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北方興業控股有限公司*

NORTHERN INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 736)

OPEN OFFER OF 1,258,178,655.75 OFFER SHARES AT HK\$0.17 PER OFFER SHARE ON THE BASIS OF THREE OFFER SHARES FOR EVERY SHARE HELD ON RECORD DATE PAYABLE IN FULL ON APPLICATION

Financial adviser to Northern International Holdings Limited



Optima Capital Limited

(formerly known as VXL Financial Services Limited)

Underwriters

Profit Key Group Limited



VC BROKERAGE LIMITED

滙盈證券有限公司

The latest time for application and payment for the Offer Shares is 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 17 September 2007. The procedures for application and payment are set out on pages 17 to 18 of this prospectus.

The Underwriting Agreement (as defined herein) in respect of the Open Offer (as defined herein) contains provisions entitling the Underwriters (as defined herein) by notice in writing to terminate the obligations of the Underwriters thereunder on the occurrence of certain events including force majeure. These events are set out in the paragraph headed "Termination of the Underwriting Agreement" on pages 11 to 12 of this prospectus. **If any of the Underwriters terminates the Underwriting Agreement, the Open Offer will not proceed.**

It should be noted that the Shares have been dealt with on an ex-entitlements basis commencing from Friday, 24 August 2007 and that dealings in such Shares may take place whilst the conditions to which the Underwriting Agreement is subject remain unfulfilled. Any Shareholder or other person dealing in such Shares up to the date on which all conditions to which the Open Offer is subject are fulfilled (which is expected to be on Thursday, 20 September 2007), will accordingly bear the risk that the Open Offer cannot become unconditional and may not proceed. Any Shareholder or other person contemplating selling or purchasing Shares who is in any doubt about his/her position is recommended to consult his/her own professional adviser.

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TERMINATION OF THE UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT

If, prior to the Latest Time for Termination:

- (1) in the reasonable opinion of any one of the Underwriters, the success of the Open Offer would be materially and adversely affected by:
 - (a) the introduction of any new law or regulation or any change in existing law or regulation (or the judicial interpretation thereof) or other occurrence of any nature whatsoever which may in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters materially and adversely affect the business or the financial or trading position or prospects of the Group as a whole or is materially adverse in the context of the Open Offer; or
 - (b) the occurrence of any local, national or international event or change (whether or not forming part of a series of events or changes occurring or continuing before, and/or after the date thereof) of a political, military, financial, economic or other nature (whether or not ejusdem generis with any of the foregoing), or in the nature of any local, national or international outbreak or escalation of hostilities or armed conflict, or affecting local securities markets which may, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters materially and adversely affect the business or the financial or trading position or prospects of the Group as a whole or materially and adversely prejudice the success of the Open Offer or otherwise makes it inexpedient or inadvisable to proceed with the Open Offer; or
- (2) any adverse change in market conditions (including without limitation, any change in fiscal or monetary policy, or foreign exchange or currency markets, suspension or material restriction or trading in securities) occurs which in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters is likely to materially or adversely affect the success of the Open Offer or otherwise makes it inexpedient or inadvisable to proceed with the Open Offer; or
- (3) there is any change in the circumstances of the Company or any member of the Group which in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters will adversely affect the prospects of the Company, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing the presentation of a petition or the passing of a resolution for the liquidation or winding up or similar event occurring in respect of any of member of the Group or the destruction of any material asset of the Group; or
- (4) any suspension in the trading of securities generally or the Company's securities on the Stock Exchange for a period of more than ten consecutive business days, excluding any suspension in connection with the clearance of the announcement, the circular or the Prospectus Documents or other announcements or circulars in connection with the Open Offer,

the Underwriters shall be entitled severally (and not jointly nor on a joint and several basis) by notice in writing to the Company, served prior to the Latest Time for Termination, to terminate the Underwriting Agreement.

If any of the Underwriters terminates the Underwriting Agreement, the Open Offer will not proceed.

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DEFINITIONS

In this prospectus, unless the context requires otherwise, the following expressions have the following meanings:

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| “Acquisitions” | the acquisitions of three commercial properties in Shanghai, the PRC, details of which are set out in the announcement of the Company dated 20 July 2007 and circular of the Company dated 14 August 2007 |
| “acting in concert” | has the meaning given to it in the Takeovers Code |
| “Announcement” | the announcement dated 24 July 2007, regarding, among others, the proposed Open Offer, application for Whitewash Waiver and increase in authorised share capital of the Company |
| “Application Form(s)” | application form(s) to be used by the Qualifying Shareholders to apply for Offer Shares |
| “associate(s)” | has the meaning given to it in the Listing Rules |
| “Board” | board of Directors |
| “Business Day” | a day (excluding Saturday and other general holidays in Hong Kong and any day on which a tropical cyclone warning No. 8 or above is hoisted or remains hoisted between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon and is not lowered at or before 12:00 noon or which a “black” rain storm warning is hoisted or remains in effect between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon and is not continued at or before 12:00 noon) on which licensed banks are generally open for business |
| “CCASS” | Central Clearing and Settlement System established and operated by HKSCC |
| “Companies Act” | The Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda |
| “Companies Ordinance” | the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 32 of the Laws of Hong Kong) |
| “Company” | Northern International Holdings Limited (Stock code: 736), a company incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability whose issued shares are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange |
| “connected persons” | has the meaning ascribed to it under the Listing Rules |
| “Deed of Termination” | the deed of termination dated 20 July 2007 entered into among the Underwriters, the Company and Mr. Zhao in respect of the termination of the First Underwriting Agreement |

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| “Directors” | directors of the Company |
| “Enlarged Group” | the Group upon completion of the Acquisitions |
| “Excluded Shareholders” | Shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on the Record Date and whose addresses as shown on such register are outside Hong Kong where the Directors consider it necessary or expedient not to offer the Offer Shares to such shareholders on account either of legal restrictions under the laws of the relevant place or the requirements of the relevant regulatory body or stock exchange in that place |
| “Executive” | the Executive Director of the Corporate Finance Division of the SFC an any delegate of the Executive Director |
| “Existing Properties” | properties of (i) unit Nos, 201 and 202 on the mezzanine level, Yun Hai Building, Nos. 1329 and 1331 Huai Hai Zhong Road, Xuhui District, Shanghai, the PRC; and (ii) whole of basement level one and ground level, Nos. 277 and 289 Lan Xi Road, Putuo District, Shanghai, the PRC, held by the Group |
| “First Underwriting Agreement” | the underwriting agreement dated 11 July 2007 entered into among the Underwriters, the Company and Mr. Zhao as guarantor which was terminated by the Deed of Termination |
| “Group” | the Company and its subsidiaries |
| “Hong Kong” | the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC |
| “HKSCC” | Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company Limited |
| “Independent Shareholders” | Shareholders other than Profit Key, Mr. Zhao and parties acting in concert with them (including Ms. Pan Chien Pu) and their respective associates and those who are interested in or involved in the Underwriting Agreement |
| “Last Acceptance Date” | 17 September 2007, being the last day for acceptance and payment of the Offer Shares, or such other date as the Company and Underwriters may agree in writing |
| “Last Trading Day” | 10 July 2007, being the last day on which the Shares were traded on the Stock Exchange prior to the release of the Announcement |

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| “Latest Practicable Date” | 28 August 2007, being the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this prospectus for ascertaining information for inclusion in this prospectus |
| “Latest Time for Termination” | 4:00 p.m. on the third business day after the latest time for acceptance of, and payment for, the Offer Shares or such later time or date as may be agreed between the Company and the Underwriters |
| “Listing Committee” | the listing sub-committee of the Stock Exchange |
| “Listing Rules” | the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange |
| “Mr. Zhao” | Mr. Zhao Qing Ji, the executive Director and Chairman of the Company |
| “Offer Share(s)” | the new Share(s) proposed to be offered to the Qualifying Shareholders to subscribe for pursuant to the Open Offer |
| “Open Offer” | the proposed issue of Offer Shares to the Qualifying Shareholders on the basis of three Offer Shares for every Share held on the Record Date on the terms to be set out in the Prospectus Documents and summarized herein |
| “PRC” | the People’s Republic of China |
| “Profit Key” | Profit Key Group Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands and wholly owned by Mr. Zhao, an executive Director and Chairman of the Company |
| “Prospectus Documents” | this prospectus and the Application Form |
| “Qualifying Shareholders” | the persons shown on the register of members of the Company on the Record Date, other than the Excluded Shareholders (if any) |
| “Record Date” | Friday, 31 August 2007, being the date for determining the entitlements of the Qualifying Shareholders to the Open Offer |
| “Registrar” | Tricor Secretaries Limited, the Company’s branch share registrar in Hong Kong |

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| “Settlement Date” | Thursday, 20 September 2007, being the third Business Day following the Last Acceptance Date |
| “SFC” | Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong |
| “SFO” | the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong), as amended from time to time |
| “SGM” | the special general meeting of the Company convened on Friday, 31 August 2007 approving, among other things, the Open Offer, the Whitewash Waiver and the increase in the authorised share capital of the Company |
| “Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang” | Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang Place The Industry Co. Limited (上海祥宸行置業有限公司), an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company |
| “Shareholder(s)” | holder(s) of Shares |
| “Share(s)” | ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the Company |
| “Share Options” | the 850,000 share options granted to the eligible participant under the share option scheme of the Company adopted on 4 October 2002 conferring the holders thereof rights to subscribe in cash for new Shares at an exercise price determined in accordance with the scheme |
| “Stock Exchange” | The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited |
| “Subscription Price” | the subscription price of HK\$0.17 per Offer Share pursuant to the Open Offer |
| “Takeovers Code” | the Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers |
| “Underwriters” | Profit Key and VC Brokerage |
| “Underwriting Agreement” | the underwriting agreement dated 24 July 2007 entered into among the Underwriters, the Company and Mr. Zhao as guarantor in relation to the underwriting of the Open Offer |
| “Underwritten Shares” | the total number of Offer Shares which Shareholders are entitled pursuant to the Open Offer, being 1,258,178,655.75 Offer Shares |

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| “VC Brokerage” | VC Brokerage Limited, a licensed corporation to conduct type 1 (dealing in securities) and type 4 (advising on securities) regulated activities under the SFO, being one of the Underwriters of the Open Offer |
| “Whitewash Waiver” | a waiver of the obligation of Profit Key and parties acting in concert with it to make a mandatory offer for all the Shares not already owned or agreed to be acquired by them under Note 1 to Dispensations from Rule 26 of the Takeovers Code as a result of fulfillment of the obligations under the Underwriting Agreement |
| “HK\$” | Hong Kong dollars, the lawful currency of Hong Kong |
| “%” | per cent. |

For illustrative purpose, this prospectus contains translation between RMB and HK\$ at RMB1.00 = HK\$1.026. The translation should not be taken as a representation that the relevant currency could actually be converted into HK\$ at that rate or at all.

EXPECTED TIMETABLE

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| Latest time for acceptance of, and payment for, the Offer Shares (<i>Note 2</i>) | 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 17 September |
| Latest time for the Open Offer to become unconditional | 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, 20 September |
| Announcement of results of acceptance of the Open Offer .. | by 11:00 p.m. on Thursday, 20 September |
| Despatch of the respective certificates for the fully-paid Offer Shares on or before | Monday, 24 September |
| Despatch of refund cheques in respect of wholly or partially unsuccessful applications (if any) on or before | Monday, 24 September |
| Dealings in the fully-paid Offer Shares | 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, 27 September |

Notes:

1. All time refer to Hong Kong time.
2. **EFFECT OF BAD WEATHER ON THE LATEST TIME FOR ACCEPTANCE OF AND PAYMENT FOR THE OPEN OFFER**

The latest time for acceptance of and payment for the Open Offer will not take place if there is:

- a tropical cyclone warning signal number 8 or above, or
 - a “black” rainstorm warning
- (i) in force in Hong Kong at any local time before 12:00 noon and no longer in force after 12:00 noon on 17 September 2007. Instead the latest time of acceptance of and payment for the Open Offer will be extended to 5:00 p.m. on the same Business Day;
 - (ii) in force in Hong Kong at any local time between 12:00 noon and 4:00 p.m. on 17 September 2007. Instead the latest time of acceptance of any payment for the Open Offer will be rescheduled to 4:00 p.m. on the following Business Day which does not have either of those warnings in force at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

If the latest time for acceptance of and payment for the Open Offer does not take place on 17 September 2007, the dates mentioned above may be affected. A press announcement will be made by the Company in such event.

LETTER FROM THE BOARD



北方興業控股有限公司*
NORTHERN INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 736)

Board of Directors:

Executive:

Mr. Zhao Qing Ji

Mr. Au Tat On

Mr. Lu Xiao Dong

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Mr. Yeung Yuen Hei

Ms. Chan Mei Bo, Mabel

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3 September 2007

*To the Shareholders and, for information only,
the holder of the Share Options*

Dear Sir or Madam,

**OPEN OFFER OF 1,258,178,655.75 OFFER SHARES
AT HK\$0.17 PER OFFER SHARE ON THE BASIS OF
THREE OFFER SHARES FOR EVERY SHARE HELD ON RECORD DATE
PAYABLE IN FULL ON APPLICATION**

INTRODUCTION

On 24 July 2007, the Company announced that the Company entered into the Underwriting Agreement dated 24 July 2007 with the Underwriters, pursuant to which the Company proposed to raise approximately HK\$213.9 million before expenses by issuing 1,258,178,655.75 Offer Shares at a price of HK\$0.17 per Offer Share by way of Open Offer on the basis of three Offer Shares for every Share held on the Record Date. The Open Offer is conditional upon, among others, the Whitewash Waiver being granted by the Executive and approved by the Independent Shareholders.

On 28 August 2007, the Executive granted the Whitewash Waiver, which was subject to the approval of the Independent Shareholders by way of poll at the SGM. At the SGM held on 31 August

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2007, the ordinary resolutions approving the Open Offer, the Whitewash Waiver and the increase in authorised share capital of the Company were duly passed by the Independent Shareholders. The resolutions in respect of the Open Offer, the Whitewash Waiver and the increase in authorised share capital were conducted by way of poll.

The purpose of this prospectus is to set out further information regarding the Open Offer, including information on dealings and application for Offer Shares, financial information and other information of the Group.

THE PROPOSED OPEN OFFER

Issue statistics:

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| Basis of the Open Offer | – three Offer Shares for every Share held on the Record Date |
| Number of existing Shares in issue | – 419,392,885.25 Shares |
| Number of Offer Shares | – 1,258,178,655.75 Offer Shares which are fully underwritten |
| Enlarged issued share capital upon completion of the Open Offer | – 1,677,571,541 Shares |

The Offer Shares proposed to be provisionally allotted represent:

- (a) 300% of the existing issued share capital of the Company; and
- (b) 75% of the Company's issued share capital as enlarged by the issue of the Offer Shares.

Qualifying Shareholders:

The invitation to apply for Offer Shares is not transferable and there will be no trading in nil-paid entitlements on the Stock Exchange and the Qualifying Shareholders are not entitled to subscribe for any Offer Shares in excess of their respective assured allotments.

Rights of the Excluded Shareholders:

The Prospectus Documents have not been and will not be registered or filed under the applicable securities or equivalent legislation of any jurisdiction other than Hong Kong and Bermuda. No persons receiving a copy of this prospectus or the Application Form in any jurisdiction outside Hong Kong may treat it as an offer or invitation to apply for Offer Shares, unless in the relevant jurisdiction such an offer or invitation could lawfully be made without compliance with any registration or other legal and regulatory requirements. It is the responsibility of overseas Shareholders and any other person outside Hong Kong wishing to make an application for Offer Shares to satisfy himself/herself as to the observance of the

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laws and regulations of the relevant jurisdiction, including the obtaining of any government or other consents, and payment of any taxes and duties required to be paid in such jurisdiction in connection therewith.

Based on the register of members of the Company on the Record Date, there are two Shareholders who have a registered address in the PRC, one Shareholder who has a registered address in the British Virgin Islands and one Shareholder who has a registered address in Taiwan. The Directors have, in compliance with Rule 13.36(2)(a) of the Listing Rules, sought legal advice regarding the legal restrictions under the laws of the relevant place and the requirements of the relevant regulatory body or stock exchange.

The Directors have been advised by its legal advisers that it would be lawful for the Company to offer the Offer Shares to those Shareholders with registered address in the PRC, Taiwan and the British Virgin Islands even though the Prospectus Documents are not registered in those relevant jurisdictions. Therefore, those overseas Shareholders in the PRC, Taiwan and the British Virgin Islands are entitled to participate in the Open Offer.

Subscription Price:

HK\$0.17 per Offer Share, payable in full on application. The Subscription Price represents:—

- (i) a discount of approximately 76.1% to the closing price of HK\$0.71 per Share as quoted on the Stock Exchange on the Last Trading Day;
- (ii) a discount of approximately 44.3% to the theoretical ex-entitlement price of HK\$0.305 per Share based on the aforesaid closing price per Share;
- (iii) a discount of approximately 76.4% to the average of the closing prices of the Shares for the 10 trading days ended on the Last Trading Day of approximately HK\$0.72;
- (iv) a discount of approximately 56.4% to the closing price of HK\$0.39 per Share as quoted on the Stock Exchange on Latest Practicable Date; and
- (v) a premium of approximately 88.9% to the audited consolidated net tangible assets per Share of approximately HK\$0.09 as at 31 March 2007.

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The subscription price for Offer Shares has been determined based on arm's length negotiations between the Company and the Underwriters with reference to prevailing market prices of Shares and the fundamentals of the Group. The Directors consider that the terms of the Underwriting Agreement are fair and reasonable and the discount of the Subscription Price as compared to the recent market prices will encourage Shareholders to participate in the Open Offer and the future growth of the Company.

Status of Offer Shares:

When allotted and issued fully paid, the Offer Shares will rank pari passu in all respects with the existing Shares. Holders of Offer Shares will be entitled to receive all future dividends and distributions which are declared, made or paid on or after the date of issue of Offer Shares.

No application for excess Offer Shares:

After arm's length negotiation with the Underwriters, the Company decided that the Qualifying Shareholders are not entitled to apply for any Offer Shares which are in excess of their assured entitlements. The Company considers that the administrative costs would be lowered without the excess application.

Application for listing:

Application has been made to the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange for the listing of, and permission to deal in, Offer Shares. Dealings in Offer Shares on the Hong Kong branch register of members will be subject to the payment of stamp duty in Hong Kong.

Subject to the granting of listing of, and permission to deal in, the Offer Shares on the Stock Exchange, the Offer Shares will be accepted as eligible securities by HKSCC for deposit, clearance and settlement in CCASS with effect from the commencement date of dealings in the Offer Shares on the Stock Exchange or such other date as determined by HKSCC. Settlement of transactions between participants of the Stock Exchange on any trading day is required to take place in CCASS on the second trading day thereafter. All activities under CCASS are subject to the General Rules of CCASS and CCASS Operational Procedures in effect from time to time.

UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT DATED 24 JULY 2007

Pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, Profit Key shall subscribe for, or procure subscription of, up to 629,089,327.75 Underwritten Shares not being taken up before VC Brokerage is required to subscribe for any Underwritten Shares. If there remains any Underwritten Shares not being taken up after Profit Key's subscription or procurement of subscription in full, VC Brokerage shall subscribe for, or procure subscription of, the remaining Underwritten Shares not being taken up.

Profit Key is an investment holding company wholly owned by Mr. Zhao. Mr. Zhao was appointed as an executive Director in November 2006 and as Chairman of the Company in January 2007. The ordinary course of business of Profit Key does not include underwriting.

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To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief and having made all reasonable enquiries, VC Brokerage is a third party independent of the Company and its connected persons.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, neither Profit Key nor Mr. Zhao holds any Shares and VC Brokerage does not beneficially hold any Shares.

Commission and other payment:

The Company will pay to the Underwriters an underwriting commission at 2.5% of the aggregate Subscription Price of the number of Offer Shares underwritten by the Underwriters. The aggregate underwriting commission will be approximately HK\$5.3 million.

Termination of the Underwriting Agreement:

If, prior to the Latest Time for Termination:

- (1) in the reasonable opinion of any one of the Underwriters, the success of the Open Offer would be materially and adversely affected by:
 - (a) the introduction of any new law or regulation or any change in existing law or regulation (or the judicial interpretation thereof) or other occurrence of any nature whatsoever which may in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters materially and adversely affect the business or the financial or trading position or prospects of the Group as a whole or is materially adverse in the context of the Open Offer; or
 - (b) the occurrence of any local, national or international event or change (whether or not forming part of a series of events or changes occurring or continuing before, and/or after the date thereof) of a political, military, financial, economic or other nature (whether or not ejusdem generis with any of the foregoing), or in the nature of any local, national or international outbreak or escalation of hostilities or armed conflict, or affecting local securities markets which may, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters materially and adversely affect the business or the financial or trading position or prospects of the Group as a whole or materially and adversely prejudice the success of the Open Offer or otherwise makes it inexpedient or inadvisable to proceed with the Open Offer; or
- (2) any adverse change in market conditions (including without limitation, any change in fiscal or monetary policy, or foreign exchange or currency markets, suspension or material restriction or trading in securities) occurs which in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters is likely to materially or adversely affect the success of the Open Offer or otherwise makes it inexpedient or inadvisable to proceed with the Open Offer; or

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- (3) there is any change in the circumstances of the Company or any member of the Group which in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriters will adversely affect the prospects of the Company, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing the presentation of a petition or the passing of a resolution for the liquidation or winding up or similar event occurring in respect of any of member of the Group or the destruction of any material asset of the Group; or
- (4) any suspension in the trading of securities generally or the Company's securities on the Stock Exchange for a period of more than ten consecutive business days, excluding any suspension in connection with the clearance of the announcement, the circular or the Prospectus Documents or other announcements or circulars in connection with the Open Offer,

the Underwriters shall be entitled severally (and not jointly nor on a joint and several basis) by notice in writing to the Company, served prior to the Latest Time for Termination, to terminate the Underwriting Agreement.

If any of the Underwriters terminates the Underwriting Agreement, the Open Offer will not proceed. The obligations of all parties under the Underwriting Agreement shall cease and determine and no party shall have any claim against any other party for costs, damages, compensation or otherwise save for any antecedent breaches.

