment loss on intangible assets	–	2,487,054
Loss on disposal of intangible asset	–	1,272,489
Loss on write-off of prepayment for exploration and evaluation activities	–	4,553,640
Loss on write-off of property, plant and equipment	–	2,183,462
Loss/(gain) on disposal of subsidiaries	5,427,652	(571,755)
Loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries	115,847,836	–
Impairment of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries	71,145,551	–
Fair value loss/(gain) on derivative component of convertible bonds	201,806	(558,546)
Expense on issuance of convertible bonds	–	117,078
Realised gain on held for trading investment	–	(12,992)
Finance costs	4,654,889	6,027,873
Bank interest income	(10,840)	(243,704)
Forfeiture of deposits received	–	(200,000)
	<b>2,073,264</b>	<b>(13,195,415)</b>
Operating cash flows before movements in working capital		
(Increase)/decrease in trade receivables	(10,212,630)	1,641,208
Increase in loan and interest receivables	(109,434,011)	(122,469,877)
Increase in other receivables, deposits and prepayments	(28,002,861)	(7,524,512)
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	16,588,624	(3,036,313)
Decrease in advance subscriptions and licence fees received	–	(210,156)
	<b>(128,987,614)</b>	<b>(144,795,065)</b>
Cash used in operation		
Tax paid	(1,855,710)	–
	<b>(130,843,324)</b>	<b>(144,795,065)</b>
<b>NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	Notes	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Bank interest received		10,840	243,704
Repayment of advances to staff		–	181,975
Increase in loans advanced to independent third parties		(43,668,795)	(21,229,663)
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(2,015,660)	(3,681,334)
Proceed from disposal of available-for-sale investment		–	60,000,000
Net cash flow from de-consolidation of subsidiaries		4,023,255	–
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from disposal of subsidiaries	32	(12,475,889)	3,092,675
<b>NET CASH (USED IN)/FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		<b>(54,126,249)</b>	<b>38,607,357</b>
<b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Proceeds from placing of shares	30	75,864,420	40,472,082
Expenses paid for placing of shares		(1,981,995)	(407,852)
Proceeds from shares subscription	30	–	5,910,000
Proceeds from issue of convertible bonds	28	–	30,000,000
Expenses paid for issue of convertible bonds		–	(450,000)
Net proceeds from right issue		143,097,207	–
Increase in loans advanced from independent third parties		24,706,166	49,339
Interest paid		(3,851,973)	(3,891,294)
<b>NET CASH FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		<b>237,833,825</b>	<b>71,682,275</b>
<b>NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS</b>		<b>52,864,252</b>	<b>(34,505,433)</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF THE YEAR</b>		<b>62,712,761</b>	<b>97,858,042</b>
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes		(1,253,413)	(639,848)
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE YEAR,</b> Represented by bank balance and cash		<b>114,323,600</b>	<b>62,712,761</b>

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 31 March 2017

## 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Ban Loong Holdings Limited (the “Company”) is incorporated in Bermuda and its shares are listed on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Stock Exchange”). The address of the registered office is Clarendon House, 2 Church Street, Hamilton HM11, Bermuda. The address of its principal place of business is Room 2709-10, 27/F., China Resources Building, No.26 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

The principal activity of the Company is an investment holding company. The Company’s subsidiaries (together with the Company collectively referred to as the “Group”) are principally engaged in money lending business and trading of goods and commodities. The Group was also engaged in providing financial quotation services and wireless applications development which were discontinued in current year. The mining operation was de-consolidated from the Group with effect from 1 April 2016.

The consolidated financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars (“HK\$”), which is also the functional currency of the Company.

## 2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (“HKFRSs”)

In the current year, the Group has applied, for the first time, a number of new and revised standards, amendments and interpretations (“new and revised HKFRSs”) issued by the HKICPA, that are relevant to its operations and effective for annual periods on or after 1 April 2016.

HKFRS 11 (Amendments)	Accounting for Acquisition of Interests in Joint Operations
HKFRS 14	Regulatory Deferral Accounts
HKAS 1 (Amendments)	Disclosure Initiative
HKAS 16 and HKAS 38 (Amendments)	Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation
HKAS 16 and HKAS 41 (Amendments)	Agriculture: Bearer Plants
HKFRS10, HKFRS 12 and HKAS 28 (Amendments)	Investment Entities: Applying the Consolidation Exception
Amendments to HKFRSs	Annual Improvements to HKFRS 2012-2014 Cycle

The application of the above new amendments to HKFRSs had no material effect on the results and financial positions of the Group for the current or prior accounting periods have been prepared and presented. Accordingly, no prior period adjustment has been required.

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## 2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (“HKFRSs”) (CONTINUED)

### *New and amendments to HKFRSs in issue not yet effective*

The Group has not early applied the following new and revised HKFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective:

HKFRSs (Amendments)	Annual Improvements to HKFRSs 2014–2016 Cycle <sup>5</sup>
HKFRS 2 (Amendments)	Clarification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transaction <sup>2</sup>
HKFRS 4 (Amendments)	Applying HKFRS 9 Financial Instruments with HKFRS 4 Insurance Contracts <sup>2</sup>
HKFRS 9	Financial Instruments <sup>2</sup>
HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28 (Amendments)	Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture <sup>4</sup>
HKFRS 15	Revenue from Contracts with Customers <sup>2</sup>
HKFRS 15 (Amendments)	Clarifications of HKFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers <sup>2</sup>
HKFRS 16	Leases <sup>3</sup>
HKAS 7 (Amendments)	Disclosure Initiative <sup>1</sup>
HKAS 12 (Amendments)	Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets for Unrealised Losses <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017, with earlier application permitted.

<sup>2</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018, with earlier application permitted.

<sup>3</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019, with earlier application permitted.

<sup>4</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after a date to be determined.

<sup>5</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017 or 1 January 2018, as appropriate.

### **HKFRS 9 Financial Instruments**

HKFRS 9 introduces new requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets, financial liabilities, general hedge accounting and impairment requirements for financial assets.

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (“HKFRSs”) (CONTINUED)

### *HKFRS 9 Financial Instruments (Continued)*

Key requirements of HKFRS 9 that are relevant to the Group are described as follows:

- All recognised financial assets that are within the scope of HKFRS 9 are required to be subsequently measured at amortised cost or fair value. Specifically, debt investments that are held within a business model whose objective is to collect the contractual cash flows, and that have contractual cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding are generally measured at amortised cost at the end of subsequent accounting periods. Debt instruments that are held within a business model whose objective is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets, and that have contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, are measured at fair value through other comprehensive income. All other debt investments and equity investments are measured at their fair value at the end of subsequent accounting periods. In addition, under HKFRS 9, entities may make an irrevocable election to present subsequent changes in the fair value of an equity investment (that is not held for trading) in other comprehensive income, with only dividend income generally recognised in profit or loss.
- With regard to the measurement of financial liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss, HKFRS 9 requires that the amount of change in the fair value of the financial liability that is attributable to changes in the credit risk of that liability is presented in other comprehensive income, unless the recognition of the effects of changes in the liability’s credit risk in other comprehensive income would create or enlarge an accounting mismatch in profit or loss. Changes in fair value of financial liabilities attributable to changes in the financial liabilities’ credit risk are not subsequently reclassified to profit or loss. Under HKAS 39, the entire amount of the change in the fair value of the financial liability designated as fair value through profit or loss was presented in profit or loss.
- In relation to the impairment of financial assets, HKFRS 9 requires an expected credit loss model, as opposed to an incurred credit loss model under HKAS 39. The expected credit loss model requires an entity to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition. In other words, it is no longer necessary for a credit event to have occurred before credit losses are recognised.
- The new general hedge accounting requirements retain the three types of hedge accounting mechanisms currently available in HKAS 39. Under HKFRS 9, greater flexibility has been introduced to the types of transactions eligible for hedge accounting, specifically broadening the types of instruments that qualify for hedging instruments and the types of risk components of non-financial items that are eligible for hedge accounting. In addition, the retrospective quantitative effectiveness test has been removed. Enhanced disclosure requirements about an entity’s risk management activities have also been introduced.

The directors of the Company anticipate that the application of HKFRS 9 in the future may have an impact on the amounts reported and disclosures made in the consolidated financial statements. However, it is not practicable to provide a reasonable estimate of the effect until a detailed review has been completed.

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (“HKFRSs”) (CONTINUED)

### *HKFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers*

HKFRS 15 was issued which establishes a single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers. HKFRS 15 will supersede the current revenue recognition guidance including HKAS 18 Revenue, HKAS 11 Construction Contracts and the related interpretations when it becomes effective.

The core principle of HKFRS 15 is that an entity should recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. Specifically, the standard introduces a 5-step approach to revenue recognition.

- Step 1: Identify the contract(s) with a customer
- Step 2: Identify the performance obligations in the contract
- Step 3: Determine the transaction price
- Step 4: Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contract
- Step 5: Recognise revenue when (or as) the entity satisfies a performance obligation

Under HKFRS 15, an entity recognises revenue when (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied, i.e. when ‘control’ of the goods or services underlying the particular performance obligation is transferred to the customer. Far more prescriptive guidance has been added in HKFRS 15 to deal with specific scenarios. Furthermore, extensive disclosures are required by HKFRS 15.

In 2016, the HKICPA issued Clarifications to HKFRS 15 in relation to the identification of performance obligations, principal versus agent considerations, as well as licensing application guidance.

The directors of the Company anticipate that the application of HKFRS 15 in the future may have an impact on the amounts reported as the timing of revenue recognition may be affected/and the amounts of revenue recognised are subject to variable consideration constraints, and more disclosures relating to revenue is required. However, it is not practicable to provide a reasonable estimate of the effect of HKFRS 15 until the directors of the Company perform a detailed review. In addition, the application of HKFRS 15 in the future may result in more disclosures in the consolidated financial statements.



# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (“HKFRSs”) (CONTINUED)

### **HKFRS 16 Leases**

HKFRS 16 introduces a comprehensive model for the identification of lease arrangements and accounting treatments for both lessors and lessees. HKFRS 16 will supersede HKAS 17 Leases and the related interpretations when it becomes effective.

HKFRS 16 distinguishes lease and service contracts on the basis of whether an identified asset is controlled by a customer. Distinctions of operating leases and finance leases are removed for lessee accounting, and is replaced by a model where a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability have to be recognised for all lessee by lessees, except for short-term leases of low value assets.

The right-of-use asset is initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost (subject to certain exceptions) less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, adjusted for any remeasurement of the lease liability. The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at that date. Subsequently, the lease liability is adjusted for interest and lease payments, as well as the impact of lease modifications, amongst others. For the classification of cash flows, the Group currently presents other operating lease payments as operating cash flows. Under HKFRS 16, lease payments in relation to lease liability will be allocated into a principal and an interest portion which will be presented as financing and financing cash flows respectively.

In contrast to lessee accounting, HKFRS 16 substantially carried forward the lessor accounting requirements in HKAS 17, and continues to require a lessor to classify a lease either as an operating lease or a finance lease.

Furthermore, extensive disclosures are required by HKFRS 16.

The directors of the Company do not anticipate that the applications of these will have a material effect on the Group’s consolidated financial statements.

The Group is in the process of assessing the potential impact of the other new and revised HKFRSs upon initial application but is not yet in a position to state whether the above new and revised HKFRSs, will have a significant impact on the Group’s results of operations and financial position.

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Basis of preparation

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA. In addition, the consolidated financial statements include applicable disclosures required by the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange and by the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for certain financial instruments that are measured at fair value. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for goods and services.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique.

In estimating the fair value of an asset or liability, the Group takes into account the characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. Fair value for measurement and/or disclosure purposes in these consolidated financial statements is determined on such a basis, except for share-based payment transactions that are within the scope of HKFRS 2 Share-based Payment, leasing transactions that are within the scope of HKAS 17 Leases, and measurements that have some similarities to fair value but are not fair value, such as net realisable value in HKAS 2 Inventories or value in use in HKAS 36 Impairment of Assets.

In addition, for financial reporting purposes, fair value measurements are categorised into Level 1, 2 or 3 based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, which are described as follows:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Basis of preparation (Continued)

#### De-consolidation

As disclosed in note 36 to the consolidated financial statements, the management of the Company became aware during the current financial year of a civil ruling dated 9 January 2017 (the “First Civil Ruling”) and a civil judgement dated 10 October 2016 (the “Second Civil Judgement”). The First Civil Ruling ordered, inter alia, the freezing of the entire equity holding of Tong Bai County Yin Di Mining Company Limited (“Yin Di Mining”), an indirect subsidiary of the Company, and the mining license owned by Yin Di Mining. The Second Civil Judgement ordered, inter alia, that the equity transfer agreement dated 28 February 2011 signed between Zhengzhou Jinfuyuan Mining Company Limited (“Jinfuyuan Mining”), an indirect subsidiary of the Company, and Henan Guiyuan Industry Co. Ltd (“Henan Guiyuan”) for the transfer of equity of Yin Di Mining at the consideration of RMB28,000,000 payable in cash (the “Equity Transfer Agreement”) be terminated and all equity holding of Yin Di Mining be re-transferred to Henan Guiyuan.

Also, upon searches of public records conducted by the Group’s legal advisers, the management of the Company became aware of a ruling enforcement order dated 23 November 2016 (the “Enforcement Order”) issued by Henan Province Zhengzhou City Intermediate People’s Court (“Zhengzhou Court”) ordering Jinfuyuan Mining to transfer the entire equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan. Subsequently, according to the public record searches, the 90% equity interest in Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining was purportedly transferred to Henan Guiyuan on 17 January 2017.

As revealed in the Second Civil Judgement, Henan Guiyuan alleged that Jinfuyuan Mining only paid RMB3,000,000 by way of deposit to Henan Guiyuan between March and November 2011 even though Henan Guiyuan had completed the transfer of the 95% equity of Yin Di Mining to Jinfuyuan Mining in April 2011 in performance of the terms of the Equity Transfer Agreement and that on 30 May 2011, both parties signed a supplemental agreement such that if Jinfuyuan Mining failed to pay the balance of RMB25,000,000 within 60 days, then it shall, inter alia, re-transfer the equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan unconditionally and allow the RMB3,000,000 deposit to be forfeited. Henan Guiyuan further alleged that on 18 December 2015, Jinfuyuan Mining signed a declaration and gave it to Henan Guiyuan, confirming that it owed the outstanding consideration to Henan Guiyuan and agreed to re-transfer its equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan.

