

華 億 金 控 集 團 有 限 公 司 SINOFORTUNE FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) (Stock code: 08123)

ANNUAL RESULTS ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

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HIGHLIGHTS

The Group recorded a revenue of approximately HK\$180,815,000 for the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: approximately HK\$24,182,000).

Loss for the year ended 31 December 2022 was approximately HK\$30,672,000 (2021: approximately HK\$32,102,000).

Loss attributable to owners of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2022 amounted to approximately HK\$30,660,000 (2021: approximately HK\$32,090,000).

Basic loss per share was 0.40 HK cents (2021: 0.41 HK cents).

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend for the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: Nil).

FINAL RESULTS

The board of Directors of the Company (the "Board") announces the audited consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the year ended 31 December 2022 together with the comparative audited figures for the year ended 31 December 2021.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 December 2022

		2022	2021
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Revenue	4	180,815	24,182
Other income and losses, net	6	(2,719)	(6,064)
Changes in inventories of finished goods		(178,396)	(21,527)
Other direct costs		(70)	(182)
Employee benefit expenses		(13,797)	(14,081)
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment		(2,119)	(2,125)
Depreciation of right-of-use assets		(1,303)	(1,456)
Amortisation of intangible assets		_	(3)
Impairment loss recognised on trade receivables		(1,331)	_
Impairment loss on trade deposits paid and			
other receivables reversed		_	3,844
Other expenses	8	(10,704)	(14,622)
Finance costs	7	(1,230)	(250)
Loss before income tax	8	(30,854)	(32,284)
Income tax credit	9	182	182
Loss for the year		(30,672)	(32,102)
Other comprehensive (loss)/income			
Item that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss:			
Exchange differences arising on translation of			
foreign operations	-	(10,543)	4,109
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the year, net of tax	-	(10,543)	4,109
Total comprehensive loss for the year	<u>.</u>	(41,215)	(27,993)

	Note	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Loss for the year attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(30,660)	(32,090)
Non-controlling interests	-	(12)	(12)
	:	(30,672)	(32,102)
Total comprehensive loss for the year attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		(41,186)	(27,987)
Non-controlling interests	-	(29)	(6)
	:	(41,215)	(27,993)
		2022	2021
		HK cent	HK cent
Loss per share	10		
Basic loss per share		(0.40)	(0.41)
Diluted loss per share	:	N/A	N/A

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

At 31 December 2022

		2022	2021
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment		22,811	24,791
Right-of-use assets		1,611	1,244
Statutory deposits and other assets		405	405
Interests in associates		1,146	682
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	11	3,967	10,854
Rental and other deposits paid	-	1,576	1,707
	-	31,516	39,683
Current assets			
Inventories		39	42
Trade receivables	12	2,509	2,172
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	11	759	1,448
Prepayments, deposits and other receivables		159,055	130,893
Pledged deposits		-	60,971
Bank balances and cash - trust accounts		5,940	6,116
Bank balances and cash – general accounts	-	32,986	54,242
	-	201,288	255,884
Current liabilities			
Trade and bill payables	13	6,157	69,703
Other payables and accruals		1,589	1,458
Contract liabilities		46,920	19,237
Provisions	14	11,725	12,700
Other borrowings		25,000	_
Lease liabilities	-	535	1,282
	-	91,926	104,380

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 HK\$'000
Net current assets	109,362	151,504
Total assets less current liabilities	140,878	191,187
Non-current liabilities		
Other borrowings	_	10,000
Lease liabilities	1,088	_
Deferred tax liabilities	2,381	2,563
	3,469	12,563
Net assets	137,409	178,624
Conital and resource		
Capital and reserves	77 400	77 480
Share capital	77,489	77,489
Reserves	59,729	100,915
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	137,218	178,404
Non-controlling interests	191	220
Total equity	137,409	178,624

NOTES:

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Sinofortune Financial Holdings Limited (the "Company") was incorporated as an exempted company with limited liability in the Cayman Islands under the Companies Law of the Cayman Islands. The Company's registered office is situated at Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman, KY1-1111, Cayman Islands. The Company's principal place of business is situated at 16th Floor, CMA Building, 64-66 Connaught Road Central, Hong Kong.

In the opinion of the directors of the Company, the ultimate controlling party of the Company is Mr. Wang Jiawei, the Chairman and executive director of the Company.

The Company's shares are listed on GEM of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange").

The Group, comprising the Company and its subsidiaries, is principally engaged in (i) provision of securities and futures contracts trading services in Hong Kong, (ii) trading of listed securities in Hong Kong, and (iii) sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing in the People's Republic of China ("PRC") excluding Hong Kong.

