



















2017 TERIM REPORT 中期報告

Consolidated Income Statement 綜合收益表

For the six months ended 30 June 2017 截至二零一七年六月三十日止六個月

The board of directors ("Board") of Sing Tao News Corporation Limited ("Company") is pleased to announce the unaudited condensed consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries ("Group") for the six months ended 30 June 2017 together with the comparative figures for the corresponding period in 2016 as follows:

星島新聞集團有限公司(「本公司」)董事會(「董事 會」) 欣然公佈本公司及其附屬公司(「本集團」) 截至 二零一七年六月三十日止六個月之未經審核簡明綜 合業績,連同二零一六年同期之比較數字如下:

For the six months ended 30 June

截至六月三十日止六個月

			2017 二零一七年	2016 二零一六年
		Notes 附註	(Unaudited) (未經審核)	(Unaudited) (未經審核)
			HK\$'000	HK\$'000
			千港元	千港元
REVENUE	收入		734,282	798,760
Cost of sales	銷售成本		(457,131)	(517,622)
Gross profit	毛利		277,151	281,138
Other income and gains, net	其他收入及收益淨額	3	17,740	7,692
Distribution expenses	分銷成本		(113,674)	(124,956)
Administrative expenses	行政開支		(151,076)	(153,752)
Other expenses	其他開支		(4,341)	(1,351)
Finance costs	融資成本	4	(7)	(17)
Share of profits and losses of:	應佔下列公司溢利及虧損:			
Joint ventures	合營企業		3,390	3,717
Associates	聯營公司		760	(2,446)
PROFIT BEFORE TAX	除税前溢利	5	29,943	10,025
Income tax expense	所得税開支	6	(9,488)	(5,970)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	期內溢利		20,455	4,055
Earnings per share attributable to ordinary equity holders of the	本公司普通股權持有人應佔 每股溢利一(港仙)			
Company – (HK cents)		7		
Basic	基本 		2.36	0.47
Diluted	攤薄		2.36	0.47

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

綜合全面收益表

For the six months ended 30 June 2017 截至二零一七年六月三十日止六個月

For the six months ended 30 June

截至六月三十日止六個月

2017 2016 二零一七年 二零一六年 (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (未經審核) (未經審核) HK\$'000 HK\$'000 千港元 千港元 20,455 4,055 6,756 11,226

Profit for the period 期內溢利

Other comprehensive income for

Items that may be reclassified to

of foreign operations

Exchange differences on translation

the period, net of tax:

profit or loss:

for the period

期內其他全面收益(除税後):

可能重新分類至損益的項目:

換算海外業務的匯兑差額

期內全面收益總額 Total comprehensive income

27,211

15,281

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position 綜合財務狀況表

30 June 2017 二零一七年六月三十日

		Notes 附註	30 June 2017 二零一七年 六月三十日 (Unaudited) (未經審核)	31 December 2016 二零一六年 十二月三十一日
			HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
NON-CURRENT ASSETS Property, plant and equipment Investment properties Other intangible assets Investments in joint ventures Investments in associates Available-for-sale investments Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Deferred tax assets	非流動資產 物質產 物房 物房 物房 物房 物學 物無形企 物 物 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一 一	9 11	1,019,044 42,634 104 58,516 13,140 8,147 8,190 15,660	994,103 42,016 109 61,820 12,380 8,147 7,800 16,065
Other deposits and receivables	其他已繳按金		65,396	57,862
Total non-current assets	非流動資產總值	·	1,230,831	1,200,302
CURRENT ASSETS Inventories Trade receivables Prepayments, deposits and other receivables	流動資產 存貨 應收賬款 預付款項、按金及其他應收款項	10	49,311 371,693 46,872	44,268 429,884 45,802
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Tax recoverable Cash and cash equivalents	按公平值記入損益賬之財務資產 可收回税項 現金及現金等值項目	11	107,993 4,625 609,756	91,573 5,854 668,835
Total current assets	流動資產總值		1,190,250	1,286,216
CURRENT LIABILITIES Trade and bills payables Other payables and accruals Tax payable Finance lease and hire purchase contract payables	流動負債 應付賬款及票據 其他應付款項及應計款項 應付稅項 融資租約及租購合約應付款項	12	64,523 195,216 10,967	57,603 240,934 3,082
Total current liabilities	流動負債總值		270,868	301,934
NET CURRENT ASSETS	流動資產淨值		919,382	984,282
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES	已減流動負債之資產總值		2,150,213	2,184,584
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Provision Finance lease and hire purchase contract payables Deferred tax liabilities	非流動負債 撥備 融資租約及租購合約應付款項 遞延税項負債		- 96,201	10,800 2 100,519
Total non-current liabilities	非流動負債總值		96,201	111,321
Net assets	資產淨值		2,054,012	2,073,263
EQUITY Equity attributable to owners of the Company Issued capital Reserves	股權 本公司擁有人應佔股權 已發行股本 儲備	13	173,222 1,880,790	173,222 1,900,041
Total equity	股權總額		2,054,012	2,073,263

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

綜合權益變動表

For the six months ended 30 June 2017 截至二零一七年六月三十日止六個月

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						e to owners of 本公司擁有人應				
		Issued ordinary share capital 已發行	Share premium account	Contributed surplus	Share option reserve	Asset revaluation reserve	Available- for-sale investment revaluation reserve 可供出售	Exchange fluctuation reserve	Retained profits	Total
		普通股	股份		購股權	資產	投資	匯兑		
		股本	溢價賬	繳入盈餘	儲備	重估儲備	重估儲備	波動儲備	保留溢利	總計
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
		千港元	千港元	千港元	千港元	千港元	千港元	千港元	千港元	千港元
At 1 January 2017	於二零一七年一月一日	173,222	25,442	407,890	12,292	170,450	6,393	(59,237)	1,336,811	2,073,263
Total comprehensive income for the period	期內全面收益總額	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,756	20,455	27,211
Equity-settled share	股權結算購股權安排									
option arrangements Final 2016 dividend declared	已宣派二零一六年末期股息	-	-	-	5,239	-	-	-	265 (51,966)	5,504 (51,966)
At 30 June 2017	於二零一七年六月三十日	173,222	25,442	407,890	17,531	170,450	6,393	(52,481)	1,305,565	2,054,012
At 1 January 2016	於二零一六年一月一日	173,072	24,755	407,890	6,889	150,565	6,493	(63,715)	1,354,932	2,060,881
Total comprehensive income for the period	期內全面收益總額	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,226	4,055	15,281
Issue of ordinary shares Equity-settled share	發行普通股 股權結算購股權安排	150	687	-	(222)	-	-	-	-	615
option arrangements Final 2015 dividend declared	已宣派二零一五年末期股息	-	-	-	3,625	-	-	-	(34,644)	3,625 (34,644)
At 30 June 2016	於二零一六年六月三十日	173,222	25,442	407,890	10,292	150,565	6,493	(52,489)	1,324,343	2,045,758

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows 簡明綜合現金流量表

For the six months ended 30 June 2017 截至二零一七年六月三十日止六個月

For the six months ended 30 June 截至六月三十日止六個月

		2017 二零一七年	2016 二零一六年
		ー マーレー (Unaudited) (未經審核)	ーマーバー (Unaudited) (未經審核)
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
NET CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	經營業務產生之現金流量淨額	43,547	74,232
NET CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	投資業務使用之現金流量淨額	(20,942)	(78,579)
NET CASH FLOWS USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	融資活動使用之現金流量淨額	(52,128)	(34,219)
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	現金及現金等值項目減少淨額	(29,523)	(38,566)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	期初之現金及現金等值項目	592,205	769,613
Effects of foreign exchange rate changes, net	匯率變動之影響淨額	9,829	9,670
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD	期終之現金及現金等值項目	572,511	740,717
ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	現金及現金等值項目結餘分析		
Cash and bank balances Non-pledged time deposits	現金及銀行結餘 無抵押定期存款	320,940 288,816	309,739 535,925
Cash and cash equivalents as stated in the statement of financial position Non-pledged time deposits with original maturity of more than three months	財務狀況表內所述的現金及 現金等值項目 於取得時到期日超過三個月之 無抵押定期存款	609,756	845,664
when acquired		(37,245)	(104,947)
Cash and cash equivalents as stated in the statement of cash flows	現金流量表內所述的現金及 現金等值項目	572,511	740,717

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard ("HKAS") 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA") and the applicable disclosure provisions of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

The accounting policies and basis of preparation adopted in the preparation of the interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the preparation of the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016.