Given the above circumstances, the Group faced obstructions in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries and the Group regards that it has lost control over the entire operations of Yin Di Mining and its subsidiary (collectively, the “De-consolidated Subsidiaries”) and the directors of the Company have determined to exclude the financial position, results and cash flows of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries from the Group’s consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 March 2017 (the “2017 Consolidated Financial Statements”). Hence the De-consolidated Subsidiaries have been deconsolidated with effect from 1 April 2016 in the 2017 Consolidated Financial statements. The resulting loss arising from the deconsolidation of HK\$115,847,836 has been recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and the resulting adjustments of HK\$908,026 and HK\$99,376,259 have been made to the exchange reserve and non-controlling interests respectively.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Basis of preparation (Continued)

#### De-consolidation (Continued)

Under Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standard 10 “Consolidated Financial Statements”, the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities of, and non-controlling interests in, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries should be derecognised from the consolidated financial statements of the Group at the date when control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries was lost. As at the date of approval for issuance of the 2017 Consolidated Financial Statements, the investigations by the PRC legal advisers into, inter alia, the factual circumstances and the claims and allegations of Henan Guiyuan, as instructed by the Company, was still in progress and the Company is not yet in a position to assess the impact of the First Civil Ruling and Second Civil Judgement on the operations and financial position of the Group. Further, we were unable to gain access to the books and records of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. Consequently, we were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence and explanation to assess the appropriateness of the accounting treatment adopted by the Group of treating the De-consolidated Subsidiaries as subsidiaries of the Group from 2011 onwards and until the date of their deconsolidation. We were also unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence and explanation to satisfy ourselves as to the date when the Group lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. Had we been able to assess these matters, many elements in the consolidated financial statements for the current financial year and previous financial years might have been materially affected, including the assets and liabilities of the Group as at 31 March 2016 and 2017, the loss and cash flows of the Group for the years ended 31 March 2016 and 2017, and the related disclosures thereof in the consolidated financial statements.

#### Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Company and entities controlled by the Company (i.e. its subsidiaries). If a subsidiary prepares its financial statements using accounting policies other than those adopted in the consolidated financial statements for like transactions and events in similar circumstances, appropriate adjustments are made to that subsidiary’s financial statements in preparing the consolidated financial statements to ensure conformity with the Group’s accounting policies.

Control is achieved where the Group has (i) the power over the investee; (ii) exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and (iii) the ability to use its power over the investee to affect the amount of the Group’s returns. When the Group has less than a majority of the voting rights of an investee, power over the investee may be obtained through (i) a contractual arrangement with other vote holders; (ii) rights arising from other contractual arrangements; (iii) the Group’s voting rights and potential voting rights; or (iv) a combination of the above, based on all relevant facts and circumstances.

The Company reassess whether it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of these elements of control stated above.

Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control of the subsidiary and cease when the Group loses control of the subsidiary.

Income and expenses of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income from the date the Group gains control until the date when the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Basis of consolidation (Continued)

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income of subsidiaries are attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests. Total comprehensive income of subsidiaries is attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance.

All intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between entities of the Group are eliminated in full on consolidation.

Non-controlling interests in subsidiaries are presented separately from the Group's equity therein. Non-controlling interests in the result of the Group are presented on the face of the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income as an allocation of the total profit or loss and total comprehensive income for the year between non-controlling interests and the owners of the Company.

### Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for goods sold and services rendered in the normal course of business, net of discounts and sales related taxes.

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when the goods are delivered and titles have passed, at which time all the following conditions are satisfied:

- the Group has transferred to the buyer the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods;
- the Group retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold;
- the amount of revenue can be measured reliably;
- it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Group; and
- the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.

Financial quotation subscription fee income is recognised on a straight-line basis over the subscription period. Revenue from wireless applications development is recognised when service are rendered.

Interest income from a financial asset is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the amount of income can be measured reliably. Interest income is accrued on a time basis, by reference to the principal outstanding and at effective interest rate applicable, which is the rate that exactly discounts the estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to that asset's net carrying amount on initial recognition.

Deposits and instalments received from customers prior to meeting the above criteria for revenue recognition are included in the consolidated statement of financial position under current liabilities.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Leasing

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

#### The Group as lessor

Rental income from lease is recognised in profit or loss on straight line basis over the term of the relevant lease.

#### The Group as lessee

Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### Leasehold land and building

When a lease includes both land and building elements, the Group assesses the classification of each element as a finance or an operating lease separately based on the assessment as to whether substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of each element have been transferred to the Group, unless it is clear that both elements are operating leases in which case the entire lease is classified as an operating lease. Specifically, the minimum lease payments (including any lump-sum upfront payments) are allocated between the land and the building elements in proportion to the relative fair values of the leasehold interests in the land element and building element of the lease at the inception of the lease.

To the extent the allocation of the lease payments can be made reliably, interest in leasehold land that is accounted for as an operating lease is presented as prepaid lease payments in the consolidated statement of financial position and is amortised over the lease term on a straight-line basis.

#### Foreign currencies

In preparing the financial statements of each individual group entity, transactions in currencies other than the entity's functional currency (foreign currencies) are recorded in the respective functional currency (i.e. the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates) at the rates of exchanges prevailing at the dates of the transactions. At the end of the reporting period, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items carried at fair value that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing on the date when the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items, and on retranslation of monetary items, are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they arise.

For the purposes of presenting the consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of the Group's foreign operations are translated into the presentation currency of the Group (i.e. Hong Kong dollars) using exchange rates prevailing at the end of each reporting period. Income and expense items are translated at the average exchange rates for the year. Exchange differences arising, if any, are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity under the heading of exchange reserve (attributed to non-controlling interests as appropriate).

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Foreign currencies (Continued)

On disposal of a foreign operation (i.e. a disposal of the Group's entire interest in a foreign operations, or a disposal involving loss of control over a subsidiary that includes a foreign operation), all of the exchange differences accumulated in equity in respect of that operation attributable to the owners of the Company are reclassified to profit or loss.

Fair value adjustments on identifiable assets acquired arising on an acquisition of a foreign operation are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign operation and retranslated at the rate of exchange prevailing at the end of each reporting period. Exchange differences arising are recognised in equity under the heading of exchange reserve.

### Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets, which are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale, are added to the cost of those assets until such time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use or sale.

All other borrowing costs are recognised in the profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

### Retirement benefits costs

Payments to the state-managed retirement benefit schemes and the Mandatory Provident Fund Scheme (the "MPF Scheme") are recognised as an expense when employees have rendered service entitling them to the contributions.

### Short-term employee benefits

A liability is recognized for benefits accruing to employees in respect of wages and salaries, annual leave and sick leave in the period the related service is rendered at the undiscounted amount of the benefits expected to be paid in exchange for that service.

Liabilities recognised in respect of short-term employee benefits are measured at the undiscounted amount of the benefits expected to be paid in exchange for the related service.



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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Taxation

Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from loss before tax as reported in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Group's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax base used in the computation of taxable profit. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are generally recognised for all deductible temporary difference to the extent that is probable that taxable profit will be available against which those deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit nor the accounting profit.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, except where the Group is able to control the reversal of the temporary difference and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax assets arising from deductible temporary differences associated with such investments and interests are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that there will be sufficient taxable profits against which to utilise the benefits of the temporary differences and they are expected to reverse in the foreseeable future.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax liabilities and assets are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which liability is settled or the asset is realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Group expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities. Current and deferred tax is recognised in profit or loss, except when they relate to items that are recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case the deferred tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

Current and deferred tax are recognised in profit or loss.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated in the consolidated statement of financial position at cost less subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Depreciation of these assets, other than certain mining structures depreciated using the UOP method, is recognised so as to write off the cost of items of property, plant and equipment less their residual values over their estimated useful lives, using the straight-line method. The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method are reviewed at the end of each reporting period, with the effect of any changes in estimate accounted for on a prospective basis.

Certain mining structures are stated at cost less subsequent accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Depreciation is provided to write off the cost of certain mining structures using the UOP method over the total proven mineral reserves of the mines.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected to arise from the continued use of the asset. Any gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying value of the asset and is recognised in profit or loss in the period in which the item is derecognised.

### Intangible assets

#### Mining right and reserves

Mining right and reserves are stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and any impairment losses. Mining right and reserves include the cost of acquiring mining licences and exploration and evaluation costs transferred from exploration rights upon determination that an exploration property is capable of commercial production, and the cost of acquiring interests in the mining reserves of existing mining properties. The mining right and reserves are amortised over the estimated useful lives, in accordance with the production plans of the entities concerned and the proven and probable mineral reserves of the mines using the UOP method. Mining right and reserves are written off to the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income if the mining property is abandoned.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Intangible assets (Continued)

#### Exploration rights

Exploration rights are stated at cost less impairment losses. Exploration rights include the cost of acquiring exploration rights, topographical and geological surveys, exploratory drilling, sampling and trenching and activities in relation to commercial and technical feasibility studies.

Exploration and evaluation costs include expenditure incurred to secure further mineralisation in existing ore bodies as well as in new areas of interest. Expenditure incurred prior to accruing legal rights to explore an area is written off as incurred.

When it can be reasonably ascertained that an exploration property is capable of commercial production, exploration and evaluation costs capitalised are transferred to either mining infrastructure or mining right and reserves and depreciated/amortised by the UOP method based on the proven and probable mineral reserves. Costs incurred for exploration which can be directly attributable to the development of mining infrastructure are transferred to mining infrastructure when the exploration reaches the stage of commercial production. All other costs will be transferred to mining right and reserves. Exploration rights are written off to the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income if the exploration property is abandoned.

#### Technical knowhow

Technical knowhow is stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses. Amortisation for technical knowhow with finite useful life is recognised on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life. The estimated useful life and amortisation method are reviewed at the end of each reporting period, with the effect of any changes in estimate being accounted for on a prospective basis.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and short-term deposit in the consolidated statement of financial position comprise cash at banks and on hand and short-term deposits with a maturity of three months or less.

For the purpose of the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and short term deposits, as defined above.

#### Investments in subsidiaries

Investments in subsidiaries are stated on the statement of financial position of the Company at cost less accumulated impairment loss.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position when a group entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

### Financial assets

The Group's financial assets are classified into available-for-sale financial assets, financial asset at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL") and loans and receivables. The classification depends on the nature and purpose of the financial assets and is determined at the time of initial recognition. All regular way purchases or sales of financial assets are recognised and derecognised on a trade date basis. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the time frame established by regulation or convention in the marketplace.

### Effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a debt instrument and of allocating interest income over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the debt instrument, or, where appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying value on initial recognition.

Interest income is recognised on an effective interest basis for debt instruments.

### Financial assets at FVTPL

Financial assets at FVTPL are financial assets held for trading.

A financial asset is classified as held for trading if:

- it has been acquired principally for the purpose of selling in the near term; or
- it is a part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that the Group manages together and has a recent actual pattern of short-term profit-taking; or
- it is a derivative that is not designated and effective as a hedging instrument.

Financial assets at FVTPL are measured at fair value, with changes in fair value arising from remeasurement recognised directly in profit or loss in the period in which they arise. The net gain or loss recognised in profit or loss excludes any dividend or interest earned on the financial assets and is included in other income in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. Fair value is determined in the manner described in note 6.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Financial instruments (Continued)

#### Financial assets (Continued)

##### Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. Subsequent to initial recognition, loans and receivables (including trade receivables, loan and interest receivables, other receivables, deposits and bank balances and cash) are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any identified impairment losses (see accounting policy on impairment of financial assets below).

##### Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivatives that are either designated as available-for-sale or are not classified as financial assets at FVTPL, loans and receivables or held-to-maturity investments.

Available-for-sale equity investments that do not have a quoted market price in an active market and whose fair value cannot be reliably measured are measured at cost less any identified impairment losses at the end of the reporting period (see accounting policy on impairment of financial assets below).

##### Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets, other than those at FVTPL, are assessed for indicators of impairment at the end of each reporting period. Financial assets are considered to be impaired where there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of financial asset, the estimated future cash flows of the financial assets have been affected.

For an available-for-sale equity investment, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of that investment below its cost is considered to be objective evidence of impairment.

For other financial assets, objective evidence of impairment could include:

- significant financial difficulty of the issuer or counterparty; or
- breach of contract, such as default or delinquency in interest and principal payments; or
- it becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or financial re-organisation; or
- disappearance of an active market for that financial asset because of financial difficulties.

For certain categories of financial asset, such as trade receivables, loan and interest receivables, other receivables and assets that are assessed not to be impaired individually are, in addition, assessed for impairment on a collective basis. Objective evidence of impairment for a portfolio of receivables could include the Group's past experience of collecting payments, an increase in the number of delayed payments in the portfolio past due and observable changes in national or local economic conditions that correlate with default on receivables.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Financial instruments (Continued)

#### Financial assets (Continued)

##### Impairment of financial assets (Continued)

For financial assets carried at amortised cost, the amount of the impairment loss recognised is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate.

For financial assets carried at cost, the amount of the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the current market rate of return for a similar financial asset. Such impairment loss will not be reversed in subsequent periods.

The carrying amount of the financial asset is reduced by the impairment loss directly for all financial assets with the exception of trade receivables, loan and interest receivables and other receivables where the carrying amount is reduced through the use of an allowance account. Changes in the carrying amount of the allowance account are recognised in profit or loss. When a trade receivable, loan and interest receivable or other receivable is considered uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited to profit or loss.

For financial assets measured at amortised cost, if, in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment losses decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss to the extent that the carrying amount of the asset at the date the impairment is reversed does not exceed what the amortised cost would have been had the impairment not been recognised.

#### Financial liabilities and equity instruments

Debt and equity instruments issued by a group entity are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangements and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

##### Equity instruments

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by a group entity are recorded at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

##### Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities including trade and other payables, bank borrowing, amounts due to non-controlling shareholders of subsidiaries and bonds, are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest method.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Financial instruments (Continued)

#### Financial liabilities and equity instruments (Continued)

##### Effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial liability and of allocating interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial liability, or, where appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying value on initial recognition.

Interest expense is recognised on an effective interest basis.

##### Convertible bonds

Convertible bonds issued by the Company that contain the liability, conversion option and early redemption option components are classified separately into respective items on initial recognition in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangements and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument. Conversion option that will be settled by the exchange of a fixed amount of cash or another financial asset for a fixed number of the Company's own equity instruments is classified as an equity instrument.

On initial recognition, the fair value of the liability component is determined using the prevailing market interest of similar non-convertible bonds. At the date of issue, both the liability and early redemption option components are measured at fair value. The difference between the gross proceeds of the issue of the convertible bonds and the aggregate of the fair values assigned to the liability component and the early redemption option component respectively, representing the conversion option for the holder to convert the convertible bonds into equity, is included in equity (convertible bonds equity reserve).

In subsequent periods, the liability component of the convertible bonds is carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The early redemption option component of the convertible bonds is measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss.

The equity component, representing the option to convert the liability component into ordinary shares of the Company, will remain in convertible bonds equity reserve until the conversion option are exercised (in which case the balance stated in convertible bonds equity reserve will be transferred to accumulated losses). When the conversion option remains unexercised at the expiry date, the balance stated in convertible bonds equity reserve will be released to the accumulated losses. No gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss upon conversion or expiration of the conversion option.

Transaction costs that relate to the issue of convertible bonds are allocated to the liability, equity components and early redemption option components in proportion to the allocation of the gross proceeds. Transaction costs relating to the equity components are charged directly to equity. Transaction costs relating to the liability component are included in the carrying amount of the liability portion and amortised over the period of the convertible bonds using the effective interest method. Transaction costs related to the early redemption option component are recognised immediately in profit or loss.



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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Financial instruments (Continued)

#### Derivative financial instruments

Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value at the date when a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently measured to their fair value at the end of the reporting period. The resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately.

