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環境、社會及管治報告 2022 ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE REPORT

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天安中國投資有限公司(「本公司」,連同其附屬公司(「本集團」))主要從事在中華人民共和國(「中國內地」)開發住宅、別墅、辦公樓及商用物業、物業投資及物業管理,以及在香港之物業投資及物業管理。

本集團成立逾37年,一直投資於香港及中國內地。作為一間負責任的企業,本集團深明自身在行業內促進可持續發展擔當重要的角色,因此已將可持續發展元素納入業務營運中。展望將來,本集團致力與持份者建立更緊密的關係,以制定可持續發展策略。

本集團欣然提呈其環境、社會及管治(「環境、社會及管治」)報告。本環境、社會及管治報告概述截至二零二二年十二月三十一日止年度(「報告期間」)本集團的環境、社會及管治措施、計劃及表現,並展示其對可持續發展的承諾。本報告補充了本公司已刊發的二零二二年年報中披露的其他資料。

管治架構

董事會聲明

我們視環境、社會及管治上的承諾為我們職責的一部分,並致力將環境、社會及管治考慮因素納入我們的決策過程。為實現此目標,我們已制定核心治理框架,以確保環境、社會及管治與我們的策略發展一致,同時提倡將環境、社會及管治融入我們的業務營運中。

Tian An China Investments Company Limited ("Company"), together with its subsidiaries ("Group"), is engaged principally in the development of apartments, villas, office buildings and commercial properties, property investment and property management on the mainland in the People's Republic of China ("Mainland China"), as well as property investment and property management in Hong Kong.

The Group has been established and investing in Hong Kong and Mainland China for over 37 years. As a responsible corporation, the Group understands that it plays a part in promoting sustainability in the industry and has therefore incorporated sustainability elements into its business operations. Looking forward, the Group aims to build stronger relationships with its stakeholders to formulate its sustainability strategy.

The Group is pleased to present its Environmental, Social and Governance ("ESG") report. This ESG report summarises the ESG initiatives, plans and performances of the Group and demonstrates its commitment to sustainable development for the year ended 31st December, 2022 ("Reporting Period"). This report supplements information disclosed elsewhere in the Company's published annual report 2022.

GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE

Board statement

We view ESG commitments as part of our responsibilities and are committed to incorporating ESG considerations into our decision-making process. To achieve this goal, we have developed a core governance framework to ensure ESG governance is aligned with our strategic growth, while advocating for the integration of ESG into our business operations.

The board of directors of the Company ("Board") has overall responsibility for the Group's ESG issues and oversees ESG strategies, directions and policies. In order to better manage the Group's ESG performance, related issues and potential risks, the Board also reviews the sustainability policy ("Sustainability Policy"), which covers our principles in environmental and social issues annually. The Executive Committee ("Exco") shall ensure that the risks of the Group are clearly defined and monitored by a transparent and effective risk management matrix and that reporting schedules are enforced. The Board and the Exco are regularly informed where appropriate. The works and findings are reported annually by the management to the Chairman of the Exco who puts forward the same to the Audit Committee and/or the Board for review as appropriate and when necessary.

管治架構(續)

董事會聲明(續)

於報告期間,本公司委聘一間獨立第三方顧問公司協助識別環境、社會及管治事宜,並就本集團的環境、社會及管治表現提供建議。該顧問公司協助收集和分析本集團持份者對環境、社會及管治事宜的意見,並進行重要性評估。董事會已審視評估結果,並確認本集團需要報告的重要環境、社會及管治事宜。本集團會定期檢討與持份者的溝通渠道,以確保與持份者的溝通有效。

為有效監督及促進本集團的環境、社會及管治發展,董事會持續監察與環境、社會及管治有關的工作及留意香港聯合交易所有限公司(「聯交所」)發出對環境、社會及管治披露的最新規定,以達至合規營運和社會責任的目標。根據本集團制定的目標,董事會定期檢討相關制度和政策以及環境、社會及管治表現,並監督環境、社會及管治事宜的協調和管理。

管理方針及策略

為股東創造並提供長期和可持續之價值,是本公司一直以來的信念。為實現此目標,我們深明作出之選擇將對業務所在的社區產生影響,而影響該屬正面。本公司已採納可持續發展政策,該政策涵蓋我們於僱傭及勞工措施、商業誠信、環境及社區等領域之原則。我們會致力將該等原則作為我們實踐及管治的一部份,為社會及環境之可持續性發展作出貢獻。

GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE (CONTINUED)

Board statement (continued)

During the Reporting Period, the Company has commissioned an independent third-party consulting firm to assist in identifying ESG matters and providing suggestions for the ESG performance of the Group. The consulting firm assisted in collecting and analysing the comments on ESG matters from the Group's stakeholders and conducting materiality assessment. The Board has reviewed the assessment results and confirmed the material ESG matters of the Group to be reported. The Group will review regularly the channels for stakeholder communication in order to ensure communication with stakeholders is effective.

With the aim of effectively supervising and promoting the ESG development of the Group, the Board continuously monitors ESG-related work and keeps track of the latest regulations on ESG disclosure issued by The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited ("Stock Exchange"), so as to achieve the goals of compliant operation and social responsibilities. Based on the goals formulated by the Group, the Board regularly reviews the relevant systems and policies and the ESG performance, and monitors the coordination and management of ESG matters.

Management approach and strategy

The Company believes in delivering long term and sustainable value creation to our shareholders. In doing so, we recognise that the choices we make will have an impact on the communities in which we carry on our business and such impact should be positive. The Company has adopted the Sustainability Policy which covers our principles in the area of employment and labour practices, business integrity, the environment and the community. We endeavour to embrace these principles as part of our practice and governance to contribute to the sustainable development of the society and the environment.

匯報原則

環境、社會及管治報告乃根據聯交所證券上市 規則附錄二十七所載《環境、社會及管治報告 指引》(「環境、社會及管治報告指引」)編製。

本公司根據四項匯報原則編製本報告,分別為 重要性、量化、平衡及一致性。

重要性:本報告基於一個獨立第三方按相關議題的重要性作出重要性評估而構劃。重要性評估的結果已由董事會及高級管理層審閱及確定。進一步詳情請參閱「重要性評估」一節。

量化:本報告根據環境、社會及管治報告指引編製,以量化方式披露關鍵績效指標(「關鍵績效指標」)。關於關鍵績效指標所用標準、方法、假設及/或計算參考,以及關鍵轉換因素的來源等資料,會於適當位置説明。

平衡:本報告以中立的角度概述本集團的環境、社會及管治表現,披露其成果及改善空間。

一致性:除另有説明外,本報告的披露與統計 方法與上一個財政年度一致,以便進行有意義 的比較。如有任何變動可能會影響到與以前報 告的比較,本集團會於本報告的相應部分提供 説明附註。

本集團已建立內部監控及正式檢討程序,盡可 能確保本報告呈報的資料均準確可靠。本報告 已經董事會批准。

REPORTING PRINCIPLES

The ESG Report has been prepared in accordance with the Environmental, Social and Governance Reporting Guide ("ESG Reporting Guide") as set out in Appendix 27 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange.

The Company prepares this report based on four reporting principles, namely materiality, quantitative, balance and consistency.

Materiality: This report is structured based on the materiality of respective issues, resulting from materiality assessment conducted by an independent third party. The results of the materiality assessment were reviewed and confirmed by the Board and senior management. For further details, please refer to the section headed "Materiality Assessment".

Quantitative: This report is prepared in accordance with the ESG Reporting Guide and discloses key performance indicators ("KPIs") in a quantitative manner. Information regarding the standards, methodologies, assumptions and/or calculation references, and sources of key conversion factors used for KPIs is stated wherever appropriate.

Balance: This report presents an unbiased overview of the Group's ESG performance with both achievements and areas of improvements disclosed.

Consistency: Unless otherwise stated, the disclosure and statistical methods of this report are consistent with the previous financial year for meaningful comparison. If there is any change that may affect comparison with previous reports, the Group will make explanatory notes to the corresponding section.

The Group has established internal controls and a formal review process to ensure that any information presented in this report is as accurate and reliable as possible. This report has been approved by the Board.

