CONSOLIDATED PROFIT & LOSS ACCOUNT

Unaudited			
Six months ended			
31 October			

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	Note	(As restated)		
		2000	1999	
		Note	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Turnover	2	391,388	383,838	
Cost of sales		(251,422)	(243,383)	
Gross profit		139,966	140,455	
Other revenues	2	7,174	5,693	
Distribution costs		(90,244)	(91,076)	
Administrative expenses		(43,432)	(44,259)	
Profit on disposal of property			13,410	
Profit before finance costs	4	13,464	24,223	
Finance costs	5	(5,816)	(6,804)	
Profit before taxation		7,648	17,419	
Tax charge	6	(600)	(960)	
Profit after taxation		7,048	16,459	
Minority interests			723	
Profit attributable to shareholders		7,048	17,182	
Earnings per share - Basic	7	0.26 cents	0.84 cents	
– Fully diluted		0.26 cents	0.71 cents	