In the current interim period, the Group has applied, for the first time, certain amendments to Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") and Interpretations issued by the HKICPA that are mandatorily effective for the current interim period.

The application of the amendments to HKFRSs and Interpretations in the current interim period has had no material effect on the amounts reported and/or disclosure set out in these condensed consolidated financial statements.

2. OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group is principally engaged in the business of publishing and distribution of newspapers, magazines and books to readers in Hong Kong, Canada, the United States of America, Europe, Australia and New Zealand, and sales of respective content of such publications in Hong Kong and Mainland China.

The Group operates as a single operating segment which is in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-makers. The chief operating decision-makers, who are responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segment, have been identified as the executive directors that make strategic decisions.

None of the revenue derived from any single external customer amounted for more than 10% of the Group's revenue during the period ended 30 June 2017 (2016: Nil).

1. 會計政策

本簡明綜合中期財務報表乃根據香港會計師公 會(「香港會計師公會」)頒佈之香港會計準則 (「香港會計準則」)第34號「中期財務報告」以及 香港聯合交易所有限公司證券上市規則所載之 適用披露規定編製。

編製本中期財務報表時所採納之會計政策及編 製基準與編製截至二零一六年十二月三十一日 止年度全年財務報表所採用者相同。

於本期間,本集團首次應用香港會計師公會所 頒佈之若干於本會計期間必須生效之經修訂香 港財務報告準則及詮釋。

採用以上經修訂香港財務報告準則及詮釋對本 集團於本簡明綜合財務報表並無重大影響。

2. 經營分部資料

本集團主要從事向香港、加拿大、美國、歐 洲、澳洲及新西蘭之讀者發行和分派報章、雜 誌及書籍之業務,及於香港及中國內地銷售上 述刊物之相關內容。

本集團作為單一經營分部經營。單一經營分部 以向主要經營決策者提供之內部報告一致之方 式呈報。主要經營決策者負責經營分部之資源 分配及表現評估,被甄選作為作出策略決定之 執行董事。

截至二零一七年六月三十日止期內, 概無來自 任何單一外界客戶之收入超過本集團收入之 10%(二零一六年:無)。

3. OTHER INCOME AND GAINS, NET

3. 其他收入及收益淨額

		For the six months ended 30 June 截至六月三十日止六個月	
		2017 二零一七年	2016 二零一六年
		ーマーに午 (Unaudited) (未經審核)	ーや ハキ (Unaudited) (未經審核)
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
Bank interest income Investment income	銀行利息收入投資的	1,418 2,029	1,479 1,703
Gain/(loss) on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment Fair value gains, net on: Financial assets at fair value through	出售物業、廠房及設備項目之 收益/(虧損) 公平值收益之淨額: 按公平值記入損益賬之財務資產	5,318	(68)
profit or loss Derivative financial instruments – transactions not qualifying	衍生金融工具一 不符合對冲資格之交易	5,349	1,165
as hedges	医女子员 心势	611	-
Foreign exchange differences, net Others	匯兑差額,淨額 其他	862 2,153	839 2,574
		17,740	7,692

4. FINANCE COSTS

4. 融資成本

		For the six ended 30 截至六月三十	0 June
		2017 二零一七年 (Unaudited) (未經審核)	2016 二零一六年 (Unaudited) (未經審核)
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
Interest on finance leases	融資租賃利息	7	17

無形資產攤銷

折舊

PROFIT BEFORE TAX

Amortisation of intangible assets

Depreciation

5. 除税前溢利

The Group's profit before tax is arrived at after charging:

本集團之除税前溢利已扣除:

For the six months ended 30 June 截至六月三十日止六個月 2017 2016 二零一七年 二零一六年 (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (未經審核) (未經審核) HK\$'000 HK\$'000 千港元 千港元 5 5 34,941 39,201

6. INCOME TAX

Hong Kong profits tax has been provided at the rate of 16.5% (2016: 16.5%) on the estimated assessable profits arising in Hong Kong during the period. Taxes on profits assessable elsewhere have been calculated at the rates of tax prevailing in the countries in which the Group operates.

6. 所得税

香港利得税乃按期內於香港產生之估計應課税 溢利以16.5%(二零一六年:16.5%)税率撥備。 於其他地區之應課税溢利之税項乃按本集團有 業務經營之國家之現行税率計算。

> For the six months ended 30 June 截至六月三十日止六個月

 2017
 2016

 二零一七年
 二零一六年

 (Unaudited)
 (Unaudited)

 (土畑東地)
 (土畑東地)

(未經審核) (未經審核) HK\$'000 HK\$'000 千港元 千港元 即期: Current: 期內支出: Charge for the period: 中華人民共和國: The People's Republic of China: 香港 Hong Kong 9,006 5,668 其他地區 Elsewhere 2 其他地區 Elsewhere 30 搋延 Deferred 450 302 期內税務開支總額 Total tax expense for the period 9,488 5,970

7. EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

The calculation of the basic earnings per share amounts is based on the profit for the period attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company and the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period.

The calculation of the diluted earnings per share amounts is based on the profit for the period attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company, as used in the basic earnings per share calculation. The weighted average number of ordinary shares used in the calculation is the number of ordinary shares in issue during the period, as used in the basic earnings per share calculation, and the weighted average number of ordinary shares assumed to have been issued at no consideration on the deemed exercise or conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares.

7. 本公司普通股權持有人應佔每股溢利

每股基本溢利金額乃按期內本公司普通股權持 有人應佔溢利及期內已發行普通股之加權平均 數計算。

每股攤薄溢利金額乃按用於計算每股基本溢利 之期內本公司普通股權持有人應佔溢利計算。 計算時所用之普通股加權平均數為計算每股基 本溢利所用之期內已發行之普通股數目,以及 假設普通股加權平均數於所有具攤薄潛力之普 通股被視作獲行使或兑換成普通股時已以無償 形式發行。

7. EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY (continued)

The calculations of the basic and diluted earnings per share are based on:

7. 本公司普通股權持有人應佔每股溢利(續)

每股基本及攤薄溢利乃按下列基準計算:

For the six months ended 30 June 截至六月三十日止六個月

2017 二零一七年

2016 二零一六年

(Unaudited) (未經審核)

(Unaudited) (未經審核)

HK\$'000

HK\$'000

千港元

千港元

Earnings

Profit attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company, used in the basic earnings per share calculation

本公司普通權益持有人應佔溢利用作計算 每股基本溢利

20,455

4,055

Number of shares 股份數目

Shares

Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period used in the basic earnings per share calculation

Effect of dilution - weighted average number of ordinary shares: Share options

股份

期內已發行普通股加權平均數 用作計算每股基本溢利

攤薄影響一普通股加權

平均數:購股權

866,106,337

866,089,853

4,299

866,106,337

866,094,152

DIVIDEND

At a meeting of the Board held on 28 August 2017, an interim dividend of HK2 cents per share was declared for the year ending 31 December 2017. This proposed dividend is not reflected as a dividend payable in these condensed financial statements, but will be reflected as an appropriation of retained profits for the year ending 31 December 2017.

