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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 SUMMARISED INTERIM RESULTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2010

The Board of Directors (the "Board") of Heritage International Holdings Limited (the "Company") announces that the unaudited interim financial information of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the six months ended 30 September 2010 together with the comparative figures. This interim financial information has not been audited, but has been reviewed by the Company's audit committee.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

For the six months ended 30 September 2010

| Tor the six months ended 50 September 2010 | Note | For the si ended 30 S 2010 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$</i> '000 | |
|--|------|---|----------|
| REVENUE | 3 | (146,458) | 45,849 |
| Other income and gains, net | | 27 | 463 |
| Gains arising from changes in fair value of investment properties, net Fair value gains/(losses) on investments at | | 900 | 69,100 |
| fair value through profit or loss, net | | (49,589) | 74,978 |
| Gains/(losses) on disposal of subsidiaries, net | | 1,490 | (37,231) |
| General and administrative expenses | | (18,864) | (14,765) |
| Finance costs | 4 | (917) | (1,504) |
| Share of losses of jointly-controlled entities Share of gains of associates | | 1,989 | (10,537) |
| PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE TAX | 5 | (211,422) | 126,353 |
| Income tax | 6 | (149) | (11,508) |
| PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE PERIOD ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY | | (211,571) | 114,845 |
| EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY | 7 | | |
| Basic | | HK\$(0.17) | HK\$0.38 |

^{*} For identification only

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the six months ended 30 September 2010

| | For the six months ended 30 September | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | 2010 200 | | |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | |
| PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE PERIOD | (211,571) | 114,845 | |
| Other comprehensive loss for the period: | | | |
| Exchange differences on translation of | | | |
| financial statements of foreign operation | | (47) | |
| TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME/(LOSS) | | | |
| FOR THE PERIOD ATTRIBUTABLE TO | | | |
| OWNERS OF THE COMPANY | (211,571) | 114,798 | |

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

30 September 2010

| | Note | 30 September 2010 (Unaudited) HK\$'000 | 31 March 2010 (Audited) <i>HK</i> \$'000 |
|---|------|---|---|
| NON-CURRENT ASSETS Property, plant and equipment Investment properties Interests in jointly-controlled entities | | 7,205 237,100 | 8,185 236,200 |
| Interests in associates Investments at fair value through profit or loss | 9 | 184,576 | 182,587 122,130 |
| Total non-current assets | | 428,881 | 549,102 |
| CURRENT ASSETS Loans receivable Convertible bond – loan portion Investments at fair value through profit or loss Prepayments, deposits and other receivables Due from an associate Cash and bank balances | 9 | 10,500 2,106 600,025 19,958 - 84,289 | 2,106 718,632 7,608 546 10,583 |
| Total current assets | | 716,878 | 739,475 |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES Interest-bearing bank borrowings Other payables and accruals Due to an associate | | 3,926 5,070 7,454 | 3,563 18,357 |
| Total current liabilities | | 16,450 | 21,920 |
| NET CURRENT ASSETS | | 700,428 | 717,555 |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIE | S | 1,129,309 | 1,266,657 |
| NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Convertible note Interest-bearing bank borrowings Deferred tax liabilities | | 64,329 4,351 | 80,712 68,424 4,202 |
| Total non-current liabilities | | 68,680 | 153,338 |
| Net assets | | 1,060,629 | 1,113,319 |

| | | 30 September | 31 March |
|--|------|--------------|-----------|
| | Note | 2010 | 2010 |
| | | (Unaudited) | (Audited) |
| | | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| EQUITY | | | |
| Equity attributable to owners of the Company | | | |
| Issued capital | | 158,303 | 82,730 |
| Reserves | | 902,326 | 1,030,589 |
| Total equity | | 1,060,629 | 1,113,319 |

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the six months ended 30 September 2010