匯報範圍

本報告涵蓋了華北、華東、華南、香港及澳洲 的物業發展、物業投資及物業管理等主要業 務。

關鍵績效指標數據乃從本集團直接營運控制下的附屬公司收集及分析。本集團將繼續評估不同業務或其主要附屬公司的主要環境、社會及管治範疇,以於適當時候擴大披露範圍。除另有註明外,關鍵績效指標的披露與去年的環境、社會及管治報告一致。報告期間為二零二二年一月一日至二零二二年十二月三十一日。

持份者參與

對於本集團制定策略以優先處理和管理重要的環境、社會及管治議題而言,了解持份者的需求與期望至關重要。持份者參與為一個推動長期可持續發展的持續過程。本集團透過一系列渠道與其主要持份者接觸,藉此發現重要議題,從而改善本集團決策和提高問責程度。本集團不時檢討及探索不同形式的溝通渠道,與不同持份者互動並收集反饋意見。

REPORTING BOUNDARY

This report covers major businesses in property development, property investment and property management in Northern China, Eastern China, Southern China, Hong Kong and Australia.

The KPIs data were gathered and analysed from subsidiaries that are under the Group's direct operational control. The Group will continue to assess the major ESG aspects of different businesses or its major subsidiaries to extend the scope of disclosure when and where applicable. Unless otherwise indicated, the disclosure of KPIs is in line with the ESG report of last year. The Reporting Period is from 1st January, 2022 to 31st December, 2022.

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

Understanding the needs and expectations of stakeholders are essential for the Group to formulate strategies that prioritise and manage material ESG issues. Stakeholder engagement is a continuous process to drive long term sustainability. The Group engages its key stakeholders through a range of channels to find out the material issues for improving the decision-making and enhancing the accountability of the Group. From time to time, the Group reviews and explores different forms of communication channels to interact with and collect feedbacks from different stakeholders.

持份者參與(續)

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

本集團的主要持份者及相應溝通渠道概述如 下: The key stakeholders of the Group and the respective communication channels are summarised as follows:

持份者 Stakeholders	要求與期望 Requirement and Expectation	溝通與回應方式 Communication and Response
股東及投資者 Shareholders and investors	 企業管治 Corporate governance 多元化及包容性機構 Diversity and inclusion bodies 提高公司的核心價值 Enhancement in company core value 財務及投資穩定性 Financial and investment stabilities 資訊透明度及有效溝通 Information transparency and effective communication 合規經營 Compliant operation 符合道德的業務營運 Ethical business operation 	 年度及中期報告 Annual and interim reports 股東大會 General meetings 通告及公佈 Public notices and announcements 公司網站 Company websites 社交媒體 Social media
供應商及合作夥伴 Suppliers and Partners	 誠信經營 Operations with integrity 公平競爭 Fair competition 公平的供應商甄選過程 Fair supplier selection process 履行合約 Performance of contracts 互惠互利,合作共赢 Mutual benefits and win-win cooperation 穩定及合格的產品和服務 Stable and qualified products and services 	 招標會議 Tendering conferences 績效反饋 Performance feedbacks

持份者參與(續)

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

持份者 Stakeholders	要求與期望 Requirement and Expectation	溝通與回應方式 Communication and Response
客戶及租戶 Customers and Tenants	 產品及服務品質 Products and services quality 保護隱私 Protection of privacy 健康及安全 Health and safety 誠信經營 Operations with integrity 履行合約 Performance of contracts 	 客戶服務諮詢 Customer services consultations 與前線溝通 Communications with frontlines
僱員 Employees	 培訓機會及職業發展 Training opportunities and career development 員工的資料及私隱保護 Protection of employee's information and privacy 健康及安全工作環境 Health and safety working environment 權利、報酬及福利 Rights, compensation and benefits 	 培訓活動及研討會 Training events and seminars 會議及簡報會 Meeting and briefings 績效考核評估 Performance appraisal evaluation 員工活動 Employee activities

持份者參與(續)

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

持份者 Stakeholders	要求與期望 Requirement and Expectation	溝通與回應方式 Communication and Response
監管機構及政府部門 Regulatory bodies and government authorities	 遵守國家政策、法律及法規 Compliance with national policies, laws and regulations 支持地方經濟增長 Supporting local economic growth 推動當地就業 Driving local employment 環境影響及碳足跡 Environmental impact and carbon footprint 	 強制性地方及區域報告要求 Mandatory local and regional reporting requirements 檢查及巡視 Examinations and inspections 實地考察及會議 Site visits and meetings 定期申報 Regular filings
社區 Communities	 社會參與及發展 Social engagement and development 環境保護 Environmental protection 公開及透明的資訊 Open and transparent information 	 環境、社會及管治報告 ESG reports 社會互動 Social interactions 社區活動 Community events 慈善捐款 Charitable donations 公司網站 Company's website 通告及公佈 Public notices and announcements 社交媒體 Social media

重要性評估

根據環境、社會及管治報告指引各項於可持續發展範圍內之環境及社會議題中,下列議題對本集團而言被視為重要及相關。優先次序乃根據管理層意見及持份者參與之結論來釐定。稅完期透過會議、活動以及其他溝通及反饋讓主要持份者參與日常營運。經抽樣調查不同部門員工及項目經理以了解他們對各環境不同部門員工及項目經理以了解他們對各環境不包管治層面之相關性及重要性之具體觀點。根據管理層評估及調查結果,本集團識別出下列多個重要議題,有關詳情已於本報告披露。

重要及相關議題

供應鏈管理(層面B5) 產品責任(層面B6) 反貪污(層面B7)

其他相關議題

排放物(層面A1) 資源使用(層面A2) 環境及天然資源(層面A3) 氣候變化(層面A4) 僱傭(層面B1) 健康與安全(層面B2) 發展及培訓(層面B3) 勞工準則(層面B4) 社區投資(層面B8)

本集團將以報告期間重要性評估結果為參考, 在本報告中對各議題進行詳細披露,不斷提升 其環境、社會及管治的治理和績效,以回應持 份者對本集團的期望。

MATERIALITY ASSESSMENT

Amongst various environmental and social issues based on the ESG Reporting Guide within the scope of sustainability, the issues listed below are considered to be material and relevant to the Group. The priorities are based on management's view as well as conclusions from stakeholder engagement. We regularly engage key stakeholders in daily operations through meetings, events, and other communications and feedback channels. A survey was conducted with a sampling of the employees selected from various departments and project managers to understand their specific views on the relevance and materiality of various ESG aspects. Based on management's assessment as well as the survey results, the Group identified a number of material issues as stated below which are disclosed in detail in this report.

Material and relevant issues

Supply chain management (Aspect B5) Product responsibility (Aspect B6) Anti-corruption (Aspect B7)

Other relevant issues

Emissions (Aspect A1)
Use of resources (Aspect A2)
The environment and natural resources (Aspect A3)
Climate change (Aspect A4)
Employment (Aspect B1)
Health and safety (Aspect B2)
Development and training (Aspect B3)
Labour standards (Aspect B4)
Community investment (Aspect B8)

The Group will make detail disclosure of various issues in this report, taking the materiality assessment results for the Reporting Period as reference and continuously enhance its ESG governance and performance in response to the stakeholders' expectations on the Group.

