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## **CORPORATE INFORMATION**

**DIRECTORS** : Dai Xiaoming (Chairman and Chief Executive)

Kenneth Hiu King Kon\*
Jesse Nai Chau Leung\*\*

Xiang Bing\*\*
Edward Shen\*\*

\* Non-Executive Director

\*\* Independent Non-Executive Directors

**AUDIT COMMITTEE** : Jesse Nai Chau Leung (Chairman)

Xiang Bing Edward Shen

**REMUNERATION COMMITTEE** : Edward Shen (*Chairman*)

Jesse Nai Chau Leung

Xiang Bing

NOMINATION COMMITTEE : Dai Xiaoming (Chairman)

Jesse Nai Chau Leung

**Edward Shen** 

FINANCIAL CONTROLLER : Fung Man Yuen

**COMPANY SECRETARY** : Chen Si Ying, Cynthia

**AUDITOR** : PricewaterhouseCoopers

PRINCIPAL BANKERS : Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Asia) Limited

Hang Seng Bank

SOLICITORS : Stephenson Harwood

Hampton, Winter & Glynn

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## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**



## Back row (from left to right):

Mr. Edward Shen, Mr. Kenneth Hiu King Kon, Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung

## Front row (from left to right):

Mr. Dai Xiaoming (Chairman and Chief Executive), Dr. Xiang Bing



## **RESULTS**

Dan Form Holdings Company Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") recorded a revenue of HK\$50,759,000 for the year ended 31 December 2015, which represented an increase of approximately HK\$1,014,000 or 2% as compared with last year. The increase in revenue was mainly due to increase in rental income from investment properties.

The Group's profit attributable to equity holders in this year was HK\$195,718,000, as compared to profit of HK\$247,203,000 in last year. The decrease in profit of HK\$51,485,000 or 21% was mainly attributable to the decrease in fair value of investment properties and the loss on disposal of investment properties held by its associates.

## **DIVIDEND**

The Board of the Company have resolved to declare a final special dividend for the year ended 31 December 2015 of HK\$0.15 per share (2014: HK\$0.02) to shareholders whose names appeared on the Register of Member of the Company on 7 June 2016. The proposed final special dividend will be paid on 5 July 2016 following approval at the 2016 Annual General Meeting.

## **BUSINESS REVIEW**

## **Business Model and Strategies**

The Group's core businesses comprise property investment, property rental and estate management.

The Group aims at enhancing value and recurring revenue of investment properties in our subsidiaries and associated companies. Through maintenance of certain interests in retail properties at Harbour Crystal Centre, and units in Harbour Industrial Centre and Oceanic Industrial Centre, the Group would generate stable and recurrent rental income.

## **Future Likely Development**

Due to the uncertainty of the local and the global political, economic and social environment, the Group will cautiously and actively build up a virtual reality platform as our new business development.

#### **Risks and Uncertainties**

The Group cannot perceive its external risks, including the above mentioned future likely development that the local and the global political, economic and social environment tends to be uncertain. In respect of the internal risks, human resources shortage is our major challenge, including brain drain, and difficulty in employing of good quality staffs. Therefore, the Group is now aiming at reducing external and internal risks by introducing risk management and by pursuing human resources reform, attracting new blood, and upgarding existing staff quality, coveraging staff personal improvement and business development.

#### **Important Events**

During the year, the Group realised portion of the fair value gain by selling properties at Redhill Peninsula held by the associate, Zeta Estates Limited, and the details of which are disclosed below under the heading of "Hong Kong Business – Property".

## **Financial/Operational Key Performance Indicators**

In the year 2015, the Group set and achieved the key performance indicators in respect of the occupancy rate of Harbour Crystal Centre above 80%, with an average rent before expenses at monthly HK\$21 per square foot.

## **Environmental Policies and Performance and Compliance with Relevant Laws and Regulations**

The environmental policies of the Group are disclosed in the Report of Directors under the heading of "Environmental, Social and Governance Issues" as set out on page 23 to 24.

## MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## **Hong Kong Business**

#### **Property**

The Group's commercial properties situated at Harbour Crystal Centre recorded an average occupancy level of approximately 98% and the performance of these rental properties rental income was satisfactory.

During the year, the Group's net rental income at Redhill Peninsula from the associate (33.33% owned) decreased when compared with last year. As from 2015 onwards, the Group and its associate have started launching the sales of residential properties at the Redhill Peninsula. As at the date of this report, 89 apartments, 123 car parking spaces and 2 houses, were sold out at a consideration of approximately HK\$2,795,952,000, which approximately HK\$931,984,000 (before profits tax and expenses) is attributable to the Group. Up to the year ended 31 December, 2015, sales of 55 apartments and 80 car parking spaces were completed at a consideration of HK\$1,622,171,000, which approximately HK\$540,724,000(before profits tax and expenses) was attributable to the Group. If the sales of the remaining 34 apartments, 43 car parking spaces and 2 houses are completed, it is expected that approximately HK\$382,733,000 (before profits tax and expenses) will be attributable to the Group, and the Group will be entitled to receive net proceeds of approximately HK\$271,741,000 after payments of profits tax and expenses.

The Group's industrial properties situated at Ap Lei Chau, Hong Kong, the Harbour Industrial Centre and the Oceanic Industrial Centre held by the associate (33.3% owned) recorded an average occupancy level of approximately 90% and the properties have been improving in leasing out.

#### **Beijing Business**

#### The Wangfujing Project

Dan Yao Building (85% owned)

On 28 December 2015, the seventh creditors' meeting of Dan Yao Building was held in the Second Intermediate People's Court in Beijing (the "Court"), the second cash distribution proposal in respect of the liquidation of Beijing Dan Yao Property Co., Ltd ("Dan Yao") submitted by the liquidator was approved by the Court on the same day and the Group is expected to receive approximately RMB 13,563,000 (approximately HK\$16,146,000) as its share.

The liquidation of Dan Yao would still take a long time to complete and the final realisation of the assets, and the time involved and the ultimate amount that would remain available to the creditors of Dan Yao (including the Group) remains uncertain.

The Xidan Project (29.4% owned)

In prior years, the shareholders and the board of the directors of Beijing Jing Yuan Property Development Company Limited ("Jian Yuan") agreed to commence the liquidation proceeding for Jian Yuan and submitted the application for the liquidation of Jian Yuan to the State-owned Assets Supervision and Administration Commission ("SASAC") in Xicheng District followed by the completion of the Xidan project.

The liquidation proceeding for Jian Yuan can only commence upon receiving the SASAC's approval.

#### **GROUP ASSETS POSITION AND CHARGE**

The total assets of the Group have increased from HK\$5,204,157,000 last year to HK\$5,398,618,000 in this year. The net assets of the Group have also increased from HK\$5,043,016,000 to HK\$5,219,658,000. At 31 December 2015, the investment properties of the Group in Hong Kong of HK\$940,940,000 were pledged as security for banking facilities. The Group has no bank loan, but will undergo a discussion with the bank for the renewal of banking facilities and the bank has agreed to provide banking facilities if necessary.

## **GROUP FINANCIAL POSITION, LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

The total liabilities of the Group have increased from HK\$161,141,000 as at 31 December 2014 to HK\$178,960,000 as at 31 December 2015. The Group had cash and bank balances of HK\$875,190,000 as at 31 December 2015 (2014: HK\$368,887,000). The ratio of total liabilities to total assets was approximately 3% (2014: 3%). As at 31 December 2015, the Group had no bank loans (2014: Nil) and the total equity was HK\$5,219,658,000 (2014: HK\$5,043,016,000).

As at 31 December 2015, the current assets of the Group, amounting to HK\$1,014,771,000 (2014: HK\$530,083,000), exceeded its current liabilities by HK\$970,808,000 (2014: HK\$492,810,000).

For the year ended 31 December 2015, the Group had no material exposure to fluctuations in exchange rates and no related hedges and there were no contingent liabilities.

## **EMPLOYEES**

As at 31 December 2015, the Group, excluding associated companies, employed 67 (2014:56) people of which 44 (2014:41) were employed in Hong Kong.

In addition to basic salaries, employees in Hong Kong are provided with medical insurance and some of them are included under a defined contribution provident fund scheme and mandatory provident fund scheme. Employees in the Mainland China are provided with medical insurance, elderly insurance, loss of job insurance, injury insurance and provident fund for housing. Some of them are also provided with birth insurance.

## **PROSPECTS**

The local and the global political, economic and social environment tends to be uncertain, with unstable structure and unforeseen circumstances happening frequently. Following the rapid development of high technology which is focused on the information, connectivity and computing ability, the virtual reality industry is emerging and might impact mankind and change the course of history.

Facing with the unprecedented risks and opportunities, the Group will continue to improve the operating efficiency of the existing assets. The Group will continue to optimise its resources and manage its funds based on the priority order of safety, liquidity and profitability.

Building up a platform of virtual reality (the combination of personal, and customised virtual reality from the real and virtual golf experience which is treated as one of the elements) is our new business development.

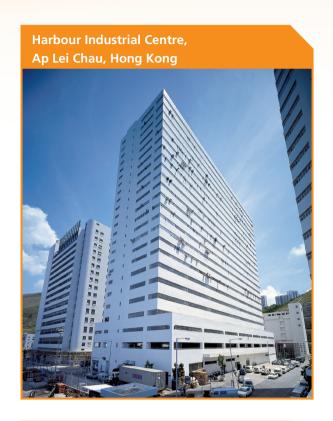
Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks to my fellow Directors for their guidance and support and to all members of the staff for their loyalty and dedication during the year.

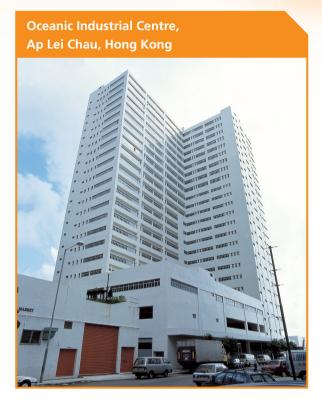
## **Dai Xiaoming**

Chairman

Hong Kong, 30 March 2016

## PROPERTIES INFORMATION

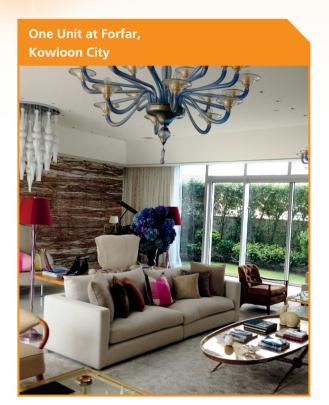


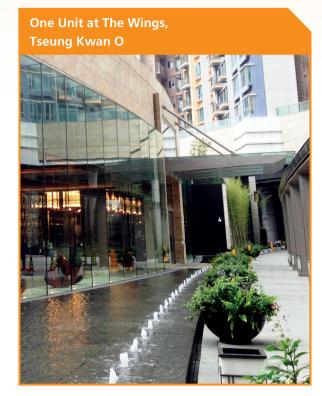


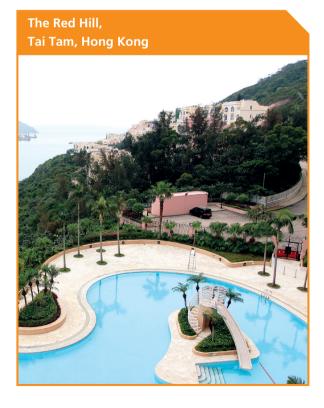


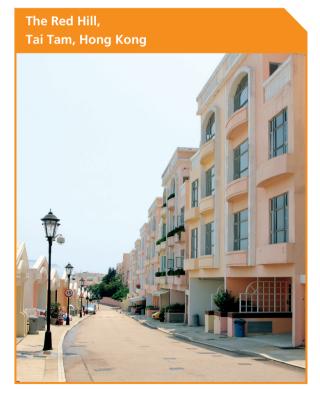


## **PROPERTIES INFORMATION**









# BIOGRAPHIC DETAILS OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

## **DIRECTORS**

#### Mr. Dai Xiaoming, Chairman and Chief Executive

Aged 69. Appointed as a Director, Chairman and Chief Executive in October, 1994. Mr. Dai was awarded a Master's Degree in Engineering from The China University of Science and Technology. He has involved for the past thirty years in property developments and investments in the PRC and Hong Kong and has over thirty years' experience in property investments and corporate management. Currently, he is also a major shareholder and a managing director of Fabulous Investments Limited ("Fabulous") and the sole shareholder of Harlesden Limited, which is the ultimate holding company of Fabulous.

## Mr. Kenneth Hiu King Kon, Non-Executive Director

Aged 54. Appointed as a Director in October, 1994 and redesignated as Non-Executive Director on 1 October, 2012. Mr. Kon graduated from Middlesex University in the United Kingdom with a Bachelor's Degree in Business Studies. He has been involved in the planning of many large-scale investments and development projects in the PRC and Hong Kong and has over twenty-nine years' experience in investments and management in manufacturing industries and property developments. He also has extensive experience in securities trading, corporate finance, mergers and acquisitions and corporate restructuring. Mr. Kon was appointed as an Independent Non-Executive Director of North Asia Strategic Holdings Limited (Stock Code: 8080) with effect from 19 February 2013.

## Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung, Independent Non-Executive Director

Aged 65. Appointed as a Director in May, 1993. Mr. Leung holds a Master's Degree in Business Administration. He is a fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales as well as the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He has extensive experience in public practice, finance and commerce.

#### **Dr. Xiang Bing,** *Independent Non-Executive Director*

Aged 53. Appointed as a Director in May, 1995. Dr. Xiang graduated with a University Golden Medal from Xi'an Jiaotong University, the People's Republic of China, in 1983 and obtained his Ph.D. in Management from the University of Alberta, Canada in 1991. Dr. Xiang is currently the founding dean of Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business. Before joining the Beijing University, Dr. Xiang has served as a faculty at the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology and the China Europe International Business School in Shanghai. Dr. Xiang is a well-known management expert, especially in finance, and he is very familiar with management theories and practice in the East and West. He has extensive experience in executive training and has conducted seminars for several leading executive programs. He has worked with many Chinese and multinational corporations on executive training, merger and acquisition strategies and managerial control systems. He has also been consulted by the China's government organizations responsible for formulating and implementing state enterprise reform in China.

