



KAM HING INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

錦興國際控股有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

Stock Code : 2307

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Annual Report



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Corporate Information

Board of Directors

Executive Directors

Mr. Tai Chin Chun (*Chairman*)
Mr. Tai Chin Wen (*Chief Executive Officer*)
Ms. Cheung So Wan
Ms. Wong Siu Yuk
Mr. Chong Chau Lam

Independent Non-Executive Directors

Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy
Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi
Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony

Company Secretary and Qualified Accountant

Mr. Wong Wai Kong, Elmen

Auditors

Ernst & Young
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The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking
Corporation Limited
Hang Seng Bank Limited
Standard Chartered Bank (HK) Limited
Wing Hang Bank Limited
Citibank, N.A.
China Construction Bank

Principal Share Registrar and Transfer Office in Cayman Islands

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Stock Code

The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited: 2307
CUSIP Reference Number: G5213T101

Financial Highlights and Summary

Key Financial Data

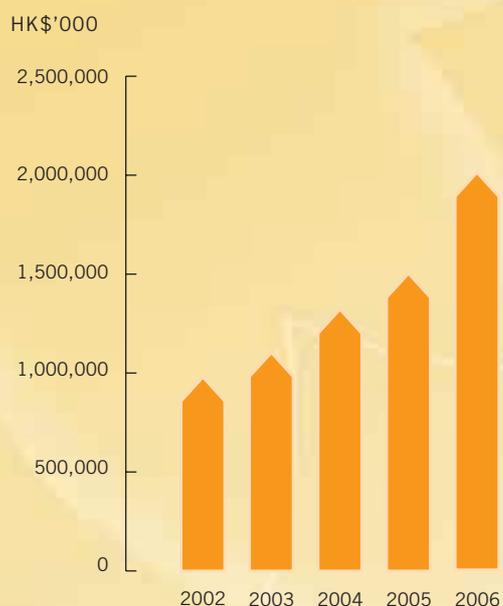
	Year ended/As at 31 December				2006 HK\$'000
	2002 HK\$'000	2003 HK\$'000	2004 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	
Revenue	980,192	1,101,581	1,315,650	1,499,403	2,013,889
Profit before tax	85,545	115,134	124,983	90,262	121,806
Tax	(3,998)	(18,778)	(20,221)	(11,312)	(20,659)
Profit for the year	81,547	96,356	104,762	78,950	101,147
Dividends	–	–	10,240	19,840	25,600
Total assets	605,320	810,876	1,185,585	1,663,388	1,996,233
Total liabilities	(483,246)	(498,757)	(581,475)	(986,154)	(1,197,498)
Shareholders' funds	122,074	312,119	604,110	677,129	798,418

Key Financial Ratios

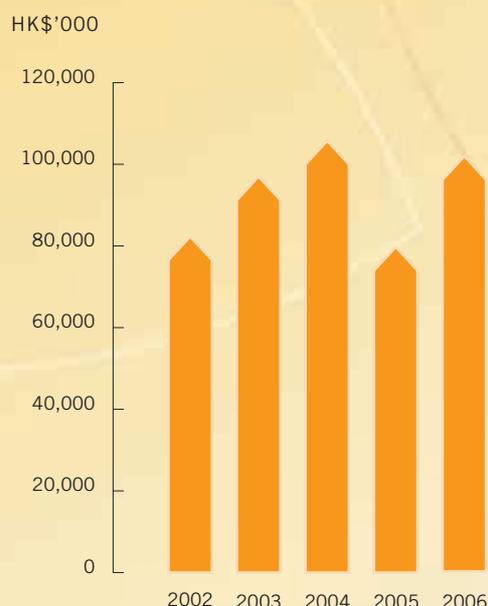
	Year ended/As at 31 December				2006 HK\$'000
	2002 HK\$'000	2003 HK\$'000	2004 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	
Revenue growth rate (%)	33.7%	12.4%	19.4%	14.0%	34.3%
Gross profit margin (%)	22.6%	25.3%	23.9%	22.6%	19.7%
Net profit margin (%)	8.3%	8.7%	8.0%	5.3%	5.0%
Current ratio (times)	0.8	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.0
Gearing ratio (total bank borrowings/total assets) (%)	36.3%	33.4%	30.3%	43.2%	37.6%

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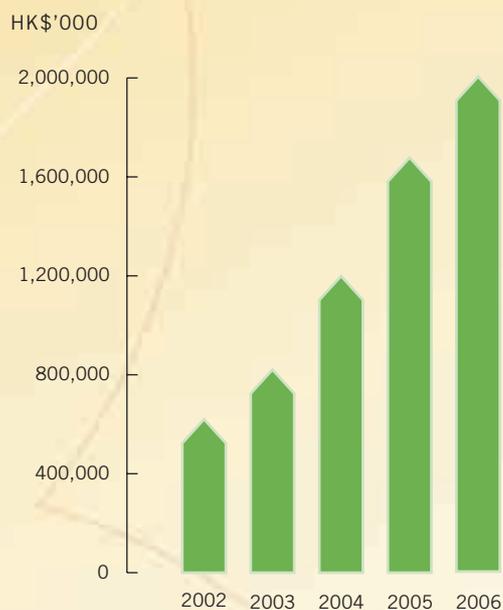
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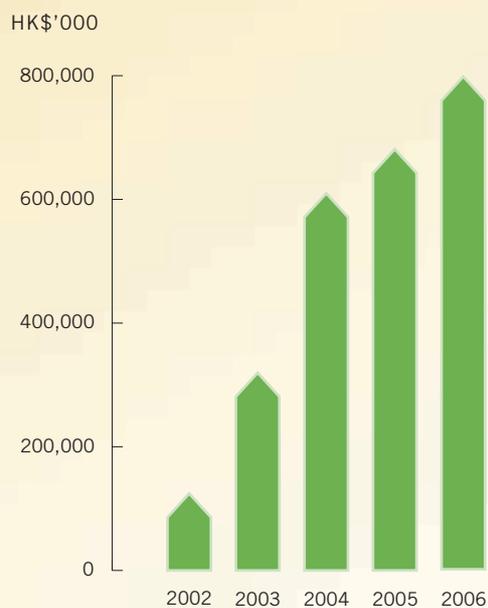
Profit for the Year



Total assets



Shareholders' fund



Chairman's Statement

On behalf of the board (the "Board") of directors (the "Directors") of Kam Hing International Holdings Limited (the "Company"), I am pleased to announce the audited annual results of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") for the year ended 31 December 2006.

Dividend

The Board has resolved to recommend the payment of a final dividend of HK4.0 cents per share for the year ended 31 December 2006 to shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on 28 May 2007. The payment is subject to approval by shareholders regarding the payment of final dividend at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company.

Business Review

We are delighted to report a significant growth in revenue and net profit in 2006. Revenue for the year ended 31 December 2006 was HK\$2,013.9 million, representing an increase of approximately 34.3% from the previous year. Net profit increased by approximately 28.0% to HK\$101.1 million compared with the previous year.



The increase in revenue was attributable to a strong growth in orders from existing customers and orders received from new customers in Singapore, Hong Kong and Taiwan, as well as the expanded sales of our dyed yarn products, which made significant strides in market development thanks to the efforts of our R&D and marketing teams. As a whole, the Group has successfully developed a variety of new fabrics for the market and solicited new customers and labels to promote continuous and sustainable expansion of its production capacity and product differentiation.

The gross profit margin dropped from 22.6% in 2005 to 19.7% in 2006 mainly due to an increase in outsourcing costs. This resulted from subcontracting some of the manufacturing processes to other fabric suppliers in order to meet the rapid increase in orders in 2006. Despite a drop in the gross profit margin, we have implemented a series of measures to reduce the operating cost so that the net profit margin was maintained at approximately 5.0% in 2006 as compared to 5.3% in 2005.

Chairman's Statement



With continued market development and expected growth in future, the facilities of the Group's manufacturing base in Panyu is expected to be insufficient to cater for the Group's future development. Thus, the Group has decided to establish a dyeing factory in Enping, Guangdong Province in the PRC, where it will be able to enjoy cheaper production costs and abundant land resources. In this endeavor, the Group decided to establish a joint venture with an independent third party. The joint venture will be held beneficially as to 60% by the Group and as to 40% by the other

independent third party, a major sub-contractor of the Group that has more than 20 years of experience in the industry of dyeing and finishing of knitted fabrics. We believe that the establishment of the factory will enable the Group to syndicate the joint venture parties' expertise in the knitted and dyed fabrics industry. At present, the estimated total investment is approximately HK\$168.5 million and the new factory is scheduled to commence operation in early 2008, with the Group's production capacity expected to increase by 30%.

To satisfy customer demand for production integration, the Group decided to extend its business into the garment industry in 2006. As a result, the Group established a garment factory in Madagascar, a country that enjoys quota and import duty privileges for the United States market. This is an important step in the Group's efforts to diversify its business downstream by using existing competitive strengths, including a well-established sales network and extensive textile market experience. The factory was set up in late 2006 and we are optimistic that this new operation will contribute to the development of the Group.



Chairman's Statement

Outlook

In order to sustain the Group's competitive edges for future development and maximise the return on capital invested, a production optimisation project was implemented, which included the construction of two production complexes, the relocation of production facilities, the expansion of the power and steam generating plant, and the installation of new production facilities, including knitting, yarn dyeing, fabric dyeing and setting machines. The project was completed in 2006, resulting in increase in the Group's knitting and dyeing capacity by approximately 25% to 9 and 11 million pounds per month, respectively, in 2006 as compared to that in 2005.



As the project will also result in a reduction in the proportion of outsourcing, better machinery utilisation and improved logistics flow, we believe that the performance of the Group will further improve in 2007. In addition, the establishment of a new factory in Enping will provide additional production capacity for the Group to sustain future growth.

Renminbi appreciation and increasing labor costs as a result of labor shortages will continue to increase manufacturing costs in the PRC. We are confident that a series of the Group's development plan, including the establishment of a downstream garment manufacturing business, the expansion of sales in the Mainland China market and continued improvements in operating efficiency, will alleviate the impact of these increased costs.

In 2006, the Group enjoyed significant success in market development and achieved both product and market diversification. With the existing effective management at the helm, we are confident of continued growth in 2007.

Appreciation

On behalf of the Board, I would like to express my sincere gratitude and thanks for the devotion of our management team and staff members, who have contributed greatly to the development of the Group.

Tai Chin Chun

Chairman

Hong Kong

19 April 2007

Management Discussion and Analysis

Operational and Financial Review

The Group is principally engaged in the manufacture and sale of knitted fabrics and dyed yarn. The Group purchases raw yarn and through a series of production processes including knitting, yarn dyeing, fabric dyeing and final processing to produce dyed yarn and fabric. To ensure stable production, the Group has established self-sufficient production facilities including a water supply plant, a sewage treatment plant and a power and steam generating plant to ensure 24-hour non-stop production at the manufacturing base in Panyu, the PRC. Most of the Group's products are supplied to garment manufacturers in various countries around the world for the production of branded casual wear which is ultimately supplied to major global retail chain stores.

During the year under review, the Group established a garment factory in Madagascar to diversify its business downstream. The factory mainly produces finished knitted garment to major global retail chain operators.

Revenue

For the financial year ended 31 December 2006, the Group recorded a revenue of HK\$2,013.9 million (2005: HK\$1,499.4 million), representing an increase of 34.3% in comparison to the previous financial year. The increase in revenue was mainly attributable to the increase in sales to the existing customers and new customers, together with the expansion of sale of dyed yarn.

Gross Profit

The gross profit of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2006 was HK\$395.9 million (2005: HK\$338.3 million), representing an increase of 17.0% in comparison to the previous year. The gross profit margin decreased from 22.6% in the previous year to 19.7% in the year under review. The decrease in gross profit margin was mainly due to the increase in outsourcing cost resulting from subcontracting part of the manufacturing processes to other fabric suppliers as a result of the strong orders received in 2006.

Net Profit

The Group's net profit attributable to shareholders for the financial year ended 31 December 2006 was HK\$101.1 million (2005: HK\$79.0 million), representing a year-on-year increase of 28.0%. Net profit margin for the year ended 31 December 2006 was 5.0% similar to last year (2005: 5.3%).

Management Discussion and Analysis

Other Income and Expense

Other income of approximately HK\$9.3 million was mainly comprised of HK\$4.1 million in shipping and handling charges earned by Kam Hing International Shipping Limited and its subsidiaries. The remaining balance was primarily the result of rental income and the sale of scrap materials. Selling and distribution costs of HK\$89.8 million consisted of HK\$82.7 million in shipping and delivery costs, that represented a decrease of 4.3% in comparison to the previous year which is due to reduction of shipping charges and improvement in logistics flow. Administrative expenses, which includes salaries, depreciation and other related expenses, increased 16.5% year-on-year to HK\$143.5 million. The increase was due to additional administrative staff and depreciation charges for the business expansion.

Finance costs, which mainly includes interest on long-term loans from banks, short-term trust receipt loans and finance lease interest, increased by 56.5% to HK\$40.8 million (2005: HK\$26.1 million) as compared with the previous year. This was primarily a result of the increase in working capital requirement due to the expansion of the Group's operations and the increase in debt financing for the investment in production equipment and production facilities.

Liquidity and Financial Resources

As at 31 December 2006, the Group had net current assets of HK\$47.8 million (2005: HK\$247.7 million). The reduction in net current assets was mainly attributable to the classification of the current portion of a term loan from banks due from 2007 to 2008. The Group will constantly review its financial position and maintains a healthy financial position by financing its operations from internally generated resources and long-term bank loans. As at 31 December 2006, the Group had cash and cash equivalents of HK\$193.1 million (2005: HK\$172.2 million). The current ratio of the Group was 1.0 times (2005: 1.4 times).

The total bank and other borrowings of the Group as at 31 December 2006 were HK\$750 million (2005: HK\$719.1 million), netting off the cash and cash equivalents of HK\$193.1 million (2005: HK\$172.2 million), the Group's net debt gearing ratio was approximately 69.7% (2005: 80.8%). Decrease in net debt gearing ratio was mainly due to the improvement of cash flow as a result of strengthened credit control.

Debtors' turnover period, inventory turnover period and creditors' turnover period for the year were 66.6 days (2005: 76.1 days), 87.6 days (2005: 92.8 days) and 86.8 days (2005: 69.5 days) respectively. The decrease in the debtors' turnover period was due to early settlement of some customers as a result of better credit control. The decrease in the inventory turnover period was attributable to the stringent inventory control during the year. The creditors' turnover period increased was due to longer credit days offered by some suppliers.

Management Discussion and Analysis

Financing

As at 31 December 2006, the total banking and loan facilities of the Group amounted to HK\$1,416.5 million (2005: HK\$1,433.5 million), of which HK\$672.7 million (2005: HK\$678.4 million) was utilised.

As at 31 December 2006, the Group's long-term loans were HK\$188.4 million (2005: HK\$360.8 million) comprised of term loans from banks of HK\$151.7 million (2005: HK\$311.9 million) and long-term finance lease payable of HK\$36.7 million (2005: HK\$48.9 million). The decrease in long-term loan was mainly due to the shift of current portion of the term loans and finance lease to current liability as well as the repayment of the term loans and finance lease.

The Group's long-term bank loans comprised of loans drawn down by Kam Hing Piece Works Limited, which were not secured by any assets of the Group but by corporate guarantees provided by other members within the Group.

Dividend

The Board has resolved to recommend the payment of a final dividend of HK4.0 cents (2005: HK3.1 cents) per share in respect of the year ended 31 December 2006 to shareholders of record as of 28 May 2007. The decision is subject to approval by shareholders regarding the payment of the final dividend at the annual general meeting of the Company.

Capital Structure

There has been no change in the capital structure of the Company. The share capital of the Company comprises only ordinary shares.

Foreign Exchange Risk and Interest Rate Risk

76.3% (2005: 78.1%) of the Group's sales were denominated in US dollars. The remaining sales were denominated in Hong Kong dollars and Renminbi. The majority of the Group's cost of sales was denominated in US dollars, Hong Kong dollars and Renminbi. The Group has transactional currency exposures. Such exposure arise from substantial portion of sales or purchases by operating units in US dollars and RMB. The Group currently does not have a foreign currency hedging policy. However, the management monitors foreign exchange exposure and will consider hedging significant foreign currency exposure should the need arise.

All bank and other borrowings of the Group were denominated in US dollars and Hong Kong dollars on inter-bank borrowing interest rate and prime rate bases. The Board is of the opinion that the Group is not subject to any significant interest rate risk.

