

## Consolidated Profit and Loss Account (Unaudited) For the six months ended 30 September 2000

		For the six months ended 30 September	
	Notes	2000 HK\$'000	1999 HK\$'000
Turnover Cost of sales	2	111,566 (59,827)	90,628 (43,914)
Gross profit Other revenues Operating expenses		51,739 700	46,714 620
Distribution costs Administrative expenses Other operating (expenses)/income, net		(3,013) (26,548) (14,802)	(130) (14,054) 59,562
Operating profit Finance costs Share of profits less losses of associated companies	3	8,076 (7,421) 2,224	92,712 (10,350) 1,943
Profit before taxation Taxation	4	2,879 (422)	84,305 (2,360)
Profit after taxation Minority interests		2,457 294	81,945 (7,084)
Profit attributable to shareholders		2,751	74,861
Dividends			
Earnings per share Basic Diluted	5 5	0.19¢ 0.17¢	7.81¢ 7.30¢