## BIOGRAPHIC DETAILS OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

## Mr. Edward Shen, Independent Non-Executive Director

Aged 65. Appointed as a Director in October, 1995. Mr. Shen graduated from Washington State University in the United States with a Bachelor's Degree in Science in Architectural Studies as well as Bachelor's Degree in Architecture. He is a PRC Class 1 Registered Architect and a member of the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada, the Ontario Association of Architects, the Architectural Society of China, the Royal Institute of British Architects, Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation Registered Architect and the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. He is also a fellow of the Hong Kong Institute of Architects and the Architects Regional Council of Asia. He has been registered as an authorised person under the Buildings Ordinance and a professional architect under the Architects Registration Ordinance since 1982 and 1990 respectively. He is also a member of Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce. He was the President of the Hong Kong Institute of Architects in 2004. From 2012 to 2014, he attained a Master of Science Degree in Sustainable and Environmental Design at the Chinese University of Hong Kong.

## **SENIOR MANAGEMENT**

#### Mr. Albert Man Yuen Fung, Financial Controller

Aged 67. Joined the Company in September, 1988. Mr. Fung is a holder of Master's Degree in International Accounting (City University of Hong Kong). He is an associate of the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators and the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants, and a fellow member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants and the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He has over thirty-nine years' experience in finance and accounting.

## Mr. Ge Xiaoguo, Assistant to Chief Executive

Aged 64. Joined the Company in May, 1996. He graduated from Beijing Foreign Studies University. He has been involved in the management of the computer technology development and operation for many years during which time he has worked in Germany for more than four years. He has over thirty-one years' experience in enterprises management.

## Ms. Cynthia Si Ying Chen, Company Secretary

Aged 49. Joined the Company in April, 2011. Ms. Chen holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration and a Master's Degree in Corporate Governance. She is an Associate of The Hong Kong Institute of Chartered Secretaries and an Associate of The Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators. She has more than fourteen years' extensive experience in the company secretarial practice and has over twenty years' experience in large well-known enterprises management, and she has worked in Singapore for more than three years.

# BIOGRAPHIC DETAILS OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

## Ms. Lily Lee Li, Human Resources Director

Aged 43. Joined the Company in March, 2012. Ms. Li holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, a Postgraduate Certificate in Commercial Law (PRC Law) and an Executive Master's Degree in Business Administration. She is a Senior Human Resources Professional of PRC. She has more than fifteen years' working experience in human resources and administration management with a publicly listed company and other enterprises in Hong Kong.

## Mr. Ye Jianqiang, Operation Director

Aged 38. Joined the Company in July, 2001. Mr. Ye studied at Tsinghua University. He was engaged in the development and management of computer technology. In October 2011, he was redesignated as Corporate Planning Manager to meet the Company's business needs and was promoted as Operation Director. He has over fourteen years' experience in enterprises management.

## **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES**

## **Compliance with Code on Corporate Governance Practices**

The Company is committed to maintaining a high standard of corporate governance within a sensible framework.

During the year ended 31 December 2015, the Company has complied with all code provisions (the "Code Provisions") of the Corporate Governance Code as set out in Appendix 14 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, except with a deviation from Code Provision A.2.1 whereby, due to the current situation, the Group has no separation of the role of the chairman and chief executive. The Board considers that this structure will not impair the balance of power and authority between the Board and the management of the Company. It is the best interest of the Group to have Mr. Dai Xiaoming remained to be the chairman and chief executive, and a deviation from Code Provision A.6.7, where independent non-executive directors and other non-executive directors should also attend general meetings. One of the independent non-executive Directors of the Company Mr. Xiang Bing was unable to attend the annual general meeting of the Company held on 22 May 2015 as he was in overseas due to having business trips.

## **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 its own code of conduct regarding the directors' securities transactions. Following specific enquiry made with all directors, the Company has confirmed that they have complied with the Model Code for the year ended 31 December 2015.

Written guidelines on no less exacting terms than the Model Code relating to securities transaction for employees have been distributed to all employees of the Group.

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The Board of the Company comprises a total of five directors, of whom one is the executive director. The chairman and the chief executive is Mr. Dai Xiaoming and the non-executive director is Mr. Kenneth Hiu King Kon. The three independent non-executive directors ("INEDs") are Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung, Dr. Xiang Bing and Mr. Edward Shen. Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung has contributed to the Board his appropriate professional qualifications in accounting and related financial management expertise. Dr. Xiang Bing and Mr. Edward Shen have also contributed to the Board their respective expertise and experience. On 27 March 2015, the Company issued an appointment letter to Mr. Kenneth Hiu King Kon pursuant to which his appointment would be valid for a period of three years ending 26 March 2018. On 13 May 2014, the Company issued an appointment letter to each of Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung and Mr. Edward Shen pursuant to which their appointments would be valid for a period of three years ended 12 May 2017. On 10 March 2016, the Company issued an appointment letter to Dr. Xiang Bing pursuant to which his appointment would be valid for a period of three years ending 9 March 2019. However, these appointments are subject to retirement by rotation at each general meeting pursuant to Article 102 of the Articles of Association of the Company. The Directors participates in the affairs of the Board and the Board always acts in the best interests of the Group as a whole.

The chairman ensures that the Board works effectively and that all key and appropriate issues are discussed in a timely manner. Members of the Board have been provided with appropriate and sufficient information at an opportune moment so that they would be updated with the latest development of the Group to discharge of their duties. Any matters proposed for inclusion in the agenda has been consulted with all directors. The chairman has delegated to the Company Secretary the responsibility for drawing up the agenda for each Board meeting. The chairman ensures that all directors have received complete and reliable information in a timely manner and are properly briefed on issues arising at the Board meetings. In addition, in order to protect the directors and officers of the Group from their risk exposure arising from the business of the Group, appropriate insurance cover on directors' and officers' liability has been in force.

The Board delegates the day-to-day management and operations of the Group's businesses to the management under the supervision of the chief executive. The chief executive together with deputy chief executive are responsible for managing the businesses of the Group, including implementation of the annual budget and strategies adopted by the Board and assuming full accountability to the Board for the operations of the Group.

As at the date of this Report for the year 2015, the Board held four meetings on 30 March 2015, 23 June 2015, 28 August 2015 and 14 December 2015.

Members of the Board	Attendance
Executive Director  Dai Xiaoming (Chairman and Chief Executive)	4/4
Non-Executive Director Kenneth Hiu King Kon	4/4
Independent Non-Executive Directors Jesse Nai Chau Leung Xiang Bing	4/4 4/4
Edward Shen	4/4

As at the date of this Report for the year 2014 annual general meetings was held on 22 May 2015. The attendance records of the members of the Board is set out as below.

Members of the Board	Attendance
Executive Director  Dai Xiaoming (Chairman and Chief Executive)	1/1
Non-Executive Director Kenneth Hiu King Kon	1/1
Independent Non-Executive Directors	
Jesse Nai Chau Leung	1/1
Xiang Bing	0/1
Edward Shen	1/1

Apart from the directorship with the Company, there is no other relationship, including financial, business, family or other material/relevant relationship(s), among the five directors of the Board except for those disclosed in Note 31 to the consolidated financial statements.

Each of the INEDs has made an annual confirmation of independence pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. The Company is of the view that all INEDs meet the independence requirements in accordance with the terms of the guidelines.

## REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The Company has established the Remuneration Committee on 13 September 2005. The Remuneration Committee comprises the chairman, Mr. Edward Shen, being an INED, and the two INEDs, namely Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung and Dr. Xiang Bing.

The principle responsibility of the Remuneration Committee includes making recommendation to the Board on the policy and structure of the Company for all remuneration of directors and senior management and reviewing the specific remuneration packages of all executive directors and senior management by reference to corporate goals and objectives resolved by the Board. The emoluments of directors are based on the skill and contribution to the Company's affairs and are determined by reference to the duties and responsibilities of the executive and non-executive directors after considering the performance of the Group and prevailing market conditions including salaries paid by comparable companies. The terms of reference for the Remuneration Committee are maintained on the websites of the Company and Stock Exchange.

The Company has adopted the model to make recommendations to the Board on the remuneration packages of the individual executive director and senior management.

Particulars of the emoluments to the Directors are set out in note 12 of the financial statements.

As at the date of this Report for the year 2015, one Remuneration Committee Meeting was held on 14 December, 2015. The attendance records of each member of the Remuneration Committee are set out as below.

# Members of the Remuneration CommitteeAttendanceIndependent Non-Executive Directors5Edward Shen (Chairman)1/1Xiang Bing1/1Jesse Nai Chau Leung1/1

The Remuneration Committee reviewed the remuneration of all staff, including the one executive director, of the Company and its subsidiaries in the Remuneration Committee Meeting held on 14 December 2015.

## NOMINATION COMMITTEE AND APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS

The Company has established the Nomination Committee on 29 March 2012. The Nomination Committee comprises the chairman, Mr. Dai Xiaoming, being the chairman of the Board and an executive Director, and the two INEDs, namely Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung and Mr. Edward Shen. The Committee meets at least once a year.

The Nomination Committee is responsible for formulating policy and making recommendations to the Board on nominations, appointment of Directors and Board succession. The Committee develops selection procedures for candidates, and will consider different criteria including appropriate professional knowledge and industry experience, as well as consult external recruitment professionals when required. The Committee also reviews the size, structure and composition of the Board and assesses the independence of the Independent Non-Executive Directors. The Committee is provided with sufficient resources enabling it to perform its duties and it can seek independent professional advice at the Company's expense if necessary. The terms of reference for the Nomination Committee are maintained on the websites of the Company and Stock Exchange.

The Nomination Committee has set up a policy concerning diversity of board members whereby the Company is committed to equality of opportunity in all aspects of its business and does not discriminate on the grounds of race, gender, age, cultural and educational background, or professional experience, or any other factor. In forming its perspective, the Company will also take into account factors based on its own business model and specific needs from time to time.

The Nomination Committee ensures that the Board of the Company has the appropriate balance of skills, experience and diversity of perspectives that are required to support the execution of its business strategy and in order for the Board to be effective.

The Nomination Committee has primary responsibility for identifying suitably qualified candidates to become members of the Board, and will review the Board diversity policy on a regular basis to ensure its continued effectiveness.

As at the date of this Report for the year 2015, one Nomination Committee Meeting was held on 14 December 2015. The attendance records of each member of the Nomination Committee is set out as below.

Members of the Nomination Committee	Attendance
Executive Director	
Dai Xiaoming (Chairman)	1/1
Independent Non-Executive Directors	
Jesse Nai Chau Leung	1/1
Edward Shen	1/1

#### **EMPLOYEES**

The long-term remuneration policy of the Group for all employees is to ensure that the pay levels are competitive and effective in attracting, retaining and motivating employees.

In addition to basic salaries, employees in Hong Kong are provided with medical insurance and some of them are included under defined contribution provident fund scheme and mandatory provident fund scheme.

## **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for preparing the financial statements for the Group.

Management has provided adequate explanations and information to the Board on a timely basis which enables the Board to make an informed assessment on the financial statements of the Group. In addition, with the assistance of the Finance Department and under the supervision of the Financial Controller of the Company, the directors ensures that financial statements of the Group, which is prepared on a going concern basis, are in accordance with the statutory requirements and applicable accounting standards. The Directors also ensure that the publication of the financial statements of the Group is on a timely basis.

## **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Audit Committee was established on 15 September 1998 with reference to "A Guide for the Formation of an Audit Committee" issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The Audit Committee comprises the Chairman, Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung, and other two INEDs, namely Dr. Xiang Bing and Mr. Edward Shen. The terms of reference for the Audit Committee are maintained on the websites of the Company and Stock Exchange.

As at the date of this Report for the year 2015 two Audit Committee Meetings were held on 30 March 2015 and 28 August 2015 respectively. The attendance records of each member of the Audit Committee is set out as below.

# Members of the Audit CommitteeAttendanceIndependent Non-Executive Directors3/2Jesse Nai Chau Leung (Chairman)2/2Xiang Bing2/2Edward Shen2/2

The following is a summary of the work of the Audit Committee:

- (i) review and supervision of the financial reporting system of the Group;
- (ii) review of the procedures and effectiveness of internal control of the Group;
- (iii) review of the Group's financial information;
- (iv) review of the relationship between the Auditor and the Company;
- (v) review of the financial reports for the year ended 31 December 2014 and for the six months ended 30 June 2015 and for the year ended 31 December 2015;
- (vi) review of the annual report of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2015; and
- (vii) consideration and approval of the 2015 audit fees.

The Audit Committee has regular meetings twice a year and additional meetings are held as the work of the committee demands.

## RISK MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL CONTROL

The Board is of the opinion that a sound Internal Control System will help the Group to achieve its business objectives of long-term development, safeguard the Group's assets and contribute to the effectiveness and efficiency of Operations.

Followed by strengthening the enforcement as required by the Corporate Governance of Hong Kong Listing Rules, the Group would, based on the rules, improve and optimize the Risk Management and Internal Control System so as to ensure the Group not violating the laws and rules, to enhance the standard of the Group's Operation and provide reasonable assurance for the future business growth.

Since the environment which the Group operates is continually evolving, the Group would continue to review the adequacy of its risk management and internal control framework, and look for the opportunities to make improvements and add appropriate resources when necessary.

#### (i) Control Activities

The Group's internal control system includes an organizational structure with an internal audit function having clearly defined lines of responsibility and authority of each business unit. Business plans and budgets for each business unit are prepared by the Group. Various guidelines and procedures have been established for the approval and control of the Group's operating expenses, project investments, unbudgeted items and others.

## (ii) Business Ethics

The Group considers ethical corporate culture and employees' honesty and integrity to be important assets and endeavours to comply with the laws and regulations of the countries in which we operate. To uphold a high standard of integrity in all aspects of daily activities, the Group adopts a Code of Conduct which is freely accessible on the Group's intranet, is maintained and communicated to all employees for compliance.

## (iii) Inside Information Policy

The Company has adopted the 《Guide on Disclosure of Price-sensitive Information》 setting out the guidelines to the Directors and all employees of the Group to ensure that inside information can be promptly identified, assessed and disseminated to the public in equal and timely manner in accordance with the applicable laws and regulations.

## (iv) Annual General Meeting

Annual General Meeting is as a principal platform allows the Company to meet and communicate with the shareholders. It provides an opportunity for shareholders to communicate with the Directors about the Company's performance and operations. All the Directors, the chairmen of the Audit Committee and the Remuneration Committee together with the external auditor of the Company attend the annual general meetings to answer shareholders' questions. Annual General Meeting's proceedings are reviewed from time to time to ensure that the Company follows good corporate governance practices.

The 2015 Annual General Meeting was held at 33/F., Tower A, Billion Centre, 1 Wang Kwong Road, Kowloon Bay, Hong Kong on 22 May 2015. The 2016 Annual General Meeting has been scheduled to be held on 25 May 2016.