CONDITIONS OF THE UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT

The obligations of the Underwriters under the Underwriting Agreement are conditional, among other things, on the following conditions:

- (i) the passing by the Independent Shareholders at the SGM of an ordinary resolution (such vote shall be taken by way of poll) to approve:
 - (a) an increase in the authorised share capital of the Company from HK\$15,000,000 divided into 1,500,000,000 Shares to HK\$35,000,000 divided into 3,500,000,000 Shares by creating an additional 2,000,000,000 unissued Shares;
 - (b) the Open Offer; and
 - (c) the Whitewash Waiver;
- (ii) the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange granting or agreeing to grant (subject to allotment) and not having withdrawn or revoked listing of and permission to deal in the Offer Shares by no later than the first day of their dealings;
- (iii) the Executive granting the Whitewash Waiver;

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- (iv) the delivery to the Stock Exchange for authorization on and the registration with the Registrar of Companies in Hong Kong respectively one copy of each of the Prospectus Documents duly signed by two Directors (or by their agents duly authorized in writing) as having been approved by resolution of the Directors (and all other documents required to be attached thereto) and otherwise in compliance with the Listing Rules and the Companies Ordinance not later than the posting date of the Prospectus Documents;
- (v) the posting of the Prospectus Documents to the Qualifying Shareholders and the posting of the Prospectus and a letter in the agreed form to the Excluded Shareholders, if any, for information purpose;
- (vi) if necessary, the Bermuda Monetary Authority granting consent to the issue of the Offer Shares by the Latest Time of Termination or such later time as the Underwriters may agree with the Company in writing;
- (vii) the filing with the Registrar of Companies in Bermuda one copy of each of the Prospectus Documents duly signed by either all Directors or one of the Directors for and on behalf of all the Directors (and all other documents required to be attached thereto) and otherwise in compliance with the Companies Act on or before the posting date of the Prospectus Documents; and
- (viii) compliance with and performance of the undertaking by holder of the Share Options.

None of the above conditions is capable of being waived. As at the Latest Practicable Date, condition (iii), (vi) and (viii) were fulfilled. If the conditions to the Underwriting Agreement are not fulfilled on the dates as specified in the Underwriting Agreement (or such later date or dates as the Underwriters may agree with the Company in accordance with its terms), the Underwriting Agreement shall terminate and no party shall have any claim against any other party for costs, damages, compensation or otherwise save for any antecedent breaches. **The Open Offer is subject to the Underwriting Agreement becoming unconditional and not being terminated in accordance with its terms. The Open Offer and the Underwriting Agreement are inter-conditional.**

WARNING OF THE RISKS OF DEALING IN SHARES

If any one of the Underwriters terminates the Underwriting Agreement, or the conditions of the Underwriting Agreement are not fulfilled, the Open Offer will not proceed.

Any Shareholder or other person dealing in Shares up to the date on which all conditions to which the Open Offer is subject are fulfilled will accordingly bear the risk that the Open Offer cannot become unconditional and may not proceed. Any Shareholders or other persons contemplating selling or purchasing Shares who is in any doubt about his/her position is recommended to consult his/her own professional adviser.

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SHAREHOLDING IN THE COMPANY

The following is a summary of the shareholding of the Company before and after the completion of the Open Offer:

| Shareholders | As at the Latest Practicable Date and prior to the Open Offer | | Upon completion of the Open Offer | | | |
|--|---|---------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| | Number of Shares | % | Number of Shares (Note a) | % | Number of Shares (Note b) | % |
| Win Channel Investments Limited (Note c, e) | 65,000,000.00 | 15.50 | 260,000,000 | 15.50 | 65,000,000.00 | 3.87 |
| Easy Huge Holdings Limited (Note d, e) | 48,000,000.00 | 11.45 | 192,000,000 | 11.45 | 48,000,000.00 | 2.86 |
| Profit Key (Note f) | – | – | – | – | 629,089,327.75 | 37.50 |
| Pan Chien Pu (Note e, f, g) | 58,000,000.00 | 13.83 | 232,000,000 | 13.83 | 58,000,000.00 | 3.46 |
| Profit Key and parties acting in concert with it | 58,000,000.00 | 13.83 | 232,000,000 | 13.83 | 687,089,327.75 | 40.96 |
| Subscribers procured by the sub-underwriters procured by VC Brokerage (Note e) | – | – | – | – | 629,089,328.00 | 37.50 |
| Other public Shareholders | 248,392,885.25 | 59.22 | 993,571,541 | 59.22 | 248,392,885.25 | 14.81 |
| Total | 419,392,885.25 | 100.00 | 1,677,571,541 | 100.00 | 1,677,571,541.00 | 100.00 |
| Total public Shareholders | 248,392,885.25 | 59.22 | 993,571,540 | 59.22 | 1,048,482,213.25 | 62.50 |
| | | | | | (Note e) | |

Notes:

- a) Assuming that all Shareholders take up their entitlements under the Open Offer.
- b) Assuming no Shareholders take up their entitlements under the Open Offer and all the Underwritten Shares are taken up by the Underwriters.
- c) Win Channel Investments Limited is wholly owned by Mr. Chim Pui Chung and did not indicate its intention to subscribe for the Offer Shares.
- d) Easy Huge Holdings Limited is wholly owned by Mr. Ng Kin Wah and did not indicate its intention to subscribe for the Offer Shares.
- e) Win Channel Investments Limited, Ms. Pan Chien Pu and Easy Huge Holdings Limited will be treated as public Shareholders as long as their respective shareholding in the Company is below 10%. The subscribers procured by the sub-underwriters procured by VC Brokerage are public Shareholders and it is expected that no such subscribers will become substantial Shareholders as a result of the Open Offer.
- f) Profit Key is wholly owned by Mr. Zhao, who is an executive Director and Chairman of the Company. Mr. Zhao and Ms. Pan Chien Pu are parties acting in concert.
- g) The figures are for illustration purpose only. Ms. Pan Chien Pu does not intend to take up her assured entitlements under the Open Offer.

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Pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, VC Brokerage will use all reasonable endeavours (exercising due care and making reasonable enquiries) to ensure that the subscribers procured by VC Brokerage and their ultimate beneficial owners are not connected persons of the Company and are third parties independent of the Company and the connected persons of the Company, and not acting in concert with Profit Key or its associates (as defined in the Takeovers Code), or the connected persons of the Company.

VC Brokerage has sub-underwritten all its Underwritten Shares to more than six sub-underwriters. Such sub-underwriters are third parties independent of and not connected with the directors, chief executive and substantial shareholders of the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any of their respective associates, and not acting in concert with Profit Key or its associates (as defined in the Takeovers Code). The six sub-underwriters will use all reasonable endeavours (exercising due care and making reasonable enquires) to ensure that the subscribers (if any) and their ultimate beneficial owners are third parties independent of the Company and connected persons of the Company. It is also expected that none of such sub-underwriters, by taking up their sub-underwritten commitments in full, will become a substantial shareholder of the Company immediately following the completion of the Open Offer.

REASONS FOR THE OPEN OFFER AND USE OF PROCEEDS

As set out in the announcement of the Company dated 5 September 2006 and the circular of the Company dated 31 October 2006, the Group acquired the interests in Existing Properties and sale loan at a consideration of HK\$182.5 million (the "Previous Acquisition"). The completion of the Previous Acquisition took place in November 2006. The Existing Properties were pledged to certain banks by their previous owners to secure banking facilities of approximately RMB164 million (equivalent to approximately HK\$168 million) in favour of two independent borrowers pursuant to three mortgage loan agreements. The Board was informed that all mortgage loans granted to aforesaid independent borrowers were released in July 2007 and the Company had issued the promissory notes in an aggregate amount of HK\$157.7 million to satisfy the equivalent amount of consideration for the Previous Acquisition. The promissory notes bear an interest rate of 5% per annum. Details of the aforesaid arrangements are set out in the circular of the Company dated 31 October 2006.

Net proceeds of the Open Offer of approximately HK\$207 million is intended to be applied as to approximately HK\$157.7 million for repayment of aforesaid promissory notes and as to approximately HK\$49.3 million for general working capital of the Group. The Directors are of the view that with the recent buoyant and high liquidity equity market conditions, it is in the interests of the Company to raise equity capital to strengthen the Group's financial position and enlarge its capital base, and to finance the interest bearing borrowings by equity.

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FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES IN PAST TWELVE MONTHS

The table below sets out the equity fund raising activities of the Company in the past 12 months immediately preceding the date of the Announcement.

| Nature of transaction | Date of mandate granted | Date of agreement | Date of announcement | Net proceeds | Intended use of proceeds as announced | Actual use of proceeds |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Subscription of 69,895,000 new Shares | 30 August 2006 | 1 December 2006 | 1 December 2006 | Approximately HK\$26.3 million | Intended to be used for general working capital of the Group | Fully utilized as intended |

Save as aforesaid, the Company did not conduct any other fund raising activities in the past 12 months immediately preceding the date of the Announcement.

FINANCIAL AND TRADING PROSPECT OF THE GROUP

The principal activity of the Company is investment holding. The Group ceased the businesses of manufacture and sale of snap off blade cutters and electronic consumer products in March 2007 and now focuses on properties investment business.

According to the 2007 annual report of the Company, the Group incurred an audited net loss of approximately HK\$29.8 million and HK\$18.6 million respectively for each of the two years ended 31 March 2006 and 2007. Following the disposal of a loss-making group of subsidiaries engaged in snap off blade cutters and electronic consumer products in March 2007, the Group concentrates on properties investment business and actively explores other investment opportunities. As at 31 March 2007, the Group had audited net current assets of approximately HK\$2.0 million and net asset value of approximately HK\$35.9 million.

Align with the initiative to broaden the Group's business horizon and diversify the income stream, the Group will proactively seek for new and viable real estate investment opportunities in the PRC. The acquisition of the Existing Properties in 2006 provides a good opportunity enabling the Group to advance into the property market in the PRC.

On 20 July 2007, the Company announced that the Group entered into three sale and purchase agreements with three independent third parties regarding the acquisition of three commercial properties in Shanghai, the PRC. The total consideration payable by the Company for the Acquisitions is HK\$160,098,000. It is intended that the Group will finance the consideration of the Acquisitions principally by bank borrowings. It is expected that the Acquisitions will contribute new stable income stream to the Group.

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PERMISSION OF THE BERMUDA MONETARY AUTHORITY

Permission under the Exchange Control Act 1972 of Bermuda (and regulations made thereunder) has been received from the Bermuda Monetary Authority pursuant to a public notice dated 1 June 2005 in respect of the issue of shares of the Company (which would include the Offer Shares) to persons regarded as non-residents of Bermuda for exchange control purposes subject to the requirement that the shares of the Company are listed on an appointed stock exchange such as the Stock Exchange. In granting such permission and in accepting the Prospectus Documents for filing, neither the Bermuda Monetary Authority nor the Registrar of Companies in Bermuda accepts any responsibility for the financial soundness of the Group or for the correctness of any statements made or opinions expressed in the Prospectus Documents.

PROCEDURES FOR APPLICATION AND PAYMENT

An Application Form is enclosed with this prospectus which entitle you to apply for any number of Offer Shares. Qualifying Shareholders should note that they may apply for any lesser number of Offer Shares but are assured of an allotment only up to the number set out in the Application Form. If you are a Qualifying Shareholder and you wish to apply for any number of Shares in your assured allotment of Offer Shares as specified in the enclosed Application Form, you must complete, sign and lodge the Application Form in accordance with the instructions printed thereon, together with remittance for the aggregate Subscription Price in respect of such number of Offer Shares you have applied for with the Registrar, Tricor Secretaries Limited at 26th Floor, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong by not later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 17 September 2007. All remittances must be made in Hong Kong dollars and cheques or cashier's orders must be drawn on a bank account in Hong Kong and made payable to "Northern International Holdings Limited – Open Offer Account" and crossed "Account Payee Only".

It should be noted that unless the Application Form, together with the appropriate remittance, has been lodged with the Registrar by not later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 17 September 2007, that assured allotments and all rights thereunder will be deemed to have been declined and will be cancelled.

The Application Form contains full information regarding the procedures to be followed if you wish to apply for a number of Shares different from that in your assured allotment.

All cheques or cashier's orders will be presented for payment upon receipt and all interest earned on such monies (if any) will be retained for the benefit of the Company. Any application in respect of which the cheque or cashier's order is dishonoured on first presentation is liable to be rejected, and in that event the assured allotments and all rights thereunder will be deemed to have been declined and will be cancelled.

If the conditions of the Open Offer are not fulfilled, the application monies will be refunded, without interest, by sending a cheque made out to the applicant (or in the case of joint applicants, to the first named applicant) and crossed "Account Payee Only", through ordinary post at the risk of the applicant(s) to the address(es) specified in the register of members of the Company on or before Monday, 24 September 2007.

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The Application Form is for use only by the person(s) named therein and are not transferable.

No receipt will be issued in respect of any application monies received.

SHARE CERTIFICATES

Share certificates in respect of the Offer Shares which are successfully applied for by Qualifying Shareholders will be sent through ordinary post to the applicants (or, in the case of joint applicants, to the first named applicant), at their own risk, to the addresses specified in the register of members of the Company. On the assumption that the Open Offer becomes unconditional on or about Thursday, 20 September 2007, share certificates are expected to be posted on or before Monday, 24 September 2007.

GENERAL

Your attention is drawn to the additional information set out in the appendices to this prospectus.

Yours faithfully,
For and on behalf of
Northern International Holdings Limited
Mr. Zhao Qing Ji
Chairman

1. SHARE CAPITAL

The authorised and issued share capital of the Company as at the date of this prospectus and following completion of the Open Offer are and expected to be as follows:

HK\$

Authorised:

| | | |
|----------------------|--|----------------------|
| <u>3,500,000,000</u> | Shares as at the date of this prospectus | <u>35,000,000.00</u> |
|----------------------|--|----------------------|

Issued and fully paid:

| | | |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|
| 419,392,885.25 | Shares in issue as at the date of this prospectus | 4,193,928.85 |
| <u>1,258,178,655.75</u> | Offer Shares to be issued | <u>12,581,786.56</u> |
| <u>1,677,571,541.00</u> | | <u>16,775,715.41</u> |

All the Shares in issue and to be issued rank and will rank pari passu in all respects with each other including as regards dividends, voting and return of capital. The Company has not issued any Shares since 31 March 2007 and up to the Latest Practicable Date.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the Company had outstanding 850,000 Share Options entitling the holders thereof to subscribe for an aggregate of 850,000 Shares at an exercise price of HK\$0.2. Save for the aforesaid Share Options, the Company has no other options, warrants, derivatives, convertible notes or other securities of the Company convertible into or giving rights to subscribe for Shares.

Save as disclosed in this prospectus, no share or loan capital of the Company has been put under option or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be put under option and no warrant or conversion right affecting Shares has been issued or granted or agreed conditionally, or unconditionally to be issued or granted.

Save as disclosed in this prospectus, the Company has no options, warrants and conversion rights convertible into Shares and no share or loan capital of the Company has been issued or is proposed to be issued for cash or otherwise and no commissions, discounts, brokerages or other special terms have been granted in connection with the issue or sale of any such capital.

Shares are listed on the Stock Exchange. No part of the securities of the Company is listed or dealt in, nor is listing or permission to deal in the securities of the Company being or proposed to be sought, on any other stock exchange.

2. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION

A summary of the published results and the assets and liabilities of the Group as extracted from the relevant annual reports of the Company is set out below:

RESULTS

| | Year ended 31 March | | |
|---|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 | 2005 |
| | <i>HK\$'000</i> | <i>HK\$'000</i> | <i>HK\$'000</i> |
| Turnover | <u>33,477</u> | <u>2,941</u> | <u>70,084</u> |
| Profit/(Loss) before taxation | 14,664 | (5,042) | (19,126) |
| Taxation | <u>(4,729)</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>(511)</u> |
| Profit/(Loss) for the year from continuing operations | 9,935 | (5,042) | – |
| Loss for the year from discontinued operations | <u>(28,551)</u> | <u>(24,761)</u> | <u>–</u> |
| Net loss for the year | <u>(18,616)</u> | <u>(29,803)</u> | <u>(19,637)</u> |
| Loss per share | <u>HK5.10 cent</u> | <u>HK10.80 cent</u> | <u>HK0.41 cents</u> |

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

| | As at 31 March | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 | 2005 |
| | <i>HK\$'000</i> | <i>HK\$'000</i> | <i>HK\$'000</i> |
| Total assets | 267,628 | 100,297 | 129,595 |
| Total liabilities | <u>(231,688)</u> | <u>(85,967)</u> | <u>(89,152)</u> |
| Shareholders' funds | <u>35,940</u> | <u>14,330</u> | <u>127,812</u> |

There is no qualification opinion issued during the same period.

3. SUMMARY OF AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Set out below is the audited consolidated income statement, consolidated balance sheet, consolidated statement of changes in equity, consolidated cash flow statement and notes to the financial statements of the Group, and the balance sheet of the Company as extracted from the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2007. References to page numbers in this section are to the page numbers of such annual report of the Company.

“CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

For the Year ended 31 March 2007

| | <i>Note</i> | 2007 <i>HK\$</i> | 2006 <i>HK\$</i> (restated) |
|--|-------------|----------------------------|--|
| Continuing operations | | | |
| Turnover | 7 | 5,658,580 | 2,938,429 |
| Other revenue | 7 | 27,817,945 | 2,654 |
| Administrative expenses | | (18,808,380) | (7,976,584) |
| Other operating expenses | | (4,680) | (6,375) |
| | | <u>14,663,465</u> | <u>(5,041,876)</u> |
| Profit/(loss) from operations | 9 | 14,663,465 | (5,041,876) |
| Finance costs | 10 | – | (146) |
| | | <u>14,663,465</u> | <u>(5,042,022)</u> |
| Profit/(loss) before taxation | | 14,663,465 | (5,042,022) |
| Income tax | 13 | (4,728,240) | – |
| | | <u>(4,728,240)</u> | <u>–</u> |
| Profit/(loss) for the year from continuing operations | | 9,935,225 | (5,042,022) |
| Discontinued operations | | | |
| Loss for the year from discontinued operations | 8 | (28,551,269) | (24,761,000) |
| | | <u>(28,551,269)</u> | <u>(24,761,000)</u> |
| Loss for the year | | <u>(18,616,044)</u> | <u>(29,803,022)</u> |
| Attributable to: | | | |
| Equity shareholders of the Company | 14 | <u>(18,616,044)</u> | <u>(29,803,022)</u> |
| Earnings/(loss) per share | | | |
| From continuing and discontinued operations | 15 | | |
| – Basic | | <u>HK(5.10) cents</u> | <u>HK(10.80) cents</u> |
| – Diluted | | <u>N/A</u> | <u>N/A</u> |
| From continuing operations | | | |
| – Basic | | <u>HK2.72 cents</u> | <u>HK(1.83) cents</u> |
| – Diluted | | <u>HK2.72 cents</u> | <u>N/A</u> |

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET*As at 31 March 2007*

| | <i>Note</i> | 2007 <i>HK\$</i> | 2006 <i>HK\$</i> |
|--|-------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Non-current assets | | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 16 | 886,616 | 31,172,423 |
| Investment properties | 17 | 258,784,000 | 41,021,222 |
| Interests in leasehold land held for own use under operating leases | 18 | – | 4,351,938 |
| Interests in associates | 20 | – | – |
| Deferred tax assets | 31 | – | 5,724 |
| | | <u>259,670,616</u> | <u>76,551,307</u> |
| Current assets | | | |
| Inventories | 21 | – | 12,073,678 |
| Trade and bills receivables | 22 | – | 8,139,100 |
| Other receivables, deposits and prepayments | | 2,155,325 | 2,722,882 |
| Pledged deposits | 23 | – | 500,000 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 23 | 5,801,798 | 310,189 |
| | | <u>7,957,123</u> | <u>23,745,849</u> |
| Current liabilities | | | |
| Trade payables | 24 | – | 12,622,220 |
| Other payables and accruals | | 5,462,168 | 11,695,737 |
| Due to directors | 25 | 35,102 | 3,135,539 |
| Due to a related party | 26 | – | 13,941,893 |
| Obligations under finance leases | 28 | – | 742,961 |
| Bank overdrafts and interest-bearing borrowings | 29 | – | 40,603,814 |
| Tax payable | 30 | 419,619 | 1,766,284 |
| | | <u>5,916,889</u> | <u>84,508,448</u> |
| Net current assets/(liabilities) | | <u>2,040,234</u> | <u>(60,762,599)</u> |
| Total assets less current liabilities | | <u>261,710,850</u> | <u>15,788,708</u> |

| | | 2007 | 2006 |
|--|-------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | <i>Note</i> | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Non-current liabilities | | | |
| Bank overdrafts and interest-bearing borrowings | 29 | – | 1,270,754 |
| Obligations under finance leases | 28 | – | 188,174 |
| Other payable | 27 | 2,751,624 | – |
| Long term payable | 35(c) | 162,504,072 | – |
| Deferred tax liabilities | 31 | 60,515,002 | – |
| | | <u>225,770,698</u> | <u>1,458,928</u> |
| NET ASSETS | | <u><u>35,940,152</u></u> | <u><u>14,329,780</u></u> |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | |
| Share capital | 32 | 83,878,577 | 58,299,577 |
| Reserves | 34 | (47,938,425) | (43,969,797) |
| | | <u>35,940,152</u> | <u>14,329,780</u> |
| Total equity attributable to equity shareholders of the Company | | <u>35,940,152</u> | <u>14,329,780</u> |
| TOTAL EQUITY | | <u><u>35,940,152</u></u> | <u><u>14,329,780</u></u> |

