

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF UNAUDITED FIRST QUARTER FINANCIAL RESULTS BY SUBSIDIARY — GUOCOLAND LIMITED, SINGAPORE

THIS IS NOT THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL RESULTS OF GUOCO GROUP LIMITED ("GUOCO"). THIS ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE BY GUOCO PURSUANT TO RULE 13.09 OF THE LISTING RULES TO PROVIDE SHAREHOLDERS OF GUOCO WITH FINANCIAL INFORMATION ON A LISTED SUBSIDIARY OF GUOCO, GUOCOLAND LIMITED, WHICH HAS ANNOUNCED ITS UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2005 TO THE PUBLIC IN SINGAPORE ON 27 OCTOBER 2005.

This announcement is made pursuant to Rule 13.09 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

GuocoLand, a 63.9% owned subsidiary of Guoco and listed on the SGX-ST, has announced the unaudited financial results of the GuocoLand Group for the first quarter ended 30 September 2005 in Singapore on 27 October 2005. The summary of unaudited financial results of the GuocoLand Group for the first quarter ended 30 September 2005 together with the comparative figures of the previous corresponding financial period are provided below.

GuocoLand Limited ("GuocoLand"), a 63.9% owned subsidiary of Guoco and listed on the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ("SGX-ST"), has announced the unaudited financial results of GuocoLand and its subsidiaries ("GuocoLand Group") for the first quarter ended 30 September 2005 in Singapore on 27 October 2005. The summary of unaudited financial results of the GuocoLand Group for the first quarter ended 30 September 2005 together with the comparative figures of the previous corresponding financial period are provided below:

## **GuocoLand Limited**

Summary of the unaudited financial results of the GuocoLand Group for the first quarter ended 30 September 2005

(Note: The expressions "Company", "Group" and "\$" mean "GuocoLand", "GuocoLand Group" and "Singapore dollars" respectively.)

	Group	
	First quarter ended 30/09/2005	First quarter ended 30/09/2004
	\$'000	\$'000
Revenue	56,330	89,607
Profit before taxation	13,491	28,284
Income tax expense	(1,292)	(1,156)
Profit for the period	12,199	27,128
Attributable to:		
Equity holders of the Company	11,856	26,252
Minority interests	343	876
Profit for the period	12,199	27,128

## Dividend

No ordinary dividend has been declared or recommended for the first quarter ended 30 September 2005.

Remarks: Details of the unaudited financial results of the GuocoLand Group for the first quarter ended 30 September 2005 are accessible at SGX-ST's website: http://www.sgx.com.sg.

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of Guoco comprises Mr. Quek Leng Chan as Executive Chairman; Mr. Kwek Leng Hai as President, CEO; Mr. Tan Lim Heng and Mr. James Eng, Jr. as executive directors; Mr. Kwek Leng San as non-executive director and Mr. Sat Pal Khattar, Mr. Harry Richard Wilkinson and Mr. Volker Stoeckel as independent non-executive directors.

By Order of the Board Stella Lo Sze Man Company Secretary Please also refer to the published version of this announcement in The Standard and Hong Kong Economic Journal.