## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT



For the six months ended 31st December, 2000

## Unaudited Six months ended 31st December,

	Notes	2000 HK\$'000	1999 <i>HK</i> \$'000
Turnover Cost of sales	2	224,550 (193,150)	180,753 (147,612)
Gross profit Other revenue Operating expenses		31,400 38 (9,603)	33,141 — (9,879)
Profit from operations Finance cost Share of result of an associate		21,835 (4,409)	23,262 (1,856) 379
Profit before taxation Taxation	4	17,426 (4,309)	21,785 (63)
Profit for the period Minority interests		13,117 (673)	21,722 (560)
Net profit for the period		12,444	21,162
Distribution		4,382	4,382
Earnings per share (Hong Kong cents) — basic	5	5.68	9.66