Attributable to owners of the Company

| | | At | ributable to own | ers of the Compa | any | | |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|---|--|--------------|---|
| | Share | Capital | Share | | Exchange | | |
| Issued | premium | redemption | option | Contributed | fluctuation | Accumulated | Total |
| capital | account | reserve | reserve | surplus | reserve | losses | equity |
| (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) |
| HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| 25,577 | 729,247 | 1,177 | - | 1,259,970 | 12 | (1,113,578) | 902,405 |
| | | | | | | | |
| - | - | - | - | - | (47) | 114,845 | 114,798 |
| 5,100 | 20,400 | - | - | - | - | - | 25,500 |
| - | 12 | - | - | - | - | - | 12 |
| | (688) | | | | | | (688) |
| 30,677 | 748,971 | 1,177 | _ | 1,259,970 | (35) | (998,733) | 1,042,027 |
| 82,730 | 890,349 | 1,177 | - | 1,259,970 | 53 | (1,120,960) | 1,113,319 |
| | | | | | | | |
| - | - | - | - | - | - | (211,571) | (211,571) |
| 58,201 | 62,184 | - | - | - | - | - | 120,385 |
| 17,372 | 18,028 | - | - | - | - | - | 35,400 |
| - | (2,600) | - | - | - | - | - | (2,600) |
| _ | _ | _ | 5,696 | _ | _ | _ | 5,696 |
| | | | | | | | |
| | 5,696 | | (5,696) | | | | |
| 158,303 | 973,657* | 1,177* | _* | 1,259,970* | 53* | (1,332,531)* | 1,060,629 |
| | capital (Unaudited) HK\$'000 25,577 | Issued capital account (Unaudited) HK\$'000 HK\$'000 25,577 729,247 | Share Capital redemption reserve (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) HK\$'000 H | Share Capital Share Issued premium redemption option reserve reserve reserve (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) HK\$'000 H | Share Capital Share capital account reserve reserve surplus (Unaudited) (Unaudit | Share | Issued capital account reserve reserve Issued capital account reserve reserve Issued capital account reserve reserve surplus reserve Issses Issued (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) (Unaudited) HK\$'000 HK\$'0 |

^{*} These reserve accounts comprise the consolidated reserves of HK\$902,326,000 (31 March 2010: HK\$1,030,589,000) in the interim consolidated statement of financial position.

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the six months ended 30 September 2010

| | For the si | For the six months | | |
|--|-------------|--------------------|--|--|
| | ended 30 S | September | | |
| | 2010 | 2009 | | |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | | |
| NET CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN): | | | | |
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES | (202,407) | 23,985 | | |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES | 126,659 | (65,405) | | |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES | 149,454 | 55,036 | | |
| NET INCREASE IN CASH AND | | | | |
| CASH EQUIVALENTS | 73,706 | 13,616 | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning | | | | |
| of period | 10,583 | 29,473 | | |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | | | | |
| AT END OF PERIOD | 84,289 | 43,089 | | |
| ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND | | | | |
| CASH EQUIVALENTS | | | | |
| Cash and bank balances | 84,289 | 43,089 | | |

NOTES TO UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL INFORMATION

1. CORPORATE INFORMATION, BASIS OF PREPARATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Corporate information

Heritage International Holdings Limited (the "Company") is a limited liability company incorporated in Bermuda. The principal place of business of the Company is located at 29th Floor, China United Centre, 28 Marble Road, North Point, Hong Kong.

During the period, the Group was primarily involved in property investment, securities investment, money lending and investment holding.

Basis of preparation

This unaudited interim financial information of the Company and its subsidiaries, which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September 2010, and the related consolidated income statement, consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for the six months then ended, and explanatory notes, has been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard ("HKAS") 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (the "HKICPA") and the applicable disclosure requirements of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange").

The unaudited interim financial information does not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2010.

Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of this unaudited interim financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2010, except for the adoption of the following new and revised Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") (which include all Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, HKASs and Interpretations) and amendments to HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA for the first time for the current period's unaudited interim financial information:

| HKFRS 1 (Revised) | First-time Adoption of Hong Kong Financial |
|--------------------|---|
| | Reporting Standards |
| HKFRS 1 Amendments | Amendments to HKFRS 1 First-time Adoption of |
| | Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards |
| | Additional Exemptions for First-time Adopters |
| HKFRS 2 Amendments | Amendments to HKFRS 2 Share-based Payment |
| | Group Cash-settled Share-based |
| | Payment Transactions |
| HKFRS 3 (Revised) | Business Combinations |
| HKAS 27 (Revised) | Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements |
| | |

