

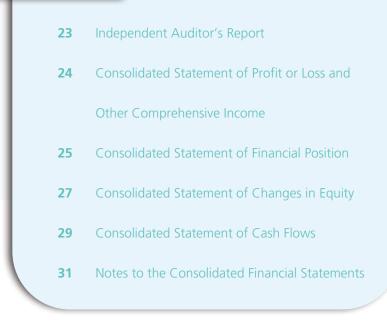
2015 ANNUAL REPORT

Stock Code : 1118 Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability





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Corporate Information

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Executive Directors

Mr. PANG Tak Chung *(Chairman)* Mr. HO Wai Yu, Sammy *(Vice Chairman)* Ms. PANG Wan Ping Mr. LAU Ngai Fai (appointed on 10th August, 2015) Mr. John Cyril FLETCHER (retired on 1st June, 2015)

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. YU Kwok Kan, Stephen Mr. CHAN Yat Yan Mr. LO Yip Tong

COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr. HO Wai Yu, Sammy FCCA CPA MCMI

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Mr. YU Kwok Kan, Stephen Mr. CHAN Yat Yan Mr. LO Yip Tong

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Mr. YU Kwok Kan, Stephen Mr. CHAN Yat Yan Mr. LO Yip Tong

REGISTERED OFFICE

Clarendon House 2 Church Street Hamilton HM 11 Bermuda

HEAD OFFICE AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

Suite 5608, Central Plaza 18 Harbour Road Wanchai Hong Kong

Suite 6505, Central Plaza 18 Harbour Road Wanchai Hong Kong (effective from 8th April, 2016)

AUDITOR

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu

LEGAL ADVISORS

Troutman Sanders W. K. To & Co.

PRINCIPAL BANKERS

Bank of China (Hong Kong) Limited BNP Paribas China CITIC Bank International Limited DBS Bank (Hong Kong) Limited Hang Seng Bank Limited The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited Standard Chartered Bank (Hong Kong) Limited

HONG KONG BRANCH SHARE REGISTRAR AND TRANSFER OFFICE

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STOCK CODE

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Financial Summary

RESULTS

| | For the year ended 31st December, | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| Revenue | 2,826,426 | 2,916,502 | 3,070,165 | 3,201,314 | 2,524,502 |
| Profit before taxation | 108,204 | 93,961 | 114,855 | 141,750 | 124,809 |
| Income taxes | (7,830) | (9,045) | (13,093) | (21,004) | (23,361) |
| Profit for the year | 100,374 | 84,916 | 101,762 | 120,746 | 101,448 |
| Profit attributable to: | | | | | |
| Shareholders of the Company | 101,310 | 81,748 | 92,223 | 107,436 | 92,740 |
| Non-controlling interests | (936) | 3,168 | 9,539 | 13,310 | 8,708 |
| | 100,374 | 84,916 | 101,762 | 120,746 | 101,448 |

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

| | | At 31st December, | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| Total assets | 2,004,495 | 1,900,400 | 2,222,418 | 2,127,386 | 1,701,671 |
| Total liabilities | (1,257,088) | (1,083,419) | (1,323,946) | (1,137,767) | (669,924) |
| Net assets | 747,407 | 816,981 | 898,472 | 989,619 | 1,031,747 |
| Equity attributable to shareholders of | | | | | |
| the Company | 728,316 | 794,726 | 865,145 | 948,522 | 997,938 |
| Non-controlling interests | 19,091 | 22,255 | 33,327 | 41,097 | 33,809 |
| Total equity | 747,407 | 816,981 | 898,472 | 989,619 | 1,031,747 |

Business Profile



METAL PRODUCTS

Galvanized Steel Wire Production Line in Heshan, Guangdong, Mainland China

Steel Coil Processing Centre in Dongguan, Guangdong, Mainland China





Elevator Wire Rope Production Line in Tianjin, Mainland China

Business Profile

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS





Rebar Value-Added Centre in Tai Po, Hong Kong

Steel Distribution





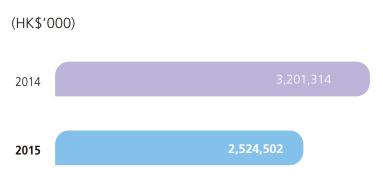




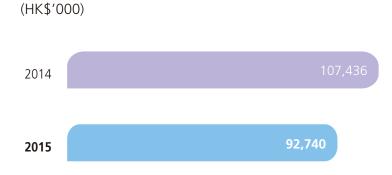
Supply of Ready Mixed Concrete

Financial Highlights

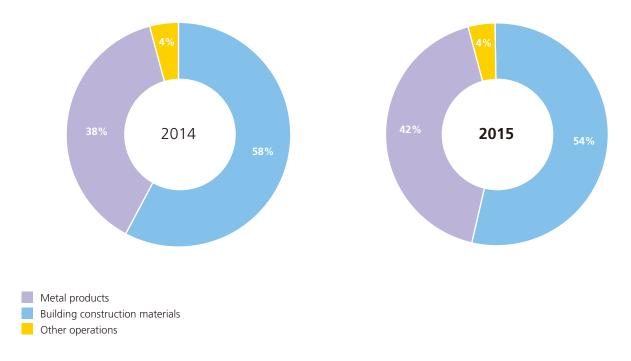
Revenue for the years ended 31st December, 2014 and 2015



Profit attributable to shareholders of the Company for the years ended 31st December, 2014 and 2015



Revenue by operating segments for the years ended 31st December, 2014 and 2015



Chairman's Statement



The Group will make every effort to achieve our goals of providing high-end products in the industry and capturing market leading position.

BUSINESS REVIEW

Metal products and building construction materials represent two core pillars of business for the Group.

In 2015, the global economy continued to weaken and economic growth slowed down, while prices of crude oil, steel and other commodities suffered drastic decline, these negative factors brought great challenges to the Group's business during the year. Despite the challenging macro environment, the Group still benefited from its business strategy and the solid foundation built with years of dedication and managed to achieve a relatively stable performance in its annual results.

For the year ended 31st December, 2015, the Group's total revenue was HK\$2,524,502,000, a decrease of approximately 21% year-over-year. The decrease is mainly attributable to the general and substantial decline in prices of most commodities, in particular the prices of steel products, during the year. The overall business volume of the Group maintained at more or less the same level as that of last year.

After the deduction of non-controlling interests, profit attributable to the shareholders of the Company for the year amounted to HK\$92,740,000, a decrease of approximately 14% year-over-year.

The Board of Directors has recommended a final dividend of HK3.5 cents per share. Together with the paid interim dividend of HK1.5 cents per share, total dividends for the year will amount to HK5.0 cents per share.

BUSINESS REVIEW (continued)

Metal Products

Metal products line of business comprises mainly of steel coil processing, steel wires and steel wire rope products. Revenue for the year was HK\$1,077,679,000, a decrease of approximately 12% year-over-year. Profit before interest and taxation was HK\$95,980,000, an increase of approximately 12% year-over-year.

2015 remained extremely challenging for the manufacturing sector in China. Due to economic downturn and declining demand, overcapacity became a major issue across various industries in the country and market competition became more intense. In recent years, the Group's metal product business successfully maintained its stable performance, notably its gross profit registered consistent improvement over the years, and this strategic outcome is attributable primarily to the Group's efforts over the years in pursuit of the transition towards high-end products.

High-end steel wire and steel wire rope products represent our primary goal and direction in future development. Whilst striving to maintain our market leadership position in the field of elevator wire ropes in China, the Group is concurrently exploring the field of developing high-end steel wire rope products for other uses that could replace import products. Our aim is to recruit international professionals from this sector and hopefully, with concerted efforts over the next three to five years, we could extend our leading position in elevator wire rope products to the field of steel wire rope products for other uses in China.

Building Construction Materials

Building construction materials line of business comprises mainly of ready mixed concrete, distribution and processing of construction steel products and other building construction materials in Hong Kong.

Revenue for the year was HK\$1,364,589,0000, a decrease of approximately 27% year-over-year. Profit before interest and taxation was HK\$ 85,039,000, a decrease of 22% year-over-year.

Revenue and profit of our building construction materials business both recorded relatively significant declines as compared with the previous year. This is mainly due to significant decline in steel product prices during the year that led to decrease in sales. Impairment recognized for steel inventories increased in view of a relatively substantial decline in steel product prices, the performance of our steel products distribution business suffered a setback accordingly.

For steel products distribution business, the traditional model of providing warehousing and distribution services is relatively primitive and with competitions in the market intensified, it is becoming more difficult to achieve a reasonable level of gross margin, thus value-added processing will be the direction for our steel products business moving forward. During the year, our steel products processing department has established an associate with Hongkong United Dockyards Limited ("HUD"), a joint venture between Swire Pacific and Hutchison Whampoa. The associate conducts rebar processing activities on the dockyard site of HUD, through which the Group increased its input into, and participation in, the value-added steel products processing business. Our value-added steel processing division, which includes the provision of welded wire mesh and rebar processing, posted a remarkable performance during the year and its results showed a significant growth when compared with last year.

Our ready mixed concrete business performed steadily during the year and delivered satisfactory results. Following the commencement of operation of our new mixed concrete batching plant in Mui Wo, Lantau Island, an additional production line in Yau Tong, Kowloon also come into operation in the fourth quarter of the year. The Group's ready mixed concrete operation now has five production lines in Hong Kong and attained the scale of a medium-sized concrete operation in Hong Kong. This business is developing at a steady pace. Our ready mixed concrete business is expected to become a stable contributor to our revenue in the years ahead.

The outlook for Hong Kong's construction industry is expected to remain promising and buoyant over the next few years. The Group is cautiously optimistic about the business prospects of its building materials business.

Chairman's Statement

LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES

As at 31st December, 2015, the total bank balances and cash of the Group amounted to HK\$381,064,000 (31st December, 2014: HK\$527,928,000). As at 31st December, 2015, current ratio (current assets to current liabilities) for the Group was 2.02:1 (31st December, 2014: 1.55:1).

As at 31st December, 2015, the total borrowings of the Group amounted to HK\$349,723,000 (31st December, 2014: HK\$772,335,000).

The Group's monetary assets are principally denominated in Hong Kong dollars, Renminbi and United States dollars. As Hong Kong dollars is pegged to United States dollars, the Group believes its exposure to exchange risk is limited. For the fluctuation of exchange rate of Renminbi, the Management will continue to monitor foreign exchange exposure of Renminbi and will take prudence measures to minimize the currency risk.

CAPITAL STRUCTURE

During the year, there was no material change to the capital structure of the Company. The number of the Company's ordinary shares in issue as at 31st December, 2015 was 561,922,500 (31st December, 2014: 561,922,500). As at 31st December, 2015, the equity attributable to the shareholders of the Company amounted to HK\$997,938,000 (31st December, 2014: HK\$948,522,000).

As at 31st December, 2015, net gearing ratio (total borrowings minus bank balances and cash to total equity) was -0.03:1 (31st December, 2014: 0.25:1).

EMPLOYMENT AND REMUNERATION POLICY

As at 31st December, 2015, the total number of staff of the Group was 1,258. Remuneration is determined with reference to the performance, qualifications and experience of the employees concerned and the prevailing industry practice. The Group provides Mandatory Provident Fund entitlement to Hong Kong's employees. Moreover, share options may be granted as an incentive or reward to eligible employees in accordance with the share option scheme adopted on 5th June, 2014.

PROSPECT

Looking forward to 2016, the global economy, including China's economy, will still be clouded by uncertainties, this situation will continue to bring various challenges for different industries and the Group's business will inevitably be affected. Against a challenging operating environment, the Group will adopt a more cautious approach in conducting our core businesses, and will continue to formulate our long-term development plan so as to lay down the foundations for sustainable development in long term. We will make every effort to achieve our goals of providing high-end products in the industry and capturing market leading position. We are confident that by virtue of the solid foundation established through years of dedication and untiring and devoted efforts of our staff, we will overcome the prevailing pressure from downward movement of the economy and continue to bring solid returns for our shareholders.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I personally take this opportunity to thank all our employees and management staff in abundance for their contributions and past efforts. I would also like to thank all our customers, shareholders, banks and business associates who had supported us along the way. With your continuing support, the Group endeavours to deliver good results in the coming year.

Pang Tak Chung Chairman

Hong Kong, 23rd March, 2016

Biography of Directors and Senior Management

Mr. Pang Tak Chung, aged 67, has been the Chairman and Managing Director of the Company since 1996. Mr. Pang is the founder of Golik Metal Industrial Company Limited ("Golik Metal") in 1977 and a director of Golik Investments Ltd., which is wholly owned by Mr. Pang and a substantial shareholder of the Company. He is responsible for strategic planning, overall management and corporate development of the Group. He has over 40 years' experience in the trading and manufacturing industry in Hong Kong and the PRC. He also has extensive experience in international trading practices. Furthermore, Mr. Pang is a member of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference Tianjin Municipal Committee, the honorary citizen of both Jiangmen and Heshan, Guangdong Province and the president of The N.T. North District Manufacturers' Association, Hong Kong. Mr. Pang is the father of Ms. Pang Wan Ping, Executive Director of the Company.

Mr. Ho Wai Yu, Sammy, aged 60, is the Vice Chairman and Company Secretary of the Company and finance director of the Group responsible for finance, accounting, information technology development, legal and corporate matters of the Group. Mr. Ho is a Fellow Member of Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, an Associate Member of Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants, a Full Member of Chartered Management Institute in the United Kingdom, a Full Member of Hong Kong Computer Society and a founder and permanent honorable president of IT Accountants Association. He has over 35 years' experience in finance, accounting, computing, investment and project development. Mr. Ho joined Golik Metal in 1994.

Ms. Pang Wan Ping, aged 38, has been appointed as Executive Director of the Company and project director of the Group since 2013. She is responsible for coordinating various activities of the Group's existing operations, identify new project and its development. Ms. Pang is a director of Golik Investments Ltd., a substantial shareholder of the Company. Ms. Pang holds a Bachelor of Architecture Degree, a Master Degree of Commerce majoring in Finance, and a Master Degree of Legal Studies, graduated all from The University of New South Wales, Australia. She is a Registered Architect with the New South Wales Architects Registration Board in Australia, a Member of the Australian Institute of Architects, a Chartered Member of the Royal Institute of British Architects and an Associate Member of the Hong Kong Institute of Architects. Ms. Pang joined the Company in 2009 and has over 13 years of experience in property development and construction industry. Prior to the Group, she worked at Goodman as a Registered Architect in the property development division. Ms. Pang is the daughter of Mr. Pang Tak Chung, the Chairman and Managing Director of the Company.

Mr. Lau Ngai Fai, aged 58, has been appointed as Executive Director of the Company in 2015. He is responsible for running the manufacturing operations, marketing strategy planning and overall management of concrete division of the Group. Mr. Lau holds a Bachelor Degree in Civil Engineering with Honors from University of London, England. He had worked for managerial position in various organizations, including Hong Kong Government Public Works Departments and Ho Tin and Associates Consulting Engineers Limited; since 2006, he has served as a director in Black & Veatch Hong Kong Limited and subsequently became an associate vice-president in 2011. Mr. Lau is a Fellow Member of The Hong Kong Institution of Engineers. With over 31 years involved in the construction field, Mr. Lau has gained extensive industrial knowledge and management experience both from local and international organization, he specializes in civil engineering, infrastructure, site formation, sewerage works, drainage works, traffic engineering and project management.

Mr. Yu Kwok Kan, Stephen, aged 60, has been appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company since 1997 and is a member of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee of the Company. Mr. Yu is the principal of Stephen K K Yu & Co., Certified Practising Accountants in Australia. He holds a Bachelor of Commerce Degree from the University of New South Wales. He has over 35 years' advisory experience on taxation in Australia, Hong Kong and the PRC.

Mr. Chan Yat Yan, aged 60, has been appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company since 2004 and is a member of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee of the Company. He holds MBA from the University of Macau. Mr. Chan is the general manager of Modern Marketing Ltd. He has held senior management positions in corporate management, marketing and corporate communication and achieved many accomplishments with various multi-national corporations and leading Fortune 500 companies in the PRC for over 27 years, including BBDO of Omnicom Group, H.J. Heinz, Time Warner as well as the World Gold Council. He also has extensive knowledge and experience in the PRC market.

Mr. Lo Yip Tong, aged 58, has been appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company since 2004 and is a member of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee of the Company. Mr. Lo is the proprietor of Y.T. Lo & Co., Certified Public Accountants and has over 30 years of experience in statistical, accounting, auditing and financial restructuring work. He is a Member of Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and a Certified Public Accountant (Practising) of Hong Kong. He is also a nominee approved by the Court for voluntary arrangement.

The Group is committed to the maintenance of good corporate governance practices as set out in the Code on Corporate Governance Practices (the "CG Code") in Appendix 14 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") (the "Listing Rules").

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Company has complied with code provisions as set out in the CG Code for the year ended 31st December, 2015 except the followings:

Code provision A.2.1, the Company does not separate the roles of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer and Mr. Pang Tak Chung currently holds both positions. As the board of directors (the "Board") believes that vesting the roles of both Chairman and Chief Executive Officer in the same person provides the Company with strong and consistent leadership, efficient usage of resources and allows for effective planning, formulation and implementation of the Company's business strategies which will enable the Company to sustain the development of its business efficiently.

Code provision A.5.1, the Company does not propose to establish a nomination committee for the time being as the full Board is responsible for reviewing the structure, size and composition of the Board and the appointment of new directors from time to time to ensure that it has a balanced composition of their skills and experience appropriate for the requirements of the businesses of the Company, and the Board as a whole is also responsible for reviewing the succession plan for the directors.

Code provision A.5.6, the Company does not have a policy concerning diversity of board members for the time being. In designing the Board's composition, the Company will consider from all aspects, all directors' appointment will be based on meritocracy and candidates will be considered against objective criteria, having due regard for the benefits of diversity on the Board.

DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted a code of conduct regarding securities transactions by directors on terms no less exacting than the required standards set out in Appendix 10 to the Listing Rules (the "Model Code"). Specific enquiry has been made by the Company to each director of the Company confirming that they have complied with the required standards set out in the Model Code and the code of conduct regarding securities transactions by directors adopted by the Company for the year ended 31st December, 2015.

THE BOARD

The Board currently comprises four Executive Directors and three Independent Non-executive Directors. The members of the Board during the year and up to the date of this report are:

Executive Directors

Mr. Pang Tak Chung (*Chairman*)
Mr. Ho Wai Yu, Sammy (*Vice Chairman*)
Ms. Pang Wan Ping
Mr. Lau Ngai Fai (appointed on 10th August, 2015)
Mr. John Cyril Fletcher (retired on 1st June, 2015)

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Yu Kwok Kan, Stephen Mr. Chan Yat Yan Mr. Lo Yip Tong

The Directors acknowledged their responsibilities for the preparation of the accounts of the Group.

THE BOARD (continued)

The Board is responsible for overseeing overall management of business and strategic development, deciding business and investment plans and exercising other powers, functions and duties conferred by shareholders at the general meeting. All directors have full and timely access to all relevant information in relation to the Company as well as the advices and services of the Company Secretary, if and when required, with a view to ensuring that the Board procedures and all applicable rules and regulations are followed.

For a director to be considered independent, the director must not have any direct or indirect material relationship with the Group. The Company has received from each of the Independent Non-executive Directors an annual confirmation of his independence pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules, and considers each of the Independent Non-executive Directors to be independent.

The Directors and Officers' liability insurance has been arranged for all Directors and officers of the Group.

DIRECTORS' TRAINING

All directors should participate in continuous professional development to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills. This is to ensure that their contribution to the Board remains informed and relevant. The Company has arranged adequate training for directors to enhance their understanding of the Group's business operations and responsibility.

TERMS OF NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Code provision A.4.1 of the CG Code requires that non-executive directors should be appointed for a specific term and subject to re-election.

The Company has entered into service contracts with the Directors (including Non-executive Directors) which set out key terms and conditions relative to their appointments. All of them have agreed and accepted with the terms and conditions under their respective service contracts. The service contracts of Non-executive Directors provide for a term of three years.

All directors of the Company shall be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years in accordance with the Company's Bye-laws.

CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Code provision A.2.1 of the CG Code stipulates that the roles of chairman and chief executive officer should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual. The Company does not segregate the roles of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer and Mr. Pang Tak Chung currently holds both positions, as explained in the section of Corporate Governance Practices.

COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr. Ho Wai Yu, Sammy is the Company Secretary, who is also an Executive Director of the Company. He supports the Board, ensures good information flow within the Board and Board policy and procedures are followed, advises the Board on governance matters and arrange continuous professional development to the Directors. His biography is set out in the "Biography of Directors and Senior Management" of this annual report.