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the Year ended 31 March 2007

| | Share capital HK\$ | Share premium HK\$ | Buildings revaluation reserve HK\$ | Special reserve HK\$ | Exchange fluctuation reserve HK\$ | Accumulated losses HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| At 1 April 2005 | 48,699,577 | 24,062,750 | - | (11,152,801) | (112,109) | (29,846,494) | 31,650,923 |
| Issue of new shares | 9,600,000 | 2,880,000 | - | - | - | - | 12,480,000 |
| Share issuance expense | - | (66,462) | - | - | - | - | (66,462) |
| Share consolidation expense | - | (132,849) | - | - | - | - | (132,849) |
| Exchange realignment | - | - | - | - | (345,206) | - | (345,206) |
| Surplus on revaluation | - | - | 578,596 | - | - | - | 578,596 |
| Deferred tax credited in the revaluation reserve | - | - | (32,200) | - | - | - | (32,200) |
| Loss for the year | - | - | - | - | - | (29,803,022) | (29,803,022) |
| At 31 March 2006 | <u>58,299,577</u> | <u>26,743,439</u> | <u>546,396</u> | <u>(11,152,801)</u> | <u>(457,315)</u> | <u>(59,649,516)</u> | <u>14,329,780</u> |
| At 1 April 2006 | 58,299,577 | 26,743,439 | 546,396 | (11,152,801) | (457,315) | (59,649,516) | 14,329,780 |
| Issue of new shares | 25,579,000 | 14,321,100 | - | - | - | - | 39,900,100 |
| Share issuance expense | - | (153,465) | - | - | - | - | (153,465) |
| Exchange realignment | - | - | - | - | (93,436) | - | (93,436) |
| Reversal of deferred tax on disposal of investment properties | - | - | 115,902 | - | - | - | 115,902 |
| Disposal of buildings held for own use | - | - | (662,298) | - | - | 662,298 | - |
| Disposal of foreign operations | - | - | - | - | 457,315 | - | 457,315 |
| Loss for the year | - | - | - | - | - | (18,616,044) | (18,616,044) |
| At 31 March 2007 | <u>83,878,577</u> | <u>40,911,074</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(11,152,801)</u> | <u>(93,436)</u> | <u>(77,603,262)</u> | <u>35,940,152</u> |
| Reserves retained by the Company and subsidiaries | | | | | | | |
| At 31 March 2007 | <u>83,878,577</u> | <u>40,911,074</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(11,152,801)</u> | <u>(93,436)</u> | <u>(77,603,262)</u> | <u>35,940,152</u> |
| At 31 March 2006 | <u>58,299,577</u> | <u>26,743,439</u> | <u>546,396</u> | <u>(11,152,801)</u> | <u>(457,315)</u> | <u>(59,649,516)</u> | <u>14,329,780</u> |

CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

For the Year ended 31 March 2007

| | <i>Note</i> | 2007 <i>HK\$</i> | 2006 <i>HK\$</i> (restated) |
|--|-------------|----------------------------|--|
| Operating activities | | | |
| Profit/(loss) before taxation | | | |
| From continuing operations | | 14,663,465 | (5,042,022) |
| From discontinued operations | | (28,551,269) | (24,653,252) |
| Adjustments for: | | | |
| Amortisation of land lease premium | | 74,070 | 114,359 |
| Finance costs | | 1,927,130 | 2,387,099 |
| Interest income on bank deposits | | (173,067) | (16,603) |
| Depreciation | | 1,373,552 | 3,204,900 |
| Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment | | (9,089,307) | – |
| Fair value adjustments of investment properties | | (15,145,560) | (205,212) |
| Surplus on revaluation of buildings | | (100,000) | (828,679) |
| Negative goodwill | 35(a) | (3,405,803) | – |
| Gain on disposal of subsidiaries | 35(b) | (2,440,813) | – |
| Write-off of plant and equipment | | 5,507,581 | – |
| Impairment loss on slow-moving and obsolete inventories | | 5,191,601 | 53,265 |
| Write back on due from associates | | – | (770,825) |
| Foreign exchange (gain)/loss, net | | (118,266) | 271,998 |
| Operating loss before changes in working capital | | (30,286,686) | (25,484,972) |
| Decrease in inventories | | 1,837,320 | 8,342,661 |
| (Increase)/decrease in trade and bills receivables | | (1,857,767) | 2,250,360 |
| Decrease in other receivables, deposits and prepayment | | 1,208,499 | 1,535,722 |
| (Decrease)/increase in trade payables | | (4,435,945) | 1,538,820 |
| (Decrease)/increase in other payables and accruals | | (2,854,437) | 1,220,381 |
| Decrease in due to associates | | – | (884,580) |
| Decrease in due to directors | | (1,422,743) | (1,070,790) |
| Cash used in operations | | (37,811,759) | (12,552,398) |
| Tax paid | | (294,213) | (21,268) |
| Net cash used in operating activities | | (38,105,972) | (12,573,666) |

| | <i>Note</i> | 2007 <i>HK\$</i> | 2006 <i>HK\$</i> (restated) |
|---|-------------|----------------------------|--|
| Investing activities | | | |
| Purchase of plant and equipment | | (672,507) | (3,228,086) |
| Interest received | | 173,067 | 16,603 |
| Cash outflow from acquisition of subsidiaries | 35(a) | (17,215,220) | – |
| Cash outflow from disposal of subsidiaries | 35(b) | (1,302,167) | – |
| Net proceeds from disposal of investment properties | | 73,529,412 | – |
| Increase in pledged deposits | | (1,000,000) | – |
| Net cash generated from/(used in) investing activities | | 53,512,585 | (3,211,483) |
| Financing activities | | | |
| Proceeds from issue of shares | | 39,900,100 | 12,480,000 |
| Inception of bank loans | | – | 23,335,602 |
| Repayment of bank loans | | (32,558,256) | (21,821,872) |
| Inception of finance leases | | – | 1,615,000 |
| Capital element of finance lease rentals paid | | (667,789) | (922,957) |
| Interest element of finance lease rentals paid | | (52,653) | (71,231) |
| Interest paid | | (1,874,477) | (2,315,868) |
| Share issuance expense | | (153,465) | (199,311) |
| Repayment to a related party | | (13,882,280) | (328,654) |
| Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities | | (9,288,820) | 11,770,709 |
| Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | | 6,117,793 | (4,014,440) |
| Cash and cash equivalents, at beginning of year | | (315,995) | 3,698,445 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, at end of year | | 5,801,798 | (315,995) |
| Analysis of the balances of cash and cash equivalents | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 23 | 5,801,798 | 310,189 |
| Secured bank overdrafts | 29 | – | (626,184) |
| | | 5,801,798 | (315,995) |

BALANCE SHEET*As at 31 March 2007*

| | <i>Note</i> | 2007 <i>HK\$</i> | 2006 <i>HK\$</i> |
|--|-------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Non-current assets | | | |
| Plant and equipment | 16 | 3,109 | 6,390 |
| Interests in subsidiaries | 19 | 183,681,072 | 62,887,652 |
| | | <u>183,684,181</u> | <u>62,894,042</u> |
| Current assets | | | |
| Other receivables, deposits and prepayments | | 1,651 | – |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 23 | 2,393,424 | 6,389 |
| | | <u>2,395,075</u> | <u>6,389</u> |
| Current liabilities | | | |
| Other payables and accruals | | 1,525,425 | 1,372,747 |
| Due to directors | 25 | 35,102 | 3,135,539 |
| Due to a related party | 26 | – | 13,505,000 |
| | | <u>1,560,527</u> | <u>18,013,286</u> |
| Net current assets/(liabilities) | | <u>834,548</u> | <u>(18,006,897)</u> |
| Total assets less current liabilities | | 184,518,729 | 44,887,145 |
| Non current liabilities | | | |
| Long term payable | 35(c) | 162,504,072 | – |
| NET ASSETS | | <u><u>22,014,657</u></u> | <u><u>44,887,145</u></u> |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | |
| Share capital | 32 | 83,878,577 | 58,299,577 |
| Reserves | 34 | (61,863,920) | (13,412,432) |
| TOTAL EQUITY | | <u><u>22,014,657</u></u> | <u><u>44,887,145</u></u> |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS*For the Year ended 31 March 2007***1. CORPORATE INFORMATION**

The Company is an investment holding company. The principal activities of its subsidiaries are set out in note 19 to the financial statements.

2. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with all applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards (“HKFRSs”), which collective term includes all applicable individual Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, Hong Kong Accounting Standards (“HKASs”) and Interpretations issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (“HKICPA”), accounting principles generally accepted in Hong Kong, the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and the applicable disclosure provisions of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

The HKICPA has issued certain new and revised HKFRSs that are first effective or available for early adoption for the current accounting period of the Group and the Company. The accounting policies of the Group and the Company after the adoption of these new and revised HKFRSs have been summarised below.

The Group has not applied any new standard, amendment or interpretation that is not yet effective for the current accounting period (see note 44). The following standards, amendments and interpretations which are not relevant to the Group’s operations have been issued and effective at the time of preparing this information :

- HKAS 19 Amendment – Actuarial Gains and Losses, Group Plans and Disclosures
- HKAS 21 Amendment – Net Investment in a Foreign Operation;
- HKAS 39 Amendment – Cash Flow Hedge Accounting of Forecast Intragroup Transactions;
- HKAS 39 Amendment – The Fair Value Option;
- HKFRS 6 – Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources;
- HKFRSs 1 & 6 – Amendments – First-time Adoption of Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards and Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources;
- HKFRS-Int 4 – Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease;
- HKFRS-Int 5 – Rights to Interests arising from Decommissioning, Restoration and Environmental Rehabilitation Funds;
- HK(IFRIC)-Int 6 – Liabilities arising from Participating in a Specific Market -Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment; and
- HK(IFRIC)-Int 7 – Applying the Restatement Approach under HKAS 29 Financial Reporting in Hyper inflationary Economies.

HKAS 39 and HKFRS 4 (Amendments) “Financial Guarantee Contracts” is effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2006.

Financial guarantee contracts were previously only disclosed as contingent liabilities as they did not fall within the scope of HKAS 39. Following the introduction of HKAS 39 and HKFRS 4 (Amendments), financial guarantee contracts are accounted for as financial liabilities. Financial guarantee contracts should be measured initially at fair value when the fair value can be measured reliably. Subsequently, they are measured at the higher of (i) the amount determined in accordance with HKAS 37 - Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets and (ii) the amount initially recognized less, where appropriate, cumulative amortization recognized over the life of the guarantee on a straight-line basis.

The adoption of HKAS 39 and HKFRS 4 (Amendments) has no impact on the consolidated and Company’s balance sheet.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**a) BASIS OF PREPARATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2007 comprise the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the “Group”) and the Group’s interest in associates.

The measurement basis used in the preparation of the financial statements is the historical cost basis except that investment property and properties held for own use are stated at their fair value.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with HKFRSs requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Judgements made by management in the application of HKFRSs that have significant effect on the financial statements and estimates with a significant risk of material adjustment in the next year are discussed in note 5.

b) BUSINESS COMBINATIONS

The acquisition of subsidiaries is accounted for using the purchase method. The cost of the acquisition is measured at the aggregate of the fair values, at the date of exchange, of assets given, liabilities incurred or assumed, and equity instruments issued by the Group in exchange for control of the acquiree, plus any costs directly attributable to the business combination. The acquiree’s identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities that meet the conditions for recognition under HKFRS 3 Business Combinations are recognized at their fair values at the acquisition date.

Goodwill arising on acquisition is recognized as an asset and initially measured at cost, being the excess of the cost of the business combination over the Group’s interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities recognized. If, after reassessment, the Group’s interest in the net fair value of the acquiree’s identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities exceeds the cost of the business combination, the excess is recognized immediately in income statement.

The interest of minority shareholders in the acquiree is initially measured at the minority’s proportion of the net fair value of the assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities recognized.

c) SUBSIDIARIES AND MINORITY INTERESTS

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Group. Control exists when the Group has the power to govern the financial and operating policies of an entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities. In assessing control, potential voting rights that presently are exercisable are taken into account.

An investment in a subsidiary is consolidated into the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases. Intra-group balances and transactions and any unrealised profits arising from intragroup transactions are eliminated in full in preparing the consolidated financial statements. Unrealised losses resulting from intra-group transactions are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

Minority interests represent the portion of the net assets of subsidiaries attributable to interests that are not owned by the Company, whether directly or indirectly through subsidiaries, and in respect of which the Group has not agreed any additional terms with the holders of those interests which would result in the Group as a whole having a contractual obligation in respect of those interests that meets the definition of a financial liability. Minority interests are presented in the consolidated balance sheet within equity, separately from equity attributable to the equity shareholders of the Company. Minority interests in the results of the Group are presented on the face of the consolidated income statement as an allocation of the total profit or loss for the year between minority interests and the equity shareholders of the Company.

Where losses applicable to the minority exceed the minority's interest in the equity of a subsidiary, the excess, and any further losses applicable to the minority, are charged against the Group's interest except to the extent that the minority has a binding obligation to, and is able to, make additional investment to cover the losses. If the subsidiary subsequently reports profits, the Group's interest is allocated all such profits until the minority's share of losses previously absorbed by the Group has been recovered.

In the Company's balance sheet, an investment in a subsidiary is stated at cost less impairment losses (see note 3(i)).

d) ASSOCIATES

An associate is an entity in which the Group or Company has significant influence, but not control or joint control, over its management, including participation in the financial and operating policy decisions.

An investment in an associate is accounted for in the consolidated financial statements under the equity method and is initially recorded at cost and adjusted thereafter for the post acquisition change in the Group's share of the associate's net assets, unless it is classified as held for sale.

The consolidated income statement includes the Group's share of the post-acquisition, post-tax results of the associates for the year, including any impairment loss on goodwill relating to the investment in associates recognised for the year.

When the Group's share of losses exceeds its interest in the associate, the Group's interest is reduced to nil and recognition of further losses is discontinued except to the extent that the Group has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate. For this purpose, the Group's interest in the associate is the carrying amount of the investment under the equity method together with the Group's long-term interests that in substance form part of the Group's net investment in the associate.

Unrealised profits and losses resulting from transactions between the Group and its associates are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the associate, except where unrealised losses provide evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred, in which case they are recognised immediately in income statement.

In the Company's balance sheet, its investments in associates are stated at cost less impairment losses (see note 3(i)), unless it is classified as held for sale.

e) GOODWILL

Goodwill represents the excess of the cost of a business combination or an investment in an associate over the Group's interest in the net fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities.

Goodwill is stated at cost less accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is allocated to cash-generating units and is tested annually for impairment. In respect of associates, the carrying amount of goodwill is included in the carrying amount of the interest in the associate.

Any excess of the Group's interest in the net fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of a business combination or an investment in an associate is recognised immediately in income statement.

On disposal of a cash generating unit or an associate during the year, any attributable amount of purchased goodwill is included in the calculation of the profit or loss on disposal.

f) PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Properties held for own use are stated in the balance sheet at their revalued amount, being their fair value at the date of the revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation.

Revaluations are performed with sufficient regularity to ensure that the carrying amount of these assets does not differ materially from that which would be determined using fair values at the balance sheet date.

Other items of plant and equipment are stated in the balance sheet at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses (see note 3(i)).

Changes arising on the revaluation of properties held for own use are generally dealt with in reserves. The only exceptions are as follows:

- when a deficit arises on revaluation, it will be charged to income statement to the extent that it exceeds the amount held in the reserve in respect of that same asset immediately prior to the revaluation; and
- when a surplus arises on revaluation, it will be credited to income statement to the extent that a deficit on revaluation in respect of that same asset had previously been charged to income statement.

Gains or losses arising from the retirement or disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment are determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item and are recognised in income statement on the date of retirement or disposal. Any related revaluation surplus is transferred from the revaluation reserve to retained profits.

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost or valuation of items of property, plant and equipment, less their estimated residual value, if any, using the straight line method over their estimated useful lives as follows:

| | |
|--|---|
| – Buildings situated on leasehold land | 2% or over the lease terms, whichever is shorter |
| – Leasehold improvements | 20% |
| – Plant and machinery | 20% - 25% |
| – Furniture and equipment | 20% |
| – Motor vehicles | 20% - 25% |

Where parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, the cost or valuation of the item is allocated on a reasonable basis between the parts and each part is depreciated separately. Both the useful life of an asset and its residual value, if any, are reviewed annually.

g) INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

Investment properties are land and/or buildings which are owned or held under a leasehold interest to earn rental income and/or for capital appreciation.

Investment properties are stated in the balance sheet at fair value. Any gain or loss arising from a change in fair value or from the retirement or disposal of an investment property is recognised in income statement. Rental income from investment properties is accounted for as described in note 3(p)(iv).

h) LEASED ASSETS*i) Classification of assets leased to the Group*

Assets that are held by Group under leases which transfer to the Group substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as being held under finance leases. Leases which do not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the Group are classified as operating leases.

ii) Assets acquired under finance leases

Where the Group acquires the use of assets under finance leases, the amounts representing the fair value of the leased asset, or, if lower, the present value of the minimum lease payments, of such assets are included in fixed assets and the corresponding liabilities, net of finance charges, are recorded as obligations under finance leases. Depreciation is provided at rates which write off the cost or valuation of the assets over the term of the relevant lease or, where it is likely the Group will obtain ownership of the asset, the life of the asset, as set out in note 3(f). Impairment losses are accounted for in accordance with the accounting policy as set out in note 3(i). Finance charges implicit in the lease payments are charged to income statement over the period of the leases so as to produce an approximately constant periodic rate of charge on the remaining balance of the obligations for each accounting period. Contingent rentals are written off as an expense of the accounting period in which they are incurred.

iii) Operating lease charges

Where the Group has the use of assets held under operating leases, payments made under the leases are charged to income statement in equal instalments over the accounting periods covered by the lease term, except where an alternative basis is more representative of the pattern of benefits to be derived from the leased asset. Lease incentives received are recognised in income statement as an integral part of the aggregate net lease payments made. Contingent rentals are charged to income statement in the accounting period in which they are incurred.

The cost of acquiring land held under an operating lease is amortised on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease term except where the property is classified as an investment property.

i) IMPAIRMENT OF ASSETS*i) Impairment of other receivables*

Current receivables that are stated at cost or amortised cost are reviewed at each balance sheet date to determine whether there is objective evidence of impairment. If any such evidence exists, any impairment loss is determined and recognised as follows:

- For trade and other current receivables carried at amortised cost, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate (i.e. the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition of these assets), where the effect of discounting is material.

If in a subsequent period the amount of an impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be linked objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised, the impairment loss is reversed through income statement. A reversal of an impairment loss shall not result in the asset's carrying amount exceeding that which would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised in prior years.

ii) *Impairment of other assets*

Internal and external sources of information are reviewed at each balance sheet date to identify indications that the following assets may be impaired or, except in the case of goodwill, an impairment loss previously recognised no longer exists or may have decreased:

- property, plant and equipment (other than properties carried at revalued amounts);
- pre-paid interests in leasehold land classified as being held under an operating lease;
- investments in subsidiaries and associates; and
- goodwill.

If any such indication exists, the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. In addition, for goodwill, the recoverable amount is estimated annually to determine whether or not there is any indication of impairment.

- Calculation of recoverable amount

The recoverable amount of an asset is the greater of its net selling price and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. Where an asset does not generate cash inflows largely independent of those from other assets, the recoverable amount is determined for the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows independently (i.e. a cash-generating unit).

- Recognition of impairment losses

An impairment loss is recognised in income statement whenever the carrying amount of an asset, or the cash-generating unit to which it belongs, exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognised in respect of cash-generating units are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the cash generating unit (or group of units) and then, to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets in the unit (or group of units) on a pro rata basis, except that the carrying value of an asset will not be reduced below its individual fair value less costs to sell, or value in use, if determinable.

- Reversals of impairment losses

In respect of assets other than goodwill, an impairment loss is reversed if there has been a favourable change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. A reversal of an impairment loss is limited to the asset's carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised in prior years. Reversals of impairment losses are credited to income statement in the year in which the reversals are recognised.

j) **INVENTORIES**

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost, which comprises all costs of purchase and, where applicable, costs of conversion and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition, is determined on the first-in, first-out basis. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

When inventories are sold, the carrying amount of those inventories is recognised as an expense in the period in which the related revenue is recognised. The amount of any write-down of inventories to net realisable value and all losses of inventories are recognised as an expense in the period the write-down or loss occurs. The amount of any reversal of any write-down of inventories is recognised as a reduction in the amount of inventories recognised as an expense in the period in which the reversal occurs.

k) TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

Trade and other receivables are initially recognised at fair value and thereafter stated at amortised cost less impairment losses for bad and doubtful debts, except where the receivables are interest-free loans made to related parties without any fixed repayment terms or the effect of discounting would be immaterial. In such cases, the receivables are stated at cost less impairment losses for bad and doubtful debts (see note 3 (i)).

l) CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at bank and on hand, demand deposits with banks and other financial institutions, and short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, having been within three months of maturity at acquisition. Bank overdrafts that are repayable on demand and form an integral part of the Group's cash management are also included as a component of cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement.

m) TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

Trade and other payables are initially recognised at fair value and thereafter stated at amortised cost unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost.

n) INTEREST-BEARING BORROWINGS

Interest-bearing borrowings are recognised initially at fair value less attributable transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, interest-bearing borrowings are stated at amortised cost with any difference between the amount initially recognised and redemption value being recognised in income statement over the period of the borrowings together with any interest and fees payable using the effective interest method.

o) INCOME TAX

Income tax for the year comprises current tax and movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities. Current tax and movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised in income statement except to the extent that they relate to items recognised directly in equity, in which case they are recognised in equity. Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities arise from deductible and taxable temporary differences respectively, being the differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and their tax bases. Deferred tax assets also arise from unused tax losses and unused tax credits.

Apart from certain limited exceptions, all deferred tax liabilities, and all deferred tax assets to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the asset can be utilized, are recognised. Future taxable profits that may support the recognition of deferred tax assets arising from deductible temporary differences include those that will arise from the reversal of existing taxable temporary differences, provided those differences relate to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity, and are expected to reverse either in the same period as the expected reversal of the deductible temporary difference or in periods into which a tax loss arising from the deferred tax asset can be carried back or forward. The same criteria are adopted when determining whether existing taxable temporary differences support the recognition of deferred tax assets arising from unused tax losses and credits, that is, those differences are taken into account if they relate to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity, and are expected to reverse in a period, or periods, in which the tax loss or credit can be utilised.

The limited exceptions to recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities are those temporary differences arising from goodwill not deductible for tax purposes, the initial recognition of assets or liabilities that affect neither accounting nor taxable profit (provided they are not part of a business combination), and temporary differences relating to investments in subsidiaries to the extent that, in the case of taxable differences, the Group controls the timing of the reversal and it is probable that the differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future, or in the case of deductible differences, unless it is probable that they will reverse in the future.

The amount of deferred tax recognised is measured based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of the assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

The carrying amount of a deferred tax asset is reviewed at each balance sheet date and is reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow the related tax benefit to be utilized. Any such reduction is reversed to the extent that it becomes probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available.

Current tax balances and deferred tax balances, and movements therein, are presented separately from each other and are not offset. Current tax assets are offset against current tax liabilities, and deferred tax assets against deferred tax liabilities, if the Company or the Group has the legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the following additional conditions are met:

- in the case of current tax assets and liabilities, the Company or the Group intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously; or
- in the case of deferred tax assets and liabilities, if they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either:
 - the same taxable entity; or
 - different taxable entities, which, in each future period in which significant amounts of deferred tax liabilities or assets are expected to be settled or recovered, intend to realise the current tax assets and settle the current tax liabilities on a net basis or realise and settle simultaneously.

p) REVENUE RECOGNITION

Provided it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the revenue and costs, if applicable, can be measured reliably, revenue is recognised in the income statement as follows:

- i) Revenue is recognised when goods are delivered at the customers' premises which is taken to be the point in time when the customer has accepted the goods and the related risks and rewards of ownership.
- ii) Interest income is recognised as it accrues using the effective interest method.
- iii) Management fee income is recognised when the services are provided.
- iv) Rental income receivable under operating leases is recognised in the income statement in equal instalments over the periods covered by the lease term.

q) TRANSLATION OF FOREIGN CURRENCIES

Foreign currency transactions during the year are translated at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date. Exchange gains and losses are recognised in income statement.