HKAS 32 Amendment Amendment to HKAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation – Classification of Rights Issues HKAS 39 Amendment Amendment to HKAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement - Eligible Hedged Items HK(IFRIC)-Int 17 Distributions of Non-cash Assets to Owners Amendments to HKFRS 5 Amendments to HKFRS 5 Non-current Assets Held for Included in *Improvements* Sale and Discontinued Operations - Plan to Sell the to HKFRSs issued in Controlling Interest in a Subsidiary October 2008 HK Interpretation 4 (Revised Leases - Determination of the Length of Lease Term in in December 2009) respect of Hong Kong Land Leases

Apart from the above, the Group adopted all the *Improvements to HKFRSs 2009* issued in May 2009.

The adoption of these new and revised HKFRSs has had no significant financial effect on this unaudited interim financial information and there have been no significant changes applied in this financial information.

The Group has not early applied any new and revised HKFRSs, that have been issued but are not yet effective for the six months ended 30 September 2010, in this financial information. The Group is in the process of making an assessment of the impact of these new and revised HKFRSs 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.

2. OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION

For management purposes, the Group is organised into business units based on their products and services and has four 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 securities investment 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 in money lending operations in Hong Kong; and
- (iv) the investment holding segment engages primarily in investments 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 period (six months ended 30 September 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 profit/(loss) before tax is measured consistently with the Group's profit/(loss) before tax except that certain gains, losses 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.

Operating segments

The following table presents revenue and results information for the Group's operating segments for the six months ended 30 September 2010 and 2009.

| | inves For the s | perty tment ix months September | inves For the s | rities tment ix months September | For the s | lending six months September | For the s | nt holding six months September | To For the si ended 30 S | x months |
|---|--------------------|--|--------------------|---|-------------|------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| | 2010 | 2009 | 2010 | 2009 | 2010 | 2009 | 2010 | 2009 | 2010 | 2009 |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | | | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | ΠΑφ υυυ | ΠΑΦ 000 | ΠΑΦ ΟΟΟ | ΠΑΦ 000 | ΠΑΦ ΟΟΟ | ΠΑΦ 000 | ΠΑΦ ΟΟΟ | 11Κφ 000 | ΠΑΦ 000 | ΠΑΦ 000 |
| Segment revenue: Revenue from | | | | | | | | | | |
| external customers | s 462 | 1,387 | (146,959) | 38,478 | 39 | 5,984 | | | (146 459) | 15 910 |
| Other income and | 8 402 | 1,367 | (140,939) | 30,476 | 39 | 3,964 | - | - | (146,458) | 45,849 |
| | | | | 123 | _ | _ | 27 | 268 | 27 | 391 |
| gains, net | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 462 | 1 207 | (146,959) | 38,601 | 39 | 5,984 | 27 | 268 | (146 421) | 46 240 |
| Total | 402 | 1,387 | (140,959) | 36,001 | 39 | 3,964 | | 208 | (146,431) | 46,240 |
| Segment results | (2,422) | 60,049 | (187,438) | 111,345 | 2,027 | (39,696) | (73) | (9) | (187,906) | 131,689 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reconciliation: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gains on disposal of | | | | | | | | | | |
| subsidiaries | | | | | | | | | 1 400 | |
| - unallocated | | | | | | | | | 1,490 | - |
| Loss on disposal of | | | | | | | | | | |
| items of property, plant and equipment | | | | | | | | | | |
| – unallocated | | | | | | | | | | (404) |
| Loss on redemption of | | | | | | | | | _ | (404) |
| convertible note | | | | | | | | | | |
| - unallocated | | | | | | | | | (9,288) | _ |
| Unallocated expenses | | | | | | | | | (15,718) | (4,932) |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Profit/(loss) before tax | | | | | | | | | (211,422) | 126,353 |

3. REVENUE

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 gain/(loss) on sale of investments at fair value through profit or loss, net, during the period.

