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HERITAGE INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

漢基控股有限公司*

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 412)

ANNOUNCEMENT OF FINAL RESULTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

FINANCIAL RESULTS

The Board of Directors (the "Board") of Heritage International Holdings Limited (the "Company") announced that the consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the year ended 31 March 2010 together with the comparative figures for the corresponding year are as follows:

CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

Year ended 31 March 2010

	Notes	2010 HK\$'000	2009 HK\$'000
REVENUE	5	(79,098)	(20,459)
Other income and gains, net Gains/(losses) arising from changes in fair	5	6,903	1,228
value of investment properties, net Fair value gains/(losses) on investments at		79,210	(51,800)
fair value through profit or loss, net Fair value gain on a convertible note classified as financial liability at fair value through		55,468	(271,793)
profit or loss		11,595	_
Loss on disposal of subsidiaries, net		(28,489)	(8,055)
General and administrative expenses		(30,261)	(25,273)
Other expenses	6	(1,142)	(53,714)
Finance costs	7	(3,124)	(2,474)
Share of losses of associates		(16,294)	
LOSS BEFORE TAX	6	(5,232)	(432,340)
Income tax expense	8	(2,150)	
LOSS FOR THE YEAR ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY		(7,382)	(432,340)
LOSS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY	10		
Basic		HK\$(0.02)	HK\$(1.71)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Year ended 31 March 2010

	2010 HK\$'000	2009 HK\$'000
LOSS FOR THE YEAR	(7,382)	(432,340)
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME/(LOSS)		
Available-for-sale investment:		
Change in fair value	_	(170)
Release of reserve upon disposal of a subsidiary		(270)
	_	(440)
Release of asset revaluation reserve upon disposal of subsidiaries	-	(3,046)
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	41	12
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME/(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR, NET OF TAX	41	(3,474)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE LOSS FOR THE YEAR ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY	(7,341)	(435,814)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION 31 March 2010

	2010 HK\$'000	2009 HK\$'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS Property, plant and equipment Investment properties Interests in jointly-controlled entities	8,185 236,200 -	4,895 105,900 -
Interests in associates Available-for-sale investment Loans receivable Convertible bond – loan portion Rental deposit Deposits paid for purchase of items of	182,587 - - - -	4,080 3,302 2,556 279
property, plant and equipment Investments at fair value through profit or loss	122,130	2,242 15,000
Total non-current assets	549,102	138,254
CURRENT ASSETS Loans receivable Convertible bond – loan portion Convertible bond – option derivatives	2,106 -	402,188
Investments at fair value through profit or loss Prepayments, deposits and other receivables Due from an associate Tax recoverable	718,632 7,608 546	346,389 33,151 - 1,030
Cash and bank balances	10,583	29,473
Total current assets	739,475	812,231
CURRENT LIABILITIES Other payables and accruals Interest-bearing bank borrowings	18,357 3,563	4,401 2,168
Total current liabilities	21,920	6,569
NET CURRENT ASSETS	717,555	805,662
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES	1,266,657	943,916
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Convertible note Interest-bearing bank borrowings Deferred tax liabilities	80,712 68,424 4,202	41,459 52
Total non-current liabilities	153,338	41,511
Net assets	1,113,319	902,405
EQUITY Equity attributable to owners of the Company		
Issued capital Reserves	82,730 1,030,589	25,577 876,828
Total equity	1,113,319	902,405

NOTES:

1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

These 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 (the "HKICPA"), accounting principles generally accepted in Hong Kong and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. They have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for investment properties, convertible note classified as financial liability at fair value through profit or loss, derivative financial instruments and certain investments, which have been measured at fair value. These financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars ("HK\$") and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand except when otherwise indicated.

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group") for the year ended 31 March 2010. The results of subsidiaries are consolidated from the date of acquisition, being the date on which the Group obtains control, and continue to be consolidated until the date that such control ceases. All income, expenses and unrealised gains and losses resulting from intercompany transactions and intercompany balances within the Group are eliminated on consolidation in full.

The acquisition of subsidiaries has been accounted for using the purchase method of accounting. This method involves allocating the cost of the business combinations to the fair value of the identifiable assets acquired, and liabilities and contingent liabilities assumed at the date of acquisition. The cost of the acquisition is measured at the aggregate of the fair value of the assets given, equity instruments issued and liabilities incurred or assumed at the date of exchange, plus costs directly attributable to the acquisition.

2. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

The Group has adopted the following new and revised HKFRSs for the first time for the current year's financial statements.

HKFRS 2 Amendments	Amendments to HKFRS 2 Share-based Payment – Vesting Conditions and Cancellations
HKFRS 7 Amendments	Amendments to HKFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures – Improving Disclosures about Financial Instruments
HKFRS 8	Operating Segments
HKFRS 8 Amendment*	Amendment to HKFRS 8 Operating Segments – Disclosure of information about segment assets (early adopted)
HKAS 1 (Revised)	Presentation of Financial Statements
HKAS 18 Amendment*	Amendments to Appendix to HKAS 18 Revenue – Determining whether an entity is acting as a principal or as an agent
HKAS 23 (Revised)	Borrowing Costs
HKAS 32 and HKAS 1 Amendments	Amendments to HKAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation and HKAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements
	 Puttable Financial Instruments and Obligations Arising on Liquidation
HK(IFRIC)-Int 9 and	Amendments to HK(IFRIC)-Int 9 Reassessment of Embedded
HKAS 39 Amendments	Derivatives and HKAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement – Embedded Derivatives
HK(IFRIC)-Int 13	Customer Loyalty Programmes
HK(IFRIC)-Int 15	Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate
HK(IFRIC)-Int 16	Hedges of a Net Investment in a Foreign Operation
HK(IFRIC)-Int 18	Transfers of Assets from Customers (adopted from 1 July 2009)
Improvements to HKFRSs (October 2008)**	Amendments to a number of HKFRSs

- * Included in *Improvements to HKFRSs* 2009 (as issued in May 2009).
- ** The Group adopted all the *Improvements to HKFRSs* issued in October 2008 except for the amendments to HKFRS 5 *Non-current assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations Plan to sell the controlling interest in a subsidiary*, which is effective from annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2009.

Other than as further explained below regarding the impact of HKFRS 7 Amendments, HKFRS 8 and HKAS 1 (Revised), the adoption of these new and revised HKFRSs has had no significant financial effect on these financial statements and there have been no significant changes to the accounting policies applied in these financial statements.

2. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES (continued)

(a) Amendments to HKFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures – Improving Disclosures about Financial Instruments

The HKFRS 7 Amendments require additional disclosures about fair value measurement and liquidity risk. Fair value measurements related to items recorded at fair value are to be disclosed by sources of inputs using a three-level fair value hierarchy, by class, for all financial instruments recognised at fair value. In addition, a reconciliation between the beginning and ending balances is now required for level 3 fair value measurements, as well as significant transfers between levels in the fair value hierarchy. The amendments also clarify the requirements for liquidity risk disclosures with respect to derivative transactions and assets used for liquidity management.

(b) HKFRS 8 Operating Segments

HKFRS 8, which replaces HKAS 14 *Segment Reporting*, specifies how an entity should report information about its operating segments, based on information about the components of the entity that is available to the chief operating decision maker for the purposes of allocating resources to the segments and assessing their performance. The standard also requires the disclosure of information about the products and services provided by the segments, the geographical areas in which the Group operates, and revenue from the Group's major customers. The Group concluded that the operating segments determined in accordance with HKFRS 8 are the same as the business segments previously identified under HKAS 14. These revised disclosures, including the related revised comparative information, are shown in note 4.

The Group has early adopted in these financial statements the Amendment to HKFRS 8 issued in *Improvements to HKFRSs 2009* which clarifies that segment assets need only to be reported when those assets are included in measures that are used by the chief operating decision maker.

(c) HKAS 1 (Revised) Presentation of Financial Statements

HKAS 1 (Revised) introduces changes in the presentation and disclosures of financial statements. The revised standard separates owner and non-owner changes in equity. The statement of changes in equity includes only details of transactions with owners, with all non-owner changes in equity presented as a single line. In addition, this standard introduces the statement of comprehensive income, with all items of income and expense recognised in profit or loss, together with all other items of recognised income and expense recognised directly in equity, either in one single statement, or in two linked statements. The Group has elected to present two statements.

3. ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

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

HKFRS 1 (Revised)	First-time Adoption of Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ¹
HKFRS 1 Amendments	Amendments to HKFRS 1 First-time Adoption of Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards – Additional Exemptions for First-time Adopters ²
HKFRS 1 Amendment	Amendment to HKFRS 1 First-time Adoption of Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards – Limited Exemption from Comparative HKFRS 7 Disclosures for First-time Adopters ⁴
HKFRS 2 Amendments	Amendments to HKFRS 2 Share-based Payment – Group Cash-settled Share-based Payment Transactions ²
HKFRS 3 (Revised)	Business Combinations ¹
HKFRS 9	Financial Instruments ⁶
HKAS 24 (Revised)	Related Party Disclosures ⁵
HKAS 27 (Revised)	Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements ¹
HKAS 32 Amendment	Amendment to HKAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation - Classification of Rights Issues ³
HKAS 39 Amendment	Amendment to HKAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement – Eligible Hedged Items ¹
HK(IFRIC)-Int 14	Amendments to HK(IFRIC)-Int 14 Prepayments of a Minimum
Amendments	Funding Requirement ⁵
HK(IFRIC)-Int 17	Distributions of Non-cash Assets to Owners ¹
HK(IFRIC)-Int 19	Extinguishing Financial Liabilities with Equity Instruments ⁴
Amendments to	Amendments to HKFRS 5 Non-current Assets Held for Sale
HKFRS 5 included	and Discontinued Operations - Plan to sell the controlling
in Improvements to	interest in a subsidiary ¹
HKFRSs issued in	
October 2008	
HK Interpretation 4	Leases – Determination of the Length of Lease Term in respect
(Revised in December 2009)	of Hong Kong Land Leases ²

Apart from the above, the HKICPA has issued *Improvements to HKFRSs 2009* which sets out amendments to a number of HKFRSs primarily with a view to removing inconsistencies and clarifying wording. The amendments to HKFRS 2, HKAS 38, HK(IFRIC)-Int 9 and HK(IFRIC)-Int 16 are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2009 while the amendments to HKFRS 5, HKAS 1, HKAS 7, HKAS 17, HKAS 36 and HKAS 39 are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010 although there are separate transitional provisions for each standard or interpretation.

3. ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (continued)

In addition, the HKICPA has also issued *Improvements to HKFRSs 2010* which sets out a collection of amendments to HKFRSs. Unless otherwise specified, the amendments contained in *Improvements to HKFRSs 2010* are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2011, although the Group is permitted to adopt them earlier.

- Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2009
- Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010
- Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 February 2010
- Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2010
- Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2011
- ⁶ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2013

The Group is in the process of making an assessment of the impact of these new and revised HKFRSs upon initial application but is not yet in a position to state whether these new and revised HKFRSs would have a significant impact on its results of operations and financial position.

4. OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION

For management purposes, the Group is organised into business units based on their products and services and has four reportable operating segments as follows:

- (i) the property investment segment engages primarily in the investments in properties for rental income potential and/or appreciation in values;
- (ii) the investments in securities segment engages primarily in the purchase and sale of securities and the holding of equity and debt investments primarily for interest income, dividend income and capital appreciation;
- (iii) the money lending segment engages primarily in money lending operations in Hong Kong; and
- (iv) the investment holding segment engages primarily in investment holding for a continuing strategic or long term purpose, primarily for dividend income and capital appreciation.

There were no material intersegment sales and transfers during the year (2009: Nil).

Management monitors the results of its operating segments separately for the purpose of making decisions about resources allocation and performance assessment. Segment performance is evaluated based on reportable segment results, which is a measure of adjusted profit/(loss) before tax. The adjusted loss before tax is measured consistently with the Group's loss before tax except that interest income, certain gains and finance costs, and unallocated expenses are excluded from such measurement.

The Group's revenue is substantially derived from its external customers in Hong Kong and the Group's operating assets are substantially located in Hong Kong.

