

# **C C Land Holdings Limited**

**Final Results 2023** 

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## **About C C Land**

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Headquartered in Hong Kong, the core businesses of C C Land is property development and investment as well as treasury investments



Started to build its global property portfolio since early 2017



Has both investment and development projects in the United Kingdom, Chinese Mainland and Hong Kong



Continues to look for real estate development and investment opportunities in metropolitan cities globally



# **Financial Highlights**

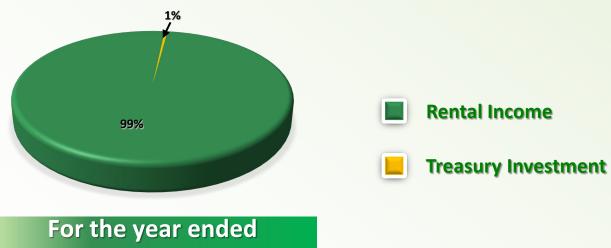
### **Financial Highlights**

For the year ended 31 December (HK\$'000)	2023	2022	Change
Revenue	472,980	498,368	-5.1%
Gross profit	440,166	474,324	-7.2%
Other income and gains, net	75,108	99,683	-24.7%
Loss before tax	(1,916,167)	(1,905,729)	0.5%
Income tax expense	(21,073)	(34,612)	-39.1%
Loss attributable to shareholders	(1,937,240)	(1,940,341)	-0.2%
Loss per share (HK cents) - Basic and diluted	(49.90)	(49.98)	-0.2%
Final dividend per share (HK cents)	Nil	2.0	N/A

If the fair value loss of investment properties of HK\$1,998 million was excluded, the Group would record a profit of HK\$61 million for the year

### **Source of Income**

For the year ended 31 December (HK\$'000)	2023	2022	Change
Rental Income	471,138	494,601	-4.8%
Treasury Investment	1,842	3,767	-51.1%
Total	472,980	498,368	-5.1%



**31 December 2023** 

### **Investment Property Portfolio**

#### **Annual Rental Yield:**

Property	2023	2022
The Leadenhall Building	3.5%	3.6%
One Kingdom Street	4.3%	5.3%

Rent collection: 98% (2022: 98%)

Due to the buildings' high quality tenant mix and the Group's astute management

### Share of profit/loss from JV investments

Projects	2023 (HK\$ Mn)
Thames City	464.4
The Whiteley	305.7
No.15 Shouson	60.2
Other Projects	(70.4)
Total of the share of profit and losses of joint venture investments	759.9

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### **Strong Financial Position**

	As at 31 Dec 2023 (HK\$ Mn)	As at 31 Dec 2022 (HK\$ Mn)	Change
Total Assets	25,362	26,197	-3.2%
Total Liabilities	11,830	11,306	4.6%
Shareholders' Equity	13,532	14,891	-9.1%
Cash and Cash Equivalents	2,587	1,745	48.3%
Bank Balances (Restricted / Pledged)	146	164	-11%
Total Bank and other Borrowings	9,036	8,407	7.5%
Guaranteed Notes	2,317	2,313	0.2%
Net Borrowings	8,620	8,811	-2.2%

Net asset value per share : HK\$3.49

(31 December 2022 : HK\$3.84)

Net gearing ratio : 63.7% (31 December 2022 : 59.2%)

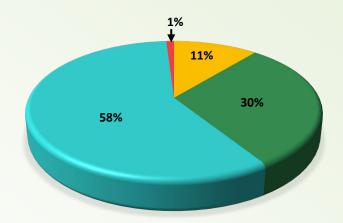
Adjusted net gearing ratio: 55.8% (31 December 2022: 51.1%)

(If the portfolio of investments was taken into account)

Weighted Average Debt cost : 5.8% (31 December 2022 : 3.7%)

