Executive Directors

Mr Ou Bingchang, aged 58, was appointed executive director, Chairman and the General Manager of the Company in 2003. He is also the Chairman and the general manager of Yue Xiu Enterprises (Holdings) Limited ("Yue Xiu"), the holding company of the Company, and the Chairman of GZI Transport Limited ("GZT"). Mr Ou graduated from China Pharmaceutical University in China. Prior to joining Yue Xiu in November 2002, he assumed leading roles in Guangzhou Pharmaceutical Factory, Economic Coordinating Office of Guangzhou Municipality and General Office of Guangzhou Municipal People's Government. During the period of serving as the director of the Guangzhou Municipal Transport Commission, Mr Ou had made distinguished contributions to Guangzhou Municipality in relation to transport planning, construction, development and management. He has over 30 years of experience in industrial technology, transportation network, enterprise and economic management.

Mr Liang Yi, aged 52, was appointed executive director of the Company in 2003. He is also the Vice Chairman of the Company, a director of Yue Xiu and GZT. Mr Liang graduated from the Chinese People's Liberation Army Engineering Soldier's University majoring in public administration. Prior to joining Yue Xiu in June 2001, he assumed leading roles in Guangzhou Chemical Industry Bureau and organizations under Committee of Guangzhou. Mr Liang had made outstanding contribution in establishing the administrative supervisory system of Guangzhou Municipality. He has over 20 years of experience in public administration.

Mr Chen Guangsong, aged 62, was appointed executive director of the Company in 2001. He is also the vice chairman of Yue Xiu and a director of GZT. Mr Chen obtained his bachelor's degree from the South China University of Technology in China. He had been the general manager of Guangzhou Gourmet & Food Factory, chairman and general manager of Guangzhou Light Industrial Group. Prior to joining the Group, Mr Chen was the director of Guangzhou Municipal Economic Commission from 1998 to April 2001 and had over 33 years of experience in corporate management.

Mr Li Fei, aged 52, was appointed executive director of the Company in 2002. He is also a director of Yue Xiu. Mr. Li graduated from the South China Normal University in China majoring in Chinese studies. He is responsible for the strategic planning, business development and operations of the property group of the Company.

Mr Liang Ningguang, aged 51, was appointed executive director and Deputy General Manager of the Company in 1992. He is also a director of GZT. Mr Liang graduated from the Central Television University in China majoring in finance and obtained a master's degree in business administration from the Murdoch University in Australia. He is also a member of the Chinese Institute of Certified Public Accountants and a senior accountant. Mr Liang is a responsible officer (dealing director and an investment adviser) licensed under the Securities and Futures Ordinance of Hong Kong. He was previously a deputy director of the Guangzhou Municipal Taxation Bureau and had over 20 years of experience in finance and management prior to joining Yue Xiu in 1989.

Mr Xiao Boyan, aged 60, was appointed executive director and Deputy General Manager of the Company in 1997. He is also a director and deputy general manager of Yue Xiu. Mr Xiao graduated from the department of calcium silicate of the South China Technical College in China and is a cement engineer. Prior to joining Yue Xiu in 1997, he was the general manager of Guangzhou Cement Factory and the chairman and general manager of Guangzhou Cement Company Limited. He has over 27 years of experience in corporate operation and management.

Directors' Profiles

Independent Non-Executive Directors

Mr Yu Lup Fat Joseph, aged 57, has been an independent non-executive director of the Company since 1992. Mr Yu is the chairman of Tradeeasy Holdings Limited and is responsible for the Tradeeasy Group's corporate financial development and strategic business planning. He holds a master's degree in applied finance from Macquarie University in Australia and a diploma of management studies from the University of Hong Kong. Mr Yu has over 36 years of experience in investment, banking and finance.

Mr Lee Ka Lun, aged 50, has been an independent non-executive director of the Company since 2000. He is an accountant by profession and is the deputy chief executive of Lloyds TSB Bank plc, Hong Kong Branch. Mr Lee is a Fellow of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants in UK and has over 20 years of experience in banking and auditing.

Mr Lau Hon Chuen Ambrose, aged 57, has been an independent non-executive director of the Company since 2004. He is also an independent non-executive director of GZT. He holds a Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of London and is also a Solicitor of the High Court of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, a China-Appointed Attesting Officer and a Notary Public. He is the senior partner of Messrs Chu & Lau, Solicitors & Notaries. Mr Lau is a Standing Committee Member of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference, a member of the Selection Committee for The First Government of The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and a Non-official Justice of Peace among his many public service appointments. He was awarded the Gold Bauhinia Star by The Government of The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region. He is also a director of The Hong Kong Mortgage Corporation Ltd., a non-executive director of Hong Kong Parkview Group Ltd., Beijing Enterprises Holdings Ltd., Glorious Sun Enterprises Ltd., Qin Jia Yuan Media Services Company Limited, as well as Wing Hang Bank Ltd. The latter five companies are all listed on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.