Non-monetary assets and liabilities that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the foreign exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are stated at fair value are translated using the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates the fair value was determined.

The results of foreign operations are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the exchange rates approximating the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates of the transactions. Balance sheet items, including goodwill arising on consolidation of foreign operations acquired on or after 1 January 2005, are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date. The resulting exchange differences are recognised directly in a separate component of equity. Goodwill arising on consolidation of a foreign operation acquired before 1 January 2005 is translated at the foreign exchange rate that applied at the date of acquisition of the foreign operation.

On disposal of a foreign operation, the cumulative amount of the exchange differences recognised in equity which relate to that foreign operation is included in the calculation of the profit or loss on disposal.

r) BORROWING COSTS

Borrowing costs are expensed in the income statement in the period in which they are incurred, except to the extent that they are capitalised as being directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset which necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale.

s) DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS

A discontinued operation is a component of the Group's business, the operations and cash flows of which can be clearly distinguished from the rest of the Group and which represents a separate major line of business or geographical area of operations, or is part of a single co-ordinated plan to dispose of a separate major line of business or geographical area of operations, or is a subsidiary acquired exclusively with a view to resale.

Classification as a discontinued operation occurs upon disposal or when the operation meets the criteria to be classified as held for sale, if earlier. It also occurs when the operation is abandoned.

Where an operation is classified as discontinued, a single amount is presented on the face of the income statement, which comprises:

- the post-tax profit or loss of the discontinued operation; and
- the post-tax gain or loss recognized on the measurement to fair value less costs to sell, or on the disposal, of the assets or disposal group(s) constituting the discontinued operation.

t) RELATED PARTIES

For the purpose of these financial statements, parties are considered to be related to the Group if:

- (i) the party has the ability, directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, to control the Group or exercise significant influence over the Group in making financial and operating policy decisions, or has joint control over the Group;
- (ii) the Group and the party are subject to common control;
- (iii) the party is an associate of the Group or a joint venture in which the Group is a venturer;
- (iv) the party is member of key management personnel of the Group or the Group's parent, or a close family member of such an individual, or is an entity under the control, joint control or significant influence of such individuals;
- (v) the party is a close family member of a party referred to in (i) or is an entity under the control, joint control or significant influence of such individuals; or
- (vi) the party is a post-employment benefit plan which is for the benefit of employees of the Group or of any entity that is a related party of the Group.

Close family members of an individual are those family members who may be expected to influence, or be influenced by, that individual in their dealings with the entity.

u) EMPLOYEE BENEFITS*i) Short term employee benefits and contributions to defined contribution retirement plans*

Salaries, annual bonuses, paid annual leave, contributions to defined contribution plans and the cost of non-monetary benefits are accrued in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees. Where payment or settlement is deferred and the effect would be material, these amounts are stated at their present values.

ii) Employment Ordinance long service payments

Certain of the Group's employees have completed the required number of years of service to the Group in order to be eligible for long service payments under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance in the event of the termination of their employment. The Group is liable to make such payments in the event that such a termination of employment meets the circumstances specified in the Employment Ordinance.

A contingent liability is disclosed in respect of possible future long service payments to employees, as a number of current employees have achieved the required number of years of service to the Group, to the balance sheet date, in order to be eligible for long service payments under the Employment Ordinance if their employment is terminated in the circumstances specified. A provision has not been recognised in respect of such possible payments, as it is not considered probable that the situation will result in a material future outflow of resources from the Group.

iii) Share option scheme

The fair value of share options granted to employees is recognised as an employee cost with a corresponding increase in a capital reserve within equity. The fair value is measured at grant date using the binomial lattice model, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted. Where the employees have to meet vesting conditions before becoming unconditionally entitled to the share options, the total estimated fair value of the share options is spread over the vesting period, taking into account the probability that the options will vest.

During the vesting period, the number of share options that is expected to vest is reviewed. Any adjustment to the cumulative fair value recognised in prior years is charged/credited to the income statement for the year of the review, unless the original employee expenses qualify for recognition as an asset, with a corresponding adjustment to the capital reserve. On vesting date, the amount recognised as an expense is adjusted to reflect the actual number of share options that vest (with a corresponding adjustment to the capital reserve) except where forfeiture is only due to not achieving vesting conditions that relate to the market price of the Company's shares. The equity amount is recognised in the capital reserve until either the option is exercised (when it is transferred to the share premium account) or the option expires (when it is released directly to retained profits).

v) **SEGMENT REPORTING**

A segment is a distinguishable component of the Group that is engaged either in providing products or services (business segment), or in providing products or services within a particular economic environment (geographical segment), which is subject to risks and rewards that are different from those of other segments.

In accordance with the Group's internal financial reporting system, the Group has chosen business segment information as the primary reporting format and geographical segment information as the secondary reporting format for the purposes of these financial statements.

Segment revenue, expenses, results, assets and liabilities include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis to that segment. For example, segment assets may include inventories, trade receivables and property, plant and equipment. Segment revenue, expenses, assets, and liabilities are determined before intra-group balances and intra-group transactions are eliminated as part of the consolidation process, except to the extent that such intra-group balances and transactions are between Group entities within a single segment. Inter-segment pricing is based on similar terms as those available to other external parties.

Segment capital expenditure is the total cost incurred during the period to acquire segment assets (both tangible and intangible) that are expected to be used for more than one period.

Unallocated items mainly comprise financial and corporate assets, interest-bearing loans, borrowings, tax balances, corporate and financing expenses.

w) **FINANCIAL GUARANTEES ISSUED, PROVISIONS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

i) *Financial guarantees issued*

Financial guarantees are contracts that require the issuer (i.e. the guarantor) to make specified payments to reimburse the beneficiary of the guarantee (the "holder") for a loss the holder incurs because a specified debtor fails to make payment when due in accordance with the terms of a debt instrument.

Where the Group issues a financial guarantee, the fair value of the guarantee (being the transaction price, unless the fair value can otherwise be reliably estimated) is initially recognised as deferred income within trade and other payables. Where consideration is received or receivable for the issuance of the guarantee, the consideration is recognised in accordance with the Group's policies applicable to that category of asset. Where no such consideration is received or receivable, an immediate expense is recognised in the income statement on initial recognition of any deferred income.

The amount of the guarantee initially recognised as deferred income is amortised in the income statement over the term of the guarantee as income from financial guarantees issued. In addition, provisions are recognised and when (1) it becomes probable that the holder of the guarantee will call upon the Group under the guarantee, and (2) the amount of that claim on the Group is expected to exceed the amount currently carried in trade and other payables in respect of that guarantee i.e. the amount initially recognised, less accumulated amortisation.

ii) *Other provisions and contingent liabilities*

Provisions are recognised for liabilities of uncertain timing or amount when the Group has a legal or constructive obligation arising as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made. Where the time value of money is material, provisions are stated at the present value of the expenditure expected to settle the obligation.

Where it is not probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required, or the amount cannot be estimated reliably, the obligation is disclosed as a contingent liability, unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote. Possible obligations, whose existence will only be confirmed by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more future events are also disclosed as contingent liabilities unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote.

4. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

Financial risk factors

The Group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including foreign exchange risk and interest rate risk, credit risk and liquidity risk).

a) *Foreign exchange risk*

The Group mainly operates in the mainland China with most of the transactions denominated and settled in Renminbi ("RMB"). However, foreign currencies, mainly Euro, are required to settle the Group's sales of snap off blade cutters to overseas customers and the relative expenses. RMB is not freely convertible into other foreign currencies and conversion of RMB into foreign currencies is subject to rules and regulations of foreign exchange control promulgated by the mainland China government.

The Group has not used any forward contracts, currency borrowings or other means to hedge its foreign currency exposure. RMB against United States Dollars was relatively stable during the years and as a result, the Group considers it has no material foreign exchange risk.

b) *Interest rate risk*

The Group's interest rate risk arises from debt borrowings. Borrowings issued at variable rates expose the Group to cash flow interest-rate risk whilst borrowings at fixed rates expose the Group to fair value interest-rate risk. Details of the Group's borrowings have been disclosed in note 29 to the financial statements.

The Group has not used any interest rate swaps to hedge its exposure to interest rate risk.

c) *Credit risk*

The Group has no significant concentrations of credit risk. The carrying amounts of cash and cash equivalents, trade and bills receivables and other receivables represent the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk in relation to financial assets. The Group has policy that limit the amount of credit exposure to any financial institutions. The Group has also policies in place to ensure that the sale of products are made to customers with appropriate credit history and the Group performs periodic credit evaluations of its customers.

d) *Liquidity risk*

Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash, the availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities. The Group aims to maintain flexibility in funding by keeping committed credit lines available.

5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The Group makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below.

Property, plant and equipment

The Group assesses annually whether property, plant and equipment have any indication of impairment. The recoverable amounts of property, plant and equipment have been determined based on value-in-use calculations. These calculations require the use of judgements and estimates.

6. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Segment information is presented by way of two segment formats : (i) on a primary segment reporting basis, by business segment; and (ii) on a secondary segment reporting basis, by geographical segment.

The Group's operating businesses are structured and managed separately, according to the nature of their operations and the products and services they provide. Each of the Group's business segments represents a strategic business unit that offers products and services which are subject to risks and returns that are different from those of the other business segments.

Summary details of the business segments are as follows:

- i) the snap off blade cutters segment manufactures and sells snap off blade cutters;
- ii) the electronic consumer products segment manufactures and sells electronic consumer products; and
- iii) the properties investment comprises rental income, surplus on revaluation and gain on disposal of properties.

In determining the Group's geographical segments, revenues and results are attributed to the segments based on the location of the customers, and assets are attributed to the segments based on the location of the assets.

During the financial year, the Group disposed of its snap off blade cutters and electronic consumer products business.

a) **Business segments**

The following tables present revenue, profit and certain assets, liabilities and expenditure information for the Group's business segments.

The Group

| | For the year ended 31 March 2007 | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| | Continuing operations | | Discontinued operations | | | Consolidated HK\$ |
| | Properties investment HK\$ | Total HK\$ | Snap off blade cutters HK\$ | Electronic consumer products HK\$ | Total HK\$ | |
| Revenue | | | | | | |
| External sales | 5,658,580 | 5,658,580 | 46,028,732 | 7,182,220 | 53,210,952 | 58,869,532 |
| Results | | | | | | |
| Segment results | 15,131,361 | 15,131,361 | (9,578,431) | (19,486,521) | (29,064,952) | (13,933,591) |
| Unallocated income | | 3,542,373 | | | 2,440,813 | 5,983,186 |
| Unallocated corporate expenses | | (4,010,269) | | | – | (4,010,269) |
| Profit/(loss) from operations | | 14,663,465 | | | (26,624,139) | (11,960,674) |
| Finance costs | | – | | | (1,927,130) | (1,927,130) |
| Profit/(loss) before taxation | | 14,663,465 | | | (28,551,269) | (13,887,804) |
| Income tax | | (4,728,240) | | | – | (4,728,240) |
| Profit/(loss) from ordinary activities attributable to shareholders | | 9,935,225 | | | (28,551,269) | (18,616,044) |

| | For the year ended 31 March 2006 | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| | Continuing operations | | Discontinued operations | | | Consolidated HK\$ |
| | Properties investment HK\$ | Total HK\$ | Snap off blade cutters HK\$ | Electronic consumer products HK\$ | Total HK\$ | |
| Revenue | | | | | | |
| External sales | 2,938,429 | 2,938,429 | 43,687,513 | 52,534,530 | 96,222,043 | 99,160,472 |
| Results | | | | | | |
| Segment results | 2,938,429 | 2,938,429 | (2,375,940) | (20,866,396) | (23,242,336) | (20,303,907) |
| Unallocated income | | 2,654 | | | 976,037 | 978,691 |
| Unallocated corporate expenses | | (7,982,959) | | | – | (7,982,959) |
| Loss from operations | | (5,041,876) | | | (22,266,299) | (27,308,175) |
| Finance costs | | (146) | | | (2,386,953) | (2,387,099) |
| Loss before taxation | | (5,042,022) | | | (24,653,252) | (29,695,274) |
| Income tax | | – | | | (107,748) | (107,748) |
| Loss from ordinary activities attributable to shareholders | | (5,042,022) | | | (24,761,000) | (29,803,022) |

| | For the year ended 31 March 2007 | | | |
|---|---|---|---|-----------------------------|
| | Continuing operations | Discontinued operations | | |
| | Properties investment <i>HK\$</i> | Snap off blade cutters <i>HK\$</i> | Electronic consumer products <i>HK\$</i> | Consolidated <i>HK\$</i> |
| Segment assets | 265,229,553 | – | – | 265,229,553 |
| Unallocated corporate assets | | | | 2,398,186 |
| Consolidated total assets | | | | <u>267,627,739</u> |
| Segment liabilities | 67,769,249 | – | – | 67,769,249 |
| Unallocated corporate liabilities | | | | 163,918,338 |
| Consolidated total liabilities | | | | <u>231,687,587</u> |
| Other segment information: | | | | |
| Capital expenditure | 499,735 | 162,970 | 9,802 | 672,507 |
| Depreciation | 208,668 | 526,111 | 635,492 | 1,370,271 |
| Unallocated depreciation | | | | 3,281 |
| | | | | <u>1,373,552</u> |
| Write off of plant and equipment | – | – | 5,507,581 | 5,507,581 |
| Impairment loss on slow-moving and obsolete inventories | – | – | 5,191,601 | 5,191,601 |
| Revaluation surplus of buildings recognised directly in the income statements | – | 100,000 | – | 100,000 |
| Fair value adjustments of investment properties recognised directly in the income statement | <u>15,145,560</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>15,145,560</u> |

| | For the year ended 31 March 2006 | | | Consolidated HK\$ |
|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|----------------------|
| | Continuing operations | Discontinued operations | | |
| | Properties investment HK\$ | Snap off blade cutters HK\$ | Electronic consumer products HK\$ | |
| Segment assets | 41,021,222 | 22,114,143 | 37,144,572 | 100,279,937 |
| Unallocated corporate assets | | | | 17,219 |
| Consolidated total assets | | | | <u>100,297,156</u> |
| Segment liabilities | – | 10,298,544 | 12,639,954 | 22,938,498 |
| Unallocated corporate liabilities | | | | 63,028,878 |
| Consolidated total liabilities | | | | <u>85,967,376</u> |
| Other segment information: | | | | |
| Capital expenditure | – | 291,695 | 2,936,391 | 3,228,086 |
| Depreciation | – | 604,141 | 2,572,767 | 3,176,908 |
| Unallocated depreciation | | | | 27,992 |
| | | | | <u>3,204,900</u> |
| Impairment loss on slow-moving and obsolete inventories | – | – | 53,265 | 53,265 |
| Fair value adjustments of investment properties recognised directly in the income statement | – | – | 205,212 | 205,212 |
| Revaluation surplus of buildings recognised directly in the income statement | – | 250,083 | – | 250,083 |
| Revaluation surplus of buildings directly in equity | <u>–</u> | <u>578,596</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>578,596</u> |

b) Geographical segments

The Group

| | 31 March 2007 | | |
|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| | Continuing operations | Discontinued operations | Total |
| | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Turnover | | | |
| Hong Kong | 182,600 | 8,473,557 | 8,656,157 |
| Mainland China | 5,475,980 | 5,853,731 | 11,329,711 |
| Europe | – | 17,677,827 | 17,677,827 |
| North America | – | 7,575,531 | 7,575,531 |
| East Asia | – | 11,184,258 | 11,184,258 |
| Others* | – | 2,446,048 | 2,446,048 |
| | <u>5,658,580</u> | <u>53,210,952</u> | <u>58,869,532</u> |
| | | | |
| | 31 March 2006 | | |
| | Continuing operations | Discontinued operations | Total |
| | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Turnover | | | |
| Hong Kong | 38,106 | 55,216,656 | 55,254,762 |
| Mainland China | 2,900,323 | 4,890,208 | 7,790,531 |
| Europe | – | 16,331,492 | 16,331,492 |
| North America | – | 7,058,803 | 7,058,803 |
| East Asia | – | 10,135,722 | 10,135,722 |
| Others* | – | 2,589,162 | 2,589,162 |
| | <u>2,938,429</u> | <u>96,222,043</u> | <u>99,160,472</u> |

* including Brazil and Canada etc

7. TURNOVER AND OTHER REVENUE

Turnover represents the net invoiced value of good sold, after allowances for returns and trade discounts after elimination of all significant intra-group transactions and gross rental income.

During the year, the Group had revenue and gains arising from the following activities:

| | 2007 | 2006 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Turnover | | |
| Sales of snap off blade cutters | 46,028,732 | 43,687,513 |
| Sales of electronic consumer products | 7,182,220 | 52,534,530 |
| Gross rental income | 5,658,580 | 2,938,429 |
| | <u>58,869,532</u> | <u>99,160,472</u> |
| Attributable to continuing operations | 5,658,580 | 2,938,429 |
| Attributable to discontinued operations | 53,210,952 | 96,222,043 |
| | <u>58,869,532</u> | <u>99,160,472</u> |

Other revenue

| | Continuing operations | | Discontinued operations | | Consolidated | |
|---|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 | 2007 | 2006 | 2007 | 2006 |
| | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Gain on disposal of subsidiaries | – | – | 2,440,813 | – | 2,440,813 | – |
| Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment | 9,089,307 | – | – | – | 9,089,307 | – |
| Surplus on revaluation of buildings | – | – | 100,000 | 250,083 | 100,000 | 250,083 |
| Fair value adjustments of investment properties | 15,145,560 | – | – | 205,212 | 15,145,560 | 205,212 |
| Interest income on bank deposits | 146,377 | 3 | 26,690 | 16,600 | 173,067 | 16,603 |
| Negative goodwill (<i>note 35(a)</i>) | 3,405,803 | – | – | – | 3,405,803 | – |
| Sundry income | 30,898 | 2,651 | 1,767,528 | 1,789,075 | 1,798,426 | 1,791,726 |
| Reversal on provision for due from associates | – | – | – | 770,825 | – | 770,825 |
| | <u>27,817,945</u> | <u>2,654</u> | <u>4,335,031</u> | <u>3,031,795</u> | <u>32,152,976</u> | <u>3,034,449</u> |

8. LOSS FOR THE YEAR FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS

On 7 February 2007, the Company entered into the sale and purchase agreement, pursuant to which the Company agreed to dispose of the entire issued share capital of Asian Field Holdings Corp (“Asian Field Group”) and the right of and benefits in the sale loan to Mr. Chong Sing Yuen, the ex-director of the Company, for a consideration of HK\$2. The sale loan represents the shareholder loan as at 31 March 2007 after netting off of the amount of inter-company balance capitalised (note 35(b)(ii)).

The disposal was completed on 31 March 2007. The details of transaction have been disclosed in the Company’s circular dated 6 March 2007.

The result of the discontinued operations for the year ended 31 March 2007, which have been included in the consolidated income statement, were as follows:

| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Turnover | | |
| Sales of snap off blade cutters | 46,028,732 | 43,687,513 |
| Sales of electronic consumer products | 7,182,220 | 52,534,530 |
| | <u>53,210,952</u> | <u>96,222,043</u> |
| Cost of sales | (52,863,856) | (103,367,006) |
| Gross profit/(loss) | 347,096 | (7,144,963) |
| Other revenue | 1,894,218 | 3,031,795 |
| Distribution costs | (4,984,297) | (7,855,894) |
| Administrative expenses | (20,511,551) | (10,297,237) |
| Other operating expenses | (5,810,418) | – |
| Loss from operations | (29,064,952) | (22,266,299) |
| Finance costs | (1,927,130) | (2,386,953) |
| Gain on disposal of operation | 2,440,813 | – |
| Loss before taxation | (28,551,269) | (24,653,252) |
| Income tax | – | (107,748) |
| Loss for the year | <u>(28,551,269)</u> | <u>(24,761,000)</u> |

The carrying amounts of assets and liabilities of the discontinued operations as at the date of disposal, or 31 March 2006 were as follows:

| | As at the date of disposal HK\$ | 31 March 2006 HK\$ |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Total assets | 23,874,169 | 100,280,724 |
| Total liabilities | <u>88,881,349</u> | <u>129,206,447</u> |

The cash flows from the discontinued operations for the year ended 31 March 2007, were as follows:

| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| Net cash flows from operating activities | (34,847,050) | (5,935,439) |
| Net cash flows from investing activities | (2,448,249) | (3,211,486) |
| Net cash flows from financing activities | <u>(35,530,455)</u> | <u>12,995,166</u> |

9. PROFIT/(LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS

Profit/(loss) from operations was arrived at after charging/(crediting):

| | Continuing operations | | Discontinued operations | | Consolidated | |
|--|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------|------------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Auditors' remuneration | 426,100 | 317,184 | – | – | 426,100 | 317,184 |
| Cost of inventories | – | – | 52,863,856 | 103,367,006 | 52,863,856 | 103,367,006 |
| Staff costs (including directors' remuneration) | | | | | | |
| – Wages and salaries | 9,851,815 | – | 7,936,595 | 21,330,217 | 17,788,410 | 21,330,217 |
| – Pensions scheme contribution | 55,080 | – | 840,789 | 329,865 | 895,869 | 329,865 |
| | 9,906,895 | – | 8,777,384 | 21,660,082 | 18,684,279 | 21,660,082 |
| Depreciation | | | | | | |
| – Owned assets | 211,949 | 27,992 | 1,161,603 | 3,013,775 | 1,373,552 | 3,041,767 |
| – Assets held under finance leases | – | – | – | 163,133 | – | 163,133 |
| Amortisation of land lease premium | – | – | 74,070 | 114,359 | 74,070 | 114,359 |
| Exchange (gain)/loss, net | 101 | – | (450,752) | 259,797 | (450,651) | 259,797 |
| Minimum lease payments under operating leases for motor vehicles | – | – | 197,500 | 474,000 | 197,500 | 474,000 |
| Write off of plant and equipment | – | – | 5,507,581* | – | 5,507,581 | – |
| Impairment loss on slow-moving and obsolete inventories | – | – | 5,191,601* | 53,265 | 5,191,601 | 53,265 |
| Fair value adjustments of investment properties (note 17) | <u>(15,145,560)</u> | <u>(205,212)</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>(15,145,560)</u> | <u>(205,212)</u> |

* In June 2006, the Group terminated the operations of electronic consumer products due to continuously under performance. Write off of plant and equipment and impairment loss on inventories relating to this operations were recognised in the income statement accordingly.