The Financial Controller of the Group submitted an annual internal control review of the Group to the Board on 28 August 2015. The Board reviewed the effectiveness of the internal control system of the Group. The review covers all material controls, including financial operation and compliance controls and risk management functions, and considers the adequacy of resources, qualifications and experience of staff of the Company's accounting and financial reporting function, and their training programmes and budget. The Board considers that the internal control system are effective and adequate.

## **CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

The Company makes available continuous professional development for all Directors at the expense of the Company so as to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills.

#### **COMPANY SECRETARY**

The Company Secretary is an employee of the Company and is appointed by the Board. The Company Secretary is responsible for facilitating the Board's processes and communications among Board members, with shareholders and with management. The Company Secretary undertakes at least 15 hours of relevant professional training annually to update his skills and knowledge.

## SHAREHOLDERS ENGAGEMENT

Under Section 566 of Company Ordinance, shareholder(s) holding not less than one-twentieth of the total voting rights of all members may request the Board to convene an extraordinary general meeting. The objects of the meeting must be stated in the related requisition deposited at the Company's registered office. Detailed requirements and procedures are set out in the Corporate Governance Section of the Company's website.

Section 615 of the Companies Ordinance provides that (i) shareholder(s) representing at least 2.5% of the total voting rights of all shareholders of the Company who have a right to vote on the resolution at the AGM, or (ii) at least 50 shareholders who have a right to vote on the resolution at the AGM may request the Company to circulate a notice of a resolution for consideration at the AGM.

Besides, pursuant to the Company's Articles of Association, if a shareholder wishes to propose resolution relating to all matters to be considered at a general meeting, shareholders are requested to follow the requirements and procedures set out in the Corporate Governance Section of the Company's website.

#### SHAREHOLDERS COMMUNICATION POLICY

The enquiries must be in writing with contact information of the requisitionists and deposited at the Company Secretary at the Company's principal place of business at 33/F., Tower A, Billion Centre, 1 Wang Kwong Road, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon, Hong Kong.

## OTHER INFORMATION FOR SHAREHOLDERS

No amendment has been made to the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association during the year.

#### **AUDITOR'S REMUNERATION**

For the year ended 31 December 2015, the nature of the audit and non-audit services provided by the Auditor of the Company, and the relevant fee paid and payable by the Company for such services are as follows:

HK\$

Audit services for the Group

Non-audit services for the Group

1,120,000

248,000

1,368,000

The Directors have pleasure in presenting their report and the audited financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the year ended 31 December 2015.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES**

Sustainability is essential to the Group's development. The Group believes in environmental protection and cares for community make positive contributions to society. We also nurture its staff to participate relevant professional courses for their career development to ensure its business continuity. During the year under review, the Group was committed to a high standard of corporate social responsibility. The subject areas for reporting were: 1. Workplace Quality, 2. Environmental Protection, 3. Operating Practices and 4. Community Involvement.

## 1. Workplace Quality

## Working conditions

The Group is now pursuing human resources reform by uplifting staff competitiveness. The Group recommends the combination of staff work enjoyment and work responsibility. It offers a fair and competitive remuneration in the form of basic salary, incentive pay (results bonus), mandatory and voluntary provident funds and other fringe benefits such as annual leave and sick leave, medical benefits and insurance to staff, and education and training sponsorship. The Group has also provided a safe and healthy working environment for all employees.

## **Equal Opportunity and Diversity**

The Group also implement equal opportunity employment practices, policies and frameworks for all employees for staff promotions.

## Training and Development

The Group has provided employees seeking to develop their skills and broaden their knowledge to attain seminars organized by professional parties, and the Group has set aside a budget for the employees to attend training and development courses. To attract, develop and retain qualified employees, the Group's committed to offer professional development opportunities for Directors and senior management to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills which includes seminars and workshops, updates on regulatory requirements and development and corporate governance practices.

#### 2. Environmental Protection

The Group advocates environmental protection. It is also committed to minimising the adverse impact that its operations may have on the environment. The Group encourages double-sided printing and promoting the use of recycled paper in office in order to save trees. The Group also convenes meeting for directors/ management stay overseas by means of telephone conference in order to minimize the carbon footprint from frequent overseas travel. The Group encourages reduction of light pollution by switching off unnecessary lights after the office is closed. In respect of energy efficiency, the Group has also introduced a green policy to enhance the awareness of environmental protection among staff with the aims of saving energy, fully utilizing resources and recycling wastes in daily office operation.

## 3. Operating Practices

The Group is committed to upholding high standards of business integrity, honesty and transparency in its business dealings and to respecting the rights and interest of suppliers, customers and employees. As far as the Group is aware, there are no concluded legal cases regarding corrupt practices brought to the Group or its employees during the year under review, and the Company has complied in material respects with the relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the business and operation of the Company. The Group also adheres to stringent anti-corruption policies and procurement practices.

#### 4. Community Involvement

Over the years, the group is dedicated to take up its corporate social responsibility for the communities where it serves. It strives to repay the society by intending to participate in community services, education, culture and sports activities and promoting environmental protection.

## PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The Company is an investment holding company and the principal activities of the Group are property rental and estate management.

An analysis of the Group's performance for the year by operating segment is set out in Note 6 to the financial statements.

## **BUSINESS REVIEW**

Details of the review of the Group's business for the year ended 31 December 2015 are set out in the Chairman's Statement under Business Review on page 5 to 7.

## **RESULTS AND APPROPRIATIONS**

The results of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2015 are set out in the consolidated income statement on page 34.

A summary of the results and of the assets and liabilities of the Group for the last five financial years is set out on page 88.

## **DIVIDEND**

The Board of the Company have resolved to declare a final special dividend for the year ended 31 December 2015 of HK\$0.15 per share (2014:HK\$0.02) to shareholders whose names appeared on the Register of Member of the Company on 8 June 2016. The proposed final special dividend will be paid on 5 July 2016 following approval at the 2016 Annual General Meeting.

## **SHARE AND DEBENTURES ISSUED AND RESERVES**

Details of the share capital of the Company are set out in note 24 to the financial statements.

No debentures were issued by the Company during the year.

Movements in the reserves of the Group and the Company during the year are set out in note 25 and note 34 to the financial statements respectively.

## **EQUITY-LINKED AGREEMENT**

No equity-linked agreements were entered into by the Company at any time during the year or subsisted at the end of the year.

## **DISTRIBUTABLE RESERVES**

Distributable reserves of the Company at 31 December 2015, calculated under Part 6 of the new Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622), amounted to HK\$558,534,000 (2014: HK\$79,094,000).

## PRINCIPAL PROPERTIES

Details of the major properties of the Group are set out on page 87.

## PROPERTIES, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Details of the movements in property, plant and equipment during the year are set out in notes 17 to the financial statements.

#### **DIRECTORS**

The Directors of the Company during the year:

Mr. DAI Xiaoming

Mr. Kenneth Hiu King KON\*

Mr. Jesse Nai Chau LEUNG\*\*

Dr. XIANG Bing\*\*

Mr. Edward SHEN\*\*

- \* Non-Executive Director
- \*\* Independent Non-Executive Directors

In accordance with Article 102 of the Articles of Association of the Company, Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung and Mr. Xiang Bing will retire by rotation and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

In addition, Mr. Dai Xiaoming, and the following persons are also directors of the Company's subsidiaries during the year:

Mr. Albert Man Yuen FUNG

Mr. GE Xiaoguo

Ms. Cynthia Si Ying CHEN

Mr. YE Jianqiang

For details of the persons being the directors of the Company's subsidiaries, please refer to the Company's website.

## **DIRECTORS' SERVICE CONTRACTS**

None of the Directors who are proposed for re-election at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting has a service contract with the Company which is not determinable by the Company within one year without payment of compensation other than normal statutory compensation.

## **BIOGRAPHICAL DETAILS OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT**

Brief biographical details of Directors and senior management are set out on pages 11 to 13.

# DIRECTORS' MATERIAL INTERESTS IN TRANSACTIONS, ARRANGEMENTS AND CONTRACTS THAT ARE SIGNIFICANT IN RELATION TO THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS

The Group received estate management fee from its associates, whereby the directors of the Company are regarded as key management of the Group, the details of which are disclosed in Note 12 and Note 31 of the consolidated financial statements.

Save as mentioned above, no other transactions, arrangement and contracts of significance in relation to the Group's subsidiaries, its fellow subsidiaries or its holding companies was a party, and in which any Director or controlling shareholder had a material interest, whether directly or indirectly subsisted at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

# DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES OF THE COMPANY AND ANY ASSOCIATES

As at 31 December 2015, the interests and short positions of each Director, Chief Executive and their respective associates in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO")) which require notification pursuant to Division 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions which any of them is taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO), or which are required to be entered into the register maintained by the Company under Section 352 of the Part XV of the SFO, or which are required to be notified to the Company and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Model Code"):-

## Aggregate long position in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company and its associated corporations

	Number of ordinary shares				
Name of Divertor	Personal	Family	Corporate	Other	Total
Name of Director	Interest	Interest	Interest	Interest	Interest
DAI Xiaoming (Note)	25,300,000		427,592,969	_	452,892,969

Note: Being the beneficial owner of shares representing 95% of the issued share capital of Dan Form International Limited ("DFIL"), the ultimate holding company of Fabulous Investments Limited ("Fabulous"), Mr. Dai Xiaoming ("Mr. Dai") is deemed to be interested in the 2,926,000 and 424,666,969 ordinary shares in the Company beneficially held by DFIL and Fabulous respectively.

Save as disclosed above, none of the Chief Executive, Directors or their respective associates had any interests or short positions, whether beneficial or non-beneficial, in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

## Aggregate short position in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company and its associated corporations

None of the Chief Executive, Directors or their respective associates had short positions in respect of shares, underlying shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations.

At no time during the year was the Company, its subsidiaries, its associates, its fellow subsidiaries or its holding companies a party to any arrangements to enable the Chief Executive or Directors of the Company to acquire benefits by means of acquisition of shares in, or debt securities (including debentures) of, the Company or any other body corporate and none of the Chief Executive, Directors or their spouses or children under the age of 18, had any right to subscribe for securities of the Company, or had exercised any such right during the year.

## SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN THE SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES OF THE COMPANY

## 1. Aggregate long position in the shares and underlying shares of the Company

As at 31 December 2015, so far as is known to the Chief Executive and Directors of the Company, the interests of the substantial shareholders, being 5% or more of the issued share capital of the Company, in the shares and underlying shares of the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 336 of the SFO were as follows:

			Percentage of the issued
		Number of	share
		ordinary	capital of
Name	Note	shares held	the Company
DAI Xiaoming	(1)	452,892,969	36.31
Harlesden Limited	(2)	427,592,969	34.28
DFIL	(2)	427,592,969	34.28
Value Plus Holdings Limited	(2)	424,666,969	34.05
Fathom Limited	(2)	424,666,969	34.05
Fabulous	(2)	424,666,969	34.05
Estate of Nina KUNG also known as Nina T.H. Wang	(3)	287,989,566	23.09
Greenwood International Limited	(3)	269,603,616	21.61
Talbot Investments Limited	(3)	18,385,950	1.48
JONG Yat Kit	(4)	287,989,566	23.09
CHAN Wai Tong Christopher	(4)	287,989,566	23.09
WONG Tak Wai	(4)	287,989,566	23.09
Sinotrans & CSC Holdings Co., Ltd.	(5)	69,441,668	5.57
Focus-Asia Holdings Limited	(5)	69,441,668	5.57

#### Notes:

- (1) Mr. Dai was beneficially interested in a total of 452,892,969 ordinary shares in the Company, including the interests held through various companies under his control (see note (2) below). These interests are the same as those disclosed under "Directors' and Chief Executive's interests and short positions in shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any associated corporation" above.
- (2) By virtue of SFO, Harlesden Limited, DFIL, Value Plus Holdings Limited and Fathom Limited, being holding companies of Fabulous, are deemed to be interested in the 424,666,969 ordinary shares in the Company beneficially held by Fabulous. Harlesden Limited, being the holding company of DFIL, is also deemed to be interested in the 2,926,000 ordinary shares in the Company beneficially held by DFIL. Mr. Dai has a controlling interest in each of the aforesaid companies.

- (3) The Estate of Nina KUNG also known as Nina T.H. Wang (the "Estate") is beneficially interested in a total of 287,989,566 ordinary shares of the Company, including 269,603,616 ordinary shares of the Company held by Greenwood International Limited ("Greenwood") and 18,385,950 ordinary shares of the Company held by Talbot Investments Limited ("Talbot"). All issued shares of Greenwood and Talbot are held, directly and indirectly, by the Estate.
- (4) Mr. JONG, Yat Kit, Mr. CHAN Wai Tong Christopher and Mr. WONG Tai Wai are joint and several administrators of the Estate. Hence, each of Mr. JONG, Yat Kit, Mr. CHAN Wai Tong Christopher and Mr. WONG Tai Wai is deemed to be interested in the ordinary shares of the Company beneficial owned by the Estate.
- (5) Focus-Asia Holdings Limited ("Focus-Asia") was beneficially interested in a total of 69,441,668 ordinary shares in the Company. Sinotrans & CSC Holdings Co., Ltd., being the holding company of Focus-Asia, is deemed to be interested in the 69,441,668 ordinary shares in the Company beneficially held by Focus-Asia.

## 2. Aggregate short position in the shares and underlying shares of the Company

As at 31 December 2015, the Company had not been notified of any short position being held by any substantial equity holders or other persons in the shares or underlying shares of the Company.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2015, the Company has not been notified of any interest or short position in the shares and underlying shares of the Company as recorded in the register of the Company required to be kept under Section 336 of the SFO.

## **MANAGEMENT CONTRACTS**

No contracts concerning the management and administration of the whole or any substantial part of the business of the Company were entered into or existed during the year.

## PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF THE COMPANY'S SHARES

The Company has not redeemed any of its shares during the year. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased or sold any of the Company's shares during the year.