BOARD MEETINGS

The Board met four times regularly during the year. At the meetings the directors discussed and formulated overall strategies for the Group, monitored financial performance and discussed the interim and annual results, as well as other significant matters. Daily operational matters are delegated to the management.

The Company Secretary assists the Chairman in preparing the agenda for meetings and ensures that all applicable rules and regulations are followed. He also keeps detailed minutes of each meeting, which are available to all directors. Draft copies of the minutes have been circulated to all directors for comment and approval as soon as practicable after each meeting.

BOARD MEETINGS (continued)

All directors have access to relevant and timely information, and they can ask for further information or retain independent professional advisors if necessary. They also have unrestricted access to the advice and services of Company Secretary, who is responsible for providing directors with board papers and related materials and ensuring that board procedures are followed.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company established its Audit Committee on 5th January, 1999 with written terms of reference which are in line with the CG Code and available on the Company's website. The Audit Committee comprises Mr. Yu Kwok Kan, Stephen, Mr. Chan Yat Yan and Mr. Lo Yip Tong who are all Independent Non-executive Directors. The Audit Committee shall meet at least twice a year to review the Group's financial reporting process and internal controls.

During the year, the Audit Committee met four times to review the completeness, accuracy and fairness of the Group's financial statements, financial reporting system, internal control system, the scope and nature of the external audit and matters concerning the engagement of external auditors. The Group's interim and annual results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee, who is of the opinion that the relevant financial statements of the Group are complied with applicable accounting standards and legal requirements, and that adequate disclosures have been made. The adequacy of resources, qualifications and experience of the employees of the Group's accounting and financial reporting function has also been reviewed by the Audit Committee.

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The Company established its Remuneration Committee on 21st April, 2005 with written terms of reference which are in line with the CG Code and available on the Company's website. In order to comply with the requirements under the CG Code, a majority of the members of Remuneration Committee has to be independent non-executive directors. Currently, the Remuneration Committee comprises Mr. Yu Kwok Kan, Stephen, Mr. Chan Yat Yan and Mr. Lo Yip Tong who are all Independent Non-executive Directors.

The Remuneration Committee shall meet at least once a year to make recommendations to the Board on the Group's policy and structure for all remuneration of directors and on the establishment of formal and transparent procedures for developing policy on such remuneration.

The Remuneration Committee held one meeting during the year and discussed and reviewed the remuneration package of executive directors and the remuneration policy for executive directors for the year ended 31st December, 2015.

NOMINATION OF DIRECTORS

The Board is empowered under the Company's Bye-laws to appoint any person as a director either to fill a casual vacancy on or as an additional member of the Board. Qualified candidates will be proposed to the Board for consideration and the selection criteria are based on their professional qualifications and experience.

DIRECTORS' ATTENDANCE RECORDS FOR MEETINGS HELD DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 2015

| Number of Meetings attended/held during the year | | | | |
|--|---|---|--|--|
| | Audit | Remuneration | Annual | |
| Board | Committee | Committee | General | |
| Meeting | Meeting | Meeting | Meeting | |
| | | | | |
| 4/4 | N/A | N/A | 1/1 | |
| 4/4 | N/A | N/A | 1/1 | |
| 4/4 | N/A | N/A | 1/1 | |
| 2/2 | N/A | N/A | N/A | |
| 1/1 | N/A | N/A | N/A | |
| | | | | |
| 3/4 | 3/4 | 0/1 | 1/1 | |
| 4/4 | 4/4 | 1/1 | 1/1 | |
| 4/4 | 4/4 | 1/1 | 1/1 | |
| | Board Meeting 4/4 4/4 4/4 2/2 1/1 3/4 4/4 | AuditBoard MeetingCommittee Meeting4/4N/A4/4N/A4/4N/A4/4N/A2/2N/A1/1N/A3/43/44/44/4 | Audit Audit MeetingRemuneration Committee Meeting4/4N/AMeeting4/4N/AN/A4/4N/AN/A4/4N/AN/A4/4N/AN/A4/4N/AN/A1/1N/AN/A3/43/40/14/44/41/1 | |

INTERNAL CONTROL

The Board has overall responsibility for maintaining sound and effective internal control to safeguard the Group's assets and shareholders' interests. The Board has conducted regular reviews on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control system during the year, which covers all material controls, including financial, operational and compliance controls as well as risk management functions and an annual review on the adequacy of staffing of the accounting and financial reporting function.

The Board monitors the Group's progress on corporate governance practices. Periodic meetings are held, and circulars or guidance notes are issued to directors and management where appropriate, to ensure awareness of best corporate governance practices.

AUDITOR'S REMUNERATION

During the year ended 31st December, 2015, the fees paid/payable to the principal auditor of the Company, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu ("Deloitte"), in respect of audit and non-audit services provided by Deloitte were as follows:

| Nature of services | Amount HK\$′000 |
|---|---------------------------|
| Review fee for 2015 interim results | 392 |
| Audit fee for 2015 final results | 2,875 |
| Audit service fee for Occupational Retirement Schemes | 7 |
| Audit service fee for continuing connected transactions | 33 |
| Total fees | 3,307 |

COMMUNICATION WITH SHAREHOLDERS

The Company is committed to enhance communication and relationship with shareholders, general meeting of the Company provides a direct forum for communication between shareholders and the Board. General meeting includes annual general meeting (the "AGM") and special general meeting (the "SGM"), the AGM shall be convened by the Board while the SGM can be convened by the Board or shareholders. Other than the AGM, all general meetings of the Company are called the SGM.

The AGM allows the Company's directors to meet and communicate with shareholders yearly, a circular with form of proxy and notice of the AGM is dispatched to all shareholders at least 20 clear business days prior to the meeting date, setting out detail of each proposed resolution, poll voting procedure and other relevant information. In the AGM, the chairman would demand poll for each resolution being put forward to be voted in accordance with the Company's Bye-laws. After the AGM, all poll voting results would be published on the websites of the Stock Exchange and the Company respectively.

Apart from general meetings, the Company's website also acts as an efficient channel to provide both financial and nonfinancial information for shareholders, including corporate matters, business overview, interim and annual reports, press releases, announcements, circulars as well as overall industry development to enable shareholders to have a timely and an updated idea of the Group.

SHAREHOLDERS' RIGHTS

The way in which shareholders can convene a SGM and the procedures for making proposals

In accordance with the Company's Bye-laws, shareholders altogether holding not less than one-tenth of the Company's paid-up capital carrying voting right in general meetings of the Company shall at all times have the right by a written requisition to the Board to demand a SGM to transact proposal(s) requested and such SGM shall be held within 2 months from the date of the requisition deposited.

Within 21 days of such deposition, if the Board failed to convene such a meeting for shareholders, the meeting requisitionists may convene the SGM themselves to do the same in accordance with the Company's Bye-law.

Names and shareholdings registered with the Company of the requisitionists and their proposal(s) to be transacted in the SGM must be stated clearly in the written requisition and such requisition shall be deposited to the Company's head office in Hong Kong.

The procedures for sending enquiries to the Board

Any enquiries from shareholders can be made by telephone, facsimile or email to the Company during office hours, or by letter sent to the Company's head office in Hong Kong. Shareholders may also raise enquiries to the Board anytime through JOVIAN Financial Communications Limited, an experienced investor relations consultant engaged by the Company.

SUSTAINABILITY

The Group aspires to be a positive contributor to our communities, our society and our environment. Through our conscious and deliberate participation in a variety of initiatives and activities, the Group aims to continuously improve on our sustainable performance in a manner that is accountable to all our stakeholders.

The Group's purpose is to realise the full potential of our two core pillars of business with solutions that meets that aspirations of our shareholders, business partners, customers and communities.

Sustainability is embedded in our corporate strategy and engrained in our organisational culture. This principle underpins our business objectives and actions to promote good governance and business processes in our day-to-day operations.

The following paragraphs mapped out some of the sustainability achievements during the year under review. As a group, we are continuing to review, expand and embed a detailed sustainability agenda and we will continue to integrate a sustainability framework into our day-to-day operations so that it remains an important part of what we do.

Contributing to the Community

The Group strongly believes that contributing to the community is very crucial while growing our business at the same time. During the year under review, the Group continued to actively support meaningful activities in the community and donated to a number of organisations, charities and people in need. Our mission is to focus on the perceived needs of the society at the time, strived to contribute and bringing warmth and caring to the selected communities.

Sustainable Operating Practices

The Group is committed to upholding high standards of business integrity, honesty and transparency in its business dealings. The Group is also committed to manage and continue to strengthen our supply chain in a socially and environmentally responsible manner and source from suppliers that are putting environmental and ethical performance as priority.

The Group also maintain a strong and mutually beneficial relationship with our customers that enable us to provide highquality, sector-leading products and services and deliver engagement and positive experiences that are appropriate to local contexts.

Workplace Environment

The Group is committed to foster the well-being of our staffs and provide them with a safe and healthy workplace environment. The Group believes that all injuries, occupational illnesses and incidents are preventable. We continue to educate our staffs, make them focus on the importance of safety in all of our business activities and make workplace health and safety becomes everyone's accountability.

The Group is committed to encouraging diversity in the workplace and the provision of a work environment that is free from discrimination and promotes equal opportunity for all; and improving diversity – in particular – the number of females in leadership and other traditionally male dominated roles within the business.

Environmental Protection

The Group is committed to pursue a high standard of environmental management throughout its operations. We strive for continual improvement of environmental performance, the efficient use of resources, and the minimisation or prevention of pollution.

The Group also seeks to comply with applicable environmental laws, regulations and mandatory standards locally or to the relevant country. The Group will continue to target to minimise or prevent adverse environmental impacts resulting from its operations, products and services.

Directors' Report

The directors present their annual report and the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31st December, 2015.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The Company acts as an investment holding company and provides corporate management services. The activities of its principal subsidiaries, a joint venture and an associate are set out in notes 43, 19 and 20 respectively to the consolidated financial statements.

RESULTS AND APPROPRIATIONS

The results of the Group for the year ended 31st December, 2015 are set out in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income on page 24.

An interim dividend of HK1.5 cents per share, amounting to HK\$8,429,000 was paid to the shareholders during the year. The directors now recommend the payment of a final dividend of HK3.5 cents per share to the shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on 15th June, 2016, amounting to HK\$19,667,000.

PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

During the year, the Group acquired property, plant and equipment at a cost of HK\$27,057,000. In addition, property, plant and equipment with carrying values of HK\$4,003,000 were disposed of during the year.

Details of these and other movements during the year in the property, plant and equipment of the Group are set out in note 17 to the consolidated financial statements.

SHARE CAPITAL AND SHARE OPTIONS

Details of the authorised and issued share capital and share option scheme of the Company are set out in notes 32 and 33 respectively to the consolidated financial statements.

DISTRIBUTABLE RESERVES OF THE COMPANY

The Company's reserves available for distribution to shareholders as at 31st December, 2015 were as follows:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|-------------------|------------------|
| Contributed surplus Retained profits | 65,891 121,625 | 65,891 89,043 |
| | 187,516 | 154,934 |

Under the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda (as amended), the contributed surplus of a company is available for distribution. However, a company cannot declare or pay a dividend, or make a distribution out of contributed surplus if:

- (a) it is, or would after the payment be, unable to pay its liabilities as they become due; or
- (b) the realisable value of its assets would thereby be less than the aggregate of its liabilities and its issued share capital and share premium account.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities during the year.

Directors' Report

DIRECTORS

The directors of the Company during the year and up to the date of this report are:

Executive Directors

Mr. Pang Tak Chung *(Chairman)* Mr. Ho Wai Yu, Sammy *(Vice Chairman)* Ms. Pang Wan Ping Mr. Lau Ngai Fai (appointed on 10th August, 2015) Mr. John Cyril Fletcher (retired on 1st June, 2015)

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Yu Kwok Kan, Stephen Mr. Chan Yat Yan Mr. Lo Yip Tong

In accordance with bye-laws 87(1) and (2) of the Company's Bye-laws, Messrs. Ho Wai Yu, Sammy, Lau Ngai Fai and Chan Yat Yan will retire by rotation and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

For the year ended 31st December, 2015, the Company's non-executive directors were appointed for a specific term. All directors (including independent non-executive directors) are also subject to retirement by rotation in accordance with the Company's Bye-laws.

None of the directors proposed for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting has a service contract which is not determinable by the Group within one year without payment of compensation (other than statutory compensation).

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SECURITIES

As at 31st December, 2015, the interests and short positions of the directors and chief executive of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO")), as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under Section 352 of the SFO or otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers contained in the Listing Rules, were as follows:

(1) Long position

Shares of the Company

| | Num | ber of ordinary s | hares | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------|
| | | Held by | | |
| | Personal | controlled | | Percentage of |
| Name of directors | interest | corporation | Total | issued shares |
| Mr. Pang Tak Chung (Note 1) | 157,524,708 | 195,646,500 | 353,171,208 | 62.85% |
| Mr. Ho Wai Yu, Sammy | 2,000 | _ | 2,000 | 0.00% |
| Mr. Lau Ngai Fai (Note 2) | 100,000 | _ | 100,000 | 0.02% |
| Mr. John Cyril Fletcher (Note 3) | 450,000 | _ | 450,000 | 0.08% |

Notes:

1. The 195,646,500 shares are held by Golik Investments Ltd. which is wholly owned by Mr. Pang Tak Chung.

2. Mr. Lau Ngai Fai was appointed as Executive Director on 10th August, 2015.

3. Mr. John Cyril Fletcher retired as Executive Director on 1st June, 2015.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SECURITIES (continued)

(1) Long position (continued)

Share options

No share option was outstanding as at 1st January, 2015 and 31st December, 2015. As at the date of this annual report, the total number of share options available for issue under the share option scheme was 56,192,250, representing 10% of the issued share capital of the Company. Particulars of the share option scheme of the Company are set out in note 33 to the consolidated financial statements.

(2) Shares in subsidiaries

As at 31st December, 2015, Mr. Pang Tak Chung had 5,850 and 20,000 non-voting deferred shares in Golik Metal Industrial Company Limited held by himself and World Producer Limited, a controlled corporation, respectively. World Producer Limited is wholly owned by Mr. Pang Tak Chung.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31st December, 2015, none of the directors and chief executive of the Company or their respective associates had or was deemed to have any interests or short positions in any securities of the Company or any of its associated corporations and at no time during the year, had any interest in, or had been granted, or exercised, any right to subscribe for shares (or warrants or debentures, if applicable) of the Company or any of its associated corporations.

ARRANGEMENTS TO PURCHASE SHARES OR DEBENTURES

Save as disclosed in the section headed "Directors' Interests in Securities" above, at no time during the year was the Company or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangements to enable the directors of the Company to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporate.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN COMPETING BUSINESS

None of the Company's directors and their respective associates has any competing interests which require to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 8.10 of the Listing Rules during the year.

SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDER

As at 31st December, 2015, so far as known to any directors of the Company, the following person (other than a director or chief executive of the Company), was recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under Section 336 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company, as being, directly or indirectly, interested or deemed to be interested in 5% or more of the issued share capital of the Company:

Long position in shares of the Company

| Name | Number of ordinary shares held | Percentage of issued shares |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Golik Investments Ltd. | 195,646,500 | 34.82% |

Save as disclosed above, the directors are not aware of any other person (other than a director or chief executive of the Company) who, as at 31st December, 2015, had any interests or short positions in the shares or underlying shares of the Company of 5% or more which would fall to be disclosed pursuant to Part XV of the SFO, or as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under Section 336 of the SFO.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN CONTRACTS OF SIGNIFICANCE

No contract of significance to which the Company or any of its subsidiaries was a party and in which a director of the Company had a material interest, whether directly or indirectly, subsisted at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

Directors' Report

MAJOR CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS

The aggregate revenue attributable to the Group's five largest customers accounted for less than 30% of the Group's total revenue for the year.

The aggregate purchases attributable to the Group's five largest suppliers accounted for approximately 38% of the Group's total purchases and the purchases attributable to the Group's largest supplier accounted for approximately 12% of the Group's total purchases for the year.

At no time during the year did a director, an associate of a director or a shareholder of the Company (which to the knowledge of the directors owns more than 5% of the Company's issued share capital) have any interest in any of the Group's five largest customers or suppliers.

APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

The Company has received from each of the Independent Non-executive Directors, an annual confirmation of his independence pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. The Company considers all of the Independent Non-executive Directors are independent.

EMOLUMENT POLICY

The emolument policy of the directors of the Company is decided by the Remuneration Committee, having regard to the Company's operating results, individual performance and comparable market statistics.

The Company has adopted a share option scheme as an incentive to directors and eligible employees, details of the scheme are set out in note 33 to the consolidated financial statements.

PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS

There are no provision for pre-emptive rights under the Company's Bye-laws or the laws of Bermuda which would oblige the Company to offer new shares on a pro-rata basis to existing shareholders.

SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

Based on information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of the directors of the Company, the Board confirms that the Company has maintained during the year a sufficient public float as required under the Listing Rules.

CHARITABLE DONATIONS

Charitable donations made by the Group during the year amounted to HK\$113,000.

CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Details of Corporate Social Responsibility Report of the Group are set out on page 16 of this annual report.

CONTINUING CONNECTED TRANSACTIONS

(1) Lease Agreement and Processing Agreement

On 30th December, 2010, Tianjin Goldsun Wire Rope Ltd. ("TJ Goldsun"), a subsidiary of the Company, entered into the Lease Agreement and the Processing Agreement with Tianjin Metallurgy Group Flourish Steel Industrial Co., Ltd. ("Flourish Steel"), pursuant to which Flourish Steel agreed to lease properties to TJ Goldsun and provide processing service of steel wires to TJ Goldsun for a term of 20 years commencing from 1st January, 2011 to 31st December, 2030. The annual caps for the transactions under the Lease Agreement and the Processing Agreement had been renewed and approved for the three years ending 31st December, 2016.

Flourish Steel was an associate of TJ Goldsun's substantial shareholder and hence a connected person of the Company. Accordingly, the transaction constituted a connected transaction under the Listing Rules, details of the terms could be found in the circular of the Company dated 6th September, 2013.

The respective total rental and utilities expenses under the Lease Agreement and processing charges under the Processing Agreement paid or payable by TJ Goldsun for the year ended 31st December, 2015 which did not exceed the following respective annual caps:

| | Amount paid or payable by TJ Goldsun RMB | Annual caps amount RMB |
|--------------------|--|------------------------------|
| Rental expenses | 5,500,000 | 5,500,000 |
| Utilities expenses | 11,557,187 | 15,200,000 |
| Processing charges | 30,499,818 | 55,100,000 |

(2) Equipment Lease Agreement

On 1st August, 2013, TJ Goldun entered into the Equipment Lease Agreement with Flourish Steel, pursuant to which TJ Goldsun agreed to lease the equipment for part of the manufacturing process of steel wire ropes for elevators and electric cables to Flourish Steel for a term of 20 years commencing from 1st August, 2013 to 31st July, 2033.

As aforementioned, Flourish Steel was a connected person of the Company and hence the transaction constituted continuing connected transactions under the Listing Rules, details of the terms could be found in the circular of the Company dated 6th September, 2013.

The rental income received or receivable by TJ Goldsun under the Equipment Lease Agreement for the year ended 31st December, 2015 which did not exceed the following annual cap:

| Amount received receivable by TJ Gold | | Annual caps amount |
|--|-----|-----------------------|
| - | RMB | RMB |
| Rental income 1,128, | 205 | 1,320,000 |

CONTINUING CONNECTED TRANSACTIONS (continued)

(3) Supply Framework Agreement

On 10th March, 2014, the Company entered into the Supply Framework Agreement with Bohai Steel Group Co., Ltd. ("BSG"), pursuant to which the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") agreed to purchase from BSG and its subsidiaries ("BSG Group") and the BSG Group also agreed to supply to the Group deformed steel bars and wire rods, flat steel and shaped steel products and metallic products ("Steel Materials") for a term of 3 years from 1st January, 2014 to 31st December, 2016.

BSG was a substantial shareholder of TJ Goldsun, and hence BSG Group was a connected person of the Company. Accordingly, the transaction constituted a connected transaction under the Listing Rules, details of the terms could be found in the circular of the Company dated 31st March, 2014.

The total purchase of Steel Materials under the Supply Framework Agreement paid or payable by the Group for the year ended 31st December, 2015 which did not exceed the following annual cap:

| Amount paid or | Annual caps |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| payable by the Group | amount |
| USD | USD |
| Purchase of Steel Materials 4,615,875 | 77,324,000 |

All Independent Non-executive Directors of the Company had reviewed and confirmed that the above transactions for the year ended 31st December, 2015 were entered into:

- (a) in the ordinary and usual course of the Company's business;
- (b) on normal commercial terms or better; and
- (c) according to the relevant agreements governing them on terms that are fair and reasonable and in the interests of the Company and its shareholders as a whole.