8. 股息

本公司於二零一七年八月二十八日舉行之董事 會會議上宣佈截至二零一七年十二月三十一日 止年度派發中期股息每股2港仙。此擬派發之股 息並未於本簡明財務報表中以應付股息反映, 惟將於截至二零一七年十二月三十一日止年度 之保留溢利撥款中反映。

9. AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE INVESTMENTS

9. 可供出售投資

		30 June	31 December
		2017	2016
		二零一七年	二零一六年
		六月三十日	十二月三十一日
		(Unaudited) (未經審核)	
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000
		千港元	千港元
Investment securities:	投資證券:		
Listed equity securities, at fair value	上市股本證券,按公平值	47	47
Unlisted debt securities, at fair value	非上市債務證券,按公平值	8,100	8,100
			2.1/=
		8,147	8,147

The above investments consist of investments in equity securities which are designated as available-for-sale financial assets and have no fixed maturity date or coupon rate.

上述投資包括界定為可供出售財務資產且無固 定到期日或票息率之股本證券投資。

10. TRADE RECEIVABLES

10. 應收賬款

		, , ,	31 December 2016 二零一六年 十二月三十一日
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
Trade receivables Impairment	應收賬款 減值	387,623 (15,930)	445,834 (15,950)
		371,693	429,884

The Group's trading terms with its customers are mainly on credit, except for new customers, where payment in advance is normally required. The credit period is generally for a period of one month, extending up to three months for major customers. Each customer has a maximum credit limit. The Group seeks to maintain strict control over its outstanding receivables and has a credit control department to minimise credit risk. Overdue balances are reviewed regularly by senior management. In view of the aforementioned and the fact that the Group's trade receivables relate to a large number of diversified customers, there is no significant concentration of credit risk. The Group does not hold any collateral or other credit enhancements over its trade receivable balances. Trade receivables are non-interest bearing.

除了新客户一般須提前付款外,本集團與其客户之貿易主要採取記賬形式進行,信貸期內之個月,主要客户可延長至三個月。各應與其一個有最高信貸額。本集團對其尚未清償與賬款維持嚴格控制,並設有信貸監控計逾減低信貸風險。高級管理層經常檢討逾應以基於五人之結餘。考慮到上述各項及本集團之應與大量多元化客户有關,故並無信貸有人。本集團並無就其應收賬款為免息。何抵押品或其他信用提升物。應收賬款為免息。

10. TRADE RECEIVABLES (continued)

An aged analysis of trade receivables as at the end of the reporting period, based on the payment due date, is as follows:

10. 應收賬款(續)

於報告期末,應收賬款根據款項到期日之賬齡 分析載列如下:

			31 December 2016 二零一六年 十二月三十一日
		HK\$'000 千港元	 HK\$'000 千港元
Compart to 20 James	即期至30天		
Current to 30 days 31 – 60 days	31至60天	256,514 27,016	249,273 59,022
61 – 90 days	61至90天	28,426	42,796
91 – 120 days	91至120天	15,640	25,756
Over 120 days	超過120天	60,027	68,987
		387,623	445,834

11. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

11. 按公平值記入損益賬之財務資產

			31 December 2016 二零一六年 十二月三十一日
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000
		千港元	千港元
Listed equity securities, at market value	上市股本證券,按市值	15,912	14,645
Unlisted debt securities, at fair value	非上市債務證券,按公平值	74,534	73,079
Credit-linked deposits, at fair value	信用掛鈎定期,按公平值	17,547	3,849
Portion classified as current assets Other unlisted investments, at cost and	分類為流動資產之部分 其他非上市投資,按成本值及	107,993	91,573
included in non-current assets	計入非流動資產	8,190	7,800
		116,183	99,373

The above investments as at 30 June 2017 and 31 December 2016 were classified as held for trading and were, upon initial recognition, designated by the Group as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss. The fair values for the above unlisted debt securities were determined based on the quoted prices from investment banks.

於二零一七年六月三十日及二零一六年十二月 三十一日,上述投資分類為持作買賣用途,於 初始確認時,本集團將其指定為按公平值記入 損益賬之財務資產。上述非上市債務證券之公 平值按投資銀行所報價格而釐定。

11. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS (continued)

As at 30 June 2017, certain investments with aggregate carrying amount of HK\$8,190,000 (31 December 2016: HK\$7,800,000) were classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss in entirety on the basis that the investments contained one or more embedded derivatives. At 30 June 2017, the investments were stated at cost less impairment because of the wide range of reasonable fair value estimates of the embedded derivates that the directors are of the opinion that their fair values cannot be measured reliably. The Group does not intend to dispose of these investments in the near future and therefore they have been included in non-current assets.

12. TRADE AND BILLS PAYABLES

An aged analysis of trade and bills payables as at the end of the reporting period, based on the payment due date, is as follows:

11. 按公平值記入損益賬之財務資產(續)

於二零一七年六月三十日,總面值為8,190,000 港元(二零一六年十二月三十一日:7,800,000 港元)之若干投資已按包含一項或多項嵌入式 衍生工具之投資之基準全部分類為按公平值記 入損益賬之財務資產。於二零一七年六月三十 日,該等投資按成本減去減值入賬,原因為嵌 入式衍生工具的合理公平值估計的範圍廣泛, 以致董事認為,公平值不能可靠地計量。本集 團不擬於近期出售該等投資,因此,該等投資 已計入非流動資產。

12. 應付賬款及票據

於報告期末,應付賬款及票據根據款項到期日 之賬齡分析載列如下:

			31 December 2016 二零一六年 十二月三十一日
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000
		千港元	千港元
Current to 30 days	即期至30天	49,870	42,052
31 - 60 days	31至60天	6,740	12,154
61 – 90 days	61至90天	5,543	1,891
91 – 120 days	91至120天	1,659	499
Over 120 days	超過120天	711	1,007
		64,523	57,603

The trade payables are non-interest-bearing and are normally settled on 60-day terms.

應付款項並不計息且一般須於60日償還。

13. SHARE CAPITAL

13. 股本

		, – ,	31 December 2016 二零一六年 十二月三十一日
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
Authorised: 2,354,256,546 ordinary shares of HK\$0.2 each	<i>法定股本:</i> 2,354,256,546股普通股每股面值0.2港元	470,851	470,851
1,291,486,908 5% redeemable cumulative convertible preference shares of HK\$0.1 each	1,291,486,908股每股面值0.1港元之 5%累積可贖回可轉換優先股	129,149	129,149
		600,000	600,000
Issued and fully paid: 866,106,337 (31 December 2016: 866,106,337) ordinary shares of HK\$0.2 each	已發行及繳足股本: 866,106,337股(二零一六年十二月 三十一日:866,106,337股)普通股 每股面值0.2港元	173,222	173,222

14. SHARE OPTION SCHEMES

Share options are granted to certain directors and employees. The exercise price of the granted options shall be at least the higher of: (i) the closing price of the shares on the date of grant; and (ii) the average closing price of the shares for the five business days immediate preceding the date of grant. The contractual life of the options is ten years and the Group has no legal or constructive obligation to repurchase or settle the options in cash.

