

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT — UNAUDITED

		Six months ended 30 September	
		2000	1999
		<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
	<i>Notes</i>		
TURNOVER	2	87,626	160,222
Cost of sales		(71,859)	(131,066)
Gross profit		15,767	29,156
Other revenue		10,729	7,625
Administrative expenses		(16,000)	(23,515)
Other operating expenses		(7,745)	(6,370)
PROFIT FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	3	2,751	6,896
Finance costs		(823)	(3,287)
Share of profits less losses of associates		172	3,792
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		2,100	7,401
Tax	4	(60)	(637)
Profit before minority interests		2,040	6,764
Minority interests		228	—
NET PROFIT FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES ATTRIBUTABLE TO SHAREHOLDERS		<u>2,268</u>	<u>6,764</u>
Dividend		<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
EARNINGS PER SHARE	5		
Basic		<u>0.3 cent</u>	<u>1.6 cents</u>