The Company's auditor was engaged to report on the transactions and has issued a letter to the Board set out the confirmation required under Rule 14A.56 of the Listing Rules and a copy of which has been provided by the Company to the Stock Exchange.

To the extent of related party transactions set out in note 39 to the consolidated financial statements which constituted connected transactions as defined in the Listing Rules, the Company had complied with the relevant disclosure requirements in accordance with Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules during the year.

AUDITOR

The consolidated financial statements of the Company have been audited by Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu ("Deloitte"). A resolution will be submitted to the forthcoming annual general meeting to re-appoint Deloitte as auditor of the Company.

On behalf of the Board

Pang Tak Chung

Chairman

Hong Kong, 23rd March, 2016

Independent Auditor's Report



TO THE MEMBERS OF GOLIK HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Golik Holdings Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group") set out on pages 24 to 98, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31st December, 2015, and the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit and to report our opinion solely to you, as a body, in accordance with Section 90 of the Bermuda Companies Act, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report. We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

OPINION

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group as at 31st December, 2015, and of its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards and have been properly prepared in compliance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu *Certified Public Accountants* Hong Kong 23rd March, 2016

Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the year ended 31st December, 2015

| | NOTES | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|--------|--|--------------------------------|
| Revenue Cost of sales | 5 | 2,524,502 (2,118,365) | 3,201,314 (2,760,199) |
| Gross profit Other income | 6 | 406,137 21,020 | 441,115 25,833 |
| Interest income Selling and distribution costs Administrative expenses | | 2,965 (91,702) (172,267) | 2,361 (95,357) (179,165) |
| Other gains and losses Finance costs Share of result of a joint venture | 7 8 | (23,693) (16,620) 419 | (24,692) (28,336) (9) |
| Share of result of an associate | | (1,450) | |
| Profit before taxation Income taxes | 9 | 124,809 (23,361) | 141,750 (21,004) |
| Profit for the year | 10 | 101,448 | 120,746 |
| Other comprehensive (expense) income Items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss: Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign operations Release from exchange reserve upon deregistration of a subsidia Fair value gain on available-for-sale investment Gain on revaluation of property, plant and equipment upon transfer to investment properties Fair value loss on investment properties | ry | (21,022) (2,060) 2,754 915 (170) | (735) 622 – – |
| Other comprehensive expense for the year | | (19,583) | (113) |
| Total comprehensive income for the year | | 81,865 | 120,633 |
| Profit attributable to: Shareholders of the Company Non-controlling interests | | 92,740 8,708 | 107,436 13,310 |
| | | 101,448 | 120,746 |
| Total comprehensive income attributable to: Shareholders of the Company Non-controlling interests | | 77,512 4,353 | 107,540 13,093 |
| | | 81,865 | 120,633 |
| Earnings per share | 14 | HK cents | HK cents |
| Basic and diluted | | 16.50 | 19.12 |

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

At 31st December, 2015

| | NOTES | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|-------|------------------|------------------|
| | | HK\$ 000 | |
| Non-current Assets | | | |
| Investment properties | 16 | 4,020 | _ |
| Property, plant and equipment | 17 | 401,989 | 435,322 |
| Prepaid lease payments | 18 | 14,555 | 15,839 |
| Interest in a joint venture | 19 | 3,333 | 2,914 |
| Amount due from a joint venture | 19 | 5,068 | 5,414 |
| Interest in an associate | 20 | 2,050 | _ |
| Amount due from an associate | 20 | 14,000 | - |
| Available-for-sale investment | 21 | 2,754 | - |
| Deposits placed at insurance companies | 22 | 10,707 | 10,220 |
| Rental and other deposits | | 3,365 | 5,932 |
| Deposits paid for acquisition of property, | | | |
| plant and equipment | | 11,554 | 3,549 |
| | | 473,395 | 479,190 |
| | | | |
| Current Assets | | | |
| Inventories | 23 | 232,614 | 404,368 |
| Trade and other receivables | 24 | 512,981 | 712,567 |
| Prepaid lease payments | 18 | 468 | 491 |
| Income tax recoverable | | 1,149 | 108 |
| Derivative financial instruments | 31 | - | 33 |
| Time deposits with maturity over three months | 25 | 100,000 | 2,701 |
| Bank balances and cash | 25 | 381,064 | 527,928 |
| | | 1,228,276 | 1,648,196 |
| Current Liabilities | | | |
| Trade and other payables | 26 | 230,112 | 282,937 |
| Amounts due to non-controlling shareholders | 27 | 14,004 | 8,793 |
| Income tax payable | | 12,910 | 11,717 |
| Bank borrowings | 28 | 306,830 | 716,400 |
| Obligations under finance leases | 29 | 896 | 779 |
| Obligation arising from a put option to | | | |
| non-controlling shareholders | 30 | 31,050 | 31,050 |
| Derivative financial instruments | 31 | 12,660 | 12,670 |
| | | 608,462 | 1,064,346 |
| Net Current Assets | | 619,814 | 583,850 |
| | | 1,093,209 | 1,063,040 |

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

At 31st December, 2015

| | NOTES | 2015 | 2014 |
|--|-------|-----------|-----------|
| | | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| Capital and Reserves | | | |
| Share capital | 32 | 56,192 | 56,192 |
| Share premium and reserves | | 941,746 | 892,330 |
| Equity attributable to shareholders of the Company | | 997,938 | 948,522 |
| Non-controlling interests | | 33,809 | 41,097 |
| Non controlling interests | | | |
| Total Equity | | 1,031,747 | 989,619 |
| Non-current Liabilities | | | |
| Bank borrowings | 28 | 40,389 | 53,204 |
| Deferred tax liabilities | 34 | 19,465 | 18,265 |
| Obligations under finance leases | 29 | 1,608 | 1,952 |
| | | 61,462 | 73,421 |
| | | | |
| | | 1,093,209 | 1,063,040 |

The consolidated financial statements on pages 24 to 98 were approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 23rd March, 2016 and are signed on its behalf by:

PANG TAK CHUNG DIRECTOR HO WAI YU, SAMMY DIRECTOR

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity For the year ended 31st December, 2015

| | Attributable to shareholders of the Company | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|-------|--|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| | Share capital HK\$'000 | Share premium HK\$'000 | Exchange reserve HK\$'000 | PRC statutory reserve HK\$'000 (Note a) | | Investment revaluation reserve HK\$'000 | Other reserve HK\$'000 (Note b) | Retained profits HK\$'000 | Total HK\$'000 | Non- controlling interests HK\$'000 | Total HK\$'000 |
| At 1st January, 2014 | 56,192 | 316,466 | 47,032 | 3,949 | _ | - | (8,948) | 450,454 | 865,145 | 33,327 | 898,472 |
| Profit for the year | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 107,436 | 107,436 | 13,310 | 120,746 |
| Other comprehensive income (expense) for the year Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign operations Deregistration of a subsidiary | - | - | (518) 622 | - | - | - | - | - | (518) 622 | (217) | (735) 622 |
| Total comprehensive income for the year | _ | _ | 104 | | | _ | _ | 107,436 | 107,540 | 13,093 | 120,633 |
| Dividends paid (note 13) | - | - | _ | _ | - | - | _ | (24,163) | (24,163) | (5,323) | (29,486) |
| At 31st December, 2014 | 56,192 | 316,466 | 47,136 | 3,949 | - | - | (8,948) | 533,727 | 948,522 | 41,097 | 989,619 |
| Profit for the year | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 92,740 | 92,740 | 8,708 | 101,448 |
| Other comprehensive income (expense) for the year Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign operations Deregistration of a subsidiary Fair value gain on available-for-sale | - | - | (16,667) (2,060) | - | - | | - | - | (16,667) (2,060) | (4,355) _ | (21,022) (2,060) |
| investment Gain on revaluation of property, plant and equipment upon transfer to investment properties | _ | _ | - | - | 915 | 2,754 | - | - | 2,754 915 | - | 2,754 915 |
| Fair value loss on investment properties | - | - | - | - | (170) | - | - | - | (170) | - | (170) |
| Total comprehensive (expense) income for the year | - | _ | (18,727) | _ | 745 | 2,754 | - | 92,740 | 77,512 | 4,353 | 81,865 |
| Dividends paid (note 13) Transfer between reserves | - | - | - | - 7,354 | - | - | - | (28,096) (7,354) | (28,096) _ | (11,641) _ | (39,737) |
| At 31st December, 2015 | 56,192 | 316,466 | 28,409 | 11,303 | 745 | 2,754 | (8,948) | 591,017 | 997,938 | 33,809 | 1,031,747 |

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 31st December, 2015

Notes:

- (a) The People's Republic of China (the "PRC") statutory reserve is a reserve required by the relevant laws in the PRC applicable to subsidiaries in the PRC for enterprise development purposes.
- (b) Other reserve represented:
 - (i) adjustments arising from acquisition of additional interest in a subsidiary of HK\$150,000 and deemed disposal of part of its interest in a subsidiary of HK\$599,000.
 - (ii) adjustments arising from acquisition of additional interest in a subsidiary of HK\$8,820,000.
 - (iii) deemed contribution arising from waiver of amount due to a former non-controlling shareholder of HK\$621,000 incidental to acquisition of additional interest in a subsidiary during the year ended 31st December, 2011, as set out in note (b)(ii) to the consolidated statement of changes in equity.

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 31st December, 2015

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Profit before taxation | 124,809 | 141,750 |
| Adjustments for: | | |
| Change in fair value of foreign currency forward contracts derivative | (12) | (250) |
| Fair value gain on put option derivative | (10) | (48) |
| Allowance for bad and doubtful debts, net | 17,192 | 7,369 |
| Impairment losses on property, plant and equipment | - | 16,572 |
| (Gain) loss on deregistration of a subsidiary | (2,060) | 622 |
| Loss (gain) on disposal of property, plant and equipment | 1,459 | (27) |
| Amortisation of prepaid lease payments | 480 | 492 |
| Write down of inventories | 9,343 | 11,469 |
| Depreciation | 39,285 | 41,154 |
| Interest income | (2,965) | (2,361) |
| Finance costs | 16,620 | 28,336 |
| Share of result of a joint venture | (419) | 9 |
| Share of result of an associate | 1,450 | _ |
| Operating cash flows before movements in working capital | 205,172 | 245,087 |
| Decrease in inventories | 155,519 | 19,086 |
| Decrease in trade and other receivables | 168,672 | 86,301 |
| Settlement on maturity of foreign currency forward contracts | 45 | 220 |
| (Decrease) increase in trade and other payables | (43,348) | 15,335 |
| Cash from operations | 486,060 | 366,029 |
| Hong Kong Profits Tax paid | (7,084) | (3,260) |
| Hong Kong Profits Tax refunded | (,,004) | 28 |
| Taxation outside Hong Kong paid | (14,162) | (11,668) |
| NET CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES | 464,814 | 351,129 |

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 31st December, 2015

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | (24,856) | (5,083) |
| Deposits paid for acquisition of property, plant and equipment | (9,698) | (19,826) |
| Withdrawal of time deposit with maturity over three months | 2,701 | _ |
| Placement of time deposits with maturity over three months | (100,000) | (2,701) |
| Withdrawal of pledged bank deposits | - | 1,615 |
| Repayment from a joint venture | 346 | _ |
| Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment | 2,544 | 1,765 |
| Advance of loans | (600) | (48) |
| Repayment of loans advanced | 20 | 284 |
| Interest received | 2,932 | 2,293 |
| Capital contribution to an associate | (3,500) | - |
| Advance to an associate | (14,000) | _ |
| NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES | (144,111) | (21,701) |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Bank loans raised | 267,084 | 350,700 |
| Repayment of bank loans | (356,524) | (412,763) |
| Interest paid | (17,481) | (29,052) |
| Dividends paid | (28,096) | (24,163) |
| Dividend paid to a non-controlling shareholder of a subsidiary | (11,641) | (5,323) |
| Net repayment of trust receipt loans | (319,070) | (150,894) |
| Repayment of obligations under finance leases | (893) | (693) |
| Advance from non-controlling shareholders | 5,211 | 5,671 |
| NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES | (461,410) | (266,517) |
| NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | (140,707) | 62,911 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF THE YEAR | 527,928 | 464,723 |
| EFFECT OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES | (6,157) | 294 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE YEAR | 381,064 | 527,928 |
| ANALYSIS OF THE BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | | |
| Bank balances and cash | 381,064 | 527,928 |

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1. **GENERAL**

The Company was incorporated in Bermuda as an exempted company with limited liability and its shares are listed on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange").

The addresses of the registered office and principal place of business of the Company are disclosed in the corporate information to the annual report.

The principal activities of the Group are manufacturing and sales of metal products and building construction materials.

The consolidated financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars which is the same as the functional currency of the Company.

2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs")

The Group has applied the following amendments to HKFRSs issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA") for the first time in the current year:

| Amendments to HKAS 19 | Defined Benefit Plans: Employee Contributions |
|-----------------------|---|
| Amendments to HKFRSs | Annual Improvements to HKFRSs 2010 – 2012 Cycle |
| Amendments to HKFRSs | Annual Improvements to HKFRSs 2011 – 2013 Cycle |

The application of the amendments to HKFRSs in the current year has had no material impact on the Group's financial performance and positions for the current and prior years and/or on the disclosures set out in these consolidated financial statements.

The Group has not early applied the following new and revised HKFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective:

| HKFRS 9 | Financial Instruments ² |
|------------------------------------|---|
| HKFRS 15 | Revenue from Contracts with Customers ² |
| Amendments to HKFRS 11 | Accounting for Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations ¹ |
| Amendments to HKAS 1 | Disclosure Initiative ¹ |
| Amendments to HKAS 16 and HKAS 38 | Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation ¹ |
| Amendments to HKAS 16 and HKAS 41 | Agriculture: Bearer Plants ¹ |
| Amendments to HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28 | Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or |
| | Joint Venture ³ |
| Amendments to HKFRS 10, | Investment Entities: Applying the Consolidation Exception ¹ |
| HKFRS 12 and HKAS 28 | |
| Amendments to HKFRSs | Annual Improvements to HKFRSs 2012 – 2014 Cycle ¹ |

- ¹ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1st January, 2016, with earlier application permitted.
- ² Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1st January, 2018, with earlier application permitted.
- ³ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after a date to be determined.

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2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs") (continued)

HKFRS 9 Financial Instruments

HKFRS 9 issued in 2009 introduced new requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets. HKFRS 9 was subsequently amended in 2010 to include requirements for the classification and measurement of financial liabilities and for derecognition, and in 2013 to include the new requirements for general hedge accounting. Another revised version of HKFRS 9 was issued in 2014 mainly to include (a) impairment requirements for financial assets and (b) limited amendments to the classification and measurement requirements by introducing a 'fair value through other comprehensive income' (FVTOCI) measurement category for certain simple debt instruments.

Key requirements of HKFRS 9:

- all recognised financial assets that are within the scope of HKAS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* are required to be subsequently measured at amortised cost or fair value. Specifically, debt investments that are held within a business model whose objective is to collect the contractual cash flows, and that have contractual cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding are generally measured at amortised cost at the end of subsequent accounting periods. Debt instruments that are held within a business model whose objective is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets, and that have contractual terms that give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, are generally measured at FVTOCI. All other debt investments and equity investments are measured at their fair value at the end of subsequent changes in the fair value of an equity investment (that is not held for trading) in other comprehensive income, with only dividend income generally recognised in profit or loss.
- with regard to the measurement of financial liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss, HKFRS 9 requires that the amount of change in the fair value of the financial liability that is attributable to changes in the credit risk of that liability is presented in other comprehensive income, unless the recognition of the effects of changes in the liability's credit risk in other comprehensive income would create or enlarge an accounting mismatch in profit or loss. Changes in fair value attributable to a financial liability's credit risk are not subsequently reclassified to profit or loss. Under HKAS 39, the entire amount of the change in the fair value of the financial liability designated as fair value through profit or loss is presented in profit or loss.
- in relation to the impairment of financial assets, HKFRS 9 requires an expected credit loss model, as opposed to an incurred credit loss model under HKAS 39. The expected credit loss model requires an entity to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition. In other words, it is no longer necessary for a credit event to have occurred before credit losses are recognised.

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2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs") (continued)

HKFRS 9 Financial Instruments (continued)

the new general hedge accounting requirements retain the three types of hedge accounting mechanisms currently available in HKAS 39. Under HKFRS 9, greater flexibility has been introduced to the types of transactions eligible for hedge accounting, specifically broadening the types of instruments that qualify for hedging instruments and the types of risk components of non-financial items that are eligible for hedge accounting. In addition, the retrospective quantitative effectiveness test has been removed. Enhanced disclosure requirements about an entity's risk management activities have also been introduced.

The directors of the Company anticipate that the application of HKFRS 9 in the future may have a material impact on amounts reported in respect of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities, it is not practicable to provide a reasonable estimate of the effect of HKFRS 9 until a detailed review has been completed.

HKFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers

HKFRS 15 was issued which establishes a single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers. HKFRS 15 will supersede the current revenue recognition guidance including HKAS 18 *Revenue*, HKAS 11 *Construction Contracts* and the related Interpretations when it becomes effective.

The core principle of HKFRS 15 is that an entity should recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. Specifically, the Standard introduces a 5-step approach to revenue recognition:

- Step 1: Identify the contract(s) with a customer
- Step 2: Identify the performance obligations in the contract
- Step 3: Determine the transaction price
- Step 4: Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contract
- Step 5: Recognise revenue when (or as) the entity satisfies a performance obligation

Under HKFRS 15, an entity recognises revenue when (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied, i.e. when 'control' of the goods or services underlying the particular performance obligation is transferred to the customer. Far more prescriptive guidance has been added in HKFRS 15 to deal with specific scenarios. Furthermore, extensive disclosures are required by HKFRS 15. The directors of the Company anticipate that the application of HKFRS 15 in the future may have a material impact on the amounts reported and disclosures made in the Group's consolidated financial statements. However, it is not practicable to provide a reasonable estimate of the effect of HKFRS 15 until the Group performs a detailed review.

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2. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED HONG KONG FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("HKFRSs") (continued)

Amendments to HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture

The amendments to HKFRS 10 *Consolidated Financial Statements* and HKAS 28 *Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures* deal with situations where there is a sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associate or joint venture. Specifically, the amendments state that gains or losses resulting from the loss of control of a subsidiary that does not contain a business in a transaction with an associate or a joint venture that is accounted for using the equity method, are recognised in the parent's profit or loss only to the extent of the unrelated investors' interests in that associate or joint venture. Similarly, gains and losses resulting from the remeasurement of investments retained in any former subsidiary (that has become an associate or a joint venture that is accounted for using the equity method) to fair value are recognised in the former parent's profit or loss only to the extent of the unrelated investors' interests in the new associate or joint venture.

The amendments should be applied prospectively to transactions occurring in annual periods beginning on or after 1st January, 2016. The directors of the Company anticipate that the application of these amendments to HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28 may have an impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements in future periods should such transactions arise.

Except as described above, the directors of the Company anticipate that the application of the other new and revised HKFRS will have no material impact on the consolidated financial statements.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Statement of compliance

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA. In addition, the consolidated financial statements include applicable disclosures required by the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange and by the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

Basis of preparation

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for investment properties and certain financial instruments, which are measured at fair values, as explained in the accounting policies set out below.

Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for goods and services.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Basis of preparation (continued)

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique. In estimating the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Group takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability if market participants would take those characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. Fair value for measurement and/or disclosure purposes in these consolidated financial statements is determined on such a basis, except for share-based payment transactions that are within the scope of HKFRS 2, leasing transactions that are within the scope of HKAS 17, and measurements that have some similarities to fair value but are not fair value, such as net realisable value in HKAS 2 or value in use in HKAS 36.

In addition, for financial reporting purposes, fair value measurements are categorised into Level 1, 2 or 3 based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, which are described as follows:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The principal accounting policies are set out below.

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Company and entities controlled by the Company and its subsidiaries. Control is achieved when the Company:

- has power over the investee;
- is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- has the ability to use its power to affect its returns.

The Group reassesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control listed above.

Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary. Specifically, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income from the date the Group gains control until the date when the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Basis of consolidation (continued)

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income are attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests. Total comprehensive income of subsidiaries is attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance.

When necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to bring their accounting policies into line with the Group's accounting policies.

All intragroup assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full on consolidation.