#### Embedded derivatives

Derivatives embedded in non-derivative host contracts are treated as separate derivatives when they meet the definition of a derivative, their risks and characteristics are not closely related to those of the host contracts and the host contracts are not measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss.

#### Derecognition

The financial asset is derecognised only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity. If the Group neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Group recognises its retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Group retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Group continues to recognise the financial asset and also recognises a collateralised borrowing for the proceeds received.

On derecognition of a financial asset in its entirety, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable and the cumulative gain or loss that had been recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity is recognised in profit or loss.

A financial liability is derecognised when, and only when, the Group's obligations are discharged, cancelled or expire. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid and payable is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Provision for reinstatement costs

Provision for reinstatement costs are recognised when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of past event, it is probable that the Group will be required to settle that obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made on the amount of the obligation.

Provisions are measured at the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the end of the reporting period, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Impairment losses on tangible and intangible assets

At the end of the reporting period, the Group reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible and intangible assets with finite useful lives to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss, if any. When it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Group estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. When a reasonable and consistent basis of allocation can be identified, corporate assets are also allocated to individual cash-generating units, or otherwise they are allocated to the smallest group of cash-generating units for which a reasonable and consistent allocation basis can be identified.

Recoverable amount is the higher of 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 for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or a cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or the cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or a cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or the cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised as income immediately in profit or loss.

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## 4. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

In the application of the Group's accounting policies, which are described in note 3, the directors of the Company are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets, liabilities, revenue and expenses reported and disclosures made in the consolidated financial statements that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. 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.

The following are the key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

### **Depreciation and estimated useful life of property, plant and equipment**

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a systematic basis over their estimated useful lives, after taking into account their estimated residual value. The Group assesses annually the residual value and the estimated useful life of the property, plant and equipment. If the expectation differs from the original estimates, such differences from the original estimates will affect the depreciation charges in the year in which the estimates change. The carrying amount of the Group's property, plant and equipment as at 31 March 2017 was HK\$4,594,205 (2016: HK\$63,531,515).

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## 4. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (CONTINUED)

### Impairment of mining right and reserves and property, plant and equipment

The carrying amounts of mining right and reserves and property, plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. The recoverable amount of these assets, or, where appropriate, the cash-generating unit to which they belong, is the higher of their fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. Estimating the value in use requires the Group to estimate the expected future cash flows from the cash-generating units and to choose a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present value of those cash flows. The carrying amounts of mining right and reserves and property, plant and equipment as at 31 March 2017 was nil (2016: HK\$302,929,294) and HK\$4,594,205 (2016: HK\$63,531,515) respectively. No impairment loss has been recognised as at 31 March 2017 and 2016.

### Mining reserves

Engineering estimates of the Group's mining reserves are inherently imprecise and represent only approximate amounts because of the subjective judgements involved in developing such information. There are authoritative guidelines regarding the engineering criteria that have to be met before estimated mining reserves can be designated as "proven" and "probable". Proven and probable mining reserves estimates are updated on regular intervals taking into account recent production and technical information about each mine. In order to calculate reserves, estimates and assumptions are required about a range of geological, technical and economic factors, including quantities, grades, production techniques, recovery rates, production costs, transport costs, commodity demand and commodity prices. In addition, as prices and cost levels change from year to year, the estimate of proven and probable mining reserves also changes. This change is considered a change in estimate for accounting purposes and is reflected on a prospective basis in related amortisation rates and impairment of mining right.

Despite the inherent imprecision in these engineering estimates, these estimates are used in determining amortisation expenses and impairment losses. The capitalised cost of mining right is amortised over the estimated useful lives. The useful lives are reviewed annually in accordance with the production plans of the Group and the proven and probable reserves of the mines. The carrying amount of the mining reserves as at 31 March 2017 was nil (2016: HK\$302,929,294).

### Impairment of exploration rights

The carrying amounts of exploration rights are assessed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amounts may not be recoverable. Such assessment is made with reference to the likelihood of such rights not being renewed on expiry, the likelihood that commercially viable quantities of mineral resources are not discovered and the likelihood that the carrying amounts cannot be recovered through further development or sales. The carrying amount of the Group's exploration rights as at 31 March 2017 was HK\$nil (2016: HK\$2,151,491). No impairment loss has been recognised as at 31 March 2017 and 2016.

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## 4. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (CONTINUED)

### Provision for reinstatement costs

Provision for reinstatement costs is estimated and reassessed at the end of each reporting period with reference to the latest available quotation from independent contractors. Estimation based on current market information may vary over time and could differ from the actual reinstatement cost upon full extraction of the mining reserves by the Group. The carrying amount of the Group's provision for reinstatement costs as at 31 March 2017 was nil (2016: HK\$757,323).

### Estimated impairment loss on trade receivables, loan and interest receivables and other receivables

The Group makes impairment loss based on an assessment of the recoverability of trade receivables, loan and interest receivables and other receivables. Allowances are applied to trade receivables, loan and interest receivables and other receivables where events or change in circumstances indicate that the balances may not be collectible. The identification of doubtful debts requires the use of judgement and estimates. In determining whether impairment loss on receivables is required, the Group takes into consideration the current creditworthiness, the past collection history, age status and likelihood of collection. Specific allowance is only made for receivables that are unlikely to be collected and is recognised on the difference between the estimated future cash flow expected to receive discounted using the original effective interest rate and its carrying amount. If the financial conditions of customers or debtors of the Group were to deteriorate, resulting in an impairment of their ability to make payments, additional allowance may be required. The carrying amounts of the Group's trade receivables, loan and interest receivables and other receivables were HK\$10,391,604 (2016: HK\$1,931,763), HK\$231,903,888 (2016: HK\$122,469,877) and HK\$99,586,992 (2016: HK\$34,556,312) respectively. No allowance for impairment loss has been recognised for the year ended 31 March 2017 and 2016.

### Fair value of derivative financial instruments

As described in note 6(c), the directors of the Company use their judgements in selecting an appropriate valuation technique for financial instruments not quoted in an active market. Valuation techniques commonly used by market practitioners are applied. For derivative financial instruments, assumptions are made based on quoted market rates adjusted for specific features of the instrument. If the inputs and estimates applied in the model are different, the carrying amount of these derivatives may change. The carrying amount of the derivative financial assets as at 31 March 2017 was nil (2016: HK\$3,779,263). Details of the assumptions used are disclosed in note 6(c). The directors of the Company believe that the chosen valuation techniques and assumptions are appropriate in determining the fair value of derivative financial instruments.

### Income taxes

As at 31 March 2017, no deferred tax asset has been recognised in respect of tax losses amounting to HK\$103,885,361 (2016: HK\$176,868,911) due to the unpredictability of future profits streams. The realisability of deferred tax asset mainly depends on whether sufficient future profits or taxable temporary differences will be available in the future. In cases where it is expected to have sufficient taxable profits against which to utilise the benefits of the temporary differences in the foreseeable future, certain amount of deferred tax asset may arise, which would be recognised in profit or loss for the period.

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## 5. CAPITAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Group's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern while maximising the return to shareholders and benefit to other stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital. The Group's overall strategy remains unchanged from prior year.

The capital structure of the Group consists of net debt, which includes amounts due to non-controlling shareholders of subsidiaries, convertible bonds and bonds, net of bank balances and cash and equity attributable to owners of the Company, comprising issued share capital and reserves.

The Group structures its capital with due consideration to risk. The Group manages and adjusts its capital structure in the light of the changes in economic conditions and risk characteristics of the underlying assets. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may repurchase shares of the Company, issue new shares, or increase or reduce borrowings.

The Group is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

## 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

### (a) Categories of financial instruments

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Financial assets</b>		
Financial asset at FVTPL:		
Derivative component of convertible bonds	–	3,779,263
Loans and receivables (including bank balances and cash)	425,032,524	210,995,912
	425,032,524	214,775,175
<b>Financial liabilities</b>		
Financial liabilities at amortised cost	100,856,512	84,163,399

### (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Group's major financial instruments include trade receivables, loan and interest receivables, other receivables and deposits, bank balances and cash, trade and other payables, amounts due to non-controlling shareholders of subsidiaries, convertible bonds and bonds. Details of the financial instruments are disclosed in respective notes.

The Group's investment policy is to prudently invest all funds of the Group in a manner which will satisfy liquidity requirements, safeguard financial assets, and manage risks while optimising return on investments.

The risks associated with these financial instruments include market risk (currency risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The policies on how to mitigate these risks are set out below. The management manages and monitors these risks to ensure appropriate measures are implemented on a timely and effective manner.

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## 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

### (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies (Continued)

#### Market risk

##### (i) Currency risk

All sales and purchases of the Group are denominated in the functional currency of the respective entities making the sales and purchases. Accordingly, the directors of the Company considered that the Group is not exposed to material transactional foreign currency risk. The Group currently does not have a foreign currency hedging policy. The Group will monitor foreign exchange exposure and consider hedging significant foreign currency exposure should the need arise.

The carrying amount of the Group's significant monetary asset (bank balances and cash) that is denominated in currency other than the functional currency of the respective entities holding the asset at the end of the reporting period is as follows:

	Assets	
	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
HK\$	8,794	5,053,607
Renminbi ("RMB")	200	1,281,846

#### Sensitivity analysis

The Group is mainly exposed to the currency of HK\$ and RMB.

The following table details the Group's sensitivity of 5% (2016: 5%) increase and decrease in functional currencies of the respective entities against the relevant foreign currencies. 5% (2016: 5%) is the sensitivity rate used when reporting foreign currency risk internally to key management personnel and represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible change in foreign exchange rates. The sensitivity analysis includes only outstanding foreign currency denominated in monetary items, and adjusts their translation at the end of the reporting period for a 5% (2016: 5%) change in foreign currency rates. A positive/negative number below indicates an increase/decrease in post-tax loss and other equity where functional currencies of the respective entities strengthen/weakening 5% (2016: 5%) against the relevant currency.

	HK\$ impact		RMB impact	
	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Post-tax loss and other equity	330	192,173	8	64,091



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## 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

### (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies (Continued)

#### Market risk (Continued)

##### (ii) Interest rate risk

The Group is exposed to fair value interest rate risk in relation to the loan and interest receivables (see note 21), bonds (see note 27) and convertible bonds (see note 28). The Group currently does not have any interest rate hedging policy. However, the management monitors interest rate exposure and will consider other necessary actions when significant interest rate exposure is anticipated.

The Group is also exposed to the cash flow interest rate risk in relation to variable-rate bank balances (see note 23 for details). The Group's exposure to interest rate risk is minimal as the bank balances have a short maturity period.

#### *Sensitivity analysis*

Management of the Group considers the interest rate risk for variable-rate bank balances are insignificant for the years ended 31 March 2017 and 2016. Hence, no sensitivity analysis is presented.

#### **Credit risk**

As at 31 March 2017, the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk which will cause a financial loss to the Group due to failure to discharge an obligation by the counterparties is arising from the carrying amount of the respective recognised financial assets as stated in the consolidated statement of financial position.

In order to minimise the credit risk arising from money lending business, the management of the Group has delegated a team responsible for the determination of credit limits, credit approvals and other monitoring procedures to ensure that follow-up action is taken to recover overdue debts. The team monitors customers' repayment ability, requests the customers to provide collaterals and reviews the fair value of the collaterals. In addition, the Group reviews the recoverable amount of each individual debt at the end of the reporting period to ensure that adequate impairment losses are made for irrecoverable amounts. In this regard, the directors of the Company consider that the Group's credit risk is significantly reduced.

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## 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

### (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies (Continued)

#### Credit risk (Continued)

The Group's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer. Therefore, significant concentrations of credit risk primarily arise when the Group has significant exposure to individual customers. 30% (2016: 20%) of the total loan and interest receivables as at 31 March 2017 was due from the largest borrower from the money lending segment and 61% (2016: 84%) of the total loan and interest receivables as at 31 March 2017 was due from the five largest borrowers from the money lending segment.

With respect of credit risk arising from trade and other receivables, the Group's exposure to credit risk arising from default of the counterparties is limited as the counterparties have good history of repayment. In addition, the Group reviews the recoverable amount of each individual receivable balance at the end of each reporting period to ensure that adequate impairment losses are made for irrecoverable amounts. In this regard, the directors of the Company consider that the Group's credit risk is significantly reduced.

The credit risk on liquid funds is limited because the counterparties are banks with high credit ratings assigned by international credit-rating agencies.

The Group has concentration of credit risk as 82% (2016: 36%) and 100% (2016: 68%) of the total trade receivables was due from the Group's largest customer and the five largest customers respectively at 31 March 2017.

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## 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

### (b) Financial risk management objectives and policies (Continued)

#### Liquidity risk

In the management of the liquidity risk, the Group monitors and maintains a level of bank balances and cash deemed adequate by the management to finance the Group's operations and mitigate the effects of fluctuations in cash flows.

The following table details the Group's remaining contractual maturity for its non-derivative financial liabilities. The table has been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the Group can be required to pay. The maturity dates for other non-derivative financial liabilities are based on the agreed repayment dates. The table includes both interest and principal cash flows.

	On demand or less than one year HK\$	One to five years HK\$	Total undiscounted cash flows HK\$	Carrying a mount HK\$
<b>As at 31 March 2017</b>				
Non-derivative financial liabilities:				
Trade and other payables	29,651,861	–	29,651,861	29,651,861
Amount due to non-controlling shareholder of a subsidiary	4,375,651	–	4,375,651	4,375,651
Bonds (note)	59,715,750	–	59,715,750	66,829,000
	<b>93,743,262</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>93,743,262</b>	<b>100,856,512</b>
<b>As at 31 March 2016</b>				
Non-derivative financial liabilities:				
Trade and other payables	8,452,202	–	8,452,202	8,452,202
Amount due to non-controlling shareholder of a subsidiary	4,375,651	–	4,375,651	4,375,651
Bonds	3,850,000	59,715,750	63,565,750	66,029,000
Convertible bonds	240,000	6,240,000	6,480,000	5,306,546
	<b>16,917,853</b>	<b>65,955,750</b>	<b>82,873,603</b>	<b>84,163,399</b>

Note: At 31 March 2017, the aggregate undiscounted principal amount of the bonds amounted to HK\$70,000,000 (2016: HK\$70,000,000). The repayment obligations of the Company under the instruments of the Bonds is guaranteed by Jun Qiao. Under the terms of the subscription agreements in relation to the Bonds, to the extent which is legally permissible, the Company and Jun Qiao undertook to continue to maintain its interests in all the mining assets held by Jun Qiao Group, including mining structure and plant and equipment, prepaid lease payment, mining right and reserves and exploration right, and prepayments for exploration and evaluation activities (the "Mining Assets") and not to dispose of, transfer or sell any of the Mining Assets until the maturity of the Bonds, unless the consent of the majority of the bondholders is obtained. The directors of the Company considered that the Group does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of the Bonds for at least 12 months after the reporting period and hence classified the Bonds as current liabilities.

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## 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

### (c) Fair value

The following table provides an analysis of financial instruments that are measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period for recurring and non-recurring measurement, grouped into Levels 1 to 3 based on the degree to which the fair value is observable in accordance to the Group's accounting policy.

	31 March 2016			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
Financial assets at FVTPL				
Derivative component of convertible bonds	–	–	3,779,263	3,779,263

The fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities carried at amortised costs have been determined in accordance with generally accepted pricing models based on a discounted cash flow analysis.