10. FINANCE COSTS

| | Continuing operations | | Discontinued Operations | | Consolidated | |
|--|-----------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 | 2007 | 2006 | 2007 | 2006 |
| | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Interest expenses on bank loans, overdrafts and other loans wholly repayable within five years | - | 146 | 1,874,477 | 2,233,636 | 1,874,477 | 2,233,782 |
| Interest expenses on bank loans wholly repayable after five years | - | - | - | 82,086 | - | 82,086 |
| Finance charges on obligations under finance leases | - | - | 52,653 | 71,231 | 52,653 | 71,231 |
| | <u>-</u> | <u>146</u> | <u>1,927,130</u> | <u>2,386,953</u> | <u>1,927,130</u> | <u>2,387,099</u> |

11. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

The aggregate amounts of the directors' emoluments, disclosed pursuant to Section 161 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, are as follows:

| | 2007 | | | | Total HK\$ |
|---|--------------|--|---|---|---------------|
| | Fees HK\$ | Salaries and other benefits HK\$ | Compensation for loss of office HK\$ | Retirement scheme contributions HK\$ | |
| Executive directors | | | | | |
| Chong Sing Yuen (resigned on 7 January 2007) | – | 11,543,956 | – | 15,000 | 11,558,956 |
| Zhao Qing Ji (appointed on 30 November 2006) | – | 248,207 | – | 4,103 | 252,310 |
| Lu Xiao Dong (appointed on 12 May 2006) | – | 156,452 | – | 7,823 | 164,275 |
| Au Tat On (appointed on 12 May 2006) | – | 141,452 | – | 7,073 | 148,525 |
| Wong Siu Keung, Joe | – | 534,258 | – | 12,688 | 546,946 |
| Chong Chun Kwok, Piggy (resigned on 12 May 2006) | – | 66,998 | – | 2,443 | 69,441 |
| Chong Chun Hing (resigned on 12 May 2006) | – | – | – | – | – |
| Chu Kiu Fat (resigned on 20 April 2006) | – | – | – | – | – |
| | – | 12,691,323 | – | 49,130 | 12,740,453 |
| Independent non-executive directors | | | | | |
| Chan Ping Yim (resigned on 26 May 2006) | 1,774 | – | – | – | 1,774 |
| Yeung King Wah (appointed on 26 May 2006) | 107,963 | – | – | – | 107,963 |
| Cheng Kwok Hing, Andy | 30,000 | – | – | – | 30,000 |
| Yeung Yuen Hei | 60,000 | – | – | – | 60,000 |
| | 199,737 | – | – | – | 199,737 |
| Total | 199,737 | 12,691,323 | – | 49,130 | 12,940,190 |

| | 2006 | | | | Total HK\$ |
|--|----------------|--|---|---|------------------|
| | Fees HK\$ | Salaries and other benefits HK\$ | Compensation for loss of office HK\$ | Retirement scheme contributions HK\$ | |
| | | | | | |
| Executive directors | | | | | |
| Chong Sing Yuen | – | 5,082,948 | – | 12,000 | 5,094,948 |
| Chong Chun Hing | – | 333,462 | – | 12,000 | 345,462 |
| Chu Kiu Fat | – | 392,399 | – | 18,120 | 410,519 |
| Wong Siu Keung, Joe | – | 504,010 | – | 12,000 | 516,010 |
| Chong Chun Kwok, Piggy | – | 617,301 | – | 29,310 | 646,611 |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>6,930,120</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>83,430</u> | <u>7,013,550</u> |
| Independent non-executive directors | | | | | |
| Chan Ping Yim | 60,000 | – | – | – | 60,000 |
| Chan Shun (resigned on 18 August 2005) | 11,507 | – | – | – | 11,507 |
| Cheng Kwok Hing, Andy | 30,000 | – | – | – | 30,000 |
| Yeung Yuen Hei | 37,258 | – | – | – | 37,258 |
| | <u>138,765</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>138,765</u> |
| Total | <u>138,765</u> | <u>6,930,120</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>83,430</u> | <u>7,152,315</u> |

12. INDIVIDUALS WITH HIGHEST EMOLUMENTS

Of the five individuals with the highest emoluments, two (2006: two) are directors whose emoluments are disclosed in note 11. The aggregate of the emoluments in respect of the other three (2006: three) individuals are as follows:

| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind | 1,664,822 | 2,240,142 |
| Retirement scheme contributions | 29,000 | 47,880 |
| | <u>1,693,822</u> | <u>2,288,022</u> |

The remuneration of the three (2006: three) individuals with highest emoluments are within the following bands:

| | Number of individuals | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| | 2007 | 2006 |
| HK\$Nil – HK\$1,000,000 | 2 | 2 |
| HK\$1,000,001 – HK\$1,500,000 | 1 | 1 |
| | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> |

13. INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

The provision for Hong Kong profits tax is calculated at 17.5% (2006: 17.5%) of the estimated assessable profits for the year. Taxation for overseas subsidiaries is charged at the appropriate current rates of taxation ruling in the relevant countries.

| | The Group | |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Current tax | | |
| Hong Kong | – | (12,317) |
| Mainland China | – | 120,065 |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>107,748</u> |
| Deferred tax (<i>note 31</i>) | 4,728,240 | – |
| Tax expense | <u>4,728,240</u> | <u>107,748</u> |
| Tax expense for continuing operations | 4,728,240 | – |
| Tax expense for discontinued operations | – | 107,748 |
| | <u>4,728,240</u> | <u>107,748</u> |
| Reconciliation between tax expense and accounting loss at applicable tax rate: | | |
| The Group | 2007 | 2006 |
| | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Loss before taxation | (13,887,804) | (29,695,274) |
| Notional tax on loss before taxation, calculated at the tax rate applicable to profits in the countries concerned | (1,052,031) | (4,939,527) |
| Tax effect of non-taxable income | (375,221) | (711,847) |
| Tax effect of non-deductible expenses | 981,468 | 1,013,574 |
| Tax effect of unused tax losses not recognised | 5,173,504 | 4,783,548 |
| Others | 520 | (38,000) |
| Actual tax expense | <u>4,728,240</u> | <u>107,748</u> |
| Tax expense for continuing operations | 4,728,240 | – |
| Tax expense for discontinued operations | – | 107,748 |
| | <u>4,728,240</u> | <u>107,748</u> |

14. LOSS ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

The consolidated loss attributable to equity shareholders of the Company includes a loss of approximately HK\$62,619,123 (2006: HK\$13,957,662) which has been dealt with in the financial statements of the Company.

15. EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE

The calculation of basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share is based on the following data:

| | 2007 | 2006 |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|
| | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Profit/(loss) for the purpose of basic earnings/(loss) per share (attributable to equity holders of the Company) | | |
| From continuing operations | 9,935,225 | (5,042,022) |
| From discontinued operations | (28,551,269) | (24,761,000) |
| | <u>(18,616,044)</u> | <u>(29,803,022)</u> |
| Weighted average number of ordinary shares | | |
| Issued ordinary shares at 1 April | 291,497,885 | 4,869,957,705 |
| Effect of share consolidation | – | (4,626,459,820) |
| Effect of share placing | <u>73,543,274</u> | <u>32,350,685</u> |
| Weighted average number of ordinary shares at 31 March for basic earnings per share | 365,041,159 | 275,848,570 |
| Deemed issue of ordinary shares for share options | <u>285,260</u> | <u>N/A</u> |
| Weighted average number of ordinary shares at 31 March for diluted earnings per share | <u><u>365,326,419</u></u> | <u><u>N/A</u></u> |

The calculation of diluted earnings per share for continuing operations for the year ended 31 March 2007 is based on the profit attributable to equity holders of HK\$9,935,225 and the weighted average number of 365,326,419 ordinary shares after adjusting for the effects of all dilutive potential shares under the Company's share option scheme.

Diluted loss per share for continuing and discontinued operations for the years ended 31 March 2007 and 2006 and diluted loss per share for continuing operations for the year ended 31 March 2006 have not been disclosed as the impact of the potential ordinary shares was anti-dilutive.

16. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

The Group

| | Buildings held for own use carried at revaluation HK\$ | Leasehold improvements HK\$ | Plant and machinery HK\$ | Furniture and equipment HK\$ | Motor vehicles HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Cost or valuation | | | | | | |
| At 1 April 2005 | 24,084,000 | 8,744,150 | 32,606,742 | 10,702,535 | 1,375,597 | 77,513,024 |
| Additions | – | – | 3,141,715 | 86,371 | – | 3,228,086 |
| Surplus on revaluation | 184,000 | – | – | – | – | 184,000 |
| Exchange realignment | – | 13,742 | 1,090,638 | – | 19,299 | 1,123,679 |
| | <u>24,268,000</u> | <u>8,757,892</u> | <u>36,839,095</u> | <u>10,788,906</u> | <u>1,394,896</u> | <u>82,048,789</u> |
| At 31 March 2006 | 24,268,000 | 8,757,892 | 36,839,095 | 10,788,906 | 1,394,896 | 82,048,789 |
| Analysis of cost or revaluation | | | | | | |
| At cost | – | 8,757,892 | 36,839,095 | 10,788,906 | 1,394,896 | 57,780,789 |
| At valuation | 24,268,000 | – | – | – | – | 24,268,000 |
| | <u>24,268,000</u> | <u>8,757,892</u> | <u>36,839,095</u> | <u>10,788,906</u> | <u>1,394,896</u> | <u>82,048,789</u> |
| At 1 April 2006 | 24,268,000 | 8,757,892 | 36,839,095 | 10,788,906 | 1,394,896 | 82,048,789 |
| Acquisition of subsidiaries | – | 35,720 | – | 208,761 | 352,360 | 596,841 |
| Surplus on revaluation | 100,000 | – | – | – | – | 100,000 |
| Disposal of subsidiaries | (1,720,000) | – | (10,841,943) | (619,066) | – | (13,181,009) |
| Additions | – | – | 172,772 | 17,798 | 481,937 | 672,507 |
| Transfer to investment properties | (1,048,000) | – | – | – | – | (1,048,000) |
| Disposal | (21,600,000) | – | – | – | – | (21,600,000) |
| Write-off | – | (8,272,342) | (26,938,471) | (10,034,278) | (1,335,596) | (46,580,687) |
| Exchange realignment | – | 9,615 | 768,547 | – | 13,503 | 791,665 |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>530,885</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>362,121</u> | <u>907,100</u> | <u>1,800,106</u> |
| At 31 March 2007 | – | 530,885 | – | 362,121 | 907,100 | 1,800,106 |
| Analysis of cost or revaluation | | | | | | |
| At cost | – | 530,885 | – | 362,121 | 907,100 | 1,800,106 |
| At valuation | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>530,885</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>362,121</u> | <u>907,100</u> | <u>1,800,106</u> |

| | Buildings held for own use carried at revaluation HK\$ | Leasehold improvements HK\$ | Plant and machinery HK\$ | Furniture and equipment HK\$ | Motor vehicles HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| Accumulated depreciation | | | | | | |
| At 1 April 2005 | – | 5,639,782 | 29,682,661 | 10,533,209 | 1,375,597 | 47,231,249 |
| Charge for the year | 644,679 | 867,090 | 1,536,107 | 157,024 | – | 3,204,900 |
| Write back on revaluation | (644,679) | – | – | – | – | (644,679) |
| Exchange realignment | – | 13,742 | 1,051,855 | – | 19,299 | 1,084,896 |
| | – | 6,520,614 | 32,270,623 | 10,690,233 | 1,394,896 | 50,876,366 |
| At 31 March 2006 | – | 6,520,614 | 32,270,623 | 10,690,233 | 1,394,896 | 50,876,366 |
| At 1 April 2006 | – | 6,520,614 | 32,270,623 | 10,690,233 | 1,394,896 | 50,876,366 |
| Charge for the year | – | 211,695 | 861,811 | 109,556 | 190,490 | 1,373,552 |
| Write-off | – | (6,246,479) | (23,413,596) | (10,077,436) | (1,335,595) | (41,073,106) |
| Disposal of subsidiaries | – | – | (10,462,557) | (567,602) | – | (11,030,159) |
| Exchange realignment | – | 9,615 | 743,719 | – | 13,503 | 766,837 |
| | – | 495,445 | – | 154,751 | 263,294 | 913,490 |
| At 31 March 2007 | – | 495,445 | – | 154,751 | 263,294 | 913,490 |
| Net book value | | | | | | |
| At 31 March 2007 | – | 35,440 | – | 207,370 | 643,806 | 886,616 |
| At 31 March 2006 | 24,268,000 | 2,237,278 | 4,568,472 | 98,673 | – | 31,172,423 |

- a) The net book value of plant and machinery held under finance leases of the Group as at 31 March 2007 was HK\$Nil (2006: HK\$1,459,408).
- b) The analysis of net book value of Group's properties is as follows:

| | Notes | Hong Kong | | Mainland China | | Total | |
|---------------------------------|-------|--------------|----------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ (restated) | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ (restated) | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ (restated) |
| Long leases | (i) | – | 2,668,000 | – | – | – | 2,668,000 |
| Medium-term leases | (ii) | – | – | – | 21,600,000 | – | 21,600,000 |
| | | – | 2,668,000 | – | 21,600,000 | – | 24,268,000 |
| Representing: | | | | | | | |
| Buildings carried at fair value | | – | 2,668,000 | – | 21,600,000 | – | 24,268,000 |

Notes:

- i) These buildings held for own use were valued on a market basis by reference to comparable market transactions, based on their existing use.
- ii) These buildings held for own use were specially designed properties which, due to their specialised nature, have an utility restricted to particular uses or users, and are rarely, if ever, sold on the open market, except as part of a sale of the business in occupation. They have therefore been valued on the basis of their depreciated replacement cost.

During the financial year 2007, a building held for own use with carrying value of HK\$1,048,000 were transferred to investment properties due to the building was leased out to third party to earn rental income under operating lease.

At 31 March 2006, certain of the Group's buildings held for own use with a net book value of HK\$24,268,000 were pledged to secure general banking facilities granted to the Group.

The Company

| | Furniture and equipment HK\$ |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Cost | |
| At 1 April 2005 | 139,962 |
| Additions | — |
| | <hr/> |
| At 31 March 2006 | 139,962 |
| Additions | — |
| | <hr/> |
| At 31 March 2007 | 139,962 |
| | <hr/> |
| Accumulated depreciation | |
| At 1 April 2005 | 105,580 |
| Charge for the year | 27,992 |
| | <hr/> |
| At 31 March 2006 | 133,572 |
| Charge for the year | 3,281 |
| | <hr/> |
| At 31 March 2007 | 136,853 |
| | <hr/> |
| Net book value | |
| At 31 March 2007 | <u>3,109</u> |
| At 31 March 2006 | <u>6,390</u> |

17. INVESTMENT PROPERTIES**The Group**

| | <i>HK\$</i> |
|--|--------------------|
| Valuation: | |
| At 31 March 2005 | 40,816,010 |
| Surplus on revaluation | 205,212 |
| | <hr/> |
| At 31 March 2006 | 41,021,222 |
| Transfer from property, plant and equipment and interests in leasehold land held of own use under operating leases | 2,022,440 |
| Acquired on acquisition of subsidiaries | 244,456,000 |
| Disposals | (41,021,222) |
| Disposal of subsidiaries | (2,840,000) |
| Surplus on revaluation | 15,145,560 |
| | <hr/> |
| At 31 March 2007 | <u>258,784,000</u> |

The Group's investment properties are held in mainland China under medium-term leases.

The Group's investment properties were revalued on 31 March 2007 on a market basis by reference to comparable market transactions, based on their existing use, by Castores Magi (Hong Kong) Limited, independent professionally qualified valuers with recent experience in the location and category of property being valued. The investment properties are leased to third parties under operating leases, further summary details of which are included in note 36(a) to the financial statements.

At 31 March 2007, the Group's investment properties with value of HK\$258,784,000 were pledged to secure general banking facilities granted to Shanghai Xiwu Industry Co., Ltd, Shanghai Chen Xuan Trading Co., Ltd and Shanghai Xu Hui Co., Ltd, all are independent third parties to the Group (note 37).

At 31 March 2006, the Group's investment properties with a value of HK\$41,021,222 were pledged to secure general banking facilities granted to the Group (note 29).

18. INTERESTS ON LEASEHOLD LAND HELD FOR OWN USE UNDER OPERATING LEASES

The Group

| | Hong Kong HK\$ | Mainland China HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| Cost | | | |
| At 1 April 2005 | 3,008,554 | 2,619,290 | 5,627,844 |
| Exchange adjustments | – | (56,957) | (56,957) |
| At 31 March 2006 | 3,008,554 | 2,562,333 | 5,570,887 |
| At 1 April 2006 | 3,008,554 | 2,562,333 | 5,570,887 |
| Disposals | – | (2,562,333) | (2,562,333) |
| Disposal of subsidiaries | (1,826,784) | – | (1,826,784) |
| Transfer to investment properties | (1,181,770) | – | (1,181,770) |
| At 31 March 2007 | – | – | – |
| Amortisation | | | |
| At 1 April 2005 | 440,840 | 663,750 | 1,104,590 |
| Charge for the year | 61,399 | 52,960 | 114,359 |
| At 31 March 2006 | 502,239 | 716,710 | 1,218,949 |
| At 1 April 2006 | 502,239 | 716,710 | 1,218,949 |
| Charge for the year | 47,330 | 26,740 | 74,070 |
| Disposals | – | (743,450) | (743,450) |
| Disposal of subsidiaries | (342,239) | – | (342,239) |
| Transfer to investment properties | (207,330) | – | (207,330) |
| At 31 March 2007 | – | – | – |
| Net book value | | | |
| At 31 March 2007 | – | – | – |
| At 31 March 2006 | 2,506,315 | 1,845,623 | 4,351,938 |

The interests in leasehold land for own use under operating leases in Hong Kong and mainland China were amortized over the lease term period of 50 years on a straight-line basis.

During the financial year 2007, interests on leasehold land held for own use under operating leases with carrying value of HK\$974,440 were transferred to investment properties.

At 31 March 2006, the interests on leasehold land held for own use under operating leases with net book value of HK\$4,351,938 was pledged to a bank to secure a banking facility granted to the Group.

19. INTERESTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

| | The Company | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Unlisted shares, at cost | 145,741,008 | 35,741,016 |
| Due from subsidiaries | 75,233,472 | 64,215,944 |
| Due to subsidiaries | – | (1,328,292) |
| | <u>220,974,480</u> | <u>98,628,668</u> |
| Less: Impairment losses | (37,293,408) | (35,741,016) |
| | <u><u>183,681,072</u></u> | <u><u>62,887,652</u></u> |

The amounts are interest free, unsecured and have no fixed terms of repayment.

Impairment losses on interests in subsidiaries are recognised as the carrying amount are greater than the recoverable amount in assessing the value in use.

The following list contains only the particulars of subsidiaries which principally affected the results, assets and liabilities of the Group. The class of shares held are ordinary unless otherwise stated.

All of those are controlled subsidiaries as defined under note 3(c) and have been consolidated into the Group financial statements.

| Name | Place of incorporation/ registered and operations | Nominal value of issued ordinary registered share capital | Percentage of equity attributable to the company | | Principal activities |
|---|---|--|---|----------|---|
| | | | Direct | Indirect | |
| Luck Grow Group Limited | The British Virgins Island | US\$1 | 100 | – | Investment holding |
| Lok Wing Group Limited ("Lok Wing") | Hong Kong | HK\$50,000,000 | – | 100 | Investment holding |
| Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang Place The Industry Co Ltd ("Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang")* | mainland China | US\$5,901,540** | – | 100 | Properties investment |
| Goodfit Products Company Limited | Hong Kong | HK\$1,000 ordinary HK\$1,000,000 Non-voting deferred shares*** | – | 100 | Sale of electronic consumer products |
| Northern Industrial (Panyu) Co., Ltd.* | mainland China | HK\$95,000,000 registered capital | – | 100 | Manufacture of electronic consumer products and investment properties holding |
| Tung Hing Plastic (Panyu) Co., Ltd.* | mainland China | US\$1,800,000 registered capital | – | 100 | Manufacture and sale of snap off blade cutters |
| Tung Hing Products Company Limited | Hong Kong | HK\$100 ordinary shares | – | 100 | Sale of snap off blade cutters |

- * Registered under the laws of the mainland China as a wholly foreign-owned enterprise.
- ** The registered capital of Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang is US\$17,000,000 and US\$5,901,540 has been paid up. In accordance with the relevant rules and regulation, the remaining unpaid registered capital have to be paid up within 30 days from 2 June 2008. According to《中華人民共和國外資企業法實施細則》(Rules for the Implementation of the Law of the People's Republic of China on Foreign-funded Enterprises), Lok Wing, an immediate parent of Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang, is required to settle all the outstanding amount (i.e. US\$11,098,460) of capital within 30 days from 2 June 2008. Otherwise, the Certificate of Incorporation of Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang will become invalid with immediate effect.
- *** The non-voting deferred shares, which are not held by the Group, practically carry no rights to dividends or to receive notice of or to attend or vote at any general meeting of the respective companies or to participate in any distribution on winding up. The Group has been granted an option by the holders of the deferred shares to acquire these shares at a nominal amount.

20. INTERESTS IN ASSOCIATES

| | The Group | |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Share of net assets | – | – |
| Due from associates | – | 16,025,387 |
| | – | 16,025,387 |
| Less: Impairment losses | – | (16,025,387) |
| | – | – |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>–</u> |

The amounts due from associates are unsecured, interest-free and have no fixed terms of repayment.

Impairment losses on interests in associates are recognised as the carrying amount are greater than the recoverable amount in assessing the value in use.

The following list contains only the particulars of associates, all of which are unlisted corporate entities and indirectly held by the Company, which principally affected the results or assets of the Group.

| Name | Business structure | Place of incorporation and operations | Percentage of ownership interest attributable to the Group | Principal activities |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| Northern Newland Engineering Limited* | Corporate | Hong Kong | 40 | Provision of engineering services |

* Not audited by CCIF CPA Limited

The above investments in associates are indirectly held by the Group. As financial results of the associates are immaterial to the Group, accordingly, no disclosure is considered necessary.