Non-controlling interests in subsidiaries are presented separately from the Group's equity therein.

Goodwill

Goodwill arising on an acquisition of a business is carried at cost as established at the date of acquisition of the business less accumulated impairment losses, if any.

For the purposes of impairment testing, goodwill is allocated to each of the Group's cash-generating units ("CGU(s)") (or groups of CGUs) that is expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination.

A CGU to which goodwill has been allocated is tested for impairment annually, or more frequently when there is indication that the unit may be impaired. If the recoverable amount of the CGU is less than its carrying amount, the impairment loss is allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the unit and then to the other assets of the unit on a pro-rata basis based on the carrying amount of each asset in the unit. Any impairment loss for goodwill is recognised directly in profit or loss. An impairment loss recognised for goodwill is not reversed in subsequent periods.

On disposal of the relevant CGU, the attributable amount of goodwill is included in the determination of the profit or loss on disposal.

Investments in an associate and a joint venture

An associate is an entity over which the Group has significant influence. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee but is not control or joint control over those policies.

A joint venture is a joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the net assets of the joint arrangement. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require unanimous consent of the parties sharing control.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Investments in an associate and a joint venture (continued)

The results and assets and liabilities of an associate and a joint venture are incorporated in these consolidated financial statements using the equity method of accounting. The financial statements of an associate and a joint venture used for equity accounting purposes are prepared using uniform accounting policies as those of the Group for like transactions and events in similar circumstances. Under the equity method, an investment in an associate or a joint venture is initially recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position at cost and adjusted thereafter to recognise the Group's share of the profit or loss and other comprehensive income of the associate or joint venture. When the Group's share of losses of an associate or joint venture exceeds the Group's interest in that associate or joint venture (which includes any long-term interests that, in substance, form part of the Group's net investment in the associate or joint venture), the Group discontinues recognising its share of further losses. Additional losses are recognised only to the extent that the Group has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate or joint venture.

An investment in an associate or a joint venture is accounted for using the equity method from the date on which the investee becomes an associate or a joint venture. On acquisition of the investment in an associate or a joint venture, any excess of the cost of the investment over the Group's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities of the investee is recognised as goodwill, which is included within the carrying amount of the investment. Any excess of the Group's share of the net fair value of the investment. Any excess of the Group's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities over the cost of the investment, after reassessment, is recognised immediately in profit or loss in the period in which the investment is acquired.

The requirements of HKAS 39 are applied to determine whether it is necessary to recognise any impairment loss with respect to the Group's investment in an associate or a joint venture. When necessary, the entire carrying amount of the investment (including goodwill) is tested for impairment in accordance with HKAS 36 *Impairment of Assets* as a single asset by comparing its recoverable amount (higher of value in use and fair value less costs of disposal) with its carrying amount. Any impairment loss recognised forms part of the carrying amount of the investment. Any reversal of that impairment loss is recognised in accordance with HKAS 36 to the extent that the recoverable amount of the investment subsequently increases.

The Group discontinues the use of the equity method from the date when the investment ceases to be an associate or a joint venture, or when the investment (or a portion thereof) is classified as held for sale. When the Group retains an interest in the former associate or joint venture and the retained interest is a financial asset, the Group measures the retained interest at fair value at that date and the fair value is regarded as its fair value on initial recognition in accordance with HKAS 39. The difference between the carrying amount of the associate or joint venture at the date the equity method was discontinued, and the fair value of any retained interest and any proceeds from disposing of a part interest in the associate or joint venture is included in the determination of the gain or loss on disposal of the associate or joint venture. In addition, the Group accounts for all amounts previously recognised in other comprehensive income in relation to that associate or joint venture on the same basis as would be required if that associate or joint venture had directly disposed of the related assets or liabilities. Therefore, if a gain or loss on the disposal of the related assets or liabilities, the Group reclassifies the gain or loss from equity to profit or loss (as a reclassification adjustment) when the equity method is discontinued.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Investments in an associate and a joint venture (continued)

The Group continues to use the equity method when an investment in an associate becomes an investment in a joint venture or an investment in a joint venture becomes an investment in an associate. There is no remeasurement to fair value upon such changes in ownership interests.

When the Group reduces its ownership interest in an associate or a joint venture but the Group continues to use the equity method, the Group reclassifies to profit or loss the proportion of the gain or loss that had previously been recognised in other comprehensive income relating to that reduction in ownership interest if that gain or loss would be reclassified to profit or loss on the disposal of the related assets or liabilities.

When a group entity transacts with an associate or a joint venture of the Group, profits and losses resulting from the transactions with the associate or joint venture are recognised in the Group's consolidated financial statements only to the extent of interests in the associate or joint venture that are not related to the Group.

Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Revenue is reduced for estimated customer returns, rebates and other similar allowances.

Sale of goods

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when the goods are delivered and titles have passed, at which time all the following conditions are satisfied:

- the Group has transferred to the buyer the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods;
- the Group retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold;
- the amount of revenue can be measured reliably;
- it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Group; and
- the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.

Rendering of services

Service income is recognised when services are provided.

Dividend and interest income

Dividend income from investments is recognised when the shareholders' right to receive payment have been established (provided that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the amount of income can be measured reliably).

Interest income from a financial asset is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the amount of income can be measured reliably. Interest income is accrued on a time basis, by reference to the principal outstanding and at the effective interest rate applicable, which is the rate that exactly discounts the estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to that asset's net carrying amount on initial recognition.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Revenue recognition (continued)

Rental income

The Group's accounting policy for recognition of revenue from operating leases is described in the accounting policy below.

Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment, including leasehold land (classified as finance leases) and buildings held for use in the production or supply of goods or services, or for administrative purposes, other than assets under installation and construction in progress, are stated in the consolidated statement of financial position at cost, less subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Assets under installation and construction in progress are carried at cost, less any recognised impairment loss. Costs include professional fees and, for qualifying assets, borrowing costs capitalised in accordance with the Group's accounting policy. Assets under installation and construction in progress are classified to the appropriate categories of property, plant and equipment when completed and ready for intended use. Depreciation of these assets, on the same basis as other property, plant and equipment, commences when the assets are ready for their intended use.

Depreciation is recognised so as to write off the cost of assets, other than assets under installation and construction in progress, less their residual values over their estimated useful lives, using the straight-line method, at the following rates per annum:

| Over the terms of the leases |
|--|
| Over the shorter of the terms of the leases, or 20 to 50 years |
| Over the shorter of the terms of the leases or 10 years |
| 10% – 33 ¹ / ₃ % |
| 10% – 33 ¹ / ₃ % |
| 5% - 50% |
| |

The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method are reviewed at the end of each reporting period, with the effect of any changes in estimate accounted for on a prospective basis.

If an item of property, plant and equipment becomes an investment property because its use has changed as evidenced by end of owner-occupation, any difference between the carrying amount and the fair value of that item at the date of transfer is recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in assets revaluation reserve. On the subsequent sale or retirement of the asset, the relevant revaluation reserve will be transferred directly to retained profits.

Plant and machinery and equipment, and motor vehicles held under finance leases are depreciated over their expected useful lives on the same basis as owned assets. However, when there is no reasonable certainty that ownership will be obtained by the end of the lease terms, assets are depreciated over the shorter of the lease terms and their useful lives.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected to arise from the continued use of the asset. Any gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and is recognised in profit or loss.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Investment properties

Investment properties are initially measured at cost, including any directly attributable expenditure. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are measured at their fair values. All of the Group's property interests held under operating leases to earn rentals or for capital appreciation purposes are classified and accounted for as investment properties and are measured using the fair value model. Gains or losses arising from changes in the fair value of investment properties are included in profit or loss for the period in which they arise.

Construction costs incurred for investment properties under construction are capitalised as part of the carrying amount of the investment properties under construction.

Leasing

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

The Group as lessor

Rental income from operating leases is recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the terms of the relevant lease.

The Group as lessee

Assets held under finance leases are initially recognised as assets of the Group at their fair value at the inception of the lease or, if lower, at the present value of the minimum lease payments. The corresponding liability to the lessor is included in the consolidated statement of financial position as a finance lease obligation.

Lease payments are apportioned between finance expenses and reduction of the lease obligation so as to achieve a constant rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability. Finance expenses are recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless they are directly attributable to qualifying assets, in which case they are capitalised in accordance with the Group's general policy on borrowing costs (see the accounting policy below). Contingent rentals are recognised as expenses in the periods in which they are incurred.

Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease terms, except where another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed. Contingent rentals arising under operating leases are recognised as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

In the event that lease incentives are received to enter into operating leases, such incentives are recognised as a liability. The aggregate benefit of incentives is recognised as a reduction of rental expense on a straight-line basis, except where another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued) Leasehold land and building

When a lease includes both land and building elements, the Group assesses the classification of each element as a finance or an operating lease separately based on the assessment as to whether substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of each element have been transferred to the Group, unless it is clear that both elements are operating leases in which case the entire lease is classified as an operating lease. Specifically, the minimum lease payments (including any lump-sum upfront payments) are allocated between the land and the building elements in proportion to the relative fair values of the leasehold interests in the land element and building element of the lease at the inception of the lease.

To the extent the allocation of the lease payments can be made reliably, interest in leasehold land that is accounted for as an operating lease is presented as "prepaid lease payments" in the consolidated statement of financial position and is amortised over the lease terms on a straight-line basis. When the lease payments cannot be allocated reliably between the land and building elements, the entire lease is generally classified as a finance lease and accounted for as property, plant and equipment.

Foreign currencies

In preparing the financial statements of each individual group entity, transactions in currencies other than the functional currency of that entity (foreign currencies) are recognised at the rates of exchanges prevailing on the dates of the transactions. At the end of each reporting period, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items carried at fair value that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at the date when the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items, and on the retranslation of monetary items, are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they arise.

For the purposes of presenting the consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of the Group's foreign operations are translated into the presentation currency of the Group (i.e. Hong Kong dollars) using exchange rates prevailing at the end of each reporting period. Income and expense items are translated at the average exchange rates for the year, unless exchange rates fluctuate significantly during the period, in which case, the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions are used. Exchange differences arising, if any, are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity under the heading of exchange reserve (attributed to non-controlling interest as appropriate).

Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets, which are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale, are added to the cost of those assets, until such time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use or sale.

Investment income earned on the temporary investment of specific borrowings pending their expenditure on qualifying assets is deducted from the borrowing cost eligible for capitalisation.

All other borrowing costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Taxation

Income taxes represent the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

Current tax

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from profit before taxation as reported in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income because of items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and items that are never taxable or deductible. The Group's current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the consolidated financial statements and the corresponding tax base used in the computation of taxable profit. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are generally recognised for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which those deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Such deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit nor the accounting profit.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries and associates, and interests in joint ventures, except where the Group is able to control the reversal of the temporary difference and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax assets arising from deductible temporary differences associated with such investments and interests are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that there will be sufficient taxable profits against which to utilise the benefits of the temporary differences and they are expected to reverse in the foreseeable future.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset is realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Group expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

For the purposes of measuring deferred tax liabilities or deferred tax assets for investment properties that are measured using the fair value model, the carrying amounts of such properties are presumed to be recovered entirely through sale, unless the presumption is rebutted. The presumption is rebutted when the investment property is depreciable and is held within a business model whose objective is to consume substantially all of the economic benefits embodied in the investment property over time, rather than through sale.

Current and deferred tax for the year

Current and deferred tax are recognised in profit or loss, except when they relate to items that are recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case, the current and deferred tax are also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Other than the cost of inventories of concrete products and printing materials which are calculated using the weighted average cost method, the cost of all other products of the Group is calculated using the first-in first-out method.

Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price for inventories less all estimated costs of completion and costs necessary to make the sale.

Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when a group entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets or financial liabilities at FVTPL) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at FVTPL are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Financial assets

The Group's financial assets are classified as loans and receivables and available-for-sale financial assets. The classification depends on the nature and purpose of the financial assets and is determined at the time of initial recognition.

Effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a debt instrument and of allocating interest income over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the debt instrument, or, where appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying amount on initial recognition.

Interest income is recognised on an effective interest basis for debt instruments.

Loans and receivables (including deposits placed at insurance companies, trade and other receivables, time deposits with maturity over three months, bank balances and cash, and amounts due from an associate and a joint venture) Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. Loans and receivables are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

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3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

Financial assets (continued)

Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivatives that are either designated as available-for-sale or are not classified as financial assets at FVTPL, loans and receivables or held-to-maturity investments. The Group designated equity security as available-for-sale financial assets on initial recognition.

Equity and debt securities held by the Group that are classified as available-for-sale financial assets and are traded in an active market are measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period. Changes in the carrying amount of available-for-sale monetary financial assets relating to dividends on available-for-sale equity investments are recognised in profit or loss. Other changes in the carrying amount of available-for-sale financial assets are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated under the heading of investment revaluation reserve. When the investment is disposed of or is determined to be impaired, the cumulative gain or loss previously accumulated in the investment revaluation reserve is reclassified to profit or loss (see the accounting policy in respect of impairment loss on financial assets below).

Dividends on available-for-sale equity investments are recognised in profit or loss when the Group's right to receive the dividends is established.

Available-for-sale equity investments that do not have a quoted market price in an active market and whose fair value cannot be reliably measured are measured at cost less any identified impairment losses at the end of each reporting period (see the accounting policy in respect of impairment loss on financial assets below).

Impairment of loans and receivables and available-for-sale financial assets

Loans and receivables and available-for-sale financial assets are assessed for indicators of impairment at the end of each reporting period. Loans and receivables and available-for-sale financial assets are considered to be impaired when there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the loans and receivables and available-for-sale financial assets, the estimated future cash flows of the investment have been affected.

For available-for-sale equity investments, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the security below its cost is considered to be objective evidence of impairment.

For loans and receivables, objective evidence of impairment could include:

- significant financial difficulty of the issuer or counterparty; or
- breach of contract, such as a default or delinquency in interest or principal payments; or
- it becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or financial re-organisation.

Trade receivables are assessed for impairment on a collective basis even if they were assessed not to be impaired individually. Objective evidence of impairment for a portfolio of receivables could include the Group's past experience of collecting payments, an increase in the number of delayed payments in the portfolio and observable changes in national or local economic conditions that correlate with default on receivables.

For financial assets carried at amortised cost, the amount of impairment loss recognised is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

Financial assets (continued)

Impairment of loans and receivables and available-for-sale financial assets (continued)

The carrying amount of the financial assets is reduced by the impairment loss directly for all loans and receivables with the exception of trade receivables, where the carrying amount is reduced through the use of an allowance account. When a trade receivable is considered uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against the allowance account. Changes in the carrying amounts of the allowance account are recognised in profit or loss.

When an available-for-sale financial asset is considered to be impaired, cumulative gains or losses previously recognised in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss in the period.

For loans and receivables, if, in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss to the extent that the carrying amount of the investment at the date the impairment is reversed does not exceed what the amortised cost would have been had the impairment not been recognised. Impairment losses on available-for-sale equity investments will not be reversed through profit or loss. Any increase in fair value subsequent to an impairment loss is recognised directly in other comprehensive income and accumulated in investment revaluation reserve.

Financial liabilities and equity instruments

Debt and equity instruments issued by a group entity are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangements and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

Equity instruments

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by a group entity are recognised at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

Financial liabilities at FVTPL

Financial liabilities are classified as at FVTPL when they are designated as at FVTPL on initial recognition.

A financial liability may be designated as at FVTPL upon initial recognition if:

- such designation eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise; or
- the financial liability forms part of a group of financial assets or financial liabilities or both, which is managed and its performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, in accordance with the Group's documented risk management or investment strategy, and information about the grouping is provided internally on that basis; or
- it forms part of a contract containing one or more embedded derivatives, and HKAS 39 permits the entire combined contract (asset or liability) to be designated as at FVTPL.

Financial liabilities at FVTPL are stated at fair value, with any gain or loss arising on remeasurement recognised in profit or loss. The net gain or loss recognised in profit or loss incorporates any interest paid on the financial liabilities and is included in the "other gains and losses" line item. Fair value is determined in the manner described in note 31.

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3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

Financial liabilities and equity instruments (continued)

Financial liabilities (including trade and other payables, bank borrowings and amounts due to non-controlling shareholders)

Financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest method.

Effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial liability and of allocating interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial liability, or, where appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying amount on initial recognition.

Interest expense is recognised on an effective interest basis other than financial liabilities of FVTPL.

Derivative financial instruments

Derivative financial instruments that do not qualify for hedge accounting are deemed as financial assets or liabilities held for trading and measured at fair value. Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value at the date when derivative contracts are entered into and are subsequently remeasured to their fair value at the end of the reporting period. The resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately.

Obligation arising from a put option on shares of a subsidiary written to non-controlling shareholders

Put option written to non-controlling shareholders, which will be settled other than by exchange of fixed amount of cash for a fixed number of shares in a subsidiary is treated as a derivative financial instrument and is recognised at fair value upon initial recognition. Any changes of fair value in subsequent reporting dates are recognised in profit or loss.

The gross financial liability arising from the put option is recognised when contractual obligation to repurchase the shares in a subsidiary is established even if the obligation is conditional on the counterparty exercising a right to sell back the shares to the Group. The liability for the share redemption amount is initially recognised and measured at present value of the estimated repurchase price with the corresponding debit to the non-controlling interests. In subsequent periods, the remeasurement of the present value of the estimated gross obligation under the written put option to the non-controlling shareholders is recognised in profit or loss.

Derecognition

The Group derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity.

On derecognition of a financial asset in its entirety, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable and the cumulative gain or loss that had been recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity is recognised in profit or loss.

The Group derecognises financial liabilities when, and only when, the Group's obligations are discharged, cancelled or they expire. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid and payable is recognised in profit or loss.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued) Impairment losses on assets other than goodwill

At the end of each reporting period, the Group reviews the carrying amounts of its assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss, if any. When it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Group estimates the recoverable amount of the CGU to which the asset belongs. When a reasonable and consistent basis of allocation can be identified, corporate assets are also allocated to individual CGU, or otherwise they are allocated to the smallest group of CGUs for which a reasonable and consistent allocation basis can be identified.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell 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 the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or a CGU) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or the CGU) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

When an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or the CGU) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or the CGU) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Government grants

Government grants are not recognised until there is reasonable assurance that the Group will comply with the conditions attaching to them and that the grants will be received.

Government grants that are receivable as compensation for expenses or losses already incurred or for the purpose of giving immediate financial support to the Group with no future related costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they become receivable.

Retirement benefit costs

Payments to the Mandatory Provident Fund Scheme for staff in Hong Kong and retirement pension schemes for staff in the PRC are recognised as an expense when employees have rendered services entitling them to the contributions.

4. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

In the application of the Group's accounting policies, which are described in note 3, the directors of the Company are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. 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.

The following are the key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

4. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (continued) Income taxes

As at 31st December, 2015, a deferred tax asset of HK\$1,858,000 (2014: HK\$1,858,000) in relation to unused tax losses has been recognised in the Group's consolidated statement of financial position. No deferred tax asset has been recognised on the tax losses of HK\$378,532,000 (2014: HK\$379,401,000) due to the unpredictability of future profit streams. The realisability of the deferred tax asset mainly depends on whether sufficient future profits or taxable temporary differences will be available in the future. In cases where the actual taxable profits generated are less or more than expected, a material reversal or further recognition of deferred tax assets may arise, which would be recognised in the profit or loss for the period in which such a reversal takes place.

Impairment of property, plant and equipment

As at 31st December, 2015, the aggregate carrying amount of the Group's property, plant and equipment is HK\$401,989,000 (2014: HK\$435,322,000). Property, plant and equipment are first considered for impairment individually. If it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of the individual property, plant and equipment, the Group determines the recoverable amount of the CGU to which the property, plant and equipment belong. The recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. The management considers that the recoverable amount of the relevant CGU to which the relevant assets belong is determined on the basis of the value in use calculation which is higher than its fair value less costs to sell. The value in use calculation requires the Group to estimate the future cash flows expected to arise from the CGU and a suitable discount rate. Where the future cash flows are less or more than expected, or changes in facts and circumstances which result in revisions of the estimated future cash flows, further impairment loss or reversal of impairment loss may arise. No impairment loss was recognised in 2015 and the accumulated impairment losses of the Group's property, plant and equipment at 31st December, 2015 is HK\$43,915,000 (2014: HK\$43,989,000). Details about impairment losses provided during the year are set out in note 17.

