CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

As at 31 December 2003

	Ness	2003	As restated 2002
	Note	RMB'000	RMB'000
Non-current assets Intangible assets Fixed assets Construction in progress Investments in associates Long-term investments Deferred tax assets Other non-current assets	13 14 15 17 18 31	94,972 1,662,555 24,852 279,507 10,397 7,114 21,800	49,581 1,461,126 5,825 252,924 11,776 3,215 23,197
		2,101,197	1,807,644
Current assets Inventories Trade receivables Deposits, prepayments and other receivables Amounts due from associates Amounts due from other related parties Investments in trading securities Bank balances and cash	20 21 22 23 24 25 26	906,531 21,820 133,351 137,453 — 3,406 758,146	662,941 11,750 83,429 209 55 1,729 305,727
		1,960,707	1,065,840
Current liabilities Trade payables Other payables, accruals and coupon liabilities Amounts due to associates Amounts due to other related parties Taxes payable Unsecured short-term borrowings	27 28 23 24 29 30	1,858,132 397,207 15,771 — 39,289 208,000	1,143,850 593,334 16,031 11,055 37,930 170,000
		2,518,399	1,972,200
Net current liabilities		(557,692)	(906,360)
Total assets less current liabilities		1,543,505	901,284
Non-current liabilities Deferred tax liabilities	31	(44,579)	(45,736)
Minority interests		(219,736)	(268,440)
Net assets		1,279,190	587,108
Capital and reserves Share capital Reserves Proposed final dividend	32 33 33	587,500 644,690 47,000 1,279,190	415,000 47,608 124,500 587,108
		1,2/9,190	587,10

Approved by the Board of Directors on 1st April, 2004 and signed on behalf of the Board by:

Wang Zong-nan Director

Liang Wei Director Xu Ling-ling
Director