## **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY**

## Six months ended 30 September

(in HK\$'000)	Note	2004 (Unaudited)		2003 (Unaudited)	
Shareholders' equity at the beginning of the period As previously reported			194,959		149,085
Prior period adjustment arising from change in accounting policy for					
deferred tax					1,016
As restated  Net profit for the period			194,959 29,607		150,101 9,740
Dividends declared or approved during the period	4		(11,247)		(5,610)
Movements in share capital and reserves					
Shares issued under share option scheme		7		_	
Share premium received Decrease in land & buildings revaluation reserve due to		764		-	
disposal of land & buildings		(1,282)			
Net decrease in shareholders' equity arising from movements			(E11)		
in share capital and reserves			(511)		
Shareholders' equity at the end of the period	i		212,808		154,231

The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements.