Interim Financial Statements

Consolidated Profit and Loss Account - unaudited

| | For t | For the six months ended 31st December | |
|---|-------|--|-------------|
| | Notes | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | | | |
| Turnover | 2 (a) | 4,985,333 | 12,170,828 |
| Direct costs | | (2,534,108) | (5,690,254) |
| | | 2,451,225 | 6,480,574 |
| Other revenue | | 12,635 | 3,266 |
| Other net income/(expenses) | | 2,670 | (2,785) |
| Selling and distribution expenses | | (204,857) | (149,965) |
| Administrative expenses | | (242,193) | (214,071) |
| Other operating expenses | 3 | (51,413) | (924,670) |
| Profit from operations | 2 (b) | 1,968,067 | 5,192,349 |
| Finance costs | 5 (a) | (284,827) | (291,831) |
| Profit on disposal of investment | 4 | 654,463 | 827,385 |
| Deficits on revaluation of investment in securities | | (129,735) | (28,740) |
| Goodwill written off | | (24,359) | (5,007) |
| | | 2,183,609 | 5,694,156 |
| Share of profits less losses of associates | | 664,018 | 436,590 |
| Share of profits less losses of jointly | | | |
| controlled entities | | 45,600 | 71,150 |
| Profit from ordinary activities before taxation | 5 | 2,893,227 | 6,201,896 |
| Taxation | 6 | (317,550) | (1,042,725) |
| Profit from ordinary activities after taxation | | 2,575,677 | 5,159,171 |
| Minority interests | | (479,510) | (682,944) |
| Profit attributable to shareholders | | 2,096,167 | 4,476,227 |
| Interim dividend | 7 | (947,177) | (947,177) |
| | | 1,148,990 | 3,529,050 |
| Transfer to capital reserves | 15 | (21) | (21) |
| Retained profit for the period | | 1,148,969 | 3,529,029 |
| Earnings per share | 8 | HK\$1.22 | HK\$2.60 |
| | | | |



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Consolidated Statement of Recognised Gains and Losses - unaudited

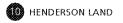
| | For the six months ended 31st December | | |
|---|--|-------------|-----------|
| | | 2000 | 1999 |
| | Notes | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | 3 | | |
| Surplus on revaluation of investment | | | |
| properties – jointly controlled entities | 16 | 15,000 | 1,999 |
| Exchange difference on translation | | | |
| of foreign entities | | | 702 |
| Net gains not recognised in the profit | | | |
| and loss account | | 15,000 | 2,701 |
| New yorks for all a good of | | 2 222 457 | 4 476 227 |
| Net profit for the period | | 2,096,167 | 4,476,227 |
| Profit realised on dilution of interest in a subsidiary | | | (50,033) |
| Investment property revaluation reserve realised | 16 | (204) | |
| during the period | 10 | (284) | |
| | | 2,095,883 | 4,426,194 |
| | | | |
| Total recognised gains | | 2,110,883 | 4,428,895 |
| | 15 | | • |
| Capital reserve arising on consolidation | 15 | 287,042 | 4,522 |
| | | 2,397,925 | 4,433,417 |
| | | | |

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Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet

| | At | 31st December, 2000 (Unaudited) | At 30th June, 2000 (Audited) |
|--|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | Notes | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | | | |
| Non-current assets | _ | | |
| Fixed assets | 9 | 33,969,151 | 32,695,726 |
| Interest in associates | | 15,987,126 | 15,871,572 |
| Interest in jointly controlled entities | | 5,842,353 | 6,750,717 |
| Investment in securities | | 882,537 | 908,212 |
| Properties held for development | | 6,125,722 | 6,219,177 |
| Instalments receivable | | 2,814,538 | 3,335,344 |
| Other receivables | | 2,477,705 | 2,346,216 |
| | | 68,099,132 | 68,126,964 |
| Current assets | | | |
| Leasehold land | | 3,514,164 | 3,502,743 |
| Properties under development | | 15,390,454 | 15,559,992 |
| Properties held for resale | | 56,179 | 56,752 |
| Completed properties for sale | 10 | 4,841,438 | 5,116,866 |
| Inventories | | 51,474 | 36,652 |
| Amounts due from customers for contract work | | 144,818 | 34,815 |
| Deposits for acquisition of properties | | 69,669 | 70,234 |
| Instalments, debtors, prepayments and deposits | 11 | 1,795,594 | 2,189,405 |
| Cash held by stakeholders | | 29,183 | 46,530 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 12 | 1,497,423 | 1,112,184 |
| | | 27,390,396 | 27,726,173 |
| Current liabilities | | | |
| Bank loans and overdrafts | | 4,504,710 | 2,331,495 |
| Other loans | | 526,320 | 500,000 |
| Forward sales deposits received | | 228,326 | 635,814 |
| Rental and other deposits | | 388,896 | 372,401 |
| Creditors and accrued expenses | 13 | 2,275,078 | 2,382,961 |
| Amounts due to customers for contract work | | 13 | 996 |
| Taxation | | 1,377,975 | 1,621,732 |
| Interim / final dividend | | 947,177 | 1,722,140 |
| | | 10,248,495 | 9,567,539 |

Interim Financial Statements Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet (cont'd) At 31st December, At 30th June, 2000 2000 (Unaudited) (Audited) Notes HK\$'000 HK\$'000 Net current assets 17,141,901 18,158,634 Total assets less current liabilities 85,241,033 86,285,598 Non-current liabilities Bank loans 6,485,730 11,450,000 Other loans 757,541 783,861 Land premium 18 18 Amounts due to fellow subsidiaries 4,623,233 925,792 11,866,522 13,159,671 73,374,511 73,125,927 Minority interests 13,776,051 14,978,215 59,598,460 58,147,712 Capital and reserves Share capital 14 3,444,280 3,444,280 Share premium 8,387,915 8,387,915 15 1,970,380 1,683,317 Capital reserves 17,636,531 Investment property revaluation reserve 17,621,815 16 Retained profits 17 28,159,354 27,010,385 59,598,460 58,147,712



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Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement - unaudited

| | For the six months ended 31st December | | |
|---|--|-------------|--|
| | 2000 | 1999 | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities | 6,401,220 | 3,169,786 | |
| Net cash outflow from returns on investments and | | | |
| servicing of finance | (1,927,188) | (1,599,797) | |
| Tax paid | (496,339) | (444,969) | |
| Net cash (outflow) / inflow from investing activities | (222,716) | 99,687 | |
| Net cash inflow before financing | 3,754,977 | 1,224,707 | |
| Net cash outflow from financing | (3,341,969) | (2,146,106) | |
| Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | 413,008 | (921,399) | |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 1st July | (495,276) | (389,579) | |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 31st December | (82,268) | (1,310,978) | |