An analysis of revenue is as follows:

| | For the six months ended 30 September | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | | | |
| | 2010 | | |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | |
| Gross rental income from investment properties | 462 | 1,387 | |
| Interest income from money lending operations | 39 | 5,984 | |
| Dividend and interest income from investments | | | |
| at fair value through profit or loss | 12,507 | 14,523 | |
| Gain/(loss) on sale of investments at fair value | | | |
| through profit or loss, net* | (159,466) | 23,955 | |
| | (146,458) | 45,849 | |

^{*} Represents the proceeds from the sale of investments at fair value through profit or loss of HK\$359,925,000 (six months ended 30 September 2009: HK\$391,021,000) less the cost of sales and carrying amount of the investments sold of HK\$519,391,000 (six months ended 30 September 2009: HK\$367,066,000).

4. FINANCE COSTS

| | For the six months | | |
|--|--------------------|-------------|--|
| | ended 30 Se | eptember | |
| | 2010 2 | | |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | |
| Interest on: | | | |
| Bank loans not wholly repayable within five years | 917 | 1,027 | |
| Amount due to a jointly-controlled entity (note 10(a)) | | 477 | |
| Total finance costs for the period | 917 | 1,504 | |

5. PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE TAX

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

| | For the six months ended 30 September | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | 2010 | 2009 | |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | |
| Depreciation | 972 | 1,828 | |
| Loss on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment | _ | 404 | |
| Equity-settled share option expenses | 5,696 | | |

6. 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 period. Hong Kong profits tax in the prior period had been provided at the rate of 16.5% on the estimated assessable profits arising in Hong Kong during that period.

| | For the six months ended 30 September | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | | | |
| | 2010 | | |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | |
| Current – Hong Kong | | | |
| Charge for the period | _ | 106 | |
| Deferred | 149 | 11,402 | |
| Total tax charge for the period | 149 | 11,508 | |

7. EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

(a) Basic earnings/(loss) per share

The calculation of the basic earnings/(loss) per share amount for the period is based on (i) the loss for the period attributable to owners of the Company of HK\$211,571,000 (six months ended 30 September 2009: earnings of HK\$114,845,000) and (ii) the weighted average number of 1,248,789,000 (six months ended 30 September 2009: 299,243,190) ordinary shares in issue during the period.

(b) Diluted earnings/(loss) per share

No diluted earnings/(loss) per share amount for the six months ended 30 September 2010 and 2009 has been disclosed as the warrants, options and convertible note classified as financial liability at fair value through profit or loss outstanding during these periods had an anti-dilutive effect on the basic earnings/(loss) per share for these periods.

8. DIVIDEND

The board of directors of the Company does not recommend the payment of any interim dividend in respect of the period (six months ended 30 September 2009: Nil).

9. INVESTMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

| | 30 September 2010 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$</i> '000 | 31 March 2010 (Audited) <i>HK\$'000</i> |
|--|---|--|
| Non-current assets | | |
| Convertible notes classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, at fair value | | 122,103 |
| Current assets | | |
| Unlisted investment, at fair value Listed equity investments, at market value: | 15,000 | 15,000 |
| Hong Kong | 529,199 | 669,012 |
| Elsewhere | 26,878 | 25,262 |
| Convertible notes classified as financial assets at | 571,077 | 709,274 |
| fair value through profit or loss, at fair value | 28,948 | 9,358 |
| | 600,025 | 718,632 |

At the end of the reporting period, the Group's investments in certain listed equity securities were pledged to certain financial institutions to secure certain margin financing facilities granted to the Group.

10. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

(a) In addition to the transactions and balances disclosed elsewhere in this unaudited interim financial information, the Group had the following transaction with a related party during the period:

For the six months
ended 30 September
2010 2009
(Unaudited) (Unaudited)
HK\$'000 HK\$'000

Interest expense charged by a jointly-controlled entity

The interest expense charged by a jointly-controlled entity arose from the amount due thereto during the prior period. Such amount due to a jointly-controlled entity was unsecured, bore interest at 2% per annum below the prime rate as quoted by the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited and was fully repaid before the end of the prior reporting period.

