BALANCE SHEETS

AT 31ST DECEMBER, 2000

		THE GROUP		THE COMPANY	
		<u>2000</u>	<u> 1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>1999</u>
	<u>NOTES</u>	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
ASSETS					
Non-current Assets					
Investment properties	13	220,146	218,792	_	-
Property, plant and equipment	14	41,751	44,537	443	499
Investments in subsidiaries	15	-	-	38,587	38,587
Interests in associates	16	51,880	453	-	-
Investments in securities	17	10,040	61,833	-	-
Amounts due from					
subsidiaries		-	-	424,396	347,160
	_	323,817	25,615	463,426	386,246
Current Assets	_				
Inventories	18	40,849	54,518	-	-
Debtors, deposits and					
prepayments	19	92,735	105,205	463	497
Bills receivable		17,521	12,836	-	-
Taxation recoverable		180	1,750	-	315
Dividends receivable		-	-	46,640	34,710
Amounts due from					
subsidiaries		-	-	-	43,548
Investments in securities	17	157,391	159,743	-	4,417
Short term bank deposits		66,099	103,238	-	-
Bank balances and cash		96,706	37,655	33	61
	_	471,481	474,945	47,136	83,548
Total Assets	_	795,298	800,560	510,562	469,794

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	<u>NOTES</u>	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES					
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Capital and Reserves					
Share capital	20	22,275	22,275	22,275	22,275
Reserves	21	545,526	523,219	299,531	271,055
		567,801	545,494	321,806	293,330
		307,001	343,474	321,000	273,330
Minority Interests		16,700	16,726	-	-
Non-current Liabilities					
Amount due to minority shareholder of a subsidiary		10,557	11,817	_	_
Deferred taxation	22	10,557	1,558	_	_
		10,557	13,375	-	-
Current Liabilities					
Creditors and accrued charges	23	36,666	60,987	2,078	5,643
Bills payable		2,106	570	_, -	-
Proposed dividend	11	13,365	17,820	13,365	17,820
Taxation payable		2,649	2,243	-	-
Bank borrowings	24	145,454	143,345	10,000	-
Amounts due to subsidiaries		-	-	163,313	153,001
		200,240	224.965	188,756	176.464
Total Equity and Liabilities		795,298	800,560	510,562	469,794
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The financial statements on pages 22 to 50 were approved by the Board of Directors on 30th March, 2001 and are signed on its behalf by:

LEUNG SHU WING DIRECTOR

WONG CHOI YING DIRECTOR

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