Subsequent to the year ended 31 December 2015 and up to the date of this report, the Company repurchased a total of 4,874,000 of its shares in the market at an aggregated consideration of approximately HK\$6,419,560 (excluding expenses) and approximately HK\$6,538,000 (including expenses) and all the repurchased shares were cancelled, and the details of the repurchases are as follows:

	Total number of the ordinary share are	Price paid	per share	Aggregate consideration paid (excluding
Date of the repurchases	repurchased	Highest HK\$	Lowest	expenses) HK\$
5 February 2016	276,000	1.18	1.15	321,950
11 February 2016 12 February 2016	339,000 265,000	1.19 1.21	1.18 1.20	402,660 320,270
15 February 2016	146,000	1.23	1.20	179,470
16 February 2016	183,000	1.25	1.24	228,460
17 February 2016	160,000	1.27	1.27	203,200
18 February 2016	265,000	1.29	1.27	340,520
19 February 2016	81,000	1.31	1.31	106,110
22 February 2016	174,000	1.34	1.34	233,160
23 February 2016	817,000	1.36	1.36	1,111,120
24 February 2016	600,000	1.38	1.36	825,340
25 February 2016	662,000	1.41	1.40	933,200
26 February 2016	906,000	1.43	1.40	1,286,100
Total:	4,874,000			6,491,560

The repurchases were made for the benefit of the shareholders as a whole with a view to enhancing the earning per share of the Company.

## **MAJOR CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS**

The turnover attributable to the largest and the five largest customers accounted for 19% and 72% respectively of the total turnover of the Group for the year.

Purchases attributable to the largest and the five largest suppliers accounted for 78% and 98% respectively of the total purchases of the Group for the year.

None of the Directors, their associates or those shareholders who, to the knowledge of the Directors, own more than 5% of the Company's share capital, had interest in any of the five largest customers or suppliers.

## SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

Based on information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of the Directors, as at the date of this report, the Company has maintained sufficient public float as required under the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange.

## PERMITTED INDEMNITY PROVISIONS

According to the articles of association of the Company and subject to the provisions of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, every director shall be entitled to be indemnified out of the assets of the Company against all losses or liabilities to the fullest extent permitted by the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance which he/she may sustain or incur in or about the execution of the duties of his/her office or otherwise in relation thereto. In addition, the Company has maintained appropriate directors and officers liability insurance cover for the directors and officers of the Company and its subsidiaries.

## **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Audit Committee comprises three Independent Non-Executive Directors, Mr. Jesse Nai Chau Leung, Dr. Xiang Bing and Mr. Edward Shen. During the year, the Audit Committee has discussed financial reporting matters with management, including the review of the Group's financial reporting process, the adequacy and effectiveness of the system of internal control of the Group, and the interim and annual financial statements of the Group.

The annual results of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2015 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee.

#### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

The Company's corporate governance report are set out on pages 14 to 22 of this Annual Report.

## **AUDITOR**

The financial statements have been audited by PricewaterhouseCoopers who retire at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-appointment.

On behalf of the Board

#### **DAI XIAOMING**

Chairman

Hong Kong, 30 March 2016

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### TO THE MEMBERS OF DAN FORM HOLDINGS COMPANY LIMITED

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Dan Form Holdings Company Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries set out on pages 34 to 86, which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as at 31 December 2015, and the consolidated income statement, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, 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 information.

## DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

## **AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit and to report our opinion solely to you, as a body, in accordance with section 405 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance 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 about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view 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 consolidated financial statements.

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

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

## **OPINION**

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company and its subsidiaries as at 31 December 2015, and of their financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards and have been properly prepared in compliance with the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

## PricewaterhouseCoopers

Certified Public Accountants

Hong Kong, 30 March 2016

## CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

For the year ended 31 December 2015

	Note	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
		1110	1110000
Revenue	6	50,759	49,745
Other income	7	3,122	2,722
Other losses, net	8	(3,627)	(2,784)
Rent and rates		(479)	(470)
Building management fees		(5,778)	(5,808)
Staff costs, including Directors' remuneration	9	(20,974)	(18,776)
Depreciation and amortisation		(4,991)	(7,178)
Repairs and maintenance		(3,772)	(1,783)
Administrative expenses		(9,968)	(9,946)
Operating profit before change in fair value of investment properties		4,292	5,722
Change in fair value of investment properties	18	72,215	39,613
Operating profit	10	76,507	45,335
Share of profits of associates	13	132,062	209,300
Profit before income tax		208,569	254,635
	14	(12,851)	(7,432)
Income tax expenses	14	(12,651)	(7,432)
Profit for the year		195,718	247,203
Dividends	15		
Interim paid	13		
Final special proposed		187,095	24,946
Titul special proposed		107,033	
		187,095	24,946
Earnings per share		HK cents	HK cents
Basic and diluted	16	15.69	19.82
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The notes on pages 39 to 86 are integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 December 2015

Note	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Profit for the year	195,718	247,203
Other comprehensive income:		
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss		
Surplus on revaluation of a building 17	4,439	_
Available-for-sale financial assets:		
Fair value gain arising during the year	2,423	6,346
Exchange differences	(992)	(555)
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	5,870	5,791
Total comprehensive income for the year	201,588	252,994

The notes on pages 39 to 86 are integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# **CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET**

As at 31 December 2015

Not	31 Decemb te 20' HK\$'00	2014
ASSETS Non-surrent assets		
Non-current assetsProperty, plant and equipment17Investment properties18Land use rights19Associates20Available-for-sale financial assets21	1,033,09 24,62 3,193,79	910,375 29 25,646 3,558,411
	4,383,84	4,674,074
Current assets  Debtors, prepayments, deposits and other receivables  Amounts due from associates Income tax recoverable  Cash and bank balances  23	130,81	150,915 28 485 90 368,887
Total assets	5,398,6	5,204,157
EQUITY Share capital 24 Reserves 25	4,537,7	681,899 69 4,361,117
Total equity	5,219,6	5,043,016
LIABILITIES Non-current liabilities Deferred income tax liabilities 26	5 134,99	123,868
Current liabilities  Creditors and accruals 27  Amounts due to associates 10  Income tax payable		
	43,96	<b>37</b> ,273
Total liabilities	178,96	161,141
Total equity and liabilities	5,398,6	5,204,157

The notes on pages 39 to 86 are integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

The consolidated financial statements on pages 34 to 86 were approved by the Board of Directors on 30 March 2016 and were signed on its behalf.

**Dai Xiaoming** 

Kenneth Hiu King Kon

Director



# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the yeareEnded 31 December 2015

			Special			
	Share	Share	capital	Other	Retained	Tatal
	capital HK\$'000	premium HK\$'000	reserve HK\$'000	reserves HK\$'000	profits HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
At 1 January 2014	623,649	58,250	663	20,621	4,086,839	4,790,022
Profit for the year	_	_	_	_	247,203	247,203
Change in fair value of available-for- sale financial assets	_	_	_	6,346	_	6,346
Currency translation differences				(555)		(555)
Other comprehensive income for the period				5,791		5,791
Total comprehensive income for the year				5,791	247,203	252,994
Transition to no-par value regime on 3 March 2014 (Note 24) Transfer from special capital reserve	58,250	(58,250)	_	_	_	_
to retained profits (Note 25(a))			(30)		30	
At 31 December 2014	681,899	_	633	26,412	4,334,072	5,043,016
Profit for the year	_	_	_	_	195,718	195,718
Surplus on revaluation of building Change in fair value of available-for-	_	_	_	4,439	_	4,439
sale financial assets	_	_	_	2,423	_	2,423
Currency translation differences	_	_	_	(992)	_	(992)
Other comprehensive income for the period				5,870		5,870
Total comprehensive income						
for the year	_	_	_	5,870	195,718	201,588
Final dividend paid relating to 2014	_	_	_	_	(24,946)	(24,946)
Transfer from special capital reserve to retained profits (Note 25(a))			(633)		633	
At 31 December 2015	681,899			32,282	4,505,477	5,219,658

The notes on pages 39 to 86 are integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

For the year ended 31 December 2015

	Note	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	28	10,799	13,154
Hong Kong profits tax paid		(2,389)	(3,461)
Net cash generated from operating activities		8,410	9,693
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(991)	(126)
Interest received		3,016	2,665
Decrease in amounts due from associates		20,100	26,229
Increase in amounts due to associates		5,486	5,976
(Increase) /decrease in non-pledged time deposits with			
original maturity of over three months		(21,215)	108
Dividends received from available-for-sale financial assets		1,350	1,200
Dividends received from associates		496,679	
Net cash generated from investing activities		504,425	36,052
Cash flow from an financing activity			
Dividend paid	15	(24,946)	
Net cash used in an financing activity		(24,946)	
Increase in cash and cash equivalents		487,889	45,745
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year		330,073	286,984
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes		(2,801)	(2,656)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year	23	815,161	330,073

The notes on pages 39 to 86 are integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

#### 1 GENERAL INFORMATION

Dan Form Holdings Company Limited (the "Company") is a limited liability company incorporated in Hong Kong and is listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited. The address of its registered office is 33/F., Tower A, Billion Centre, 1 Wang Kwong Road, Kowloon Bay, Hong Kong.

The principal activities of the Company and its subsidiaries (together the "Group") are property investment, property rental and estate management.

These consolidated financial statements have been approved for issue by the Board of Directors on 30 March 2016

These consolidated financial statements are presented in HK dollars, unless otherwise stated.

#### **2 BASIS OF PREPARATION**

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") (which include all Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, Hong Kong Accounting Standards ("HKASs") and Interpretations) issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of investment properties and available-for-sale financial assets, which are carried at fair value.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with HKFRSs requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the accounting policies of the Group. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the consolidated financial statements are disclosed in Note 5.

The accounting policies and methods of computation used in the preparation of the financial statements are consistent with those used in the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2014, except as stated otherwise.

#### 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (Continued)

#### Changes in accounting policies and disclosures

#### (a) Amended standards

The following amendments to existing standards are mandatory for the first time for the financial year beginning 1 January 2015:

HKAS 19 (2011) (Amendment)

HKFRSs (Amendment)

HKFRSs (Amendment)

Defined benefit plans: Employee contributions

Annual improvements to HKFRSs 2010–2012 cycle

Annual improvements to HKFRSs 2011–2013 cycle

The adoption of these amendments to existing standards does not have significant impact on the Group's reported results and financial position nor any substantial changes in the Group's accounting policies or presentation of the financial statements.

#### (b) New and amended standards not yet adopted by the Group

The following standards and amendments to existing standards have been issued, but are not effective for the financial year beginning 1 January 2015 and have not been early adopted:

Effective for

		accounting periods beginning on or after
HKFRSs (Amendment)	Annual improvements 2012 - 2014 cycle	1 January 2016
HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28	Sale or contribution of assets between an	
(Amendment)	investor and its associate or joint venture	1 January 2016
HKFRS 10, HKFRS 12 ar	nd Investment entities: Applying the	
HKAS 28 (Amendmer	nt) consolidation exception	1 January 2016
HKFRS 11 (Amendment		
	joint operations	1 January 2016
HKAS 1	Disclosure initiative	1 January 2016
HKFRS 14	Regulatory deferral accounts	1 January 2016
HKAS 16 and HKAS 38		
(Amendment)	depreciation and amortisation	1 January 2016
HKAS 16 and HKAS 41	Agriculture: Bearer plants	
(Amendment)		1 January 2016
HKAS 27 (Amendment)		1 January 2016
HKFRS 15	Revenue from contracts with customers	1 January 2018
HKFRS 9	Financial instruments	1 January 2018

The Group is in the process of making an assessment of the impact of these new and revised HKFRSs upon initial application and is not yet in a position to state whether these new and revised HKFRSs will have any significant impact on the Group's result of operations and financial position.

#### (c) New Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622)

In addition, the requirements of Part 9 "Accounts and Audit" of the new Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) come into operation during the financial year, as a result, there are changes to presentation and disclosures of certain information in the consolidated financial statements.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements, which have been consistently applied to all the years presented, are set out below.

#### (a) Consolidation

A subsidiary is an entity (including a structured entity) over which the Group has control. The Group controls an entity when the Group is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Group. They are deconsolidated from the date that control ceases.

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries made up to 31 December and the share of post acquisition results and reserves of its associates attributable to the Group.

Results attributable to subsidiaries and associates acquired or disposed of during the financial period are included in the consolidated income statement from the date of acquisition or to the date of disposal, as applicable.

Inter-company transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between group companies are eliminated. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred. The financial information of subsidiaries has been adjusted where necessary in the consolidated financial statements to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group.

When the Group ceases to have control, any retained interest in the entity is re-measured to its fair value at the date when control is lost, with the change in carrying amount recognised in profit or loss. The fair value is the initial carrying amount for the purposes of subsequently accounting for the retained interest as an associate, joint venture or financial asset. In addition, any amounts previously recognised in other comprehensive income in respect of that entity are accounted for as if the group had directly disposed of the related assets or liabilities. This may mean that amounts previously recognised in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss.

### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (a) Consolidation (Continued)

**Business Combination** 

The Group applies the acquisition method to account for business combinations. The consideration transferred for the acquisition of a subsidiary is the aggregate fair values of the assets transferred, the liabilities incurred to the former owners of the acquiree and the equity interests issued by the Group. The consideration transferred includes the fair value of any asset or liability resulting from a contingent consideration arrangement. Identifiable assets acquired and liabilities and contingent liabilities assumed in a business combination are measured initially at their fair values at the acquisition date.

The Group recognises any non-controlling interest in the acquiree on an acquisition-by-acquisition basis. Non-controlling interests in the acquiree that are present ownership interests and entitle their holders to a proportionate share of the entity's net assets in the event of liquidation are measured at either fair value or the present ownership interests' proportionate share in the recognised amounts of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. All other components of non-controlling interests are measured at their acquisition date fair value, unless another measurement basis is required by HKFRSs.

Acquisition-related costs are expensed as incurred.

If the business combination is achieved in stages, the acquirer's previously held equity interest in the acquiree is re-measured to fair value at the acquisition date; any gains or losses arising from such remeasurement are recognised in profit or loss. Any contingent consideration to be transferred by the Group is recognised at fair value at the acquisition date. Subsequent changes to the fair value of the contingent consideration that is deemed to be an asset or liability is recognised in accordance with HKAS 39 either in profit or loss.

The excess of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree and the acquisition-date fair value of any previous equity interest in the acquiree over the fair value of the identifiable net assets acquired is recorded as goodwill. If the total of consideration transferred, non-controlling interest recognised and previously held interest measured is less than the fair value of the net assets of the subsidiary acquired in the case of a bargain purchase, the difference is recognised directly in the income statement.

#### (b) Separate financial statements

Investments in subsidiaries are accounted for at cost less impairment. Cost includes direct attributable costs of investment. The results of subsidiaries are accounted for by the Company on the basis of dividend received and receivable.

