CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

For the six months ended 30th June, 2001 – unaudited (Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

		Six months ended 30th June, 2001 2000	
	Note	\$,000	\$'000
			restated
Turnover	2	940,523	831,800
Other revenue	3	16,339	30,310
Other net losses	3	(10,390)	(15,343)
Cost of department store sales		(554,425)	(474,079)
Cost of property leasing activities		(34,373)	(30,408)
Other operating expenses		(300,876)	(298,675)
Profit from operations	2	56,798	43,605
Finance cost	4(a)	(34,025)	(46,306)
		22,773	(2,701)
Share of profits less losses of associates		50,048	35,810
Profit from ordinary activities before taxation	4	72,821	33,109
Taxation	5	(35,001)	(31,372)
Profit from ordinary activities after taxation		37,820	1,737
Minority interests		673	(563)
Profit attributable to shareholders		38,493	1,174
Dividends attributable to the interim period:			
Interim dividend declared after the interim period end	7(a)	11,813	
Basic earnings per share	6	13.0 cents	0.4 cents

The notes on pages 11 to 24 form part of this interim financial report.