A. 環境議題

本集團將環境考慮因素納入我們的決策過程中,並承擔創建環境可持續發展業務的責任。可持續發展政策包括我們針對環境 議題之一貫方針及目標。我們致力於:

- 遵守相關法律及法規,並以超越最低 要求為目標;
- 阻止/減少廢氣及溫室氣體排放、水及土地之排污,以及有害及無害廢棄物之產生;
- 有效使用資源,包括能源、水及其他原材料;
- 減低本集團之業務對環境及天然資源 造成之影響;及
- 讓我們的員工、客戶及合作夥伴參與 以推廣環境可持續發展之商業常規, 並持續重新評估我們的程序以減低對 環境之影響。

除上述措施外,我們亦於辦公區域的當眼 位置張貼「綠色訊息」提示及海報,以鼓勵 員工採取合理的節能及資源使用措施。本 集團將繼續為此目標而努力,並將適時地 檢討我們的政策。

我們的物業發展項目之建築相關工程外判予獨立承包商,該等承包商受多種環境法律及法規所規限,包括有關廢氣及溫室氣體排放、水及土地之排污、有害及無害廢棄物之產生、有效使用能源、水及其他原材料、噪音污染控制、空氣污染控制、水污染控制、排污系統及廢物處理之法律及法規。我們與承包商緊密合作,實現具創意、優雅及綠色設計,同時兼容並對我們的環境及社會責任保持敏感度。

根據持份者參與之結論及管理層的意見, 本報告並不包括所有環境的關鍵績效指標 之披露,因該等關鍵績效指標不被視為重 要或相關。然而,我們已就一般做法及工 作方面作出討論,以減少本集團在不同範 疇的環境足跡。

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

The Group has integrated environmental consideration into our decision-making process and embraced the responsibilities to create an environmentally sustainable business. The Sustainability Policy encompasses our general approach and goal towards environmental issues. We endeavour to:

- comply with relevant laws and regulations and aim to go beyond minimum requirements;
- prevent/minimise air and greenhouse gas emissions, discharges into water and land, and generation of hazardous and non-hazardous waste;
- make efficient use of resources, including energy, water and other raw materials;
- minimise the impact of the Group's activities on the environment and natural resources; and
- engage our employees, customers and partners to promote environmentally sustainable business practices and continuously re-assess our processes to minimise environmental impact.

In addition to the above measures, "Green Message" reminders and posters are posted at prominent places in office areas to encourage our staff to take initiatives in energy saving and resources utilisation in a reasonable manner. The Group will continue to work for the goal and will review our policy in due course.

The construction-related works for our property development projects are outsourced to independent contractors who are subject to various environmental laws and regulations, including those relating to air and greenhouse gas emissions, discharges into water and land, generation of hazardous and non-hazardous waste, efficient use of energy, water and other raw materials, noise pollution control, air pollution control, water pollution control, sewage drainage system and waste treatment. We work closely with our contractors to achieve creative, elegant and green designs while being compatible and sensitive to our environmental and social responsibilities.

This Report does not include the disclosure of all the environmental KPIs as they are not considered material or relevant as a conclusion of our stakeholders' engagement as well as management's view. Instead, we have discussed our general approach and effort to reduce the Group's environmental footprint in various aspects.

A. 環境議題(續)

排放物(層面A1)

本集團一直致力減少污染物及碳排放以減少對環境的影響。就物業發展業務而言,我們遵守相關國家及地區法律和法規,如《中華人民共和國環境保護法》、《中華人民共和國環境影響評價法》、《環境空氣質量標準》及《聲環境質量標準》等。於報告期間,本集團並無任何重大違反上述法律或法規之情況。

本集團並無從事任何製造業活動或直接參與建築工程。本集團直接產生的排放物涉及香港及中國內地之77輛(二零二一年:82輛)供高級員工在本地出差使用的行政人員用車,詳情如下:

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Emissions (Aspect A1)

The Group has been committed to reducing pollutant and carbon emissions to mitigate the impact on the environment. For the property development business, we complied with the relevant national and regional laws and regulations, such as the Environmental Protection Law of the People's Republic of China, the Law of the People's Republic of China on Appraising Environmental Impacts, the Ambient Air Quality Standards and the Environmental Quality Standard for Noise, etc. During the Reporting Period, the Group did not commit any material violations of the aforementioned laws or regulations.

The Group is not involved in any manufacturing activities or directly participated in construction works. Emissions generated directly by the Group related to 77 (2021: 82) executive passenger vehicles in Hong Kong and Mainland China for senior employee's local business travel are as follows:

指標	Indicators	二零二二年 2022 克 gram	二零二一年 2021 克 gram
懸浮粒子	Particulate matters SO_x emission NO_x emission	6,857	5,967
硫氧化物排放		1,844	1,910
氮氧化物排放		87,491	81,046

此等車輛的溫室氣體排放(範圍1)約406.32噸二氧化碳當量(二零二一年:約352.32噸二氧化碳當量)。鑒於本集團的規模和員工人數,其排放量和使用量均微不足道。

本集團間接產生與購買電力有關溫室氣體排放(範圍2)約11,430.94噸二氧化碳當量(二零二一年:約9,728.51噸二氧化碳當量)。電力資源的使用情況將於「資源使用(層面A2)以及環境及天然資源(層面A3)」一節進一步解釋。

The greenhouse gas emission (scope 1) generated from these vehicles recorded for approximately 406.32 tCO $_2$ e (2021: approximately 352.32 tCO $_2$ e). The scale and usage are immaterial given the size of the Group and number of employees.

The greenhouse gas emission (scope 2) generated indirectly by the Group which related to the purchased electricity was approximately 11,430.94 tCO $_2$ e (2021: approximately 9,728.51 tCO $_2$ e). The use of electricity resources will be further explained in the section headed "Use of Resources (Aspect A2) and The Environment and Natural Resources (Aspect A3)".

A. 環境議題(續)

排放物(層面A1)(續)

大部分有害及無害廢棄物均來自我們的承包活動,並由其自行作環境統計及管理。 我們的辦公室運作絕少產生有害或無害廢棄物。有鑒於此,由於該等數據與我們的業務無關,故未有於本報告作披露。

物業投資及物業管理業務主要於中國內地 及香港之項目辦事處營運。為配合我們減 少廢氣及溫室氣體排放之政策,大多數城 市之辦事處均配備視像會議設施,以減少 面對面會晤之需求,並盡可能減少業務差 旅。僅有一少部份之員工出差。中華人民 共和國政府提出致力在二零六零年前達致 碳中和,而本集團將積極配合該目標。

資源使用(層面A2)以及 環境及天然資源(層面A3)

有關節能及減少用紙之環境保護指引已在總辦事處及項目辦事處供全體員工傳閱。例如,提醒員工於下班、午膳或外出辦公時及於任何可行之情況下隨手關燈及關掉設備。為改善節能表現,我們實施各項節能措施:

- 在二零二二年,在中國內地的項目辦公室僅於夏季才開啟空調;
- 關閉不在使用時的電子設備及系統;
- 採購節能辦公室設備,包括該等獲發 能源標籤的;及
- 為辦公室設備進行定期保養以達到最 佳節能表現。

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Emissions (Aspect A1) (continued)

The majority of the hazardous and non-hazardous wastes were generated from our contracted activities and were subject to their own environmental statistics and management. Our office operations rarely generate hazardous or non-hazardous waste. As a result, no disclosure is made in this report because such data is not relevant to our business.

The activities of the property investment and property management businesses are mostly carried out locally in project offices in Mainland China and Hong Kong. In line with our policy to minimise air and greenhouse gas emissions, the offices in most cities are equipped with video conferencing facilities to minimise the need for face to face meetings and keep business travelling to a minimum. Only a small percentage of employees travel for business is noted. The government of the People's Republic of China proposed that it will strive to achieve carbon neutrality by 2060 and the Group will respond positively to this goal.

Use of Resources (Aspect A2) and The Environment and Natural Resources (Aspect A3)

Environmental protection guidelines in relation to energy savings and reduction in paper consumption are circulated to all employees at head office and project offices. For instance, employees are reminded to switch off lights and turn off equipment after work, during lunch break or during the time working outside the office, and whenever possible. We perform various energy saving practices aimed to improve our energy performance:

- turn on air conditioning for project offices in Mainland China only during the summer in 2022;
- switch off electrical appliances and systems when not in use;
- procure energy efficient office equipment, including those with an energy label; and
- carry out regular maintenance on office equipment for optimal energy efficiency performance.