Impairment testing of the investments in subsidiaries is required upon receiving dividends from these investments if the dividend exceeds the total comprehensive income of the subsidiary in the period the dividend is declared or if the carrying amount of the investment in the separate financial statements exceeds the carrying amount in the consolidated financial statements of the investee's net assets including goodwill.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (c) Associates

An associate is a company, not being a subsidiary or a joint venture, in which an equity interest is held for the long-term and significant influence is exercised in its management, generally accompanying a shareholding of between 20 to 50% of the voting rights.

Investments in associates are accounted for under the equity method of accounting and are initially recognised at cost. The carrying amount is increased or decreased to recognise the investor's share of the profit or loss of the investee after the date of acquisition. The investments in associates of the Group include goodwill identified on acquisition, net of any accumulated impairment loss. The financial information of associates has been adjusted where necessary to ensure consistency with the accounting policies adopted by the Group.

If the ownership interest in an associate is reduced but significant influence is retained, only a proportionate share of the amounts previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified to profit or loss where appropriate.

The share of post-acquisition profits or losses of associates attributable to the Group is recognised in the consolidated income statement, and the share of post-acquisition reserves is recognised in equity. The cumulative post-acquisition reserves are adjusted against the carrying amount of the investment. When the share of losses of the Group in an associate equals or exceeds its interest in the associate, including any other unsecured receivable, the Group does not recognise further losses, unless it has incurred obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

The Group determines at each reporting date whether there is any objective evidence that the investment in the associate is impaired. If this is the case, the Group calculates the amount of impairment as the difference between the recoverable amount of the associate and its carrying value and recognises the amount adjacent to 'share of profits of associates' in the income statement.

Unrealised gains on transactions between the Group and its associates are eliminated to the extent of the interest in the associates held by the Group. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred.

### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (d) Goodwill

Goodwill arises on the acquisition of subsidiaries represents the excess of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree and the acquisition-date fair value of any previous equity interest in the acquiree over the fair value of the identified net assets acquired.

Goodwill on acquisitions of subsidiaries is recognised separately as an intangible asset. Goodwill on acquisitions of associates is included in investments in associates and is tested for impairment as part of the overall balance. Separately recognised goodwill on acquisitions of subsidiaries is tested for impairment and carried at cost less accumulated impairment losses.

Goodwill is allocated to cash-generating units for the purpose of impairment testing. The allocation is made to those cash-generating units or groups of cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the business combination in which the goodwill arose identified according to operating segment.

Goodwill impairment reviews are undertaken annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate a potential impairment. The carrying value of goodwill is compared to the recoverable amount, which is the higher of value in use and the fair value less costs to sell. Any impairment is recognised immediately as an expense and is not subsequently reversed.

#### (e) Foreign currency translation

Items included in the financial statements of each of the entities in the Group are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (the "functional currency"). These financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars, which is the Company's functional and the Group's presentation currency.

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date are recognised in the income statement.

Foreign exchange gains and losses are presented in the income statement within 'other gains'.

Translation differences on non-monetary financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss are reported as part of the fair value gain or loss. Translation differences on non-monetary available-for-sale financial assets are included in other comprehensive income.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (e) Foreign currency translation (Continued)

The results and financial positions of all the entities in the Group that have a functional currency different from the presentation currency are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- (a) assets and liabilities for each balance sheet are translated at the closing rates at the date of that balance sheet;
- (b) income and expenses for each income statement are translated at average exchange rates; and
- (c) all resulting exchange differences are recognised in other comprehensive income.

Goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on the acquisition of a foreign entity are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign entity and translated at the closing rates at the balance sheet date.

#### (f) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the assets. Subsequent costs are included in the carrying amount of an asset or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the asset will flow to the Group and the cost of the asset can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance costs are expensed in the income statement during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Leasehold land classified as finance lease commences amortisation from the time when the land interest becomes available for its intended use. Amortisation on leasehold land classified as finance lease and depreciation on other assets is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate their cost to their residual values over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

Leasehold land Remaining lease term

Buildings 30 to 50 years

Office equipment 5 years
Furniture and fixtures 5 years
Motor vehicles 4 to 5 years

The residual values and useful lives of the assets are reviewed and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date. Where the carrying amount of an asset is greater than its recoverable amount, it is written down immediately to its estimated recoverable amount.

Gain or loss on disposal is determined as the difference between the net sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the relevant asset, and is recognised as other gains/(losses), net in the income statement.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (g) Investment properties

Property that is held for long-term rental yields or for capital appreciation or both, and that is not occupied by the Group, is classified as investment property. Investment property comprises land held under operating leases and buildings held under finance leases. Land held under operating leases is classified and accounted for as investment property when the rest of the definition of investment property is met. The operating lease is then accounted for as if it were a finance lease.

Investment property is measured initially at its cost, including related transaction costs and borrowing costs. Borrowing costs incurred for the purpose of acquiring or constructing a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of its cost. Borrowing costs are capitalised while acquisition or construction is actively underway and cease once the asset is substantially complete, or suspended if the development of the asset is suspended.

After initial recognition, investment property is carried at fair value. Fair value is based on valuations carried out by external valuers. Investment property that is being redeveloped for continuing use as investment property, or for which the market has become less active, continues to be measured at fair value. Where fair value of investment property under construction is not reliably determinable, such investment property under construction is measured at cost until either its fair value becomes reliably determinable or construction is completed (whichever is earlier).

Changes in fair values are recognised in the income statement. The fair value of investment property reflects, among other things, rentals from current leases and assumptions about rentals from future leases in light of current market conditions. The fair value also reflects, on a similar basis, any cash outflows that could be expected in respect of the property. Some of those outflows are recognised as a liability, including finance lease liabilities in respect of leasehold land, if any, classified as investment property; others, including contingent rent payments, are not recognised in the financial statements.

Subsequent expenditure is added to the carrying amount of the property only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the asset will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance costs are expensed in the income statement during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Investment properties are derecognised either when they have been disposed of or when the investment property is permanently withdrawn from use and no future economic benefit is expected from its disposal.

When an investment property undergoes a change in use, evidenced by commencement of development with a view to sale, the property is transferred to completed properties held for sale at its fair value at the date of change in use.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (g) Investment properties (Continued)

If an investment property becomes owner-occupied, it is reclassified as property, plant and equipment, and its fair value at the date of reclassification becomes its cost for accounting purposes.

If a self occupied property becomes an investment property because its use has changed, any difference between the carrying amount and its fair value at the date of transfer is recognised in equity as a revaluation reserve. Any resulting gain is recognised in the income statement to the extent that it reverses a previous impairment loss, with any remaining increase recognised as other comprehensive income. Any resulting decrease in the carrying amount of the property is initially charged in other comprehensive income against any previously recognised revaluation surplus, with any remaining decrease charged to income statement.

#### (h) Operating leases

Leases where a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are retained by the lessors are classified as operating leases. Rentals payable, net of incentives received from lessors, under operating leases are charged to the income statement on a straight line basis over the period of the leases. Where the Group is the lessor, assets leased by the Group under operating leases are included in non-currents assets are credited to the income statement on a straight-line basis over the lease terms.

Prepayments of land use rights represent non-refundable rental payments for the lease of land and are stated at cost less accumulated amortisation (note 3(f)) and impairment. Amortisation is calculated to write off the prepayments over the period of the lease on a straight-line basis. When there is impairment, the impairment is expensed in the income statement. The amortisation of land use rights is capitalised as part of the costs of the property when the land use rights is under development.

#### (i) Impairment of associates and other non-financial assets

Assets that have an indefinite useful life or are not yet available for use are not subject to amortisation, but are tested at least annually for impairment and are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable.

Assets that are subject to amortisation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset exceeds its recoverable amount, which is the higher of the fair value of an asset less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash-generating units). Assets other than goodwill that suffered an impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at each balance sheet date.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (j) Financial assets

The Group classifies its investments as loans and receivables, or available-for-sale financial assets. Management determines the classification of its investments at initial recognition according to the purpose for which the investments were acquired.

#### (i) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They are included in current assets, except for those with maturities greater than twelve months after the balance sheet date, which are classified as noncurrent assets. Loans and receivables are initially recognised at fair value and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### (ii) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories. They are included in the balance sheet under non-current assets unless management intends to dispose of the investment within twelve months of the balance sheet date. Available-for-sale financial assets are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs and subsequently carried at fair value.

Regular way purchases and sales of investments are recognised on trade-date, which is the date on which the Group commits to purchase or sell the asset. Investments are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the investments have expired or have been transferred and the Group has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

Unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of non-monetary available-for-sale financial assets are recognised in equity. When available-for-sale financial assets are sold or impaired, the accumulated fair value adjustments are included in the income statement as gains or losses from available-for-sale financial assets.

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current bid prices. If the market for a financial asset is not active (and for unlisted investments), the Group establishes fair value by using valuation techniques. These include the use of recent arm's length transactions, reference to other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis, and option pricing models refined to reflect the specific circumstances of the issuer.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (j) Financial assets (Continued)

The Group assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. In the case of available-for-sale financial assets, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the financial assets below its cost is considered as an indicator in determining whether the financial assets are impaired. If any such evidence exists for available-for-sale financial assets, the cumulative loss measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial assets previously recognised in the income statement is removed from equity and recognised in the income statement. Impairment losses recognised in the income statement on available-for-sale financial assets (equity instruments only) are not reversed through the income statement.

#### (k) Debtors

Debtors are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment, which is established when there is objective evidence that the Group will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of receivable. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default or delinquency in payments are considered indicators that the receivable is impaired. The amount of the provision is the difference between the carrying amount of the debtor and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the effective interest rate. The carrying amount of debtors is reduced through the use of an allowance account and the amount of the provision is recognised in the income statement within administrative expenses. When a debtor is uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account for debtors. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against administrative expenses in the income statement.

If collection of trade and other receivables is expected in one year or less (or in the normal operating cycle of the business if longer), they are classified as current assets. If not, they are presented as non-current assets.

#### (I) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash and bank balances and deposits with banks and financial institutions.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (m) Share capital

Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are recognised in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

Where any Group company purchases the Company's equity share capital (treasury shares), the consideration paid, including any directly attributable incremental costs (net of income taxes) is deducted from equity attributable to the Company's equity holders until the shares are cancelled or reissued. Where such shares are subsequently reissued, any consideration received, net of any directly attributable incremental transaction costs and the related income tax effects, is included in equity attributable to the Company's equity holders.

#### (n) Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Trade payables are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less (or in the normal operating cycle of the business if longer). If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities.

#### (o) Provisions

Provisions for environmental restoration, restructuring costs and legal claims are recognised when: the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events; it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation; and the amount has been reliably estimated. Restructuring provisions comprise lease termination penalties and employee termination payments. Provisions are not recognised for future operating losses.

Where there are a number of similar obligations, the likelihood that an outflow will be required in settlement is determined by considering the class of obligations as a whole. A provision is recognised even if the likelihood of an outflow with respect to any one item included in the same class of obligations may be small.

Provisions are measured at the present value of the expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation using a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the obligation. The increase in the provision due to passage of time is recognised as interest expense.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (p) Current and deferred income tax

The tax expense for the period comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the income statement, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. In this case the tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date in the countries where the company's subsidiaries and associates operate and generate taxable income. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulation is subject to interpretation. It establishes provisions where appropriate on the basis of amounts expected to be paid to the tax authorities.

Deferred income tax is recognised, using the liability method, on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the consolidated financial statements. However, the deferred income tax is not accounted for if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss. Deferred income tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date and are expected to apply when the related deferred income tax asset is realised or the deferred income tax liability is settled.

Deferred income tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

Deferred income tax liabilities are provided on taxable temporary differences arising from investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint arrangements, except for deferred income tax liability where the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference is controlled by the Group and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Generally the Group is unable to control the reversal of the temporary difference for associates. Only when there is an agreement in place that gives the Group the ability to control the reversal of the temporary difference in the foreseeable future, deferred tax liability in relation to taxable temporary differences arising from the associate's undistributed profits is not recognised.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when the deferred income taxes assets and liabilities relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either the taxable entity or different taxable entities where there is an intention to settle the balances on a net basis.

### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (q) Employee benefits

Contributions to publicly or privately administered defined contribution retirement or pension plans on a mandatory, contractual or voluntary basis are recognised as employee benefit expenses in the financial period when they are due. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that a cash refund or a reduction in the future payments is available.

Employee entitlements to annual leave and long service payments are recognised when they accrue to employees. A provision is made for the estimated liability for annual leave and long service payments as a result of services rendered by employees up to the balance sheet date. Employee entitlements to sick and maternity leave are not recognised until the time of leave.

Provision for bonus plans due are recognised when the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of services rendered by employees and a reliable estimate can be made.

#### (r) Contingent liabilities

A contingent liability is a possible obligation that arises from past events and whose existence will only be confirmed by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group. It can also be a present obligation arising from past events that is not recognised because it is not probable that outflow of economic resources will be required or the amount of obligation cannot be measured reliably.

A contingent liability is not recognised but is disclosed in the notes to the financial statements. When a change in the probability of an outflow occurs so that outflow is probable, it will then be recognised as a provision.

#### (s) Revenue recognition

Revenue comprises the fair value of the consideration for sales of goods and rendering of services in the normal course of business activities of the Group. Revenue is recognised when the amount can be reliably measured, it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the Group and specific criteria for each of the activities have been met. The amount of revenue is not considered to be reliably measurable until all contingencies relating to the activity have been resolved. Revenue is shown net of sales tax, returns, rebates and discounts, allowances for credit and other revenue reducing factors.

Rental income net of any incentives given to the lessees is recognised on a straight-line basis over the period of the leases. Revenue from the sale of completed properties is recognised when the relevant sales contracts are concluded and the risk and rewards of the property have been passed to the purchasers. Estate management income is recognised when services are provided. Interest income is recognised on a time proportion basis using the effective interest method, taking into account the principal amounts outstanding and the effective interest rates applicable. Dividend income is recognised when the right to receive payment is certain.

#### 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (t) Segment reporting

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker. The chief operating decision-maker, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified collectively as the executive Directors that make strategic decisions.

#### (u) Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the balance sheet when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the liability simultaneously. The legally enforceable right must not be contingent on future events and must be enforceable in the normal course of business and in the event of default, insolvency or bankrupt of the company or the counterparty.

#### (v) Dividend distribution

Dividend distribution to the shareholders of the Company is recognised as a liability in the financial statements in the financial period in which the dividends are declared by the Directors in the case of interim dividends or approved by the Company's shareholders in the case of final dividends.

#### 4 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The activities of the Group expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including price risk, foreign exchange risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. Management manages and monitors these exposures to ensure appropriate measures are implemented in a timely and effective manner.