Estimated impairment of trade receivables

When there is objective evidence of impairment loss of trade receivables, the Group takes into consideration the estimation of future cash flows of respective trade receivable. The amount of the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows (excluding future credit losses that have not been incurred) discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate (i.e. the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition). When the actual future cash flows are less than expected, a material impairment loss may arise. As at 31st December, 2015, the carrying amount of trade receivables is HK\$470,610,000 (net of allowance for doubtful debts of HK\$85,980,000) (2014: carrying amount of HK\$677,884,000, net of allowance for doubtful debts of HK\$71,765,000).

Net realisable value of inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs to completion and costs necessary to make the sale. The amount write off to the profit or loss is the difference between the carrying value and net realisable value of the inventories. In determining whether the cost of inventories can be recovered, certain estimations are required. In making these estimations, the Group evaluates, among other factors, the duration and extent and the means by which the amount will be recovered. These estimates are based on the current market condition and the historical experience of selling products of a similar nature. It could change significantly as a result of changes in customer preference and competitor actions in response to market conditions. As at 31st December, 2015, the carrying amount of inventories is HK\$232,614,000 (2014: HK\$404,368,000).

4. KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (continued)

Obligation arising from a put option to non-controlling shareholders and fair value of the put option derivative

The directors of the Company use their judgement in selecting an appropriate valuation technique for financial instruments not quoted in an active market. Valuation techniques commonly used by market practitioners are applied. The inputs to those valuation pricing models are taken from observable markets where possible, but where this is not feasible, a degree of estimate is required. The estimates include a discounted cash flow analysis for a subsidiary's market value calculation, net assets value of a subsidiary, discount rate and considerations of inputs such as adjustment factors to stock price, credit risk and volatility. Changes in assumptions about these factors could affect the carrying amount of the obligation arising from a put option to non-controlling shareholders and the fair value of the put option derivative.

As at 31st December, 2015, the carrying amount of the Group's obligation arising from a put option on shares of a subsidiary to non-controlling shareholders is HK\$31,050,000 (2014: HK\$31,050,000). In addition, the fair value of the put option derivative is HK\$12,660,000 (2014: HK\$12,670,000).

Fair value measurements and valuation processes

The Board of Directors of the Company has determined the appropriate valuation techniques and inputs for fair value measurements.

In estimating the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Group uses market-observable data to the extent it is available. Where Level 1 inputs are not available, the Group engages third party qualified valuers to perform the valuation. The Board of Directors of the Company works closely with the qualified external valuers to establish the appropriate valuation techniques and inputs to the model.

The valuation of the put option to non-controlling shareholders is carried out twice a year, as at interim period end and as at year end. The Group provides the unaudited consolidated financial statements and the profit forecast of Fulwealth Metal Factory Limited ("Fulwealth") to the qualified external valuers.

The valuers determine the equity value of Fulwealth based on the information provided using Income Approach. The valuers will determine the fair value of the put option using Binomial Option Pricing Model. The inputs to the model include the equity value, exercise price, exercise period, risk-free rate, dividend yield and volatility based on the average of the implied volatility of the comparable stocks.

The Board of Directors of the Company will review the valuation and assess the appropriateness of the valuation techniques and inputs used.

Information about the valuation techniques and inputs used in determining the fair value of various assets and liabilities are disclosed in notes 16 and 42(h).

5. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION

Revenue represents the amounts received and receivable for goods sold by the Group to outside customers, net of discounts and sales related taxes.

Information reported to the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Group, being the chief operating decision makers, for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance focuses on types of goods sold.

Specifically, the Group's operating and reportable segments under HKFRS 8 Operating Segments are as follows:

- 1. Metal products
- 2. Building construction materials

In addition, the Group's operations relating to plastic products and printing materials are aggregated and presented as other operations.

During the year ended 31st December, 2015, the Group's "Metal Products" and "Building Construction Materials" segments were regrouped because the chief operating decision makers believe that such regrouping better reflects the segment's performance based on the respective product nature of relevant operating units. Accordingly, the comparative information for the year ended 31st December, 2014 has been restated to conform with the current year's presentation.

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue and results by reportable segment:

| | | Building | Reportable | | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Metal | construction | segment | Other | | |
| | products | materials | total | operations | Eliminations | Consolidated |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| REVENUE | | | | | | |
| External sales | 1,065,586 | 1,364,519 | 2,430,105 | 94,397 | - | 2,524,502 |
| Inter-segment sales | 12,093 | 70 | 12,163 | - | (12,163) | _ |
| Total | 1,077,679 | 1,364,589 | 2,442,268 | 94,397 | (12,163) | 2,524,502 |
| SEGMENT RESULT | 95,980 | 85,039 | 181,019 | (23,137) | (1,624) | 156,258 |
| Unallocated other income | | | | | | 5,465 |
| Unallocated corporate expenses | | | | | | (19,273) |
| Fair value gain on put option | | | | | | 40 |
| derivative | | | | | | 10 |
| Finance costs | | | | | | (16,620) |
| Share of result of a joint venture | | | | | | 419 |
| Share of result of an associate | | | | | | (1,450) |
| Profit before taxation | | | | | | 124,809 |

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5. **REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION** (continued)

2014 (restated)

| | Metal products HK\$'000 | Building construction materials HK\$'000 | Reportable segment total HK\$'000 | Other operations HK\$'000 | Eliminations HK\$'000 | Consolidated HK\$'000 |
|---|-------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| REVENUE | | 4 974 449 | 2 07 4 0 6 5 | 426 440 | | 2 204 244 |
| External sales Inter-segment sales — | 1,203,747 15,499 | 1,871,118 88 | 3,074,865 15,587 | 126,449 _ | – (15,587) | 3,201,314 |
| Total | 1,219,246 | 1,871,206 | 3,090,452 | 126,449 | (15,587) | 3,201,314 |
| SEGMENT RESULT | 86,031 | 108,951 | 194,982 | (6,740) | 132 | 188,374 |
| Unallocated other income Unallocated corporate expenses Fair value gain on put option | | | | | | 7,077 (25,404) |
| derivative Finance costs | | | | | | 48 (28,336) |
| Share of result of a joint venture | | | | | | (28,536) |
| Profit before taxation | | | | | | 141,750 |

The accounting policies of the operating segments are the same as the Group's accounting policies described in note 3. Segment result represents the gross profit (loss) generated/suffered from each segment, net of selling and distribution costs and administrative expenses directly attributable to each segment without allocation of certain other income, corporate expenses, fair value gain on put option derivative, finance costs, and share of results of a joint venture and an associate. This is the measure reported to the chief operating decision makers for the purposes of resource allocation and performance assessment.

Inter-segment sales are charged at cost or cost plus a percentage of mark-up.

5. **REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION** (continued) Other segment information

The following other segment information is included in the measure of segment result:

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| | Metal products HK\$'000 | Building construction materials HK\$'000 | Reportable segment total HK\$'000 | Other operations HK\$'000 | Unallocated HK\$'000 | Consolidated HK\$'000 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Depreciation | 26,122 | 10,726 | 36,848 | 458 | 1,979 | 39,285 |
| Amortisation of prepaid lease | | | | | | |
| payments | 446 | 34 | 480 | - | - | 480 |
| Allowance (reversal of allowance) | | | | | | |
| for bad and doubtful debts, net | 3,533 | (4,420) | (887) | 18,011 | 68 | 17,192 |
| Write down of inventories | 3,598 | 5,745 | 9,343 | - | - | 9,343 |
| Loss on disposal of property, | | | | | | |
| plant and equipment | 86 | 628 | 714 | - | 745 | 1,459 |

2014 (restated)

| | Metal products HK\$'000 | Building construction materials HK\$'000 | Reportable segment total HK\$'000 | Other operations HK\$'000 | Unallocated HK\$'000 | Consolidated HK\$'000 |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Depreciation | 28,310 | 10,388 | 38,698 | 419 | 2,037 | 41,154 |
| Amortisation of prepaid lease | | | | | | |
| payments | 458 | 34 | 492 | _ | - | 492 |
| Total allowance for bad and | | | | | | |
| doubtful debts, net | 2,653 | 4,112 | 6,765 | 540 | 69 | 7,374 |
| Write down (reversal of write | | | | | | |
| down) of inventories | (474) | 12,284 | 11,810 | (341) | - | 11,469 |
| Loss (gain) on disposal of | | | | | | |
| property, plant and | | | | | | |
| equipment | 5 | 183 | 188 | (215) | _ | (27) |
| Impairment losses on property, | | | | | | |
| plant and equipment | 12,656 | - | 12,656 | - | 3,916 | 16,572 |

5. **REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION** (continued)

Revenue from major products

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue from its major products:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 (restated) |
|---|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| Metal products Building construction materials | 1,065,586 | 1,203,747 |
| – Concrete products | 424,678 | 442,716 |
| Construction steel and other products Others | 939,841 94,397 | 1,428,402 126,449 |
| | 2,524,502 | 3,201,314 |

Geographical information

The Group operates in two principal geographical areas, namely Hong Kong and other regions in the PRC.

The Group's revenue from external customers by geographical location of the customers and information about its noncurrent assets other than financial instruments by geographical location of the assets are detailed below:

| | | ue from customers | Non-curre other financial ir | than |
|--------------------------|-----------|----------------------|------------------------------------|----------|
| | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | | | | |
| Hong Kong | 1,412,353 | 1,980,849 | 186,539 | 175,967 |
| Other regions in the PRC | 1,013,973 | 1,068,035 | 254,327 | 287,589 |
| Macau | 68,527 | 120,156 | - | _ |
| Others | 29,649 | 32,274 | - | - |
| | | | | |
| | 2,524,502 | 3,201,314 | 440,866 | 463,556 |

No customer has contributed over 10% of the total revenue of the Group for both years.

No segment assets and liabilities are presented as the information is not reportable to the chief operating decision makers in the resource allocation and assessment of performance.

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6. OTHER INCOME

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| | | 2.464 |
| Rental income from property, plant and equipment | 2,253 | 2,161 |
| Rental income from investment properties | 173 | - |
| Sales of scraps and samples | 5,274 | 5,759 |
| Claims received | 533 | 479 |
| Crane and weighbridge income | 2,519 | 2,865 |
| Processing income | 4,241 | 4,380 |
| Government grant (Note) | 3,771 | 5,680 |
| Termination of contracts by customers | - | 2,069 |
| Transportation income | 303 | 165 |
| Sundry income | 1,953 | 2,275 |
| | | |
| | 21,020 | 25,833 |

Note: During the year ended 31st December, 2015, a subsidiary of the Company in the PRC received a government grant of HK\$3,771,000 (2014: HK\$5,680,000) for part of the Enterprise Income Tax, Value Added Tax and other taxes paid as an encouragement for operating in an economic development zone in Tianjin.

7. OTHER GAINS AND LOSSES

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Change in fair value of foreign currency forward contracts derivative (note 31) | (12) | (250) |
| Fair value gain on put option derivative (note 31) | (12) | (48) |
| Loss (gain) on disposal of property, plant and equipment | 1,459 | (27) |
| Impairment losses on property, plant and equipment (note 17) | - | 16,572 |
| Net exchange loss | 7,124 | 454 |
| Allowance for bad and doubtful debts on trade receivables | 27,199 | 5,671 |
| Allowance for bad and doubtful debts on other receivables | 67 | 2,090 |
| Reversal of allowance for bad and doubtful debts on trade receivables | (10,074) | (387) |
| Bad debts recovered on trade receivables | - | (5) |
| (Gain) loss on deregistration of a subsidiary | (2,060) | 622 |
| | 23,693 | 24,692 |

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8. FINANCE COSTS

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Interest on: | | |
| Bank borrowings wholly repayable within five years Finance leases | 16,502 118 | 28,258 78 |
| | 16,620 | 28,336 |

9. INCOME TAXES

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| The charge comprises: | | |
| Current year | | |
| Hong Kong | 6,528 | 4,991 |
| Other regions in the PRC | 15,234 | 14,561 |
| | | |
| | 21,762 | 19,552 |
| Underprovision (overprovision) in prior years | | |
| Hong Kong | 79 | 20 |
| Other regions in the PRC | 320 | (968) |
| | 399 | (948) |
| Deferred tax (note 34) | 1,200 | 2,400 |
| | 23,361 | 21,004 |

Hong Kong Profits Tax is calculated at 16.5% of the estimated assessable profit for both years.

Under the Law of the PRC on Enterprise Income Tax (the "EIT Law") and Implementation Regulation of the EIT Law, the tax rate of the PRC subsidiaries is 25%. In addition, a PRC subsidiary of the Company was qualified as "High-tech Enterprise" in Tianjin. Accordingly, the PRC subsidiary was subject to an Enterprise Income Tax Rate of 15% for three years starting from 2013.

9. **INCOME TAXES** (continued)

The EIT Law requires withholding tax to be levied on distribution of profits earned by a PRC entity to a Hong Kong resident company (which is the beneficial owner of the dividend received) for profits generated after 1st January, 2008 at the rate of 5%. As at 31st December, 2015 and 2014, deferred tax was provided for in full in respect of the temporary differences attributable to such profits.

The income taxes for the year can be reconciled from the profit before taxation per the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income as follows:

| | Hong Kong | | PRC an | PRC and others | | tal |
|--|-----------|----------|----------|----------------|----------|----------|
| | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| Profit before taxation | 39,897 | 75,073 | 84,912 | 66,677 | 124,809 | 141,750 |
| Domestic income tax rate | 16.50% | 16.50% | 25.00% | 25.00% | | |
| Tax at the domestic income tax rate | 6,583 | 12,387 | 21,228 | 16,669 | 27,811 | 29,056 |
| Tax effect of share of result of a joint venture | (69) | (2) | | _ | (69) | (2) |
| Tax effect of share of result of an associate | 239 | _ | - | - | 239 | _ |
| Tax effect of expenses not deductible for | | | | | | |
| tax purpose | 1,559 | 1,791 | 307 | 3,637 | 1,866 | 5,428 |
| Tax effect of income not taxable for tax purpose | (815) | (714) | (580) | (66) | (1,395) | (780) |
| Tax effect of offshore manufacturing profits | | | | | | |
| on 50:50 apportionment basis | - | (966) | - | - | - | (966) |
| Tax effect of tax losses not recognised | 3,930 | 1,195 | - | 218 | 3,930 | 1,413 |
| Tax effect of utilisation of tax loss previously | | | | | | |
| not recognised | (3,015) | (8,848) | (482) | (878) | (3,497) | (9,726) |
| Tax effect of other deductible temporary | | | | | | |
| difference not recognised | 36 | 446 | 1,771 | 824 | 1,807 | 1,270 |
| Tax effect of utilisation of other temporary | | | | | | |
| difference not recognised | (1,101) | - | (1,275) | (41) | (2,376) | (41) |
| Effect of tax exemption and tax concession | | | | | | |
| granted to PRC subsidiaries | - | - | (4,905) | (5,242) | (4,905) | (5,242) |
| Withholding tax paid | - | - | 357 | - | 357 | _ |
| Withholding tax on retained profit to | | | | | | |
| be distributed | 1,200 | 2,400 | - | - | 1,200 | 2,400 |
| Underprovision (overprovision) in prior years | 79 | 20 | 320 | (968) | 399 | (948) |
| Others | (819) | (298) | (1,187) | (560) | (2,006) | (858) |
| Income taxes for the year | 7,807 | 7,411 | 15,554 | 13,593 | 23,361 | 21,004 |

Details of deferred taxation are set out in note 34.

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10. PROFIT FOR THE YEAR

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Profit for the year has been arrived at after charging: | | |
| Amortisation of prepaid lease payments | 480 | 492 |
| Auditor's remuneration Current year Underprovision in prior years Cost of inventories recognised as expense including write down of inventories of HK\$9,343,000 | 3,754 109 | 3,680 158 |
| (2014: HK\$11,469,000) | 2,118,365 | 2,760,199 |
| Depreciation Minimum lease payments for operating leases in respect of Land and buildings | 39,285 31,903 | 41,154 29,822 |
| Plant and machinery | 1,366 | 63 |
| | 33,269 | 29,885 |
| Staff costs including directors' emoluments and contributions to retirement benefits scheme | 198,471 | 202,193 |

Minimum lease payments for operating leases in respect of a director's accommodation amounting to HK\$1,898,000 (2014: HK\$1,857,000) are included under staff costs.

Profit of HK\$60,678,000 (2014: HK\$14,349,000) has been dealt with in the financial statements of the Company.

11. DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S EMOLUMENTS

The emoluments paid or payable to each of the directors are as follows:

| | Pang Tak Chung HK\$'000 | Ho Wai Yu, Sammy HK\$'000 | John Cyril Fletcher HK\$'000 (Note a) | Pang Wan Ping HK\$'000 | Lau Ngai Fai HK\$'000 (Note b) | Yu Kwok Kan, Stephen HK\$'000 | Chan Yat Yan HK\$'000 | Lo Yip Tong HK\$'000 | 2015 Total HK\$'000 |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Fees | - | - | - | - | - | 183 | 183 | 183 | 549 |
| Other emoluments Salaries and other benefits Contributions to retirement | 6,862 | 4,524 | 1,220 | 1,080 | 942 | - | - | - | 14,628 |
| benefits scheme | - | 234 | - | 48 | 47 | - | - | - | 329 |
| | 6,862 | 4,758 | 1,220 | 1,128 | 989 | 183 | 183 | 183 | 15,506 |
| | | Pang | Но | John | Pang | Yu | | | |
| | | Tak | Wai Yu, | Cyril | Wan | Kwok Kan, | Chan | Lo | 2014 |
| | | Chung | Sammy | Fletcher | Ping | Stephen | Yat Yan | Yip Tong | Total |
| | | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 (Note a) | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| Fees Other emoluments | | _ | - | - | - | 170 | 170 | 170 | 510 |
| Salaries and other benefits Contributions to retirement | | 6,369 | 4,074 | 2,080 | 970 | - | - | - | 13,493 |
| benefits scheme | | 181 | 216 | - | 40 | - | _ | _ | 437 |
| | | 6,550 | 4,290 | 2,080 | 1,010 | 170 | 170 | 170 | 14,440 |

Notes:

(a) Mr. John Cyril Fletcher retired as an executive director with effect from 1st June, 2015.

(b) Mr. Lau Ngai Fai was appointed as an executive director with effect from 10th August, 2015.

(c) Mr. Pang Tak Chung is also the Chief Executive Officer of the Company and his emoluments disclosed above include those for service rendered by him as the Chief Executive Officer.

(d) No director waived any emoluments for the two years ended 31st December, 2015 and 2014.

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12. EMPLOYEES' EMOLUMENTS

The five highest paid individuals included two directors (2014: three directors), details of whose emoluments are set out in note 11 above. The emoluments of the remaining three individuals (2014: two individuals) are as follows:

| | 2015 HK\$′000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Salaries and other benefits Contributions to retirement benefits scheme | 4,071 174 | 3,389 177 |
| | 4,245 | 3,566 |

Their emoluments were within the following bands:

| | 2015 Number of employees | 2014 Number of employees |
|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| HK\$1,000,001 – HK\$2,000,000 HK\$2,000,001 – HK\$3,000,000 | 3 - | 1 1 |
| | 3 | 2 |

13. DIVIDEND

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Dividends paid: | | |
| 2015 Interim – HK1.5 cents (2014: HK1.5 cents) per ordinary share | 8,429 | 8,429 |
| 2014 Final – HK3.5 cents (2014: 2013 Final – HK2.8 cents) per ordinary share | 19,667 | 15,734 |
| | | |
| | 28,096 | 24,163 |
| | | |
| Dividend proposed: | | |
| Final dividend proposed for the year | | |
| – HK3.5 cents (2014: HK3.5 cents) per ordinary share | 19,667 | 19,667 |

The directors recommend the payment of a final dividend of HK3.5 cents per share for the year ended 31st December, 2015 which is subject to approval by the shareholders at the annual general meeting.

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14. EARNINGS PER SHARE

The calculation of the basic earnings per share is based on the profit attributable to the shareholders of the Company for the year and 561,922,500 (2014: 561,922,500) number of ordinary shares in issue during the year.

The calculation of the diluted earnings per share for the year ended 31st December, 2015 and 2014 does not assume the exercise of the written put option on shares of a subsidiary as it is anti-dilutive.

15. GOODWILL

| | HK\$'000 |
|--|----------|
| COST At 1st January, 2014, 31st December, 2014 and 2015 | 34,355 |
| IMPAIRMENT At 1st January, 2014, 31st December, 2014 and 2015 | (34,355) |
| CARRYING AMOUNT At 1st January, 2014, 31st December, 2014 and 2015 | |

For the purposes of impairment testing, goodwill is allocated to individual CGU which is engaged in trading of printing materials and is expected to benefit from that business combination. As at 31st December, 2015 and 2014, the carrying amount of goodwill was attributable to a subsidiary in other operations segment.