Management Discussion and Analysis

Charge on Group's Assets

As at 31 December 2006, certain items of property, plant and equipment of the Group with an aggregate net book value of HK\$194.6 million (2005: HK\$191.1 million) were under finance leases.

Capital Expenditure

During the year under review, the Group invested HK\$180.2 million (2005: HK\$294.2 million) in property, plant and equipment, as well as prepaid land lease payments, of which 77.2% (2005: 68.5%) was used for the purchase of plant and machinery, 14.2% (2005: 18.3%) was used for the construction of new factory premises, 4.7% (2005: 7%) was used for the acquisition of pieces of land in preparation for future production capacity expansion and the remaining was used for the purchase of other property, plant and equipment.

As at 31 December 2006, the Group had capital commitments of HK\$21.9 million (2005: HK\$32.3 million) in property, plant and equipment, which are to be funded by net proceeds from internal resources.

Staff Policy

The Group had 4,050 (2005: 3,100) employees in the PRC, and 1,293 (2005: 107) employees in Hong Kong, Macau, Singapore and Madagascar as at 31 December 2006. Remuneration packages are generally structured by reference to market terms and individual qualifications. Salaries and wages are normally reviewed on an annual basis based on performance appraisals and other relevant factors. Discretionary bonuses are offered to the Group's staff depending on their performance and the results of the Group.

The Group operates a defined contribution retirement benefits scheme under the Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance as well as medical insurance for all its employees in Hong Kong. Also, the Group is obliged to provide its employees in the PRC with welfare schemes covering various insurance and social benefits. Staff benefits are also provided to the staff working in other countries according to the respective countries' statutory requirements.

The Company maintains a share option scheme, pursuant to which share options are granted to select eligible executives, with a view to provide senior management an appropriate incentive package for the growth of the Group.

Management Discussion and Analysis

Contingent Liabilities

As at 31 December 2006, the Company had contingent liabilities in relation to guarantees given to banks to secure credit facilities granted to certain subsidiaries amounting to HK\$672.7 million (2005: HK\$678.4 million). The Group also had bills discounted with recourse of HK\$103.3 million (2005: HK\$30.6 million). The Group had a contingent liability in respect of possible future long service payments to employees with a maximum possible amount of HK\$2.1 million (2005: HK\$1.4 million).

Major Customers and Suppliers

In the year ended 31 December 2006, sales to the five largest customers accounted for 55.7% (2005: 53.5%) of the total sales and sales to the largest customer included therein accounted for 20.9% (2005: 21.6%).

Purchases from the five largest suppliers accounted for 37.2% (2005: 30.1%) of the total purchases for the year and purchases from the largest supplier included therein accounted for 9.5% (2005: 6.9%).

None of the Directors, their respective associates (as defined in The Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules")) or shareholders of the Company who own more than five percent of the issued share capital of the Company had any interest in the Group's five largest customers and/or suppliers during the year under review.

Segment Information

In the year ended 31 December 2006, sales to the four largest regions (Singapore, Taiwan, Hong Kong and the PRC (other than Hong Kong and Macau)) accounted for 89.4% (2005: 85%) of the total sales of the Group and sales to the largest region (Singapore) included therein accounted for 56.4% (2005: 51.3%) of the Group.

As at 31 December 2006, the Group's assets located in Hong Kong and the PRC (other than Hong Kong and Macau) accounted for 21.9% (2005: 24.2%) and 76.9% (2005: 75.7%) of the total assets of the Group, respectively. Capital expenditure in the PRC (other than Hong Kong and Macau) during the year ended 31 December 2006 accounted for 92.1% (2005: 97.9%) of the total capital expenditure of the Group.

Corporate Governance Report

Corporate Governance Practices

The Company is committed to maintain good corporate governance practices. The Company has applied the principles and complied with the applicable code provisions of the Code on Corporate Governance Practices (the “Code”) as set out in Appendix 14 of the Listing Rules throughout the year under review, with deviations from certain Code provisions as explained below:

Under the Code provision A.4.2, all directors appointed to fill a casual vacancy should be subject to election by shareholders at the first general meeting after their appointment and every director, including those appointed for a specific term, should be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years. A special resolution approving the relevant amendment to the articles of association (the “Articles”) of the Company to comply with Code provision A.4.2 was passed at the 2006 annual general meeting of the Company held on 29 May 2006.

Directors’ Securities Transactions

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the “Model Code”) as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules as the code for securities transactions by directors (the “Directors”) of the Company. Having made specific enquiry of all Directors, the Company has confirmed that the Directors have complied with the required standard set out in the Model Code for the year ended 31 December 2006.

Board of Directors

As at 31 December 2006, the Board comprised eight Directors, including five executive Directors and three independent non-executive Directors. The term of office for all Directors (including the independent non-executive Directors) is specified for a term of three years subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at each annual general meeting under the Articles. Biographical details of the Directors are set out in the section headed “Profile of Directors and Senior Management” on pages 20 to 23 of the annual report.

The composition of the Board, by category, is set out below:

Executive Directors:	Mr. Tai Chin Chun (<i>Chairman</i>) Mr. Tai Chin Wen Ms. Cheung So Wan Ms. Wong Siu Yuk Mr. Chong Chau Lam
Independent Non-executive Directors:	Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony

Corporate Governance Report

There is no relationship among members of the Board except for the family relationship between Mr. Tai Chin Chun, Mr. Tai Chin Wen, Ms. Cheung So Wan and Ms. Wong Siu Yuk. Mr. Tai Chin Chun is the younger brother of Mr. Tai Chin Wen and their spouse are Ms. Cheung So Wan and Ms. Wong Siu Yuk respectively.

The Board has a balance of skills and various expertises to direct and supervise the business affairs of the Group. The Board undertakes to monitor the performance of the Group's business operation and act in the best interests of the Group as a whole. The independent non-executive Directors exercise independent judgements and opinions on the Board's affairs through the contribution at board meetings and committee meetings. The management of the Company implements the strategic development and deals with certain operational matters of the Group under the delegation and authority of the Board.

During the year ended 31 December 2006, the Board convened five full board meetings and the individual attendance of each Director at these meetings is set out below:

Name of Director	Attendance	Rate (%)
Executive Directors:		
Mr. Tai Chin Chun (<i>Chairman</i>)	5/5	100%
Mr. Tai Chin Wen	5/5	100%
Ms. Cheung So Wan	5/5	100%
Ms. Wong Siu Yuk	5/5	100%
Mr. Chong Chau Lam	5/5	100%
Independent Non-executive Directors:		
Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy	5/5	100%
Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi	5/5	100%
Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony	5/5	100%

In order to enhance an active contribution to the Board's affairs by all Directors, the Chairman has arranged to convene a regular full board meeting at quarterly intervals to review the financial and operating performance of the Group. To ensure that good corporate governance practices and procedures are established, the Chairman has delegated the company secretary to draw up and approve the agenda for each board meeting. Notice of at least 14 days has been given to all Directors for a regular board meeting and the Directors can add matters for discussion in the agenda, if necessary. Draft and final minutes of all regular board meetings have been sent to the Directors for comment and records respectively within a reasonable time after the board meeting is held.

Corporate Governance Report

The Company has complied with Rules 3.10 (1) and (2) of the Listing Rules. The Board comprises of three independent non-executive Directors, which represent more than one-third of the Board. In addition, one of the independent non-executive Directors possesses the requisite appropriate professional accounting qualifications.

The Company has received from each independent non-executive Director an annual confirmation of independence pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. The Company considers that all independent non-executive Directors to be independent.

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

The executive Directors, Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen, served as the Chairman and the Chief Executive Officer of the Company respectively. Mr. Tai Chin Chun is the younger brother of Mr. Tai Chin Wen.

The roles of the Chairman and the Chief Executive Officer are segregated and not performed by the same individual. The Chairman is primarily responsible for the leadership of the Board and the formulation of overall strategic development of the Group, while the Chief Executive Officer is primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Group's business.

Remuneration Committee

The remuneration committee was established in September 2005. Terms of reference adopted by the remuneration committee are of no less exacting terms than those duties set out in the Code. The remuneration committee comprised three independent non-executive Directors, namely Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi (Chairman), Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy and Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony and two executive Directors, namely Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen. The remuneration committee is primarily responsible for reviewing and making recommendations to the Board on the remuneration packages of the Directors and senior management of the Company to ensure that such remuneration is reasonable and not excessive.

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During the year ended 31 December 2006, the remuneration committee convened two meetings and the individual attendance of each committee member at these meeting is set out below:

Name of Director	Notes	Attendance	Rate (%)
Independent Non-executive Directors:			
Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi (<i>Chairman</i>)	(i)	2/2	100%
Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy	(ii)	2/2	100%
Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony		2/2	100%
Executive Directors:			
Mr. Tai Chin Chun		2/2	100%
Mr. Tai Chin Wen		2/2	100%

Notes:

- (i) Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi commenced to act as the new chairman of the remuneration committee with effect from 19 December 2006.
- (ii) Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy ceased to act as the chairman of the remuneration committee with effect from 19 December 2006.

The remuneration committee meetings were held to review and approve the salary increment for executive Directors and annual salary of executive Directors. In view that no Director or any of his/her associate should be involved in deciding his/her own remuneration in compliance with the principle of the Code, the relevant executive Directors were abstained from voting on this resolution in which they were materially interested in. The amounts paid to each director for the year are shown in note 8 to the financial statements.

Corporate Governance Report

Nomination Committee

The nomination committee was established in September 2005. Terms of reference adopted by the nomination committee are of no less exacting terms than those duties set out in the Code. The nomination committee comprised three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony (Chairman), Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy and Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi, and two executive Directors, namely Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen. The nomination committee is primarily responsible for reviewing and making recommendations to the Board on the selection of board members to ensure that suitable individuals are nominated for filling vacancies on the directorships.

During the year ended 31 December 2006, the nomination committee convened one meeting and the individual attendance of each committee member at that meeting is set out below:

Name of Director	Notes	Attendance	Rate (%)
Independent Non-executive Directors:			
Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony (<i>Chairman</i>)	(i)	1/1	100%
Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy	(ii)	1/1	100%
Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi		1/1	100%
Executive Directors:			
Mr. Tai Chin Chun		1/1	100%
Mr. Tai Chin Wen		1/1	100%

Notes:

- (i) Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony commenced to act as the new chairman of the nomination committee with effect from 19 December 2006.
- (ii) Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy ceased to act as the chairman of the nomination committee with effect from 19 December 2006.

The nomination committee meeting was held to review the structure, size and composition including the skills, knowledge and experience of the Board and concluded that the current Board comprises a sufficient number of directors and is well balanced with each Director having sound knowledge, experience and/or expertise relevant to the business operations and development of the Group.

Corporate Governance Report

Auditors' Remuneration

For the year ended 31 December 2006, Ernst & Young, as the external auditors of the Company, have provided audit and non-audit services to the Group at the fee of approximately HK\$1.35 million and HK\$0.3 million, respectively.

Respective responsibilities of the Directors and the external auditors of the Company are set out in the "Independent Auditors' Report" on page 32 of this report.

Audit Committee

The audit committee was established in August 2004. Terms of reference adopted by the audit committee are of no less exacting terms than those duties set out in the Code. The audit committee comprised three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy (Chairman), Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi and Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony. The audit committee is primarily responsible for reviewing and providing supervision over the Group's financial reporting process and internal controls.

During the year ended 31 December 2006, the audit committee convened two meetings and the individual attendance of each committee member at these meetings is set out below:

Name of Director	Attendance	Rate (%)
Independent Non-executive Directors:		
Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy (<i>Chairman</i>)	2/2	100%
Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi	2/2	100%
Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony	2/2	100%

The audit committee meetings were held to discuss with the management and/or the external auditors the accounting policies and internal controls adopted by the Group, as well as to review the interim and annual financial statements of the Group before recommending them to the Board for adoption and approval.

Corporate Governance Report

Internal Controls

The Board is responsible for maintaining an adequate internal control system to safeguard shareholder investments and Company assets, and reviewing the effectiveness of the same on an annual basis.

The Group has an independent internal audit department. The independent internal audit department is primarily responsible for carrying out review of the internal control system and risk management process. This is part of the on-going process to ensure that the effectiveness of material controls is monitored.

During the year of 2006, the Board has conducted a review of the effectiveness of the internal control system of the Group covering all material controls, including financial, operational and compliance controls as well as risk management functions as required by the Code Provisions. The audit committee has also reviewed the internal control system of the Group and the findings of major investigations of internal control matters. There was no significant incidence of failure in connection with financial, operational and compliance control during the year under review.

The Company has implemented a system of internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded, proper accounting records are maintained, appropriate legislation and regulations are complied with, reliable financial information are provided for management and publication purposes, investment and business risks are identified and managed, the Board will continue to review procedures implemented for assessing their effectiveness of the internal control system.

Investor Relations and Communication with Shareholders

The Company establishes different communication channels with shareholders and investors, including (i) dispatching printed copies of corporate communication documents to shareholders; (ii) the annual general meeting provides a forum for shareholders to raise comments and exchange views with the Board; (iii) regular press conferences and meetings with investors and analysts are set up from time to time on updated information of the Group, and (iv) the Company's Registrars serve the shareholders on all share registration matters.

Profile of Directors and Senior Management

Board of Directors

Executive Directors

Mr. Tai Chin Chun (戴錦春), aged 45, is the Chairman and founder of the Group. He is in charge of the Group's corporate strategy, planning and overall development. He has more than 25 years of experience in the textile industry. Mr. Tai is a standing member of the Political Consultative Committee of Panyu District, Guangzhou City (中國人民政治協商會議廣州市番禺區委員會委員). He has also been awarded honorary citizenship of Guangzhou Municipal. Mr. Tai is the younger brother of Mr. Tai Chin Wen and the spouse of Ms. Cheung So Wan.

Mr. Tai Chin Wen (戴錦文), aged 51, is the Chief Executive Officer and founder of the Group. He is in charge of the Group's overall management. He has over 25 years of management experience in the manufacturing industry. Mr. Tai is a standing member of the Political Consultative Committee of Nan An City (中國人民政治協商會議南安市委員會委員) of the Fujian Province. He has also been awarded honorary citizenship of Guangzhou Municipal. Mr. Tai is the elder brother of Mr. Tai Chin Chun and the spouse of Ms. Wong Siu Yuk.

Ms. Cheung So Wan (張素雲), aged 43, is the executive Director of the Group. She is responsible for yarn sourcing, quality control and stock control in the Group, and assists in the overall management of the Group. Ms. Cheung joined the Group in November 1996 and has more than 15 years of experience in the textile industry. Ms. Cheung is the spouse of Mr. Tai Chin Chun.

Ms. Wong Siu Yuk (黃少玉), aged 45, is the executive Director of the Group. She is responsible for dyeing material sourcing, quality control and stock control in the Group, and assists in the overall management of the Group. Ms. Wong joined the Group in December 1996 and has more than 15 years of experience in the textile industry. Ms. Wong is the spouse of Mr. Tai Chin Wen.

Mr. Chong Chau Lam (莊秋霖), aged 57, is the executive Director of the Group. Mr. Chong obtained a higher diploma in Dyeing, Printing and Finishing Technology from the Hong Kong Technical College and a master degree of Business Administration from the University of East Asia. He is an associate member of both the Society of Dyers and Colourists and the Textile Institute in United Kingdom, and was awarded the Silver Medal by the Society of Dyers and Colourists in 1982. Prior to joining the Group on 30 March 2004, he worked as a senior lecturer at the Institute of Textiles and Clothing of the Hong Kong Polytechnic University and an engineer in a local textile company. Mr. Chong is also currently a member of the Dyeing and Finishing Special Committee, the China Textile Engineering Society, and an active technical consultant in the dyeing and finishing sector.

Profile of Directors and Senior Management

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy (陳育棠), aged 44. Mr. Chan obtained a bachelor degree in Commerce from the University of Newcastle in Australia and a master degree of Business Administration from the Chinese University of Hong Kong. He is a practising fellow member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and a member of CPA Australia. Mr. Chan has over 20 years of experience in corporate finance, financial advisory and management, professional accounting and auditing. He is also an executive director of Vitop Bioenergy Holdings Limited and an independent non-executive director of Anhui Conch Cement Company Limited, Carico Holdings Limited, Daisho Microline Holdings Limited and World Trade Bun Kee Ltd., which are listed companies in Hong Kong. Mr. Chan was also an independent non-executive director of Luks Industrial (Group) Limited, a listed company in Hong Kong, during the period from 30 September 2004 to 1 December 2005. Mr. Chan joined the Group on 30 March 2004.

Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi (朱克遐), aged 43, is a solicitor practising in Hong Kong SAR and a partner of David Lo & Partners, a law firm in Hong Kong. Ms. Chu was also admitted as solicitor in England and Wales and solicitor and barrister in the Australian Capital Territory. Ms. Chu joined the Group on 30 March 2004.

Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony (古兆權), aged 57, is a lecturer at the Institute of Textiles and Clothing of the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. Mr. Ku obtained a higher diploma in Dyeing, Printing and Finishing Technology from the Hong Kong Technical College and a master degree of Philosophy from the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. He holds the professional qualification of Chartered Colourist and Associateship of the Society of Dyers and Colourists in United Kingdom. Prior to joining the Institute of Textiles and Clothing of the Hong Kong Polytechnic University, he worked in a local dyeing and finishing company for several years. Mr. Ku has been involved in various consultancy projects in the dyeing and finishing sector. Mr. Ku joined the Group on 1 July 2005.

Senior Management

Mr. Kung Wai Chung (龔衛忠), aged 49, is the deputy general manager of the Group and is responsible for the overall management and administration in the Group. Mr. Kung obtained a craft certificate in Tool and Die Making awarded by the Kwai Chung Technical Institute and a professional certificate in Business Management awarded by the Hong Kong Open University. Prior to joining the Group in November 1996, Mr. Kung has worked for textile companies for over 10 years. Mr. Kung is a brother-in-law of both Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen.

Profile of Directors and Senior Management

Mr. Wong Yi Ming (黃一鳴), aged 42, is the deputy managing director of Panyu Kam Hing Textile Dyeing Co., Limited (the “Panyu KH Textile”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Group, and is responsible for the overall management and administration of Panyu KH Textile. Mr. Wong obtained a master degree of Business Administration from the Zhongshan University. He has over 20 years of management experience in the textile industry. Prior to joining the Group in September 1997, Mr. Wong has worked for PRC companies for 16 years, where he was responsible for financial and business management. Mr. Wong is the younger brother of Ms. Wong Siu Yuk.

Dr. Shang Songmin (尚頌民), aged 46, is the deputy general manager of Panyu KH Textile and is responsible for the monitoring and management of the Group’s technical center, and the technical supervising to Panyu KH Textile’s knitting, fabric dyeing and yarn dyeing factories. Dr. Shang obtained a bachelor degree from the Donghua University, a master degree from the Northwest Institute of Textile Science and Technology, and the Ph.D. from the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. Prior to joining the Group in October 2004, Dr. Shang has worked for textile companies for over 20 years. Dr. Shang is currently a consultant professor of the College of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering in the Donghua University, a committeeman of the Dyeing and Finishing Special Committee, the China Textile Engineering Society and a member of the Hong Kong Institution of Textile and Apparel. Dr. Shang is also a qualified senior engineer in the dyeing and finishing sector.

Mr. Liu Zhi Gang (劉志剛), aged 40, is the factory manager of the fabric dyeing operation of Panyu KH Textile, and is responsible for the monitoring and management of the Group’s fabric dyeing operation. Prior to joining the Group in July 1997, Mr. Liu has worked for dyeing companies for over 7 years.

Mr. Tai Chu Fa (戴住發), aged 54, is the deputy general manager of the knitting operation of Panyu KH Textile, and is responsible for the monitoring and management of the Group’s knitting operation. Prior to joining the Group in December 1996, Mr. Tai has worked for knitting companies for over 25 years.

Mr. Chan Ying Wah (陳映華), aged 51, is the production control manager of the knitting operation of Panyu KH Textile and is responsible for the monitoring and management of the Group’s knitting operations. Prior to joining the Group in January 2003, Mr. Chan worked for knitting companies for over 20 years.

Mr. Wong Yin Ming (王燕明), aged 45, is the factory manager of the yarn dyeing operation of Panyu KH Textile and is responsible for the monitoring and management of the Group’s yarn dyeing operation. Prior to joining the Group in June 2004, Mr. Wong has worked for dyeing companies for over 10 years.

Mr. Lam Hau Hei (林厚禧), aged 55, is the production control manager of the fabric dyeing operation of Panyu KH Textile, and is responsible for monitoring and management of the Group’s dyeing operations. Prior to joining the Group in November 2005, Mr. Lam has worked for technical services, production management and merchandising in knitting companies for over 30 years.

Profile of Directors and Senior Management

Mr. Ho Yi Piu, Bill (何宜標), aged 38, is the director of Kam Hing Piece Works (S) Pte Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Group, and is in charge of the Group's sales and marketing function. Mr. Ho obtained a diploma in Business Administration from the Society of Business Practitioners, Cheshire, United Kingdom. Prior to joining the Group in June 1999, Mr. Ho has worked for fabric trading companies and he has over 10 years of experience in the textile industry. Mr. Ho is a son-in-law of a brother of Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen.

Mr. Wong Wai Hung (黃偉洪), aged 42, is the sales manager of the Group and is responsible for sales and marketing. He obtained a higher diploma in Textile Chemistry awarded by the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. Prior to joining the Group in August 2001, Mr. Wong has worked for knitting, dyeing and textile companies and he has over 18 years of experience in the textile industry.

Mr. Wong Wai Kong, Elmen (黃偉桃), aged 41, is the chief financial officer and company secretary of the Group and is responsible for the supervision and management of the Group's financial matters. Mr. Wong obtained a bachelor degree of Business Administration from the Hong Kong Baptist University, a master degree of Business Administration from the University of Sheffield and a master degree of Science in Business Information Technology from the Middlesex University. Prior to joining the Group in December 2002, Mr. Wong gained extensive financial experience in professional accounting and auditing for over 8 years. Mr. Wong is a fellow member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, a member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and a practising certified public accountant in Hong Kong.

Report of the Directors

The Directors present their report and the audited financial statements of the Company and of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2006.

Principal activities

The principal activity of the Company is investment holding. Details of the principal activities of the principal subsidiaries are set out in note 17 to the financial statements. There were no significant changes in the nature of the Group's principal activities during the year.

Results and dividends

The Group's profit for the year ended 31 December 2006 and the state of affairs of the Company and of the Group at that date are set out in the financial statements on pages 34 to 97.

The Directors recommend the payment of a final dividend of HK4.0 cents per ordinary share in respect of the year, to shareholders on the register of members on 28 May 2007. This recommendation has been incorporated in the financial statements as an allocation of retained profits within the equity section of the balance sheets.

Use of proceeds from the Company's initial public offering

The proceeds from the Company's issue of new shares at the time of its listing on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") in September 2004, after deduction of related issue expenses, amounted to approximately HK\$186.2 million. During the year ended 31 December 2004 and 2005, proceeds of approximately HK\$66.3 million and HK\$98.1 million, respectively, were utilised as disclosed in the annual report for each of these years. Proceeds of approximately HK\$14.4 million were further utilised during the year ended 31 December 2006 in accordance with the proposed applications set out in the prospectus of the Company dated 14 September 2004 (the "Prospectus"), as follows:

- approximately HK\$12.1 million was used for the acquisition of additional knitting facilities, and
- approximately HK\$2.3 million was used for the product development.

The remaining net proceeds at 31 December 2006, of approximately HK\$7.4 million, were placed as bank deposits in Hong Kong. The Directors intend to use the net proceeds in the manner as disclosed in the Prospectus.

Report of the Directors

Summary financial information

A summary of the published results and assets, liabilities and minority interests of the Group for the last five financial years, is set out on page 98. This summary does not form part of the audited financial statements.

Property, plant and equipment and investment properties

Details of movements in the property, plant and equipment, and investment properties of the Group during the year are set out in notes 14 and 15 to the financial statements, respectively.

Share capital and share options

Details of the Company's share capital and movements in the Company's share options during the year, together with the reasons therefore, are set out in notes 26 and 27 to the financial statements, respectively.

Pre-emptive rights

There are no provisions for pre-emptive rights under the Company's articles of association or the laws of the Cayman Islands which would oblige the Company to offer new shares on a pro rata basis to existing shareholders of the Company.

Purchase, redemption or sale of listed securities of the Company

Neither the Company, nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, redeemed or sold any of the Company's listed securities during the year.

Reserves

Details of movements in the reserves of the Company and of the Group during the year are set out in note 28(b) to the financial statements and in the consolidated statement of changes in equity, respectively.

Distributable reserves

As at 31 December 2006, the Company's reserves available for distribution, calculated in accordance with the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands, amounted to HK\$550,168,000, of which HK\$25,600,000 has been proposed as a final dividend for the year. The amount of HK\$550,168,000 includes the Company's share premium account and capital reserve of HK\$524,436,000 in aggregate as at 31 December 2006, which may be distributed provided that immediately following the date on which the dividend is proposed to be distributed, the Company will be in a position to pay off its debts as and when they fall due in the ordinary course of business.

Report of the Directors

Charitable contributions

During the year, the Group made charitable contributions totalling HK\$706,000.

Major customers and suppliers

In the year under review, sales to the Group's five largest customers accounted for 55.7% (2005: 53.5%) of the total sales and sales to the largest customer included therein accounted for 20.9% (2005: 21.6%). Purchases from the Group's five largest suppliers accounted for 37.2% (2005: 30.1%) of the total purchases for the year and purchases to the largest supplier included therein accounted for 9.5% (2005: 6.9%).

None of the Directors or any of their associates or any shareholders (which, to the best knowledge of the Directors, own more than 5% of the Company's issued share capital) had any beneficial interest in the Group's five largest customers and/or five largest suppliers during the year.

Directors

The Directors during the year and as at the date of this report were:

Executive Directors:

Mr. Tai Chin Chun (*Chairman*)
Mr. Tai Chin Wen
Ms. Cheung So Wan
Ms. Wong Siu Yuk
Mr. Chong Chau Lam

Independent non-executive Directors:

Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi
Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy
Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony

In accordance with article 87 of the Company's articles of association, Ms. Wong Siu Yuk, Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi and Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy, will retire by rotation and, being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company. The independent non-executive Directors are appointed for terms of three years.

The Company has received annual confirmations of independence from Ms. Chu Hak Ha, Mimi, Mr. Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy and Mr. Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony, and as at the date of this report still considers them to be independent.

Report of the Directors

Directors' and senior management's biographies

Biographical details of the Directors and the senior management of the Group are set out on pages 20 to 23 of the annual report.

Directors' service contracts

Each of the executive Directors and the independent non-executive Directors has a service contract with the Company for a term of three years and is subject to termination by either party by giving not less than three months' and one months' written notice, respectively, and in any events not later than the end of the initial term.

Under the service contracts, after each complete year of service, the remuneration payable to each of the executive Directors may, subject to the discretion of the Board, be increased by not more than 20% and be entitled to a discretionary bonus provided that the total amount of bonuses payable to all Directors for that year shall not exceed 5% of the consolidated profit after tax of the Group.

None of the Directors proposed for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting has a service contract with the Company or any of its subsidiaries which is not determinable by the Company within one year without payment of compensation (other than statutory compensation).

Emolument policy and Directors' remuneration

The Directors' remuneration is subject to shareholders' approval at general meetings with reference to the recommendation of the Group's remuneration committee. The Group's emolument policies are formulated based on the performance of individual employees and are reviewed regularly. Subject to the Group's profitability, the Group may also provide a discretionary bonus to its employees as an incentive for their contribution to the Group. The primary goal of the remuneration policy with regard to the remuneration packages of the Group's executive Directors is to enable the Group to retain and motivate executive Directors by linking their compensation with performance as measured against corporate objectives achieved.

The principal elements of the Group's remuneration packages include basic salaries, discretionary bonuses, housing benefits and share option benefits.

Directors' interests in contracts

Save as disclosed in the related party transactions disclosures in note 33 to the financial statements, no Director had a material interest, either directly or indirectly, in any contract of significance to the business of the Group to which the Company, its holding company or any of its subsidiaries was a party during the year.

Report of the Directors

Directors' interests and short positions in shares and underlying shares

As at 31 December 2006, the interests and short positions of the Directors in the share capital and underlying shares of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO")), as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code, were as follows:

Long positions in ordinary shares of the Company:

Name of director	Notes	Capacity and nature of interests	Number of shares	Approximate percentage of the Company's issued share capital
Mr. Tai Chin Chun	1	Through controlled corporation	384,000,000	60
Mr. Tai Chin Wen	2	Through controlled corporation	96,000,000	15
Ms. Cheung So Wan	3	Through spouse	384,000,000	60
Ms. Wong Siu Yuk	4	Through spouse	96,000,000	15
Mr. Chong Chau Lam		Directly beneficially owned	300,000	0.05

Long position in shares of an associated corporation:

Name of director	Name of associated corporation	Relationship with the Company	Share	Number of shares	Capacity and nature of interest	Percentage of the associated corporation's issued share capital
Mr. Tai Chin Chun	Exceed Standard Limited ("Exceed Standard")	Ultimate holding company	Ordinary share	1 share of US\$1	Directly beneficially owned	100

Report of the Directors

Directors' interests and short positions in shares and underlying shares *(continued)*

Notes:

1. The shares are held by Exceed Standard, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands (the "BVI") and beneficially owned by Mr. Tai Chin Chun, the chairman and an executive Director. Mr. Tai Chin Chun is the younger brother of Mr. Tai Chin Wen and Ms. Cheung So Wan is the spouse of Mr. Tai Chin Chun.
2. The shares are held by Power Strategy Limited ("Power Strategy"), a company incorporated in the BVI and beneficially owned by Mr. Tai Chin Wen.
3. Ms. Cheung So Wan is deemed to be interested in these shares through the interest of her spouse, Mr. Tai Chin Chun under the SFO.
4. Ms. Wong Siu Yuk is deemed to be interested in these shares through the interest of her spouse, Mr. Tai Chin Wen under the SFO.

The interests of the Directors in the share options of the Company are disclosed in note 27 to the financial statements.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2006, none of the Directors had any interest or short position in the shares, underlying shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations that was required to be recorded pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

Directors' rights to acquire shares or debentures

Save as disclosed in the share option scheme disclosures in note 27 to the financial statements, at no time during the year were rights to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in or debentures of the Company granted to any Director or their respective spouse or minor children, or were any such rights exercised by them; or was the Company, its holding company or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangement to enable the Directors to acquire such rights in any other body corporate.

Share option scheme

Details of share option scheme and share options outstanding at the balance sheet date are included in note 27 to the financial statements.

Report of the Directors

Substantial shareholders' and other persons' interests in shares and underlying shares

As at 31 December 2006, the following interests of 5% or more of the issued share capital and share options of the Company were recorded in the register of interests required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO:

Long positions:

Name	Capacity and nature of interest <i>(Note)</i>	Number of ordinary shares held	Percentage of the Company's issued share capital
Exceed Standard	Directly beneficially owned	384,000,000	60
Power Strategy	Directly beneficially owned	<u>96,000,000</u>	<u>15</u>

Note: The relationship between Exceed Standard and Mr. Tai Chin Chun, as well as that between Power Strategy and Mr. Tai Chin Wen are disclosed under the section "Directors' interests and short positions in shares and underlying shares" above.

The details of the share options outstanding during the year are separately disclosed in note 27 to the financial statements.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2006, no person, other than the Directors, whose interests are set out under the section "Directors' interests and short positions in shares and underlying shares" above, had an interest or a short position in the shares or underlying shares of the Company that was required to be recorded in the register pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO.

Disclosures pursuant to Rule 13.21 of the Listing Rules

In accordance with the requirements of Rule 13.21 of the Listing Rules, disclosure is required in respect of the loan agreement of a subsidiary of the Company, which contains covenants requiring performance obligations of the controlling shareholders of the Company. Pursuant to a loan agreement dated 15 July 2005 entered into between the Company as Guarantor, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company and a syndicate of banks for a 3-year loan facility of HK\$305 million, an event of default would arise if (a) Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen, the ultimate controlling shareholder and substantial shareholder, respectively, ceases to collectively and beneficially (either directly or indirectly) own 51% of the voting share capital in the Company; or (b) any member of the Group or its management, business or operations is not or ceases to be controlled by both of Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen.

Report of the Directors

Disclosures pursuant to Rule 13.21 of the Listing Rules *(continued)*

Upon the occurrence of an event of default, the lenders may declare that all or part of the loan outstanding together with accrued interest and all other amounts accrued be immediately due and payable; and/or the facility under the loan agreement shall immediately be cancelled.

Sufficiency of public float

Based on the information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of the directors, at least 25% of the Company's total issued share capital was held by the public as at the date of this report.

Post balance sheet events

Details of the significant post balance sheet events of the Group are set out in note 35 to the financial statements.

Auditors

Ernst & Young retire and a resolution for their reappointment as auditors of the Company will be proposed at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Tai Chin Chun
Chairman

Hong Kong
19 April 2007

Independent Auditors' Report



To the shareholders of **Kam Hing International Holdings Limited**
(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

We have audited the financial statements of Kam Hing International Holdings Limited set out on pages 34 to 97, which comprise the consolidated and company balance sheets as at 31 December 2006, and the consolidated income statement, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated cash flow statement for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes.

Directors' responsibility for the financial statements

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and the true and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. This responsibility includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and the true and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditors' responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. Our report is made solely to you, as a body, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance as to whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

Independent Auditors' Report *(continued)*

Auditors' responsibility *(continued)*

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and true and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the Group as at 31 December 2006 and of the Group's profit and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards and have been properly prepared in accordance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

Ernst & Young

Certified Public Accountants

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19 April 2007

Consolidated Income Statement

Year ended 31 December 2006

	<i>Notes</i>	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
REVENUE	5	2,013,889	1,499,403
Cost of sales		(1,618,023)	(1,161,055)
Gross profit		395,866	338,348
Other income and gain	5	9,281	8,466
Selling and distribution costs		(89,842)	(93,850)
Administrative expenses		(143,508)	(123,203)
Other operating expenses, net		(9,170)	(13,418)
Finance costs	6	(40,821)	(26,081)
PROFIT BEFORE TAX	7	121,806	90,262
Tax	10	(20,659)	(11,312)
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		101,147	78,950
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the Company	11	101,125	78,959
Minority interests		22	(9)
		101,147	78,950
DIVIDEND – Proposed final	12	25,600	19,840
EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY	13		
Basic		15.8 cents	12.3 cents
Diluted		N/A	N/A

Consolidated Balance Sheet

31 December 2006

	<i>Notes</i>	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	14	883,249	741,696
Investment properties	15	7,055	7,096
Prepaid land lease payments	16	48,990	39,395
Deferred tax assets	25	41	2,137
Total non-current assets		939,335	790,324
CURRENT ASSETS			
Inventories	18	483,347	381,102
Accounts and bills receivable	19	367,396	312,630
Prepayments, deposits and other receivables		9,405	4,518
Equity investments at fair value through profit or loss	20	1,382	497
Due from a minority shareholder	33(b)	140	–
Pledged deposits	23	2,152	2,146
Cash and cash equivalents	21	193,076	172,171
Total current assets		1,056,898	873,064
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accounts and bills payable	22	384,657	221,341
Accrued liabilities and other payables		45,802	38,095
Due to a minority shareholder	33(b)	–	114
Tax payable		17,076	7,490
Bank advances for discounted bills	19	85,796	104,894
Interest-bearing bank and other borrowings	23	475,720	253,456
Total current liabilities		1,009,051	625,390
NET CURRENT ASSETS		47,847	247,674
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		987,182	1,037,998
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Interest-bearing bank and other borrowings	23	188,447	360,764
Total non-current liabilities		188,447	360,764
Net assets		798,735	677,234

Consolidated Balance Sheet *(continued)*

31 December 2006

	<i>Notes</i>	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
EQUITY			
Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company			
Issued capital	26	64,000	64,000
Reserves	28(a)	708,818	593,289
Proposed final dividend	12	25,600	19,840
		798,418	677,129
Minority interests		317	105
Total equity		798,735	677,234

Tai Chin Chun
Director

Tai Chin Wen
Director

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

Year ended 31 December 2006

		Attributable to equity holders of the Company										
		Share	Share	Capital	Statutory	Exchange	Retained	Proposed			Total	
		Issued	premium	option	surplus	fluctuation	profits	final	Total	Minority	Total	
		capital	account	reserve	reserve	reserve	profits	dividend	interests	equity		
Note		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
	At 1 January 2006	64,000	122,429	5,300	104,804	19,729	-	341,027	19,840	677,129	105	677,234
	Exchange realignment	-	-	-	-	-	40,004	-	-	40,004	-	40,004
	Total income and expense for the year recognised directly in equity	-	-	-	-	-	40,004	-	-	40,004	-	40,004
	Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	101,125	-	101,125	22	101,147
	Total income and expense for the year	-	-	-	-	-	40,004	101,125	-	141,129	22	141,151
	Final 2005 dividend declared	-	-	-	-	-	-	(19,840)	(19,840)	-	-	(19,840)
	Contribution from a minority shareholder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	190	190
	Proposed final 2006 dividend	-	-	-	-	-	-	(25,600)	25,600	-	-	-
	Transfer to statutory surplus reserve	-	-	-	-	3,475	-	(3,475)	-	-	-	-
	At 31 December 2006	64,000	122,429*	5,300*	104,804*	23,204*	40,004*	413,077*	25,600	798,418	317	798,735

* These reserve accounts comprise the consolidated reserves of HK\$708,818,000 in the consolidated balance sheet of the Group as at 31 December 2006.

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity *(continued)*

Year ended 31 December 2006

	Attributable to equity holders of the Company										
	Note	Issued	Share	Share	Capital	Statutory	Retained	Proposed	Total	Minority	Total
		capital	premium	option	reserve	surplus	profits	final			
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
At 1 January 2005		64,000	122,429	1,000	104,804	16,400	285,237	10,240	604,110	-	604,110
Profit for the year		-	-	-	-	-	78,959	-	78,959	(9)	78,950
Total income and expense for the year		-	-	-	-	-	78,959	-	78,959	(9)	78,950
Final 2004 dividend declared		-	-	-	-	-	-	(10,240)	(10,240)	-	(10,240)
Contribution from a minority shareholder		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	114	114
Equity-settled share option arrangements		-	-	4,300	-	-	-	-	4,300	-	4,300
Proposed final 2005 dividend	12	-	-	-	-	-	(19,840)	19,840	-	-	-
Transfer to statutory surplus reserve		-	-	-	-	3,329	(3,329)	-	-	-	-
At 31 December 2005		64,000	122,429*	5,300*	104,804*	19,729*	341,027*	19,840	677,129	105	677,234

* These reserve accounts comprise the consolidated reserves of HK\$593,289,000 in the consolidated balance sheet of the Group as at 31 December 2005.

Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

Year ended 31 December 2006

	<i>Notes</i>	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit before tax		121,806	90,262
Adjustments for:			
Bank interest income	5	(888)	(671)
Finance costs	6	39,221	25,081
Amortisation of bank charges	6	1,600	1,000
Depreciation of items of property, plant and equipment	7	69,960	55,860
Depreciation of investment properties	7	377	376
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments	7	949	449
Loss/(gain) on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment	7	480	(160)
Allowance for doubtful debts	7	69	13,030
Write back of allowance for doubtful debts	7	(1,493)	(147)
Fair value gain on equity investments at fair value through profit or loss	5	(63)	(54)
Equity-settled share option expenses		–	4,300
		232,018	189,326
Increase in inventories		(102,245)	(76,241)
Increase in accounts and bills receivable	29(b)	(63,342)	(132,079)
Decrease/(increase) in prepayments, deposits and other receivables		(4,627)	7,108
Increase in accounts and bills payable		163,316	49,509
Increase in accrued liabilities and other payables		7,707	5,791
Increase/(decrease) in an amount due to a minority shareholder	29(c)	(114)	114
Increase/(decrease) in bank advances for discounted bills		(19,098)	104,894
Cash generated from operations		213,615	148,422
Interest received		888	671
Interest paid		(34,238)	(21,379)
Interest element of finance lease rental payments		(4,983)	(3,702)
Hong Kong profits tax paid		(1,890)	(14,307)
Overseas taxes paid		(7,087)	(10,077)
Net cash inflow from operating activities		166,305	99,628

Consolidated Cash Flow Statement *(continued)*

Year ended 31 December 2006

	<i>Notes</i>	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Net cash inflow from operating activities		166,305	99,628
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchases of items of property, plant and equipment	<i>29(a),(b)</i>	(142,022)	(218,255)
Prepayment of land leases	<i>29(b)</i>	(7,401)	(20,726)
Purchase of equity investments at fair value through profit or loss		(822)	(443)
Proceeds from disposal of items of property, plant and equipment		691	236
Decrease/(increase) in pledged time deposits		(6)	5,802
Decrease in non-pledged time deposits with original maturity of over three months when acquired		–	5,000
Contribution from a minority shareholder	<i>29(c)</i>	50	114
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(149,510)	(228,272)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Capital element of finance lease rental payments		(42,025)	(42,162)
Drawdown of bank loans		1,167,564	1,352,396
Repayment of bank loans		(1,097,496)	(1,111,301)
Dividend paid		(19,840)	(10,240)
Net cash inflow from financing activities		8,203	188,693
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		171,691	111,642
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes, net		(3,613)	–
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR		193,076	171,691
ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
Cash and bank balances	<i>21</i>	193,076	158,757
Non-pledged time deposits with original maturity of less than three months when acquired	<i>21</i>	–	13,414
Bank overdrafts	<i>23</i>	–	(480)
		193,076	171,691

Company Balance Sheet

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	<i>Notes</i>	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Investments in subsidiaries	17	402,207	402,207
CURRENT ASSETS			
Due from subsidiaries	17	217,027	212,011
Prepayments, deposits and other receivables		–	40
Cash and cash equivalents	21	8,034	286
Total current assets		225,061	212,337
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accruals and other payables		3,300	312
Due to subsidiaries	17	4,500	612
Total current liabilities		7,800	924
NET CURRENT ASSETS			
		217,261	211,413
NET CURRENT ASSETS			
Net assets		619,468	613,620
EQUITY			
Issued capital	26	64,000	64,000
Reserves	28(b)	529,868	529,780
Proposed final dividend	12	25,600	19,840
Total equity		619,468	613,620

Tai Chin Chun
Director

Tai Chin Wen
Director

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1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

The Company was incorporated as an exempted company with limited liability in the Cayman Islands on 26 November 2003 under the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands.

The principal place of business of the Company is located at Units 1-9, 8/F, Lucida Industrial Building, 43-47 Wang Lung Street, Tsuen Wan, New Territories, Hong Kong. The principal activity of the Company is investment holding. Details of the principal activities of the subsidiaries are set out in note 17 to the financial statements. There were no significant changes in the nature of the Group's principal activities during the year.

In the opinion of the directors, the ultimate holding company of the Company is Exceed Standard Limited ("Exceed Standard"), which is incorporated in the British Virgin Islands (the "BVI").

2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") (which also include Hong Kong Accounting Standards ("HKASs") and Interpretations) issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants, accounting principles generally accepted in Hong Kong and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. They have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for equity investments, which have been measured at fair value. These financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand (HK\$'000) except when otherwise indicated.

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries for the year ended 31 December 2006. The results of subsidiaries are consolidated from the date of acquisition, being the date on which the Group obtains control, and continue to be consolidated until the date that such control ceases. All significant intercompany transactions and balances within the Group are eliminated on consolidation.

Minority interests represent the interest of an outside shareholder not held by the Group in the results and net assets of a Company's subsidiary.

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2.2 IMPACT OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

The Group has adopted the following new and revised HKFRSs for the first time for the current year's financial statements. Except for in certain cases, giving rise to new and revised accounting policies and additional disclosures, the adoption of these new and revised standards and interpretation has had no material effect on these financial statements.

HKAS 21 Amendment	Net Investment in a Foreign Operation
HKAS 39 & HKFRS 4 Amendments	Financial Guarantee Contracts
HKAS 39 Amendment	Cash Flow Hedge Accounting of Forecast Intragroup Transactions
HKAS 39 Amendment	The Fair Value Option
HK(IFRIC)-Int 4	Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease

The principal changes in accounting policies are as follows:

(a) HKAS 21 *The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates*

Upon the adoption of HKAS 21 Amendment regarding a net investment in a foreign operation, all exchange differences arising from a monetary item that forms part of the Group's net investment in a foreign operation are recognised in a separate component of equity in the consolidated financial statements irrespective of the currency in which the monetary item is denominated. This change has had no material impact on these financial statements as at 31 December 2006 or 31 December 2005.

(b) HKAS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement*

(i) Amendment for financial guarantee contracts

In prior years, financial guarantees provided by the Company to various banks in connection with the bank loans and other banking facilities granted to its subsidiaries were disclosed as contingent liabilities. Upon the adoption of this amendment, the scope of HKAS 39 has been revised to require financial guarantee contracts issued that are not considered insurance contracts to be recognised initially at fair value and to be remeasured at the higher of the amount determined in accordance with HKAS 37 *Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets* and the amount initially recognised less, when appropriate, cumulative amortisation recognised in accordance with HKAS 18 *Revenue*. The Group had assessed all the relevant financial guarantee contracts and concluded that this amendment has had no material impact on these financial statements.

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2.2 IMPACT OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (continued)

(b) HKAS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* (continued)

(ii) *Amendment for the fair value option*

This amendment has changed the definition of a financial instrument classified as fair value through profit or loss and has restricted the use of the option to designate any financial asset or any financial liability to be measured at fair value through the income statement. The Group had not previously used this option, and hence the amendment has had no effect on these financial statements.

(iii) *Amendment for cash flow hedge accounting of forecast intragroup transactions*

This amendment has revised HKAS 39 to permit the foreign currency risk of a highly probable intragroup forecast transaction to qualify as a hedged item in a cash flow hedge, provided that the transaction is denominated in a currency other than the functional currency of the entity entering into that transaction and that the foreign currency risk will affect the consolidated income statement. As the Group currently has no such transactions, the amendment has had no effect on these financial statements.

(c) HK(IFRIC)-Int 4 *Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease*

The Group has adopted this interpretation as of 1 January 2006, which provides guidance in determining whether arrangements contain a lease to which lease accounting must be applied. The Group had reassessed all the relevant arrangements and concluded that this interpretation has had no material impact on these financial statements.

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2.3 IMPACT OF ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

The Group has not applied the following new and revised HKFRSs, that have been issued but are not yet effective, in these financial statements.

HKAS 1 Amendment	Capital Disclosures ¹
HKFRS 7	Financial Instruments: Disclosures ¹
HKFRS 8	Operating Segments ²
HK(IFRIC)-Int 7	Applying the Restatement Approach under HKAS 29 Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies ³
HK(IFRIC)-Int 8	Scope of HKFRS 2 ⁴
HK(IFRIC)-Int 9	Reassessment of Embedded Derivatives ⁵
HK(IFRIC)-Int10	Interim Financial Reporting and Impairment ⁶
HK(IFRIC)-Int 11	HKFRS 2 – Group Treasury Share Transactions ⁷
HK(IFRIC)-Int 12	Service Concession Arrangements ⁸

1 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2007

2 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2009

3 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 March 2006

4 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 May 2006

5 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 June 2006

6 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 November 2006

7 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 March 2007

8 Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2008

HKAS 1 Amendment will affect the disclosures about qualitative information about the Group's objective, policies and processes for managing capital; quantitative data about what the Company regards as capital; and compliance with any capital requirements and the consequences of any non-compliance.

HKFRS 7 requires disclosures that enable users of the financial statements to evaluate the significance of the Group's financial instruments and the nature and extent of risk arising from those financial instruments.

HKFRS 8 shall be applied for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2009. The standard requires the disclosure of information about the operating segments of the Group, the products and services provided by the segments, the geographical areas in which the Group operates, and revenues from the Group's major customers. The standard will supersede HKAS 14 *Segment Reporting*.

The Group is in the process of making an assessment of the impact of these new and revised HKFRSs upon initial application. So far, it has concluded that while the adoption of HKAS 1 Amendment, HKFRS 7 and HKFRS 8 may result in new or amended disclosures, these new and revised HKFRSs are unlikely to have a significant impact on the Group's results of operations and financial position.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Subsidiaries

A subsidiary is an entity whose financial and operating policies the Company controls, directly or indirectly, so as to obtain benefits from its activities.

The results of subsidiaries are included in the Company's income statement to the extent of dividends received and receivable. The Company's investments in subsidiaries are stated at cost less any impairment losses.

Impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill

Where an indication of impairment exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required (other than inventories, deferred tax assets and financial assets), the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. An asset's recoverable amount is calculated as the higher of the asset's or cash-generating unit's value in use and its fair value less costs to sell, and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets, in which case, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

An impairment loss is recognised only if the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. An impairment loss is charged to the income statement in the period in which it arises.