4. **OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)**

			Invest	ments						
	Property i	nvestment	in secu	ırities	Money	lending	Investmen	t holding	Consol	idated
	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Segment revenue:										
Revenue from external customers	1,821	2,605	(86,920)	(54,602)	6,001	31,538	-	-	(79,098)	(20,459)
Other income and gains, net	71	118	265	1,801	5,335	250	230	(608)	5,901	1,561
Total	1,892	2,723	(86,655)	(52,801)	11,336	31,788	230	(608)	(73,197)	(18,898)
Segment results	76,732	(60,973)	(33,587)	(325,005)	(37,607)	(21,706)	(3,226)	(11,000)	2,312	(418,684)
Reconciliation:										
Bank interest income									1	53
Loss on disposal of items of property,										
plant and equipment, net									(399)	(386)
Interest income from an associate									1,001	_
Gain on disposal of subsidiaries										
- unallocated									-	4,330
Fair value gain on a convertible										
note classified as financial										
liability at fair value through										
profit or loss									11,595	-
Unallocated finance costs									(856)	-
Unallocated expenses									(18,886)	(17,653)
Loss before tax									(5,232)	(432,340)

4. **OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)**

	Property i	nvestment	Investi in secu		Money l	ending	Investmen	t holding	Consol	idated
	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Other segment information:										
Finance costs – allocated Finance costs – unallocated	(2,268)	(2,474)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,268)	(2,474)
									(3,124)	(2,474)
Depreciation – unallocated									(3,678)	(3,067)
Gain/(loss) on disposal of		(10.555)	(2.002)		(27, 10=)			270	(20, 400)	(10.205)
subsidiaries – allocated	-	(12,755)	(2,082)	-	(26,407)	-	-	370	(28,489)	(12,385)
Gain on disposal of subsidiaries – unallocated										4,330
									(28,489)	(8,055)
Loss on deemed disposal					(= 14)				(= 44)	
of associates	-	-	-	-	(743)	-	-	-	(743)	-
Share of losses of associates	-	-	-	-	(16,294)	-	-	-	(16,294)	-
Impairment of an available-for-sale								(2.000)		(2.000)
investment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,980)	-	(3,980)
Gains/(losses) arising from changes in fair value of										
investment properties, net	79,210	(51,800)	_	_	_	_	_	_	79,210	(51,800)
Fair value gains/(losses) on	77,210	(31,000)							17,210	(31,000)
investments at fair value										
through profit or loss, net	_	_	55,468	(271,793)	_	_	_	_	55,468	(271,793)
Impairment of loans receivable	_	_	´ -	_	_	(19,000)	_	_	´ -	(19,000)
Impairment of other receivables	_	_	_	_	_	(3,184)	_	_	_	(3,184)
Direct write-off of a loan receivable	-	-	-	-	-	(27,550)	-	-	-	(27,550)
Capital expenditure – allocated	51,090	135,000	_	_	_	_	_	_	51,090	135,000
Capital expenditure – unallocated	- 2,000	,000							7,385	1,863
									58,475	136,863

5. REVENUE, OTHER INCOME AND GAINS, NET

Revenue, which is also the Group's turnover, represents gross rental income received and receivable from investment properties; interest income earned from money lending operations; dividend and interest income from investments at fair value through profit or loss; and loss on sale of investments at fair value through profit or loss, net, during the year.

An analysis of revenue, other income and gains, net is as follows:

	Group		
	2010	2009	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Revenue			
Gross rental income from investment properties	1,821	2,605	
Interest income from money lending operations	6,001	31,538	
Dividend and interest income from investments at fair value			
through profit or loss	14,721	2,582	
Loss on sale of investments at fair value through			
profit or loss, net*	(101,641)	(57,184)	
	(79,098)	(20,459)	
Other income and gains, net			
Fair value losses on option derivatives, net	_	(1,626)	
Interest income on a convertible bond	56	926	
Bank interest income	1	53	
Management fee income from an associate	5,335	_	
Interest income from an associate	1,001	_	
Loss on disposal of items of property,			
plant and equipment	_	(386)	
Others	510	2,261	
	6,903	1,228	

^{*} Represents the proceeds from the sale of investments at fair value through profit or loss of HK\$861,486,000 (2009: HK\$161,852,000) less the cost of sales and the carrying amount of the investments sold of HK\$963,127,000 (2009: HK\$219,036,000).