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16. INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

| | HK\$'000 |
|--|----------|
| Fair value | |
| At 1st January, 2015 | _ |
| Transfer from property, plant and equipment at fair value | 4,190 |
| Decrease in fair value recognised in asset revaluation reserve | (170) |
| At 31st December, 2015 | 4,020 |

There was no unrealised gain on property revaluation included in profit or loss during the current year.

Notes:

- (a) The investment properties can be categorised medium-term leasehold properties in PRC.
- (b) The investment properties held under operating lease to earn rentals and/or for capital appreciation purposes are measured using the fair value model and are classified and accounted for as investment properties.
- (c) The fair value of the investment properties as at 31st December, 2015 have been arrived at on the basis of a valuation carried out on that date by LCH (Asia-Pacific) Surveyors Limited, Chartered Surveyors, independent qualified professional valuers not connected with the Group. LCH (Asia-Pacific) Surveyors Limited, Chartered Surveyors are members of the Institute of Valuers. The valuation was arrived at by reference to market evidence of transaction prices for similar properties. The valuation was arrived at by reference to market evidence of transaction prices for similar properties.
- (d) In estimating the fair value of the properties, the highest and best use of the properties is their current use.
- (e) Following are the key inputs used in valuing the investment properties

| Description | Fair value hierarchy | | alue at cember, | Valuation techniques | Key un | observable | Relationship of unobservable input to fair value |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| | | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 | | Inputs | Range | |
| Properties in Guangzhou, PRC | Level 3 | 4,020 | N/A | Sales comparison approach | Adjusted price per square meter | RMB21,176 to RMB26,833 | The higher the price per square meter, the higher the fair value. |

17. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

| | Leasehold land and buildings HK\$'000 | Leasehold improvements HK\$'000 | Furniture and fixtures HK\$'000 | Motor vehicles HK\$'000 | Plant and machinery and equipment HK\$'000 | Assets under installation HK\$'000 | Construction in progress HK\$'000 | Total HK\$'000 |
|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|--|---|--|--------------------------|
| COST | | | | | | | | |
| | 209,303 | 29,525 | 20,776 | 35,891 | 526,010 | 34,078 | 88,019 | 943,602 |
| At 1st January, 2014 | | | | | | (110) | | |
| Exchange differences | (107) | (18) | (22) | (38) | (1,144) | | (1) | (1,440) |
| Additions | 150 | 2,566 | 2,140 | 3,721 | 6,253 | 15,981 | 223 | 31,034 |
| Disposals | - | - | (703) | (3,989) | (20,752) | - | - | (25,444) |
| Written off of impaired assets | - | - | - | - | (749) | - | (2,638) | (3,387) |
| Reclassification | | 265 | 207 | - | 17,910 | (18,254) | (128) | |
| At 31st December, 2014 | 209,346 | 32,338 | 22,398 | 35,585 | 527,528 | 31,695 | 85,475 | 944,365 |
| Exchange differences | (1,832) | (310) | (340) | (648) | (20,247) | (1,762) | (28) | (25,167) |
| Additions | 153 | 678 | 1,115 | 2,549 | 5,342 | 16,905 | 315 | 27,057 |
| Disposals | (28,705) | (14,889) | (219) | (2,174) | (3,686) | | - | (49,673) |
| Transfer to investment properties | (3,670) | (11,005) | (213) | (2,171) | (3,000) | _ | - | (3,670) |
| Written off of impaired assets | (5,070) | _ | (6) | (22) | (352) | _ | _ | (3,070) |
| Reclassification | 298 | - | 455 | (22) | 10,013 | (10,277) | (489) | (500) |
| At 31st December, 2015 | 175,590 | 17,817 | 23,403 | 35,290 | 518,598 | 36,561 | 85,273 | 892,532 |
| | | | | | | | ••• | |
| DEPRECIATION AND IMPAIRMENT | | | | | | | | |
| | 139,751 | 23,726 | 17,656 | 28,377 | 266,826 | | 2,638 | 478,974 |
| At 1st January, 2014 | | , | | | | - | | |
| Exchange differences | (62) | (9) | (17) | (28) | (448) | - | - | (564) |
| Provided for the year | 5,268 | 1,692 | 1,415 | 3,145 | 29,634 | - | - | 41,154 |
| Impairment losses | - | - | _ | - | 12,656 | - | 3,916 | 16,572 |
| Eliminated on disposals | - | - | (640) | (3,981) | (19,085) | - | - | (23,706) |
| Eliminated on written off of | | | | | | | | |
| impaired assets | - | - | - | - | (749) | - | (2,638) | (3,387) |
| Reclassification | - | - | (3) | - | 3 | - | - | _ |
| At 31st December, 2014 | 144,957 | 25,409 | 18,411 | 27,513 | 288,837 | _ | 3,916 | 509,043 |
| Exchange differences | (1,125) | (197) | (255) | (544) | (9,219) | _ | _ | (11,340) |
| Provided for the year | 5,164 | 1,730 | 1,488 | 2,726 | 28,177 | _ | _ | 39,285 |
| Eliminated on disposals | (28,075) | (14,776) | (203) | (1,981) | (635) | _ | - | (45,670) |
| Transfer to investment properties | (395) | (14,770) | (205) | (1,501) | (055) | _ | _ | (395) |
| Eliminated on written off of | (555) | | | | | | | (555) |
| impaired assets | - | - | (6) | (22) | (352) | - | _ | (380) |
| | | | (-) | (==) | () | | | () |
| At 31st December, 2015 | 120,526 | 12,166 | 19,435 | 27,692 | 306,808 | - | 3,916 | 490,543 |
| CARRYING VALUES | | | | | | | | |
| At 31st December, 2015 | 55,064 | 5,651 | 3,968 | 7,598 | 211,790 | 36,561 | 81,357 | 401,989 |
| At 31st December, 2014 | 64,389 | 6,929 | 3,987 | 8,072 | 238,691 | 31,695 | 81,559 | 435,322 |
| | | · /· - | 1 | | | | 1 | |

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17. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

The carrying values of motor vehicles and plant and machinery and equipment of the Group include an amount of HK\$2,784,000 (2014: HK\$2,815,000) and HK\$351,000 (2014: HK\$464,000), respectively, in respect of assets held under finance leases.

The carrying values of plant and machinery and equipment, leasehold buildings, furniture and fixtures and motor vehicles of the Group include an amount of HK\$24,161,000 (2014: HK\$27,061,000) in respect of assets leased to third party under operating leases.

The carrying value of leasehold land and buildings comprises:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Situated in Hong Kong under medium-term lease Situated in other regions in the PRC under medium-term lease | 26,805 28,259 | 30,688 33,701 |
| | 55,064 | 64,389 |

Note:

For impairment review purpose, property, plant and equipment are first considered for impairment individually. If it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of the individual property, plant and equipment, the Group determines the recoverable amount of the CGU to which the property, plant and equipment belong. Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less cost to sell and value in use.

As at 31st December, 2015, the management conducted a review on impairment assessment on the relevant CGU to which the related property, plant and equipment belong and concluded that no impairment losses to be recognised. Accumulated impairment losses on property, plant and equipment of the Group was HK\$43,915,000 (2014: HK\$43,989,000).

In 2014, the directors considered there were impairment indicators on the property, plant and equipment used in metal products and plastic products which are under "Metal Products" and "Other Operations" respectively due to continuous loss incurred, which resulted from the rise in production costs and keen market competition. For the purpose of impairment assessment, the management considers that the recoverable amount of the relevant CGU is determined based on the value in use calculation which is higher than its fair value less costs to sell. The value in use calculation uses cash flow projections based on the latest financial budgets approved by the Company's management covering a period of five years representing the remaining useful life of the property, plant and equipment at a discount rate of 11% at zero growth rate. Other key assumptions for the value in use calculation include gross margin and production costs are based on the estimation provided by the management. As a result, impairment losses of HK\$12,656,000 was recognised in the profit or loss during the year ended 31st December, 2014.

In addition, the impairment losses on construction in progress used in other unallocated operations, which was under "Unallocated Corporate Expenses", amounted to HK\$3,916,000 was recognised in 2014 to represent the cost of buildings situated on the leasehold land located in Hong Kong as the management was in the process of applying to the relevant government authority to change the usage of the existing leasehold land and it was expected that the existing buildings would be demolished.

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18. PREPAID LEASE PAYMENTS

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| The Group's prepaid lease payments comprise: | | |
| Land use rights in other regions in the PRC under medium-term lease | 15,023 | 16,330 |
| Analysed for reporting purposes as: | | |
| Current asset Non-current asset | 468 14,555 | 491 15,839 |
| | 15,023 | 16,330 |

19. INTEREST IN A JOINT VENTURE/AMOUNT DUE FROM A JOINT VENTURE

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Cost of investments (unlisted) Share of post-acquisition profits and other comprehensive income | 1,226 2,107 | 1,226 1,688 |
| | 3,333 | 2,914 |
| Amount due from a joint venture | 5,068 | 5,414 |

Particulars of the joint venture as at 31st December, 2015 and 2014 are as follows:

| Name of company | Form of business structure | Place of incorporation/ principal place of business | | | Principal activities |
|--|----------------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|---|
| | | | 2015 % | 2014 % | |
| Kunshan Rosathal Printing Ink Limited | Equity joint venture | PRC | 33.25* | 33.25* | Manufacturing and sales of printing ink |

* The Group's 95% owned subsidiary held 35% of this company.

The amount is unsecured, interest-free and is not expected to be repaid within the next twelve months from the end of the reporting period.

19. INTEREST IN A JOINT VENTURE/AMOUNT DUE FROM A JOINT VENTURE (continued) Information of the joint venture that is not individually material

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| The Group's share of profit (loss) and total comprehensive income (expense) from continuing operation | 419 | (9) |

20. INTEREST IN AN ASSOCIATE/AMOUNT DUE FROM AN ASSOCIATE

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Cost of investment (unlisted) Share of post-acquisition loss and other comprehensive income | 3,500 (1,450) | - |
| | 2,050 | _ |
| Amount due from an associate | 14,000 | _ |

Details of the associate as at 31st December, 2015 and 2014 are as follows:

| Name of company | Form of business structure | Percentage Place of of ownership incorporation/ interest and principal place voting rights of business held by the Group Principal ac | incorporation/ principal place | of ownership interest and voting rights | | Principal activities |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---|---|----------------------|
| | | | 2015 | 2014 | | |
| Hongkong United Reinforcement | Incorporated | Hong Kong | % 35 | - | Provision of off-site rebar cutting, | |
| Engineering Limited | | | | | bending and prefabrication services | |

Note: The Group is able to exercise significant influence over the associate because it has the power to appoint two out of six directors of the company under the Articles of Association of that company.

Amount due from an associate is unsecured, carries interest at 2% below the best lending rate as quoted by the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited per annum and is repayable ten years from the first drawdown date.

20. INTEREST IN AN ASSOCIATE/AMOUNT DUE FROM AN ASSOCIATE (continued)

Summarised financial information of the associate

Summarised financial information in respect of the associate is set out below. The summarised financial information of the associate are prepared in accordance with HKFRSs.

The associate is accounted for using the equity method in these consolidated financial statements.

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Current assets | 18,055 | _ |
| Non-current assets | 32,015 | _ |
| Current liabilities | (961) | _ |
| Non-current liabilities | (43,251) | _ |
| Revenue | - | _ |
| Loss for the year | (4,142) | _ |
| Loss and total comprehensive expense for the year | (4,142) | _ |

Reconciliation of the above summarised financial information to the carrying amount of the interest in the associate recognised in the consolidated financial statements:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Net assets | 5,858 | _ |
| Proportion of the Group's ownership interest in the associate | 35% | _ |
| Carrying amount of the Group's interest in the associate | 2,050 | _ |

21. AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE INVESTMENT

| | 2015 | 2014 |
|--|----------|----------|
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| Listed equity investment in Germany | | |
| – fair value | 2,754 | _ |
| Unlisted equity investment in Germany | | |
| – at cost | - | 1,020 |
| impairment loss recognised | - | (1,020) |
| | | |
| | | |
| Total | 2,754 | _ |

During the year ended 31st December, 2014, pursuant to a restructuring plan of the Cayman Islands private equity, the Group exchanged all of its shares in the unlisted investment for another unlisted private entity incorporated in Germany. Accordingly, at 31st December, 2014, the unlisted investment was measured at cost less impairment because the range of reasonable fair value estimates is not so significant that the directors of the Company are of the opinion that their values cannot be measured reliably.

During the year ended 31st December, 2015, the unlisted private entity incorporated in Germany has been successfully listed and the fair value of the investment is determined by reference to the bid prices quoted in an active market. At 31st December, 2015, the fair value of the investment is HK\$2,754,000 and a fair value gain on available-for-sale investment of HK\$2,754,000 has been recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in investment revaluation reserve.

22. DEPOSITS PLACED AT INSURANCE COMPANIES

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Deposits placed at insurance companies and due after one year | 10,707 | 10,220 |

The Group entered into life insurance policies with insurance companies to insure the executive directors and staff. Under the policies, the beneficiary and policy holder are both Company and a subsidiary of the Company and the total insured sum is HK\$60,001,000 (2014: HK\$60,039,000). The Group is required to pay premium charges at inception of the policies amounting to HK\$324,000. The Group can terminate the policies at any time and receive cash back based on the cash value of the policies at the date of withdrawal, which is determined by the upfront payment of HK\$9,949,000 (2014: HK\$9,953,000) plus accumulated interest earned and minus insurance premium charged at inception of HK\$324,000 and the accumulated monthly insurance premium expenses charged ("Cash Value"). In addition, if withdrawal is made between the 1st to 15th policy year, there is a specified amount of surrender charge. The insurance companies will pay the Group an interest of 3% per annum on the outstanding Cash Value of the policy.

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22. DEPOSITS PLACED AT INSURANCE COMPANIES (continued)

The effective interest rate on initial recognition was 3%, which was determined by discounting the estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the respective policies, excluding the financial effect of surrender charge. The carrying amount of deposits placed for life insurance policies as at 31st December, 2015 represented the Cash Value of the insurance policies. As at 31st December, 2015, the expected life of the policies was remained unchanged from the initial recognition and the directors considered that the financial impact of the option to terminate the policies was insignificant.

The insured sum amounting to HK\$49,606,000 (2014: HK\$49,644,000) and deposits placed at insurance companies amounting to HK\$5,789,000 (2014: HK\$5,656,000) are denominated in United States dollars, currency other than the functional currency of the Company and the subsidiary of the Company.

23. INVENTORIES

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Raw materials Work in progress Finished goods Supplies | 58,161 29,457 142,363 2,633 | 111,440 36,262 254,893 1,773 |
| | 232,614 | 404,368 |

24. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Trade receivables, net Prepayments, deposits and other receivables | 470,610 42,371 | 677,884 34,683 |
| | 512,981 | 712,567 |

Other than the cash sales, the Group allows credit periods ranging from 30 to 90 days to its customers.

24. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (continued)

Trade receivables, net of allowance for doubtful debts, with an aged analysis presented based on the invoice date at the end of the reporting period, which approximated the respective revenue recognition dates as follows:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|--|--|
| 0 – 30 days 31 – 60 days 61 – 90 days 91 – 120 days More than 120 days | 209,956 125,451 60,450 29,348 45,405 | 326,742 175,252 82,127 43,377 50,386 |
| | 470,610 | 677,884 |

Before accepting any new customer, the Group has assessed the potential customer's credit quality and defined credit rating limits for each customers. Limits attributed to customers are reviewed once a year.

Included in the Group's trade receivable balance are debtors with aggregate carrying amount of HK\$192,877,000 (2014: HK\$251,084,000) which are past due at the reporting date for which the Group has not provided for impairment loss, as there has not been a significant change in credit quality and the amounts are still considered recoverable based on historical experience. The Group does not hold any collateral over these balances. Trade receivables which are neither past due nor impaired are in good quality with no default history in the past.

Ageing of trade receivables (by due date) which are past due but not impaired:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 – 30 days 31 – 60 days 61 – 90 days 91 – 120 days | 100,059 41,899 11,522 14,080 | 143,226 62,501 30,617 3,306 |
| More than 120 days | 25,317 192,877 | 251,084 |

24. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (continued)

Movement in the allowance for doubtful trade debts:

| | 2015 | 2014 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | | |
| Balance at beginning of the year | 71,765 | 68,185 |
| Exchange realignment | (2,910) | (184) |
| Impairment losses recognised | 27,199 | 5,671 |
| Impairment losses reversed | (10,074) | (387) |
| Amounts written off during the year | - | (270) |
| Deregistration of a subsidiary | - | (1,250) |
| | | |
| Balance at end of the year | 85,980 | 71,765 |

Included in the allowance for doubtful debts are individually impaired trade receivables with an aggregate balance of HK\$85,980,000 (2014: HK\$71,765,000) which are either been placed under liquidation or in financial difficulties in repaying the outstanding balances. Based on historical experience, these overdue balances are normally not recoverable. The Group does not hold any collateral over these balances.

Allowance for doubtful debts of HK\$10,074,000 (2014: HK\$387,000) was reversed to profit or loss because these impaired trade receivables were recovered during the year.

In determining the recoverability of a trade receivable, the Group considers any change in the credit quality of the trade receivable from the date credit was initially granted up to the reporting date.

Trade and other receivables that are denominated in United States dollars, Renminbi and Pound Sterling, currencies other than the functional currencies of relevant group entities, amounted to HK\$18,782,000 (2014: HK\$17,285,000), HK\$7,148,000 (2014: HK\$4,000) and HK\$1,359,000 (2014: HK\$1,344,000), respectively.

25. TIME DEPOSITS WITH MATURITY OVER THREE MONTHS AND BANK BALANCES AND CASH

The time deposits with maturity of 116 days and 117 days carries interest at 0.70% and 0.80% per annum respectively (2014: 181 days carries interest at 2.40% per annum).

The amounts of bank balances and cash include deposits of HK\$97,600,000 (2014: HK\$252,972,000) with an original maturity of three months or less which carry fixed interest rates of 0.50% to 2.25% (2014: 0.70% to 1.10%) per annum. The remaining amounts carried at prevailing market interest rates.

Time deposits with maturity over three months, bank balances and cash that are denominated in foreign currencies, currencies other than the functional currencies of relevant group entities, amounted to HK\$61,698,000 (2014: HK\$42,063,000).

26. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

| | 2015 | 2014 |
|--|----------|----------|
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | | |
| Trade payables | 121,536 | 159,404 |
| Accruals, deposits received and other payables | 108,576 | 123,533 |
| | | |
| | 230,112 | 282,937 |

Trade payables with an aged analysis presented based on the invoice date at the end of the reporting period as follows:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|--|--|
| 0 – 30 days 31 – 60 days 61 – 90 days 91 – 120 days More than 120 days | 72,957 25,205 4,931 12,895 5,548 | 89,218 42,334 19,208 5,667 2,977 |
| | 121,536 | 159,404 |

Trade and other payables that are denominated in United States dollars, Renminbi and Pound Sterling, currencies other than the functional currencies of relevant group entities, amounted to HK\$3,252,000 (2014: HK\$15,161,000), HK\$241,000 (2014: HK\$317,000) and HK\$403,000 (2014: Nil), respectively.

27. AMOUNTS DUE TO NON-CONTROLLING SHAREHOLDERS

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

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28. BANK BORROWINGS

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Bank loans Trust receipt loans | 209,125 138,094 | 312,440 457,164 |
| | 347,219 | 769,604 |
| Analysed as: | | |
| Secured Unsecured | 38,333 308,886 | 43,333 726,271 |
| | 347,219 | 769,604 |
| | 2015 HK\$′000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
| Carrying amounts of bank loans repayable on the scheduled repayment dates set out in the loan agreements | | |
| Within one year More than one year, but not exceeding two years More than two years, but not exceeding five years | 93,372 12,056 28,333 | 114,379 12,804 40,400 |
| | 133,761 | 167,583 |
| Carrying amounts of bank loans contains a repayable on demand clause within one year (shown under | | |
| current liabilities) | 213,458 | 602,021 |
| Less: amounts due within one year shown | 347,219 | 769,604 |
| under current liabilities | (306,830) | (716,400) |
| Amounts shown under non-current liabilities | 40,389 | 53,204 |

The effective borrowing rates are ranging from 1.33% to 6.00% (2014: 1.38% to 9.15%) per annum.