Financial risk management is carried out by the finance department under policies approved by the Board of Directors. The Board provides principles for overall risk management, as well as policies covering specific areas, such as price risk, foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk and non-derivative financial instruments, and investing excess liquidity.

#### (a) Price risk

The Group is exposed to price risk arising from unlisted equity securities and club debentures which are classified as available-for-sale financial assets. The Group is not exposed to commodity price risk.

The carrying amount of available-for-sale financial assets of the Group would be an estimate of HK\$2,314,000 (2014: HK\$2,196,000) higher or lower if the year end prices of the above mentioned financial assets were to differ by 5% (2014: 5%).

#### 4 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

#### (b) Foreign exchange risk

The Group operates primarily in Hong Kong and has limited exposure to foreign exchange risk, mainly from certain properties and cash and bank balances denominated in Renminbi ("RMB"). The Group monitors foreign currency risk and considers entering into forward foreign exchange contracts to reduce exposure when necessary.

At 31 December 2015, if Hong Kong dollar had weakened or strengthened by 5% (2014: 5%) against RMB with all other variables held constant, profit before taxation for the year would have been higher or lower by approximately HK\$3,810,000 (2014: HK\$4,294,000), mainly as a result of foreign exchange gains or losses arising from translation of cash and bank balances.

#### (c) Interest rate risk

The Group has no fixed rate borrowings and is exposed to cash flow interest rate risk principally due to the fluctuation of the prevailing market interest rate on bank deposits.

If interest rates had increased or decreased by 1% (2014: 1%) with all other variables held constant, the profit before taxation for the year would increase or decrease by approximately HK\$7,840,000 (2014: HK\$3,139,000), mainly as a result of higher or lower interest income from bank deposits.

#### (d) Credit risk

The Group's credit risk is primarily attributable to trade and other debtors, bank deposits and amounts due from associates.

The Group has policies in place to ensure that properties are rented and property management services are provided to customers with appropriate credit histories. The Group reviews the recoverable amount of debtors on a regular basis and an allowance for doubtful debts is made where there is an identified loss.

With regard to credit exposure to customers for rental of properties, the Group also receives rental payments in advance with sufficient initial rental deposits to cover potential default in future rental payments. Amounts due from associates and an investee company are generally supported by the underlying assets and the Group monitors the credibility of associates and the investee company continuously.

At each balance sheet date, the Group reviews the recoverable amount of each debtor to ensure that adequate provision is made for irrecoverable amounts.

The credit risk on liquid funds is limited because 99% of the funds are placed in banks with high credit rankings, ranging from AA to A by reference to Standard and Poor and Moody's credit ratings. Management does not expect any losses from the non-performance of these banks.

#### 4 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

#### (e) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group is unable to meet its current obligations when they fall due.

The Group mainly relies on cash inflows from rental of properties and property management to fund its operations. The Group has sufficient cash on hand and also has alternative plans to monitor liquidity risk should there be significant adverse changes on the Group's cash flow projections.

Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash, the availability of funding through an adequate amount of credit facilities, and the ability to close out market positions. The Group aims to maintain flexibility in funding by keeping credit lines available, if necessary.

The Group does not have any borrowings and all creditors and accruals are due for settlement within one year.

#### (f) Capital risk management

The objectives of the Group when managing capital are to safeguard the ability of the Group to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders or issue new shares.

The Group does not have any borrowings as at 31 December 2015 and uses equity to finance its operations.

#### (g) Fair value estimation

The financial instruments that are measured in the balance sheet at fair value are required to disclose their valuation method. The different levels have been defined as follows:

- Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1).
- Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (that is, as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices) (level 2).
- Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservable inputs) (level 3).

The following represents the Group's financial assets that are measured at fair value at 31 December 2015. See Note 18 for disclosure of the investment properties that are measured at fair value.

#### 4 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

#### (g) Fair value estimation (Continued)

At 31 December 2015, the Group's assets measured at fair value are available-for-sale instruments, of which HK\$10,420,000 (2014: HK\$10,501,000) represents Level 2 instruments and HK\$35,863,000 (2014: HK\$33,424,000) represents Level 3 instruments. The fair value change in Level 3 instruments for the year ended 31 December 2015 was HK\$2,439,000 (2014: HK\$3,761,000).

There were no transfers between level 1, 2 and 3 during the year.

The fair values of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market (for example, over-the-counter derivatives) are determined by using valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise the use of observable market data where it is available and rely as little as possible on entity specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.

If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in level 3.

Specific valuation techniques used to value financial instruments include:

- Quoted market prices or dealer quotes for similar instruments.
- Other techniques, such as discounted cash flow analysis, are used to determine fair value for the remaining financial instruments.

#### 5 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

Estimates and judgements used in preparing the financial statements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events.

The Group makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant effect on the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities of the Group are discussed below.

#### 5 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS (Continued)

#### (i) Investment properties

The fair values of investment properties are determined by independent valuers on an open market for existing use basis. In making the judgement, the independent valuers consider information from a variety of sources including:

- current prices in an active market for properties of different nature, condition or location (or subject to different lease or other contracts), adjusted to reflect those differences;
- recent prices of similar properties in less active markets, with adjustments to reflect any changes in economic conditions since the date of the transactions that occurred at those prices; and
- discounted cash flow projections based on reliable estimates of future cash flows, derived from the terms of any existing lease and other contracts, and (where possible) from external evidence such as current market rents for similar properties in the same location and condition, and using discount rates that reflect current market assessments of the uncertainty in the amount and timing of the cash flows.

If information on current or recent prices of investment properties is not available, the fair values of investment properties are determined using discounted cash flow valuation techniques.

The principal assumptions underlying the estimation of fair value are those related to: the receipt of contractual rentals; expected future market rentals; maintenance requirements; and appropriate discount rates. These valuations are regularly compared to actual market yield data, and actual transactions by the Group and those reported by the market. These assumptions are mainly based on market conditions existing at each balance sheet date. The expected future market rentals are determined on the basis of current market rentals for similar properties in the same location and condition.

#### (ii) Available-for-sale financial assets

The fair value of each asset is reviewed at each accounting date and whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of the asset has been affected. The fair value also reflects the market conditions existing at each balance sheet date. For unlisted equity investments, the Group establishes fair value by using valuation techniques, including the use of arm's length transactions, reference to other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flows analysis, or the underlying net assets to reflect the specific circumstances.

The significant assumption adopted in the valuation of the unlisted securities was minority discount rate of 20% (2014: 20%).

#### 5 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS (Continued)

#### (iii) Trade and other receivables

Impairment of accounts receivable is established when there is objective evidence on the ultimate recoverability of the amount due according to the original terms. Estimates are made based on the assessments of the financial position of the debtors, probability of the debtor being bankrupt, default or delinquent. The provision takes into account the present value of the estimated future cash flows, discounted at the effective interest rate.

#### (iv) Taxation

The Group is subject to taxation in Hong Kong and Mainland China. Significant judgement is required in determining the provision for taxation for each entity in the Group. There are transactions and calculations for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain during the ordinary course of business. The Group recognises liabilities for potential tax exposures based on estimates of whether additional taxes will be due. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the amounts that were initially recorded, such differences will impact the taxation payable and deferred taxation in the financial period in which such determination is made.

#### **6 REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION**

Revenue is shown as follows:

Rental from investment properties
Estate management fees
Dividend from unlisted investments

2014
HK\$'000
36,815
11,730
1,200
49,745

The chief operating decision-maker has been identified as the executive Director of the Company. The executive Director regards the Group's business as a single operating segment, which is property rental and estate management and reviews financial information accordingly. Therefore, no segment analysis of the Group's revenue and contribution to operating profit is presented.

The total of non-current assets other than associates and available-for-sale financial assets located in Hong Kong is HK\$1,112,512,000 (2014: HK\$1,039,695,000), and the total of non-current assets located in Mainland China is HK\$31,257,000 (2014: HK\$32,043,000).

### **7 OTHER INCOME**

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Interest income	3,016	2,665
Others	106	57
	3,122	2,722

### 8 OTHER LOSSES, NET

	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Net exchange losses	(3,627)	(2,495)
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	_	(139)
Write off of available-for-sale financial assets		(150)
	(3,627)	(2,784)

## 9 STAFF COSTS (INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION)

	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Wages and salaries	19,327	17,696
Social security costs (Note 11)	1,036	523
Provision for long service payments	27	265
Retirement benefit costs - Defined contribution plans (Note 11)	584	292
	20,974	18,776

#### **10 OPERATING PROFIT**

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Operating profit is arrived at after charging:		
Direct operating expenses of investment properties that		
generate rental income	10,193	7,479
Direct operating expenses of investment properties that did		
not generate rental income	306	227
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	_	139
Auditor's remuneration		
Audit services	1,120	1,050
Non-audit services	248	86

#### 11 RETIREMENT BENEFIT AND SOCIAL SECURITY COSTS

The Group operates a defined contribution provident fund scheme (the "Scheme"), which is available to certain employees who joined the Group before 1 December 2000, and a mandatory provident fund scheme (the "Fund"), which is available to all employees in Hong Kong effective 1 December 2000. The assets of the Scheme and the Fund are held separately from those of the Group in independently administered funds. Contributions to the Scheme and the Fund by the Group and the employees are calculated as a percentage of the monthly salaries of the employees. Contributions to the Scheme are reduced by contributions forfeited by those employees who leave the Scheme prior to vesting fully in the contributions. During the year, no forfeited contributions in respect of the Scheme (2014: Nil) were utilised and there were no forfeited contributions available to reduce future contributions at 31 December 2015 (2014: Nil).

The Group also participates in the employee pension schemes of the municipal governments in Mainland China where the Group operates. The Group is required to make monthly defined contributions at rates calculated as a percentage of the monthly payroll. The respective municipal government will assume the retirement benefit obligations of the PRC existing and future retired employees in Mainland China of the Group.

The cost charged to the consolidated income statement (Note 9) represents contributions payable by the Group to the above schemes.

# 12 BENEFITS AND INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND FIVE HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS

The following disclosure in respect of benefits and interests of Directors are made pursuant to section 383 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) and the Companies (Disclosure of Information about Benefits of Directors) Regulation (Cap. 622G):

#### (a) Directors' emoluments

#### For the year ended 31 December 2015:

	Emoluments paid or receivable in respect of a person's services as a director and in connection with the management						
	of the affairs whether of the company or its subsidiary undertaking						
	Estimated Employer's money value contribution Discretionary Housing of other to a retirement						
Name	Fees HK\$'000	Salary HK\$'000	bonuses HK\$'000	allowance HK\$'000		benefit scheme HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
Mr. DAI Xiaoming (Note)	10	2,515	426	522	_	_	3,473
Mr. Kenneth Hiu King KON	200	_	_	_	_	_	200
Mr. Jesse Nai Chau LEUNG	240	_	_	_	_	_	240
Dr. XIANG Bing	230	_	_	_	_	_	230
Mr. Edward SHEN	240						240
	920	2,515	426	522			4,383

# 12 BENEFITS AND INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND FIVE HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS (Continued)

#### (a) Directors' emoluments (Continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2014 (Restated):

Certain of the comparative information of Directors' emoluments for the year ended 31 December 2014 previously disclosed in accordance with the predecessor Companies Ordinance have been restated in order to comply with the new scope and requirements by the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622).

Emoluments paid or receivable in respect of a person's services as a director and in connection with the management of the affairs whether of the company or its subsidiary undertaking

						Employer's	
					Estimated	contribution to	
					money value	a retirement	
			Discretionary	Housing	of other	benefit	
Name	Fees	Salary	bonuses	allowance	benefits	scheme	Total
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Mr. DAI Xiaoming (Note)	10	2,515	200	522	_	_	3,247
Mr. Kenneth Hiu King KON	200	_	_	_	_	_	200
Mr. Jesse Nai Chau LEUNG	240	_	_	_	_	_	240
Dr. XIANG Bing	230	_	_	_	_	_	230
Mr. Edward SHEN	240						240
	920	2,515	200	522			4,157

During the year ended 31 December 2015, no remunerations paid or receivable in respect of accepting office as Director (2014: Nil).

None of the Directors of the Company has waived the right to receive their emoluments during the year ended 31 December 2015 (2014: Nil). The Directors represent key management personnel of the Company having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Group.

Note: Mr DAI Xiaoming is also the Chief Executive of the Group.

# 12 BENEFITS AND INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND FIVE HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS (Continued)

#### (b) Directors' retirement benefits and termination benefits

None of the Directors received or will receive any retirement benefits or termination benefits during the year (2014: Nil).

# (c) Consideration provided to or receivable by third parties for making available Directors' services

During the year ended 31 December 2015, the Group did not pay consideration to any third parties for making available Directors' services (2014: Nil).

# (d) Information about loans, quasi-loans and other dealings in favour of Directors, controlled bodies corporate by and connected entities with such Directors

As at 31 December 2015, there is no loans, quasi-loans and other dealing arrangements in favour of Directors, controlled bodies corporate by and controlled entities with such Directors (2014: Nil).

#### (e) Directors' material interests in transactions, arrangements or contracts

Save as disclosed in Note 31 to the consolidated financial statements, no other significant transactions, arrangements and contracts to which the Company was a party and in which a Director of the Company had a material interest, whether directly or indirectly, subsisted at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

#### (f) Five highest paid individuals

The five individuals whose emoluments were the highest in the Group for the year include one (2014: one) Directors whose emoluments are reflected in Note (a) above. The emoluments for the remaining four (2014: four) highest paid individuals are as follows:

	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Salaries and allowances	3,222	3,034
Discretionary bonuses	393	190
Retirement benefit costs - Defined contribution plans	54	50
	3,669	3,274

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# 12 BENEFITS AND INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND FIVE HIGHEST PAID INDIVIDUALS (Continued)

#### (f) Five highest paid individuals (Continued)

The emoluments of these individuals fell within the following bands:

	Number of individuals	
Emolument bands	2015	2014
Nil to HK\$1,000,000	3	3
HK\$1,000,001 to HK\$1,500,000	1	1
	4	4

#### 13 SHARE OF PROFITS OF ASSOCIATE

Share of profit of associates include the following:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Change in fair value of investment properties (Note)	241,348	220,333
Taxation	(39,822)	(36,355)

#### Note

The investment properties of the associates were valued by DTZ Debenham Tie Leung Limited, independent professional qualified surveyors, to determine the fair value of the investment properties as at 31 December 2015 and 2014 based on current prices in an active market for the properties.

