## **CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT**

For the year ended 31 December 2022 (Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

|   |       | 2022             | 2021                 |
|---|-------|------------------|----------------------|
|   | Note  | \$'000           | \$'000               |
| Operating activities  |       |                  |                      |
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| Cash generated from operations  | 23(c) | 809,145          | 1,284,302            |
| Interest received   |       | 77,302           | 72,087<br>(14,701)   |
| Interest paid Tax paid  |       | (31,106)         | (14,701)             |
| - Hong Kong Profits Tax   |       | (4,743)          | (21,033)             |
| - The People's Republic of China ("PRC") withholding tax  |       | (978)            | (805)                |
| Net cash generated from operating activities  |       | 849,620          | 1,319,850            |
| The cash generated from operating activities  |       |                  | 1,017,000            |
| Investing activities  |       |                  |                      |
| Increase in restricted bank deposits  |       | (31,142)         | (61,384)             |
| (Increase)/decrease in bank deposits with original maturities of over   |       | , , ,            | ,                    |
| three months  |       | (442,796)        | 810,307              |
| (Increase)/decrease in loan receivables   |       | (30,001)         | 123                  |
| Payment for the purchase of other property, plant and equipment   |       | (971,010)        | (1,417,316)          |
| Payment for other additions of investment property under  |       |                  |                      |
| development   |       | (738,391)        | (675,775)            |
| Payment for the purchase of intangible assets   |       | (109,361)        | (54,765)             |
| Payment for the purchase of other financial assets  Receipt of government grant for the purchase of other property, plant |       | (439,012)        | (767,308)            |
| and equipment   |       | 96,846           | 97,863               |
| Receipt of government grant for the disposal of other property, plant   |       | 70,040           | 77,003               |
| and equipment   |       | 3,409            | 1,085                |
| Proceeds from the disposal of other property, plant and equipment   |       | 6,094            | 12,487               |
| Proceeds on the maturity of debt securities   |       | 599,073          | 436,346              |
| Dividends received from associates  |       | 19,159           | 16,095               |
| Dividends received from equity investments  |       | 32,500           | 38,539               |
| Finance costs paid and capitalised  |       | (36,834)         | (17,687)             |
| Net cash used in investing activities   |       | (2,041,466)      | (1,581,390)          |
|   |       |                  |                      |
| Financing activities  | 22(1) |                  |                      |
| Proceeds from new bank loans  | 23(d) | 5,355,000        | 2,895,000            |
| Repayment of bank loans   | 23(d) | (3,520,000)      | (2,840,000)<br>8,000 |
| Loan repaid by a joint venture Capital element of lease rentals paid  | 23(d) | 7,861<br>(3,620) | (2,365)              |
| Interest element of lease rentals paid  | 23(d) | (92)             | (94)                 |
| Dividends paid to equity shareholders of the Company  | 20(4) | (116,909)        | (109,438)            |
| Net cash generated from/(used in) financing activities  |       | 1,722,240        | (48,897)             |
| Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents  |       | 530,394          | (310,437)            |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January  |       | 825,787          | 1,133,093            |
| Effect of foreign exchange rate changes   |       | 615              | 3,131                |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December  | 23(a) | 1,356,796        | 825,787              |
| Analysis of cash and cash equivalents:  | 20(4) | 1,000,110        | 020,707              |
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| Bank deposits and cash in the consolidated statement of financial   |       |                  |                      |
| position  | 23(a) | 1,799,592        | 825,787              |
| Less: bank deposits with original maturities of over three months   | 23(a) | (442,796)        | -                    |
|   |       |                  |                      |

The notes on pages 175 to 239 form part of these financial statements.