28. BANK BORROWINGS (continued)

The carrying amounts of the Group's borrowings are analysed as follows:

| Denominated in | Interest rate per annum | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|------------------------------|---|------------------|------------------|
| Hong Kong dollars | Hong Kong Interbank Offered Rate ("HIBOR") plus 1.00% to 4.95% (2014: 1.13% to 5.05%) | 146,724 | 132,499 |
| United States dollars (Note) | London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") plus 1.00% to 3.59% (2014: 1.00% to 4.89%) | 44,563 | 399,373 |
| Renminbi | 5.00% to 20.00% mark up from People's Bank of China ("PBOC") lending rate (2014: 5.00% to 20.00% mark up from | 132,060 | 174,619 |
| | PBOC lending rate) Fixed rate at 5.60% (2014: 6.00% to 6.90%) | 23,872 | 63,113 |
| | | 347,219 | 769,604 |

Note: These borrowings are denominated in currencies other than functional currencies of the relevant group entities.

29. OBLIGATIONS UNDER FINANCE LEASES

| | Mini lease pa | | Present of min lease pa | iimum |
|--|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
| Within one year In the second to fifth year inclusive | 983 1,685 | 876 2,075 | 896 1,608 | 779 1,952 |
| Less: future finance charges | 2,668 (164) | 2,951 (220) | | |
| Present value of lease obligations | 2,504 | 2,731 | 2,504 | 2,731 |
| Less: amounts due within one year shown under current liabilities | | | (896) | (779) |
| Amounts due after one year | | | 1,608 | 1,952 |

29. OBLIGATIONS UNDER FINANCE LEASES (continued)

Certain of the Group's motor vehicles and machinery and equipment are leased under finance leases. The lease terms are ranging from 1 to 5 years. The obligations under finance leases of HK\$2,504,000 (2014: HK\$2,731,000) carry fixed interest rates from 1.60% to 3.25% (2014: 1.60% to 3.25%) per annum. For the year ended 31st December, 2015, the weighted average effective borrowing rate is 4.60% (2014: 4.00%) per annum. All leases are on a fixed repayment basis. The Group has options to purchase the motor vehicles and machinery and equipment for a nominal amount at the end of the lease terms. No arrangements have been entered into for contingent rental payments.

The Group's obligations under finance leases are secured by the lessor's charge over the leased assets.

30. OBLIGATION ARISING FROM A PUT OPTION TO NON-CONTROLLING SHAREHOLDERS

On 6th September, 2011, the Company entered into an option deed with the non-controlling shareholders (the "Holders") of Fulwealth, a 77% owned subsidiary of the Group, pursuant to which the Company has granted the put option (the "Put Option") to the Holders exercisable during the period from 6th September, 2012 to 31st December, 2016 (the "Exercise Period"). The Holders have the right to sell to the Company, and require the Company to acquire all of the Holders' remaining equity interest of Fulwealth during the Exercise Period at a cash consideration. The consideration will be calculated by reference to the unaudited consolidated net asset value of Fulwealth attributable to the Holders for the period up to the month immediately preceding the exercise date of the Put Option plus a premium of HK\$12,650,000 representing HK\$2.75 per option share with maximum aggregate consideration at HK\$31,050,000.

At initial recognition, the obligation arising from the Put Option to the Holders represents the present value of the obligation to deliver the share redemption amount at discount rate of 4.50% on 6th September, 2011 amounting to HK\$29,841,000. This amount has been recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position with a corresponding debit to the non-controlling interests.

In addition, the Put Option which will be settled other than by exchange of fixed amount of cash for a fixed number of shares of a subsidiary is treated as derivative financial instruments and is recognised at fair value in accordance with HKAS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement*. Details are set out in note 31(a).

31. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

| | Ass | ets | Liabi | lities |
|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
| Current: Put Option derivative (Note a) Foreign currency forward contracts derivative (Note b) | - | - 33 | 12,660 | 12,670 |
| | - | 33 | 12,660 | 12,670 |

31. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

Notes:

(a) As details in note 30, as at 31st December, 2015, the fair value of the Put Option of HK\$12,660,000 (2014: HK\$12,670,000) has been recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position, of which fair value gain of HK\$10,000 was recognised for the year ended 31st December, 2015 (2014: HK\$48,000).

The fair values of the Put Option as at 31st December, 2015 and 2014 have been determined by using a Binominal Option Pricing Model with the following assumptions:

Exercise price: Unaudited consolidated net asset value of Fulweath attributable to the Holders for the period up to the month immediately preceding the exercise date plus a premium of HK\$2.75 per option share.

| | 31.12.2015 | 31.12.2014 |
|------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Risk-free rate: | 0.14% | 0.57% |
| Time to expiration: Volatility: | 1 year 35.02% | 2 years 28.49% |

Notes:

- (i) The risk free rate is the yields to maturity of Hong Kong Exchange Fund Note with respective terms to maturity as at the valuation date.
- (ii) Time to expiration represents 64 months from 6th September, 2011.
- (iii) Volatility is based on the average of the implied volatility of the daily return of comparable stock.
- (b) At 31st December, 2015, the Group has no outstanding foreign currency forward contract (2014: financial asset of HK\$33,000). The net gain on change in fair value and expiration of the foreign currency forward contracts amounting to HK\$12,000 (2014: HK\$250,000) has been recognised in profit or loss. The instruments purchased are to be settled on a net basis. Details of the outstanding foreign exchange forward contracts are stated in the below table.

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Structured foreign exchange forward contracts

| Notional amount at each maturity date | Contract duration | Forward exchange rates |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| Buy US\$500,000 or US\$1,000,000 | From April 2013 to March 2015 with monthly settlement on notional amount | Buying US\$500,000 if market rate at or above contract rate of HK\$7.749 to US\$1 or buying US\$1,000,000 if market rate below contract rate of HK\$7.749 to US\$1 |

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32. SHARE CAPITAL

| | Number of shares | Amount HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|---------------------------|
| Ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each | | |
| Authorised: At 1st January, 2014, 31st December, 2014 and 2015 | 1,800,000,000 | 180,000 |
| Issued and fully paid: At 1st January, 2014, 31st December, 2014 and 2015 | 561,922,500 | 56,192 |

33. SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The share option scheme of the Company was effective on 27th May, 2004, and expired on 26th May, 2014 (the "Old Scheme"). Pursuant to the ordinary resolution passed on 5th June, 2014, a new share option scheme (the "New Scheme") was adopted.

Summary of the New Scheme

- a. The primary purpose of the New Scheme is to provide incentives or rewards to Participants (see below defined) thereunder for their contribution to the Group and any entity in which the Group holds any equity interest ("Invested Entity") and/or to enable the Group and an Invested Entity to recruit and retain high-calibre employees and attract human resources that are valuable to the Group or any Invested Entity.
- b. The directors may, at their absolute discretion, invite any person belonging to any of the following classes of participants ("Participants"), to take up options to subscribe for shares of HK\$0.10 each in the share capital of the Company ("Shares").
 - (i) any eligible employee;
 - (ii) any non-executive director (including independent non-executive directors) of the Company, any of its subsidiaries or any Invested Entity;
 - (iii) any supplier of goods or services to any member of the Group or any Invested Entity;
 - (iv) any customer of the Group or any Invested Entity;
 - (v) any person or entity acting in their capacities as advisers or consultants that provides research, development or other technological support to the Group or any Invested Entity; and
 - (vi) any shareholder of any member of the Group or any Invested Entity or any holder of any securities issued by any member of the Group or any Invested Entity from time to time determined by the directors having contributed or may contribute to the development and growth of the Group and any Invested Entity.

33. SHARE OPTION SCHEME (continued)

Summary of the New Scheme (continued)

- c. The total number of Shares which may be issued upon exercise of all options (excluding, for this purpose, options which have lapsed in accordance with the terms of the New Scheme and any other share option scheme of the Group must not in aggregate exceed 10% of the shares in issue as at the date of adoption of the New Scheme (i.e. 5th June, 2014). The Company can grant options to subscribe up to 56,192,250 Shares which is 10% of the total issued share capital of the Company as at the date of approval of the limit. The maximum number of Shares to be issued upon exercise of all outstanding options granted and yet to be exercised under the New Scheme and any other share option scheme of the Company must not in aggregate exceed 30% of the issued share capital of the Company must not in aggregate exceed 30% of the issued share capital of the Company from time to time.
- d. The total number of Shares issued and which may fall to be issued upon exercise of the options granted under the New Scheme and any other share option scheme of the Company (including both exercised or outstanding options) to each Participant in any 12-month period shall not exceed 1% of the issued share capital of the Company for the time being.
- e. An option may be exercised in accordance with the terms of the New Scheme at any time during a period to be determined and notified by the directors to each grantee, which period may commence on the date on which the offer for the grant of options is made but shall end in any event not later than 10 years from the date of grant of the option subject to the provisions for early termination thereof.
- f. An offer of grant of an option may be accepted by a Participant within 28 days from the date of the offer of grant of the option. A consideration of HK\$1 is payable on acceptance of the offer of grant of an option.
- g. The subscription price per Share under the New Scheme shall be a price determined by the directors, but shall not be lower than the highest of:
 - (i) the closing price of the Share as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotation sheet on the date of grant, which must be a trading day;
 - (ii) the average closing price of the Shares as stated in the Stock Exchange's daily quotations sheet for the five trading days immediately preceding the date of grant; and
 - (iii) the nominal value of a Share.
- h. The New Scheme has a life of 10 years and will expire on 4th June, 2024.

No share option has been granted since the adoption of the New Scheme.

34. DEFERRED TAXATION

The following are the major deferred tax assets (liabilities) recognised and movements thereon during the current and prior years:

| | Accelerated tax depreciation HK\$'000 | Tax losses HK\$′000 | Withholding tax on retained profits to be distributed HK\$'000 | Others HK\$′000 | Total HK\$′000 |
|--|--|---------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| At 1st January, 2014 Charge to profit or loss | (14,099) | 1,858 _ | (4,180) (2,400) | 556 | (15,865) (2,400) |
| At 31st December, 2014 Charge to profit or loss | (14,099) | 1,858 _ | (6,580) (1,200) | 556 — | (18,265) (1,200) |
| At 31st December, 2015 | (14,099) | 1,858 | (7,780) | 556 | (19,465) |

For the purposes of presentation in the consolidated statement of financial position, deferred tax assets and liabilities of the same entity have been offset and shown under non-current liabilities.

At the end of the reporting period, the Group has unused tax losses of HK\$389,793,000 (2014: HK\$390,662,000) available for offset against future profits. A deferred tax asset has been recognised in respect of HK\$11,261,000 (2014: HK\$11,261,000) of such losses. No deferred tax asset has been recognised in respect of the remaining HK\$378,532,000 (2014: HK\$379,401,000) due to the unpredictability of future profit streams. Included in unused tax losses is tax loss of HK\$2,717,000 (2014: HK\$6,671,000) which will expire in the following years ending 31st December:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--------------|------------------|------------------|
| 2016 | 4 674 | 1 950 |
| 2016 2017 | 1,571 | 1,850 |
| 2017 | _ 1,146 | 1,239 |
| 2018 2019 | | 2,710 872 |
| 2019 | _ | 072 |
| 2020 | | |
| | 2,717 | 6,671 |

The remaining unused tax losses may be carried forward indefinitely.

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34. DEFERRED TAXATION (continued)

At the end of the reporting period, the Group has deductible temporary differences of HK\$72,675,000 (2014: HK\$77,145,000) in respect of accelerated accounting depreciation, impairment losses on property, plant and equipment and allowance for doubtful debts. A deferred tax asset has been recognised in respect of HK\$3,370,000 (2014: HK\$3,370,000) of such deductible temporary differences. No deferred tax asset has been recognised in respect of the remaining HK\$69,305,000 (2014: HK\$73,775,000) as it is not probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences can be utilised.

35. PLEDGE OF ASSETS

At the end of the reporting period, the Group has pledged the following assets to banks and customers as securities against banking facilities granted to the Group and retention deposits:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Construction in progress | 81,084 | 81,084 |

36. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

The Group as lessee

At the end of the reporting period, the Group had commitments for future minimum lease payments under noncancellable operating leases which fall due as follows:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Land and buildings: | | |
| Within one year In the second to fifth year inclusive Over five years | 21,835 44,306 70,664 136,805 | 24,926 40,351 82,905 148,182 |
| Plant and machinery and equipment: Within one year | 3,600,000 | _ |

Operating lease payments represent rentals payable by the Group for certain of its factory and office premises, staff quarters and plant and machinery and equipment. Leases of factory and office premises, staff quarters and, plant and machinery and equipment are negotiated for terms ranging from one to twenty years.

36. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS (continued)

The Group as lessor

At the end of the reporting period, the Group had contracted with tenants for the following future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases which fall due as follow:

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Investment properties, leasehold land and buildings: | | |
| Within one year In the second to fifth year inclusive | 417 117 | - |
| | 534 | _ |
| Plant and machinery and equipment: | | |
| Within one year In the second to fifth year inclusive Over five years | 1,347 5,386 16,945 | 1,790 5,720 19,426 |
| | 23,678 | 26,936 |
| | 24,212 | 26,936 |

The investment properties, leasehold land and buildings, plant and machinery and equipment held have committed tenants for terms ranging from two to nineteen years (2014: two to nineteen years).

37. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

| | 20 HK\$*(|)15)00 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|--------------|------------|------------------|
| Capital expenditure in respect of acquisition of property, plant and equipment contracted for but not provided in | | | |
| the consolidated financial statements | 17, | 172 | 1,641 |

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38. RETIREMENT BENEFITS SCHEMES

The Group participates in both a defined contribution scheme which is registered under the Occupational Retirement Scheme Ordinance (the "ORSO Scheme") and a Mandatory Provident Fund Scheme (the "MPF Scheme") established under the Mandatory Provident Fund Ordinance in December 2000. The assets of the schemes are held separately from those of the Group, in funds under the control of independent trustees. Employees who were members of the ORSO Scheme prior to the establishment of the MPF Scheme were offered a choice of staying within the ORSO Scheme or switching to the MPF Scheme, whereas all new employees joining the Group on or after 1st December, 2000 are required to join the MPF Scheme.

For members of the MPF Scheme, the Group contributes at 5% of relevant payroll costs with maximum of HK\$1,500 per month to the scheme.

Where there are employees who leave the ORSO Scheme prior to vesting fully in the contributions, the contributions payable by the Group are reduced by the amount of forfeited contributions.

Employees located in the PRC are covered by the retirement and pension schemes defined by local practice and regulations and which are essentially defined contribution schemes.

During the year, the Group made retirement benefits scheme contributions of HK\$11,699,000 (2014: HK\$11,190,000) after forfeited contributions utilised in the Group's ORSO Scheme of HK\$16,000 (2014: HK\$14,000).

39. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year, the Group entered into the following transactions with its related parties:

| | Trade p | urchases | Trade | e sales | Interest | t income | Sundry | income | Sales property and equi | , plant |
|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
| A joint venture | 539 | 578 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | _ |
| An associate | - | _ | 80 | - | 35 | - | 13 | - | 2,200 | - |

Compensation of key management personnel

The Group's key management personnel are all directors, details of their remuneration are disclosed in note 11. Their remuneration is determined by the remuneration committee having regard to the performance of individuals and market trends.

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40. MAJOR NON-CASH TRANSACTION

During the year, the Group entered into finance lease arrangements in respect of assets with a total capital value at the inception of the leases of HK\$673,000 (2014: HK\$2,629,000).

41. CAPITAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Group manages its capital to ensure that entities in the Group will be able to continue as a going concern while maximising the return to shareholders through the optimisation of the debt and equity balance. The Group's overall strategy remains unchanged from prior year.

The capital structure of the Group consists of net debt, which includes the bank borrowings disclosed in note 28, net of cash and cash equivalents, and equity attributable to shareholders of the Company, comprising issued share capital, share premium, reserves and retained profits. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries are subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

The directors of the Company review the capital structure periodically. As a part of this review, the directors of the Company consider the cost of capital and the risks associated with each class of capital. Based on recommendations of the management of the Group, the Group will balance its overall capital structure through the payment of dividends, new share issues and share buy-backs as well as the issue of new debt or the repayment of existing debt, if necessary.

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

(a) Categories of financial instruments

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Financial assets | | |
| Loans and receivables (including cash and cash equivalents) | 986,333 | 1,232,123 |
| Derivative financial instruments | - | 33 |
| Available-for-sale investment | 2,754 | - |
| Financial liabilities | | |
| At amortised cost | 570,342 | 1,034,102 |
| Derivative financial instruments | 12,660 | 12,670 |
| Obligation arising from a put option to non-controlling shareholders | 31,050 | 31,050 |

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(b) Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Group's major financial instruments include deposits placed at insurance companies, trade and other receivables, time deposits with maturity over three months, bank balances and cash, amount due from a joint venture/an associate, trade and other payables, obligation arising from a put option to non-controlling shareholders, derivative financial instruments, borrowings and amounts due to non-controlling shareholders. Details of the financial instruments are disclosed in respective notes.

The management monitors and manages the financial risks relating to the operations of the Group through internal risk assessment which analyses exposures by degree and magnitude of risks. The risks include market risk (including currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The policies on how to mitigate these risks are set out below. The management manages and monitors these exposures to ensure appropriate measures are implemented on a timely and effective manner.

The Group's activities expose primarily to the financial risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates. There has been no change to the Group's exposure to market risks or the manner in which it manages and measures.

(c) Foreign currency risk management

Several subsidiaries of the Company have foreign currency sales and purchases, which expose the Group to foreign currency risk. The Group also has trade and other receivables, trade and other payables and borrowings denominated in foreign currencies.

(i) Non-derivative foreign currency monetary assets and monetary liabilities

The carrying amounts of the Group's foreign currency denominated monetary assets and monetary liabilities at the reporting date are as follows:

| | Assets | | Liabi | lities |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 |
| | | | | |
| Hong Kong dollars | 2,244 | 160 | - | - |
| United States dollars | 66,761 | 30,329 | 47,815 | 414,534 |
| Renminbi | 29,642 | 39,100 | 241 | 317 |
| Others | 4,133 | 1,374 | 403 | 389 |

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(c) Foreign currency risk management (continued)

(i) Non-derivative foreign currency monetary assets and monetary liabilities (continued)

Foreign currency sensitivity

The directors consider that the exposure of Hong Kong dollars against United States dollars is limited as Hong Kong dollars is pegged to United States dollars and the Group is mainly exposed to the currency risk of Renminbi against Hong Kong dollars and United States dollars; and Hong Kong dollars against Renminbi.

The following table details the Group's sensitivity to a 5% (2014: 5%) increase in the functional currencies of the relevant group entities against the foreign currencies. 5% (2014: 5%) is the sensitivity rate used in management's assessment of the possible change in foreign exchange rates. The sensitivity analysis includes only outstanding foreign currency denominated monetary items and adjusts their translation at the year end for a 5% (2014: 5%) change in foreign currency rates. A negative number indicates a decrease in profit before taxation where the functional currencies of the relevant group entities strengthen against the relevant foreign currencies. For a 5% (2014: 5%) weakening of the functional currencies of the relevant group entities, there would be an equal and opposite impact on the profit before taxation.

| | Profit before taxation | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------|--|
| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$′000 | |
| Foreign currencies | | | |
| Hong Kong dollars | (112) | (8) | |
| United States dollars | (177) | 19,210 | |
| Renminbi | (1,470) | (1,939) | |
| Others | (187) | (49) | |

In management's opinion, the sensitivity analysis is unrepresentative of the foreign exchange risk inherent in the financial assets and financial liabilities as the year end exposure does not reflect the exposure during the year.

(ii) Foreign currency forward contracts

During the year, the Group has entered into several foreign currency forward contracts with banks. These derivatives are not accounted for under hedge accounting. The Group is required to estimate the fair value of the foreign currency forward contracts at the end of each reporting period, which therefore exposed the Group to foreign currency risk.

Foreign currency sensitivity

The directors consider that the exposure of Hong Kong dollars against United States dollars is limited as Hong Kong dollars is pegged to United States dollars.

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(d) Interest rate risk management

The Group is exposed to fair value interest rate risk in relation to fixed-rate bank borrowings and obligations under finance leases (notes 28 and 29). The management will take appropriate measures to manage interest rate exposure if interest rate fluctuates significantly. The management considers the fair value interest rate risk to the Group is low.

The Group is exposed to cash flow interest rate risk due to the fluctuation of the prevailing market interest rate on variable-rate bank borrowings (note 28 for details of these borrowings).

The Group's exposures to interest rates on financial liabilities are detailed in the liquidity risk management section of this note. The Group's cash flow interest rate risk is mainly concentrated on the fluctuation of HIBOR, LIBOR, SIBOR, PBOC lending rate and Standard Bills Rate quoted by bank arising from the Group's borrowings denominated in Hong Kong dollars, United States dollars and Renminbi.