An assessment is made at each reporting date as to whether there is any indication that previously recognised impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount is estimated. A previously recognised impairment loss of an asset other than goodwill is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount of that asset, however not to an amount higher than the carrying amount that would have been determined (net of any depreciation/amortisation), had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. A reversal of such impairment loss is credited to the income statement in the period in which it arises.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Related parties

A party is considered to be related to the Group if:

- (a) the party, directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, (i) controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, the Group; (ii) has an interest in the Group that gives it significant influence over the Group; or (iii) has joint control over the Group;
- (b) the party is a member of the key management personnel of the Company or its holding company;
- (c) the party is a close member of the family of any individual referred to in (a) or (b);
- (d) the party is an entity that is controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by or for which significant voting power in such entity resides with, directly or indirectly, any individual referred to in (b) or (c); or
- (e) the party is a post-employment benefit plan for the benefit of the employees of the Group, or of any entity that is a related party of the Group.

Property, plant and equipment and depreciation

Property, plant and equipment, other than construction in progress, are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses. The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment comprises its purchase price and any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition and location for its intended use. Expenditure incurred after items of property, plant and equipment have been put into operation, such as repairs and maintenance, is normally charged to the income statement in the period in which it is incurred. In situations where it can be clearly demonstrated that the expenditure has resulted in an increase in the future economic benefits expected to be obtained from the use of an item of property, plant and equipment, and where the cost of the item can be measured reliably, the expenditure is capitalised as an additional cost of that asset or as a replacement.

Depreciation is calculated on the straight-line basis to write off the cost of each item of property, plant and equipment to its residual value over its estimated useful life. The principal annual rates used for this purpose are as follows:

Leasehold land and buildings	5% or over the lease terms, whichever is shorter
Plant and machinery	10%
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	20%
Motor vehicles	20%

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Property, plant and equipment and depreciation *(continued)*

Where parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, the cost of that item is allocated on a reasonable basis among the parts and each part is depreciated separately.

Residual values, useful lives and depreciation method are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss on disposal or retirement recognised in the income statement in the year the asset is derecognised is the difference between the net sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the relevant asset.

Construction in progress represents buildings under construction, which is stated at cost less any impairment losses, and is not depreciated. Cost comprises the direct costs of construction during the period of construction. Construction in progress is reclassified to the appropriate category of property, plant and equipment or investment properties when completed and ready for use.

Investment properties

Investment properties are interests in land and buildings held to earn rental income and/or for capital appreciation, rather than for use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes; or for sale in the ordinary course of business. Such properties are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses. The cost of investment properties comprises their purchase price, including transaction costs.

Depreciation is calculated on the straight-line basis to write off the cost of each of the investment properties to its residual value over its estimated useful lives at an annual rate of 5%.

Any gains or losses on the retirement or disposal of an investment property are recognised in the income statement in the year in which they arise.

If a property occupied by the Group as an owner-occupied property becomes an investment property, the Group accounts for such property in accordance with the policy stated under "Property, plant and equipment and depreciation" up to the date of change in use.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is determined on the first-in, first-out basis and, in the case of work in progress and finished goods, comprises direct materials, direct labour and an appropriate proportion of overheads. Net realisable value is based on estimated selling prices less any estimated costs to be incurred to completion and disposal.

Leased assets

Leases that transfer substantially all the rewards and risks of ownership of assets to the Group, other than legal title, are accounted for as finance leases. At the inception of a finance lease, the cost of the leased asset is capitalised at the present value of the minimum lease payments and recorded together with the obligation, excluding the interest element, to reflect the purchase and financing. Assets held under capitalised finance leases are included in property, plant and equipment, and depreciated over the shorter of the lease terms and the estimated useful lives of the assets. The finance costs of such leases are charged to the income statement so as to provide a constant periodic rate of charge over the lease terms.

Leases where substantially all the rewards and risks of ownership of assets remain with the lessor are accounted for as operating leases. Where the Group is the lessor, assets leased by the Group under operating leases are included in non-current assets, and rentals receivable under the operating leases are credited to the income statement on the straight-line basis over the lease terms. Where the Group is the lessee, rentals payable under the operating leases are charged to the income statement on the straight-line basis over the lease terms.

Prepaid land lease payments under operating leases are initially stated at cost and subsequently recognised on the straight-line basis over the lease terms. When the lease payments cannot be allocated reliably between the land and buildings elements, the entire lease payments are included in the cost of the land and buildings as a finance lease in property, plant and equipment.

Investments and other financial assets

Financial assets in the scope of HKAS 39 "Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement" are classified as either financial assets at fair value through profit or loss or loans and receivables, as appropriate. When financial assets are recognised initially, they are measured at fair value, plus, in the case of investments not at fair value through profit or loss, directly attributable transaction costs. The Group determines the classification of its financial assets after initial recognition and, where allowed and appropriate, re-evaluates this designation at the balance sheet date.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Investments and other financial assets *(continued)*

All regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on the trade date, that is, the date that the Group commits to purchase or sell the asset. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the period generally established by regulation or convention in the marketplace.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss – include financial assets held for trading. Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of sale in the near term. Gains or losses on investments held for trading are recognised in the income statement.

Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. Such assets are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Amortised cost is calculated taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and includes fees that are an integral part of the effective interest rate and transaction costs. Gains and losses are recognised in the income statement when the loans and receivables are derecognised or impaired, as well as through the amortisation process.

Fair value

The fair value of investments that are actively traded in organised financial markets is determined by reference to quoted market bid prices at the close of business on the balance sheet date. For investments where there is no active market, fair value is determined using valuation techniques. Such techniques include using recent arm's length market transactions; reference to the current market value of another instrument which is substantially the same; a discounted cash flow analysis; and option pricing models.

Impairment of financial assets

The Group assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is any objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Impairment of financial assets *(continued)*

Assets carried at amortised cost

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on loans and receivables carried at amortised cost has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows (excluding future credit losses that have not been incurred) discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate (i.e., the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition). The carrying amount of the asset is reduced either directly or through the use of an allowance account. The amount of the impairment loss is recognised in the income statement.

The Group first assesses whether objective evidence of impairment exists individually for financial assets that are individually significant, and individually or collectively for financial assets that are not individually significant. If it is determined that no objective evidence of impairment exists for an individually assessed financial asset, whether significant or not, the asset is included in a group of financial assets with similar credit risk characteristics and that group is collectively assessed for impairment. Assets that are individually assessed for impairment and for which an impairment loss is or continues to be recognised are not included in a collective assessment of impairment.

If, in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed. Any subsequent reversal of an impairment loss is recognised in the income statement, to the extent that the carrying value of the asset does not exceed its amortised cost at the reversal date.

In relation to accounts receivable, an allowance for doubtful debts is made when there is objective evidence (such as the probability of insolvency or significant financial difficulties of the debtor) that the Group will not be able to collect all of the amounts due under the original terms of an invoice. The carrying amount of the receivables is reduced through the use of an allowance account. Impaired debts are derecognised when they are assessed as uncollectible.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Derecognition of financial assets

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is derecognised where:

- the rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired;
- the Group retains the rights to receive cash flows from the asset, but has assumed an obligation to pay them in full without material delay to a third party under a “pass-through” arrangement; or
- the Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset and either (a) has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

Where the Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset and has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset nor transferred control of the asset, the asset is recognised to the extent of the Group’s continuing involvement in the asset. Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Group could be required to repay.

Where continuing involvement takes the form of a written and/or purchased option (including a cash-settled option or similar provision) on the transferred asset, the extent of the Group’s continuing involvement is the amount of the transferred asset that the Group may repurchase, except in the case of a written put option (including a cash-settled option or similar provision) on an asset measured at fair value, where the extent of the Group’s continuing involvement is limited to the lower of the fair value of the transferred asset and the option exercise price.

Financial liabilities at amortised cost (including interest-bearing loans and borrowings)

Financial liabilities including accounts and other payables, and interest-bearing loans and borrowings are initially stated at fair value less directly attributable transaction costs and are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest method unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost.

Gains and losses are recognised in the income statement when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the amortisation process.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs are recognised as expenses in the income statement in the period in which they are incurred.

Derecognition of financial liabilities

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires.

When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original liability and a recognition of a new liability, and the difference between the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the income statement.

Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and demand deposits, and short-term highly liquid investments which are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and have a short maturity of generally within three months when acquired, less bank overdrafts which are repayable on demand and form an integral part of the Group's cash management.

For the purpose of the balance sheets, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and at banks, including term deposits, which are not restricted as to use.

Provisions

A provision is recognised when a present obligation (legal or constructive) has arisen as a result of a past event and it is probable that a future outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, provided that a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

When the effect of discounting is material, the amount recognised for a provision is the present value at the balance sheet date of the future expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation. The increase in the discounted present value amount arising from the passage of time is included in finance costs in the income statement.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Income tax

Income tax comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognised in the income statement, or in equity if it relates to items that are recognised in the same or a different period directly in equity.

Current tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities.

Deferred tax is provided, using the liability method, on all temporary differences at the balance sheet date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences, except:

- where the deferred tax liability arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, where the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, carryforward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carryforward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised except:

- where the deferred tax asset relating to the deductible temporary differences arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of deductible temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, deferred tax assets are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Income tax *(continued)*

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilised. Conversely, previously unrecognised deferred tax assets are reassessed at each balance sheet date and are recognised to the extent that it is probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilised.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset, if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred taxes relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and when the revenue can be measured reliably, on the following bases:

- (i) from the sale of goods, when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have been transferred to the buyer, provided that the Group maintains neither managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership, nor effective control over the goods sold;
- (ii) from the rendering of services, when the relevant services have been rendered;
- (iii) rental income, on a time proportion basis over the lease terms;
- (iv) interest income, on an accrual basis using the effective interest method by applying the rate that discounts the estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial instrument to the net carrying amount of the financial asset; and
- (v) dividend income, when the shareholders' right to receive payment has been established.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Employee benefits

Share-based payment transactions

The Company operates a share option scheme for the purpose of providing incentives and rewards to eligible participants who contribute to the success of the Group's operations. Employees (including directors) of the Group receive remuneration in the form of share-based payment transactions, whereby employees render services as consideration for equity instruments ("equity-settled transactions").

The cost of equity-settled transactions with employees is measured by reference to the fair value at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined by an external valuer using the Black-Scholes option pricing model, further details of which are given in note 27 to the financial statements. In valuing equity-settled transactions, no account is taken of any performance conditions, other than conditions linked to the price of the shares of the Company ("market conditions"), if applicable.

The cost of equity-settled transactions is recognised, together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled, ending on the date on which the relevant employees become fully entitled to the award (the "vesting date"). The cumulative expense recognised for equity-settled transactions at each balance sheet date until the vesting date reflects the extent to which the vesting period has expired and the Group's best estimate of the number of equity instruments that will ultimately vest. The charge or credit to the income statement for a period represents the movement in the cumulative expense recognised as at the beginning and end of that period.

No expense is recognised for awards that do not ultimately vest, except for awards where vesting is conditional upon a market condition, which are treated as vesting irrespective of whether or not the market condition is satisfied, provided that all other performance conditions are satisfied.

Where the terms of an equity-settled award are modified, as a minimum an expense is recognised as if the terms had not been modified. In addition, an expense is recognised for any modification, which increases the total fair value of the share-based payment arrangement, or is otherwise beneficial to the employee as measured at the date of modification.

Where an equity-settled award is cancelled, it is treated as if it had vested on the date of cancellation, and any expense not yet recognised for the award is recognised immediately. However, if a new award is substituted for the cancelled award, and designated as a replacement award on the date that it is granted, the cancelled and new awards are treated as if they were a modification of the original award, as described in the previous paragraph.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Employee benefits *(continued)*

Share-based payment transactions (continued)

The dilutive effect of outstanding options is reflected as additional share dilution in the computation of earnings per share.

The Group has adopted the transitional provisions of HKFRS 2 in respect of equity-settled awards and has applied HKFRS 2 only to equity-settled awards granted after 7 November 2002 that had not vested on 1 January 2005.

Employment Ordinance long service payments

Certain of the Group's employees have completed the required number of years of service to the Group in order to be eligible for long service payments under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance in the event of the termination of their employment. The Group is liable to make such payments in the event that such a termination of employment meets the circumstances specified in the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance.

A contingent liability is disclosed in respect of possible future by service payments to employees, as a number of current employees have achieved the required number of years of service to the Group to the balance sheet date, in order to be eligible for long service payments under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance if their employment is terminated in the circumstances specified. A provision has not been recognised in respect of such possible payments, as it is not considered probable that the situation will result in a material future outflow of resources from the Group.

Pension schemes and other retirement benefits

The Group operates a defined contribution Mandatory Provident Fund retirement benefits scheme (the "MPF Scheme") under the Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance, for all of its employees who are eligible to participate in the MPF Scheme. Contributions are made based on a percentage of the employees' basic salaries and are charged to the income statement as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the MPF Scheme. The assets of the MPF Scheme are held separately from those of the Group in an independently administered fund. The Group's employer contributions vest fully with the employees when contributed into the MPF Scheme, except for the Group's employer voluntary contributions, which are refunded to the Group when the employee leaves employment prior to the contributions vesting fully, in accordance with the rules of the MPF Scheme.

The employees of the Group's subsidiaries which operate in Mainland China are required to participate in a central pension scheme operated by the local municipal government. These subsidiaries are required to contribute a certain percentage of their payroll costs to the central pension scheme. The contributions are charged to the income statement as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the central pension scheme.

Staff benefits are also provided to the staff working in other countries according to the respective countries' statutory requirements.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Dividends

Final dividends proposed by the directors are classified as a separate allocation of retained profits within the equity section of the balance sheets, until they have been approved by the shareholders in a general meeting. When these dividends have been approved by the shareholders and declared, they are recognised as a liability.

Interim dividends are simultaneously proposed and declared, because the Company's memorandum and articles of association grant the directors the authority to declare interim dividends. Consequently, interim dividends are recognised immediately as a liability when they are proposed and declared.

Foreign currencies

These financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars, which is the Company's functional and presentation currency. Each entity in the Group determines its own functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency. Foreign currency transactions are initially recorded using the functional currency rates ruling at the date of the transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the functional currency rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the income statement. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the dates of the initial transactions. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined.

The functional currencies of certain overseas subsidiaries are currencies other than Hong Kong dollars. As at the balance sheet date, the assets and liabilities of these entities are translated into the presentation currency of the Company at exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date and, their income statements are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the weighted average exchange rates for the year. The resulting exchange differences are included in a separate component of equity. On disposal of a foreign entity, the deferred cumulative amount recognised in equity relating to that particular foreign operation is recognised in the income statement.

For the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement, the cash flows of overseas subsidiaries are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the exchange rates ruling at the dates of the cash flows. Frequently recurring cash flows of overseas subsidiaries which arise throughout the year are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the weighted average exchange rates for the year.

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2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Research and development costs

All research costs are charged to the income statement as incurred.

Expenditure incurred on projects to develop new products is capitalised and deferred only when the Group can demonstrate the technical feasibility of completing the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale, its intention to complete and its ability to use or sell the asset, how the asset will generate future economic benefits, the availability of resources to complete the project and the ability to measure reliably the expenditure during the development. Product development expenditure which does not meet these criteria is expensed when incurred.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES

Judgements

In the process of applying the Group's accounting policies, management has made the following judgements, apart from those involving estimations, which have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements:

Carrying value of leasehold land element in relation to the entire leasehold land and buildings

The Group determines that the carrying value of the land element of the leasehold land and buildings held in Hong Kong in relation to the value of the entire lease is insignificant and cannot be reliably allocated. Accordingly, the leasehold land and buildings held in Hong Kong was treated as a single unit and accounted for under HKAS 16 *Property, plant and equipment*.

Estimation uncertainty

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation at the balance sheet date which may cause an adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below.

Allowance for doubtful debts

The Group makes allowances for doubtful debts based on an assessment of the recoverability of accounts and bills receivable. Allowances are applied to accounts and bills receivable where events or changes in circumstances indicate that the balances may not be collectible. The identification of doubtful debts requires the use of judgement and estimates. Where the expectation is different from the original estimate, such difference will impact the carrying value of accounts and bills receivable and doubtful debt expenses in the year in which such estimate has been changed.

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4. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Segment information is presented by way of the Group's primary segment reporting basis, by geographical segment. No information has been disclosed in respect of the Group's business segments as over 90% of the Group's revenue and assets are related to the production and sale of knitted fabric and dyed yarn and provision of related subcontracting services.