The directors of the Company consider that the carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities recorded at amortised cost in the consolidated financial instruments approximate their fair values.

There were no transfers between levels of fair value hierarchy in the current and prior years.

### Fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis

The valuation techniques and inputs used in the fair value measurements of each financial instrument on a recurring basis are set out below:

Financial instruments	Fair value hierarchy	Fair value as at 31 March 2016	Valuation technique and key observable inputs	Significant unobservable inputs	Range	Relationship of key inputs and significant unobservable inputs to fair value
Derivative component of convertible bonds	Level 3	HK\$3,779,263	Binomial option pricing model: by reference to the risk-free rate of 0.64% and effective interest rate of 9.50%	Volatility	106%-108%	The higher the volatility, the lower of the fair value of derivative component of convertible bonds

Reconciliation of Level 3 fair value measurements of derivative components of convertible bonds is set out in note 28.

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## 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

### (c) Fair value (Continued)

#### Valuation process

The derivative component of convertible bonds is measured at fair value for financial reporting purpose. The appropriate valuation techniques and inputs for fair value measurements are determined by the directors of the Company and the independent qualified professional valuer.

In estimating the fair value of derivative component of convertible bonds, the Group uses market-observable data to the extent it is available. Where Level 1 inputs are not available, the Group engages independent qualified professional valuer to perform the valuation. The directors of the Company work closely with the independent qualified professional valuer to establish the appropriate valuation techniques and inputs to the model. The directors of the Company will review the cause of fluctuations in fair value of the derivative component of the convertible bonds in semi-annual basis.

## 7. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION

Information reported to the directors of the Company, being the chief operating decision maker ("CODM"), for the purpose of resources allocation and assessment of segment performance focus on types of goods or services delivered or provided. The directors of the Company have chosen to organise the Group around differences in products and services. No operating segments identified by the CODM have been aggregated in arriving at the reporting segments of the Group.

Specifically, the Group's reporting and operating segments under HKFRS 8 are as follows:

- (i) Mining operations segment engages in sale of mineral products and leasing of mining right, exploration rights and related assets;
- (ii) Money lending segment engages in the provision of financing services; and
- (iii) Trading segment engages in the trading of goods and commodities.

The operations (the financial quotation services and encryption technology and products) were discontinued in the current and last year. The segment information reported on the next pages does not include any amounts for these discontinued operations, which are described in more detail in note 14.

As disclosed in note 3 to the consolidated financial statements, due to obstructions faced by the Company in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries, the Company regards that it has lost control over De-consolidated Subsidiaries. Given that it was impracticable for the directors of the Company to ascertain the segment information on mining operations, no representation is therefore made by the directors of the Company as to the completeness, existence and accuracy of the segment information on mining operations of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2017 as of the date of approval of the consolidated financial statements.

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## 7. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

### Segment revenues and results

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue and results from continuing operations by reportable and operating segments:

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#### Continuing operations

	Mining operations HK\$	Money lending HK\$	Trading HK\$	Total HK\$
Revenue	–	25,607,494	273,651,879	299,259,373
Segment profit/(loss)	–	23,743,941	(843,033)	22,900,908
Unallocated corporate income and gain				144,440
Fair value loss on derivative component of convertible bonds				(201,806)
Loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries	(115,847,836)			(115,847,836)
Impairment of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries	(71,145,551)			(71,145,551)
Unallocated corporate expenses				(19,766,925)
Finance cost				(4,654,889)
Loss before tax				(188,571,659)

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#### Continuing operations

	Mining operations HK\$	Money lending HK\$	Trading HK\$	Total HK\$ (restated)
Revenue	6,775,040	9,059,877	100,538,709	116,373,626
Segment (loss)/profit	(2,305,536)	8,098,597	(215,979)	5,577,082
Unallocated corporate income and gain				34,966
Fair value gain on derivative component of convertible bonds				558,546
Realised gain on held for trading investment				12,992
Gain on disposal of a subsidiary				215,058
Unallocated corporate expenses				(25,195,072)
Finance costs				(4,796,721)
Loss before tax				(23,593,149)

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## 7. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

### Segment revenues and results (Continued)

Segment revenue reported above represents revenue generated from external customers. There were no inter-segment sales in current year (2016: nil).

The accounting policies of the operating segments are the same as the Group's accounting policies described in note 3. Segment profit/(loss) represents the profit/(loss) from each segment without allocation of directors' salaries, certain bank interest income included in other income and gain, fair value gain/(loss) on derivative component of convertible bonds, realised gain on held for trading investment, gain on disposal of a subsidiary, loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries, impairment loss of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries, certain general and administrative expenses, and finance costs. This is the measure reported to the CODM for the purposes of resource allocation and performance assessment.

### Segment assets and liabilities

The following is an analysis of the Group's assets and liabilities by reportable and operating segments:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Segment assets</b>		
<b>Continuing operations</b>		
Mining operations	–	376,017,582
Money lending	235,708,888	132,066,130
Trading	145,926,521	66,135,677
Unallocated corporate assets	79,302,992	8,356,042
Total segment assets	460,938,401	582,575,431
Assets relating to discontinued operation – financial quotation services	–	21,328,685
Consolidated assets	460,938,401	603,904,116

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Segment liabilities</b>		
<b>Continuing operations</b>		
Mining operations	–	90,902,830
Money lending	2,620,022	930,104
Trading	40,048,122	209,218
Unallocated corporate assets	73,947,859	73,139,849
Total segment assets	116,616,003	165,182,001
Assets relating to discontinued operation – financial quotation services	–	4,774,874
Consolidated liabilities	116,616,003	169,956,875



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## 7. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

### Segment assets and liabilities (Continued)

For the purpose of monitoring segment performance and allocating resources between segments:

- all assets are allocated to reportable and operating segments other than certain property, plant and equipment, certain other receivables, deposits and prepayments, derivative component of convertible bonds and certain bank balances and cash which are managed on a group basis.
- all liabilities are allocated to reportable and operating segments other than certain other payables, bonds and convertible bonds which are managed on a group basis.

In measuring the Group's segment assets and liabilities, tax payable of HK\$nil (2016: HK\$2,139,480) and deferred tax liabilities of HK\$nil (2016: HK\$73,438,582) were allocated to the mining operations segment while tax payable of HK\$1,809,441 (2016: HK\$930,104) and deferred tax asset of HK\$138,112 (2016: HK\$64,157) were allocated to money lending segment. However, the relevant income tax expense of HK\$2,661,092 (2016: HK\$939,944) was not included in the measurement of segment results.

### Other segment information

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#### Continued Operations

	Mining operations HK\$	Money lending HK\$	Trading HK\$	Unallocated HK\$	Total HK\$
Amounts include in the measure of segment results or segment assets:					
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	-	509,920	110,962	439,772	1,060,654
Additions to non-current assets (note)	-	-	26,864	1,988,796	2,015,660
Bank interest income	-	-	(10,840)	-	(10,840)
Amounts regularly provided to the chief operating decision maker but not included in the measure of segment results or segment assets:					
Finance costs	-	-	-	4,654,889	4,654,889
Income tax expenses	-	2,645,590	15,502	-	2,661,092
Loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries	115,847,836	-	-	-	115,847,836
Impairment of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries	71,145,551	-	-	-	71,145,551

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## 7. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

### Other segment information (Continued)

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Continued Operations

	Mining operations HK\$	Money lending HK\$	Trading HK\$	Unallocated HK\$	Total HK\$ (restated)
Amounts include in the measure of segment results or segment assets:					
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	2,114,323	503,643	138,168	1,065,352	3,821,486
Amortisation of prepaid lease payment	106,243	–	–	–	106,243
Additions to non-current assets (note)	18,371	835,912	1,529,914	2,024,814	4,409,011
Loss on write-off of property, plant and equipment	–	–	–	2,183,462	2,183,462
Loss on write-off of intangible assets	1,272,489	–	–	–	1,272,489
Loss on write-off of prepayment for exploration and evaluation activities	4,533,640	–	–	–	4,533,640
Bank interest income	–	–	–	(34,966)	(34,966)
Amounts regularly provided to the chief operating decision maker but not included in the measure of segment results or segment assets:					
Realised gain on held for trading investment	–	–	–	(12,992)	(12,992)
Finance costs	–	–	–	4,796,721	4,796,721
Income tax expenses	73,997	865,947	–	–	939,944

### Revenue from major product and services

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue from continuing operations from sales of its major products and provision of services to external customers:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
Revenue from mining operations	–	6,775,040
Revenue from money lending	25,607,494	9,059,877
Revenue from trading of goods	273,651,879	100,538,709
	<b>299,259,373</b>	116,373,626

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## 7. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

### Geographical information

The Group's operations are located in Hong Kong and the People's Republic of China (the "PRC").

Information about the Group's revenue from continuing operations from external customers is presented based on the location of operations. Information about the Group's non-current assets, excluding those related to discontinued operation, financial instruments and deferred tax asset, is presented based on the geographical location of the assets.

	Hong Kong		PRC (excluding Hong Kong)		Total	
	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>For the year ended 31 March</b>						
Segment revenue	25,607,494	9,059,877	273,651,879	107,313,749	299,259,373	116,373,626
<b>At 31 March</b>						
Non-current assets (note)	4,033,753	3,018,008	560,452	374,896,914	4,594,205	377,914,922

Note: Non-current assets excluded available-for-sale investment and deferred tax asset.

### Information about major customers

Revenue from customers of the corresponding year contributing over 10% of the total revenue of the Group are as follows:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Customer A <sup>1</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	20,734,532
Customer B <sup>1</sup>	127,407,835	–
Customer C <sup>1</sup>	48,064,812	–

<sup>1</sup> Revenue from trading

<sup>2</sup> The corresponding revenue did not contribute over 10% of the total revenue of the Group

## 8. OTHER INCOME AND GAIN

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>Continued operations</b>		
Bank interest income	10,840	34,966
Sundry income	144,440	–
	155,280	34,966

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## 9. FINANCE COSTS

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Continued operations</b>		
Effective interest expense on bonds (note 27)	4,650,000	4,650,000
Effective interest expense on convertible bonds (note 28)	4,889	146,721
	<b>4,654,889</b>	4,796,721

## 10. LOSS BEFORE TAX

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>Continued operations</b>		
Amortisation of prepaid lease payment	–	106,243
Auditors' remuneration	1,050,000	1,121,000
Cost of inventories recognised as expense	271,265,726	99,566,131
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,060,654	3,821,486
Exchange loss, net	521,183	353,845
Employee benefit expenses (note 11)	7,799,527	9,754,025
Loss on write-off of property, plant and equipment	–	2,183,462
Minimum lease payment under operating leases in respect of land and buildings	5,042,622	2,965,792

As disclosed in note 3 to the consolidated financial statements, due to the obstructions faced by the Company in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries, the Company regard that it has lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. Given that it was impracticable for the directors of the Company to ascertain the segment information on mining operations, no representation is therefore made by the directors of the Company as to the completeness, occurrence and accuracy of those expenses for the year ended 31 March 2017 as of the date of approval of the consolidated financial statements.

## 11. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT EXPENSES

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
Wages, salaries and other benefits (including directors' remunerations (note (b)))	7,408,525	9,469,189
Retirement benefit costs (including directors' remunerations (note b)) – defined contribution schemes (note (a))	391,002	284,836
	<b>7,799,527</b>	9,754,025

Notes:

(a) No forfeited contribution was available at the end of the reporting period to reduce future contributions (2016: nil).

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## 11. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT EXPENSES (CONTINUED)

### (b) Directors' and chief executive's emoluments

The remunerations paid or payable of each to the 8 (2016: 8) directors, including the chief executive, were as follows:

For the year ended 31 March 2017	Executive directors				Non-executive director	Independent non-executive directors			Total
	Cheung				Fong	Leung	Wong	Jiang	
	Chow Wang*	Wai Shing <sup>3</sup>	Wang Zhaoqing <sup>4</sup>	Chu Ka Wa <sup>4</sup>	For	Ka Kui, Johnny	Chui San, Susan	Zhi	
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
Emoluments paid or receivable in respect of a person's services as a director, whether of the Company or its subsidiary undertaking:									
Fee	-	-	-	-	240,000	240,000	240,000	240,000	960,000
Salaries	1,200,000	1,000,000	510,000	540,000	-	-	-	-	3,250,000
Termination benefits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Contributions to retirement benefits schemes	18,000	15,000	18,000	18,000	-	-	-	-	69,000
Discretionary bonus (note)	100,000	100,000	40,000	40,000	-	-	-	-	280,000
<b>Total emoluments</b>	<b>1,318,000</b>	<b>1,115,000</b>	<b>568,000</b>	<b>598,000</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>4,559,000</b>

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## 11. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT EXPENSES (CONTINUED)

### (b) Directors' and chief executive's emoluments (Continued)

For the year ended 31 March 2016	Executive directors				Non-executive director	Independent non-executive directors			Total
	Cheung				Fong	Leung	Wong	Jiang	
	Chow Wang <sup>1</sup>	Wai Shing <sup>3</sup>	Zhao Baolong <sup>1*</sup>	Xu Jian Zhong <sup>2</sup>	For Johnny	Ka Kui, Chui San, Susan	Zhi	Zhi	
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
Emoluments paid or receivable in respect of a person's services as a director, whether of the Company or its subsidiary undertaking:									
Fee	-	-	119,726	-	240,000	240,000	240,000	240,000	1,079,726
Salaries	1,200,000	1,200,000	-	210,000	-	-	-	-	2,610,000
Termination benefits	-	-	600,000	-	-	-	-	-	600,000
Contributions to retirement benefits schemes	18,000	18,000	-	10,500	-	-	-	-	46,500
Discretionary bonus (note)	100,000	100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	200,000
<b>Total emoluments</b>	<b>1,318,000</b>	<b>1,318,000</b>	<b>719,726</b>	<b>220,500</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>240,000</b>	<b>4,536,226</b>

\* Mr. Zhao Baolong was the chief executive of the Company up to 23 April 2015 and Mr. Chow Wang became the chief executive of the Company thereafter and their emoluments disclosed above include those services rendered by them as the chief executive.

<sup>1</sup> Resigned on 23 April 2015

<sup>2</sup> Resigned on 31 October 2015

<sup>3</sup> Resigned on 24 January 2017

<sup>4</sup> Appointed on 23 January 2017

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## 11. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT EXPENSES (CONTINUED)

### (b) Directors' and chief executive's emoluments (Continued)

There were no emoluments paid by the Group to any directors or the chief executive of the Group as compensation for loss of office for the years ended 31 March 2017 (2016: HK\$600,000 paid to Mr. Zhao Baolong).

No emoluments were paid by the Group to any directors or the chief executive of the Group as an inducement to join or upon joining the Group for the years ended 31 March 2017 and 2016.

No director or the chief executive waived or agreed to waive his emoluments during the two years ended 31 March 2017 and 2016.

Note: Discretionary bonus was determined with reference to the Group's operating results, individual performance and comparable market statistics.

### (c) Five highest paid individuals

Of the five individuals with the highest emoluments in the Group, four (2016: three) were directors and the chief executive of the Company whose emoluments are disclosed in (b) above. The emoluments of the remaining one (2016: two) individuals were as follows:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Wages, salaries and other benefits	511,000	1,612,237
Employers' contribution to retirement schemes	18,000	36,000
	<b>529,000</b>	1,648,237

The emoluments were within the following band:

	2017	2016
Nil – HK\$1,000,000	1	2

## 12. DIVIDEND

No dividend was paid or proposed during the year ended 31 March 2017, nor has any dividend been proposed since the end of the reporting period (2016: nil).



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## 13. INCOME TAX EXPENSES

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Continued operations</b>		
Current tax:		
– Hong Kong Profits tax	2,735,047	930,104
Deferred tax (note 29)	(73,955)	9,840
	<b>2,661,092</b>	939,944

Hong Kong Profits Tax is calculated at 16.5% of the estimated assessable profit for the year ended 31 March 2017 and 2016.

Under the law of the PRC on Enterprise Income Tax (the “EIT Law”) and Implementation Regulation of the EIT Law, the tax rate of the subsidiaries registered in the PRC is 25% from 1 January 2008 onwards.

The income tax expense for the year can be reconciled to the loss before tax per the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income as follows:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$ (restated)
<b>Continued operations</b>		
Loss before tax	(188,571,659)	(23,593,149)
Calculated at the rates applicable to loss in the tax jurisdiction concerned	(30,732,730)	(3,677,614)
Tax effect of income not taxable for tax purpose	(342,932)	(127,645)
Tax effect of expenses not deductible for tax purpose	33,510,494	4,545,937
Utilisation of tax losses previously not recognised	–	(470,322)
Tax effect of tax losses not recognised	226,260	669,588
Income tax expenses	<b>2,661,092</b>	939,944

Details of deferred tax are set out in note 29.

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## 14. DISCONTINUED OPERATION

### (i) Choudary Limited and its subsidiaries (“Choudary Group”)

At 24 January 2017, the Group entered into a sale and purchase agreement to dispose of its entire equity interests in Choudary Group to an independent third party for a cash consideration of HK\$1,750,000. Choudary Group were engaged in the operation of providing financial quotation services and wireless application development. The disposal was effected in order to reduce the operating loss derived from this segment and generate cash flows for the expansion of the Group’s other business. Following the disposal of Choudary Group, the Group discontinued its operation in providing financial quotation services and wireless application development. The comparative consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and related notes have been re-presented as if the operation discontinued during the year had been discontinued at the beginning of the comparative period.

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Loss for the period/year	(2,424,517)	(5,449,082)
Loss on disposal of subsidiaries (note 32(i))	(5,427,652)	–
Loss for the period/year from discontinued operation	(7,852,169)	(5,449,082)

The results of the financial quotation services segment for the period from 1 April 2016 to 24 January 2017, which have been included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income were as follows:

	Period from 1 April 2016 to 24 January 2017 HK\$	Year ended 31 March 2016 HK\$
Revenue	18,453,176	30,526,327
Cost of sales	(11,260,905)	(20,986,429)
Other income	68,460	408,738
Selling and distribution expenses	(1,151,873)	(1,599,076)
Administrative expenses	(8,533,375)	(13,798,642)
Loss before tax	(2,424,517)	(5,449,082)
Income tax	–	–
Loss for the period/year	(2,424,517)	(5,449,082)
Loss for the period/year from discontinued operation attributable to:		
– owner of the Company	(1,236,504)	(2,779,032)
– non-controlling interests	(1,188,013)	(2,670,050)
	(2,424,517)	(5,449,082)

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## 14. DISCONTINUED OPERATION (CONTINUED)

### (i) Choudary Limited and its subsidiaries (“Choudary Group”) (Continued)

Loss for the period from discontinued operation included the following:

	Period from 1 April 2016 to 24 January 2017 HK\$	Year ended 31 March 2016 HK\$
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	169,544	225,997
Wages and salaries	7,368,393	11,174,744
Defined contribution scheme	30,152	434,453

During the period from 1 April 2016 to 24 January 2017, the Choudary Group recorded net cash outflows from operating activities of HK\$2,710,678 (year ended 31 March 2016: HK\$3,150,155) and net cash outflows from investing activities of HK\$19,648 (year ended 31 March 2016: net cash inflows from investing activities of HK\$239,223) respectively. The carrying amounts of the assets and liabilities of Choudary Group at the date of disposal are disclosed in note 32(i).

### (ii) POMP and its subsidiaries (“POMP Group”)

On 24 March 2016, the Company entered into a sale and purchase agreement with an independent third party to dispose of its 60% equity interest in POMP for a cash consideration of HK\$4,000,000. POMP Group were engaged in the operation of encryption technology products development. The disposal was effected in order to reduce the operating loss derived from this segment and generate cash flows for the expansion of the Group’s other business. The disposal was completed on 24 March 2016, the date control of POMP was passed to the acquirer. Following the disposal of POMP, the Group discontinued its operation in encryption technology and products development business.

	2016 HK\$
Loss for the period	(12,741,456)
Gain on disposal of subsidiaries (note 32(ii))	356,697
Loss for the period from discontinued operation	(12,384,759)

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## 14. DISCONTINUED OPERATION (CONTINUED)

### (ii) POMP and its subsidiaries (“POMP Group”) (Continued)

The results of the encryption technology and products development segment for the period from 1 April 2015 to 24 March 2016, which have been included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, were as follows:

	Period from 1 April 2015 to 24 March 2016 HK\$
Revenue	–
Amortisation of intangible asset	(8,939,466)
Impairment loss of intangible asset	(2,487,054)
Administrative expenses	(83,784)
Finance costs	(1,231,152)
Loss before tax	(12,741,456)
Income tax	–
Loss for the period	(12,741,456)
Loss for the period from discontinued operation attributable to:	
– owner of the Company	(7,644,874)
– non-controlling interests	(5,096,582)
	(12,741,456)

Loss for the period from discontinued operation included the following:

	Period from 1 April 2015 to 24 March 2016 HK\$
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	83,784
Wages and salaries	–
Defined contribution scheme	–

During the period from 1 April 2015 to 24 March 2016, the POMP Group recorded net cash outflows from operating activities of HK\$36,073. The carrying amounts of the assets and liabilities of POMP and its subsidiaries at the date of disposal are disclosed in note 32(ii).

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## 15. LOSS PER SHARE

### For continuing and discontinued operations

The calculation of basic and diluted loss per share attributable to owners of the Company is based on the following data:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Loss for the year attributable to owners of the Company for the purpose of basic and diluted loss per share	(197,882,191)	(33,537,607)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of basic and diluted loss per share	3,278,272,384	2,318,309,510

The weighted average number of shares used in the calculation of basic and diluted loss per share for the year ended 31 March 2016 has been adjusted and restated for the shares issued under rights issue which took place on 5 January 2017.

The computation of diluted loss per share does not assume the conversion of the Company's outstanding convertible bonds since their exercise would result in a decrease in loss per share from continuing and discontinued operations for the year ended 31 March 2016. The convertible bonds was converted during the year ended 31 March 2017.

### For continuing operations

The calculation of basic and diluted loss per share from the continuing operations attributable to owners of the Company is based on the following data:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Loss for the year attributable to owners of the Company	(197,882,191)	(33,537,607)
Less: Loss for the year from discontinued operation	6,664,156	10,067,209
Loss for the purpose of basic and diluted loss per share from continuing operations	(191,218,035)	(23,470,398)

The denominators used are the same as those detailed above for both basic and diluted loss per share.

### For discontinued operations

For the year ended 31 March 2017, basic and diluted loss per share for the discontinued operation is 0.21 HK cents, based on the loss for the year from the discontinued operation of HK6,664,156 and the denominators detailed above for both basic and diluted loss per share.

For the year ended 31 March 2016, basic and diluted loss per share for the discontinued operation is 0.44 HK cents, based on the loss for the year from the discontinued operation of HK\$10,067,209 and the denominators detailed above for both basic and diluted loss per share.

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## 16. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Motor vehicles HK\$	Mining structure HK\$	Plant and machinery HK\$	Leasehold improvements HK\$	Computer equipment HK\$	Furniture and fixtures HK\$	Total HK\$
<b>COST</b>							
At 1 April 2015	5,060,492	57,364,705	15,014,157	2,069,775	11,774,261	979,783	92,263,173
Addition	2,797,175	-	-	1,455,990	569,819	132,350	4,955,334
Disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	(244,159)	-	-	(345,844)	(94,462)	(208,370)	(892,835)
Write-offs	(4,248,900)	-	-	-	(311,303)	-	(4,560,203)
Exchange realignment	(31,481)	(2,828,491)	(739,142)	(17,954)	(11,399)	(12,926)	(3,641,393)
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	3,333,127	54,536,214	14,275,015	3,161,967	11,926,916	890,837	88,124,076
Addition	1,945,945	-	-	-	42,851	26,864	2,015,660
Disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	-	-	-	(478,605)	(11,807,356)	(460,799)	(12,746,760)
De-consolidation of subsidiaries (note 36)	-	(54,536,214)	(14,275,015)	-	(13,348)	(74,774)	(68,899,351)
Write-offs	-	-	-	-	(52,458)	-	(52,458)
Exchange realignment	(49,613)	-	-	-	-	(1,501)	(51,114)
<b>At 31 March 2017</b>	<b>5,229,459</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,683,362</b>	<b>96,605</b>	<b>380,627</b>	<b>8,390,053</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION</b>							
At 1 April 2015	1,681,002	1,944,817	5,876,759	2,069,775	11,573,920	838,064	23,984,337
Provided for the year	1,222,353	530,027	1,571,764	485,282	247,372	74,469	4,131,267
Disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	(149,983)	-	-	(345,844)	(82,367)	(103,401)	(681,595)
Elimination of write-offs	(2,065,438)	-	-	-	(311,303)	-	(2,376,741)
Exchange realignment	(10,324)	(103,435)	(317,238)	(17,954)	(10,011)	(5,745)	(464,707)
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	677,610	2,371,409	7,131,285	2,191,259	11,417,611	803,387	24,592,561
Provided for the year	555,105	-	-	485,281	168,130	21,682	1,230,198
Disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	-	-	-	(478,605)	(11,482,193)	(460,797)	(12,421,595)
De-consolidation of subsidiaries (note 36)	-	(2,371,409)	(7,131,285)	-	(7,140)	(35,939)	(9,545,773)
Elimination of write-offs	-	-	-	-	(52,458)	-	(52,458)
Exchange realignment	(6,534)	-	-	-	-	(551)	(7,085)
<b>At 31 March 2017</b>	<b>1,226,181</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,197,935</b>	<b>43,950</b>	<b>327,782</b>	<b>3,795,848</b>
<b>CARRYING VALUES</b>							
<b>At 31 March 2017</b>	<b>4,003,278</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>485,427</b>	<b>52,655</b>	<b>52,845</b>	<b>4,594,205</b>
At 31 March 2016	2,655,517	52,164,805	7,143,730	970,708	509,305	87,450	63,531,515

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## 16. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

The above items of property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives or under the UOP method as follows:

Motor vehicles	6 years
Mining structures	UOP methods or 6 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> years, whichever is appropriate
Plant and machinery	6 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> years
Leasehold improvements	3 years or over the lease term, whichever is shorter
Computer equipment	3 years
Furniture and fixtures	3 years

## 17. PREPAID LEASE PAYMENTS

The amount represented prepayments for operating leases in respect of certain of the Group's premises related to mining operations located in the PRC.

The current portion of the prepaid lease payments of HK\$nil (2016: HK\$104,282) was included in other receivables, deposits and prepayments in the consolidated statement of financial position.



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## 18. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Mining right and reserves HK\$	Exploration rights HK\$	Technical knowhow HK\$	Total HK\$
<b>COST</b>				
At 1 April 2015	318,651,330	3,538,069	108,944,062	431,133,461
Disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	–	–	(102,473,758)	(102,473,758)
Write-off	–	(1,272,489)	–	(1,272,489)
Exchange realignment	(15,722,036)	(114,089)	(6,470,304)	(22,306,429)
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	302,929,294	2,151,491	–	305,080,785
De-consolidation of subsidiaries (note 36)	(302,929,294)	(2,151,491)	–	(305,080,785)
<b>At 31 March 2017</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED AMORTISATION AND IMPAIRMENT</b>				
At 1 April 2015	–	–	79,944,062	79,944,062
Provided for the year	–	–	8,939,466	8,939,466
Impairment loss	–	–	2,487,054	2,487,054
Disposal of subsidiaries (note 32)	–	–	(86,360,885)	(86,360,885)
Exchange realignment	–	–	(5,009,697)	(5,009,697)
<b>At 31 March 2016, 1 April 2016 and 31 March 2017</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>
<b>CARRYING VALUES</b>				
<b>At 31 March 2017</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>
At 31 March 2016	302,929,294	2,151,491	–	305,080,785

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## 18. INTANGIBLE ASSETS (CONTINUED)

The mining right and reserves has finite useful life and is amortised using the UOP method based on the proven and probable mineral reserves.

Exploration rights are recognised at cost less impairment. Such expenditures will be capitalised when the minerals are reasonably proved to be commercially available and recognised as intangible assets and subsequently amortised under the UOP method. If any construction was abandoned in the development phase or belongs to the productive exploration, all costs shall be written-off and recognised in profit or loss.

Technical knowhow has finite useful life and are amortised on a straight-line basis over 4 years.

As there is no extraction of mineral ores, no amortisation on mining right and reserves has been recognised for the year ended 31 March 2016.

At the date of disposal of POMP, the directors of the Company conducted a review of the Group's technical knowhow and determined that the technical knowhow was subject to impairment due to technical obsolescence. Accordingly, an impairment loss of HK\$2,487,054 has been recognised during the year ended 31 March 2016. The recoverable amount of HK\$16,112,873 has been determined on the basis of fair value less cost of disposal during 2016.

During the year ended 31 March 2016, one of the exploration rights of HK\$1,272,489 was written-off due to its expiration.

## 19. PREPAYMENTS FOR EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ACTIVITIES

The amount represented prepayments made for exploration drilling activities in relation to the Group's exploration rights held.

During the year ended 31 March 2016, prepayments for exploration and evaluation activities of HK\$4,553,640 are written-off as a result of expiration of one of the exploration rights.

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## 20. TRADE RECEIVABLES

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Trade receivables	10,391,604	1,931,763

Trade receivables in relation to trading are having an average credit period of 90 days while trade receivables from financial quotation services are due upon the presentation of invoices.

The following is an ageing analysis of the Group's receivables presented based on the invoice date, which approximates the respective revenue recognition dates, at the end of the reporting period:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
0-3 months	10,391,604	1,763,649
4-6 months	–	155,370
6-12 months	–	12,744
	10,391,604	1,931,763

At the end of reporting period, included in the Group's trade receivables were debtors with aggregate balances of approximately HK\$nil (2016: HK\$1,931,763) which were past due but not impaired at the end of the reporting period for which the Group has not provided for impairment loss as there has not been a significant change in credit quality and the amounts are still considered recoverable. The Group does not hold any collaterals for receivables above.