In addition, the management considers the interest rate risk in relation to the Group's put option derivative is minimal, accordingly, no sensitivity analysis is presented.

Sensitivity analysis

The sensitivity analysis below has been determined based on the exposure to interest rates for variable-rate bank borrowings and amount due from an associate. The analysis is prepared assuming the amount of liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period was existed for the whole year. A 50 (2014: 50) basis point increase or decrease represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible change in interest rates.

If interest rates had been 50 (2014: 50) basis points higher/lower and all other variables were held constant, the Group's profit before taxation for the year ended 31st December, 2015 would decrease/increase by HK\$1,547,000 (2014: HK\$3,532,000).

(e) Price risk management

Other price risk management

The Group is exposed to equity price risk through its investments in listed equity securities.

The Group's equity price risk is mainly concentrated on equity instruments quoted in the Frankfurt Stock Exchange. The management closely monitors the price risk and will consider hedging the risk exposure should the need arise. The management considers the exposure of other price risk for its equity investment is not significant. Accordingly, no sensitivity analysis is presented.

The Group's fair value exposure to its put option derivative is in relation to the changes in a discounted cash flow for a subsidiary's market value calculation. The management considers the exposure of other price risk for its put option derivative is not significant. Accordingly, no sensitivity analysis is presented.

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(f) Credit risk management

At the end of the reporting period, the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk which will cause a financial loss to the Group due to failure to discharge an obligation by the counterparties is arising from the carrying amount of the respective recognised financial assets as stated in the consolidated statement of financial position.

In order to minimise the credit risk, the Group has policies in place for determination of credit limits, credit approvals and other monitoring procedures to ensure that follow-up action is taken to recover overdue debts. In addition, the Group reviews the recoverable amount of each individual receivable at the end of each reporting period to ensure that adequate impairment losses are made for irrecoverable amounts. In this regard, the directors of the Company consider that the Group's credit risk is significantly reduced.

The Group has no significant concentration of credit risk on trade receivables, with exposure spread over a large number of counterparties and customers.

The credit risk on liquid funds is limited because the counterparties are banks with good reputation.

(g) Liquidity risk management

In the management of the liquidity risk, the Group monitors and maintains a level of cash and cash equivalents deemed adequate by the management to finance the Group's operations and mitigate the effects of fluctuations in cash flows. The management monitors the utilisation of bank borrowings and ensures compliance with loan covenants.

At the end of the reporting period, the Group has available unutilised short and long-term bank loan facilities of HK\$2,080,614,000 and HK\$56,808,000 (2014: HK\$1,549,476,000 and HK\$89,292,000) respectively.

The following table details the Group's remaining contractual maturity for its non-derivative financial liabilities. The table has been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the Group can be required to pay. Specifically, bank loans with a repayment on demand clause are included in the earliest time band regardless of the probability of the banks choosing to exercise their rights. The maturity dates for other non-derivative financial liabilities are based on the agreed repayment dates. The table includes both interest and principal cash flows. To the extent that interest flows are floating rate, the undiscounted amount is derived from interest rate at the end of the reporting period.

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(g) Liquidity risk management (continued)

In addition, the following table details the Group's liquidity analysis of its derivative financial instruments. The tables have been drawn up based on the undiscounted contractual net cash (inflows) and outflows on derivative instruments that settle on a net basis, and the undiscounted gross (inflows) and outflows on those derivatives that require gross settlement. The liquidity analysis for the Group's derivative financial instruments are prepared based on the contractual maturities as the management consider that the contractual maturities are essential for an understanding of the timing of the cash flows of derivatives.

| | Weighted average interest rate % | On demand or less than 3 months HK\$'000 | 4 – 12 months HK\$'000 | 1 – 2 years HK\$'000 | >2 – <3 years HK\$'000 | >3 – <5 years HK\$'000 | Total undiscounted cash flows HK\$'000 | Carrying amount at 31.12.2015 HK\$'000 |
|--|---|--|------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| 2015 | | | | | | | | |
| Non-derivative instruments | | 200 110 | | | | | 200 110 | 200 110 |
| Trade and other payables Bank borrowings | - | 209,119 | - | - | - | - | 209,119 | 209,119 |
| Fixed interest rate | 5.60 | 23,991 | - | - | - | _ | 23,991 | 23,872 |
| – Variable interest rate | 3.30 | 223,603 | 61,597 | 12,789 | 28,713 | - | 326,702 | 323,347 |
| Amounts due to non-controlling | | | | | | | | |
| shareholders | - | 14,004 | - | - | - | - | 14,004 | 14,004 |
| Obligations under finance leases | 4.60 | 270 | 740 | 047 | 542 | 224 | 2.667 | 2 504 |
| – Fixed interest rate | 4.60 | 270 | 713 | 817 | 543 | 324 | 2,667 | 2,504 |
| | | 470,987 | 62,310 | 13,606 | 29,256 | 324 | 576,483 | 572,846 |
| Put option derivative Obligation arising from a put | - | 12,660 | - | - | - | - | 12,660 | 12,660 |
| option to non-controlling shareholders | - | 31,050 | - | - | - | - | 31,050 | 31,050 |

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(g) Liquidity risk management (continued)

| | Weighted average interest rate % | On demand or less than 3 months HK\$'000 | 4 – 12 months HK\$'000 | 1 – 2 years HK\$'000 | >2 – <3 years HK\$'000 | >3 – <5 years HK\$'000 | Total undiscounted cash flows HK\$'000 | Carrying amount at 31.12.2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|---|--|------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| 2014 | | | | | | | | |
| Non-derivative instruments | | | | | | | | |
| Trade and other payables | - | 255,705 | - | - | - | - | 255,705 | 255,705 |
| Bank borrowings | | | | | | | | |
| – Fixed interest rate | 6.53 | 63,251 | - | - | - | - | 63,251 | 63,113 |
| Variable interest rate | 3.10 | 624,673 | 30,756 | 13,820 | 12,804 | 28,715 | 710,768 | 706,491 |
| Amounts due to non-controlling | | | | | | | | |
| shareholders | - | 8,793 | - | - | - | - | 8,793 | 8,793 |
| Obligations under finance leases | | | | | | | | |
| – Fixed interest rate | 4.00 | 219 | 657 | 775 | 607 | 693 | 2,951 | 2,731 |
| | | 952,641 | 31,413 | 14,595 | 13,411 | 29,408 | 1,041,468 | 1,036,833 |
| Put option derivative Obligation arising from a put | - | 12,670 | - | _ | - | - | 12,670 | 12,670 |
| option to non-controlling shareholders | - | 31,050 | - | - | - | _ | 31,050 | 31,050 |

Bank loans with a repayment on demand clause are included in the "on demand or less than 3 months" time band in the above maturity analysis. As at 31st December, 2015, the aggregate carrying amounts of these bank loans amounted to HK\$213,458,000 (2014: HK\$602,021,000). Taking into account the Group's financial position, the directors do not believe that it is probable that the banks will exercise their discretionary rights to demand immediate repayment. The directors believe that such bank loans will be repaid within one year after the reporting date in accordance with the scheduled repayment dates set out in the loan agreements. During that period, the aggregate principal and interest cash outflows will amount to HK\$214,844,000 (2014: HK\$606,371,000).

42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(g) Liquidity risk management (continued)

| | Maturity Analysis – Term loans subject to a repayment on demand clause based on scheduled repayments | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | | | Total undiscounted | | | | |
| | 0 – 3 | 4 – 6 | 7 – 12 | 1 – 2 | >2 – <3 | cash | | | | |
| | months | months | months | years | years | outflows | | | | |
| | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | HK\$'000 | | | | |
| 31st December, 2015 | 117,451 | 97,393 | _ | _ | - | 214,844 | | | | |
| 31st December, 2014 | 322,407 | 283,964 | _ | _ | _ | 606,371 | | | | |

The amounts included above for variable interest rate instruments for non-derivative financial liabilities is subject to change if changes in variable interest rates differ to those estimates of interest rates determined at the end of the reporting period.

(h) Fair value measurement of financial instruments

Fair value of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis

Some of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities are measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period. The following table gives information about how the fair values of these financial assets and financial liabilities are determined (in particular, the valuation technique(s) and inputs used), as well as the level of the fair value hierarchy into which the fair value measurements are categorised (levels 1 to 3) based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements is observable.

- Level 1 fair value measurements are those derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in active market for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2 fair value measurements are those derived from inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); and
- Level 3 fair value measurements are those derived from valuation techniques that include inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

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42. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(h) Fair value measurement of financial instruments (continued) Fair value of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis (continued)

| Financial assets/ financial liabilities | Fair value 31.12.2015 | e as at 31.12.2014 | Fair value hierarchy | Valuation technique(s) and key input(s) | Significant unobservable input(s) | Relationship of unobservable inputs to fair value |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--|---|--|
| Foreign currency forward contracts classified as derivative financial instruments in the consolidated statement of financial position | N/A | Assets – HK\$33,000 | Level 2 | Discounted cash flow. Future cash flows are estimated based on forward exchange rates (from observable forward exchange rates at the end of the reporting period) and contracted forward rates, discounted at a rate that reflects the credit risk of various counterparties | N/A | NA |
| Obligation arising from a put option to non- controlling shareholders in the consolidated statement of financial position | Liability – HK\$31,050,000 | Liability – HK\$31,050,000 | Level 2 | Reference to the unaudited consolidated net asset value of Fulwealth attributable to the Holders for the period up to the month immediately preceding the exercise date of the Put Option plus a premium of HK\$12,650,000 representing HK\$2.75 per option share with maximum aggregate consideration at HK\$31,050,000 | WA | N/A |
| Put option derivative classified as derivative financial instruments in the consolidated statement of financial position | Liability – HK\$12,660,000 | Liability – HK\$12,670,000 | Level 3 | Binomial Option Pricing Model The key inputs are equity value of Fulwealth, exercise price, risk-free rate, exercise period, dividend yield, and volatility of the shares of Fulwealth | Equity value of Fulwealth is derived by income approach, HK\$3.988 per share. The key inputs are unaudited consolidated net asset value and cash flow forecast of Fulwealth and expected return from the investors of 16.97% per annum developed using Capital Asset Pricing Model. Volatility is based on the average of the implied volatility of the comparable stocks, of 35.02%. | A slight increase in the unaudited consolidated net asset value, would result in a slight decrease in the fair value, and vice versa. A slight increase in the forecasted profit would result in a slight decrease in the fair value, and vice versa. A slight increase in the expected return from the investors would result in a slight increase in the fair value, and vice versa. A slight increase in the volatility would result in a slight increase in the fair value, and vice versa. |

The directors consider that the carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities recorded at amortised cost in the consolidated financial statements approximate their fair values.

43. PARTICULARS OF THE PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY

General information of principal subsidiaries

| Name of company | Place ofIssued andProportion ofForm ofincorporation/fully paid shareownership interestbusinessprincipal placecapital/paid upand voting rightsppanystructureof businessregistered capitalheld by the Group | | p interest ng rights | Principal activities | | |
|--|---|-----------|--|----------------------|------|---|
| | | | 5 1 | 2015 | 2014 | • |
| Advance Concord Development Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$1,000,000 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Property holding |
| China Rope Holdings Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$10,000 Ordinary shares HK\$18,162,854 Non-voting deferred shares | 100% | 100% | Investment holding |
| Dah Bang Printing Ink Manufactory Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$10,000 Ordinary shares HK\$10,100,000 Non-voting deferred shares** | 95% | 95% | Investment holding and sales of printing materials, spare parts and machines |
| Fulwealth Metal Factory Limited * | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$20,000,000 Ordinary shares | 77% | 77% | Investment holding and operating decoiling centres |
| Golik Concrete Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$60,000,000 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Investment holding and operating concrete batching plants |
| Golik Concrete (HK) Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$2,000,000 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Sales of ready mixed concrete |
| Golik Concrete Supplies Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$2 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Sale of ready mixed concrete, and manufacturing and sale of other concrete products |
| Golik Godown Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$2 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Provision of warehouse services |
| Golik Metal Industrial Company Limited * | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$10,000 Ordinary shares HK\$5,135,000 Non-voting deferred shares** | 100% | 100% | Investment holding and sales of metal products and plastic materials |

43. PARTICULARS OF THE PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (continued)

General information of principal subsidiaries (continued)

| Name of company | Form of business structure | Place of incorporation/ principal place of business | Issued and fully paid share capital/paid up registered capital | Proportion of ownership interest and voting rights held by the Group | | Principal activities | |
|---|---|--|---|---|-------|--|--|
| | | | | 2015 | 2014 | | |
| Golik Metal Manufacturing Co. Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$30,000,000 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Manufacturing and sales of reinforcing mesh and metal products, and rebar processing | |
| Golik Properties Limited * | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$2 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Property investment | |
| Golik Steel (HK) Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$750,000,000 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Investment and properties holding, sales of steel bars and construction materials and provision for handling services | |
| Jiangmen Golik Metal Manufacturing Co., Ltd. | Wholly foreign owned enterprise | PRC | HK\$15,500,000 Registered capital | 100% | 100% | Manufacturing and sales of metal products | |
| Orient Smart Industrial Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$20,000,000 Ordinary shares | 53.5% | 53.5% | Sales of PVC plastic products | |
| Supreme Enterprises, Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$10,000 Ordinary shares | 100% | 100% | Property investment | |
| The Spacers & Bar Chairs Manufacturer Company Limited | Incorporated | Hong Kong | HK\$800,000 Ordinary shares | 80% | 80% | Manufacturing and sales of construction materials | |
| Tianjin Goldsun Wire Rope Ltd. ("TJ Goldsun") | Sino-foreign equity joint venture | PRC | RMB60,000,000 Registered capital | 70.5% | 70.5% | Manufacturing and sales of steel wire ropes for elevators | |
| 鶴山恒基鋼絲制品 有限公司 | Wholly foreign owned enterprise | PRC | US\$6,380,000 Registered capital | 100% | 100% | Manufacturing and sales of steel wire products and steel ropes | |

43. PARTICULARS OF THE PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (continued)

| Name of company | Form of business structure | Place of incorporation/ principal place of business | lssued and fully paid share capital/paid up registered capital | Proportion of ownership interest and voting rights held by the Group | | Principal activities |
|------------------|---|--|---|---|------|---|
| | | | | 2015 | 2014 | |
| 廣東水利混凝土有限公司 | Wholly foreign owned enterprise | PRC | RMB27,800,000 Registered capital | 100% | 100% | Operating a concrete batching plant |
| 鶴山高力金屬制品 有限公司 | Sino-foreign equity joint venture | PRC | US\$3,380,000 Registered capital | 100% | 100% | Manufacturing and sales of reinforcing mesh and metal products |

General information of principal subsidiaries (continued)

* Subsidiaries held directly by the Company.

** The deferred shares, which are not held by the Group, practically carry no right to dividend or to receive notice of or to attend or vote at any general meeting of the respective company or to participate in any distribution on winding up except authorised by Articles of Association.

Note:

The above table lists the subsidiaries of the Company which, in the opinion of the directors, principally affected the results or assets of the Group. To give details of other subsidiaries would, in the opinion of the directors, result in particulars of excessive length.

None of the subsidiaries had any debt security outstanding at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

43. PARTICULARS OF THE PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (continued)

Details of non-wholly owned subsidiaries that have material non-controlling interests

Details of TJ Goldsun and its subsidiary ("TJ Goldsun Group") and Fulwealth and its subsidiaries ("Fulwealth Group"), non-wholly owned subsidiaries with material non-controlling interests, and other individually immaterial subsidiaries with non-controlling interests are set out below.

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Profit allocated to non-controlling interests of | | |
| TJ Goldsun Group | 12,145 | 11,693 |
| Fulwealth Group | 2,877 | 3,578 |
| Individually immaterial subsidiaries | (6,314) | (1,961) |
| | 8,708 | 13,310 |
| Accumulated non-controlling interests | | |
| TJ Goldsun Group | 60,637 | 54,891 |
| Fulwealth Group | (10,825) | (4,105) |
| Individually immaterial subsidiaries | (16,003) | (9,689) |
| | 33,809 | 41,097 |

43. PARTICULARS OF THE PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (continued)

Details of non-wholly owned subsidiaries that have material non-controlling interests *(continued)* Summarised financial information in respect of TJ Goldsun Group and Fulwealth Group are set out below. The summarised financial information below represents the amounts before intra-group eliminations.

TJ Goldsun Group

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Current assets | 213,288 | 238,735 |
| Non-current assets | 161,961 | 185,389 |
| Current liabilities | (168,155) | (236,504) |
| Total equity | 207,094 | 187,620 |
| Revenue | 543,916 | 547,867 |
| Expenses | (502,746) | (508,230) |
| Profit for the year | 41,170 | 39,637 |
| Other comprehensive expense for the year | (11,861) | (585) |
| Total comprehensive income for the year | 29,309 | 39,052 |
| Dividend paid | (9,835) | (6,348) |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities | 68,556 | 67,512 |
| Net cash outflow from investing activities | (3,223) | (12,730) |
| Net cash outflow from financing activities | (68,446) | (27,238) |
| Net cash (outflow) inflow | (3,113) | 27,544 |

43. PARTICULARS OF THE PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY (continued)

Details of non-wholly owned subsidiaries that have material non-controlling interests (continued)

Fulwealth Group

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Current assets | 197,111 | 225,418 |
| Non-current assets | 32,496 | 34,082 |
| Current liabilities | (144,677) | (146,432) |
| Non-current liabilities | (2,394) | (2,394) |
| Total equity | 82,536 | 110,674 |
| Revenue | 304,082 | 395,258 |
| Expenses | (290,494) | (379,638) |
| Profit for the year | 13,588 | 15,620 |
| Other comprehensive expense for the year | (3,726) | (192) |
| Total comprehensive income for the year | 9,862 | 15,428 |
| Dividend paid | (38,000) | (15,000) |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities | 54,737 | 55,791 |
| Net cash inflow (outflow) from investing activities | 323 | (279) |
| Net cash outflow from financing activities | (34,304) | (72,686) |
| Net cash inflow (outflow) | 20,756 | (17,174) |

44. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESERVES OF THE COMPANY

| | 2015 HK\$'000 | 2014 HK\$'000 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Non-current Assets | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 1,025 | 858 |
| Investments in subsidiaries | 471,152 | 266,361 |
| Available-for-sale investment (note 21) | 2,754 | - |
| Deposits placed at insurance companies | 7,722 | 7,295 |
| Rental deposits | 1,562 | 780 |
| Deposits paid for acquisition of property, plant and equipment | 305 | |
| | 484,520 | 275,294 |
| Current Assets | | |
| Deposits, prepayments and other receivables | 1,717 | 1,113 |
| Amounts due from subsidiaries | 260,954 | 419,163 |
| Bank balances and cash | 6,058 | 4,585 |
| | 268,729 | 424,861 |
| | 200,729 | 424,001 |
| Current Liabilities | | |
| Accruals and other payables | 3,239 | 7,981 |
| Amounts due to subsidiaries | 163,056 | 141,783 |
| Put option derivative | 12,901 | 12,912 |
| Financial guarantee contracts liabilities | 11,125 | 9,887 |
| | 190,321 | 172,563 |
| | | 252.202 |
| Net Current Assets | 78,408 | 252,298 |
| | 562,928 | 527,592 |
| Capital and Reserves | | |
| Share capital | 56,192 | 56,192 |
| Reserves | 506,736 | 471,400 |
| | | |
| | 562,928 | 527,592 |

The Company's statement of financial position was approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 23rd March, 2016 and are signed on its behalf by:

PANG TAK CHUNG DIRECTOR HO WAI YU, SAMMY DIRECTOR

44. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESERVES OF THE COMPANY (continued) MOVEMENT OF RESERVES

| | Share premium HK\$'000 | Contribution surplus HK\$'000 | Investment revaluation reserve HK\$'000 | Retained profits HK\$'000 | Total HK\$'000 |
|---|------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| At 1st January, 2014 | 316,466 | 65,891 | _ | 98,857 | 481,214 |
| Profit and total comprehensive | | | | | |
| income for the year | - | - | - | 14,349 | 14,349 |
| Dividend paid | | - | - | (24,163) | (24,163) |
| At 31st December, 2014 | 316,466 | 65,891 | _ | 89,043 | 471,400 |
| Profit and total comprehensive income for the year | - | - | - | 60,678 | 60,678 |
| Fair value gain on available-for-sale investment | _ | _ | 2,754 | _ | 2,754 |
| Dividend paid | | _ | - | (28,096) | (28,096) |
| At 31st December, 2015 | 316,466 | 65,891 | 2,754 | 121,625 | 506,736 |