A. 環境議題(續)

資源使用(層面A2)以及 環境及天然資源(層面A3)(續)

於報告期間,本集團之總用電量約19.2百萬千瓦時(二零二一年:約16.3百萬千瓦時),其中物業管理業務佔顯著比重。每平方米服務面積的用電量約5.85千瓦時(二零二一年:每平方米約5.93千瓦時)。本集團之總耗水量約301,000立方米(二零二一年:約200,000立方米)。每平方米服務面積的耗水量約0.09立方米(二零二一年:每平方米約0.07立方米)。

總用電量及耗水量的增加乃由於新型冠狀 病毒疫情封城解除後,若干項目重啟所 致。有關增加對本集團而言屬微不足道。

我們在求取水源未有遇到問題。此外,本公司的業務概無涉及生產,故並無使用包裝材料。

我們冀將環保意識融入員工的日常工作中,藉此節能減排以進一步規範環保工作。因此,即使部分資源對本集團而言並不重大,我們仍採取了一系列內部監控政策及程序,以提高能源及水等資源的消耗效率。本集團上下共有逾1,100名員工,消耗電力可觀,我們希望有效利用電力,在業務增長的同時盡量減少對環境的影響。

本集團內部推廣及實施董事會文件電子系統,容許本公司董事隨時隨地使用便攜式電子裝置從網上獲取會議文件,以提高董事會效率,同時節約用紙。

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Use of Resources (Aspect A2) and The Environment and Natural Resources (Aspect A3) (continued)

During the Reporting Period, the Group's total electricity consumption was approximately 19.2 million kWh (2021: approximately 16.3 million kWh) of which the property management business accounts for a significant proportion. The electricity consumption per service area was approximately 5.85 kWh per sq.m. (2021: approximately 5.93 kWh per sq.m.). The Group's total water consumption was approximately 301,000 m³ (2021: approximately 200,000 m³). The water consumption per service area was approximately 0.09 m³ per sq.m. (2021: approximately 0.07 m³ per sq.m.).

The increase of total electricity and water consumption was due to the resumption of certain projects after recovery from lockdown of the COVID-19 pandemic. Such increase is considered to be immaterial to our Group.

We have no issue in sourcing water. In addition, the business of the Company does not involve production and thus no packaging materials has been used.

We hope to integrate environmental consciousness into employees' routine, thereby saving energy and reducing emission for further standardisation of the environmental efforts. Therefore, a series of internal control policies and procedures are adopted to enhance the efficiency in consumption of resources including energy and water, even though some of the resources are not material to our Group. With over 1,100 employees across the Group, we consume considerable amounts of electricity and with the efficient use of such, we hope to minimise our impact on the environment whilst we grow our businesses.

Electronic board paper system is promoted and implemented throughout the Group, allowing our directors of the Company to access meeting papers online anytime, anywhere with the use of portable electronic devices, improving Board efficiency whilst saving papers.

A. 環境議題(續)

資源使用(層面A2)以及 環境及天然資源(層面A3)(續)

本集團內已實施以下業務流程,以提升效率及減少用紙:

- 要求電子銀行結單及銀行通知書;
- 要求電子發票,如稅務發票;
- 要求以電子表格提交(如有);
- 一參與辦公室設備及用品之回收計劃;及
- 通過實施電子化辦公室商務系統,將 付款申請、文件審批、員工休假申請 和傳閱期間報告等流程電子化。

就物業發展業務而言,本集團通過規管承 包商實施多項環境保護管理措施,以鼓勵 及實施綠色設計。承包商須遵守有關法律 及法規並須:

- 定期對施工場地灑水,減少灰塵飄起;
- 汽車及貨車在進出工地時會清洗;
- 安裝臨時噪音屏障及嚴格遵守可營業 時間;
- 建造廢水收集管道及水池以收集家居 及建築廢水,並確保有害廢水(如有) 獲得妥善排放;
- 分隔可回收及不可回收建築廢棄物, 及確保該等廢棄物得到妥善處理;及
- 要求使用節能系統及設施,如太陽能電池板、LED燈、電子感應器系統、 雙層玻璃窗、具備隔熱材料及自然採 光概念之外牆等,以符合我們綠色設計的理念。

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Use of Resources (Aspect A2) and The Environment and Natural Resources (Aspect A3) (continued)

Throughout the Group, the following business processes were implemented to improve efficiency and to reduce paper usage:

- request electronic bank statements and bank advices;
- request electronic invoices, for example, tax invoices;
- request e-submission, if available;
- participate recycle schemes of office equipment and supplies;
 and
- apply electronic procedures on payment application, document approval, staff leave application, and periodic reporting circulation by the implementation of office automation system.

For the property development business, the Group encourages and implements the green design by regulating the contractors to implement various environmental protection management measures. The contractors are requested to comply with the relevant laws and regulations and are required to:

- sprinkle the construction sites regularly to reduce dust flying across;
- wash cars and trucks when enter in and exit out of the sites;
- install temporary noise barriers and strictly follow operation hours;
- build waste water collection pipes and pools to collect household and construction waste water and ensure that hazardous waste water, if any, is properly discharged;
- separate recyclable and non-recyclable construction wastes and ensure they are properly treated; and
- request to use energy saving systems and facilities, such as solar panel, LED light, electrical sensor system, double pane glass window, external wall with thermal insulating material and natural lighting concept, etc., in order to meet our green design initiative.

A. 環境議題(續)

資源使用(層面A2)以及 環境及天然資源(層面A3)(續)

就物業投資及物業管理業務而言,由於本 集團大部分已建成的物業由本集團的物業 管理公司管理,我們可以更好地控制資源 使用。我們的目標是在可能/適當的情況 下,通過在運營及維護工作中實施以下環 保方案,降低每個服務區的能源消耗。

該等方案包括:

- 用LED照明代替電燈;
- 一 空調單位使用環保的製冷劑氣體;
- 在當眼位置放置回收箱,以鼓勵我們 的員工及客戶之廢棄物分類意識;
- 日常維修照明、空調及水管系統,防止天然資源之流失;
- 用水冷空調系統取代風冷系統,以達 到節能;
- 使用更經濟和更有效的方法,減少維 修和保養時的噪音、灰塵和碎屑;及
- 在洗手間安裝節省用水的水龍頭,並 向客戶宣傳節約用水概念。

除上文所述者外,本集團之業務對環境及 天然資源並無直接影響。

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Use of Resources (Aspect A2) and The Environment and Natural Resources (Aspect A3) (continued)

For the property investment and property management businesses, as most of the completed properties of the Group are managed by the Group's property management companies, we can have better control on the resources usage. We aim at to reduce the energy consumption per service area by implementing the following eco-friendly options in operations and maintenance works where possible/appropriate.

These include:

- replace lights with LED lighting;
- use environmentally friendly refrigerant gases for airconditioning units;
- place recycling bins in prominent places to encourage waste separation awareness among our employees and customers;
- carry out routine maintenance of lighting, air-conditioning and water pipe systems to prevent the loss of natural resources;
- replace air-cooling with the water-cooling air-conditioning system which achieves energy conservation;
- use more economical and efficient methods to reduce noise, dust and debris for repair and maintenance; and
- install water-efficient taps in washrooms and promote concepts of water conservation to our customers.

Except for the abovementioned, the Group's business has no direct impact on the environment and natural resources.

A. 環境議題(續)

氣候變化(層面A4)

氣候變化對我們的持份者、業務營運及社 區有不同層面的影響。儘管與氣候相關的 危機及憂慮有所增加,但亦出現了新的機 遇。本集團已密切評估氣候變化的影響以 把握該等機遇並監測危機。本集團將氣候 相關風險分類為實體及過渡風險,詳情如 下:

實體風險

急性實體風險:極端天氣相關事件包括但不限於自然災害及颶風,可對客戶的實產造成損害,從而影響業務。例如,颱風對客戶的樓宇物業及酒店等資產造營運完,該等極端天氣事件亦可損害本集團的實物資產或導致業務營運短期中斷,終將影響本集團與客戶的關係。為將影響本集團與客戶的關係。為將是性實體風險降至最低,本集團已就大多數天氣相關事件制定應急措施。

慢性實體風險:氣候及天氣模式變化的年度增量變化(例如海平面上升及溫度變化) 長遠而言可影響本集團。由於本集團業務 的性質為以服務為主,依賴互聯網及電力,該等慢性實體風險相對較低。

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Climate Change (Aspect A4)

Climate change has impacts on several aspects of our stakeholders, company operations and communities. Notwithstanding the increase in climate-related hazards and concerns, new possibilities have developed. To capitalize on these possibilities and monitor the dangers, the Group has been closely analysing the impacts of climate change. Climate-related risks have been classified by the Group into physical and transition risks, which are as follows:

Physical Risk

Acute physical risk: Extreme weather-related events including but not limited to natural disasters and hurricanes may cause damage to the customers' physical assets, which may affect the business. For instance, typhoon damage to the customers' assets such as building properties and hotel may halt the service process and may lead to their inabilities to operate. In addition, these extreme weather events may also damage the Group's physical assets or cause short-term disruption in the business operation. This will ultimately affect the Group's relationship with the customers. In order to minimise the acute physical risk, the Group has established contingency measures for the majority of weather-related events.

