CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Year ended 31 December 2000

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	Notes	2000	1999
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000
NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	26(a)	51,247	22,516
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND			
SERVICING OF FINANCE			
Interest received		576	2
Interest paid		(2,166)	(2,210
Dividend paid		(30,000)	(6,000
Net cash outflow from returns on			
investments and servicing of finance		(31,590)	(8,208
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchases of fixed assets		(8,762)	(67
Proceeds from disposal of fixed assets		42	
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(8,720)	(67
NET CASH INFLOW BEFORE FINANCING ACTIVITIES		10,937	14,241
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Issue of share capital	26(b)	50,000	
Expenditure incurred for issue of shares	26(b)	(10,633)	
Increase in amount due from a related company	26(b)	(5,317)	
Repayment of bank loans	26(b)	(963)	(90
Repayment of advances from a director	26(b)	(7,389)	(10,590
Increase in pledged bank deposits		(10,000)	
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities		15,698	(11,495
INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		26,635	2,746
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		(9,974)	(12,720
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
AT END OF YEAR		16,661	(9,974
ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF			
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
Cash and bank balances		17,712	755
Bank deposits with original maturity			
less than three months		10,005	
Bank overdrafts		(11,056)	(10,729
		16,661	(9,974