14. 購股權計劃

購股權可授予若干董事及僱員。授出之購股權 行使價須至少為下列兩者中的較高者:(i)有關 股份在購股權授出日期的收市價;及(ii)該等 股份在購股權授出日期前5個營業日的平均收市 價。購股權之合約年期為十年,而本集團並無 以現金購回或清償購股權之法律或推定責任。

15. COMMITMENTS

15. 承擔

The Group had the following capital commitments at the end of the reporting period:

本集團於報告期末有以下資本承擔:

30 June

31 December

			2016 二零一六年 十二月三十一日
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
Contracted, but not provided for: Land and buildings	已訂約但未撥備: 土地及樓宇	157,637	93,179

16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

16. 關連人士交易

(a) Material transactions with related parties

(a) 與關連人士之重大交易

		ended 30 截至六月三十) June
		2017 二零一七年	. , . ,
		(Unaudited) (未經審核)	(Unaudited) (未經審核)
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
News service fee income received from joint ventures	來自合營企業之已收新聞服務費用收入	7,649	7,634
Service fee income received from	來自合營企業之已收服務費用收入		,
joint ventures Service fee income received from	來自一間聯營公司之已收服務費用收入	4,262	4,671
an associate Advertising income received from	來自一間聯營公司之已收廣告收入	627	338
an associate		60	444
Contribution expenses paid to an associate	支付一間聯營公司之稿費支出	660	660

16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (continued)

16. 關連人士交易(續)

(b) Compensation of key management personnel of the Group

(b) 本集團主要管理人員之薪酬

For the six months

		ended 36 截至六月三十 2017 二零一七年 (Unaudited) (未經審核)) June
		HK\$'000 千港元	HK\$'000 千港元
Short term employee benefits Post-employment benefits Share-based payments	短期僱員福利 退休後福利 以股份為基礎之付款	10,892 36 2,279	11,269 36 1,194
Total compensation paid to key management personnel	向主要管理人員支付之酬金總額	13,207	12,499

17. APPROVAL OF THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT

17. 批核本中期財務報告

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board on 28 August 2017.

董事會於二零一七年八月二十八日批核並授權 刊發本簡明綜合中期財務報表。

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RESULTS

The principal activities of the Group comprise Media operations including Newspapers, Magazines, Recruitment Media, New Media and other media-related businesses.

For the six months ended 30 June 2017 ("Period"), the Group reported consolidated revenue of approximately HK\$734.3 million, as compared with approximately HK\$798.8 million for the six months ended 30 June 2016 ("Previous Period"), and consolidated profit for the Period of approximately HK\$20.5 million, as compared with approximately HK\$4.1 million for the Previous Period.

REVIEW OF MEDIA OPERATIONS

Although Hong Kong's economy showed signs of recovery in the first half of 2017, the market sentiment was still fraught with uncertainties, as retail sales and tourist spending had yet to resume growth, and the US interest rate outlook continued to pose risks of financial market volatility. According to admanGo, Hong Kong's total advertising market expanded by 3% in the first half of 2017 compared with the first half of 2016, an improvement from the downward trend last year. However, not all media sectors saw growth, and print media continued to experience a drop in advertising revenue. The Group's revenue for the Period was thus adversely affected, however the revenue decline has slowed down compared with the first half year or second half year of 2016, and overall profit performance of the Group has improved thanks to effective cost control and efficiency gains.

業績

本集團的主要業務為媒體業務,包括報章、雜誌、 招聘媒體、新媒體及其他媒體相關業務。

截至二零一七年六月三十日止六個月(「本期內」), 本集團錄得綜合收入為約734,300,000港元,而截至 二零一六年六月三十日止六個月(「去年同期」)則 為約798,800,000港元,同時錄得期內綜合溢利為約 20,500,000港元,而去年同期則為約4,100,000港元。

媒體業務回顧

儘管香港經濟於二零一七年上半年呈現復甦跡象, 然而市場情緒仍然充滿不明朗因素,一方面零售業 銷貨額及旅客消費仍有待恢復增長,另一方面美 國利率前景亦繼續帶來金融市場波動風險。根據 admanGo的統計,於二零一七年上半年,香港整體 廣告市場相對二零一六年上半年增長3%,扭轉去年 的跌勢,但是並非所有媒體類別均錄得升幅,印刷 媒體的廣告收入則繼續有所下跌。本集團本期內收 入因此受到影響,惟跌幅較去年上半年或去年下半 年收窄,同時通過有效的成本控制措施以及效率提 升,整體溢利表現取得改善。

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Newspapers

The Group's newspaper operations comprise Headline Daily, Sing Tao Daily, The Standard and the overseas business of Sing Tao Daily. Together, these account for the largest percentage of the Media operations' revenue and profit.

Headline Daily continued to be Hong Kong's number 1 free newspaper. With an average weekday circulation of over 821,000 copies (according to Hong Kong Audit Bureau of Circulations 2017Q1 report), Headline Daily is the newspaper in Hong Kong with the highest circulation, and its readership of 1,236,000 (according to Ipsos Media Atlas 2017Q1 report), which increased by 2% compared with the readership in the 2016Q4 report, also remained the highest among all newspapers. Readership growth was mainly in the white collar and senior executive segments. Headline Daily was read by 75% of free newspaper readers and its readership was 11% more than the net total of the other three Chinese free newspapers combined (according to Ipsos Media Atlas 2017Q1 report). At the same time, Headline Daily continued to be the newspaper with the highest advertising revenue in the first half of 2017, according to admanGo. It recorded advertising revenue growth in a range of categories such as Pharmaceuticals, Retail, Restaurants, Telecommunications and Property. As the market leader, Headline Daily not only continued to provide high-quality content to its readers but also a cost-effective and high value-added marketing medium for advertisers. Headline Finance paper maintained an upward readership growth trend and continued to be ahead of other finance newspapers in Hong Kong by a large margin.

報章

本集團的報章業務包括《頭條日報》、《星島日報》、 《英文虎報》及《星島日報》海外業務,乃媒體業務收 入及溢利的主要來源。

《頭條日報》穩踞香港第一免費報章之位。根據香 港出版銷數公證會二零一七年第一季的報告,《頭 條日報》周一至周五的平均發行量超過821.000份, 為香港發行量最多的報章,而根據Ipsos Media Atlas二零一七年第一季的調查結果,其讀者人數達 1,236,000人,是所有報章中最高,亦較二零一六年 第四季的調查結果中的讀者人數增加2%,增長主 要在白領及高級行政人員組別的讀者。根據Ipsos Media Atlas二零一七年第一季的調查結果,《頭條 日報》佔免費日報讀者市場的75%,其讀者人數較其 他三份中文免費報章的讀者人數淨總和超出11%。 與此同時,根據admanGo的統計,《頭條日報》於二 零一七年上半年繼續為廣告收入最多的報章,在多 個廣告類別包括藥物、零售、餐廳、電訊和地產均 錄得廣告收入增長。《頭條日報》作為市場領導者, 不僅繼續為其讀者提供優質的內容,而且為廣告客 戶提供具有成本效益及高增值的市場推廣平台。《頭 條財經報》維持讀者人數增長的上升趨勢,並繼續 遙遙領先香港其他財經報章。

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Sing Tao Daily saw a notable improvement in its 2017 first half results, sustaining relatively stable revenue and achieving enhanced profitability due to its efforts on cost control and efficiency optimisation. According to admanGo, in the first half of 2017, Sing Tao Daily continued to be the market leader in Property advertisements. At the same time, it was the paid newspaper with the largest amount of advertising revenue in Retail and Luxury Products. It also recorded revenue growth in other categories including Travel, Banking and Entertainment. These all prove that Sing Tao Daily has been successful in both broadening and deepening its advertising revenue base despite the difficult industry environment. Sing Tao Daily is committed to providing a premium newspaper to serve its readers and is able to win their loyalty. According to Ipsos Media Atlas 2017Q1 report, among the niche paid newspapers, Sing Tao Daily had the highest percentage of readers who were shopping decision makers; Sing Tao Daily's readers were also the most willing to spend on their kids. In addition, Smart Parents' readership continued to grow and recorded a 34% growth according to Ipsos Media Atlas 2017Q1 report (compared with the 2016Q4 report).