Chronic physical risk: Annual incremental changes in the climate and weather pattern changes such as rising sea levels and temperature changes may affect the Group in the long run. Since the Group's business nature is service orientated with reliance on internet and electricity, these chronic physical risks are relatively low.

A. 環境議題(續)

氣候變化(層面A4)(續)

過渡風險

政策及法律風險:儘管業務營運環境中可能會有氣候變化而產生監管政策上的改變,本集團業務線靈活並能適應政策改變。由於本集團的碳足跡極小,潛在政策及法律風險的影響相對較低。於本報告期間,本集團並不知悉任何關於氣候變化的第三方訴訟。

技術風險:向低碳經濟的逐步轉型已加速 並增加了我們的技術投資。本集團目前正 簡化呈報流程、後端系統及移動設備應用 程式以降低成本並增強用戶體驗。

市場風險:物業管理業務產生的服務受氣候變化之轉變的影響極小。因此,本集團維持可用於此業務線的服務組合範圍,並 將繼續監控任何市場相關風險。

聲譽風險:於整個報告期間,本集團已採取措施將各業務分部轉型以將環境措施納入業務營運。此舉旨在使本集團的環境價值觀與對氣候變化的民意之潛在變化保持一致。

通過識別關鍵氣候相關風險,本集團對其 投資進行分類及優先排序以減輕該等風 險,並將該等風險因素整合至業務營運, 使本集團在低碳經濟中順利轉型並蓬勃發 展。整體而言,我們的業務營運並無重大 氣候相關風險。

A. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Climate Change (Aspect A4) (continued)

Transition Risk

Policy and legal risk: Although there may be regulatory changes for climate change within the business operating environment, the Group's business lines are agile and able to adapt to the policy changes. Due to the Group's minimal carbon footprint, the impact of the potential policy and legal risk is relatively low. During the Reporting Period, the Group is not aware of any third-party litigations on climate change.

Technology risk: The gradual transition to a low carbon economy has accelerated and increased our investment in technology. The Group is currently streamlining the reporting process, back-end system and mobile devices application to drive down the cost base and enhance users' experience.

Market Risk: The services arising from property management business have minimal impact from shifts in climate change. As a result, the Group has maintained the range of service packages available for this business line and will continue to monitor any market-related risk.

Reputational risk: Throughout the Reporting Period, the Group has taken steps to transit each business segments to incorporate environmental measures within the business operations. This is to align the Group's environmental values with the potential changes in the public's sentiment on climate change.

Through identifying the key climate related risks, the Group categorises and prioritises its investments to mitigate these risks, as well as to integrate these risk factors into the business operations. This enables our Group to have a smooth transition and thrive in a low-carbon economy. Overall, there is no major climate related risk in our business operations.

B. 社會議題

僱傭(層面B1),健康與安全(層面B2) 及勞工準則(層面B4)

人力資源是本集團發展的基石。我們旨在 透過實施適當的僱傭政策及徵求員工反 饋,建立以人為本的管理策略。本集團的 僱傭政策如下:

- 遵守相關法律及法規;
- 一 作為平等機會僱主,在薪酬及解僱、 招聘及晉升、工作時數、假期、平等 機會、多元化、反歧視,以及其他員 工待遇及福利方面實施公平措施;
- 為員工提供安全、健康及優質的工作 環境,及保障彼等免受職業性危害;
- 提倡員工良好工作生活平衡;
- 投資於員工之培訓及專業發展,以提 升彼等履行工作職責之知識及技能為 目標;
- 保持與員工公開對話,促進具透明度 之雙向溝通;及
- 防止童工及強制勞工。

於中國內地之僱傭受《中華人民共和國勞動法》及《中華人民共和國勞動合同法》規管。於香港之僱傭受《僱傭條例》、《最低工資條例》及《僱員補償條例》規管。於報告期間,並未發現不符合上述法律或法規之情況。

於報告期間,一名營運員工於二零二二年受傷(二零二一年:無)並於二零二二年錄得33天因工傷而損失的工作日(二零二一年:無)。過去三年並沒有記錄任何因工傷死亡的個案。

B. SOCIAL ISSUES

Employment (Aspect B1), Health and Safety (Aspect B2) and Labour Standards (Aspect B4)

Human resources provide the cornerstone for the Group's development. We intend to develop a people-oriented management strategy by establishing suitable employment policies and soliciting employee feedback. The Group's employment policy is as follows:

- observing relevant laws and regulations;
- being an equal-opportunity employer, implementing fair practices relating to compensation and dismissal, recruitment and promotion, working hours, holidays, equal opportunity, diversity, anti-discrimination, and other benefits and welfare for our employees;
- providing a safe, healthy and quality workplace and protecting employees from occupational hazards;
- promoting a good work-life balance for the employees;
- investing in training and professional development of our employees for the purpose of improving their knowledge and skills for discharging duties at work;
- maintaining an open dialogue with our employees, facilitating a transparent two-way communication; and
- preventing child and forced labour.

Employment in Mainland China is governed by the People's Republic of China's Labour Law and the People's Republic of China's Labour Contract Law. Employment in Hong Kong is governed by the Employment Ordinance, the Minimum Wage Ordinance and the Employee's Compensation Law. During the Reporting Period, there were no known cases of non-compliance with the above laws or regulations.

During the Reporting Period, 1 operation staff got injured in 2022 (2021: Nil) and 33 lost days recorded due to work injury during 2022 (2021: Nil). No work-related fatalities due to work injury were recorded in the past three years.

B. 社會議題(續)

僱傭(層面B1),健康與安全(層面B2) 及勞工準則(層面B4)(續)

本集團尊重所有基本人權並禁止任何形式 的童工或強迫勞動行為。在招聘過程中, 我們要求所有求職者提供有效的個人身份 證明文件以進行驗證,同時在必要時會進 行背景調查,以免僱用任何童工及其他非 法勞工。萬一發現虛假資訊或虛假身份 的不常見之情況,本集團將根據法律和法 規,嚴格按照必要的程序處理有關情況。

本集團深信多元化的力量,並確信廣納來 自不同背景的人才,不論彼等性別、年 齡、性取向或宗教信仰為何,將有助提升 本集團的長遠成功發展。本集團致力促進 包容和合作的工作文化。此外,本集團致力 力在工作範疇提供平等機會,及嚴格禁止 關於年齡、種族、出生地、婚姻狀況或性 取向的歧視,身體或語言騷擾的任何 為。本集團透過確保投訴、不滿、憂慮及 舉報得到迅速且保密的處理,致力保護員 工。

本集團已建立令人滿意的薪酬結構,當中包括底薪、浮動獎金、醫療保險及不同休假選項等。該等薪酬待遇與員工對本集團的貢獻相稱。任何表現卓越的員工均會獲得獎勵及晉升。

本集團致力為員工提供安全舒適之工作環境。為應對新型冠狀病毒疫情持續,本集團已根據地方政府的指引實施一系列預問推持業務正常運作。本集團於疫情期間維持業務正常運作。本集團於疫情期間儘快通知員工政府最新預防及控制措施,並為他們提供外科口罩、搓手液及新型冠狀病毒測試包等防疫物資,以保障員工的健康及減低感染風險。此外,我們實施彈性上班時間以及將所有員工分組上班,以減少新型冠狀病毒的傳播風險。

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Employment (Aspect B1), Health and Safety (Aspect B2) and Labour Standards (Aspect B4) (continued)

The Group respects all basic human rights and forbids any forms of child or forced labour practice. During the recruitment process, we require all personnel to provide valid personal identification documents for verification purposes, while background checks are also carried out whenever necessary so as to avoid the recruitment of any child labour and other illegal labour. In the unlikely event that false information or a false identity is discovered, the Group will address the situation by closely following the necessary procedures in accordance with laws and regulations.