Each of the Group's geographical segments, based on the location of customers (the destination of sales), represents a strategic business unit that offers products to customers located in different geographical areas which are subject to risks and returns that are different from those of the other geographical segments. The Group's customer-based geographical segments are as follows:

- (a) Singapore;
- (b) Taiwan;
- (c) Hong Kong;
- (d) The People's Republic of China (other than Hong Kong and Macau) (the "PRC"); and
- (e) Others

In addition, segment assets and capital expenditure are further analysed by the geographical location of the assets (the origin of sales), where the Group's assets are located in different geographical areas from its customers, and where segment revenue from external customers or segment assets are 10% or more of the Group's total amount. The Group's asset-based geographical segments are Singapore, Hong Kong, the PRC (other than Hong Kong and Macau) and Others.

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4. SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

(i) Geographical segments based on the location of customers

The following tables present revenue, profit and certain asset, liability and expenditure information for the Group's geographical segments for the years ended 31 December 2006 and 2005.

Group – 2006

	Singapore HK\$'000	Taiwan HK\$'000	Hong Kong HK\$'000	PRC HK\$'000	Others HK\$'000	Consolidated HK\$'000
Segment revenue:						
Sales to external customers	1,135,710	192,602	285,736	186,349	213,492	2,013,889
Other income	1,248	5	2,546	218	58	4,075
Total	1,136,958	192,607	288,282	186,567	213,550	2,017,964
Segment results	190,770	32,817	52,081	32,027	36,558	344,253
Interest and other unallocated income and gain						5,206
Unallocated expenses						(186,832)
Finance costs						(40,821)
Profit before tax						121,806
Tax						(20,659)
Profit for the year						101,147
Assets and liabilities						
Segment assets	175,138	17,850	60,392	90,036	23,980	367,396
Unallocated assets						1,628,837
Total assets						1,996,233
Segment liabilities	70,776	13,060	140,226	184,772	61,619	470,453
Unallocated liabilities						727,045
Total liabilities						1,197,498

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4. SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

(i) Geographical segments based on the location of customers (continued)

Group – 2006 (continued)

	Singapore HK\$'000	Taiwan HK\$'000	Hong Kong HK\$'000	PRC HK\$'000	Others HK\$'000	Consolidated HK\$'000
Other segment information:						
Depreciation of items of property, plant and equipment, unallocated						69,960
Depreciation of investment properties, unallocated						377
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments, unallocated						949
Capital expenditure, unallocated						180,207
Loss on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment, unallocated						480
Allowance for doubtful debts	-	-	69	-	-	69
Write back of allowance for doubtful debts	(377)	-	(925)	(62)	(129)	(1,493)

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4. SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

(i) Geographical segments based on the location of customers (continued)

Group – 2005

	Singapore HK\$'000	Taiwan HK\$'000	Hong Kong HK\$'000	PRC HK\$'000	Others HK\$'000	Consolidated HK\$'000
Segment revenue:						
Sales to external customers	769,444	181,027	173,587	149,731	225,614	1,499,403
Other income	1,052	9	3,022	96	95	4,274
Total	770,496	181,036	176,609	149,827	225,709	1,503,677
Segment results	124,275	32,974	33,794	27,362	41,112	259,517
Interest and other unallocated income						4,192
Unallocated expenses						(147,366)
Finance costs						(26,081)
Profit before tax						90,262
Tax						(11,312)
Profit for the year						78,950
Assets and liabilities						
Segment assets	134,164	42,255	47,998	81,718	6,495	312,630
Unallocated assets						1,350,758
Total assets						1,663,388
Segment liabilities	76,011	40,448	79,075	72,640	58,061	326,235
Unallocated liabilities						659,919
Total liabilities						986,154

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4. SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

(i) Geographical segments based on the location of customers (continued)

Group – 2005 (continued)

	Singapore HK\$'000	Taiwan HK\$'000	Hong Kong HK\$'000	PRC HK\$'000	Others HK\$'000	Consolidated HK\$'000
Other segment information:						
Depreciation of items of property, plant and equipment, unallocated						55,860
Depreciation of investment properties, unallocated						376
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments, unallocated						449
Capital expenditure, unallocated						294,187
Gain on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment, unallocated						(160)
Allowance for doubtful debts	12,109	–	854	–	67	13,030
Write back of allowance for doubtful debts	(131)	–	(16)	–	–	(147)

(ii) Geographical segments based on the location of assets

The following tables present certain asset and expenditure information for the Group's geographical segments for the years ended 31 December 2006 and 2005.

Group – 2006

	Singapore HK\$'000	Hong Kong HK\$'000	PRC HK\$'000	Others HK\$'000	Consolidated HK\$'000
Segment assets	476	437,880	1,534,135	23,742	1,996,233
Capital expenditure	–	1,568	165,965	12,674	180,207
Group – 2005					
Segment assets	1,066	402,286	1,259,271	765	1,663,388
Capital expenditure	33	6,077	288,077	–	294,187

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5. REVENUE, OTHER INCOME AND GAIN

Revenue, which is also the Group's turnover, represents the net invoiced value of goods sold, after allowances for returns and trade discounts, and services rendered by the Group. All significant intra-group transactions have been eliminated on consolidation.

An analysis of the revenue, other income and gain is as follows:

	<i>Note</i>	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Revenue			
Production and sale of knitted fabric and dyed yarn and provision of related subcontracting services		2,013,889	1,499,403
Other income			
Fee income from freight handling services		4,075	4,274
Bank interest income		888	671
Gross rental income		1,372	1,347
Others		2,883	2,120
		9,218	8,412
Gain			
Fair value gain on equity investments at fair value through profit or loss	7	63	54
		9,281	8,466

6. FINANCE COSTS

	Group	
	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Interest on bank loans and overdrafts wholly repayable within five years	34,238	21,379
Interest on finance leases	4,983	3,702
Amortisation of bank charges on a syndicated loan	1,600	1,000
	40,821	26,081

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7. PROFIT BEFORE TAX

The Group's profit before tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Cost of inventories sold and services provided	1,618,023	1,161,055
Auditors' remuneration	1,350	1,180
Research and development costs	4,107	5,006
Depreciation of items of property, plant and equipment	69,960	55,860
Depreciation of investment properties	377	376
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments	949	449
Employee benefits expense (excluding directors' remuneration – note 8):		
Wages and salaries	98,502	73,829
Equity-settled share option expenses	–	3,010
Pension scheme contributions	6,601	3,962
	<u>105,103</u>	<u>80,801</u>
Minimum lease payments under operating leases in respect of land and buildings	1,931	2,049
Loss/(gain) on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment	480	(160)
Allowance for doubtful debts	69	13,030
Write back of allowance for doubtful debts	(1,493)	(147)
Fair value gain on equity investments at fair value through profit or loss	(63)	(54)
Foreign exchange differences, net	<u>8,385</u>	<u>481</u>

Cost of inventories sold and services provided includes depreciation and staff costs of HK\$124,352,000 for the year ended 31 December 2006 (2005: HK\$90,112,000), which is also included in the respective total amounts disclosed separately above.

Research and development costs include depreciation and staff costs of HK\$3,462,000 for the year ended 31 December 2006 (2005: HK\$3,172,000), which is also included in the respective total amounts disclosed separately above.

At 31 December 2006, the Group had no forfeited contributions available to reduce its contributions to the pension scheme in future years (2005: Nil).

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8. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

Directors' remuneration for the year, disclosed pursuant to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange and Section 161 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, is as follows:

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Fees	480	510
Other emoluments:		
Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind	5,613	4,198
Discretionary bonuses*	4,906	2,036
Employee share option benefits	–	1,290
Pension scheme contributions	84	79
	10,603	7,603
	11,083	8,113

* Certain executive directors of the Company are entitled to discretionary bonuses which in aggregate are limited to 5% (2005: 5%) of the consolidated profit after tax of the Group.

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8. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION (continued)

	Fees HK\$'000	Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind HK\$'000	Discretionary bonuses HK\$'000	Employee share option benefits HK\$'000	Pension scheme contributions HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
2006						
Executive Directors:						
Tai Chin Chun	-	1,643	2,304	-	12	3,959
Tai Chin Wen	-	1,311	1,650	-	12	2,973
Cheung So Wan	-	537	432	-	12	981
Wong Siu Yuk	-	537	432	-	12	981
Chong Chau Lam	-	1,585	88	-	12	1,685
Independent non-executive Directors:						
Chu Hak Ha, Mimi	180	-	-	-	9	189
Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy	180	-	-	-	9	189
Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony	120	-	-	-	6	126
Total	480	5,613	4,906	-	84	11,083
2005						
Executive Directors:						
Tai Chin Chun	-	1,342	1,121	553	12	3,028
Tai Chin Wen	-	1,068	665	369	12	2,114
Cheung So Wan	-	504	110	184	12	810
Wong Siu Yuk	-	504	110	184	12	810
Chong Chau Lam	-	780	30	-	6	816
Independent non-executive Directors:						
Chong Chau Lam	90	-	-	-	4	94
Chu Hak Ha, Mimi	180	-	-	-	9	189
Chan Yuk Tong, Jimmy	180	-	-	-	9	189
Ku Shiu Kuen, Anthony	60	-	-	-	3	63
Total	510	4,198	2,036	1,290	79	8,113

There was no arrangement under which a director waived or agreed to waive any remuneration during the year.

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9. FIVE HIGHEST PAID EMPLOYEES

The five highest paid employees during the year included five (2005: three) directors (two of whom the remuneration were the same), details of whose remuneration are set out in note 8 above. Details of the remuneration of the remaining one (2005: two) non-director, highest paid employee for the year are as follows:

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind	1,082	1,768
Discretionary bonuses	63	75
Employee share option benefits	–	268
Pension scheme contributions	12	14
	1,157	2,125

The number of non-director, highest paid employees whose remuneration fell within the following bands is as follows:

	Number of employees	
	2006	2005
Nil to HK\$1,000,000	–	–
HK\$1,000,001 to HK\$1,500,000	1	2
	1	2

During the year, no emoluments were paid by the Group to the directors of the Company or any of the five highest paid individuals as an inducement to join or upon joining the Group or as compensation for loss of office.

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10. TAX

	Group	
	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Current tax – Hong Kong		
Charge for the year	10,243	6,014
Overprovision in prior years	(1,227)	(1,178)
Current tax – Elsewhere		
Charge for the year	9,547	8,439
Underprovision in respect of prior years	–	121
Deferred tax charge/(credit) (<i>note 25</i>)	2,096	(2,084)
Total tax charge for the year	20,659	11,312

Hong Kong profits tax has been provided on the estimated assessable profits arising in Hong Kong at the rate of 17.5% (2005: 17.5%). Taxes on profits assessable elsewhere have been calculated at the rates of tax prevailing in the countries in which the Group operates, based on existing legislation, interpretations and practices in respect thereof.

Panyu Kam Hing Textile Dyeing Co. Ltd. (“Panyu KH Textile”), a wholly-owned PRC subsidiary of the Company, is entitled to a 50% reduction in the corporate income tax in the PRC. The applicable tax rate of Panyu KH Textile, after the 50% reduction, was 12%.

The Group has tax losses arising in Hong Kong of HK\$2,565,000 (2005: HK\$2,017,000) that are available indefinitely for offsetting against future taxable profits of the Company and the respective subsidiaries. No deferred tax assets has been recognised in respect of these losses as the directors consider it is not probable that future taxable profit will be available against which these tax losses can be utilised.

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10. TAX (continued)

A reconciliation of the tax expense applicable to profit before tax using the statutory rates for the countries in which the Company and the majority of its subsidiaries are domiciled to the tax expense at the effective tax rates, and a reconciliation of the applicable rates (i.e., the statutory tax rates) to the effective tax rates, are as follows:

Group – 2006

	Hong Kong		PRC		Others		Total	
	HK\$'000	%	HK\$'000	%	HK\$'000	%	HK\$'000	%
Profit/(loss) before tax	<u>40,711</u>		<u>82,127</u>		<u>(1,032)</u>		<u>121,806</u>	
Tax at the statutory tax rate	7,124	17.5	27,102	33.0	(96)	9.3	34,130	28.0
Lower tax rate for specific provinces or local authority	-	-	(16,896)	(20.6)	-	-	(16,896)	(13.9)
Adjustments in respect of current tax of prior years	(1,227)	(3.0)	-	-	-	-	(1,227)	(1.0)
Lower tax rate due to tax holiday	-	-	-	-	111	(10.8)	111	0.1
Income not subject to tax	(286)	(0.7)	(761)	(0.9)	(15)	1.5	(1,062)	(0.9)
Expenses not deductible for tax	5,349	13.1	102	0.1	-	-	5,451	4.5
Tax losses not recognised	152	0.4	-	-	-	-	152	0.1
Tax charge at the Group's effective rate	<u>11,112</u>	27.3	<u>9,547</u>	11.6	<u>-</u>	-	<u>20,659</u>	16.9

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10. TAX (continued)

Group – 2005

	Hong Kong		PRC		Others		Total	
	HK\$'000	%	HK\$'000	%	HK\$'000	%	HK\$'000	%
Profit/(loss) before tax	21,389		69,417		(544)		90,262	
Tax at the statutory tax rate	3,743	17.5	22,907	33.0	(120)	22.0	26,530	29.4
Lower tax rate for specific provinces or local authority	-	-	(6,247)	(9.0)	-	-	(6,247)	(6.9)
Adjustments in respect of								
current tax of previous years	(1,178)	(5.5)	121	0.2	-	-	(1,057)	(1.2)
Lower tax rate due to tax holiday	-	-	(8,255)	(12.0)	-	-	(8,255)	(9.1)
Income not subject to tax	(275)	(1.3)	(173)	(0.2)	-	-	(448)	(0.5)
Expenses not deductible for tax	479	2.2	207	0.3	98	(18.0)	784	0.8
Tax losses not recognised	5	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
Tax charge/(credit) at the Group's effective rate	2,774	12.9	8,560	12.3	(22)	4.0	11,312	12.5

11. PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

The consolidated profit attributable to equity holders of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2006 includes a profit of HK\$25,688,000 (2005: HK\$19,586,000) which has been dealt with in the financial statements of the Company (note 28(b)).

12. DIVIDEND

	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Proposed final – HK4.0 cents per ordinary share (2005: HK3.1 cents)	25,600	19,840

The proposed final dividend for the year is subject to the approval of the Company's shareholders at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

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13. EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

The calculation of basic earnings per share amounts is based on the profit for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company of HK\$101,125,000 (2005: HK\$78,959,000) and the weighted average of 640,000,000 (2005: 640,000,000) ordinary shares deemed to have been in issue during the year.

Diluted earnings per share for the years ended 31 December 2006 and 2005 has not been disclosed, as the share options outstanding during these years had an anti-dilutive effect on the basic earnings per share for these years.

14. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Group

	Land and buildings HK\$'000	Plant and machinery HK\$'000	Furniture, fixtures and office equipment HK\$'000	Motor vehicles HK\$'000	Construction in progress HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
31 December 2006						
Cost:						
At 1 January 2006	147,358	587,914	40,944	13,763	175,388	965,367
Additions	8,632	31,388	2,386	856	128,421	171,683
Disposals	–	(1,019)	(128)	(261)	–	(1,408)
Transfers	–	43,742	550	–	(44,292)	–
Exchange realignment	7,226	32,692	1,510	372	12,976	54,776
At 31 December 2006	163,216	694,717	45,262	14,730	272,493	1,190,418
Accumulated depreciation:						
At 1 January 2006	17,341	184,230	15,256	6,844	–	223,671
Charge for the year	6,995	54,249	6,656	2,060	–	69,960
Disposals	–	–	(128)	(109)	–	(237)
Exchange realignment	1,176	11,629	722	248	–	13,775
At 31 December 2006	25,512	250,108	22,506	9,043	–	307,169
Net book value:						
At 31 December 2006	137,704	444,609	22,756	5,687	272,493	883,249

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14. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

Group (continued)

	Land and buildings HK\$'000	Plant and machinery HK\$'000	Furniture, fixtures and office equipment HK\$'000	Motor vehicles HK\$'000	Construction in progress HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
31 December 2005						
Cost:						
At 1 January 2005	123,880	403,354	20,481	12,698	140,667	701,080
Additions	–	73,288	6,925	2,703	190,545	273,461
Disposals	–	–	–	(1,638)	–	(1,638)
Transfers	31,014	111,272	13,538	–	(155,824)	–
Transfer to investment properties	(7,536)	–	–	–	–	(7,536)
At 31 December 2005	147,358	587,914	40,944	13,763	175,388	965,367
Accumulated depreciation:						
At 1 January 2005	11,816	140,426	10,654	6,541	–	169,437
Charge for the year	5,589	43,804	4,636	1,831	–	55,860
Disposals	–	–	(34)	(1,528)	–	(1,562)
Transfer to investment properties	(64)	–	–	–	–	(64)
At 31 December 2005	17,341	184,230	15,256	6,844	–	223,671
Net book value:						
At 31 December 2005	130,017	403,684	25,688	6,919	175,388	741,696

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14. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

The Group's buildings were held under the following lease terms:

	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Medium-term leases		
– in Hong Kong	2,025	2,167
– outside Hong Kong	<u>135,679</u>	<u>127,850</u>
	<u>137,704</u>	<u>130,017</u>

The net book value of the Group's items of property, plant and equipment held under finance leases included in the total amount of plant and machinery, furniture, fixtures and office equipment and motor vehicles were as follows:

	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Plant and machinery	193,265	189,972
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	105	–
Motor vehicles	<u>1,240</u>	<u>1,136</u>
	<u>194,610</u>	<u>191,108</u>

Title certificates in respect of three factory buildings with net book value of approximately HK\$0.7 million (2005: HK\$0.7 million) as at 31 December 2006 as included in buildings have not been obtained by the Group. Since the relevant documents required by the relevant government authority for the reissuance of the title certificates cannot be located by the Group and it is expected that it will take a significant amount of time and effort for the application process, the directors consider that the title certificates will not be granted by the relevant government authority in the sooner foreseeable future.