The ageing analysis of trade receivables that were past due but not impaired is as follows:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
0-3 months	–	1,763,649
4-6 months	–	155,370
6-12 months	–	12,744
	–	1,931,763

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## 21. LOAN AND INTEREST RECEIVABLES

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Loan receivables, repayable within one year and classified as current asset:		
Secured	102,000,000	16,000,000
Unsecured	128,400,000	105,600,000
Interest receivables	230,400,000 1,503,888	121,600,000 869,877
	<b>231,903,888</b>	122,469,877

The secured and unsecured loans advanced to the customers arising under the Group's money lending business had an average loan period of 90 days to 1 year (2016: 90 days to 1 year). The loans provided to customers bore fixed interest rate ranging from 1.0% – 2.5% per month (2016: 0.8% – 3%), depending on the individual credit evaluations of the borrowers. These evaluations focus on the borrowers' financial background, individual credit rating, current ability to pay, and take into account information specific to the borrowers as well as the guarantees and/or security from the borrowers. The loans provided to borrowers are repayable in accordance with the loan agreement, in which interest portion will be repaid in monthly basis while the principal amounts are repayable on maturity.

The following is an aged analysis of loan and interest receivables, presented based on the dates which loans are granted to borrowers and interests are accrued.

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Within 90 days	29,003,888	26,869,877
91-180 days	70,600,000	600,000
181-365 days	132,300,000	95,000,000
	<b>231,903,888</b>	122,469,877

The Group's financing advances to customers included in the loan receivables are due as of the due date specified in respective loan agreements. At 31 March 2017 and 2016, all the loan and interest receivables are neither past due nor impaired and represented loans granted to creditworthy borrowers for whom there were no recent history of default, good individual credit rating with reference to the TransUnion Credit Report, individual assets proof, and/or secured/guaranteed by the collaterals/guarantor which value was higher than the carrying value of the loan receivables.

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## 22. OTHER RECEIVABLES, DEPOSITS AND PREPAYMENTS

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Other receivables (note (i))	67,509,817	21,103,996
Deposit	903,615	2,777,515
Prepayments (note (ii))	31,173,560	10,674,801
	<b>99,586,992</b>	34,556,312

Notes:

- (i) Included in the balance was advances to certain independent third parties and staff of HK\$62,261,126 (2016: HK\$20,838,119) and HK\$nil (2016: HK\$72,126) respectively and that are interest-free, unsecured and repayable on demand.
- (ii) Included in the balance was prepayment to suppliers of HK\$30,486,079 (2016: HK\$9,758,328).

## 23. BANK BALANCE AND CASH

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Cash at banks and in hand	44,323,600	51,497,728
Short-term time deposits	70,000,000	11,215,033
	<b>114,323,600</b>	62,712,761

Cash at banks carries interest at prevailing market rate at 0% to 0.35% (2016: 0.001% to 0.35%) for both years.

As at 31 March 2017, the effective interest rate on short-term time deposits was 0.4% (2016: 3.80%). These deposits had an average original maturity of 31 days (2016: 60 days).

Bank balance and cash were denominated in the following currencies:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
RMB	37,002,451	32,558,391
HKD	77,320,949	30,154,270
Others	200	100
	<b>114,323,600</b>	62,712,761

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## 24. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Trade payables (notes (a) and (b))	–	2,122,384
Receipt in advance	13,950,050	6,575,376
Other payables and accrued charges (note (c))	29,651,861	6,329,818
	<b>43,601,911</b>	15,027,578

Notes:

- (a) The ageing of trade payables were within 3 months based on the invoice date at the end of the reporting period.
- (b) An average credit period of 45 to 180 days is granted by the service providers. The average credit period on purchases of goods in trading segment is 90 days. The Group has financial risk management policies in place to ensure that all payables are settled within the credit time frame.
- (c) Balance included advances from certain independent third parties of HK\$26,045,426 (2016: HK\$2,746,299) that are interest-free, unsecured and repayable on demand.

## 25. AMOUNTS DUE TO NON-CONTROLLING SHAREHOLDERS OF SUBSIDIARIES

The amounts are unsecured, interest-free and repayable on demand.

## 26. PROVISION FOR REINSTATEMENT COSTS

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
At 1 April	757,323	796,635
De-consolidation of subsidiaries (note 36)	(757,323)	–
Exchange realignment	–	(39,312)
At 31 March	–	757,323

Mining activities may result in land subsidence and damage to the environment of the mining areas. Pursuant to the relevant PRC regulations, the Group is required to restore the mining areas back to certain acceptable conditions.

Provision is recognised for estimated reinstatement costs to be incurred upon the full extraction of mining reserves by the Group.

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## 27. BONDS

As at 31 March 2017, the Group has unsecured bonds with aggregate principal of HK\$70,000,000 (2016: HK\$70,000,000) with the following major terms:

Issue price:	100% of the principal amount
Interest:	5.5% per annum payable semi-annually in arrear
Maturity:	7 years from date of issuance unless early redeemed
Early redemption options:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- The holder can request for early redemption after the fourth anniversary from the issue date up to the maturity date at a redemption amount of 80% of the outstanding principal; and</li><li>- The Group can early redeem the bonds after the fifth anniversary from the issue date up to the maturity date at a redemption amount of 100% of the outstanding principal.</li></ul>

The movements of the bonds are set out below:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Carrying amount at the beginning of the year	66,029,000	65,229,000
Effective interest charge for the year (note 9)	4,650,000	4,650,000
Interest paid	(3,850,000)	(3,850,000)
Carrying amount at the end of the year	66,829,000	66,029,000
Less: Bonds repayable after one year shown under non-current liabilities	-	(66,029,000)
Current portion (note)	66,829,000	-

The Company's bonds carry interest at effective interest rate of 7.22% (2016: 7.22%) per annum.

Note: The repayment obligations of the Company under the instruments of the Bonds is guaranteed by Jun Qiao. Under the terms of the subscription agreements in relation to the Bonds, to the extent which is legally permissible, the Company and Jun Qiao undertook to continue to maintain its interests in the Mining Assets and not to dispose of, transfer or sell any of the Mining Assets until the maturity of the Bonds, unless the consent of the majority of the bondholders is obtained. The directors of the Company considered that the Group does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of the Bonds for at least 12 months after the reporting period and hence classified the Bonds as current liabilities.



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## 28. CONVERTIBLE BONDS

On 4 March 2016, the Company issued convertible bonds (the “CBs”) with aggregate principal amount of HK\$30,000,000 to several independent third parties with maturity date on 3 March 2018 (the “Maturity Date”). The CBs bear interest of 4% per annum payable annually, are unsecured and denominated in HK\$.

The principal terms of the CBs are as follows:

**Conversion:** The holders of the CBs are entitled to convert the CBs into ordinary shares of the Company at a conversion price of HK\$0.12 per ordinary share.

The conversion rights are exercisable at any time during the period commencing from the date of issue of the CBs up to the Maturity Date.

**Redemption:** The Company may, by notice, redeem whole or part of the outstanding CBs at the rate of 105% of the principal amount of such CBs with interest accrued before the Maturity Date.

The holders of the CBs are not entitled to request for early redemption except for event of default occurred.

Unless previously converted or redeemed, the outstanding CBs will be redeemed by the Company at the Maturity Date.

At the date of the issue, the CBs were bifurcated into liability, equity and derivative components.

The conversion feature of the CBs as equity components of the Company is presented in equity under “convertible bonds equity reserve” at initial recognition.

The Company’s early redemption option was separately presented in the consolidated statement of financial position as “derivative component of convertible bonds” at 31 March 2016 and was measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss.

The effective interest rate of the liability component is 11.21%.

During the year ended 31 March 2017, CBs with principal amount of HK\$6,000,000 (2016: 24,000,000) were converted into 50,000,000 (2016: 200,000,000) ordinary shares of the Company. No redemption of the CBs has been made during the years ended 31 March 2017 and 2016. At 31 March 2017, all the CBs have been converted into ordinary shares (2016: the principal amount of the CBs that remained outstanding amounted to HK\$6,000,000 of which a maximum of 50,000,000 ordinary shares of the Company may fall to be issued upon their conversion, subject to adjustments provided in the terms of the CBs).

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## 28. CONVERTIBLE BONDS (CONTINUED)

The movement of the liability, equity and derivative components of the CBs and the reconciliation of Level 3 fair value measurement during the reporting period are set out below:

	Liability component of the CBs HK\$	Derivative financial asset of the CBs HK\$	Equity component of the CBs HK\$	Total HK\$
At 1 April 2015	–	–	–	–
Issue during the year	26,497,152	(16,272,764)	19,775,612	30,000,000
Transaction cost	(190,641)	–	(142,281)	(332,922)
Conversion to shares during the year	(21,105,392)	13,052,047	(15,706,665)	(23,760,010)
Change in fair value	–	(558,546)	–	(558,546)
Effective interest charge for the year (note 9)	146,721	–	–	146,721
Interest paid	(41,294)	–	–	(41,294)
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	5,306,546	(3,779,263)	3,926,666	5,453,949
Conversion to shares during the year	(5,309,462)	3,577,457	(3,926,666)	(5,658,671)
Change in fair value	–	201,806	–	201,806
Effective interest charge for the year (note 9)	4,889	–	–	4,889
Interest paid	(1,973)	–	–	(1,973)
<b>At 31 March 2017</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>

At the date of issuance of the CBs, date of conversions and 31 March 2016, the fair values of the derivative component of the CBs were valued by APAC Asset Valuation and Consulting Limited, an independent qualified professional valuer not connected to the Group, using the Binomial option pricing model. The total transaction cost attributable to the derivative component of the CBs of HK\$117,078 and the changes in fair value of the derivative components of the CBs of HK\$201,806 (2016: HK\$558,546) were recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. The inputs into the model were as follows:

	At the date of conversions in 2017	At 31 March 2016	At the date of conversions in 2016	At 4 March 2016 (date of issue)
Share price	HK\$0.15	HK\$0.153	HK\$0.14 – HK\$0.162	HK\$0.144
Conversion price	HK\$0.12	HK\$0.12	HK\$0.12	HK\$0.12
Expected volatility	109%	108%	106%	106%
Expected life	1.91 years	1.93 years	1.95 years – 1.97 years	2 years
Risk-free rate	0.51%	0.64%	0.52%-0.68%	0.53%
Expected dividend yield	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

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## 29. DEFERRED TAX

The following is the analysis of the deferred tax asset/(liabilities) for financial reporting purpose:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Deferred tax asset	138,112	64,157
Deferred tax liabilities	–	(73,438,582)
	<b>138,112</b>	<b>(73,374,425)</b>

The following are the major deferred tax asset/(liabilities) recognised and movements thereon during the current and prior years:

	Depreciation in excess of the related depreciation allowances HK\$	Fair value adjustments HK\$	Total HK\$
At 1 April 2015	–	(77,169,039)	(77,169,039)
Credited/(charged) to profit or loss (note 13)	64,157	(73,997)	(9,840)
Exchange realignment	–	3,868,611	3,868,611
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	64,157	(73,374,425)	(73,310,268)
Credited to profit or loss (note 13)	73,955	–	73,955
De-consolidation of subsidiaries (note 36)	–	73,438,582	73,438,582
Exchange realignment	–	(64,157)	(64,157)
<b>At 31 March 2017</b>	<b>138,112</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>138,112</b>

At the end of the reporting period, the Group has unused tax losses of HK\$103,885,361 (2016: HK\$176,868,911) available for offset against future profits. No deferred tax asset (2016: nil) has been recognised due to the unpredictability of future profit streams. Included in unrecognised tax losses are losses of HK\$209,514 (2016: HK\$2,678,352) that will expire in 2020. Other losses may be carried forward indefinitely.

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## 30. SHARE CAPITAL

	2017		2016	
	No. of shares	Amount HK\$	No. of shares	Total HK\$
Authorised:				
Ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each (note (v))	20,000,000,000	200,000,000	6,000,000,000	60,000,000
Issued and fully paid:				
Ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each				
At beginning of the year	2,430,553,200	24,305,532	1,986,415,200	19,864,152
Issue of shares on placing (note (i))	724,242,000	7,242,420	214,138,000	2,141,380
Issue of shares upon shares subscription (note (ii))	–	–	30,000,000	300,000
Issue of shares upon conversion of convertible bonds (note (iii))	50,000,000	500,000	200,000,000	2,000,000
Issue of shares upon right issue (note (iv))	1,335,331,600	13,353,316	–	–
At 31 March	4,540,126,800	45,401,268	2,430,553,200	24,305,532

Notes:

(i) On 1 February 2017, 534,132,000 shares of HK\$0.01 each were placed at a price of HK\$0.11 per share, raising a total proceeds of HK\$57,285,642, net of direct expenses. The net proceeds which were originally intended to be used for the repayment of part of the bonds. The directors of the Company wishes to update shareholders and the investing public that due to ongoing negotiation with the representatives of the holders of the Bonds, the net proceeds of the January 2017 Placing were temporarily applied to short-term or repayable-on-demand loans to the Group's customers by way of treasury management. The Company is of the view that such short term treasury management of the net proceeds will be able to generate interest income to offset the possible continual accruing of interest expenses on the bonds.

On 15 June 2016, 190,110,000 shares of HK\$0.01 each were placed at a price of HK\$0.09 per share, raising a total proceeds of HK\$16,596,783, net of direct expenses. The net proceeds were used for financing the Group's money lending business.

On 23 September 2015, 214,138,000 ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each were placed at a price of HK\$0.189 per share, raising a total proceeds of HK\$40,064,230, net of direct expenses.

(ii) On 12 October 2015, 30,000,000 ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each were subscribed at a price of HK\$0.197 per share, raising a total proceeds of HK\$5,910,000, with no direct expense incurred.

(iii) On 5 April 2016, conversion options of convertible bonds were exercised to subscribe 50,000,000 ordinary shares of the Company, in aggregate, with exercise price of HK\$0.12 per each share, of which HK\$500,000 was credited to share capital and HK\$1,232,005 was transferred from carrying amount of the CBs to the share premium in accordance with accounting policy set out in note 3.

On 16, 18 and 24 March 2016, conversion options of convertible bonds were exercised to subscribe 200,000,000 ordinary shares of the Company, in aggregate, with exercise price of HK\$0.12 per each share, of which HK\$2,000,000 was credited to share capital and HK\$6,053,345 was transferred from carrying amount of the CBs to the share premium in accordance with accounting policy set out in note 3.

(iv) On 5 January 2017, pursuant to the rights issue on the basis of one rights share of HK\$0.11 each for every two shares held on the record date, 1,335,331,600 new shares were issued at HK\$0.11 per share, raising a total proceeds of HK\$143,097,207, net of direct expenses. The net proceeds of the 2016 Rights Issue were actually used: (a) for the provision of a loan to Queensway Asia Limited (as part of the Group's money lending business), as disclosed by the Company on 12 December 2016 and 12 January 2017; (b) for the capital injection into Wan Long Xing Ye Commercial Trading (Shenzhen) Limited (as part of the Group's trading business); (c) for the establishment of a new investment entity in Hong Kong engaging in trading, marketing and supply-chain management, as disclosed by the Company on 12 December 2016; and (d) for the repayment of the Bonds, if and required to do so and (ii) left for general working capital. Further detail please refer to the section headed "Actual Use of Proceeds of Past Equity Fund-raising Activities" in the "Management Discussion and Analysis" to this Annual Report.

