Employee Information

At 31 December 2006, the Group had 1,296 employees, of which 390 were at CFSG and its subsidiaries ("CFSG Group"). Our employees were remunerated according to their performance, working experience and market conditions. In addition to basic salaries and Mandatory Provident Fund schemes, we also offered staff benefits including medical schemes, discretionary share options, performance bonus and sales commission. The total amount of remuneration cost of employees of the Group for the year under review was approximately HK\$228.4 million. We continue to organise training to employees in areas such as product knowledge, customer service, selling techniques, team building, interview techniques, communication, presentation, coaching, counselling, influencing, mentoring, project management, database and system management, computer applications, efficient writing and continuous professional training programmes required by regulatory bodies.