In addition, the Group is still in the process of applying for the land use planning for construction work permit, construction project and planning permit, commencement of construction works permit in respect of a six-storey factory building under construction currently, with net book value of approximately HK\$3 million (2005: HK\$3 million) as at 31 December 2006.

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14. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT *(continued)*

As advised by the Company's legal adviser as to the PRC laws, in the event that any of the aforesaid buildings and structures is considered illegal or unauthorised, the relevant government authorities may order rectification steps by remodeling the structures of the buildings, or for more severe measures, order demolition or forfeiture of such buildings/structures and payment of fines. The aforesaid buildings and structures accounted for less than 1% of the Group's total property, plant and equipment as at 31 December 2006 and are used for/intended to be used for warehousing purposes. Accordingly, the directors consider that the above buildings are not crucial to the operation of the Group and the potential impact as a result of any action taken by the government as aforesaid on the business or production of the Group is expected to be minimal. In addition, each of Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen, directors of the Company, together with two major shareholders of the Company (beneficially owned by Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen, respectively), have given joint and several indemnities in favour of the Group in respect of the aforementioned buildings/structures (note 33(c)).

15. INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Carrying amount at 1 January	7,096	–
Transfer from owner-occupied property	–	7,472
Charge for the year	(377)	(376)
Exchange realignment	336	–
Net book value as at 31 December	<u>7,055</u>	<u>7,096</u>

The Group's investment properties are held under medium-term leases and are situated outside Hong Kong. As the Group considers the fair values of investment properties are not reliably determinable on a continuing basis since comparable market transactions are infrequent and alternative reliable estimates of fair value are not available, investment properties are therefore measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses.

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16. PREPAID LAND LEASE PAYMENTS

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Carrying amount at 1 January	40,259	19,982
Prepaid during the year	8,524	20,726
Amortised during the year	(949)	(449)
Exchange realignment	2,280	–
Carrying amount at 31 December	50,114	40,259
Current portion included in prepayments, deposits and other receivables	(1,124)	(864)
Non-current portion	48,990	39,395
The Group's prepaid land lease payments comprise:		
Land outside Hong Kong:		
Long-term lease	1,110	–
Medium-term leases	47,880	39,395
	48,990	39,395

17. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

	Company	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Unlisted investments, at cost	402,207	402,207

The amount due from and to subsidiaries included in the Company's current assets and current liabilities of HK\$217,027,000 (2005: HK\$212,011,000) and HK\$4,500,000 (2005: HK\$612,000), respectively, are unsecured, interest-free and have no fixed terms of repayments. The carrying amounts of the amounts due from/to subsidiaries approximate to their fair values.

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17. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (continued)

Particulars of the Company's principal subsidiaries are as follows:

Name	Place of incorporation/ registration and operations	Nominal value of issued ordinary share/ paid-up capital	Percentage of equity attributable to the Company	Principal activities
Directly held:				
Joint Result Holdings Limited ("Joint Result")*	BVI/Hong Kong	US\$10,000	100	Investment holding
Indirectly held:				
Kam Hing Piece Works Limited ("KH Piece Works")	Hong Kong	Ordinary HK\$2 Non-voting deferred HK\$1,000,010 (Note (a))	100	Trading of finished fabrics
Kam Hing Textile (International) Limited ("KH Textile")	Hong Kong	Ordinary HK\$2 Non-voting deferred HK\$10,000,000 (Note (a))	100	Investment holding
Kam Hing Piece Works (S) Pte Limited*	Singapore	S\$100,000	100	Provision of customer services
Panyu KH Textile*	PRC/Mainland China	US\$70,553,000 (Note (b))	100	Manufacture and trading of knitted and dyed fabrics
Kam Hing Textile Macao Commercial Offshore Company Limited	Macau	Pataca 100,000	100	Provision of knitting and dyeing services and trading of finished fabrics
Guangzhou Kam Sing Textile and Dyeing Company Limited ("Kam Sing")*	PRC/Mainland China	HK\$6,000,000 (Note (c))	100	Manufacture and trading of knitted and dyed fabrics

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17. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (continued)

Particulars of the Company's principal subsidiaries are as follows: (continued)

Name	Place of incorporation/ registration and operations	Nominal value of issued ordinary share/ paid-up capital	Percentage of equity attributable to the Company	Principal activities
Indirectly held: (continued)				
En Ping Kam Hing Textile and Dyeing Co. Ltd ("En Ping KH")*	PRC/Mainland China	US\$8,000,000 (Note (d))	100	Manufacture and trading of knitted and dyed fabrics
Sparkle Logistics Limited ("Sparkle Logistics")	Hong Kong	HK\$3,800,000 (Note (e))	92 (Note (e))	Provision of air and ocean freight services
Kam Hing Global Garment Company Limited#	Hong Kong	HK\$1	100	Trading of garment products
Kam Hing Madagascar**	Madagascar	MGA10,000,000	100	Manufacture and trading of garment products
錦興國際貨運代理 (廣州)有限公司 ("錦興貨運")**	PRC/Mainland China	RMB5,000,000 (Note (f))	100	Provision of air and ocean freight services
Highkeen Enterprises Limited ("Highkeen")**	BVI	US\$1,000 (Note (g))	100	Investment holding

Notes:

- (a) The non-voting deferred shares do not entitle the holders thereof to receive notice of or to attend or vote at any general meeting of KH Piece Works and KH Textile. The holders of the non-voting deferred shares are not entitled to any dividends of KH Piece Works and KH Textile. On a winding-up, the holders of the non-voting deferred shares are entitled, out of the surplus assets of KH Piece Works and KH Textile, to a return of the capital paid up on the non-voting deferred shares held by them to one half of the balance after a total sum of HK\$100,000,000,000,000 has been distributed in such winding-up in respect of the ordinary shares of KH Piece Works and KH Textile.
- (b) Panyu KH Textile is registered as a wholly-foreign-owned enterprise under the PRC law with an operating period of 25 years commencing from 26 March 1992. The registered capital of Panyu KH Textile amounted to US\$90,000,000. The remaining balance of US\$19,447,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$151,298,000) is required to be paid up by 29 November 2007 (note 32).

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17. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (continued)

Notes: (continued)

- (c) Kam Sing is registered as a wholly-foreign-owned enterprise under the PRC law with an operating period of 20 years commencing from 2 January 2004. The registered capital of Kam Sing amounted to HK\$6,000,000, which has been fully paid up in the year ended 31 December 2004.
- (d) En Ping KH is registered as a wholly-foreign-owned enterprise under the PRC law with an operating period of 20 years commencing from 27 April 2005. The registered capital of En Ping KH amounted to US\$60,000,000. The remaining unpaid capital contribution of US\$52,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$404,560,000) is required to be paid up by 27 April 2010 (note 32).
- (e) Through the subscription of 3,230,000 new ordinary shares of HK\$1 each in Sparkle Logistics, the Company's equity interest in Sparkle Logistics increased to 92% as at 31 December 2006 (2005: 70%) (note 29(c)).
- (f) 錦興貨運 is registered as a wholly-foreign-owned enterprise under the PRC law with an operating period of 20 years commencing from 16 June 2006. The registered capital of 錦興貨運 amounted to RMB5,000,000, which has been fully paid up during the current year.
- (g) On 27 December 2006, Highkeen has entered into a joint venture agreement with an independent third party to establish a joint venture (the "JV Agreement"), Kam Wing International Textile Company Limited ("Kam Wing"), in Hong Kong. Pursuant to the JV Agreement, Highkeen is required to contribute HK\$64,500,000 prior to 31 March 2008 (note 32 and 35(b)).
- * The statutory financial statements of these subsidiaries are not audited by Ernst & Young Hong Kong or other Ernst & Young International member firms.
- # Subsidiaries incorporated/established during the current year.

The above table lists the subsidiaries of the Company which, in the opinion of the directors, principally affected the results for the year or formed a substantial portion of the net assets of the Group. To give details of other subsidiaries would, in the opinion of the directors, result in particulars of excessive length.

18. INVENTORIES

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Raw materials	324,429	275,039
Work in progress	80,399	69,046
Finished goods	78,519	37,017
	483,347	381,102

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19. ACCOUNTS AND BILLS RECEIVABLE

The Group's trading terms with its customers are generally on credit with terms of up to 60 days and are non-interest-bearing (except for certain well-established customers having strong financial strength, good repayment history and credit worthiness, where the credit terms are extended to 120 days). Overdue balances are reviewed regularly by senior management. In view of the aforementioned and the fact that the Group's accounts and bills receivable relate to a large number of diversified customers, there is no significant concentration of credit risk.

An aged analysis of the Group's accounts and bills receivable as at the balance sheet date, based on the invoice date and net of allowances, is as follows:

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Within 30 days	138,659	100,747
31 to 60 days	100,241	83,392
61 to 90 days	83,166	51,530
Over 90 days	45,330	76,961
	367,396	312,630

The carrying amounts of the Group's accounts and bills receivable approximate to their fair values.

Included in the above accounts and bills receivable as at 31 December 2006, HK\$85,796,000 (2005: HK\$104,894,000) was discounted to banks in exchange for cash and included as "Bank advances for discounted bills" on the face of the consolidated balance sheet.

20. EQUITY INVESTMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Equity investments listed outside Hong Kong, at market value	1,382	497

The above equity investments were classified as held for trading at 31 December 2006 and 2005.

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21. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	Group		Company	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Cash and bank balances	193,076	158,757	8,034	286
Time deposits	–	13,414	–	–
Cash and cash equivalents	193,076	172,171	8,034	286

As at 31 December 2006, the cash and bank balances of the Group denominated in Renminbi (“RMB”) amounted to approximately HK\$35,715,000 (2005: HK\$15,763,000). RMB is not freely convertible into other currencies, however, under the PRC’s Foreign Exchange Control Regulations and Administration of Settlement, Sale and Payment of Foreign Exchange Regulations, the Group is permitted to exchange RMB for other currencies through banks authorised to conduct foreign exchange business.

Cash at banks earn interest at floating rates based on daily bank deposit rates. Short-term time deposits are made for varying periods of between one day and three months depending on the immediate cash requirements of the Group, and earn interest at the respective short-term time deposit rates. The carrying amounts of the cash and cash equivalents approximate to their fair values.

22. ACCOUNTS AND BILLS PAYABLE

An aged analysis of the Group’s accounts and bills payable as at the balance sheet dates, based on invoice date, is as follows:

	Group	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Within 90 days	322,382	174,573
91 to 180 days	50,865	29,861
181 to 365 days	11,322	16,565
Over 365 days	88	342
	384,657	221,341

The accounts and bills payable are non-interest-bearing and are normally settled on 60-day terms. The carrying amounts of the Group’s accounts and bills payable approximate to their fair values.

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23. INTEREST-BEARING BANK AND OTHER BORROWINGS

Group	2006			2005		
	Effective interest rate (%)	Maturity	HK\$'000	Effective interest rate (%)	Maturity	HK\$'000
Current						
Finance lease payables (note 24)	3.5 – 11.2	2007	33,615	3.5 – 10.9	2006	42,731
Bank overdrafts – unsecured	–	–	–	6.5	On demand	480
	Weighted average of HIBOR/LIBOR/SIBOR			Weighted average of HIBOR/LIBOR/SIBOR		
Bank loans – unsecured	+ 0.7 to 1.25	2007	442,105	+ 0.7 to 1.25	2006	210,245
			<u>475,720</u>			<u>253,456</u>
Non-current						
Finance lease payables (note 24)	3.5 – 11.2	2008 – 2010	36,747	3.5 – 10.9	2007 – 2010	48,872
Bank loans – unsecured	HIBOR + 0.7	2008	151,700	HIBOR + 0.7	2007 – 2008	311,892
			<u>188,447</u>			<u>360,764</u>
			<u>664,167</u>			<u>614,220</u>

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23. INTEREST-BEARING BANK AND OTHER BORROWINGS (continued)

	2006	Group 2005
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
Analysed into:		
Bank loans and overdrafts repayable:		
Within one year or on demand	442,105	210,725
In the second year	151,700	160,192
In the third to fifth years, inclusive	–	151,700
	593,805	522,617
Finance lease payables:		
Within one year or on demand	33,615	42,731
In the second year	23,877	26,171
In the third to fifth years, inclusive	12,870	22,701
	70,362	91,603
	664,167	614,220

As at 31 December 2006, the Group's banking facilities were secured by the carrying amounts of the Group's pledged bank deposits of HK\$2,152,000 (2005: HK\$2,146,000) which approximate to their fair values, and were supported by corporate guarantees executed by the Company and certain subsidiaries of the Company.

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23. INTEREST-BEARING BANK AND OTHER BORROWINGS (continued)

Other interest rate information:

	Group			
	2006		2005	
	Fixed rate HK\$'000	Floating rate HK\$'000	Fixed rate HK\$'000	Floating rate HK\$'000
Finance lease payables	1,044	69,318	915	90,688
Bank overdrafts – unsecured	–	–	480	–
Bank loans – unsecured	–	593,805	–	522,137

The carrying amounts of the Group's current borrowings approximate to their fair values. The carrying amounts and fair values of the Group's non-current borrowings are as follows:

	Carrying amounts		Fair values	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Finance lease payables	36,747	48,872	36,747	48,872
Floating rate bank loans – unsecured	151,700	311,892	153,490	333,280
	188,447	360,764	190,237	382,152

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24. FINANCE LEASE PAYABLES

The Group leases certain of its plant and machinery, furniture, fixtures and office equipment and motor vehicles for its business operation (note 14). These leases are classified as finance leases and have remaining lease terms ranging from two to five years.

At 31 December 2006, the total future minimum lease payments under finance leases and their present values were as follows:

Group

	Minimum lease payments		Present value of minimum lease payments	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Amounts payable:				
Within one year	36,551	46,536	33,615	42,731
In the second year	25,241	28,073	23,877	26,171
In the third to fifth years, inclusive	13,107	23,610	12,870	22,701
Total minimum finance lease payments	74,899	98,219	70,362	91,603
Future finance charges	(4,537)	(6,616)		
Total net finance lease payables	70,362	91,603		
Portion classified as current liabilities (note 23)	(33,615)	(42,731)		
Non-current portion (note 23)	36,747	48,872		

At 31 December 2006, the finance lease payables were secured by corporate guarantees executed by the Company and/or certain subsidiaries of the Company and the underlying property, plant and equipment.

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25. DEFERRED TAX

The movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities of the Group during the year were as follows:

Deferred tax assets

	Allowance for doubtful debts	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
At 1 January	2,137	76
Deferred tax credited/(charged) to the income statement during the year (<i>note 10</i>)	(2,096)	2,061
At 31 December	41	2,137

Deferred tax liabilities

	Depreciation allowance in excess of related depreciation	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
At 1 January	–	23
Deferred tax credited to the income statement during the year	–	(23)
At 31 December	–	–
Net deferred tax assets at 31 December	41	2,137

There are no income tax consequences attaching to the payment of dividends by the Company to its shareholders.