(v) Increase the authorised share capital of the Company from HK\$60,000,000.00 divided into 6,000,000,000 Shares to HK\$200,000,000.00 divided into 20,000,000,000 Shares by the creation of additional 14,000,000,000 Shares, which will rank pari passu in all respects with each other.

The above shares rank pari passu in all aspects with other shares in issue.

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## 31. SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The Company has adopted a share option scheme (the “Share Option Scheme”) approved by the shareholders at an annual general meeting of the Company held on 30 September 2013 (the “Adoption Date”). Under the Share Option Scheme, the directors of the Company may, at their discretion, invite any participants to take up options to subscribe for fully paid ordinary shares (“Shares”) in the Company subject to the terms and conditions stipulated therein.

Details of the Share Option Scheme are as follows:

### (i) Purpose

The purpose of the Share Option Scheme is to recognise and acknowledge the contributions and potential contributions which the participants have made or may make to the Group and to motivating the participants to utilise their performance and efficiency for the benefit of the Group and attracting and retaining or otherwise maintaining an on-going relationship with the participants whose contributions are or will be beneficial to the long term growth of the Group.

### (ii) Participants

The directors of the Company may, at their discretion, invite any participant (“Participant”) including any executive director, non-executive director or employee (whether full time or part time), consultant, contractor to the Group or any entity in which any member of the Group holds any interest (“Invested Entity”).

### (iii) Maximum number of shares

#### (1) 30% Limit

The limit on the number of Shares which may be issued upon exercise of all outstanding options granted and yet to be exercised under the Share Option Scheme of the Company must not exceed 30% of the Shares in issue from time to time (the “Scheme Limit”).

#### (2) 10% Limit

In addition to the Scheme Limit, and subject to the following, the total number of shares which may be issued upon exercise of all options granted under the Share Option Scheme of the Company must not in aggregate exceed 10% of the Shares in issue as at the date of approval of the Scheme (excluding any options which have lapsed) (the “Scheme Mandate Limit”).

The Company may, from time to time, refresh the Scheme Mandate Limit by obtaining the approval of its shareholders in general meeting. The Company may also seek separate approval by its shareholders in general meeting for granting options beyond the renewed Scheme Mandate Limit provided the options in excess of such limit are granted only to Participants specifically identified.

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## 31. SHARE OPTION SCHEME (CONTINUED)

### (iv) Maximum Entitlement of Each Participant

Unless approved by shareholders of the Company, the total number of securities issued and to be issued upon exercise of the options granted to each Participant (including both exercised and outstanding options) in any 12 month period must not exceed 1% (0.1% for any director, chief executive or substantial shareholder) of the Shares in issue. Where any further grant of options to a Participant would result in the Shares issued and to be issued upon exercise of all options granted and to be granted to such person (including exercised, cancelled and outstanding options) in the 12 month period up to and including the date of such further grant representing in aggregate over 1% (0.1% for any director, chief executive or substantial shareholder) of the relevant class of securities in issue, such further grant must be separately approved by shareholders of the Company in general meeting with such Participant and his associates abstaining from voting.

### (v) Price of Shares

The exercise price must be at least the higher of: (a) the closing price of a Share as stated in the daily quotations sheet of the Stock Exchange on the date of grant, which must be a business day; (b) the average closing price of a Share as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheets for the five business days immediately preceding the date of grant; and (c) the nominal value of a Share.

### (vi) Amount payable upon acceptance of the option

HK\$1.00 is payable by each participant to the Company on acceptance of an offer of an option, which shall be paid within 21 days from the date of offer.

### (vii) Time of Exercise of Option

An option shall be exercisable at any time during a period to be notified by the directors of the Company to each grantee, provided that no option shall be exercisable later than ten years after its date of grant. Unless otherwise determined by the directors of the Company at their sole discretion, there is no performance target which must be achieved before an option can be exercised.

### (viii) The remaining life of the Share Option Scheme

The life of the Share Option Scheme is 10 years commencing on the Adoption Date.

No share option has been granted, exercised or lapsed under the Share Option Scheme during year ended 31 March 2017 (2016: nil).

There is no outstanding option as at 31 March 2017 (2016: nil).

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## 32. DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES

### (i) Disposal of Choudary Limited

As detailed in note 14(i), the Group discontinued its operation of providing financial quotation services and wireless application development upon the disposal of its 51% equity interest in Choudary Group.

	2017 HK\$
Cash consideration	1,750,000

The net assets of the Choudary Group at the date of disposal were as follows:

	2017 HK\$
Property, plant and equipment	325,165
Trade receivables	1,440,460
Other receivables, deposits and prepayment	2,210,848
Bank balance and cash	14,225,889
Trade and other payables	(2,263,066)
Advance subscriptions and license fees received	(1,837,740)
Net assets disposed of	14,101,556

	2017 HK\$
<b>Loss on disposal of a subsidiary:</b>	
Cash consideration received	1,750,000
Net assets disposed of	(14,101,556)
Cumulative exchange differences in respect of the net assets of subsidiaries reclassified from equity to profit or loss on disposal of the subsidiaries	9,723
Non-controlling interests	6,914,181
Loss on disposal (note 14(i))	(5,427,652)



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## 32. DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

### (i) Disposal of Choudary Limited (Continued)

	2017 HK\$
<b>Net cash outflow arising on disposal:</b>	
Cash consideration	1,750,000
Less: bank balances and cash disposed of	(14,225,889)
	(12,475,889)

The impact of Choudary Group on the Group's results and cash flows in the current period and prior year is disclosed in note 14(i)

### (ii) Disposal of POMP

As detailed in note 14(ii), the Group discontinued its operation of encryption technology and products development upon the disposal of its 60% equity interests in POMP.

	2016 HK\$
Cash consideration	4,000,000

The net assets of the POMP Group at the date of disposal were as follows:

	24 March 2016 HK\$
Property, plant and equipment	106,271
Intangible asset	16,112,873
Other receivables	29,220
Bank balances and cash	272,252
Other payables	(2,565,737)
Amount due to a non-controlling shareholder of a subsidiary	(630,382)
Bank borrowing	(6,657,831)
Net assets disposed of	6,666,666

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## 32. DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

### (ii) Disposal of POMP (Continued)

	24 March 2016 HK\$
<b>Gain on disposal of a subsidiary:</b>	
Cash consideration received	4,000,000
Net assets disposed of	(6,666,666)
Cumulative exchange differences in respect of the net assets of the subsidiaries reclassified from equity to profit or loss on loss of control of the subsidiaries	356,697
Non-controlling interests	2,666,666
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Gain on disposal (note 14(ii))	356,697
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	2016 HK\$
<b>Net cash inflow arising on disposal:</b>	
Cash consideration	4,000,000
Less: bank balances and cash disposed of	(272,252)
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	3,727,748
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The impact of POMP Group on the Group's results and cash flows in the prior year is disclosed in note 14(ii).

### (iii) Disposal of Zhong Jin Jia Xun Trading (Shenzhen) Limited\* ("Zhong Jin") (中金佳訊商貿(深圳)有限公司)

On 30 March 2016, the Group entered into a sale and purchase agreement to dispose of its entire equity interests in Zhong Jin to an independent third party for a cash consideration of HK\$1,200,000. The completion of the disposal of Zhong Jin took place on 30 March 2016.

	2016 HK\$
Cash consideration	1,200,000
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\* English name is for identification purpose only

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## 32. DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

### (iii) Disposal of Zhong Jin Jia Xun Trading (Shenzhen) Limited\* (“Zhong Jin”) (中金佳訊商貿(深圳)有限公司) (Continued)

The net assets of the Zhong Jin at the date of disposal were as follows:

	30 March 2016 HK\$
Property, plant and equipment	104,969
Other receivables	1,171,715
Bank balance and cash	1,835,073
Other payables	(2,100,964)
<b>Net assets disposed of</b>	<b>1,010,793</b>
<b>Gain on disposal of a subsidiary:</b>	
Consideration received	1,200,000
Net assets disposed of	(1,010,793)
Cumulative exchange differences in respect of the net assets of the subsidiaries reclassified from equity to profit or loss on loss of control of the subsidiary	25,851
<b>Gain on disposal</b>	<b>215,058</b>
	2016 HK\$
<b>Net cash outflow arising on disposal:</b>	
Cash consideration	1,200,000
Less: bank balances and cash disposed of	(1,835,073)
	<b>(635,073)</b>

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## 32. DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

### (iii) Disposal of Zhong Jin Jia Xun Trading (Shenzhen) Limited\* (“Zhong Jin”) (中金佳訊商貿(深圳)有限公司) (Continued)

The results of Zhong Jin for the period from 1 April 2015 to 30 March 2016, which have been included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, are as follows:

	Period from 1 April 2015 to 30 March 2016 HK\$
Revenue	–
Other income and gain	3,272
Administrative expenses	(2,135,554)
Loss before tax	(2,132,282)
Income tax expense	–
Loss for the period	(2,132,282)

Loss for the period from Zhong Jin includes the following:

	2016 HK\$
Depreciation	39,713
Employee benefit expenses	362,324
Minimum lease payments under operating leases in respect of land and buildings	119,734

During the period from 1 April 2015 to 30 March 2016, Zhong Jin recorded a loss for the year of HK\$2,132,282, net cash inflows from operating activities of HK\$596,863, cash inflows from investing activities of HK\$84,731 and cash outflows from financing activities of HK\$1,838,092.

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## 33. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

### (a) The Group as lessor

During the year ended 31 March 2017, none of the mining structures and plant and machinery (2016: aggregate carrying amount of HK\$59,308,535) included in property, plant and equipment and mining right and reserves and exploration rights (2016: aggregate carrying amount of HK\$305,080,785) included in intangible assets have been leased out with rental period of 1 year.

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Within one year	–	6,250,920

### (b) The Group as lessee

At the end of the reporting period, the Group had commitments for future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases which fall due as follows:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Within one year	3,292,784	4,464,815
In the second to fifth years inclusive	2,257,496	5,230,120
	5,550,280	9,694,935

Operating lease payments represent rentals payable by the Group for certain of its office properties. Leases are negotiated for terms ranging from 1 to 3 years. Rentals were fixed at the inception of the leases.

## 34. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Save as disclosed elsewhere in the consolidated financial statements, the Group has the following material transactions with related parties:

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Short-term employee benefits	4,490,000	3,889,726
Post-employment benefits	69,000	46,500
Termination benefits	–	600,000
	4,559,000	4,536,226

The remunerations of directors and key executives are determined by the remuneration committee of the Company having regards to the performance of individuals and market trends.

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## 35. RETIREMENT BENEFITS PLANS

### Hong Kong

The Group participates in the MPF Scheme. Where staff are eligible to the MPF Scheme, both the Group and staff are required to contribute 5% of the employees' relevant income, capped at HK\$1,500 (HK\$1,250 prior to June 2014) per month from each party. Contributions from the employer are 100% vested in the employees as soon as they are paid to the relevant MPF Scheme but all benefits derived from the mandatory contributions must be preserved until the employee reaches the retirement age of 65 subject to certain exceptions. Staff may elect to contribute more than the minimum as a voluntary contribution.

The total contribution to the MPF scheme charged to profit or loss was HK\$205,370 (2016: HK\$591,568).

### PRC

The Group also participates in a defined contribution retirement scheme organised by the government in the PRC. All employees of the Group in the PRC are entitled to an annual pension equal to a fixed portion of their individual final basic salaries at their retirement date. The Group is required to contribute a specified percentage of the payroll of its employees to the retirement scheme. No forfeited contributions may be used by the employers to reduce the existing level of contributions.

The total contribution to defined contribution retirement scheme organised by the government in the PRC charged to profit or loss was HK\$215,784 (2016: HK\$132,721).

## 36. DE-CONSOLIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES

As disclosed in note 3 of the consolidated financial statements, due for the obstructions faced by the Company in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, the De-consolidated Subsidiaries, the Company regard that it has lost control over the De-consolidated Subsidiaries. Under these circumstance, the directors have not been able to obtain complete documentary information to satisfy themselves regarding the accounting treatments in respect of those transactions for the year ended 31 March 2017. As such, the results, assets and liabilities of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries have not been included into the consolidated financial statements of the Group since 1 April 2016. The resulting loss on de-consolidation of HK\$115,847,836, which is determined based on the net asset value of HK\$214,316,069, non-controlling interests of HK\$99,376,259 and translation reserve of HK\$908,026 of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries as at 1 April 2016 of have been recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income for the year ended 31 March 2017.

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## 36. DE-CONSOLIDATION OF SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

	Total HK\$
(a) Details of the net assets of the De-consolidated Subsidiaries as at 1 April 2016 are set out below:	
Property, plant and equipment	59,353,578
Prepaid lease payment	1,251,386
Intangible assets	305,080,785
Prepayments for exploration and evaluation activities	8,526,297
Other receivables, deposits and prepayments	1,049,914
Bank balances and cash	721,395
Trade and other payables	(9,441,700)
Tax payables	(2,139,480)
Provision for reinstatement costs	(757,323)
Deferred tax liabilities	(73,438,582)
Amounts due to the Group	(75,890,201)
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Net assets disposed of	214,316,069
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Loss on de-consolidation:	
Net assets disposed of	(214,316,069)
Non-controlling interests	99,376,259
Release of translation reserve upon de-consolidation	(908,026)
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Loss on de-consolidation	(115,847,836)
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(b) Net cash inflow arising on de-consolidation:	
Subsequent settlement of amount due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries	4,744,650
Bank balances and cash de-consolidated	(721,395)
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	4,023,255
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(c) Impairment of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries:	
Amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries as at 1 April 2016	75,890,201
Less: Subsequent settlement of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries	(4,744,650)
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Impairment of amounts due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries	71,145,551
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During the year ended 31 March 2017, impairment loss of HK\$71,145,551 has been recognised since the amount due from De-consolidated Subsidiaries are considered to be highly unrecoverable with reference to the estimation of future cash flows expected to be generated from De-consolidated Subsidiaries.