#### 14 INCOME TAX EXPENSES

Hong Kong profits tax has been provided at the rate of 16.5% (2014: 16.5%) on the estimated assessable profit for the year. Taxation on profits generated in Mainland China has been provided at the rate of taxation prevailing in Mainland China.

The amount of income tax charged to the consolidated income statement represents:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Current income tax		
Hong Kong	1,778	2,385
Overprovision in prior year	(56)	(40)
	1,722	2,345
Deferred income tax (Note 26)		
<ul> <li>Origination and reversal of temporary differences</li> </ul>	11,129	5,087
	12,851	7,432

The taxation on the profit before income tax differs from the theoretical amount that would arise using the profits tax rate of Hong Kong where the Group principally operates, as follows:

	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Profit before income tax	208,569	254,635
Adjusted for:		
Share of profits of associates	(132,062)	(209,300)
	76,507	45,335
Tax charge at the rate of 16.5% (2014: 16.5%)	12,624	7,480
Effect of different taxation rates	(407)	(338)
Over provision of taxation in prior year	(56)	(40)
Income not subject to taxation	(2,608)	(809)
Expenses not deductible for taxation purposes	2,618	1,750
Utilisation of previously unrecognised tax losses	(192)	(99)
Tax losses not recognised	513	197
Temporary differences not recognised	359	(709)
Income tax expenses	12,851	7,432

#### 15 DIVIDENDS

Interim dividend paid of HK\$Nil (2014: HK\$Nil) per ordinary share Proposed final special dividend of HK\$0.15 (2014: HK\$0.02) per ordinary share

2015	2014
HK\$'000	HK\$'000
_	_
187,095	24,946
187,095	24,946

The dividend paid in 2015 was HK\$24,946,000 (2014: HK\$ Nil).

A final special dividend in respect of the year ended 31 December 2015 of HK\$0.15 per share, amounting to a total final special dividend of HK\$187,095,000, is to be proposed at the annual general meeting of the Company. This final special dividend will be reflected as an appropriation of the retained profits for the year ending 31 December 2016.

Subsequent to the year ended 31 December 2015, and up to the date of this report, the Company repurchased a total of 4,874,000 of its shares in the market. Therefore, if no further repurchases of the Company shares being made before the ex-entitlement dividend date on 3 June 2016, the final special dividend payable, because of the repurchases of 4,874,000 shares of the Company, will be reduced by HK\$731,000 to HK\$186,364,000.

#### **16 EARNINGS PER SHARE**

The calculation of basic earnings per share for the year is based on the following:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Profit attributable to equity holders	195,718	247,203
Weighted average number of shares for calculating basic earning		
per share ('000)	1,247,299	1,247,299
Basic earnings per share (HK cents)	15.69	19.82

The calculation of basic earnings per share is based on the Group's profit attributable to equity holders of HK\$195,718,000 (2014: profit of HK\$247,203,000) and the weighted average number of 1,247,298,945 ordinary shares in issue during the year (2014: 1,247,298,945).

The diluted earnings per share equals the basic earnings per share since there were no dilutive potential shares in issue during both years.

## 17 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

#### **18 INVESTMENT PROPERTIES**

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
At beginning of the year	910,375	919,067
Transfer to property, plant and equipment (Note 17)	_	(47,442)
Transfer to land use rights (Note 19)	_	(848)
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (Note 17)	50,500	_
Changes in fair value	72,215	39,613
Currency translation differences	_	(15)
At end of the year	1,033,090	910,375

An independent valuation of the Group's investment properties was performed by the valuer, DTZ Debenham Tie Leung Limited, independent professional qualified surveyors, to determine the fair value of the investment property as at 31 December 2015 and 2014 based on current prices in an active market for the property.

At 31 December 2015, investment properties of the Group in Hong Kong with fair value of HK\$940,940,000 (2014: HK\$872,800,000), were pledged as securities for the banking facilities which expired in November 2010. The Group underwent a discussion with the bank for the renewal of banking facilities and the bank agreed to provide banking facilities if necessary. At 31 December 2014 and 2015, the Group did not have bank borrowings.

#### Fair value hierarchy

# Fair value measurements at 31 December 2015 using

Quoted		
prices in		
active	Significant	
markets for	other	Significant
identical	observable	unobservable
asset	inputs	inputs
(Level 1)	(Level 2)	(Level 3)
HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
_	985,740	_
	47,350	
	1,033,090	

#### Description

Recurring fair value measurements Investment properties:

- Commercial building Hong Kong
- Residential building Hong Kong

#### 18 INVESTMENT PROPERTIES (Continued)

#### Fair value hierarchy (Continued)

	Fair value measurements at 31 December 2014 using		
	Quoted		
	prices in		
	active		
	markets for	Significant	Significant
	identical	other	unobservable
	asset	observable	inputs
Description	(Level 1)	inputs (Level 2)	(Level 3)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Recurring fair value measurements			
Investment properties:			
<ul> <li>Commercial building - Hong Kong</li> </ul>	_	864,500	_
– Residential building - Hong Kong		45,875	
		910,375	

The Group's policy is to recognise transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as of the date of the event or change in circumstances that caused the transfer.

There were no transfers between Levels 1, 2 and 3 during the year.

#### Valuation processes of the Group

The Group's investment properties were valued at 31 December 2015 and 2014 by independent professionally qualified surveyors who hold a recognised relevant professional qualification and have recent experience in the locations and segments of the investment properties valued. For the investment properties, its current use equates to the highest and best use.

The Group's finance department includes a team that reviews the valuations performed by the independent surveyors for financial reporting purposes. This team reports directly to the financial controller (FC) and the audit committee (AC). Discussions of valuation processes and results are held between the FC, the valuation team and surveyors at least once every six months, in line with the Group's interim and annual reporting dates. As at 31 December 2015 and 2014, the fair values of the properties have been determined by DTZ Debenham Tie Leung Limited.

#### 18 INVESTMENT PROPERTIES (Continued)

#### Valuation processes of the Group (Continued)

At each financial year end the finance department:

- Verifies all major inputs to the independent valuation report;
- Assess property valuations movements when compared to the prior year valuation report; and
- Holds discussions with the independent surveyors.

#### Valuation technique

The valuation was determined by capitalising the net rental income with due allowance for outgoing and reversionary income potential or where appropriate by direct comparison approach by making reference to comparable sales transactions as available in the relevant market.

There were no changes to the valuation techniques during the year.

#### 19 LAND USE RIGHTS

	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
At beginning of the year	25,646	25,570
Transfer from investment properties (Note 18)	_	848
Amortisation	(476)	(476)
Currency translation difference	(541)	(296)
At the end of the year	24,629	25,646

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#### **20 ASSOCIATES**

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Share of net assets	3,193,795	3,558,411
Amounts due from associates	228,121	248,221
Less: provisions	(97,306)	(97,306)
	130,815	150,915
Amounts due to associates	16,986	11,500

The amounts due from/to associates are unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand. The carrying amounts of the amounts due from/to associates approximate their fair values.

The carrying amounts of the amounts due from/to associates are denominated in Hong Kong dollars.

Particulars of the principal associates as at 31 December 2015 are set out in Note 33(b).

Set out below is the associate of the Group as at 31 December 2015, which, in the opinion of the Directors, is material to the Group. This associate has share capital consisting solely of ordinary shares, which are held directly by the Group; the country of incorporation or registration is also its principal place of business.

Nature of investment in associate as at 31 December 2015 and 2014

Name of entity	Place of business/ country of incorporation	% of ownership interest	Nature of the relationship	Measurement method
Zeta Estates Limited ("Zeta Estates")	Hong Kong	33 1/3	Note 1	Equity

Note 1: Zeta Estates Limited is a property investment company, which invests in industrial and residential properties in Hong Kong.

There are no contingent liabilities relating to the Group's interest in the associates.

### 20 ASSOCIATES (Continued)

#### **Summarised financial information for associates**

Set out below are the summarised financial information for Zeta Estates Limited which are accounted for using the equity method.

#### **Summarised balance sheet**

#### **Zeta Estates**

	31 December 2015 HK\$'000	31 December 2014 HK\$'000
Current		
Cash and cash equivalents	121,320	655
Other current assets (excluding cash)	480,640	31,739
Total current assets	601,960	32,394
Financial liabilities (excluding trade payables)	(420,294)	(453,242)
Other current liabilities (including trade payables)	(487,916)	(41,979)
Total current liabilities	(908,210)	(495,221)
Non-current		
Assets	10,701,927	12,259,593
Liabilities	(1,706,725)	(1,892,166)
Total non-current assets	8,995,202	10,367,427
Net assets	8,688,952	9,904,600

### 20 ASSOCIATES (Continued)

#### Summarised financial information for associates (Continued)

#### Summarised statement of comprehensive income

	For the year ended 31 December	
	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Revenue	1,768,065	147,025
Cost of sales	(1,897,769)	_
Other income and gains	8,867	4,203
Change in fair value of investment properties	514,293	607,000
Administrative expenses	(75,503)	(78,195)
Operating profit	317,953	680,033
Income tax expenses	(45,720)	(112,039)
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year	272,233	567,994
Dividends received from associate	15,029	

The information above reflects the amounts presented in the financial statements of the associate (and not the Group's share of those amounts) adjusted for differences in accounting policies between the Group and the associate.

#### Reconciliation of summarised financial information

	Zeta Estates	
	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Opening net assets at the beginning of the year	9,904,600	9,336,606
Profit for the year	272,233	567,994
Dividend paid	(1,487,881)	
Closing net assets at the end of the year	8,688,952	9,904,600
Interest in associates (33 1/3%)	2,896,317	3,301,533
Carrying value	2,896,317	3,301,533

**Zeta Estates** 

### 21 AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
At 1 January	43,925	37,761
Net gains transfer to equity (Note 25)	2,423	6,346
Write off during the year	_	(150)
Currency translation differences	(65)	(32)
At 31 December	46,283	43,925
Available-for-sale financial assets are analysed as follows:		
	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Unlisted equity securities	35,863	33,424
Club debentures	10,420	10,501
	46,283	43,925

The carrying amounts of the available-for-sale financial assets are denominated in Hong Kong dollars.

### 22 DEBTORS, PREPAYMENTS, DEPOSITS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Trade debtors	876	2,895
Other debtors	4,750	5,346
Prepayments and deposits	2,512	1,555
	8,138	9,796

#### 22 DEBTORS, PREPAYMENTS, DEPOSITS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (Continued)

The carrying amounts of the debtors, prepayments, deposits and other receivables are denominated in the following currencies:

Hong Kong dollar
Renminbi
US dollar

2015	2014
HK\$'000	HK\$'000
8,013	9,645
118	144
7	7
8,138	9,796

Trade debtors of the Group represent rentals and estate management fees receivable and are receivable on presentation of invoices. At 31 December 2015, trade debtors of HK\$876,000 (2014: HK\$2,895,000) were past due but not considered impaired. These debtors relate to a number of independent customers for whom there is no recent history of default. The ageing of these trade debtors of the Group based on invoices date is as follows:

Within 30 days
31 to 60 days
61 to 90 days
Over 90 days

2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
876	2,697
_	195
_	_
	3
876	2,895

At 31 December 2015 and 2014, no trade debtors were individually determined to be impaired. There is no concentration of credit risk with respect to trade debtors, as the Group has a large number of customers.

Other debtors of the Group represent reimbursable expenses paid on behalf of customers and amounts receivable from investee company, which are held by the Group under available-for-sale financial assets, of HK\$3,601,000 (2014: HK\$3,936,000). The amounts receivable from investee companies are unsecured and have no fixed term of repayment. There is no history of default. At 31 December 2015 and 2014, no other debtor was individually determined to be impaired.

The Group does not hold any collateral as security, except that the Group holds rental deposits from tenants for leasing of properties.

The other classes within trade and other debtors do not contain impaired assets. The maximum exposure to credit risk represents the fair value of each class of receivable.

#### 23 CASH AND BANK BALANCES

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Non-pledged time deposits with original maturity of over three months	60,029	38,814
Cash and cash equivalents:		
Cash at bank and in hand	91,165	54,951
Short term bank deposits with original maturity within three months	723,996	275,122
Cash and cash equivalents for cash flow statements analysis	815,161	330,073
	875,190	368,887

The carrying amounts of cash and bank balances are denominated in the following currencies:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Hong Kong dollar	757,848	241,947
Renminbi ("RMB")	76,200	85,883
United States dollar	41,137	41,057
Others	5	_
	875,190	368,887

#### Note:

As at 31 December 2015, the Group had cash and bank balances denominated in RMB of approximately HK\$25,920,000 (2014: HK\$21,021,000) deposited with the banks in the PRC. RMB is not freely convertible into foreign currencies.

#### **24 SHARE CAPITAL**

	2015		2014	
	Number of shares	HK\$'000	Number of shares	HK\$'000
Issued and fully paid: At 1 January Transition to no-par value regime	1,247,298,945	681,899	1,247,298,945	623,649
on 3 March 2014 (Note a)				58,250
At 31 December	1,247,298,945	681,899	1,247,298,945	681,899

#### Note:

<sup>(</sup>a) In accordance with the transitional provisions set out in section 37 of Schedule 11 to Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622), on 3 March 2014, any amount standing to the credit of the share premium account has become part of the Company's share capital.

### **25 RESERVES**

	Share premium HK\$'000	•	Investment revaluation reserve HK\$'000	Property revaluation reserve HK\$'000	Exchange reserve HK\$'000	Retained profits HK\$'000	<b>Total</b> HK\$'000
At 1 January 2014	58,250	663	23,170	1,954	(4,503)	4,086,839	4,166,373
Profit for the year Other comprehensive income: Change in fair value of available-for-sale financial	_	_	_	_	_	247,203	247,203
assets (Note 21)	_	_	6,346	_	_	_	6,346
Currency translation differences	_	_	_	_	(555)	_	(555)
Total comprehensive income			6,346		(555)	247,203	252,994
Transition to no-par value regime on 3 March 2014 (Note 24) Transfer from special capital reserve	(58,250)	_	-	_	_	_	(58,250)
to retained profits (Note a)		(30)				30	
At 31 December 2014	_	633	29,516	1,954	(5,058)	4,334,072	4,361,117
Profit for the year Other comprehensive income: Change in fair value of available-for-sale financial	_	_	_	_	_	195,718	195,718
assets (Note 21)  Charge in fair value of property, plant and equipment transfer to	_	-	2,423	_	_	_	2,423
investment properties (Note 17)	_	_	_	4,439	_	_	4,439
Dividends relating to 2014	_	_	_	_	_	(24,946)	(24,946)
Currency translation differences	_		_	_	(992)	_	(992)
Total comprehensive income			2,423	4,439	(992)	170,772	176,642
Transfer from special capital reserve to retained profits (Note a)		(633)				633	
At 31 December 2015			31,939	6,393	(6,050)	4,505,477	4,537,759

#### 25 RESERVES (Continued)

#### Note:

(a) On 9 December 2011, an extraordinary general meeting was passed by the shareholders of the Company for approving the share premium reduction of the Company. The purpose of the share premium reduction is to reduce the credit standing to the share premium account of the Company to the extent of HK\$579,389,000 and to apply the credit arising from such reduction to eliminate the accumulated losses of the Company by the same amount. A sealed copy of the order made by the High Court on 3 February 2012 confirming the reduction of share premium account was submitted to the Registrar of Companies in Hong Kong and was duly registered on 8 February 2012.