21. INVENTORIES

| | The Group | |
|------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Raw materials | – | 7,522,083 |
| Work-in-progress | – | 3,272,799 |
| Finished goods | – | 1,278,796 |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>12,073,678</u> |

The amount of inventories (included above) carried at fair value less costs to sell is approximately HK\$Nil (2006: HK\$4,718,038).

22. TRADE AND BILLS RECEIVABLES

The Group generally allows an average credit period of 60 days to its trade customers. A longer credit period may be granted to trade customers with a long business relationship to the Group. The Group seeks to maintain strict control over its outstanding receivables and has a credit control department to minimise credit risk. Overdue balances are reviewed regularly by senior management.

An aged analysis of the trade and bills receivables as at the balance sheet date, based on payment due date, is as follows:

| | The Group | |
|----------------|--------------|------------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Within 60 days | – | 5,363,171 |
| 61 to 90 days | – | 1,067,678 |
| Over 91 days | – | 1,708,251 |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>8,139,100</u> |

23. PLEDGED DEPOSITS AND CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

| | The Group | | The Company | |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Pledged deposits | – | 500,000 | – | – |
| Cash and cash equivalent | 5,801,798 | 310,189 | 2,393,424 | 6,389 |
| Total cash and cash balances | <u>5,801,798</u> | <u>810,189</u> | <u>2,393,424</u> | <u>6,389</u> |

24. TRADE PAYABLES

An aged analysis of the trade payables as at the balance sheet date is as follows:

| | The Group | |
|----------------|--------------|-------------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Within 60 days | – | 5,759,074 |
| 61 to 90 days | – | 1,141,988 |
| Over 91 days | – | 5,721,158 |
| | <u>–</u> | <u>12,622,220</u> |

25. DUE TO DIRECTORS

The amounts are unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

26. DUE TO A RELATED PARTY

| | The Group | | The Company | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
| Ms Cheng Man Shan ("Ms Cheng") | — | 13,941,893 | — | 13,505,000 |

Ms Cheng is the spouse of Mr. Chong Sing Yuen, Mr. Chong Sing Yuen was the ex-director of the Company.

On 1 April 2004, Tung Hing Products Company Limited ("Tung Hing"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Group, entered into a facility agreement with Ms Cheng pursuant to which Ms Cheng agreed to grant to the Group a standby facility (the "Facility") of HK\$8,000,000 from 1 April 2004 to 31 July 2005. The purpose of the Facility was to enable the Group to have sufficient funds for its operations. The Facility was unsecured and interest-free. On 21 July 2005, the Company signed a new facility agreement with Ms Cheng to extend the Facility to 31 July 2006.

On 23 July 2004, the Company entered into a loan agreement with Ms Cheng pursuant to which Ms Cheng agreed to grant to the Company a loan of HK\$5,660,000 for repayment of a short term bank loan of the Group which matured in August 2004. The loan was unsecured, interest-free and repayable at the earlier of 23 August 2005 or the date on which the Group was able to obtain a new one-year or longer term loan facility from banks to repay the aforesaid mentioned short term bank loan. On 21 July 2005, the Company entered into a facility agreement with Ms Cheng pursuant to which the loan of HK\$5,660,000 was renewed to a one-year standby facility to 20 July 2006.

As at 31 March 2006, the facilities granted by Ms. Cheng utilised by the Company was HK\$13,505,000. The amount was reassigned to Tung Hing by a debt assignment agreement dated 2 June 2006 entered into between Tung Hing and the Company.

In addition, Ms Cheng also made advance of HK\$436,893 to the Group during the financial year 2006. No advance was made in the financial year 2007. The advance was unsecured, interest free and without fixed terms of repayment.

In accordance with the debt assignment agreement all the debt due to Ms Cheng was reassigned to Tung Hing for a consideration equal to the amount of the debt.

27. OTHER PAYABLE

The amount represents cash advance from Mr. Peter D. Xu and is unsecured, interest free and not repayable within one year.

28. OBLIGATIONS UNDER FINANCE LEASES

At 31 March 2007, the Group and the Company had no obligations under finance leases after disposal of Asian Field Group (note 35(b)).

At 31 March 2006, the Group and the Company had obligations under finance leases repayable as follows:

| | The Group and the Company | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|
| | 2007 | | | 2006 | | |
| | Present value of the minimum lease payments | Interest expense relating to future periods | Total minimum lease payments | Present value of the minimum lease payments | Interest expense relating to future periods | Total minimum lease payments |
| | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Within 1 year | - | - | - | 742,961 | 41,983 | 784,944 |
| After 1 year but within 2 years | - | - | - | 188,174 | 2,532 | 190,706 |
| | - | - | - | 931,135 | 44,515 | 975,650 |

29. BANK OVERDRAFTS AND INTEREST-BEARING BORROWINGS

At 31 March 2007, the Group and Company had no outstanding bank overdrafts and interest-bearing borrowings after disposal of Asian Field Group (note 35(b)).

At 31 March 2006, the bank overdrafts and interest-bearing borrowings were repayable as follows:

| | The Group | |
|---------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 |
| | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Within 1 year or on demand | - | 40,603,814 |
| After 1 year but within 2 years | - | 234,850 |
| After 2 year but within 5 years | - | 807,296 |
| After 5 years | - | 228,608 |
| | - | 1,270,754 |
| Total | - | 41,874,568 |

At 31 March 2007, no secured bank overdrafts and interest bearing-borrowings after disposal of Asian Field Group (note 35(b)).

At 31 March 2006, the bank overdrafts and interest-bearing borrowings were secured as follows:

| | The Group | |
|-------------------------|-----------|------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 |
| | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Secured bank overdrafts | - | 626,184 |
| Secured bank loans | - | 41,248,384 |
| | - | 41,874,568 |

Notes:

- a) At 31 March 2006, the bank loans and overdrafts are secured by:
- i) investment properties of HK\$41,021,222;
 - ii) leasehold land and buildings which had an aggregate net book value at the balance sheet date of HK\$28,619,938;
 - iii) trade receivables of HK\$1,056,820; and
 - iv) pledged deposits amounting to HK\$500,000.

30. TAXATION IN THE CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

Current taxation in the consolidated balance sheet represents:

| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Hong Kong profits tax | – | 861,462 |
| Mainland China enterprise income tax | 419,619 | 904,822 |
| | <u>419,619</u> | <u>1,766,284</u> |

31. DEFERRED TAX ASSETS/(LIABILITIES)

- a) The components of deferred tax assets/(liabilities) recognised in the consolidated balance sheet and the movements during the year are as follows:

| Deferred tax arising from: | Accelerated tax depreciation HK\$ | Others HK\$ | Revaluation of buildings HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|---|--|----------------|--|---------------------|
| At 1 April 2005 | (47,859) | 169,485 | (83,702) | 37,924 |
| Deferred tax credited to equity | – | – | (32,200) | (32,200) |
| Deferred tax charged to the income statement (note 13) | – | – | – | – |
| At 31 March 2006 | <u>(47,859)</u> | <u>169,485</u> | <u>(115,902)</u> | <u>5,724</u> |
| At 1 April 2006 | (47,859) | 169,485 | (115,902) | 5,724 |
| Disposal of building held for own use | – | – | 115,902 | 115,902 |
| Disposal of subsidiaries (note 35(b)) | 47,859 | (169,485) | – | (121,626) |
| Acquisition of subsidiaries (note 35(a)) | – | – | (55,786,762)* | (55,786,762) |
| Deferred tax charged to the income statement (note 13) | – | – | (4,728,240)** | (4,728,240) |
| At 31 March 2007 | <u>–</u> | <u>–</u> | <u>(60,515,002)</u> | <u>(60,515,002)</u> |

* The deferred tax liabilities were arising from the fair value adjustments on the investment properties held by the subsidiaries before the acquisition (note 35(a)). The amount has been previously charged to income statement in the books of the subsidiaries.

** The amount represented deferred tax liabilities on the fair value adjustments on investment properties held by the subsidiaries after the acquisition.

| | 2007 HK\$ | 2006 HK\$ |
|---|---------------------|--------------|
| Net deferred tax assets recognised on the balance sheet | – | 5,724 |
| Net deferred tax liabilities recognised on the balance sheet | (60,515,002) | – |
| | <u>(60,515,002)</u> | <u>5,724</u> |

b) Deferred tax assets not recognised

The Group has tax losses arising in Hong Kong of HK\$58,874,755 (2006: HK\$112,728,215) that are available indefinitely for offsetting against future taxable profits of the companies in which the losses arose. Deferred tax assets have not been recognised in respect of these losses as they have arisen in subsidiaries that have been loss-making for some time.

At 31 March 2007, there is no significant unrecognised deferred tax liability (2006: Nil) for taxes that would be payable on the unremitted earnings of certain of the Group's subsidiaries or associates as the Group has no liability to additional tax should such amounts be remitted.

There are no income tax consequences attaching to the payment of dividends by the Company to its shareholders.

32. SHARE CAPITAL

| | 2007 | | 2006 | |
|---|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | No. of shares | Amount HK\$ | No. of shares | Amount HK\$ |
| Ordinary shares of HK\$0.2 each | | | | |
| Authorised | | | | |
| Beginning of year | 1,500,000,000 | 300,000,000 | 30,000,000,000 | 300,000,000 |
| Reduced upon share consolidation (<i>note a</i>) | – | – | (28,500,000,000) | – |
| End of year | <u>1,500,000,000</u> | <u>300,000,000</u> | <u>1,500,000,000</u> | <u>300,000,000</u> |
| Issued and fully paid | | | | |
| Beginning of year | 291,497,885 | 58,299,577 | 4,869,957,705 | 48,699,577 |
| Reduced upon share consolidation (<i>note a</i>) | – | – | (4,626,459,820) | – |
| Issue of new shares (<i>note b</i>) | – | – | 48,000,000 | 9,600,000 |
| Issue of new shares (<i>note c</i>) | 58,000,000 | 11,600,000 | – | – |
| Issue of new shares (<i>note d</i>) | 69,895,000 | 13,979,000 | – | – |
| End of year | <u>419,392,885</u> | <u>83,878,577</u> | <u>291,497,885</u> | <u>58,299,577</u> |

Notes:

- a) Pursuant to an ordinary resolution passed at the special general meeting on 4 May 2005, every twenty ordinary shares of HK\$0.01 each in the issued and unissued share capital were consolidated into one ordinary share of HK\$0.20 each.

In addition, the number of shares issuable under each outstanding options granted under the Company's share option scheme was reduced by 95% and the exercise price of HK\$0.01 per share under the share option scheme was increased to HK\$0.20 per share (*note 33*). Share consolidation took effect on 5 May 2005.

- b) On 14 July 2005, the Company and an independent subscriber entered into a conditional agreement for the subscription of 48,000,000 new shares of HK\$0.2 each at a price of HK\$0.26 per share for a total consideration of HK\$12,480,000.
- c) On 18 May 2006, the Company and an independent subscriber entered into a conditional agreement for the subscription of 58,000,000 shares at a price of HK\$0.23 each. Net proceeds of the subscription were approximately HK\$13.34 million and would be used as general working capital.
- d) On 1 December 2006, the Company and a total of ten independent subscribers entered into a conditional agreement for the subscription of 69,895,000 shares at a price of HK\$0.38 each. Net proceeds of the subscription were approximately HK\$26.3 million and would be used as general working capital.

33. SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The Company operates a share option scheme (the "Scheme") for the purpose of providing incentives and rewards to eligible participants who contribute to the success of the Group's operations. Eligible participants of the Scheme include the Company's directors (including independent non-executive directors), other employees of the Group, suppliers of goods or services to the Group, customers of the Group, persons or entities that provided research, development or other technological support to the Group and any minority shareholder in the Company's subsidiaries. The Scheme became effective on 4 October 2002 and, unless otherwise cancelled or amended, will remain enforce for 10 years from that date.

The maximum number of unexercised share options currently permitted to be granted under the Scheme is an amount equivalent, upon their exercise, to 10% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time. The maximum number of shares issuable under share options to each eligible participant in the Scheme within any 12-month period, is limited to 1% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time. Any further grant of share options in excess of this limit is subject to shareholders' approval in a general meeting.

Share options granted to a director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company, or to any of their associates, are subject to approval in advance by the independent non-executive directors. In addition, any share options granted to a substantial shareholder or an independent non-executive director of the Company, or to any of their associates, in excess of 0.1% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time or with an aggregate value (based on the price of the Company's shares at the date of the grant) in excess of HK\$5 million, within any 12-month period, are subject to shareholders' approval in advance in a general meeting.

The offer of a grant of share options may be accepted prior to the date specified in the offer, upon payment of a nominal consideration of HK\$1 by the grantee.

The exercise price of the share options is determinable by the directors, but may not be less than the highest of (i) the Stock Exchange closing price of the Company's shares on the date of the offer of the share options; (ii) the average Stock Exchange closing price of the Company's shares for the five trading days immediately preceding the date of the offer, and (iii) the nominal value of the Company's shares.

Share options do not confer rights on the holders to dividends or to vote at shareholders' meetings.

A proposal to consolidate 20 issued and un-issued shares of HK\$0.01 each into 1 share of HK\$0.20 each (the "New Shares(s)") was approved by the shareholders of the Company on 4 May 2005. Before the Consolidation, the Company had outstanding options granted under the share option scheme of the Company to subscribe for a total of 19,300,000 shares at the price of HK\$0.01 per share. Immediately after the Consolidation, the number of shares issuable under each outstanding option granted was reduced by 95%, the exercise price per share was increased from HK\$0.01 to HK\$0.20. Accordingly, after the Consolidation became effective, the Company had outstanding options to subscribe for a total of 965,000 New Shares at the exercise price of HK\$0.20 per New Share.

The following tables disclose details of the Scheme and the movements during the Relevant Period.

For the year ended 31 March 2007

| Name or category of participant | At 1 April 2006 | Number of share options | | | At 31 March 2007 | Date of grant of share options* | Exercise period of share options | Exercise price of share options** HK\$ |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--|---|--|
| | | Exercise during the year | Lapsed during the year | Cancelled during the year | | | | |
| Directors | | | | | | | | |
| Mr. Wong Siu Keung, Joe | 850,000 | - | - | - | 850,000 | 30-10-2002 | 30-10-2002 to 29-10-2012 | 0.2 |
| | <u>850,000</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>850,000</u> | | | |
| Employees | | | | | | | | |
| Other employees | 92,500 | - | (92,500) | - | - | 31-10-2002 | 31-10-2002 to 30-10-2012 | 0.2 |
| | <u>92,500</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(92,500)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | | | |
| Total share options | <u>942,500</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(92,500)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>850,000</u> | | | |

For the year ended 31 March 2006

| Name or category of participant | At | | Number of share options | | | At 31 March 2006 | Date of grant of share options* | Exercise period of share options | Exercise price of share options** HK\$ |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--|---|--|
| | 1 April 2005 | Share Consolidation | Exercise during the year | Lapsed during the year | Cancelled during the year | | | | |
| Directors | | | | | | | | | |
| Mr. Wong Siu Keung, Joe | 17,000,000 | (16,150,000) | - | - | - | 850,000 | 30-10-2002 | 30-10-2002 to 29-10-2012 | 0.2 |
| | <u>17,000,000</u> | <u>(16,150,000)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>850,000</u> | | | |
| Employees | | | | | | | | | |
| Other employees | 2,300,000 | (2,185,000) | - | (22,500) | - | 92,500 | 31-10-2002 | 31-10-2002 to 30-10-2012 | 0.2 |
| | <u>2,300,000</u> | <u>(2,185,000)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(22,500)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>92,500</u> | | | |
| Total share options | <u>19,300,000</u> | <u>(18,335,000)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(22,500)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>942,500</u> | | | |

The number and weighted average exercise prices of share options are as follows:

| | 2007 | | 2006 | |
|---|--|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|
| | Weighted average exercise price HK\$ | Number of options | Weighted average exercise price HK\$ | Number of options |
| Outstanding at the beginning of the period | 0.2 | 942,500 | 0.01 | 19,300,000 |
| Share consolidation | | – | 0.01 | (18,335,000) |
| Lapsed during the period | | (92,500) | 0.2 | (22,500) |
| Outstanding at the end of the period | 0.2 | <u>850,000</u> | 0.2 | <u>942,500</u> |
| Exercisable at the end of the period | 0.2 | <u>850,000</u> | 0.2 | <u>942,500</u> |

* The vesting period of the share options is from the date of the grant until the commencement of the exercise period.

** The exercise price of the share options is subject to adjustment in the case of rights or bonus issues, or other similar changes in the Company's share capital.

At 31 March 2007, the Company had 850,000 (2006: 942,500) share options outstanding under the Scheme which represented approximately 0.2% (2006: 0.3%) of the Company's shares in issue as at that date. The exercise in full of the remaining share options would, under the present capital structure of the Company, result in the issue of 850,000 (2006: 942,500) additional ordinary shares of the Company and additional share capital of HK\$170,000 (2006: HK\$188,500).

34. RESERVES

a) Group

| | Share premium HK\$ | Buildings revaluation reserve HK\$ | Special reserve HK\$ | Exchange fluctuation reserve HK\$ | Accumulated losses HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|---|--------------------------|---|----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| At 1 April 2005 | 24,062,750 | - | (11,152,801) | (112,109) | (29,846,494) | (17,048,654) |
| Issue of new shares | 2,880,000 | - | - | - | - | 2,880,000 |
| Share issuance expense | (66,462) | - | - | - | - | (66,462) |
| Share consolidation expense | (132,849) | - | - | - | - | (132,849) |
| Exchange realignment | - | - | - | (345,206) | - | (345,206) |
| Surplus on revaluation | - | 578,596 | - | - | - | 578,596 |
| Deferred tax credited in the revaluation reserve | - | (32,200) | - | - | - | (32,200) |
| Loss for the year | - | - | - | - | (29,803,022) | (29,803,022) |
| At 31 March 2006 | <u>26,743,439</u> | <u>546,396</u> | <u>(11,152,801)</u> | <u>(457,315)</u> | <u>(59,649,516)</u> | <u>(43,969,797)</u> |
| At 1 April 2006 | 26,743,439 | 546,396 | (11,152,801) | (457,315) | (59,649,516) | (43,969,797) |
| Issue of new shares | 14,321,100 | - | - | - | - | 14,321,100 |
| Share issuance expense | (153,465) | - | - | - | - | (153,465) |
| Exchange realignment | - | - | - | (93,436) | - | (93,436) |
| Reversal of deferred tax on disposal of investment properties | - | 115,902 | - | - | - | 115,902 |
| Disposal of buildings held for own use | - | (662,298) | - | - | 662,298 | - |
| Disposal of foreign operations | - | - | - | 457,315 | - | 457,315 |
| Loss for the year | - | - | - | - | (18,616,044) | (18,616,044) |
| At 31 March 2007 | <u>40,911,074</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(11,152,801)</u> | <u>(93,436)</u> | <u>(77,603,262)</u> | <u>(47,938,425)</u> |

b) Company

| | Share premium account HK\$ | Accumulated losses HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| At 1 April 2005 | 24,062,750 | (26,198,209) | (2,135,459) |
| Issue of new shares | 2,880,000 | - | 2,880,000 |
| Share issuance expense | (66,462) | - | (66,462) |
| Share consolidation expense | (132,849) | - | (132,849) |
| Loss for the year | - | (13,957,662) | (13,957,662) |
| At 31 March 2006 | <u>26,743,439</u> | <u>(40,155,871)</u> | <u>(13,412,432)</u> |
| At 1 April 2006 | 26,743,439 | (40,155,871) | (13,412,432) |
| Issue of new shares | 14,321,100 | - | 14,321,100 |
| Share issuance expense | (153,465) | - | (153,465) |
| Loss for the year | - | (62,619,123) | (62,619,123) |
| At 31 March 2007 | <u>40,911,074</u> | <u>(102,774,994)</u> | <u>(61,863,920)</u> |

c) **Nature and purposes of the reserves**

The application of the share premium account is governed by section 40 of the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda (as amended).

The Group's special reserve represents the difference between the nominal value of the shares and the share premium account of the subsidiaries acquired pursuant to the Group reorganisation, over the nominal value of the Company's shares issued in exchange therefore.

The exchange fluctuation reserve comprises all foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations as well as the effective portion of any foreign exchange differences arising from hedges of the net investment in these foreign operations. The reserve is dealt with in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 3(q).

d) **Distributability of reserves**

At 31 March 2007, the Company did not have any reserve available for distribution as calculated in accordance with the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda (as amended) (2006: Nil).

35. **NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT**(a) **Net cash outflow from acquisition of subsidiaries**

The assets and liabilities as at 28 November 2006 and the negative goodwill arising from the acquisition are as follows:

| | Carrying value HK\$ | Fair value HK\$ |
|--|------------------------|---------------------|
| Identifiable assets/(liabilities) acquired: | | |
| Investment properties | 244,456,000 | 244,456,000 |
| Plant and equipment | 596,841 | 596,841 |
| Other receivables, deposits and prepayment | 948,011 | 948,011 |
| Cash and bank balances | 2,784,780 | 2,784,780 |
| Other payables and accruals | (79,173,448) | (79,173,448) |
| Tax payable | (419,619) | (419,619) |
| Deferred tax liabilities (<i>note 31(a)</i>) | (55,786,762) | (55,786,762) |
| Net assets | <u>113,405,803</u> | 113,405,803 |
| Negative goodwill | | <u>(3,405,803)</u> |
| Total consideration | | <u>110,000,000</u> |
| Satisfied by: | | |
| Cash consideration (ii) | | 24,811,764 |
| Promissory notes (iii) | | <u>157,692,308</u> |
| Sale loans (iv) | | 182,504,072 |
| | | <u>(72,504,072)</u> |
| | | <u>110,000,000</u> |
| Analysis of the net outflow of cash and cash equivalents in respect of the acquisition of a subsidiary: | | |
| Cash and bank balances acquired | | 2,784,780 |
| Cash consideration | | <u>(20,000,000)</u> |
| Net outflow of cash and cash equivalent in respect of the acquisition of a subsidiary | | <u>(17,215,220)</u> |

There were no acquisitions in the year ended 31 March 2006.

- (i) On 28 November 2006, the Group acquired 100% equity interest in Luck Grow Group Limited for a consideration of HK\$110 million from Mr. Peter D. Xu, an independent third party.
- (ii) During the financial year 2007, the Company paid HK\$20,000,000 for the cash consideration of the acquisition. On 9 February 2007, the Company entered into an agreement with Mr. Peter D. Xu to re-arrange the payment of the balance of the cash consideration of HK\$4,811,764. Pursuant to the agreement, Mr. Peter D. Xu granted to the Company the right to repay the amount at any time within five years from the date of the agreement. As agreed with Mr. Peter D. Xu, the Company will not repay the amount within one year after the balance sheet date and was classified as a long term payable.
- (iii) In accordance with the sale and purchase agreement signed on 21 August 2006 between Mr. Peter D. Xu and the Company, the balance of consideration of HK\$157,692,308 would be settled by the issue of promissory note I of HK\$82,692,308 and promissory note II of HK\$75,000,000. The promissory notes would be fall due on the fifth anniversary date of issue with interest of 5% p.a.