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## 37. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESERVE OF THE COMPANY

### (a) Statement of Financial Position

As at 31 March 2017

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Non-current assets</b>		
Property, plant and equipment	1,933,116	1,716,188
Available-for-sale investment	–	–
Interests in subsidiaries	100,377,234	153,121,835
	<b>102,310,350</b>	154,838,023
<b>Current assets</b>		
Other receivables, deposits and prepayments	1,394,634	988,266
Amount due from a subsidiary	216,737,201	127,018,131
Derivative component of convertible bonds	–	3,779,263
Bank balances and cash	74,299,904	1,423,425
	<b>292,431,739</b>	133,209,085
<b>Current liability</b>		
Other payable	2,039,303	1,804,303
Bonds	66,829,000	–
	<b>68,868,303</b>	1,804,303
<b>Net current assets</b>	<b>223,563,436</b>	131,404,782
<b>Total assets less current liability</b>	<b>325,873,786</b>	286,242,805
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>		
Bonds	–	66,029,000
Convertible bonds	–	5,306,546
	–	71,335,546
	<b>325,873,786</b>	214,907,259

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## 37. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESERVE OF THE COMPANY (CONTINUED)

### (a) Statement of Financial Position (Continued)

As at 31 March 2017

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
<b>Capital and reserves</b>		
Share capital (note 30)	45,401,268	24,305,532
Reserve (note 37(b))	280,472,518	190,601,727
	<b>325,873,786</b>	214,907,259

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 28 June 2017 and are signed on its behalf by:

**Chow Wang**  
*Director*

**Chu Ka Wa**  
*Director*

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## 37. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE COMPANY (CONTINUED)

### (b) Reserve

	Share premium HK\$	Capital redemption reserve HK\$	Convertible bonds equity reserve HK\$	Accumulated losses HK\$	Total reserves HK\$
At 1 April 2015	381,591,395	176,000	–	(147,262,155)	234,505,240
Loss and total comprehensive expenses for the year	–	–	–	(113,123,039)	(113,123,039)
Issue of shares on placing (note 30)	38,330,702	–	–	–	38,330,702
Transaction costs attributable to placing of shares	(407,852)	–	–	–	(407,852)
Issue of shares upon shares subscription	5,610,000	–	–	–	5,610,000
Recognition of equity component of convertible bonds (note 28)	–	–	19,633,331	–	19,633,331
Issue of shares upon conversion of convertible bonds (note 30)	6,053,345	–	(15,706,665)	15,706,665	6,053,345
At 31 March 2016 and 1 April 2016	431,177,590	176,000	3,926,666	(244,678,529)	190,601,727
Loss and total comprehensive expenses for the year	–	–	–	(107,745,110)	(107,745,110)
Issue of shares on placing (note 30)	68,622,000	–	–	–	68,622,000
Transaction costs attributable to placing of shares	(1,981,995)	–	–	–	(1,981,995)
Issue of shares upon conversion of convertible bonds (note 28)	1,232,005	–	(3,926,666)	3,926,666	1,232,005
Issue of shares upon right issue	129,743,891	–	–	–	129,743,891
At 31 March 2017	628,793,491	176,000	–	(348,496,973)	280,472,518

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## 38. PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY

Name of subsidiaries	Place of incorporation/ establishment/ operation	Issued and fully paid share capital/ register capital	Proportion ownership interests held by the Company		Principal activities
			Directly	Indirectly	
Ban Loong Finance Company Limited*	Hong Kong	HK\$100	100.00% (2016: 100.00%)	-	Money lending
Wan Long Xing Ye Commercial Trading (Shenzhen) Limited** (萬隆興業商貿(深圳)有限公司)	PRC	HK\$ 100,000,000 (2016: HK\$60,000,000)	100.00% (2016: 100.00%)	-	Trading of goods and commodities
Choudary Limited ("Choudary")	British Virgin Islands ("BVI")	US\$48,465	- (2016: 51.00%)	-	Investment holding
QuotePower International Limited (note (i))	Hong Kong	HK\$67,264,000	-	- (2016: 50.97%)	Provision of financial quotation services
ABC QuickSilver Limited (note (i))	BVI/Hong Kong	US\$25	-	- (2016: 50.97%)	Provision of wireless application development services
Jun Qiao Limited ("Jun Qiao")	BVI	US\$50,000	60.00% (2016: 60.00%)	-	Investment holding
Tong Bai Country Yin Di Mining Company Limited** (桐柏縣銀地礦業有限責任公司) (note (ii))	PRC	RMB500,000	-	- (2016: 54.00%)	Extraction and lease of mining related assets
Xin Jiang Xin Jiang Yuan Mining Company Limited**# (新疆鑫江源 礦業有限公司) (note (ii))	PRC	RMB3,000,000	-	- (2016: 51.30%)	Mine exploration

Notes:

(i) Subsidiaries of Choudary

(ii) Subsidiaries of Jun Qiao

\* This entity is domestic enterprise

\*\* These entities are foreign-investment enterprises

# The English name is for identification purpose only

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## 38. PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (CONTINUED)

The above table lists the subsidiaries of the Group which, in the opinion of the directors of the Company, principally affected the results or assets of the Group. To give details of other subsidiaries would, in the opinion of the directors of the Company, result in particulars of excessive length.

The table below shows details of non-wholly owned subsidiaries of the Group that have non-controlling interests that are material to the Group:

Name of subsidiary	Place of incorporation and principal place of business	Proportion of ownership held by non-controlling interests	Proportion of voting rights held by non-controlling interests	Loss attributable to non-controlling interests HK\$	Accumulated non-controlling interests HK\$
<b>2017</b>					
Jun Qiao and its subsidiaries	BVI/PRC	40%	40%	(14,716)	(406,254)
<b>2016</b>					
Choudary and its subsidiaries	BVI/Hong Kong	49%	49%	(2,670,050)	8,102,194
Jun Qiao and its subsidiaries	BVI/PRC	40%	40%	(1,062,695)	99,678,934
The POMP Group	BVI/PRC	Nil	Nil	(5,096,582)	–
				(8,829,327)	107,781,128

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## 38. PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (CONTINUED)

Summarised financial information in respect of each of the Group's subsidiaries that has non-controlling interests that are material to the Group is set out below. The summarised financial information below represents amounts before intragroup eliminations.

### Choudary and its subsidiaries

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Current assets	N/A	20,853,624
Non-current assets	N/A	475,061
Current liabilities	N/A	(4,774,874)
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	N/A	8,451,617
Non-controlling interest	N/A	8,102,194
Revenue	18,453,176	30,526,327
Expenses	(20,877,693)	(35,975,409)
Loss for the year	(2,424,517)	(5,449,082)
Loss attributable to owners of the Company	(1,236,504)	(2,779,032)
Loss attributable to non-controlling interest	(1,188,013)	(2,670,050)
Loss for the year	(2,424,517)	(5,449,082)
Other comprehensive expense attributable to owners of the Company	–	(10,372)
Other comprehensive expense attributable to non-controlling interest	–	(9,967)
Other comprehensive expense for the year	–	(20,339)
Total comprehensive expenses attributable to owners of the Company	(1,236,504)	(2,789,404)
Total comprehensive expense attributable to non-controlling interest	(1,188,013)	(2,680,017)
Total comprehensive expense for the year	(2,424,517)	(5,469,421)
Net cash outflows from operating activities	(2,710,678)	(3,150,155)
Net cash (outflows)/inflows from investing activities	(19,648)	239,223
Net cash outflows	(2,730,326)	(2,910,932)

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## 38. PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (CONTINUED)

### Jun Qiao and its subsidiaries

	2017 HK\$	2016 HK\$
Current assets	32,120	1,805,536
Non-current assets	–	374,212,046
Current liabilities	(11,679,012)	(86,748,920)
Non-current liabilities	–	(74,195,905)
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	11,186,638	115,393,823
Non-controlling interest	(460,254)	99,678,934
Revenue	–	6,800,269
Expenses	(187,030,176)	(9,154,573)
Loss for the year	(187,030,176)	(2,354,304)
Loss attributable to owners of the Company	(187,015,460)	(1,291,609)
Loss attributable to non-controlling interest	(14,716)	(1,062,695)
Loss for the year	(187,030,176)	(2,354,304)
Other comprehensive income/(expense) attributable to owners of the Company	1,166,468	(8,881,490)
Other comprehensive income/(expense) attributable to non-controlling interest	172,293	(6,775,563)
Other comprehensive income/(expense) for the year	1,338,761	(15,657,053)
Total comprehensive expenses attributable to owners of the Company	(185,848,992)	(10,173,099)
Total comprehensive income/(expense) attributable to non-controlling interest	157,577	(7,838,258)
Total comprehensive expense for the year	(185,691,415)	(18,011,357)
Net cash (outflows)/inflows from operating activities	(36,789)	5,242,763
Net cash outflows from investing activities	(721,395)	(18,371)
Net cash outflows from financing activities	–	(5,619,722)
Net cash outflows	(758,184)	(395,330)



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## 38. PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (CONTINUED)

### POMP and its subsidiaries

	From 1 April 2015 to 24 March 2016 HK\$
Revenue	–
Expenses	(12,741,456)
Loss for the year	(12,741,456)
Loss attributable to owners of the Company	(7,644,874)
Loss attributable non-controlling interest	(5,096,582)
Loss for the period	(12,741,456)
Other comprehensive expense attributable to owners of the Company	(543,737)
Other comprehensive expense attributable non-controlling interest	(362,494)
Other comprehensive expense for the period	(906,231)
Total comprehensive expenses attributable to owners of the Company	(8,188,611)
Total comprehensive expense attributable to non-controlling interest	(5,459,076)
Total comprehensive expense for the period	(13,647,687)
Net cash inflows from operating activities	(36,073)
Net cash outflows	(36,073)

Cash at banks and in hand denominated in RMB held in the PRC are subject to local exchange control restrictions. These local exchange control regulations provide restrictions on exporting capital from the PRC, other than through normal dividend,

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## 39. LITIGATION

On 13 January 2017, the Company was informed by the management of its indirect subsidiary, Yin Di Mining, that it has received a copy of First Civil Ruling issued by Tong Bai County People's Court ("Tong Bai Court") upon the asset-preserving application by Mr. Wang Huaqing (王華清) and Mr. Huang Suiyun (黃隨雲) on 9 January 2017 in respect of an alleged contractual dispute involving Yin Di Mining. Pursuant to the First Civil Ruling, it was ordered (inter alia) by Tong Bai Court that:

1. The entire equity holding of Yin Di Mining be frozen and all transfer procedures involving the entire equity holding of Yin Di Mining be suspended with effect from 9 January 2017 to 8 January 2018;
2. The mining license numbered C4100002014053220134362 (the "Mining License") owned by Yin Di Mining be frozen and all transfer procedures involving the said Mining License be suspended with effect from 9 January 2017 to 8 January 2018; and
3. Yin Di Mining shall not sell, pledge, charge or create encumbrance of any nature over the said frozen assets.

Upon searches of public records following the revelation of the First Civil Ruling on 13 January 2017, the Company was given to understand that the Second Civil Judgment was issued by Zhengzhou Court in respect of the civil action filed by Henan Guiyuan with Zhengzhou Court on 6 May 2016 relating to an alleged equity transfer dispute involving the equity of Yin Di Mining owned by Jinfuyuan Mining.

Henan Guiyuan requested Zhengzhou Court to order (inter alia) that: (a) the Equity Transfer Agreement be terminated and that all the equity holding in Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining be re-transferred to Henan Guiyuan; (b) loss and damages for breach of contract in the amount of RMB5,000,000 be awarded; and (c) costs to be borne by Jinfuyuan Mining.

Pursuant to the Second Civil Judgment, it was ordered (inter alia) by Zhengzhou Court that:

1. The Equity Transfer Agreement be terminated;
2. All equity holding of Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining be re-transferred to Henan Guiyuan;
3. Damages of RMB500,000 be awarded to Henan Guiyuan; and
4. Costs of RMB211,800 be borne by Jinfuyuan Mining.

Upon searches of public records conducted by the Group's legal advisers, the Company was given to understand that the Enforcement Order was issued by the Zhengzhou Court ordering Jinfuyuan Mining to transfer the entire equity holding in Yin Di Mining to Henan Guiyuan.

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## 39. LITIGATION (CONTINUED)

According to public record searches conducted by the Company and its legal advisers on the official web site of National Enterprise Credit Information Publicity System operated by the State Administration for Industry and Commerce of the PRC, the 90% equity of Yin Di Mining held by Jinfuyuan Mining was purportedly transferred to Henan Guiyuan on 17 January 2017 (the “Purported Transfer”). Due to the obstacles faced by the Group in exercising control over and gathering information and documents regarding the Mining Segment, the Group regards that it has lost control over the entire operations of the Mining Segment and all the Mining Assets since then.

For the year ended 31 March 2017, Yin Di Mining ceased to consolidate into the consolidated financial statements of the Group since 1 April 2016 due to the obstructions faced by the Group in exercising control over, and gathering information and documents regarding, Yin Di Mining, which cause the Group to regard that it has lost control over the entire operations of all Mining Assets. No results of Yin Di Mining were consolidated to the Group and loss on de-consolidation of subsidiaries of HK\$115,847,836 was recognised for the year ended 31 March 2017.

It appears to the Company that certain individuals might have falsely held themselves out to have authority from Jinfuyuan Mining and produced fraudulent documents to the Zhengzhou Court during the course of the Litigation in an attempt to reverse the Equity Transfer Agreement and to cause the equity holding in Yin Di Mining to be transferred to Henan Guiyuan without the knowledge of the Company, Yin Di Mining and Jinfuyuan Mining.

The Group commenced civil actions seeking to recover the 90% equity of Yin Di Mining, and filed criminal complaints against any person(s)/entity(ies) who are suspected to have conducted unlawful activities in relation to the Purported Transfer. The Group has also filed criminal complaints with the relevant PRC law enforcement authorities about suspected conspiracy of fraud, false litigation and suspected use of forged documents during the course of the Litigations. The criminal case was accepted by the Public Security Bureau on 26 January 2017. Moreover, the Group has commenced civil retrial procedures with the Henan Higher People’s court to overturn the Zhengzhou Court’s judgment in relation to the Second Civil Judgment and Enforcement Order in March 2017. Based on the legal advice currently obtained by the Group, the Group should have sufficient evidential bases to successfully overturn the judgments made by the Zhengzhou Court and to recover the Mining Assets.

Due to the uncertainty of the conditions and situations of Yin Di Mining, the operating lease contract with Henan Heng Yi Mining Company Limited (the “Leasee”) (the “Operating Lease Contract”) was terminated since January 2017.

## 40. EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

There were no significant events that have occurred subsequent to the end of the reporting period.

## 41. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

As a result of the retrospective adjustment of the discontinued operation, certain comparative figures have been restated to conform to current year’s presentation and to provide comparative amounts in respect of items disclosed in 2016.

## FIVE-YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY

	2013 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000	2015 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000 (restated)	2017 HK\$'000
Revenue	68,747	59,965	56,404	(116,374)	<b>299,259</b>
Loss before tax	(23,566)	(26,201)	(117,981)	(41,427)	<b>(196,424)</b>
Taxation charge	(7)	(54)	–	(940)	<b>(2,661)</b>
Loss after tax	(23,573)	(26,255)	(117,981)	(42,367)	<b>(199,085)</b>
Loss attributable to shareholders	(22,258)	(23,454)	(82,292)	(33,538)	<b>(197,882)</b>
Loss attributable to shareholders per share	(2.12) HK cents	(1.62) HK cents	(4.63) HK cents	(1.45) HK cents	<b>(6.04) HK cents</b>
<b>ASSETS AND LIABILITIES</b>					
Total assets	521,187	596,049	605,318	603,904	<b>460,938</b>
Current liabilities	(28,328)	(29,818)	(38,910)	(24,425)	<b>(116,616)</b>
Total assets less current liabilities	492,859	566,231	566,408	579,479	<b>344,322</b>
Shareholders' fund	292,843	339,997	296,788	326,166	<b>344,729</b>
Provision for reinstatement costs, deferred tax liabilities, bonds and convertible bonds	77,090	105,257	143,195	145,531	<b>66,829</b>
Funds employed	369,933	445,254	439,983	471,697	<b>411,558</b>
Return on average shareholders' fund (%)	(9.4)	(7.4)	(25.8)	(10.8)	<b>(574)</b>
Dividends per share	–	–	–	–	–