Under the court order, the Company at the same time has to transfer sum of HK\$2,655,000 from retained profits to a special capital reserve account which shall not be treated as realised profits and be treated as an undistributable reserve, so long as the debt of or the claim of HK\$2,655,000 against the Company remains outstanding.

During the year ended 31 December 2012, part of the debt on the claim against the Company amounting to HK\$1,992,000 was settled, resulting a transfer from the special capital reserve of HK\$1,992,000 to retained profits which is available for distribution and the sum of HK\$663,000 is remained in the special reserve not available for distribution. There was no further debt settlement during the year ended 31 December 2013. During the year ended 31 December 2014, a further debt of HK\$30,000 was settled, resulting the sum of HK\$30,000 was transferred from the special capital reserve to retained profits, and therefore the sum of HK\$633,000 is remained in the special capital reserve not available for distribution. During the year ended 31 December 2015, the remaining debt of HK\$633,000 was settled, and the sum of HK\$633,000 was transferred from the special capital reserve as at 31 December 2015.

2015 2014

#### **26 DEFERRED INCOME TAX LIABILITIES**

The gross movements on the deferred income tax liabilities are as follows:

	2013	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	400.000	440.704
At beginning of the year	123,868	118,781
Charged to the income statement (Note 14)	11,129	5,087
At end of the year	134,997	123,868

All deferred income tax liabilities are expected to be settled after twelve months.

#### 26 DEFERRED INCOME TAX LIABILITIES (Continued)

The movements in deferred income tax liabilities during the year, without taking into consideration the offsetting of balances within the same tax jurisdiction, are as follows:

	Fair value	change of				
	investment properties		Others		Total	
	2015	<b>2015</b> 2014		<b>2015</b> 2014		2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
At beginning of the year	123,667	117,091	201	1,690	123,868	118,781
Charged to the income statement	11,129	6,576		(1,489)	11,129	5,087
At end of the year	134,796	123,667	201	201	134,997	123,868

Deferred income tax assets are recognised for tax loss carry-forwards to the extent that the realisation of the related tax benefit through future taxable profits is probable. On that basis, the Group did not recognise deferred tax assets of HK\$4,144,000 (2014: HK\$3,823,000) in respect of unused tax losses amounting to HK\$25,113,000 (2014: HK\$23,170,000) that can be carried forward against future taxable income. These unused tax losses have no expiry date.

#### **27 CREDITORS AND ACCRUALS**

	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Trade creditors	56	17
Other creditors and deposits	19,459	18,212
Accrued operating expenses	7,461	7,019
	26,976	25,248
The ageing of trade creditors of the Group is as follows:		
	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Within 30 days	56	17

### 27 CREDITORS AND ACCRUALS (Continued)

The carrying amounts of creditors and accruals are denominated in the following currencies:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Hong Kong dollar	26,806	25,119
Renminbi	170	129
	26,976	25,248

The carrying amounts of creditors and accruals approximate their fair values.

#### 28 NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Reconciliation of operating profit to net cash generated from operations

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Operating profit	76,507	45,335
Depreciation and amortisation	4,991	7,178
Net exchange losses	2,496	2,495
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	_	139
Write off of available-for-sale financial assets	_	150
Change in fair value of investment properties	(72,215)	(39,613)
Dividend income	(1,350)	(1,200)
Interest income	(3,016)	(2,665)
Operating profit before working capital changes	7,413	11,819
Decrease in debtors, prepayments, deposits and other receivables	1,658	1,253
Increase in creditors and accruals	1,728	82
Net cash generated from operations	10,799	13,154

In the statement of cash flows, proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment comprise:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Net book amount	_	139
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		(139)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		

### 29 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS BY CATEGORY

The carrying amounts of each of the categories of financial instruments as at the balance sheet date are as follows:

#### **Financial assets**

	2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Available-for-sale financial assets	46,283	43,925
Loans, deposits and Receivables		
Debtors and other receivables	6,713	8,241
Amounts due from associates	130,815	150,915
Cash and bank balances	875,190	368,887
	1,012,718	528,043
Total	1,059,001	571,968
Financial liabilities		
	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Financial liabilities at amortised cost		
Financial liabilities in accrued liabilities and other payables	25,958	25,248
Amounts due to associates	16,986	11,500
Total	42,944	36,748

#### **30 COMMITMENTS**

#### (a) Capital commitments

Capital expenditure contracted for at the end of the year but not yet incurred is as follows:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Investment properties - repairs and maintenance	_	3,474
Property, plant and equipment	680	
	680	3,474

#### (b) Operating lease rental receivable

The future minimum lease rental receipts under non-cancellable operating leases in respect of investment properties are receivable in the following periods:

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Within one year	21,786	30,204
Between one to five years	20,910	29,456
	42,696	59,660

#### 31 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Group received estate management fees income from its associates of HK\$6,866,000 (2014: HK\$6,886,000), which was determined at specified percentages of the gross operating revenues of the relevant companies.

On 21 August, 2015, the Company entered into a transaction with SRT (S&P) Architects Limited ("SRT") in which the Independent Non-Executive Director Mr. Edward Shen has owned more than 30% equity interest, whereby SRT has provided designing service to the subsidiaries of the Company at a fee HK\$100,000.

The Directors of the Company are regarded as key management of the Group and details of compensation paid to them are disclosed in Note 12 to the consolidated financial statements.

#### 32 ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The Directors regard Fabulous Investment Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands, as being the immediate holding company of the Company.

The Directors regard Harlesden Limited ("Harlesden"), a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands, as being the ultimate holding company of the Company. The Company is ultimately controlled by Mr. Dai Xiaoming, who is the sole shareholder of Harlesden.

### 33 PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES

### (a) Principal subsidiaries

			attributal	tage of ole equity		
Name	Place of Incorporation and kind of legal entity	Particular of issued share capital/ paid up capital	directly held by the Company	held by the Group	Principal activities and place of operation	
AsiaSec Finance Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	1,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 10,000	_	100	Financing, Hong Kong	
AsiaSec Property Management Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	300,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 300,000	_	100	Property management, Hong Kong	
Citigrand Investment Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	2 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 2	_	100	Property investment, Hong Kong	
Dan Form (China) Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	2 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 2	100	100	Investment holding, Hong Kong	
Dan Form (Hong Kong) Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	1,000,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 1,000,000	100	100	Investment holding, Hong Kong	
Dawna Range Company Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	2 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 20	-	100	Investment holding, Hong Kong	
Diamond Property Management Company Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	1,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 10,000	_	100	Property management, Hong Kong	
Harcape Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	10,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 10,000	_	100	Property investment, Hong Kong	
Keen Safe Investment Limited	Hong Kong, limited liability company	1,010,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 1,010,000	_	100	Investment holding, Hong Kong	

### 33 PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES (Continued)

### (a) Principal subsidiaries (Continued)

		Percentage of attributable equity			
Name	Place of Incorporation and kind of legal entity	Particular of issued share capital/ paid up capital	directly held by the Company	held by the Group	Principal activities and place of operation
Man Lee Offshore Limited	British Virgin Islands, limited liabilities company	1 Ordinary share/ US dollar 1	_	100	Property Investment, Mainland China
Oriental Dragon Investment Limited	British Virgin Islands, limited liabilities company	1 Ordinary share/ US dollar 1	-	100	Property investment, Mainland China
Smart Golf (International) Company Limited	Hong Kong, limited liabilities company	60,000,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 60,000,000	_	100	Investment holding, Hong Kong
Top Power Development Limited	Hong Kong, limited liabilities company	2 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 2	_	100	Property investment, Hong Kong
Winshine Properties Limited	British Virgin Islands, limited liabilities company	1 Ordinary share/ US dollar 1	_	100	Property investment, Mainland China
深圳隆連諮詢服務有限公司	Mainland China, limited liabilities company	US dollar 2,150,000 <sup>(2)</sup>	-	100	Business consultant, Mainland China

#### (b) Principal associates

			attributal	ole equity		
Name	Place of Incorporation and kind of legal entity	Particular of issued share capital/ paid up capital	directly held by the Company	held by the Group	Principal activities and place of operation	
Beijing Jing Yuan Property Development Company, Limited <sup>(1)</sup>	Mainland China, limited liabilities company	US dollar 61,220,000 <sup>(2)</sup>	_	29.4	Property development, Mainland China	
Ho Pok Investment Company Limited	Hong Kong, limited liabilities company	100 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 10,000	_	50	Investment holding, Hong Kong	
Kin Tong Land Investment Company Limited	Hong Kong, limited liabilities company	1,000,000 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 10,000,000	_	50	Property investment, Hong Kong	
Zeta Estates Limited	Hong Kong, limited liabilities company	9,900 Ordinary shares/ HK dollar 990,000	_	33.33	Property investment, Hong Kong	

Percentage of

Sino-foreign joint venture companies

Paid-up registered capital

### 34 BALANCE SHEET AND RESERVE MOVEMENT OF THE COMPANY

#### **BALANCE SHEET**

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

	2015	2014
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
ASSETS		
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	132	893
Subsidiaries	301,652	
Available-for-sale financial assets	8,870	8,920
	310,654	357,382
Current assets		
Debtors, prepayments, deposits and other receivables	933	511
Amount due from a subsidiary	140,000	
Income tax recoverable	393	471
Cash and bank balances	800,136	285,957
	941,462	426,939
Total assets	1,252,116	784,321
EQUITY		
Share capital	681,899	681,899
Reserves (Note a)	563,240	84,483
Total equity	1,245,139	766,382
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities		
Creditors and accruals	6,624	6,741
Amounts due to subsidiaries	353	11,198
Total liabilities	6,977	17,939
Total equity and liabilities	1,252,116	784,321

The balance sheet of the Company were approved by the Board of Directors on 30 March 2016 and were signed on its behalf.

Dai Xiaoming Director Kenneth Hiu King Kon

Director

### 34 BALANCE SHEET AND RESERVE MOVEMENT OF THE COMPANY (Continued)

#### **BALANCE SHEET (Continued)**

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015 (Continued)

Note (a) Reserve movement of the Company

	Share premium HK\$'000	Special capital reserve HK\$'000	Investment revaluation reserve HK\$'000	Retained profits HK\$'000	<b>Total</b> HK\$'000
At 1 January 2014	58,250	663	2,647	51,045	112,605
Profit for the year Change in fair value of available-for-sale	_	_	_	28,019	28,019
financial assets	_	_	2,109	_	2,109
Transition to no-par value regime on 3 March 2014 Transfer from special capital	(58,250)	_	_	_	(58,250)
reserve to retained profits		(30)		30	
At 31 December 2014	_	633	4,756	79,094	84,483
Profit for the year	_	_	_	503,753	503,753
Dividends relating to 2014	_	_	_	(24,946)	(24,946)
Change in fair value of available-for-sale financial assets	_	_	(50)	_	(50)
Transfer from special capital					
reserve to retained profits		(633)		633	
At 31 December 2015			4,706	558,534	563,240

#### 35 EVENT AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

Subsequent to the year ended 31 December 2015 and up to the date of this report, the Company repurchased a total of 4,874,000 of its shares in the market at an aggregated consideration of approximately HK\$6,538,000 (including expenses) and all the repurchased shares were cancelled.

# PARTICULARS OF MAJOR PROPERTIES

As at 31 December 2015

Location	Lot No.	Use	Total gross floor area (sq. ft.)	Car parking spaces	Percentage owned
Investment properties					
Hong Kong					
Harbour Crystal Centre (portion) 100 Granville Road, Tsimshatsui East, Kowloon	K.I.L. 10600	Commercial	138,663 8,881	_ _ 30	80 40 100
Harbour Industrial Centre (portion) Ap Lei Chau, Aberdeen,Hong Kong	A.I.L.116	Industrial/Godown	266,126	59	33.33
Oceanic Industrial Centre (portion)  Ap Lei Chau, Aberdeen, Hong Kong	A.I.L.116	Industrial/ Godown	741,706	74	33.33
Queen's Centre (portion) 58-64 Queen's Road East Wanchai, Hong Kong	I.L.2243R.P.	Commercial/Offices	27,457	_	50
Red Hill, Phase 1 (portion) Tai Tam, Hong Kong	R.B.L.1050	Residential	11,001	_	33.33
Red Hill, Phase 2 (portion) Tai Tam, Hong Kong	R.B.L.1050	Residential	95,818	_	33.33
Red Hill, Phase 3 (portion) Tai Tam, Hong Kong	R.B.L.1050	Residential	166,225	_	33.33
Red Hill, Phase 4 (portion) ai Tam, Hong Kong	R.B.L.1050	Residential	76,547	187	33.33
Wah Shun Industrial Centre (portion) 4 Cho Yuen Street Yau Tong, Kowloon	Y.T.I.L.29	Industrial	134,236	10	50

# SUMMARY OF THE GROUP'S FINANCIAL INFORMATION

	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Revenue	50,759	49,745	47,505	42,538	42,087
Operating profit	76,507	45,335	69,367	167,558	155,765
Share of profits of associates	132,062	209,300	175,672	781,123	386,810
Profit before income tax	208,569	254,635	245,039	948,681	542,575
Income tax expenses	(12,851)	(7,432)	(10,042)	(24,374)	(15,087)
Profit for the year	195,718	247,203	234,997	924,307	527,488
Attributable to:					
Equity holders	195,718	247,203	234,997	924,307	527,488
	HK cents				
Earnings per share	15.69	19.82	18.84	74.10	42.29
Total assets	5,398,618	5,204,157	4,940,649	4,702,112	3,774,086
Total liabilities	(178,960)	(161,141)	(150,627)	(136,877)	(127,514)
Net assets	5,219,658	5,043,016	4,790,022	4,565,235	3,646,572