6. LOSS BEFORE TAX

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

	2010 HK\$'000	2009 HK\$'000
	ΠΚΦ 000	ΠK\$ 000
Depreciation	3,678	3,067
Minimum lease payments under operating		
leases in respect of land and buildings	5,395	2,004
Auditors' remuneration	1,588	1,838
Employee benefit expense (excluding		
directors' remuneration):		
Salaries and allowances	1,925	2,335
Retirement benefit scheme contributions		
(defined contribution scheme)*	69	73
	1,994	2,408
Foreign exchange differences, net	64	(35)
Equity-settled share option expenses to		
investment advisors for investment		
advisory services	1,502	_
Loss on disposal of items of property, plant		
and equipment, net##	399	386
Loss on deemed disposal of associates**	743	_
Impairment of loans receivable***	_	19,000
Impairment of other receivables**	_	3,184
Direct write-off of a loan receivable**	_	27,550
Impairment of an available-for-sale investment**	_	3,980
Fair value losses on option derivatives, net	_	1,626
Direct operating expenses arising on rental-earning		
investment properties	921	1,180

^{*} At 31 March 2010, the Group had no material forfeited contributions available to reduce its contributions to the retirement benefit scheme in future years (2009: Nil).

^{**} These items are included in "Other expenses" on the face of the consolidated income statement.

Included in the amount is an impairment of a loan receivable of HK\$15,000,000 during the year ended 31 March 2009 which was subsequently written off as at 31 March 2009.

Loss on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment, net for the year is included in "Other expenses" on the face of the consolidated income statement. The amount in the prior year was included in "Other income and gains, net" on the face of the consolidated income statement.

7. FINANCE COSTS

	Group		
	2010	2009	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Interest on bank loans not wholly repayable			
within five years	2,268	2,474	
Interest on a loan from an associate	856		
	3,124	2,474	

8. INCOME TAX

No provision for Hong Kong profits tax has been made as the Group did not generate any assessable profits arising in Hong Kong during the year (2009: Nil).

	Group		
	2010		
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Deferred and total tax charge for the year	2,150	_	

9. DIVIDENDS

The directors do not recommend the payment of any dividends in respect of the year (2009: Nil).

10. LOSS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

(a) Basic loss per share

The calculation of the basic loss per share amount for the year is based on the loss for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company of HK\$7,382,000 (2009: HK\$432,340,000), and the weighted average number of ordinary shares of 444,706,720 (2009: 253,315,833) in issue during the year. The basic loss per share amount for the prior year has been adjusted to reflect the consolidation of shares during that year.

(b) Diluted loss per share

Diluted loss per share amounts for the years ended 31 March 2010 and 2009 have not been disclosed, as the warrants, options and convertible note classified as financial liability at fair value through profit or loss outstanding during these years had an anti-dilutive effect on the basic loss per share for these years.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The Group is an investment holding company with the following lines of business:

- (a) Real Estate Investment: with the gradual increase in property prices in Hong Kong, the Group's property portfolio has also appreciated in value. The gain arising from changes in fair value amounted to approximately HK\$79.2 million as at 31 March 2010. As at fiscal year end, the value of the Group's property investment stood at HK\$236.2 million.
- (b) Investment in Equity and Debt Securities: the equity market has been rather unstable last year and the Group's securities portfolio has suffered a loss on sale of investment at fair value through profit or loss of approximately HK\$101.6 million last year. However, there is a fair value gain on investment at fair value through profit or loss of approximately HK\$55.5 million for the year ended 31 March 2010 as the market improved in the second half of the year.
- (c) Money Lending Business: the Group has disposed of 50% of its money lending business for HK\$161 million in August 2009. The Group's associated company has contributed a loss of approximately HK\$16.3million for the fiscal year as a result of certain provisions against doubtful receivables and write offs. More cautious approach would be adopted in future lending in view of the current economy.
- (d) Investment in Lottery Related Business in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC"): the Group has a 20% interest in a company engaging in lottery related business in the PRC. The Company has obtained lottery selling rights for China Welfare Lottery Tickets in over 10 provinces in China. Since early part of 2010, the Company has also commenced selling Sports Lottery tickets in Shanghai. With the gaining popularity in single match betting game, business has been very good in this area of sale especially during the World Cup period. The Company is in discussion with certain institutional investors to increase its capital base to increase its presence in the lottery industry in China.

Prospect

As at fiscal year end, the Group's consolidated equity base stood at HK\$1,113 million and cash resources stood at HK\$10.5million. The Group is constantly looking for new business opportunities with a cautious approach in this unstable economy.

