Consolidated Income Statement

Year ended 31 December 2004

		2004	2003
	Note	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Turnover	3	1,974,661	1,048,515
Other operating income		99,353	56,251
Gain on disposal of motor vessels		127,201	-
Reversal of impairment loss of motor vessels		-	104,276
Voyage related expenses		(877,600)	(727,327)
Losses on forward freight agreements	4	(490,947)	-
Cost of trading goods sold		(254,377)	(214,974)
Staff costs		(43,300)	(34,797)
Other operating expenses		(41,336)	(40,958)
Other net income (expenses)		4,458	(27,670)
Depreciation and amortization		(85,191)	(64,571)
Profit from operations	5	412,922	98,745
Interest income		4,165	4,279
Interest expenses	6	(22,972)	(20,947)
Profit before taxation		394,115	82,077
Taxation	9	(2,608)	(64)
Profit from ordinary activities after taxation		391,507	82,013
Minority interests		(163,993)	(45,337)
		(100,000)	
Net profit for the year	10	227,514	36,676
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Proposed final dividends ofter holence sheet data	11	63,155	
Proposed final dividends after balance sheet date	11	03,155	-
Earnings per share		111/4/ 65	
- Basic	12(a)	HK\$4.32	HK\$0.70
– Diluted	12(b)	HK\$4.32	N/A

