profile of the group

星島集團於一九三八年由胡文虎先生創立,現主要從 事報章出版及商業印刷業務。

星島日報於一九三八年八月一日首次出版,為現今香 港歷史最悠久之中文報章,其海外版於一九六三年在 三藩市創刊,而本集團首間海外辦事處則於一九六四 年五月在該城市成立。本集團除於大洋洲、歐洲及北 美洲之八個主要城市出版星島日報海外版外,並出版 英文日報 Hong Kong iMail。

本集團之商業印刷業務包括南華印刷 (一九八八) 有限 公司、Roman Financial Press Limited、卓越印刷有限 公司及佔50%權益之出版之友印務集團有限公司。

於二零零一年三月三十一日,本集團職員總數約2,740 人,而本公司經審核之綜合股東資金約港幣 820,000,000元。

本公司之股份於香港聯合交易所有限公司之主板上市 及買賣。

本公司現時之直接控股公司為 Global China Multimedia Limited,此乃泛華科技集團有限公司之 全資附屬公司,並持有本公司現已發行股份約74.5%。

何柱國先生透過 Luckman Trading Limited 為泛華科 技集團有限公司之控權股東。泛華科技集團有限公司 之股份於香港聯合交易所有限公司之主板上市及買 賣。泛華集團主要從事兩項業務:透過合作形式開發 與互聯網相關之科技、服務及內容;以及分銷攝影產 品。泛華集團在互聯網相關業務上已經識別出四項主 要之策略目標:寬頻技術與服務、金融服務、教育與 培訓以及資訊與傳媒服務。

The Sing Tao Group was founded in 1938 by Mr. AW Boon Haw and is primarily engaged in newspaper publishing and commercial printing businesses.

The first issue of the Sing Tao Daily was published on 1st August, 1938, making it the oldest existing Chinese language daily newspaper in Hong Kong. The overseas edition was inaugurated in 1963 in San Francisco where the Group's first overseas office was set up in May 1964. The Group publishes overseas editions of the Sing Tao Daily in 8 major cities in Australasia, Europe and North America. It also publishes the Hong Kong iMail, an English language daily newspaper.

The commercial printing division of the Group comprises South China Printing Company (1988) Limited, Roman Financial Press Limited, Noble World Printing Company Limited and the 50% owned Premier Printing Group Limited.

As at 31st March, 2001, the Group employed a total of about 2,740 staff and the audited consolidated shareholders' funds of the Company amounted to about HK\$820 million.

The shares of the Company are listed and traded on the main board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

The immediate holding company of the Company is Global China Multimedia Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Global China Technology Group Limited, which holds about 74.5% of the existing issued share capital of the Company.

Mr. Charles HO Tsu Kwok, through Luckman Trading Limited, is the controlling shareholder of Global China Technology Group Limited whose shares are listed and traded on the main board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited. The Global China Group is mainly engaged in two principal lines of business: the development of Internet-related technology, services and content through partnerships; and the distribution of photographic products. The Global China Group has identified four key strategic focuses for its Internet-related business, namely, broadband technology & services, financial services, education & training, and media & information services.



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