Performance of The Standard during the Period was steady, with improvements in results due to effective cost control measures. According to Ipsos Media Atlas 2017Q1 report, readership of The Standard achieved a 13% increase (compared with the 2016Q4 report), one of the best performing among all newspapers. According to admanGo, The Standard recorded a 5% increase in advertising revenue in the first half of 2017 on a year-on-year basis. Growth was attained in a range of advertising categories including Property, Media, Travel, Hotels and Government.

Amidst a tough operating environment due to challenges from new media and changes in advertiser and reader behavior, the overseas operations of Sing Tao Daily maintained a stable bottom line performance during the Period, resulting from stringent cost control, improvements in work flow efficiencies and restructuring in management and operation. In particular, the US operations continued to stand firm through consistent efforts to innovate their products and services, diversify their revenue sources and realise synergies.

《星島日報》於二零一七年上半年的業績顯著改善, 收入維持相對穩定,而由於致力控制成本及提高效 率,盈利能力得以加強。根據admanGo的統計,於 二零一七年上半年,《星島日報》繼續在地產廣告類 別為錄得最多收入的報章,同時其在零售及名貴禮 品等廣告類別也是錄得最多收入的收費報章。在旅 遊、銀行和娛樂等其他廣告類別,《星島日報》亦取 得收入增長。藉此能顯示到,儘管行業環境困難, 《星島日報》仍然成功擴大及深化其廣告收入基礎。 《星島日報》致力為讀者提供優質報章,並贏得忠實 讀者的支持。根據Ipsos Media Atlas二零一七年第 一季的調查結果,在優質定位的收費報章當中,《星 島日報》擁有讀者為購物決策者的最高比例;《星島 日報》的讀者也是在育兒方面花費最高的。此外, 根據Ipsos Media Atlas二零一七年第一季的調查結 果,與二零一六年第四季的調查結果相比,《親子 王》的讀者人數繼續增長,錄得34%的升幅。

《英文虎報》於本期內表現回穩,由於成本控制措施 奏效,經營有所改善。根據Ipsos Media Atlas二零 一七年第一季的調查結果,《英文虎報》的讀者人數 與二零一六年第四季的調查結果相比增加13%,為 所有報章中表現最好之一。根據admanGo的統計, 於二零一七年上半年,《英文虎報》的廣告收入按年 上升5%,在地產、媒體、旅遊、酒店和政府等多個 廣告類別均取得增長。

新媒體的挑戰和廣告客戶及讀者行為的改變,使經 營環境艱困,在此情況下,《星島日報》海外業務於 本期內的盈利表現仍然保持平穩,此乃歸因於嚴格 的成本控制、工作流程效率提高以及精簡管理及營 運架構。尤其是,美國的業務一直致力創新其產品 及服務,使其收入來源多元化以及實現協同效應, 以致業績得以維持堅穩。

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Magazines

In the first half of 2017, the magazine advertising market in Hong Kong continued to suffer a decline, registering a 36% year-on-year drop according to admanGo. Performance of the Group's flagship magazine, East Week, was relatively better than its competitors with a smaller reduction in revenue than the market's average. It managed to diversify its advertising categories and achieved growth in Entertainment, Insurance and Pharmaceuticals. According to Ipsos Media Atlas 2017Q1 report, East Week achieved an 8% increase in readership (compared with the 2016Q4 report). Given the industry trend, the Group's Magazine unit has continued to realign its cost structure, adjust its business model and consolidate its resources to increase competitiveness. At the same time, it continues to integrate digital development into its products, including social media, in order to invigorate their reader bases and create new stimuli for growth. As a result, the Magazine unit has seen stabilisation in its operating results for the Period.

Recruitment Media

The Group continued to lead in Hong Kong's recruitment print media market during the Period. According to Ipsos Media Atlas 2017Q1 report, JobMarket achieved a 26% increase in readership (compared with the 2016Q4 report), the highest among the industry. It continued to hold the largest share of advertising spending among print recruitment publications in spite of a drop in advertising revenue in the print recruitment sector in the first half of 2017, according to admanGo. "Headline Hot Jobs" continued to grow its business and has become an increasingly important contributor to revenue and profit, while the Group's online recruitment business continued to develop.

雜誌

根據admanGo的統計,香港的雜誌廣告市場在二零 一七年上半年持續回落,按年錄得36%的減幅。本 集團旗艦雜誌《東周刊》的表現較市場為佳,其收入 減少幅度相對同業優勝。《東周刊》成功使其廣告類 別更多元化,並在娛樂、保險及藥物廣告類別取得 增長。根據Ipsos Media Atlas二零一七年第一季的 調查結果,《東周刊》的讀者人數與二零一六年第四 季的調查結果相比增加8%。在行業趨勢下,本集 團的雜誌業務繼續優化成本結構、調整業務模式和 整合資源,以加強競爭力。與此同時,雜誌業務繼 續將其核心產品結合電子化發展,包括善用社交媒 體,為讀者基礎注入新的元素,同時鋪設新的增長 動力。雜誌業務的經營業績因此於本期內保持平穩。

招聘媒體

於本期內,本集團繼續領導香港平面招聘媒體市 場。根據Ipsos Media Atlas二零一七年第一季的 調查結果,《JobMarket 求職廣場》的讀者人數與 二零一六年第四季的調查結果相比上升26%,冠 絕全行。根據admanGo的統計,於二零一七年上 半年,儘管平面招聘刊物的廣告收入有所下跌, 《JobMarket 求職廣場》所佔的廣告開支份額在香港 平面招聘刊物當中仍然為最大。「頭條日報筍工金 榜」的業務繼續擴大,為收入和溢利所作的貢獻日 益重要,而本集團的網上招聘業務則繼續取得發展。

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New Media Business Development

The Group continues to develop its new media business, adopting an "offline to online" strategy to provide both readers and advertisers with a diversified platform of content and advertising solutions and services.

"Headline POPNews" continued to enhance and diversify its content to match the liking of its new generation readers, and more than doubled its average monthly browsers during the Period as compared with the Previous Period. Both Headline Daily's website (hd.stheadline. com) and Sing Tao Daily's website (std.stheadline.com) continued to grow steadily in traffic and popularity; the former recorded an increase in average monthly browsers of 44% and average monthly pageviews of 25% during the Period as compared with the Previous Period, while the latter recorded an increase in average monthly browsers of 69% and average monthly pageviews of 38% during the Period as compared with the Previous Period.

Significant progress in both revenue and traffic was delivered by the one-stop education and parenting portal Ohpama.com. Average monthly browsers grew by 125% while average monthly pageviews grew by 110% during the Period as compared with the Previous Period; at the same time, its Facebook page likes increased by 152%. Together with the facebook page of 24parent.com (a section of Ohpama.com), it is the top parenting social media in Hong Kong. Ohpama.com has built a strong position in the market as the most respected digital platform for education and parenting, and is winning the loyalty of both readers and advertisers.

At the beginning of 2017, the Group formed a new digital marketing company, Shimba Digital Limited, for bringing together the sales and marketing of the Group's diverse media platforms. Shimba Digital Limited provides one-stop offline-to-online marketing solutions to meet the increasing demand from advertisers for cross-media marketing services. For example, under the coordination of Shimba Digital Limited, the Group launched a cross-platform campaign for the 20th anniversary of the establishment of the HKSAR, which attracted staunch support from advertisers. Also under the coordination of Shimba Digital Limited, the Headline Daily "Jetso" app expanded its range of shopping offers, interactive games and promotional activities to help advertisers engage with their customers.