The Group believes in the power of diversity, and believes that attracting talents from diverse backgrounds, regardless of gender, age, sexual orientation or religious beliefs, will boost the Group's long-term success. The Group is dedicated to fostering an inclusive and collaborative working culture. Additionally, the Group is committed to providing equal opportunities in all aspects of work and strongly bans any acts that are linked with discrimination, physical or verbal harassment on age, race, origin, marital status or sexual orientation. The Group works hard to safeguard its employees by ensuring that complaints, grievances, concerns and whistleblowing are handled swiftly and confidentially.

The Group has established a satisfying salary structure that comprises a basic income, variable bonuses, medical insurance, varied leave options and so forth. They are proportionate to employees' contributions to the Group. Any remarkable performance is rewarded and promoted.

The Group endeavours to provide a safe and pleasant working environment for the employees. In response to the continuity of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Group has implemented series of precautionary measures in accordance with guidelines from the local government to ensure the employees' health and wellbeing while maintaining business as usual. During the pandemic, the Group promptly informed employees of the government's latest prevention and control policies and has provided employees with disease prevention materials such as surgical masks, hand sanitizers and COVID-19 testing kits to protect employees' health and reduce the risk of infection. In addition, we implemented flexible working hours and divided all employees into teams to reduce the chance of the spreading of COVID-19.

B. 社會議題(續)

僱傭(層面B1),健康與安全(層面B2) 及勞工準則(層面B4)(續)

於二零二二年十二月三十一日,本集團於中國內地、香港及澳洲共聘用1,182名(二零二一年:1,329名)員工。於報告期間,本集團299名(二零二一年:318名)員工辭職,總員工流失率約25%(二零二一年:約24%)。

員工明細

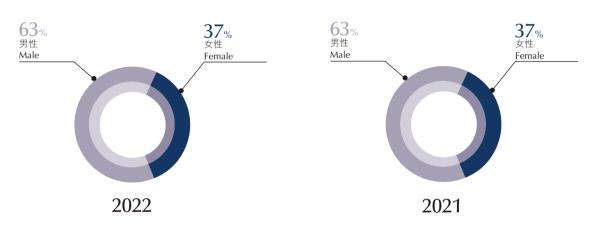
B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Employment (Aspect B1), Health and Safety (Aspect B2) and Labour Standards (Aspect B4) (continued)

As at 31st December, 2022, the Group employs a total of 1,182 (2021: 1,329) employees in Mainland China, Hong Kong and Australia. During the Reporting Period, 299 (2021: 318) employees resigned from the Group, with a total employee turnover rate of approximately 25% (2021: approximately 24%).

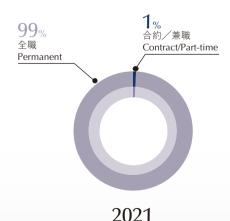
Workforce breakdown

按性別劃分 By Gender



按僱傭類別劃分 By Employment Type





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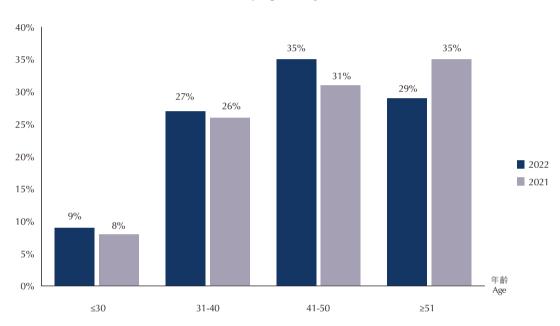
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僱傭(層面B1),健康與安全(層面B2) 及勞工準則(層面B4)(續)

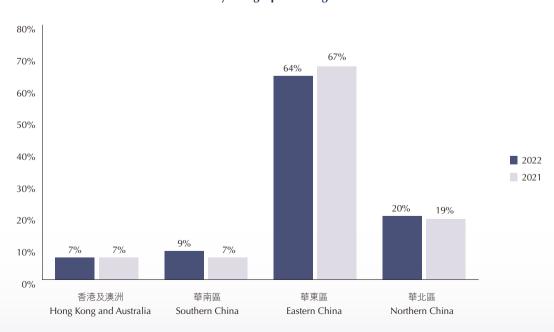
B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Employment (Aspect B1), Health and Safety (Aspect B2) and Labour Standards (Aspect B4) (continued)

按年齡組別劃分 By Age Group



按地區劃分 By Geographical Region



B. 社會議題(續)

僱傭(層面B1),健康與安全(層面B2) 及勞工準則(層面B4)(續)

員工流失率明細

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Employment (Aspect B1), Health and Safety (Aspect B2) and Labour Standards (Aspect B4) (continued)

Employee turnover rate breakdown

		員工人數		流失率(<i>附註)</i>	
		Number of employees		Turnover rate (Note)	
		二零二二年	二零二一年	二零二二年	二零二一年
		2022	2021	2022	2021
按性別劃分	By Gender				
男	Male	186	206	24.9%	24.7%
女	Female	113	112	25.9%	22.7%
按年齡組別劃分	By Age Group				
30歲或以下	30 years old or below	25	47	24.5%	43.1%
31至40歲	31-40 years old	61	86	18.7%	24.7%
41至50歲	41-50 years old	55	85	13.3%	20.9%
51歲或以上	51 years old or above	158	100	46.5%	21.5%
按地理位置劃分	By Geographical Region				
香港及澳洲	Hong Kong and Australia	8	10	9.1%	11.5%
華南區	Southern China	25	43	23.6%	45.3%
華東區	Eastern China	234	226	31.2%	25.4%
華北區	Northern China	32	39	13.5%	15.2%

附註: 員工流失率為於報告期間按類別劃分的辭職員工人數佔按類別劃分的員工總數的比例。

發展及培訓(層面B3)

Note: The turnover rate of employees is equal to the number of resigned employees by category over the total number of employees by category for the Reporting Period.

Development and Training (Aspect B3)

The Group is committed to fostering a culture of continuous learning in our organisation. Heavy emphasis is placed on employees' training which is tailored to equip our workforce with the necessary knowledge and skills relevant for their work, as well as to build our talent pool. Management is involved, together with professional trainers, in designing training programmes to meet the demands of the workplace. Training content and topics are set to cover the key aspects of our business. Management development initiatives currently include courses on the second language training, prevention of bribery, bankruptcy laws, data privacy, technical skills, debt collection skills, product knowledge, computer skills, customer service techniques, communication and complaints handling. Workshops for managerial and supervisory employees are provided and are intended to enhance our employees' career development. There are also workshops specifically for managerial employees on career development, team building and people management skills.

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B. 社會議題(續)

發展及培訓(層面B3)(續)

除內部培訓外,本集團亦為員工提供學習資助,供其於工餘時間增進知識。於報告期間,全體員工中約42%(二零二一年:約29%)已接受合共6,295.5小時(二零二一年:5,030.5小時)的培訓。每名員工的平均培訓時數為12.7小時(二零二一年:13.2小時)。

員工接受培訓明細

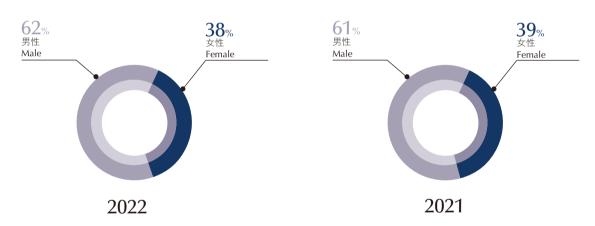
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Development and Training (Aspect B3) (continued)

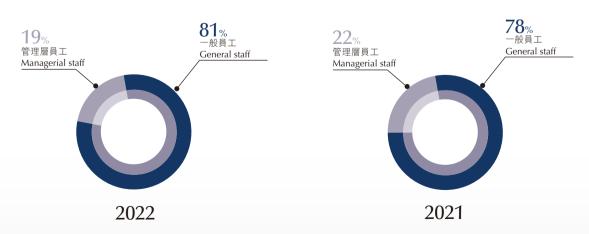
On top of internal training, the Group also provides a study subsidy for the employees to advance their education during their spare time. During the Reporting Period, approximately 42% (2021: approximately 29%) of the total employees had received training for 6,295.5 hours (2021: 5,030.5 hours) in total. The average training hours per employee was 12.7 hours (2021: 13.2 hours).

