

Consolidated Income Statement

For the year ended March 31, 2006

	<i>NOTES</i>	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i> (restated)
Turnover	7	1,974,483	1,962,598
Cost of sales		(1,500,937)	(1,502,632)
Gross profit		473,546	459,966
Other income	8	5,999	4,827
Increase in fair value of investment properties	16	17,594	–
Selling and distribution costs		(106,020)	(103,283)
Administrative expenses		(270,106)	(262,426)
Finance costs	9	(3,742)	(1,365)
Share of results of associates		975	647
Loss on disposal of interests in associates		–	(310)
Profit before tax	10	118,246	98,056
Income tax expense	13	(32,828)	(17,828)
Profit for the year		85,418	80,228
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the Company		72,393	71,209
Minority interests		13,025	9,019
		85,418	80,228
Dividends	14	68,667	184,872
		<i>HK cents</i>	<i>HK cents</i>
Earnings per share – Basic	15	20.6	20.2