新媒體業務發展

本集團繼續發展新媒體業務,採用「網下結合網上」 策略,為讀者和廣告客戶提供多元化的內容和廣告 解決方案及服務平台。

「頭條POPNews」繼續增強內容及使其多元化,以 配合新一代讀者的喜好,於本期內的每月平均訪客 量相較去年同期錄得倍增以上。《頭條日報》的網站 「hd.stheadline.com」以及《星島日報》的網站「std. stheadline.com」的流量及受歡迎程度均繼續穩步增 長;於本期內,前者的每月平均訪客量較去年同期 錄得44%的增幅,而每月平均瀏覽量則錄得25%的 增幅;於本期內,後者的每月平均訪客量較去年同 期錄得69%的增幅,而每月平均瀏覽量則錄得38% 的增幅。

一站式升學及親子網站[Oh! 爸媽 | 在收入和流量 兩方面均取得重大進展。於本期內,每月平均訪客 量較去年同期增長125%,而每月平均瀏覽量則增 長110%。與此同時,其Facebook專頁的讚好增加 152%, 連同「廿四孝父母」(為「Oh! 爸媽」的分支網 站)的Facebook專頁,其為香港首屈一指的親子社 交媒體。「Oh! 爸媽」在市場上樹立作為最權威的升 學及親子數碼平台的穩固地位,贏得不少忠實讀者 和廣告客戶的支持。

本集團於二零一七年初成立全新的電子市場推廣公 司Shimba Digital Limited,以協調本集團多個不同 媒體平台的銷售和市場推廣業務。Shimba Digital Limited提供一站式跨平台、跨媒體的市場推廣方 案,以滿足廣告客戶對多媒體營銷服務日益增長的 需求。例如,經Shimba Digital Limited協調,本集 團就香港特別行政區成立二十週年推出跨平台推 廣方案,吸引廣告客戶的業務投放。同樣經Shimba Digital Limited協調,「頭條Jetso」應用程式擴大購 物優惠、互動遊戲和市場推廣活動,成為廣告商與 其客戶之間的溝通平台。

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PROSPECTS

For the second half of 2017, Hong Kong's media market as a whole will still be fraught with challenges. Notwithstanding this, traditional print media is still considered mainstream. According to Ipsos Media Atlas, newspaper (print) readership in Hong Kong increased in 2017Q1 and readers' profile also improved, with growth most notable in the aged under 50, highly-educated and senior executive groups. This goes to prove that print media still appeal to and serve a segment of premium readers who demand high quality content.

As a leader in the print media market, the Group will continue to improve the competitiveness of its core businesses by increasing their operating efficiency, providing added value to advertisers and upholding its commitment to high quality content. At the same time, the Group has continued to develop its new media products and services, equip our staff and resources, and offer offline-to-online platforms and solutions to meet the market's changing needs. The ongoing consolidation in the print media industry presents opportunities as well as risks. We believe that the Group is well prepared to embrace the changes and to benefit from a recovery in the operating environment.

Our workplace relocation plan to the expanded premises in Tseung Kwan O is progressing and expected to take effect by the end of 2017, which will further contribute to cost savings and operational synergies.

展望

二零一七年下半年本港媒體市場整體仍然充滿挑 戰。然而,傳統印刷媒體仍被視為主流。根據Ipsos Media Atlas的調查結果,香港印刷報章的讀者人數 於二零一七年第一季有所增加,而讀者的質素也有 見提升,當中五十歲以下、具備高等教育程度及高 級行政人員讀者組別的增長最為顯著。這證明印刷 媒體對要求優質內容的高端讀者群仍然具有吸引力 及服務價值。

本集團在印刷媒體市場具領導地位,將會不斷致力 提高營運效率、為廣告客戶提供增值服務及堅持制 作優質內容,從而提升其核心業務的競爭力。與此 同時,本集團繼續開發新媒體產品和服務、裝備員 工和資源及提供橫跨網下網上的平台和解決方案, 以滿足市場不斷改變的需要。印刷媒體行業的持續 整合帶來挑戰亦同時帶來機遇。我們相信,本集團 已做好準備迎接改變,於經營環境改善時將可以受 惠。

本集團於將軍澳物業的擴建工程及工作地點遷移 計劃正在進行中,預期將會於二零一七年年底前完 成,這將會進一步節省成本和帶來營運的協同效應。

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LIQUIDITY, FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND GEARING **RATIO**

The Group maintained a strong financial position with a net cash position throughout the Period under review. As at 30 June 2017, the Group had a net cash balance (calculated with reference to the Group's cash balances and total borrowings) of approximately HK\$610 million (31 December 2016: approximately HK\$669 million).

The gearing ratio, defined as long-term borrowings to equity, was zero as at 30 June 2017 (31 December 2016: zero).

CAPITAL STRUCTURE, EXPOSURE TO FLUCTUATIONS IN EXCHANGE RATES

The Group adopts a prudent approach in managing its treasury function and uses different hedging methods to minimize the impact of foreign exchange fluctuations on its financial performance.

EMPLOYEES

As at 30 June 2017, the Group had approximately 1,693

The Group remunerates its employees based on individual and business performance. Competitive salaries and benefits are paid to attract and retain quality staff. Other employee benefits include medical insurance, discretionary bonus, share options and provident fund schemes.

INTERIM DIVIDEND

The Board has resolved to declare an interim dividend of HK2 cents (Previous Period: HK2 cents) per share for the Period payable on Friday, 22 September 2017 to shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on Thursday, 14 September 2017.

流動資金、財務資源及資本負債比率

本集團於本期內維持穩健之財政狀況並保持淨現金 狀況。於二零一七年六月三十日,本集團現金結餘 淨額(根據本集團現金結餘及借貸總額計算)約為 610,000,000港元(二零一六年十二月三十一日:約 為669,000,000港元)。

於二零一十年六月三十日,本集團之資本負債比率 (即長期借貸與資本之比率)為零(二零一六年十二 月三十一日:零)。

資本結構、匯率波動風險

本集團採取審慎方式管理其司庫運作及使用各種對 沖方式以減低因外匯波動而對其財務表現造成之影 響。

僱員

於二零一七年六月三十日,本集團共有約1,693名員 工。

本集團根據其僱員之個人表現及其業績,給予僱員 具吸引力之薪酬及福利,以吸引及挽留優質員工。 其他僱員福利包括醫療保險、酌情花紅、認股權及 公積金計劃。

中期股息

董事會議決宣佈就本期內派發中期股息每股2港仙 (去年同期:2港仙), 並於二零一七年九月二十二 日(星期五)派予於二零一七年九月十四日(星期四) 名列於本公司股東名冊內之股東。

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DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S INTERESTS

As at 30 June 2017, the interests of the directors and chief executive of the Company in the shares and underlying shares of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance ("SFO")) as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers ("Model Code") as set out in Appendix 10 to the Listing Rules, were as follows:

董事及最高行政人員的權益

於二零一七年六月三十日,本公司董事及最高行政 人員在本公司及其相聯法團(定義見證券及期貨條 例(「證券及期貨條例」)第XV部)的股份及相關股份 中,擁有根據證券及期貨條例第352條本公司須予 備存的登記冊所記錄或根據上市規則附錄十所載之 上市發行人董事進行證券交易的標準守則(「標準守 則」)須另行知會本公司及聯交所的權益如下:

(a) Interests in the Company

(a) 在本公司的權益

Number of ordinary shares and underlying shares held, capacity and nature of interest