As at the balance sheet date, the promissory notes have not been issued as the conditions under the agreement for issuing the promissory notes were not yet fulfilled. The amount was classified as a long term payable.

- (iv) Sale loans represented all obligations, liabilities and debts owed and incurred by Luck Grow and Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang to the Mr. Peter D. Xu as at the date of completion of the acquisition. As at the date of the sale and purchase agreement, Luck Grow owed Mr. Peter D. Xu a loan of HK\$50,000,000 and Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang owed Mr. Peter D. Xu a loan of RMB23,404,234.88 (equivalent to approximately HK\$22,504,072). To the best knowledge of the directors, such loans are monies lent by Mr. Peter D. Xu to the respective companies as working capital.
- (v) Luck Grow Group Limited contributed approximately HK\$9.6 million to the Group's profit for the period between the date of acquisition and the balance sheet date.

If the acquisition had been completed on 1 April 2006, total Group revenue for the year would have been HK\$67 million, and loss for the year would have been HK\$12 million. The pro forma information is for illustrative purposes only and is not necessarily an indication of revenue and results of the Group that actually would have been achieved had the acquisition been completed on 1 April 2006, nor is it intended to be a projection of future results.

(b) Net cash inflow from disposal of subsidiaries

| | 2007 HK\$ |
|---|---------------------------|
| Net liabilities disposed of: | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 2,150,850 |
| Investment properties | 2,840,000 |
| Leasehold land held for own use | 1,484,545 |
| Deferred tax assets | 121,626 |
| Inventories | 5,044,757 |
| Other receivables, deposits and prepayment | 307,069 |
| Trade and bills receivables | 9,123,153 |
| Pledged deposits | 1,500,000 |
| Cash and bank balances | 1,302,169 |
| Trade payables | (8,186,275) |
| Other payables and accruals | (5,654,437) |
| Due to holding company | (62,751,499) |
| Due to a director | (1,677,694) |
| Tax payable | (598,357) |
| Due to related parties | (59,613) |
| Interest-bearing borrowings | (8,690,128) |
| Obligations under finance leases | (263,346) |
| Deferred shares | (1,000,000) |
| | <u>(65,007,180)</u> |
| Net liabilities | (65,007,180) |
| Exchange differences recognized in equity | 457,315 |
| Capitalised amount (ii) | <u>62,109,052</u> |
| Gain on disposal of subsidiaries | <u>2,440,813</u> |
| Total consideration (iii) | <u>2</u> |
| Satisfied by: | |
| Cash consideration | <u><u>2</u></u> |
| Analysis of the net outflow of cash and cash equivalents arising on disposal of subsidiaries: | |
| Cash consideration received | 2 |
| Cash and bank balances disposed | <u>(1,302,169)</u> |
| Net outflow of cash and cash equivalent in respect of the disposal of subsidiaries | <u><u>(1,302,167)</u></u> |

There were no disposals in the year ended 31 March 2006.

- (i) On 31 March 2007, the Group disposed of 100% equity interest in Asian Field Holdings Corp. ("Asian Field") and its subsidiaries with its share of net liabilities of approximately HK\$65,007,000 to Mr. Chong Sing Yuen, the ex-director of the Company, for a consideration of HK\$1.
- (ii) On 7 February 2007, the Company and Asian Field entered into an agreement pursuant to which an amount of inter-company balance of HK\$62,109,052 owed by Asian Field to the Company equivalent to the net liabilities recorded on the accounts in January 2007 of Asian Field will be capitalized to offset the same amount of the net liabilities recorded on the accounts in January 2007 and as a result, one share of Asian Field will be allotted and issued to the Company for a consideration which is equal to the amount capitalized.
- (iii) The aggregate consideration of HK\$2, comprises the consideration of HK\$1 for the 100% equity interest in Asian Field and consideration for the sale loan of HK\$1. The sale loan represented the shareholder's loan as at 31 March 2007 after netting off of the amount capitalized as stated in (ii) above.

(c) **Non-cash transactions**

On 28 November 2006, the Group acquired 100% equity interest in Luck Grow Group Limited from Mr. Peter D. Xu, an independent third party, for a consideration of HK\$110 million. During the financial year 2007, the Company paid HK\$20,000,000 as partial settlement of the cash consideration of HK\$24,811,764. The balance of the cash consideration of HK\$4,811,764 was agreed with Mr. Peter D. Xu and will not be repayable within one year. The amount of HK\$157,692,308 which will be settled by way of issuing promissory notes have not been issued as the conditions under the sale and purchase agreement signed on 21 August 2006 for issuing the promissory notes were not yet fulfilled. The total outstanding balance HK\$162,504,072 was therefore classified as a long term payable.

The directors consider that the carrying amount of the long term payable approximates to the fair value.

36. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS**a) The Group as lessor:**

The Group leases its investment properties under operating lease arrangements, with leases negotiated for terms ranging from one to ten years. The terms of the leases generally require the tenants to pay security deposits. At the balance sheet date, the Group had total future minimum lease payments receivable under non-cancellable operating leases with its tenants falling due as follows:

| | 2007 | 2006 |
|---|-------------------|------------------|
| | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Within one year | 12,894,434 | 3,130,610 |
| In the second to fifth years, inclusive | 41,475,115 | 4,184,454 |
| Over five years | 6,018,072 | 2,643,385 |
| | <u>60,387,621</u> | <u>9,958,449</u> |

b) The Group as lessee:

At the balance sheet date, the Group had total future minimum lease payments under the non-cancellable operating lease falling due as follows:

| | The Group and the Company | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 |
| | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Within one year | 1,271,951 | 197,500 |
| In the second to fifth years, inclusive | 2,737,873 | – |
| Over five years | 1,090,698 | – |
| | <u>5,100,522</u> | <u>197,500</u> |

37. FINANCIAL GUARANTEE CONTRACTS**a) The Group**

At 31 March 2007, a subsidiary of the Group pledged certain property interests to the banks to secure credit facilities to the extent of approximating HK\$162 million (2006 : HK\$Nil) guarantee to Shanghai Xiwu Industry Co., Ltd, Shanghai Chen Xuan Trading Co., Ltd and Shanghai Xu Hui Co., Ltd for working capital funding purpose. The directors considered that no recognition was made because the fair value of such guarantee was insignificant.

b) **The Company**

At 31 March 2006, the Company had given guarantees to the bank in connection with banking facilities granted to certain subsidiaries amounted to HK\$57,469,794. The directors considered that no recognition was made because the fair value of such guarantee was insignificant.

At 31 March 2007, the guarantees were released when the subsidiaries were disposed.

38. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

At 31 March 2007, the Group had no possible future long service payments to the employees under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance when the Asian Field Group was disposed.

At 31 March 2006, the Group had a contingent liability in respect of possible future long service payments to the employees under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance with a maximum possible amount of approximately HK\$338,000, as further explained under the heading "Employee benefits" in note 3(u) to the financial statements. At 31 March 2006, a number of current employees achieved the required number of years of service in the Group to be eligible for long service payments under the Employment Ordinance should their employment be terminated under certain circumstances. A provision has not been recognized in respect of such possible payments as it is not considered probable that the situation will result in a material future outflow of resources from the Group.

39. MATERIAL RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

In addition to the transactions and balances disclosed elsewhere in these financial statements, the Group entered into the following related party transactions.

a) During the year, the Group had the following transactions with Twin Base Limited ("Twin Base"), a company in which Ms Cheng Man Shan, the spouse of Mr. Chong Sing Yuen has a beneficial interest:

- i) During the year, the Group made rental payment of approximately HK\$197,500 (2006: HK\$474,000) to Twin Base for a motor vehicle. The rentals were charged in accordance with a motor vehicle rental agreement.
- ii) At 31 March 2007, Twin Base pledged certain of its property interests to a bank to secure credit facilities to the extent of HK\$12,899,980 (2006: HK\$12,899,980) granted to the Group.

b) During the year, the Group had the following material transactions with its associates:

| | The Group | |
|--|------------------|-------------|
| | 2007 | 2006 |
| | <i>HK\$</i> | <i>HK\$</i> |
| Purchases of raw materials from an associate | – | 194,955 |

The purchases from an associate were made according to the prices mutually agreed between the associate and the Group.

c) During the year ended 31 March 2006, Ms Cheng, the spouse of Mr. Chong Sing Yuen, granted a credit facility of HK\$13,660,000 to the Group, the details of which are set out in note 26 to the financial statements. In addition, Ms. Cheng advanced HK\$436,893 to the Group. The advances were unsecured, interest-free and with fixed terms of repayment.

d) During the year ended 31 March 2006, the Group repaid HK\$3,650,000 to Mr. Chong Chun Kwok, Piggy.

e) The key management personnel are the directors of the Company. The details of the remuneration paid to them are set out in note 11.

40. LITIGATION

The Company instituted legal proceedings against ASG Capital Limited and ASG Brokerage Limited (the “Defendants”) in 1998 for breach of the placing and underwriting agreement dated 9 December 1997 in that the Defendants failed to fulfill their underwriting obligations thereunder and for the recovery of HK\$40 million being the economic loss suffered by the Company together with interest and legal cost. The proceedings are now in pre-trial stage of discovery of documents of the parties and the date of the trial has not been fixed. The last action of the parties to the proceedings took place in middle of 2005 when solicitors acting for the Company in the legal proceedings served a notice to inspect documents to those acting for the Defendants.

41. NON-ADJUSTING POST BALANCE SHEET EVENT

On 12 April 2007, the Company announced the proposal on capital reorganisation involving the capital reduction and share premium reduction in accordance with the Bye-laws. Pursuant to the capital reduction, the issued share capital of the Company will be reduced by HK\$0.19 per share by canceling an equivalent amount of paid-up capital per share so that the nominal value of each share in issue will be reduced from HK\$0.20 to HK\$0.01. The proposed share premium reduction is to cancel the entire amount standing to the credit of the share premium account of the Company. The credit arising from capital reduction and share premium reduction will be transferred to the contributed surplus account of the Company where it may be utilized by the directors in accordance with the Bye-laws and all applicable laws, including to apply such credit against the accumulated losses of the Company.

The capital reorganization is subject to the approval of the shareholders of the Company and adjustment has not been made in these financial statements. The details of the capital reorganisation were set out in the announcement dated 12 April 2007.

42. RETIREMENT BENEFITS SCHEME

The Group operates a Mandatory Provident Fund (“MPF”) scheme for all Hong Kong eligible employees including executive directors. The assets of the MPF scheme are held separately from those of the Group in funds under the control of trustees.

The retirement benefit cost for the MPF scheme charged to the consolidated income statement represents contributions payable to the MPF scheme by the Group at rates specified in the rules of the MPF scheme.

Employees who are employed in the PRC are members of the state-sponsored pension scheme operated by the PRC government. The Group is required to contribute a certain percentage of their payroll to the pension scheme to fund the benefits. The only obligation of the Group with respect to the pension scheme is to make the required contributions under the scheme.

The amount of unvested benefits utilised by the Group to reduce contributions is HK\$892,192 during the year (2006: HK\$341,722). The amount of unvested benefits available for future reduction of employer’s contribution as at 31 March 2007 is approximately HK\$Nil (2006: HK\$1,788,431).

43. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Due to the terminations of the electronic consumer products and the snap off blade cutters businesses during the year, which constituted discontinued operations under HKFRS 5 “Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations”, certain comparative figures have been reclassified to conform with current year’s presentation.

44. POSSIBLE IMPACT OF AMENDMENTS, NEW STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE, FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2007

The Group has not early applied the following amendments, new standard and interpretations that have been issued but are not yet effective. The Group anticipates that the application of these standards or interpretations will have no material impacts on the financial statements of the Group.

| | |
|--------------------|--|
| HKAS 1 (Amendment) | Capital Disclosures ¹ |
| HKFRS 7 | Financial Instruments: Disclosures ¹ |
| HKFRS 8 | Operating Segments ⁷ |
| HK(IFRIC)-Int 8 | Scope of HKFRS 2 ² |
| HK(IFRIC)-Int 9 | Reassessment of Embedded Derivatives ³ |
| HK(IFRIC)-Int 10 | Interim Financial Reporting and Impairment ⁴ |
| HK(IFRIC)-Int 11 | HKFRS 2 - Group and Treasury Share Transactions ⁵ |
| HK(IFRIC)-Int 12 | Service Concession Arrangements ⁶ |

- ¹ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2007
- ² Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 May 2006
- ³ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 June 2006
- ⁴ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 November 2006
- ⁵ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 March 2007
- ⁶ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2008
- ⁷ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2009”

4. MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF THE GROUP

Set out below is the management discussion and analysis (modified as appropriate) extracted from the annual reports of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2007:

REVIEW OF RESULTS

The Group's turnover was HK\$58.9 million (2006: HK\$99.2 million), representing an decrease of 40.6% from the same period of last year and loss per share was HK5.10 cents (2006: HK10.80 cents). During the year, the Group has ceased its consumer electronic and snap off blade cutters businesses and will focus on the properties investment business.

BUSINESS REVIEW AND PROSPECTS

Continuing operation

Properties investment business

The turnover of the Group's properties investment business was HK\$5.7 million (2006: HK\$2.9 million), a 92.6% increase over last year. The results of this business segment enhanced to HK\$15.1 million (2006: HK\$2.9 million). The increase was mainly due to the acquisition of properties in Shanghai through the acquisition of Luck Grow Group Limited, gain on disposal and fair value adjustments of investment properties in Shanghai during the year. The properties in Shanghai are properties with aggregate gross floor area of approximately 5,621.69 square meters, located in fast developing area or city centre of Shanghai. For details, please refer to the circular dated 31 October 2006. The Group also disposed of all of its interest in the property in Panyu in the PRC, resulting a gain of HK\$9.1 million attributable to the Group. The Group will concentrate on the properties investment business and will actively explore other investment opportunities.

Discontinued operation

Electronic consumer products business

The turnover of the Group's electronic consumer products business was HK\$7.2 million (2006: HK\$52.5 million) and recorded negative contribution to HK\$19.5 million (2006: HK\$20.9 million). Considering continuously underperformance of consumer electronic business, the Group terminated it in June 2006.

Snap off blade cutters business

The turnover of the Group's snap off blade cutters business was HK\$46.0 million (2006: HK\$43.7 million). Adversely affected by an overall increase in material prices and production costs, the negative results of this business segment enhanced to HK\$9.6 million (2006: HK\$2.4 million). Having considered the loss making track record for the past years, the Group decided to exit the snap off blade cutters business and dispose it. For details, please refer to the circular dated 6 March 2007.

Geographical segment analysis

All of the Group's client base for continuing operations are in the PRC. The Group's client base for discontinued operations is quite well diversified in terms of geographical locations. There was a high concentration in the Hong Kong market since sales were classified according to the location of direct clients. Most of the goods sold to our clients in Hong Kong were in fact exported to other countries.

LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES

As at 31 March 2007, the current and non-current liabilities of the Group amounted to HK\$5.9 million (2006: HK\$84.5 million) and HK\$225.8 million (2006: HK\$1.5 million), respectively. The previous year's net current liabilities position of HK\$60.8 million was changed to net current asset position of HK\$2.0 million, which was mainly due to the disposal of discontinued operations which had net current liabilities and subscription of new shares during the year. For details please refer to note 32 to the financial statements.

The Group did not have any bank borrowing as at 31 March 2007 and therefore, the gearing ratio, defined as the percentage of total bank borrowings to shareholders' funds, is nil (2006: 299%). According to the sale and purchase agreement as disclosed in the circular dated 31 October 2006, the promissory notes of HK\$157.7 million were not yet issued and are expected to be issued in July 2007 and June 2009.

Most of the Group's continuing business transactions, assets and liabilities are denominated in either Hong Kong dollars and Renminbi. The risk of foreign exchange fluctuation was not significant to the Group as at 31 March 2007.

INVESTMENT POSITION AND PLANNING

The Group acquired the entire issued share capital of Luck Grow Group Limited in November 2006, whose principal assets are properties in Shanghai. Details of such acquisition are set out in the circular dated 31 October 2006.

The Group does not have any significant investment position in stocks, bonds and other financial derivatives. The Group's exposure to fluctuations in exchange rates is very limited because its assets and liabilities have been well matched in terms of denominations.

SHARE CAPITAL

During the year, the share capital of the Company have the following changes:

Subscription of new shares

- (i) On 18 May 2006, the Company entered into a conditional subscription agreement with a subscriber, a third party independent of and not connected with the Company or its connected persons (as defined in the Rules (the “Listing Rules”) Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Stock Exchange”)), for the subscription of 58 million new shares at a price of HK\$0.23 per new share under the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company pursuant to the resolutions of the shareholders of the Company passed at its annual general meeting held on 29 September 2005.

All conditions of the subscription agreement were fulfilled and the 58 million new shares were issued on 20 June 2006.

- (ii) On 1 December 2006, the Company entered into a conditional subscription agreement with ten subscribers, third parties independent of and not connected with the Company or its connected persons (as defined in the Listing Rules), for the subscription of approximately 69.9 million New Shares at a price of HK\$0.38 per new share under the general mandate granted to the directors of the Company pursuant to the resolutions of the shareholders of the Company passed at its annual general meeting held on 30 August 2006.

All conditions of the subscription agreement were fulfilled and the approximately 69.9 million New Shares were issued on 29 December 2006.

POST BALANCE SHEET EVENT**Capital reorganisation**

On 12 April 2007, the Company proposed to effect the capital reorganisation (the “Capital Reorganisation”) which involves capital reduction and the share premium reduction. The capital reduction involves a reduction in the nominal value of each existing share, in issue of HK\$0.20 by HK\$0.19 to HK\$0.01. Pursuant to the share premium reduction, the entire amount standing to the credit of the share premium account of the Company will be cancelled. The amount arising from the capital reorganisation will be credited to the contributed surplus account of the Company and part of which will be used to fully eliminate the accumulated deficits of the Company as of 31 December 2006. The Capital Reorganisation was approved by the shareholders at special general meeting on 21 May 2007.

CHARGES ON GROUP'S ASSETS

As at 31 March 2007, the investment properties of the Group (being the properties in Shanghai acquired during the year) were pledged to banks to secure credit facilities to the extent of approximately HK\$162 million, guarantee to certain independent third parties for working capital funding purpose. No recognition was made because the fair value of such guarantee was insignificant.

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**The Group**

As at 31 March 2007, the Group does not have any contingent liability. As at 31 March 2006, the Group had a contingent liabilities in respect of possible future long services payments to employees of HK\$338,000.

The Company

As at 31 March 2007, the Company does not have any contingent liabilities. As at 31 March 2006, the Company had given guarantees to banks in connection with banking facilities granted to certain subsidiaries amounting to HK\$57,469,794.

ACQUISITION AND DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES**Acquisition of subsidiaries**

During the year, the Group acquired all the interest in Luck Grow Group Limited and the sales loan from an independent third party at a consideration of approximately HK\$182.5 million. For details, please refer to the circular dated 31 October 2006.

Disposal of subsidiaries

During the year, the Group disposed of all its interest in Asian Field Holdings Corp., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, to Mr Chong Sing Yuen, a connected person, at a consideration of approximately HK\$1. For details, please refer to the circular dated 6 March 2007.

Apart from the above, there were no acquisition and disposal of subsidiaries and associated companies during the year.

EMPLOYEES

At 31 March 2007, the Group had approximately 10 and 21 employees in Hong Kong and the PRC, respectively. The remuneration was determined with reference to statutory minimum wages, market terms and the performance, qualification and experience of individual employees. The Group provides contributory provident fund and insurance scheme to the employees. Share option scheme and incentive schemes are adopted to encourage personal commitment of employees.

5. INDEBTEDNESS

As at 30 June 2007, the Enlarged Group's investment properties with value of approximately HK\$424.5 million consisting of Existing Properties of approximately HK\$264.3 million and subject properties under the Acquisitions of approximately HK\$160.2 million were pledged for banking facilities granted to certain third parties. Save for the aforesaid, the Enlarged Group did not have any other borrowings or indebtedness in the nature of borrowing of the Enlarged Group including mortgages, charges, debentures, loan capital, bank loans and overdrafts, debt securities or other similar indebtedness, finance leases or hire purchase commitments, liabilities under acceptances or acceptance credits, or any guarantees, or other material contingent liabilities outstanding.

For the purpose of this indebtedness statement, foreign currency amounts have been translated into Hong Kong dollars at the approximately rates of exchange prevailing as at 30 June 2007.

The Directors are not aware of any material adverse changes in the Enlarged Group's indebtedness position and contingent liabilities since 30 June 2007 except that the Enlarged Group had obtained secured bank borrowings of RMB100 million (equivalent to approximately HK\$102.6 million) in July 2007 and had issued promissory notes amounted to approximately HK\$157.7 million in July 2007 upon the releasing of mortgages on Existing Properties in July 2007.

6. WORKING CAPITAL STATEMENT

Taking into account the Enlarged Group's internal resources, presently available banking facilities and the mortgage loan to be obtained for the purpose of the Acquisitions, and in the absence of unforeseen circumstances, the Directors are of the opinion that the Enlarged Group will have sufficient working capital to meet its present requirements and for the next 12 months from the date of this prospectus.

7. MATERIAL ADVERSE CHANGE

The Directors are not aware of any material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Group since 31 March 2007, the date to which the latest audited financial statements of the Company were made up.

APPENDIX II UNAUDITED PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION

A. STATEMENT OF UNAUDITED PRO FORMA ADJUSTED CONSOLIDATED NET TANGIBLE ASSETS OF THE GROUP FOR THE OPEN OFFER

The statement of unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets of the Group immediately after the Open Offer is prepared in accordance with Rule 4.29 of the Listing Rules to illustrate the effect of the Open Offer on the consolidated net tangible assets of the Group as if the Open Offer had taken place on 31 March 2007.

The statement of unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets of the Group has been prepared for illustrative purposes only, and because of its nature, it may not give a true picture of the financial position of the Group as at 31 March 2007 or any future date.