(b) Compensation of key management personnel of the Group:

| | For the six months ended 30 September | |
|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| | | |
| | 2010 | 2009 |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| Short term employee benefits | 2,790 | 2,638 |
| Post-employment benefits | 30 | 27 |
| Total compensation paid to key management personnel | 2,820 | 2,665 |

11. COMPARATIVE AMOUNTS

Certain comparative amounts under "Operating Segment Information" have been reclassified to conform with the current period's presentation. The directors are in the opinion that such presentation would give a fairer presentation of the operation of the Group.

12. APPROVAL OF THE UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The unaudited interim financial information was approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 22 November 2010.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FINANCIAL RESULTS

The Board announces that the Group has made a loss before tax of approximately HK\$212 million for the six months ended 30 September 2010. The loss is mainly attributable to loss on sale of investments at fair value through profit or loss and fair value losses arisen from investments at fair value through profit or loss of the Group's securities investment as at the fiscal half year end date.

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

a) Real Estate Investment

The Group owned certain commercial properties in North Point and a luxury residential property in Stanley. With the increase in property prices in Hong Kong the Group's property portfolio appreciated in value. The gain arising from changes in fair value amounted to approximately HK\$0.9 million during the six months period ended. The value of the Group's property investment stood at HK\$237 million as at 30 September 2010.

b) Investment in Listed Securities

The Group's securities portfolio has suffered a loss on sale of investments at fair value through profit or loss of approximately HK\$159 million for the six months ended 30 September 2010. Besides, there is fair value loss on investments at fair value through profit and loss of approximately HK\$50 million in the same period.

c) Money Lending Business

The Group's associated company engaging in money lending has contributed a gain of approximately HK\$2 million for the six months ended 30 September 2010. Besides, a new wholly owned subsidiary was formed to engage in the money lending business. The operation generated positive result for the period concerned.

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 "PRC Company"). The PRC Company has obtained lottery selling rights for China Welfare Lottery Tickets in over 10 provinces in China. Since early of 2010, the PRC Company has 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. The PRC Company is still in discussion with certain institutional investors to increase its capital base to increase its presence in the lottery industry in the PRC.

Prospect

Global economy has stabilized from the financial tsunami since 2009 and is undergoing a recovery stage. However unemployment rates in Europe and the United States remain high and consumers' confidence has yet to fully pick up. Furthermore, the quantitative easing of money supply in the United States has led to rising inflationary expectations and has great impact on the global market. On the other hand, the financial market has rallied in the second half of 2010 after bouncing back from bottom in the financial crisis. These two factors contributed significantly to the overall market improvement in the year 2010. Barring unforeseen circumstances in the coming year 2011, the business outlook for Hong Kong is positive albeit possibly at a slower growth rate compared with that of 2010. In response to this unstable economy and uncertainties, the Group will adopt a more conservative approach in its future investments.

LIQUIDITY, FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND CAPITAL STRUCTURE

As at 30 September 2010, the Group's total assets and borrowings were approximately HK\$1,146 million and HK\$68 million respectively. The borrowings of the Group carried floating interest rates with reference to Hong Kong dollar prime rate/HIBOR and were denominated in Hong Kong dollars, and thus, there is no exposure to fluctuations in exchange rate. The gearing ratio (total borrowings/total assets) at 30 September 2010 was 6%. As at 30 September 2010, investment properties amounted to approximately HK\$235 million were pledged to banks to secure certain loan facilities granted to the Group and investments at fair value through profit or loss with carrying amount of approximately HK\$529 million were pledged to certain financial institutes to secure margin financing facilities provided to the Group.

CURRENCY RISK MANAGEMENT

Most cash and bank balances are dominated in Hong Kong dollars. The Group's foreign currency assets are immaterial. The Group's exposure to foreign exchange risk is minimal and as such did not have any requirement to use financial instruments for hedging purpose.

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Group had no material contingent liabilities as at 30 September 2010 (31 March 2010: Nil).

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

There was no purchase, redemption or sale of the Company's listed securities by the Company or any of its subsidiaries during the period.

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 benefit scheme under the Hong Kong Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance, for all its employees.

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 six months ended 30 September 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 unaudited interim financial information for the six months ended 30 September 2010 has 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 six months ended 30 September 2010.

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises 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 as executive directors 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 as independent non-executive directors.

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

Hong Kong, 22 November 2010