所持首趄胶及相關胶衍數日、身份及權益性負						Percentage	
	Interests in underlying					of the Company's	
Name of director		Note	Personal interests	Corporate interests	shares (Note 2) 在相關股份	Total	issued voting shares 佔本公司已
董事姓名	,	附註	個人權益	公司權益	中的權益 <i>(附註2)</i>	總數	發行的有投票權 股份之百分比
Mr. Ho Tsu Kwok, Charles	何柱國先生	1	_	426,197,500	4,230,000	430,427,500	49.70%
Mr. Ho Kent Ching Tak	何正德先生		-	-	6,000,000	6,000,000	0.69%
Mr. Jia Hongping	賈紅平先生		2,000,000	_	4,500,000	6,500,000	0.75%
Mr. Lau Chung Man, Louis	劉仲文先生		3,000,000	_	6,000,000	9,000,000	1.04%
Mr. Lo Wing Hung	盧永雄先生		18,000,000	_	1,500,000	19,500,000	2.25%
Mr. Siu Sai Wo	蕭世和先生		7,872,500	-	8,900,000	16,772,500	1.94%

(b) Interests in associated corporations of the Company

As at 30 June 2017, Mr. Lo Wing Hung, a director of the Company, had the following corporate interests in shares of the following associated corporations of the Company:

(b) 在本公司的相聯法團中的權益

於二零一七年六月三十日,本公司董事盧永雄 先生於下列本公司的相聯法團之股份中,持有 以下公司權益:

Name of associated corporation 相聯法團名稱		Notes 附註	Total number of shares held 持有之股份 數目總數	the associated corporation's issued voting shares 佔該相聯法團已發行的有投票權股本之百分比
BasBuy Company Limited	巴士的優惠站有限公司	4	2	100%
Bastille Heat Book Store Limited	巴士的熱火書店有限公司	4	1	100%
Bastille JC Bookcity Limited	巴士的精彩書城有限公司	4	2	100%
Bastille Post Company Limited ("BPCL")	巴士的報有限公司(「巴士的報」)	3	25,400,000	70%
Bravo Link Limited ("BLL")	貝萊新媒體有限公司(「貝萊」)	4	1	100%
Bravo Link (HK) Limited ("BLHKL")	貝萊新媒體(香港)有限公司			
	(「貝萊香港」)	5	1	100%
Bravo Link New Media Limited	貝萊新媒體有限公司	7	2	100%
Ticker Asia Limited		4	155	77.5%
Ticker International Limited		6	2,500	20%
Upower Hong Kong Company Limited		4	2	100%
Upower.com.hk Company Limited		4	2	100%
Vinvest Hong Kong Company Limited		4	2	100%
Vinvest.com.hk Company Limited		4	2	100%

Percentage of

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Notes:

- The corporate interests of 426,197,500 shares were held by Luckman Trading Limited ("Luckman"), which was beneficially owned by Mr. Ho Tsu Kwok, Charles.
- These interests represented share options granted under the share option scheme of the Company which was adopted on 23 May 2012 ("2012 Scheme"), details of which are set out in the section "Share Options" below.
- The corporate interests of 25,400,000 shares were held by Bastille Post Holdings Limited ("BPHL"), which was beneficially owned by Mr. Lo Wing Hung.
- Mr. Lo Wing Hung was deemed to be interested in these shares held through BPCL, which was owned by BPHL and the Group as to 70% and 30% respectively.
- Mr. Lo Wing Hung was deemed to be interested in the one share held through BLL, which was wholly-owned by
- Mr. Lo Wing Hung was deemed to be interested in 2,500 shares held through TAL, which was owned by BPCL as to
- Mr. Lo Wing Hung was deemed to be interested in these shares held through BPCL and BLHKL as to 90% and 10% respectively. BLHKL was wholly-owned by BLL.

Save as disclosed herein, none of the directors and chief executive of the Company had any interest and short positions in the shares and underlying shares of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO or otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

附註:

- 公司權益之股份426.197.500股由Luckman Trading Limited(「Luckman」)持有,該公司由何 柱國先生實益擁有。
- 該等權益指本公司根據於二零一二年五月二十三 日採納的購股權計劃(「二零一二年計劃」)而授出 之購股權,有關詳情載於下文「購股權」一節內。
- 公司權益之股份25,400,000股由Bastille Post Holdings Limited(「BPHL」)持有,該公司由盧永 雄先生實益擁有。
- 盧永雄先生被視為擁有透過巴士的報所持有該等 股份權益,該公司分別由BPHL及本集團擁有70% 及30%權益。
- 盧永雄先生被視為擁有透過貝萊所持有一股股份 權益,該公司為巴士的報全資所擁有。
- 盧永雄先生被視為擁有透過TAL所持有2,500股股 份權益,該公司由巴士的報擁有77.5%權益。
- 盧永雄先生被視為擁有透過巴士的報及貝萊香港 分別持有90%及10%的股份權益。貝萊香港由貝萊 全資擁有。

除本文所披露者外,概無本公司董事及最高行政人 員在本公司及其相聯法團(定義見證券及期貨條例 第XV部)的股份及相關股份中,擁有根據證券及期 貨條例第352條本公司須予備存的登記冊所記錄或 根據標準守則須另行知會本公司及聯交所之任何權 益及淡倉。

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SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' AND OTHER PERSONS' **INTERESTS**

As at 30 June 2017, those persons, other than the directors or chief executive of the Company, who had the interests of 5% or more of the issued voting shares of the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO, were as follows:

主要股東與其他人士之權益

於二零一七年六月三十日,根據證券及期貨條例第 336條本公司須予備存的登記冊所記錄,下列人士 (本公司之董事或最高行政人員除外)擁有本公司已 發行的有投票權股份5%或以上之權益:

Name		Notes	Capacity and nature of interest	Number of ordinary shares held	Percentage of the Company's issued voting shares 佔本公司已發行 的有投票權股份
名稱		附註	身份及權益性質	所持普通股數目	之百分比
Luckman		(1)	Beneficial owner 實益擁有人	426,197,500	49.21%
Hong Kong Tobacco Company Limited ("HK Tobacco")	香港煙草有限公司 (「香港煙草」)	(2)	Deemed interest 被視為擁有之權益	426,197,500	49.21%
Stagelight Group Limited			Beneficial owner 實益擁有人	81,959,500	9.46%

Notes:

- (1) The interests of Mr. Ho Tsu Kwok, Charles, held through a controlled corporation, duplicate with those disclosed in the section "Directors' and Chief Executive's Interests" above.
- (2) Pursuant to an option agreement dated 20 June 2001 and nine supplemental agreements entered into between Luckman and HK Tobacco on 19 July 2002, 19 July 2003, 19 July 2006, 19 July 2007, 19 July 2008, 19 July 2010, 19 July 2012, 19 July 2014 and 19 July 2016, respectively, HK Tobacco was granted an option to purchase from Luckman 33,000,000 ordinary shares of the Company. Under Sections 317 and 318 of the SFO, HK Tobacco is deemed to be interested in all the 426,197,500 ordinary shares of the Company held by Luckman.

Save as disclosed herein, the Company had not been notified of any other interests or short positions being held by any person in the shares and underlying shares of the Company.