Employee receiving training breakdown

按性別劃分 By Gender



按員工類別劃分 By Employee Category



B. 社會議題(續)

發展及培訓(層面B3)(續)

平均培訓時數明細

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Development and Training (Aspect B3) (continued)

Average training hours breakdown

每名員工的培訓時數 Number of training hours per employee

		二零二二年	二零二一年
		2022	2021
	By Gender		
男	Male	11.70	12.82
女	Female	14.45	13.71
按員工類別劃分	By Employee Category		
管理層員工	Managerial staff	16.79	19.25
一般員工	General staff	11.81	11.45

供應鏈管理(層面B5)

我們致力建立透明且長期的供應鏈,同時 與我們的業務夥伴維持互惠互利的合作關 係。

鑒於我們的業務性質,與物業發展相關的 供應商相對重要,包括承包商、建築商和 建築材料供應商。於報告期間,本集團合 作的此類供應商數量為338名(二零二一 年:365名),大部分位於華東區。

Supply Chain Management (Aspect B5)

We are dedicated to establishing a transparent and long-term supply chain while preserving mutually beneficial partnerships with our business partners.

Owing to the nature of our businesses, the suppliers related to property development is relatively significant, including the contractors, constructors and construction material suppliers. The number of such suppliers with which the Group cooperated with during the Reporting Period is 338 (2021: 365), with the majority of them being located in Eastern China.

The Group built a strict and regulated procurement system in which all suppliers are rigorously examined and subject to frequent monitoring and evaluations. Quality, cost, reputation, reaction time, value-added service to the Group and environmental management of the suppliers are all considered. The Group exclusively hires local contractors who have necessary qualifications in relevant aspects and standards of construction work. At least three potential independent contractors and suppliers would make or be invited to make the tender for site projects and we conduct assessment and selection during the tendering process. Such tendering procedure is typically used in the property development industry to select main contractors and various subcontractors, subject to the terms of the agreements with the main contractors.

B. 社會議題(續)

供應鏈管理(層面B5)(續)

對於其他供應商,如文具和行政服務,我 們取得至少三個供應商的報價,或從具有 長期友好合作關係的各種供應商中篩選。

於報告期間,303名(二零二一年:268名) 供應商通過招標選擇,及98名(二零二一年:169名)供應商通過上述其他方式選 擇。該等數據乃收集自本集團的物業發展 公司和各個總辦事處。

為盡最大努力降低挑選供應商各環節的環境和社會風險,本集團基於公平及透明的原則進行招標和價格比較,而其他產品或服務的非招標方式必須經過授權批准,因為本集團禁止任何未經批准的採購,以防止操縱採購。

我們有明確界定選擇合資格承包商及供應 商之政策,包括評估其註冊許可證、資格 水平及相關經驗,並且參照我們的項目規 模。該等承包商及供應商乃基於優秀標準 及信譽的往績記錄進行謹慎篩選,並須進 行基準測試、審核及輪換。

根據施工合約,承包商須堅守綠色建築、節能及環保的理念,使用綠色及健康的材料,並按照合約規定保質保量按期完成項目。為確保建築工程、產品及服務的質素,我們的施工合同以及產品及服務供應合約一般包含質量及完工時間的保證。在保修責任期內,承包商須負責監察及監督建築工程。同時,我們進行第三方評估,以定期檢查及監督建築質量。

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Supply Chain Management (Aspect B5) (continued)

For other suppliers such as stationery and administrative services, we obtain at least three quotations or choose from a variety of providers with long-term amicable and cooperative relationships.

During the Reporting Period, there were 303 suppliers (2021: 268 suppliers) selected through tendering and 98 suppliers (2021: 169 suppliers) through other methods as mentioned above. These data was collected from the Group's property development companies and various head offices.

To make the best effort to reduce environmental and social risks in each process of supplier's selection, the Group conducts tendering and price comparison in accordance with the principles of fairness and transparency, and non-tendering methods for other products or services must be approved under authorisation, as the Group prohibits any procurement without approval and to prevent procurement manipulation.

We have well-defined policies in place for selecting qualified contractors and suppliers, which include evaluating their registered licenses, qualification level, and relevant experience, as well as referring to the scale of our project. Contractors and suppliers are carefully selected based on a track record of excellent standards and reputation, and they are subject to benchmarking, audits, and rotation.

Pursuant to the construction contracts, the contractors are required to adhere to the concept of green building, energy conservation and environmental preservation by utilizing green and healthy materials, and to complete the project on schedule with quality and quantity assured in accordance with the contract. In order to assure the quality of the construction works, products and services, our construction contracts, as well as product and service supply contracts, generally contain warranties for quality and completion time. Under the defect liability period, the contractors are responsible for supervising and monitoring the construction works. Meanwhile, third-party evaluation is carried out to conduct regular inspection and monitor the quality of the construction.

B. 社會議題(續)

供應鏈管理(層面B5)(續)

我們的工程部門負責密切監管及監督施工 過程中之成本控制及施工進度,透過定期 進行現場檢查及嚴格質量控制程序。於生 產管理一直到現場管理和控制的整個項目 發展過程中,我們亦為員工提高環保意識 及提升他們的環境管理技能。

我們亦就職業安全、良好的環境工序及社 會責任對承包商及供應商設立規定,以確 保彼等不違反香港及中國內地之相關法律 及法規。

產品責任(層面B6)

鑒於本集團的業務性質,因安全及健康理 由而回收的已售產品及已運輸貨品並不適 用於本集團。

我們於中國內地的項目遵循省及中央政府 公佈的物業質量之適用規則、法律及法 規。我們的項目工程師定期檢查建築材料 及建築工程以確保建築商全面遵守相關國 家規則及法規,發展具合理質素及安全之 建築,並達致可接受之可靠水平。於報告 期間,並無呈報不符合上述法律或法規之 情況發生。

就物業租賃及管理服務而言,本集團加強 設施及設備,以提高服務質素。我們致力 與客戶保持密切關係及使客戶滿意。

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Supply Chain Management (Aspect B5) (continued)

Our engineering department is responsible to regulate and monitor the cost control and construction progress closely during construction with periodic on-site inspection and stringent quality control procedures. Throughout the project development process, from production management all the way through to on-site management and control, we also enhance employees' awareness of the importance of environmental protection and sharpen their environment management skills.

We also set out provisions to the contractors and suppliers for occupational safety, good environmental practices and social responsibility and ensure they have no violation of the relevant laws and regulations of Hong Kong and Mainland China.

Product Responsibility (Aspect B6)

Owing to the business nature of the Group, the products sold and shipped subject to recall for safety and health reasons are not applicable to the Group.

Our projects in Mainland China adhere to the appropriate rules, laws, and regulations on property quality published by the provinces and central governments. Our project engineers examine the building materials and construction activities on a regular basis to ensure that the constructors fully adhere to the relevant national rules and regulations in order to develop reasonable quality and safety buildings that reach the acceptable dependability level. There were no reported occurrences of noncompliance with the aforementioned laws or regulations during the Reporting Period.

For the property rental and management services, the Group enhances the facilities and equipments to improve service quality. We endeavour to maintain a close relationship with our customers and pursue customers' satisfaction.

