

Consolidated Profit and Loss Account

Year ended 31 December 2000

	Notes	2000 HK\$'000	1999 HK\$'000 (Restated)
Turnover	4		
Continuing operations		689,261	461,197
Operations to be discontinued	5	418,065	–
		1,107,326	461,197
Other revenue		17,157	3,864
Purchases and changes in inventories of finished goods		(48,752)	(25,669)
Cost of ground engineering and building construction		(372,654)	–
Staff costs		(329,432)	(178,711)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses		(45,201)	(11,990)
Other operating expenses		(423,535)	(223,599)
Profit/(loss) from operating activities	6		
Continuing operations		(98,171)	25,092
Operations to be discontinued		3,080	–
		(95,091)	25,092
Gain on partial disposal of subsidiaries		45,143	–
Gain on deemed disposal of a subsidiary		22,588	–
Finance costs	7	(33,342)	(4,498)
Profit/(loss) before tax		(60,702)	20,594
Tax	10	(6,190)	(3,153)
Profit/(loss) before minority interests		(66,892)	17,441
Minority interests		20,649	–
Net profit/(loss) from ordinary activities			
attributable to shareholders	11 & 30	(46,243)	17,441
Dividend	13	5,368	–
Earnings/(loss) per share	14		
Basic		(5.4) cents	2.7 cents
Diluted		n/a	2.4 cents