#### **Cash and Bank Balances**

#### Total HK\$2.7 billion as at 31 December 2023

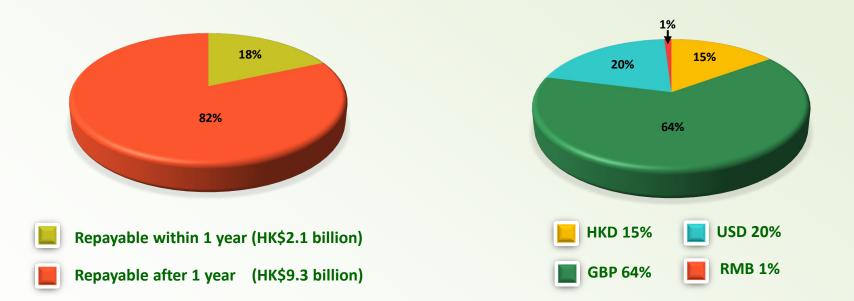




### **Total Borrowings**

#### Repayment Dates 31 December 2023

#### In Terms of Currency 31 December 2023

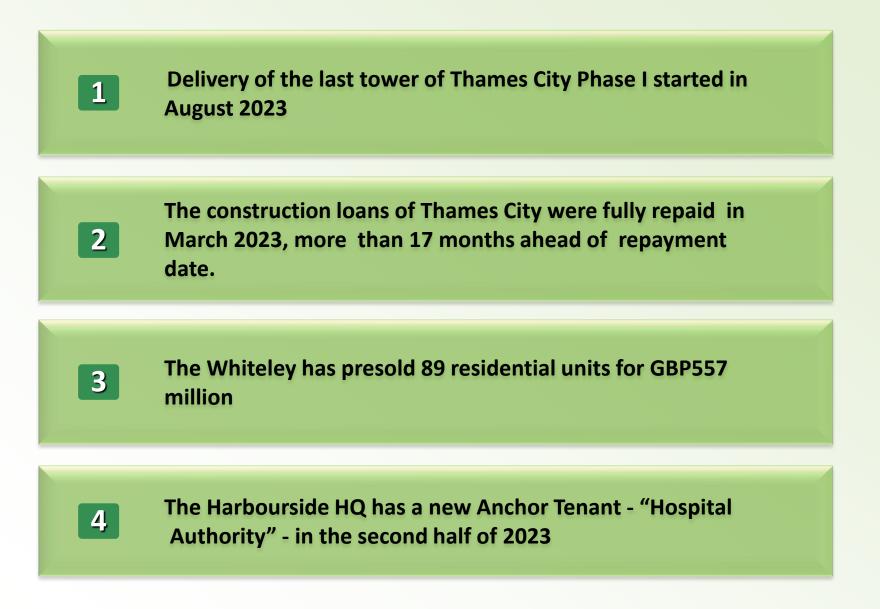


#### Total outstanding borrowings as at 31 December 2023: HK\$11.4 billion (31 December 2022: HK\$10.7 billion)



### **2023 Business Review**

### **Notable Achievements in 2023**



### **Property Portfolio (Key Projects)**

With a view to diversifying its portfolio, the Group has acquired the following properties:

#### **Investment Properties**

Properties Acquired	Completion Date	Usage	Purchase Consideration (Million)	Total Area (sq. ft.)	Effective Interests
One Kingdom Street	Jan 2017	Office & Carpark	GBP292	265,000	100%
The Leadenhall Building, London	May 2017	Office & Retail	GBP1,150	610,000	100%
			Total	875,000	

#### **Property Portfolio (Key Projects)** cont'd

#### **Major Joint Ventures**

Properties Invested/Acquired	Acquisition Date	Usage	Total Area (Million sq ft.)	Attributable Consideration (Million)	Effective Interests
Thames City, London	Aug 2017	Residential & Commercial	1.8	GBP260	50%
Harbourside HQ, Hong Kong	Aug 2018	Office, Retail & Carpark	0.8	HKD1,875	25%
The Whiteley, London	Dec 2019	Apartments, Hotel & Retails	0.6	GBP182	46% (50% voting right)
Kowloon Bay International Trade and Exhibition Centre (KITEC), Hong Kong	Jun 2021	Commercial	1.8	HKD906	15%
No. 15 Shouson, Hong Kong	Jan/Oct 2022	Residential	0.1	HKD1,200	42%
Total			5.1		

#### **Major Investment Property: One Kingdom Street**





- Acquired in Jan 2017 at a purchase consideration of approx. GBP292 million (approx. HK\$2.9 billion)
- A prime Grade A commercial property comprising 265,000 sq. ft. located in Paddington central, the West End of London
- Paddington is undergoing major re-development, and with the coming Crossrail System, will be an important hub in London's West End
- Rental yield is approx. 4.3% per annum



Photo source: <u>http://www.trekearth.com/gallery/Europe/United\_Kingdom/England/London/Paddington/photo1117240.htm</u>

#### Major Investment Property: One Kingdom Street (cont'd)

- As at 31 December 2023, 71% leased to a variety of tenants, including Vodafone, Takeda and Equinor
- Current annual contract rental income in the region of approx. GBP12.4 million.







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#### **Major Investment Property: The Leadenhall Building**

#### "City of London Building of the Year 2015"

- Acquired in May 2017 at a purchase consideration of approx. GBP1,150 million (approx. HK\$11.2 billion)
- A 46-floor iconic and award-winning building with approx. 610,000 sq. ft. of office and retail space in the prime financial and insurance districts of London
- Current annual contract rental income in the region of approx. GBP40.6 million.
- Rental yield is approx. 3.5% per annum
- Received "2018 RIBA London Awards" & shortlisted for the National Awards







#### Major Investment Property: The Leadenhall Building (cont'd)



- Almost fully let with a weighted average unexpired lease term of approx. 8.6 years with 7.2 years on a term-certain basis
- Tenant base includes major international insurance companies alongside financial institutions, technology and professional service businesses
- Generating a stable and strong recurrent income for the Group and affirming the Group's presence in the UK property market
- "The Leadenhall Building App" has been developed to coordinate building-wide events and activities



### **Development Project: Thames City**





- In August 2017, the Group participated in a 50:50 joint venture to invest in a residential development project.
- Thames City situates at the South Bank of River Thames in Central London, with a stunning panoramic view.
- The project is planned to provide about 1,500 luxury residential units and some commercial space with a total saleable area of approx. 1.8 million sq. ft.
- Phase I was launched for pre-sale in 2020, two towers were completed at the end of 2022 and another tower was completed in the second half of 2023.
- As at 31 Dec 2023, an accumulated total of 463 residential units out of 523 available units have been presold for over GBP853 million.

### **The Whiteley London**



• Located in Queensway, W2





- A former shopping mall constructed in 1908
- Fully paid its committed investment of £182 million to regenerate and redevelop the project
  - A mixed-used scheme of 603,000 sq.ft. with 139 luxury residential apartments, a 5star spa hotel with 109 rooms operated by Six Senses, retail, restaurant spaces
- Marketing suite was opened after 2021 Easter, has been favourably received
- As at 31 Dec 2023, 89 residential units have been presold for GBP557 million
- Completion is expected around second half of 2024
- The Group has 46% interests but 50% voting right



## **Outlook & Strategies**

#### **Growth Drivers**



Building a Global Real Estate portfolio of investment properties for steady rental income

**Developing properties for sales revenue** 

Leveraging on management's experience and expertise in the property industry to actively look for opportunities in metropolitan cities globally





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