附註:

- 何柱國先生透過一家控制法團持有之權益與上文 「董事及最高行政人員的權益」一節內所披露之權 益相同。
- (2) 根據Luckman與香港煙草於二零零一年六月 二十日訂立之購股權協議及分別於二零零二年 七月十九日、二零零三年七月十九日、二零零六年 七月十九日、二零零七年七月十九日、二零零八年 七月十九日、二零一零年七月十九日、二零一二年 七月十九日、二零一四年七月十九日及二零一六年 七月十九日訂立之九份補充協議,香港煙草 獲授購股權,可向Luckman購入本公司普通股 33,000,000股。根據證券及期貨條例第317及318 條,香港煙草被視為擁有Luckman所持有之全部 426,197,500股本公司普通股之權益。

除本文所披露者外,本公司並不獲悉任何人士持有 本公司之股份及相關股份的任何其他權益或淡倉。

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SHARE OPTIONS

購股權

During the Period, particulars and movements of the outstanding share options granted under the share option schemes of the Company were as follows:

於本期內,根據本公司購股權計劃授出而尚未行使 之購股權的詳情及變動如下:

	Date of			share options 權數目			Exercise price	
Name or category of participant	grant of share options 購股權	At 1 January 2017 於 二零一七年	Granted during the Period	Lapsed during the Period	At 30 June 2017 於 二零一七年	Exercised period of share options	of share options (Note 1) 購股權 行使價	Fair value per share option 每股 購股權的
參與者姓名或類別 ————————————————————————————————————	授出日期	一月一日	期內授出	期內失效	六月三十日	購股權行使期	(附註1)	公平值
							HK\$ 港元	HK\$ 港元
Directors 董事								
Under the 2012 Scheme: 根據二零一二計劃:								
Mr. Ho Tsu Kwok, Charles	04/05/15	830,000	-	-	830,000	04/05/16 - 03/05/25	1.16	-
何柱國先生	13/01/17	-	3,400,000	-	3,400,000	13/01/18 - 12/01/27	1.01	0.307
Mr. Ho Kent Ching Tak (Note 2)	04/05/15	2,000,000	-	-	2,000,000	04/05/16 - 03/05/25	1.16	-
何正德先生 <i>(附註2)</i>	13/01/17	-	4,000,000	-	4,000,000	13/01/18 - 12/01/27	1.01	0.307
Mr. Jia Hongping	04/05/15	2,000,000	-	-	2,000,000	04/05/16 - 03/05/25	1.16	-
賈紅平先生	13/01/17	-	2,500,000	-	2,500,000	13/01/18 - 12/01/27	1.01	0.307
Mr. Lau Chung Man, Louis	04/05/15	2,000,000	-	-	2,000,000	04/05/16 - 03/05/25	1.16	-
劉仲文先生	13/01/17	-	4,000,000	-	4,000,000	13/01/18 - 12/01/27	1.01	0.307
Mr. Lo Wing Hung 盧永雄先生	13/01/17	-	1,500,000	-	1,500,000	13/01/18 - 12/01/27	1.01	0.307
Mr. Siu Sai Wo	04/05/15	4,000,000	-	-	4,000,000	04/05/16 - 03/05/25	1.16	-
蕭世和先生	13/01/17	_	4,900,000	_	4,900,000	13/01/18 - 12/01/27	1.01	0.307
Total 合計		10,830,000	20,300,000	-	31,130,000			
Other employees (in aggregate)								
其他僱員(總計) Under the share option scheme (adopted on 28 May 2002) ("2002 Scheme"): 根據購股權計劃 (於二零零二年五月二十八日採納) (「二零零二計劃」):	12/04/10	1,933,360	-	-	1,933,360	12/04/11 - 11/04/20	1.16	-
Under the 2012 Scheme:	04/05/15	26,000,000	_	(1,200,000)	24,800,000	04/05/16 - 03/05/25	1.16	_
根據二零一二計劃:	13/01/17		24,850,000		24,850,000	13/01/18 - 12/01/27	1.01	0.321
Total 合計		27,933,360	24,850,000	(1,200,000)	51,583,360			
Grant Total 總數		38,763,360	45,150,000 (Note 3) (附註3)	(1,200,000)	82,713,360			

其他資料

SHARE OPTIONS (continued)

Notes:

- 1. The exercise price of the share options is subject to adjustment in the case of rights or bonus issues, or other similar changes in the Company's share capital.
- 2. Mr. Ho Kent Ching Tak is the son of Mr. Ho Tsu Kwok, Charles who is a director and a substantial shareholder of the Company, and therefore an associate (as defined under the Listing Rules) of Mr. Ho Tsu Kwok, Charles.
- 3. The closing price of the shares of the Company immediately before the date on which the options were granted was HK\$1.01.

Save as disclosed above, there were no outstanding share options granted under the 2002 Scheme and the 2012 Scheme during the Period.

PURCHASE, REDEMPTION OR SALE OF LISTED SECURITIES OF THE COMPANY

Neither the Company, nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, redeemed or sold any of the Company's listed securities during the Period.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Company has adopted the code provisions set out in the Corporate Governance Code ("CG Code") contained in Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules and complied with the CG Code throughout the Period with deviations from the code provisions A.6.7 and E.1.2. The Chairman of the Board and all independent non-executive directors, except Ms. Ho Chiu King, Pansy Catilina and Mr. Lee Cho Jat, were unable to attend the annual general meeting of the Company held in 2017 due to prior or unexpected business engagement.

COMPLIANCE OF THE MODEL CODE FOR DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted the Model Code as set out in Appendix 10 to the Listing Rules.

The Company has made specific enquiries to all directors of the Company who have confirmed that they have complied with the required standard set out in the Model Code throughout the Period.

購股權(續)

附註:

- 1. 購股權之行使價須就有關供股、發行紅股或本公司股本出現之其他類似變動而作出調整。
- 何正德先生為本公司董事及主要股東何柱國先生 之兒子,因此彼為何柱國先生之聯繫人(定義見 上市規則)。
- 3. 本公司股份在緊接購股權授出日期之前的收市價 為1.01港元。

除上文所披露外,於本期內概無根據二零零二年計 劃及二零一二年計劃授出而尚未行使的購股權。

購買、贖回或出售本公司之上市證券

本公司或其任何附屬公司於本期內概無購買、贖回 或出售本公司之任何上市證券。

企業管治

本公司於本期內已採納並遵守上市規則附錄十四所載《企業管治守則》的守則條文,當中有偏離守則條文A.6.7及E.1.2。董事會主席及除何超瓊女士及李祖澤先生外的所有獨立非執行董事因較早前已安排或有未能預計之商業事務處理而未能出席本公司於二零一七年舉行之股東週年大會。

遵守董事進行證券交易之標準守則

本公司已採納上市規則附錄十所載之標準守則。

本公司在進行特定查詢後,本公司全體董事均已確認,彼等於本期內已遵守標準守則所列明之規定標準。

Other Information

其他資料

CHANGES IN DIRECTORS' INFORMATION

Pursuant to Rule 13.51B(1) of the Listing Rules, the changes in directors' information since the date of the 2016 annual report of the Company are set out below:

Mr. HO Kent Ching Tak

(Executive director)

awarded the World Outstanding Chinese Youth Entrepreneur Award in May 2017

Ms. HO Chiu King, Pansy Catalina

(Independent non-executive director)

appointed as Group Executive Chairman of Shun Tak Holdings Limited with effect from 23 June 2017

Save as disclosed above, there is no other change in the directors' information required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 13.51B(1) of the Listing Rules.

REVIEW OF INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The audit committee of the Company has reviewed the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group for the Period, including the accounting principles and accounting standards adopted by the Company, and discussed matters relating to risk management, internal control systems and financial reporting.

By Order of the Board HO Tsu Kwok, Charles Chairman

Hong Kong, 28 August 2017

董事資料之變更

根據上市規則第13.51B(1)條,自本公司二零一六年 年報刊發日期起之董事資料變更載列如下:

何正德先生

(執行董事)

於二零一七年五月獲頒世界傑出華人青年企業 家獎

何超瓊女士

(獨立非執行董事)

於二零一七年六月二十三日獲委任為信德集團 有限公司之集團行政主席

除上文所披露者外,董事資料概無其他變更須根據 上市規則第13.51B(1)條的規定予以披露。

審閱中期財務報表

本公司審核委員會已審閱本集團於本期內之未經審 核簡明綜合財務報表,包括本公司採納之會計原則 及準則,並已討論有關風險管理、內部監控系統及 財務報告之事宜。

承董事會命 主席 何柱國

香港,二零一七年八月二十八日