The statement of unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets of the Group is based on the audited consolidated net tangible assets of the Group as at 31 March 2007 as extracted from the audited consolidated balance sheet of the Group as at 31 March 2007, adjusted as described below.

| | Audited consolidated net tangible assets of the Group attributable to equity shareholders of the Company as at 31 March 2007 <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note 1)</i> | Estimated net proceeds from the Open Offer <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note 2)</i> | Unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets of the Group attributable to equity shareholders of the Company after the Open Offer <i>HK\$'000</i> |
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| Net tangible assets | 35,940 | 207,038 | 242,978 |
| Audited consolidated net tangible assets per Share as at 31 March 2007 and prior to the completion of the Open Offer <i>(Note 3)</i> | | | HK\$0.09 |
| Unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets per Share upon completion of the Open Offer <i>(Note 4)</i> | | | HK\$0.14 |

APPENDIX II UNAUDITED PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Notes:

1. The consolidated net tangible assets of the Group as at 31 March 2007 have been extracted from the audited consolidated financial statements of the Group as at 31 March 2007.
2. The estimated net proceeds from the Open Offer are based on the price of HK\$0.17 per Offer Share and 1,258,178,656 Offer Shares (based on 419,392,885 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date) that are expected to be allotted and issued, after deducting the estimated expenses of approximately HK\$6,852,260 directly attributable to the Open Offer. The net cash inflow is approximately HK\$207,038,111.
3. The audited consolidated net tangible assets of the Group per Share prior to the completion of the Open Offer is calculated based on the 419,392,885 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date.
4. The unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets of the Group per Share immediately after the Open Offer is calculated based on the 1,677,571,541 Shares in issue after the Open Offer. (i.e. 419,392,885 Shares in issue as at the Latest Practicable Date and 1,258,178,656 Offer Shares in total)

The following is the text of the report of CCIF CPA Limited, prepared for the purpose of incorporation in this prospectus, regarding the unaudited pro forma financial information of the Group.

B. REPORT ON THE STATEMENT OF UNAUDITED PRO FORMA ADJUSTED CONSOLIDATED NET TANGIBLE ASSETS OF THE GROUP FOR THE OPEN OFFER



CCIF

CCIF CPA LIMITED

20/F Sunning Plaza
10 Hysan Avenue
Causeway Bay Hong Kong

3 September 2007

The Board of Directors
Northern International Holdings Limited

Dear Sirs,

We report on the statement of unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets of Northern International Holdings Limited (the “Company”) and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the “Group”) set out in Section A of Appendix II to the prospectus dated 3 September 2007 (the “Prospectus”) in connection with the proposed open offer on the basis of three offer shares for every share held (the “Open Offer”). The statement of unaudited pro forma adjusted consolidated net tangible assets of the Group has been prepared by the directors of the Company, for illustrative purpose only, to provide information on how the Open Offer might have affected the relevant financial information of the Group. The basis of preparation of the unaudited pro forma financial information is set out in Section A of Appendix II of the Prospectus.

Respective Responsibilities of Directors of the Company and Reporting Accountants

It is the sole responsibility of the directors of the Company to prepare the unaudited pro forma financial information in accordance with Rule 4.29 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “Listing Rules”) and with reference to Accounting Guideline 7 “Preparation of Pro Forma Financial Information for Inclusion in Investment Circulars” issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

It is our responsibility to form an opinion as required by Rule 4.29(7) of the Listing Rules, on the unaudited pro forma financial information and to report our opinion to you. We do not accept any responsibility for any reports previously given by us on any financial information used in the compilation of the unaudited pro forma financial information beyond that owed to those to whom the reports were addressed by us at the dates of the issue.

Basis of Opinion

We conducted our engagement in accordance with Hong Kong Standard on Investment Circular Reporting Engagements 300 “Accountants’ Reports on Pro Forma Financial Information in Investment Circulars” issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Our work consisted primarily of comparing the unadjusted financial information with source documents, considering the evidence supporting the adjustments and discussing the unaudited pro forma financial information with the directors of the Company. This engagement did not involve independent examination of any of the underlying financial information.

We planned and performed our work so as to obtain the information and explanations we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the unaudited pro forma financial information has been properly compiled by the directors of the Company on the basis stated, that such basis is consistent with the accounting policies of the Group and that the adjustments are appropriate for the purpose of the unaudited pro forma financial information as disclosed pursuant to Rule 4.29(1) of the Listing Rules.

The unaudited pro forma financial information is for illustrative purpose only, based on the judgements and assumptions of the directors of the Company, and, because of its hypothetical nature, does not provide any assurance or indication that any event will take place in the future and may not be indicative of the financial position of the Group as at 31 March 2007 or any future date.

Opinion

In our opinion:

- a. the unaudited pro forma financial information has been properly compiled by the directors of the Company on the basis stated;
- b. such basis is consistent with the accounting policies of the Group; and
- c. the adjustments are appropriate for the purpose of the unaudited pro forma financial information as disclosed pursuant to Rule 4.29(1) of the Listing Rules.

CCIF CPA Limited

Certified Public Accountants

Hong Kong

Delores Teh

Practising Certificate Number P03207

RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

This prospectus includes particulars given in compliance with the Listing Rules for the purpose of giving information with regard to the Company. The Directors collectively and individually accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this prospectus and confirm, having made all reasonable enquiries, that to the best of their knowledge and belief, there are no other facts the omission of which would make any statement herein misleading.

PARTICULARS OF DIRECTORS**Executive Directors**

Mr. Zhao Qing Ji, aged 34, has been appointed as Chairman of the Company in January 2007 and an executive director and chief executive officer of the Company in November 2006. Mr. Zhao graduated at Peking University with a bachelor's degree in economics in 1998. Mr. Zhao has nearly 10-year experience in corporate management. Mr. Zhao also has ample of experience in merger and acquisition, corporate restructuring, investment management, finance and initial public offering in PRC. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Zhao was Vice President of Peking University Resource Group, responsible for management of investments in property development projects and investment properties.

Mr. Lu Xiao Dong, aged 34, has been appointed as an executive Director in May 2006. Mr. Lu received a bachelor's degree in economics from Nankai University in 1996 and has nearly 10-year experience in investment banking and extensive experience in merger and acquisition, corporate finance, company reconstruction and initial public offering.

Mr. Au Tat On, aged 51, has been appointed as an executive Director in May 2006. Mr. Au received a bachelor's degree in business administration from Chu Hai College in 1989 and has nearly 28-year experience in banking operations and financing.

Independent non-executive Directors

Mr. Cheng Kwok Hing, Andy, aged 35, was appointed as independent non-executive Director in September 2004. Mr. Cheng has over 15 years of experience in accounting and administrative fields, of which five years were with public company listed on the Stock Exchange. Mr. Cheng is a director of a Hong Kong private company which is principally engaged in the manufacturing and sale of Chinese medical herbs in Hong Kong and the PRC. Mr. Cheng is also an executive director of Kanstar Environmental Paper Products Holdings Limited, a company whose ordinary shares are listed on the GEM Board of the Stock Exchange and Peking Apparel International Group Limited, a company whose ordinary shares are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange.

Mr. Yeung Yuen Hei, aged 42, was appointed as independent non-executive Director in August 2005. Mr. Yeung is a solicitor practising in Hong Kong. Mr. Yeung holds a bachelor of laws degree from the University of London and a postgraduate certificate in laws from the University of Hong Kong. Mr. Yeung is a partner of Y. H. Yeung and Associates, Solicitors and Mr. Yeung serves as honorary legal adviser to the Parent Teacher Association of Kwong Ming School – PM session, a sport association and an association on building management consultation in Yuen Long district.

Ms. Chan Mei Bo, Mabel, aged 35, is the sole proprietor of Mabel Chan & Co, Certified Public Accountants. She has 13 years' experience in professional accounting in Hong Kong and in the People's Republic of China. She holds a Bachelor of Arts (Hons) degree from the City University of Hong Kong and a Master degree of Business Administration from the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology. Ms. Chan was qualified as a member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants in 1996. She was also qualified as a practicing Certified Public Accountant of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants in 1998. She is currently the Vice President of the Association of Women Accountants (Hong Kong), Honorary Treasurer as well as the council member of the Society of Chinese Accountants and Auditors, member of the Taxation Institute of Hong Kong, Honorary Treasurer of the Hong Kong Professionals Advancement Association and a member of the Hong Kong Institute of Directors.

PARTIES INVOLVED IN THE OPEN OFFER AND CORPORATE INFORMATION

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| Registered office | Clarendon House Church Street Hamilton HM11 Bermuda |
| Head office and principal place of business | Room 2001, 20/F Lippo Centre, Tower Two 89 Queensway Road Hong Kong |
| Financial Adviser to the Company | Optima Capital Limited (formerly known as VXL Financial Services Limited) Unit 3618, 36th Floor Bank of America Tower 12 Harcourt Road Central Hong Kong |

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| Legal adviser to the Company | <i>On Hong Kong Law</i> Michael Li & Co. 14/F, Printing House 6 Duddell Street Central Hong Kong <i>On Bermuda Law</i> Conyers Dill & Pearman 2901, One Exchange Square 8 Connaught Place Central Hong Kong |
| Auditors | CCIF CPA Limited, <i>Certified Public Accountants</i> 20/F Sunning Plaza 10 Hysan Avenue Causeway Bay Hong Kong |
| Principal Bankers | ICBC (Asia) 33/F., ICBC Tower 3 Garden Road Central, Hong Kong |
| Principal share registrar and transfer office | The Bank of Bermuda Limited Bank of Bermuda Building 6 Front Street, Hamilton HM11 Bermuda |
| Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office | Tricor Secretaries Limited 26th Floor Tesbury Centre 28 Queen's Road East Wanchai Hong Kong |
| Authorized representatives | Lu Xiao Dong Room 1901, 19/F., Tower 1 Harbourview Horizon 12 Hung Lok Road Hunghom Bay, Kowloon Hong Kong Ong King Keung Block A, Room 609 I-Feng Mansion 237 Tokwawan Road Kowloon Hong Kong |

**Qualified accountant and
company secretary**

Ong King Keung, *CPA*

DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

(a) Director's interests and short positions in the securities of the Company and its associated corporations

As at the Latest Practicable Date, the interests and short positions of the Directors or chief executives and their associates in the shares, underlying Shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO), which would have to be notified to the Company or any of its associated corporations) and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO or that was required to be recorded pursuant to section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Companies were as follows:

Long position in the Shares

| Name of Director | Number of Shares | Type of interests | Approximate percentage of Company's issued Shares |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Zhao Qing Ji (Note) | 629,089,327.75 | Through a controlled corporation | 37.50% |

Note: Profit Key, wholly-owned by Mr. Zhao, has undertaken to subscribe for, or procure subscription of, up to 629,089,327.75 Underwritten Shares not being taken up pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement. As such, Mr. Zhao is deemed to be interested in 629,089,327.75 Shares under the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, as at the Latest Practicable Date, none of the Directors nor the chief executive of the Company had or was deemed to have any interests or short positions in the Shares, underlying Shares or debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) (i) which were required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests or short positions which they were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO); or (ii) which were required, pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein; or (iii) which were required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Companies contained in the Listing Rules.

(b) Substantial Shareholders

As at the Latest Practicable Date, according to the register kept by the Company pursuant to section 336 of SFO, and so far as is known to the Directors or chief executive of the Company, the following persons (other than a Director or a chief executive of the Company) had, or was deemed or taken to have, an interest or short position in the Shares or underlying Shares which would fall to be disclosed to the Company and the Stock Exchange under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO or who were directly or indirectly interested in 10% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital, including options in respect of such capital, carrying voting rights to vote in all circumstances at general meeting of any member of the Group:

| | Capacity and nature of interest | Number of Shares held | Approximate percentage of the Company's issued share capital |
|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Win Channel Investments Limited (<i>Note 1</i>) | Directly beneficially owned | 65,000,000 | 15.50% |
| Chim Pui Chung (<i>Note 1</i>) | Through a controlled corporation | 65,000,000 | 15.50% |
| Pan Chien Pu | Directly beneficially owned | 58,000,000 | 13.83% |
| Easy Huge Holdings Limited (<i>Note 2</i>) | Directly beneficially owned | 48,000,000 | 11.45% |
| Ng Kin Wah (<i>Note 2</i>) | Through a controlled corporation | 48,000,000 | 11.45% |
| Profit Key (<i>Note 3</i>) | Other (<i>Note 3</i>) | 629,089,327.75 | 37.50% |

Note 1: The interest was held by Win Channel Investments Limited, a company wholly owned by Mr Chim Pui Chung.

Note 2: The interest was held by Easy Huge Holdings Limited, a company wholly owned by Mr Ng Kin Wah.

Note 3: Profit Key, wholly-owned by Mr. Zhao, has undertaken to subscribe for, or procure subscription of, up to 629,089,327.75 Underwritten Shares not being taken up pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement. As such, Profit Key is deemed to be interested in 629,089,327.75 Shares under the SFO.

Save as disclosed above and so far as is known to the Directors or chief executive of the Company, there is no person (other than a Director or chief executive of the Company) who, as at the Latest Practicable Date, had an interest or short position in the Shares and underlying Shares which would fall to be disclosed to the Company and the Stock Exchange under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or, was, directly or indirectly, interested in 10% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital, including options in respect of such capital, carrying rights to vote in all circumstances at general meeting of any other member of the Group.

(c) Share Options

Details of the outstanding share options granted under the share option scheme of the Company as at the Latest Practicable Date were as follows:

| Name or category of participant | Number of share options | Date of grant | Exercise period | Exercise Price per Share HK\$ (Note) |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|--|
| Employee | | | | |
| Other employee | 850,000 | 30-10-2002 | 30-10-2002 to 29-10-2012 | 0.2 |
| Total share options | <u>850,000</u> | | | |

Note: The exercise price of the share options is subject to adjustment in the case of rights or bonus issues, or other similar changes in the Company's share capital.

MATERIAL CONTRACTS

Within the two years immediately preceding the date of this prospectus, the following contracts, not being contracts entered into in the ordinary course of business, have been entered into by members of the Group and are or may be material:

- (1) an agreement dated 8 July 2006 between the Northern Industrial (Panyu) Co., Ltd. a wholly-owned subsidiary which the Company disposed in March 2007 and the 廣州市海珠區鳳陽街五鳳經濟聯合社 (Wufeng Economic Association, Feng Yang Street, Haizhu District, Guangzhou)[#], which and whose ultimate beneficial owners are to the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief having made all reasonable enquiry, a third party independent of and not connected with the Company and its connected persons in relation the sale of 中國廣東省番禺區魚窩頭沙灣大橋南岸東側的北方工業城 (Dawn Village, Yuwotou Zhen, Panyu City, Guangdong Province, the PRC) at the consideration of RMB75,000,000;
- (2) a sale and purchase agreement dated 21 August 2006 (the "Luck Grow Agreement") entered into between the Company and Mr. Xu Dong in relation to the acquisition by the Company for the entire issued share capital of Luck Grow Group Limited and the liabilities owing, and incurring by Luck Grow Group Limited and Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang Place The Industry Co. Limited, both of which were wholly-owned by Mr. Xu Dong before completion of Luck Grow Agreement to Mr. Xu Dong as at the date of completion of such sale and purchase agreement at consideration of HK\$182,504,072. Please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 5 September 2006 and the circular of the Company dated 31 October 2006 for details;

- (3) the sale and purchase agreement (the “Disposal Agreement”) dated 7 February 2007 entered into between the Company and Mr. Chong Sing Yuen, the ex-Director, in relation to the sale and purchase of (i) one ordinary share of US\$1 par value each in the issued share capital of Asian Field Holdings Corp. (Mr. Chong Sing Yuen was its director as at the date of the Disposal Agreement) as at the date of such agreement; and (ii) the one new share of Asian Field Holdings Corp. with par value of US\$1 each to be allotted and issued to the Company at a consideration equivalent to the value of the consolidated net liabilities (if any) of the Asian Field Holdings Corp. and its subsidiaries as at 31 January 2007 (if any); and (ii) the benefit of and the interest in all obligations, liabilities and debts owing and incurring by Asian Field Holdings Corp. to the Company as at the date of completion of such agreement (after netting of the amount capitalised (if any)) at consideration of HK\$2. Please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 12 February 2007 and the circular of the Company dated 6 March 2007 for details;
- (4) the sale and purchase agreement dated 10 July 2007 entered into between Shanghai Xiwu Industry Co., Ltd. (上海錫武實業有限公司) and Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang in respect of the property comprising whole of two commercial floors on Levels 1 and 2 of Shimei Mansion located at No. 445 Jiangning Road, Jiangan District, Shanghai, the PRC;
- (5) the sale and purchase agreement dated 10 July 2007 entered into between Shanghai Chen Xuan Trading Co., Ltd. (上海辰炫貿易有限公司) and Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang in respect of the property comprising whole of two commercial floors on Levels 3 and 4 of Shimei Mansion located at No. 445 Jiangning Road, Jiangan District, Shanghai, the PRC;
- (6) the sale and purchase agreement dated 10 July 2007 entered into between Shanghai Xu Hui Co., Ltd. (上海續輝物資有限公司) and Shanghai Xiang Chen Hang in respect of the property comprising whole of two office floors on Levels 14 and 15 of Yun Hai Building located at No. 1329 and 1331, Huai Hai Zhong Road, Xuhui District, Shanghai, the PRC;
- (7) the First Underwriting Agreement;
- (8) the Deed of Termination; and
- (9) the Underwriting Agreement.

LITIGATION

The Company instituted legal proceedings against ASG Capital Limited and ASG Brokerage Limited (the “Defendants”) in 1998 for breach of the placing and underwriting agreement dated 9 December 1997 by failing to fulfill their underwriting obligations thereunder and for the recovery of HK\$40 million being economic loss suffered by the Company together with interest and legal cost. The proceedings are now in pre-trial stage of discovery of documents of the parties and the date of trial has not been fixed. The last action of the parties to the proceedings took place in mid-2005 when solicitors acting for the Company in the legal proceedings served a notice to inspect documents to those acting for the Defendants.

As at the Latest Practicable Date, save as disclosed above, neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries was engaged in any litigation, arbitration or claim of material importance and no litigation, arbitration or claim of material importance was pending or threatened against either the Company or any of its subsidiaries.

LEGAL EFFECT

This prospectus and the accompanying Application Form, and all acceptances of any offer or application contained in such documents, are governed by and shall be construed in accordance with the laws of Hong Kong. Where an application is made in pursuance of any such documents, the relevant document(s) shall have the effect of rendering all persons concerned bound by the provisions, other than the penal provisions, of Sections 44A and 44B of the Companies Ordinance, so far as applicable.

EXPENSES

The expenses in connection with the Open Offer, including the financial advisory fee, underwriting commission, printing, registration, translation, legal and accounting charges are estimated to amount to approximately HK\$6.9 million and will be payable by the Company.

DOCUMENTS REGISTERED BY THE REGISTRARS OF COMPANIES

A copy of this prospectus, the Application Form and the written consent given by CCIF CPA Limited (“CCIF”) as referred to in this appendix, have been registered with the Registrar of Companies in Hong Kong. Copies of this prospectus and the Application Form have been filed with the Registrar of Companies in Bermuda.

SERVICE CONTRACTS

None of the Directors has any existing or proposed service contract with any member of the Group which does not expire or is not determinable by the Group within one year without payment of compensation (other than statutory compensation).

DIRECTORS’ INTEREST IN ASSETS, CONTRACT OR ARRANGEMENT

None of the Directors had any direct or indirect interest in any assets which have been, since 31 March 2007 (being the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Group were made up) and up to the Latest Practicable Date, acquired or disposed of by or leased to or are proposed to be acquired or disposed of by or leased to any member of the Group. As at the Latest Practicable Date, save for Mr. Zhao acting as a guarantor in the First Underwriting Agreement, the Deed of Termination and the Underwriting Agreement, none of the Directors was materially interested in any contract or arrangement entered into by any member of the Group and subsisting at the Latest Practicable Date which was significant in relation to the business of the Group.

EXPERT AND CONSENT

- (a) The following is the qualification of the expert who has given opinions which are included in this prospectus:

| Name | Qualification |
|------------------|------------------------------|
| CCIF CPA Limited | Certified Public Accountants |

- (b) CCIF does not have any shareholding, directly or indirectly, in any member of the Group or any right (whether legally enforceable or not) to subscribe for or to nominate persons to subscribe for securities in any member of the Group.
- (c) CCIF has given and has not withdrawn its written consent to the issue of this prospectus, with the inclusion of its letter or references to its name in the form and context in which they are included.
- (d) CCIF does not have any direct or indirect interest in any assets which have been, since 31 March 2007 (being the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Group were made up), acquired or disposed of by or leased to or are proposed to be acquired or disposed of by or leased to any member of the Group.

PROCEDURES FOR DEMANDING A POLL

According to the Bye-laws of the Company, before or on the declaration of the result of voting on a show of hands on a resolution at the general meeting of the Company, a poll may be demanded by:

- (a) by the Chairman of the meeting; or
- (b) at least three members present in person or, in the case of a member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative or by proxy for the time being entitled to vote at the meeting; or
- (c) any member or members present in person or, in the case of a member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and representing not less than 10 per cent. of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote at the meeting; or
- (d) any member or members present in person or, in the case of a member being a corporation, by its duly authorised representative or by proxy and holding shares in the Company conferring a right to vote at the meeting being shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than 10 per cent. of the total sum paid up on all the shares conferring that right.

MISCELLANEOUS

- (a) The head office and the principal place of business of the Company in Hong Kong is at Room 2001, 20/F, Lippo Centre, Tower Two, 89 Queensway, Hong Kong. The registered office of the Company is at Clarendon House, Church Street, Hamilton HM11, Bermuda. The Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office of the Company is Tricor Secretaries Limited at 26th Floor, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong.
- (b) This prospectus and the accompanying Application Form have been prepared in both English and Chinese. In the case of any discrepancies, the English texts shall prevail over their respective Chinese texts.

DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION

Copies of the following documents are available for inspection during normal business hours (except Saturday and public holidays) at the Hong Kong principal office of the Company at Room 2001, 20/F, Lippo Centre, Tower Two, 89 Queensway, Hong Kong, up to and including 17 September 2007:

- (a) the memorandum of association and the bye-laws of the Company;
- (b) the annual reports of the Company for each of the financial years ended 31 March 2006 and 2007 respectively;
- (c) the letter of consent referred to under the section headed "Expert and consent" in this appendix;
- (d) the material contracts referred to in the section headed "Material contracts" in this appendix;
- (e) the report from CCIF CPA Limited on the unaudited pro forma financial information on the Group, the text of which is set out in Appendix II to this prospectus;
- (f) a copy of each of the circulars issued pursuant to the requirements set out in Chapter 14 and/or 14A of the Listing Rules which have been issued by the Company since 31 March 2007 (the date to which the latest published audited consolidated financial statements of the Group were made up); and
- (g) this prospectus.