LIQUIDITY, FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND CAPITAL STRUCTURE

As at 31 March 2010, the Group's total assets and borrowings were HK\$1,288,577,000 and HK\$152,699,000 respectively. Borrowings represented convertible note issued and interest-bearing bank borrowings. A majority of the bank borrowings of the Group carried floating interest rates with reference to the Hong Kong dollar prime rate/HIBOR and were denominated in Hong Kong dollar, and thus, there is no exposure to fluctuations in exchange rate. The gearing ratio (total borrowings/total assets) was approximately 11.85%. As at 31 March 2010, investment properties amounted to HK\$234,000,000, were pledged to banks to secure certain loan facilities granted to the Group and investments in securities with carrying amount of HK\$669,012,000 were pledged to certain financial institutes to secure certain margin financing facilities provided to the Group.

EMPLOYEES, REMUNERATION POLICY AND RETIREMENT BENEFITS SCHEME

The Group selects and promotes staff based on their qualification, experience and suitability for the position offered. The Group's remuneration policy aims to retain and motivate staff. Performance of staff is appraised annually to provide a base for the review of the remuneration package. The Group operates a defined contribution Mandatory Provident Fund retirement benefits scheme under the Hong Kong Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance for all its employees.

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Company has major contingent liabilities relating to guarantees given to banks in connection with facilities granted to subsidiaries of approximately HK\$65,500,000 (2009: HK\$34,000,000).

CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBER

The register of members will be temporarily closed from 17 August 2010 to 20 August 2010, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be effected. In order to qualify for voting in the Annual General Meeting, all transfers accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch registrars, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited at Shops 1712-16, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong by not later than 4:00 p.m. on 16 August 2010.

PURCHASE, REDEMPTION OR SALE OF THE COMPANY'S LISTED SECURITIES

During the year, neither the Company nor any its subsidiaries had purchased, redeemed or sold any of the Company's listed securities.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The company has complied with the code provisions as set out in the Code on Corporate Governance Practices (the "Code") contained in Appendix 14 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") throughout the year ended 31 March 2010, except for the following deviations:

Code Provision A.2.1 stipulates that the roles of chairman and chief executive officer should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual. The division of responsibilities between the chairman and chief executive officer should be clearly established and set out in writing. Dr. Kwong Kai Sing, Benny, assumes the roles of both Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, and is in charge of the overall management of the Company. The Company considers that the combination of the roles of the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer can promote the efficient formulation and implementation of the Company's strategies which will enable the Group to grasp business opportunities efficiently and promptly. The Company considers that through the supervision of its Board and its independent non-executive directors, a balancing mechanism exists so that the interests of the shareholders are adequately and fairly represented.

Code provision A.4.1 stipulates that non-executive directors should be appointed for specific term, subject for re-election. None of the existing directors are appointed for specific term. However, all the directors shall be subject to retirement by rotation at the annual general meetings pursuant to the Company's Bye-laws (Code Provision A.4.2 stipulates that all directors appointed should be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years (the "Rotation Period Restriction")). As such, the Board considers that sufficient measures have been taken to ensure that the Company's corporate governance practices are no less exacting than those in the Code.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company has an audit committee which was established in accordance with the requirements of the Code for the purposes of reviewing and providing supervision over the Group's financial reporting processes and internal controls. The audit committee comprises the five independent non-executive directors of the Company. The Company's annual results for the year ended 31 March 2010 have been reviewed by the audit committee of the Company.

COMPLICATION WITH MODEL CODE FOR SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS BY DIRECTORS

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Model Code") as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules as the code for securities transactions by directors of the Company. Following specific enquiry by the Company, the directors have confirmed that they have complied with the required standard under the Model Code for the year ended 31 March 2010.

PUBLICATION OF ANNUAL RESULTS AND ANNUAL REPORT ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE'S WEBSITE

This results announcement is published on the Stock Exchange's website (http://www.hkex.com.hk) and the Company's website (http://www.heritage.com.hk). The annual report for the year ended 31 March 2010 will be dispatch to the shareholders and will be available on websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company in due course.

By order of the Board **Dr. Kwong Kai Sing, Benny**Chairman

Hong Kong, 15 July 2010

As at the date of this announcement, the Company has five executive directors, being Dr. Kwong Kai Sing, Benny, Mr. Wong Chun Hung, Mr. Ong Peter, Ms. Poon Chi Wan, and Mr. Chow Chi Wah, Vincent and five independent non-executive directors, being Mr. Chan Sze Hung, Mr. To Shing Chuen, Mr. Ha Kee Choy, Eugene, Mr. Chung Yuk Lun and Mr. Lo Wong Fung.

* For identification purposes only