B. 社會議題(續)

產品責任(層面B6)(續)

由於物業發展業務之性質涉及高價格產品,信譽風險監測及預防措施至為重要。我們已採取多項措施,盡量減低風險。對物業質量之結果及反應作及時的監控。集團提供全面售後服務,包括處理客人。 等國提供全面售後服務,包括處理客人, 等國提供全面售後服務,包括處理客人, 等國提供全面售後服務,包括處理客人, 於保修責任期內,我們將已呈報的缺分 以下 以下 以下 以下 其中交予我們的工程部門或承包商,以 與所有不合標準的工程,而獲聘之承包商 亦須受嚴格監督。

就物業租賃及管理服務業務而言,我們每個項目之物業管理處均設有接待處。我們密切關注客戶之不滿,並將投訴轉交相關部門跟進。於報告期間,投訴率低,而好訴已妥善解決。所有投訴人接受或對我們的答覆表示滿意。於報告期間,並無錄得與客戶投訴有關的重大訴訟。本集團竭力及時回應租戶提出之問題及投訴。

我們尊重知識產權,包括但不限於商標、專利和版權。員工不得私自使用或允許外部人員擁有和利用知識產權,除非得到版權所有者的許可。員工為任何產品、專前服務使用任何名稱、口號或標誌之前,必須通知部門主管。我們已經為本公司的品牌申請商標。本集團尊重任何第三方的知識產權或其他合法權利,並購買正版辦公軟件,以避免侵犯他人的知識產權。

就於中國內地及香港為物業買家及租戶提供服務而言,我們高度重視保護客戶資料私隱。我們已制定了措施和明確指引,的止他不不不可, 在保客戶的相關資料得到保障,防止他透過適當實體、電子及管理措施實施適當實體、電子及管理措施實施固 級別的安全保障以保護及保障客戶個人資料。此外,我們的員工手冊要求員工將容戶資料保密及嚴格遵守處理客戶資料之適當程序。

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Product Responsibility (Aspect B6) (continued)

Owing to the nature of the property development business where a high price product is involved, reputational risk monitoring and preventions are of utmost importance. We have various measures in place to minimise risks. Results and response to property quality are monitored on a timely basis. The Group provides comprehensive after-sale services including handling customer complaints and supervising the repair and ongoing maintenance of the properties developed. During the defect liability period, we forward the reported defects to our engineering department or contractors to follow up with all the substandard works. Contractors engaged for construction are tightly monitored.

For the business of property rental and management services, we have a reception desk in property management office for each project. We pay close attention to the customer dissatisfaction and forward the complaint to relevant departments for follow-up. During the Reporting Period, the complaint rate is low and all complaints have been properly resolved. All complainants accepted or were satisfied with our replies. During the Reporting Period, no material litigation is recorded related to the customers' complaint. The Group put the best effort to response instantly to the problem and complaint submitted by tenants.

We respect intellectual property rights, including but not limited to trademarks, patents and copyrights. Employees shall not privately use or allow outside parties to possess and exploit intellectual property, unless permission has been obtained by copyright owners. Employees are required to notify the department head before the use of any name, slogan or mark for any product, program or service. We have applied for trademarks for the brands of the Company. The Group respects the intellectual property rights or other legal rights of any third party and purchases genuine office software so as to avoid infringement of the intellectual property rights of others.

In servicing the property purchaser and tenant in Mainland China and Hong Kong, we place a very high priority to uphold the customer data privacy. Measures and clear guidelines are in place to ensure customer's relevant data are protected against unauthorised or accidental access, processing or erasure. Appropriate levels of security protection were implemented by appropriate physical, electronic and managerial measures to safeguard and secure customer's personal data. In addition, our Employee Handbook requires employees to keep confidential of customer information and strictly adhere to proper procedures of handling customer data.

B. 社會議題(續)

反貪污(層面B7)

本集團已設立舉報者政策(「政策」),以便 員工直接向高級管理層報告任何不為 為、任何貪污事件、逃避內部監控、 確或不妥當之財務或其他報告事宜 發現涉嫌違規或不當行為,應通過疑 徑向相關委員會或部門報告。所有疑似 作均會採取廣泛的調查措施進行評調 告,並與相關部門討論報告的調 實項 情案件被確認為不正當的,將採取和監 記律處分。為了保持對我們業務和 監 相容性,該政策將不時進行檢討。

內部審計功能在對內部監控系統進行持續 審查的過程中,亦將檢討該政策和程序在 相關業務中的執行情況。

本集團定期向員工傳達政策及載於員工手冊內,方便員工輕鬆查閱及提醒員工舉報,為加強商業道德及表數的監管規定,我們為董事等備及了管理制度,我們為董事學會舉辦的反貪污管理制表,不邀請了香港廉政公署的代表,與有員工及現有員工學人為時間,我們國內地員工,我們所以提升在此方面的意識。

於報告期間,並未發現有關貪污的違規行為。

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Anti-corruption (Aspect B7)

A Whistle Blower Policy ("Policy") has been established to facilitate employees' direct reporting of any unlawful conduct, any incident of corruption, avoidance of internal controls, incorrect or improper financial or other reporting to senior management. Where a suspected non-compliance or misconduct is discovered, it shall be reported to the relevant committee or department through designated channels. All suspected cases are assessed with extensive investigative measures, including obtaining relevant documents for examination, preparing an investigative report, and discussing with relevant departments the investigative matter reported. Should the case be confirmed as improper, appropriate disciplinary actions would be taken accordingly. To maintain appropriateness to our business and regulatory compatibility, the Policy is subject to review from time to time.

The internal audit function will also review the enforcement of the Policy and procedures on relevant operations in the course of performing ongoing review of the internal control systems.

The Policy is either circulated to employees periodically or included in the Employee Handbook to facilitate employees' easy access and refresh employees' awareness of reporting. During the Reporting Period, to strengthen business ethics and to keep updated in relation to regulatory requirements, we arranged training of anti-corruption management system for the Directors which was organised by The Hong Kong Institute of Directors; and invited representatives from the Independent Commission Against Corruption in Hong Kong to provide training sessions for the senior management, new hires and existing employees; for employees in Mainland China, anti-corruption training is carried out according to the Group's requirement, including to invite lawyers to give lectures to all employees to enhance the awareness in such aspect.

During the Reporting Period, there were no known cases of non-compliance regarding corruptions.

B. 社會議題(續)

社區投資(層面B8)

我們致力為客戶精益求精,並透過鼓勵員 工參與慈善及社會服務,承擔良好企業公 民為社區作出貢獻之責任。

我們參加了各種志願活動,包括於二零二二年一月參與了公益金「線上百萬行」,及於二零二二年十一月參與了「2022公益金新界區百萬行一將軍澳跨灣連接路」為二十四間提供家庭及兒童福利服務的社會員機構籌款;於二零二二年六月會與了「饑饉一餐」,以支持及捐贈予宣會和索馬里的貧困兒童、家庭和計學會為南蘇丹和索馬里的貧困兒童、家庭和計學與公益金人農業生計等範疇的援助香港與公益是其等範疇分類。該等志願活動錄得積極主動的參與。

我們期望透過義工活動幫助社區內的弱勢 社群,如低收入長者、獨居長者、為弱勢 兒童提供教育、為環境保育作出貢獻,向 彼等獻出我們的關懷及關注。

B. SOCIAL ISSUES (CONTINUED)

Community Investment (Aspect B8)

We strive to excel for our customers and undertake the responsibility of a good corporate citizen contributing to the community by encouraging our employees to enroll in charity and social services.

We participated in various volunteering activities, including The Community Chest "Virtual Walk for Millions" in January 2022 and "New Territories Walk for Millions 2022 – Cross Bay Link, Tseung Kwan O" in November 2022, to raise funds for supporting 24 social welfare member agencies in providing family and child welfare services; "Skip-A-Meal" in June 2022, to support and donate to World Vision in providing food and livelihoods assistance for impoverished children, families and communities in South Sudan and Somalia; and made donation to The Community Chest for every mooncake voucher purchased in the campaign of "Mooncakes for Charity 2022" co-organised by The Community Chest and Hong Kong Wing Wah Cake Shop in June 2022. The volunteering activities recorded proactive participation.

We hope that through the volunteering activities, we can help the underprivileged in the community, low-income senior citizens, senior citizens living alone, provide education for children living in poverty, contribute to environmental conservation, by offering our care and concern.