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26. SHARE CAPITAL

	Company	
	2006	2005
	<i>HK\$'000</i>	<i>HK\$'000</i>
Authorised:		
2,000,000,000 (2005: 2,000,000,000) ordinary shares of HK\$0.1 each	<u>200,000</u>	<u>200,000</u>
Issued and fully paid:		
640,000,000 (2005: 640,000,000) ordinary shares of HK\$0.1 each	<u>64,000</u>	<u>64,000</u>

27. SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The Company operates a share option scheme (the "Scheme") for the purpose of providing incentives and rewards to eligible participants who contribute to the success of the Group's operations. Eligible participants of the Scheme include the Company's directors, including independent non-executive directors, other employees of the Group, suppliers of goods or services to the Group, customers of the Group, any consultant, advisor, manager or officer who provides research, development, other technological support or services to the Group, the Company's shareholders, and any minority shareholder of the Company's subsidiaries. The Scheme became effective on 25 August 2004 and, unless otherwise cancelled or amended, will remain in force for 10 years from that date.

The maximum number of unexercised share options currently permitted to be granted under the Scheme is an amount equivalent, upon their exercise, to 10% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time. The maximum number of shares issuable under share options to each eligible participant in the Scheme within any 12-month period, is limited to 1% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time. Any further grant of share options in excess of this limit is subject to shareholders' approval in a general meeting.

Share options granted to a director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company, or to any of their associates, are subject to approval in advance by the independent non-executive directors. In addition, any share options granted to a substantial shareholder or an independent non-executive director of the Company, or to any of their associates, in excess of 0.1% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time or with an aggregate value (based on the price of the Company's shares at the date of grant) in excess of HK\$5 million, within any 12-month period, are subject to shareholders' approval in advance in a general meeting.

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27. SHARE OPTION SCHEME (continued)

The offer of a grant of share options may be accepted within 28 days from the date of the offer, upon payment of a nominal consideration of HK\$1 in total by the grantee. The exercise period of the share options granted is determinable by the directors, and commences after a certain vesting period and ends on a date which is not later than 10 years from the date of the offer of the share options or the expiry date of the Scheme, if earlier.

The exercise price of the share options is determinable by the directors, but may not be less than the higher of (i) the nominal value of the Company's share; (ii) the Stock Exchange closing price of the Company's shares on the date of offer of the share options; and (iii) the average Stock Exchange closing price of the Company's shares for the five trading days immediately preceding the date of offer.

Share options do not confer rights on the holders to dividends or to vote at shareholders' meetings.

The following share options were outstanding under the Scheme during the year:

Name or category of participant	Number of share options				Date of grant of share options*	Exercise period of share options	Exercise price of share options** HK\$ per share	Price of Company's shares at grant date of options*** HK\$ per share
	At 1 January 2006	Granted during the year	Lapsed during the year	At 31 December 2006				
Directors								
Tai Chin Chun	3,000,000	-	-	3,000,000	6 October 2004	6 October 2005 to 5 October 2014	1.28	1.24
Tai Chin Wen	2,000,000	-	-	2,000,000	6 October 2004	6 October 2005 to 5 October 2014	1.28	1.24
Cheung So Wan	1,000,000	-	-	1,000,000	6 October 2004	6 October 2005 to 5 October 2014	1.28	1.24
Wong Siu Yuk	1,000,000	-	-	1,000,000	6 October 2004	6 October 2005 to 5 October 2014	1.28	1.24
Subtotal	<u>7,000,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7,000,000</u>				
Non-director employees								
In aggregate	15,746,000	-	(1,543,000)	14,203,000	6 October 2004	6 October 2005 to 5 October 2014	1.28	1.24
Others								
In aggregate	1,260,000	-	-	1,260,000	6 October 2004	6 October 2005 to 5 October 2014	1.28	1.24
Total	<u>24,006,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(1,543,000)</u>	<u>22,463,000</u>				

* The vesting period of the share options is from the date of the grant until the commencement of the exercise period.

** The exercise price of the share options is subject to adjustment in the case of rights or bonus issues, or other similar changes in the Company's share capital.

*** The price of the Company's shares disclosed as at the date of the grant of the share options is the Stock Exchange closing price on the trading day immediately prior to the date of the grant of the options.

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27. SHARE OPTION SCHEME (continued)

During the year, no new share options were granted by the Company.

All share options outstanding as at 31 December 2006 were vested in prior years. The fair values of these share options at the date of grant of HK\$5,300,000 was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model (the "Model") and was fully recognised in the share option reserve upon the adoption of HKFRS 2 "Share-based Payment" during the year ended 31 December 2005. Details of the underlying inputs to the Model was disclosed in the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2005.

The 22,463,000 share options outstanding as at 31 December 2006 under the Scheme, represented approximately 3.5% of the Company's shares in issue as at that date. The exercise in full of the share options would, under the present capital structure of the Company, result in the issue of 22,463,000 additional ordinary shares of the Company and additional share capital of HK\$2,246,300 and share premium of HK\$26,506,340 (before issue expenses).

28. RESERVES

(a) Group

The amounts of the Group's reserves and the movement therein for the current and prior years are presented in the consolidated statements of changes in equity of the financial statements.

The capital reserve of the Group represents (i) the premium arising from the issue of shares by Joint Result for settlement of the amounts due to directors, of HK\$93,378,000; and (ii) the excess of the nominal value of the share capitals of the subsidiaries acquired pursuant to the group reorganisation taken place on 24 August 2004, for the Company became the holding company of the companies now comprising the Group (the "Group Reorganisation"), over the nominal value of the 1,000,000 shares of HK\$0.1 each of the Company issued in exchange therefor and the then existing 1,000,000 shares of HK\$0.1 each credited as fully paid at par.

In accordance with the relevant PRC regulations, the subsidiaries which are established in the PRC are required to transfer 10% of their profits after tax, as determined under the PRC accounting regulations, to the statutory surplus reserves, until the balance of the reserve reaches 50% of their respective registered capital. Subject to certain restrictions as set out in the relevant PRC regulations, the statutory surplus reserve may be used to offset against accumulated losses of the respective subsidiary.

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28. RESERVES (continued)

(b) Company

	Share premium account <i>HK\$'000</i>	Share option reserve <i>HK\$'000</i>	Capital reserve <i>HK\$'000</i>	Retained profits <i>HK\$'000</i>	Total <i>HK\$'000</i>
At 1 January 2005	122,429	1,000	402,007	298	525,734
Equity-settled share option arrangements	–	4,300	–	–	4,300
Profit for the year	–	–	–	19,586	19,586
Proposed final 2005 dividend	–	–	–	(19,840)	(19,840)
At 31 December 2005	122,429	5,300	402,007	44	529,780
Profit for the year	–	–	–	25,688	25,688
Proposed final 2006 dividend	–	–	–	(25,600)	(25,600)
	<u>122,429</u>	<u>5,300</u>	<u>402,007</u>	<u>132</u>	<u>529,868</u>

The capital reserve of the Company represents the excess of the then net assets of the subsidiaries acquired by the Company pursuant to the Group Reorganisation as disclosed in the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2004, over the nominal value of the share capital of the Company issued in exchange therefor and the then existing 1,000,000 shares of HK\$0.1 each credited as fully paid at par. Under the Companies Law of the Cayman Islands, the capital reserve may be distributable to the shareholders of the Company, provided that immediately following the date on which the dividend is proposed to be distributed, the Company will be in a position to pay off its debts as and when they fall due in the ordinary course of business.

The Group's and Company's share option reserve comprises the fair value of share options granted which are yet to be exercised, as further explained in the accounting policy for share-based payment transactions in note 2.4 to the financial statements. The amount will either be transferred to the share premium account when the related options are exercised, or be transferred to retained profits should the related options expire or be forfeited.

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29. NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

The Group has the following major non-cash transactions during the year:

- (a) During the year, the Group entered into finance lease arrangements in respect of items of property, plant and equipment with a total capital value at the inception of the leases of HK\$20,784,000 (2005: HK\$55,206,000).
- (b) During the year, accounts receivable of HK\$10,000,000 were settled by the transfer from a debtor to the Group a piece of land and certain items of property, plant and equipment of HK\$1,123,000 and HK\$8,877,000, respectively.
- (c) During the year, out of the 3,420,000 new ordinary shares issued by Sparkle Logistics, the Company subscribed 3,230,000 ordinary shares of HK\$1 each and the minority shareholder has subscribed 190,000 new ordinary shares of HK\$1 each with a total consideration of HK\$190,000. The minority shareholder has paid up HK\$50,000 and the remaining balance of HK\$140,000 was reflected as an amount due from a minority shareholder in the Group's consolidated balance sheet as at 31 December 2006.

30. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

- (a) At the balance sheet date, contingent liabilities not provided for in the financial statements were as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Discounted bills with recourse supported by letters of credit	103,276	30,597	–	–
Guarantees given to banks in connection with facilities granted to and fully utilised by subsidiaries	–	–	672,697	678,447
	103,276	30,597	672,697	678,447

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30. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (continued)

- (b) The Group had a contingent liability in respect of possible future long service payments to employees under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance, with a maximum possible amount of HK\$2,059,000 (2005: HK\$1,416,000) as at 31 December 2006, as further explained under the heading "Employee benefits" in note 2.4 to the financial statements. The contingent liability has arisen because, at the balance sheet date, a number of current employees have achieved the required number of years of service to the Group in order to be eligible for long service payments under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance if their employment is terminated under certain circumstances. A provision has not been recognised in respect of such possible payments, as it is not considered probable that the situation will result in a material future outflow of resources from the Group.

31. OPERATING LEASE ARRANGEMENTS

(a) As lessor

The Group leases its investment properties (note 15) under operating lease arrangements, with leases negotiated for terms ranging from two to three years.

At 31 December 2006, the Group had total future minimum lease receivables under non-cancellable operating leases with its tenants falling due as follows:

	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Within one year	1,260	1,200
In the second to fifth years, inclusive	2,320	3,409
	3,580	4,609

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31. OPERATING LEASE ARRANGEMENTS (continued)

(b) As lessee

The Group leases certain properties under operating lease arrangements, with leases negotiated for terms ranging from one to eighteen years.

At the balance sheet date, the Group had total future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases falling due as follows:

	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Within one year	3,543	809
In the second to fifth years, inclusive	8,920	1,967
After five years	6,863	5,688
	<u>19,326</u>	<u>8,464</u>

32. COMMITMENTS

In addition to the operating lease commitments detailed in note 31 above, the Group had the following commitments as at the balance sheet date:

Capital commitments

	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000
Contracted but not provided for:		
Purchases of machinery	6,156	27,702
Construction in progress	15,710	4,605
	<u>21,866</u>	<u>32,307</u>

At 31 December 2006, the Group had commitments in respect of capital contributions to Panyu KH Textile, En Ping KH and Kam Wing of US\$19,447,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$151,298,000) due on 29 November 2007, US\$52,000,000 (equivalent to approximately HK\$404,560,000) due on 27 April 2010 and HK\$64,500,000 due on 31 March 2008 (note 17), respectively.

At the balance sheet date, the Company had no significant commitments (2005: Nil).

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33. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

- (a) In addition to the transactions and balances detailed elsewhere in these financial statements, the Group had the following material transactions with related parties during the year:

	<i>Note</i>	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Rental expenses on office premises and a staff quarter paid to Tai Chin Chun and Tai Chin Wen	<i>(i)</i>	210	240

Note:

- (i) The Group entered into tenancy agreements with Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen, directors of the Company, for the rental of office premises and a staff quarter at monthly rentals of HK\$15,000 and HK\$6,000, for terms of one and a half and two years, respectively, based on the prevailing market rentals.
- (b) The Group had an outstanding amount due from a minority shareholder of HK\$140,000 (2005: due to a minority shareholder of HK\$114,000) as at balance sheet date (note 29(c)). The balance is unsecured, interest-free and has no fixed terms of repayment.
- (c) Each of Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen, directors of the Company, together with two major shareholders of the Company (beneficially owned by Mr. Tai Chin Chun and Mr. Tai Chin Wen, respectively), have given joint and several indemnities in favour of the Group in respect of certain buildings/structures of the Group as detailed in note 14 to the financial statements.
- (d) Compensation of key management personnel of the Group:

	2006 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Short-term employee benefits	10,999	6,744
Share-based payments	–	1,290
Post-employment benefits	84	79
	11,083	8,113

Further details of directors' emoluments are included in note 8 to the financial statements.

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34. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

The Group's principal financial instruments comprise interest-bearing bank and other borrowings, finance leases, and cash and short-term deposits. The Group has various other financial assets and liabilities such as accounts and bills receivable and accounts and bills payable, which arise directly from its operation.

The main risks arising from the Group's financial instruments are cash flow interest rate risk, foreign currency risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The board of directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks and they are summarised below.

Cash flow interest rate risk

The interest rate of the interest-bearing bank and other borrowings of the Group are disclosed in note 23 to the financial statements. The Group believes its exposure to cash flow interest rate risk is minimal.

Foreign currency risk

The Group has transactional currency exposures. Such exposure arise from substantial portion of sales or purchases by operating units in US dollars and RMB. The Group currently does not have a foreign currency hedging policy. However, the management monitors foreign exchange exposure and will consider hedging significant foreign currency exposure should the need arise.

Liquidity risk

The Group maintains a balance between continuity of funding and flexibility through the use of bills payable and interest-bearing bank and other borrowings. The directors have reviewed the Group's working capital and capital expenditure requirements and determined that the Group has no significant liquidity risk.

Credit risk

The Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties. It is the Group's policy that all customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis.

Since the Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties, there is generally no requirement for collateral.

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35. POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

- (a) On 11 January 2007, the Group entered into a sale and purchase agreement with an independent third party to acquire a piece of land situated in Panyu, the PRC, and the properties erected thereon at a consideration of HK\$20 million. This transaction was completed on 1 March 2007.
- (b) In January 2007, Kam Wing was incorporated in Hong Kong pursuant to the JV Agreement as further detailed in note 17(g).
- (c) On 13 April 2007, the Group entered into a 4-year loan facility of HK\$440 million with a syndicate of banks in Hong Kong. Pursuant to the agreement, the syndicated loan will be repaid in 11 quarterly instalments with the first instalment due in October 2008.
- (d) During the 5th Session of the 10th National People's Congress, which was concluded on 16 March 2007, the PRC Corporate Income Tax Law (the "New Corporate Income Tax Law") was approved and will become effective on 1 January 2008. The New Corporate Income Tax Law introduces a wide range of changes which include, but are not limited to, the unification of the income tax rate for domestic-invested and foreign-invested enterprises at 25%. Since the detailed implementation and administrative rules and regulations have not yet been announced, the financial impact of the New Corporate Income Tax Law on the Group cannot be reasonably estimated at this stage.

36. APPROVAL OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 19 April 2007.

FIVE YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY

A summary of the published results and of the assets, liabilities and minority interests of the Group for the last five financial years, prepared on the basis as set out herein, is set out below:

RESULTS

	Year ended 31 December				
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	2004 HK\$'000	2003 HK\$'000	2002 HK\$'000
REVENUE	2,013,889	1,499,403	1,315,650	1,101,581	980,192
Profit before tax	121,806	90,262	124,983	115,134	85,545
Tax	(20,659)	(11,312)	(20,221)	(18,778)	(3,998)
Profit for the year	101,147	78,950	104,762	96,356	81,547
Attributable to:					
Equity holders of the Company	101,125	78,959	104,762	96,356	81,547
Minority interests	22	(9)	–	–	–
	101,147	78,950	104,762	96,356	81,547

ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND MINORITY INTERESTS

	As at 31 December				
	2006 HK\$'000	2005 HK\$'000	2004 HK\$'000	2003 HK\$'000	2002 HK\$'000
TOTAL ASSETS	1,996,233	1,663,388	1,185,585	810,876	605,320
TOTAL LIABILITIES	(1,197,498)	(986,154)	(581,475)	(498,757)	(483,246)
MINORITY INTERESTS	(317)	(105)	–	–	–
	798,418	677,129	604,110	312,119	122,074

Note: The summary of the consolidated results of the Group for each of the years ended 31 December 2002 and 2003 and of the assets and liabilities as at 31 December 2002 and 2003 have been extracted from the Company's prospectus dated 14 September 2004. Such summary was prepared as if the current structure of the Group had been in existence throughout these financial years and is presented on the basis as set out in the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2004. The consolidated results, assets, liabilities and minority interests of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2004 have been extracted from the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2004. The consolidated results of the Group for each of the years ended 31 December 2005 and 2006 and the consolidated assets, liabilities and minority interests of the Group as at 31 December 2005 and 2006 are those set out on pages 34 to 97 of the financial statements.