The functional currency of the Company is Hong Kong dollar ("HK\$"). The consolidated financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars as management of the Company considered it more beneficial to users of the consolidated financial statements. All values stated in these consolidated financial statements are rounded to the nearest thousands Hong Kong dollars (HK\$'000), unless otherwise stated.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Basis of preparation of consolidated financial statements

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"). For the purpose of preparation of the consolidated financial statements, information is considered material if such information is reasonably expected to influence decisions made by primary users. In addition, the consolidated financial statements include applicable disclosures required by the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on GEM of the Stock Exchange ("GEM Listing Rules") and by the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

3. APPLICATION OF AMENDMENTS TO HKFRSs

Amendments to HKFRSs that are mandatorily effective for the current year

In the current year, the Group has applied the following amendments to HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA for the first time, which are mandatorily effective for the annual period beginning on 1 January 2022 for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements:

Amendments to HKFRS 3	Reference to the Conceptual Framework
Amendment to HKFRS 16	Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions beyond 30 June 2021
Amendments to HKAS 16	Property, Plant and Equipment - Proceeds before Intended Use
Amendments to HKAS 37	Onerous Contracts - Cost of Fulfilling a Contract
Amendments to HKFRSs	Annual Improvements to HKFRSs 2018-2020

Impacts on application of Amendments to HKAS 37 Onerous Contracts – Cost of Fulfilling a Contract

The Group has applied the amendments for the first time in the current year. The amendments specify that, when an entity assesses whether a contract is onerous in accordance with HKAS 37, the unavoidable costs under a contract should reflect the least net cost of exiting from the contract, which is the lower of the cost of fulfilling it and any compensation or penalties arising from failure to fulfil it. Costs of fulfilling the contract include incremental costs and an allocation of other costs that relate directly to fulfilling contracts (e.g. an allocation of the depreciation charge for an item of property, plant and equipment used in fulfilling the contract).

In accordance with the transitional provisions, the amendments are applicable to contracts for which the Group has not yet fulfilled all its obligations as at the date of initial application, 1 January 2022. Specifically, the Group's assessment of onerous contracts is applied in relation to purchase of motor vehicles.

The application of the amendments in the current year has had no impact on the Group's financial positions and performance.

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

New and amendments to HKFRSs in issue but not yet effective

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

HKFRS 17 (including the October 2020 and	Insurance Contracts ¹
February 2022 Amendments to HKFRS 17)	
Amendments to HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28	Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture ²
Amendments to HKFRS 16	Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback ³
Amendments to HKAS 1	Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current and
	related amendments to Hong Kong Interpretation 5 (2020) 1
Amendments to HKAS 1 and HKFRS Practice	Disclosure of Accounting Policies ¹
Statement 2	
Amendments to HKAS 8	Definition of Accounting Estimates ¹
Amendments to HKAS 12	Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a
	Single Transaction ¹

¹ Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023.

² Effective for annual periods beginning or after a date to be determined.

³ Effective for annual periods beginning on or 1 January 2024.

Except for the new and amendments to HKFRSs mentioned below, the directors of the Company anticipate that the application of these new and amendments to HKFRSs, which are not yet effective, will have no material impact on the consolidated financial statements in the foreseeable future.

Amendments to HKAS 1 and HKFRS Practice Statement 2 Disclosure of Accounting Policies

HKAS 1 is amended to replace all instances of the term "significant accounting policies" with "material accounting policy information". Accounting policy information is material if, when considered together with other information included in an entity's financial statements, it can reasonably be expected to influence decisions that the primary users of general purpose financial statements make on the basis of those financial statements.

The amendments also clarify that accounting policy information may be material because of the nature of the related transactions, other events or conditions, even if the amounts are immaterial. However, not all accounting policy information relating to material transactions, other events or conditions is itself material. If an entity chooses to disclose immaterial accounting policy information, such information must not obscure material accounting policy information.

HKFRS Practice Statement 2 Making Materiality Judgements (the "Practice Statement") is also amended to illustrate how an entity applies the "four-step materiality process" to accounting policy disclosures and to judge whether information about an accounting policy is material to its financial statements. Guidance and examples are added to the Practice Statement.

The application of the amendments is not expected to have significant impact on the financial position or performance of the Group but may affect the disclosures of the Group's significant accounting policies. The impacts of application, if any, will be disclosed in the Group's future consolidated financial statements.

Amendments to HKAS 8 Definition of Accounting Estimates

The amendments define accounting estimates as "monetary amounts in financial statements that are subject to measurement uncertainty". An accounting policy may require items in financial statements to be measured in a way that involves measurement uncertainty – that is, the accounting policy may require such items to be measured at monetary amounts that cannot be observed directly and must instead be estimated. In such a case, an entity develops an accounting estimate to achieve the objective set out by the accounting policy. Developing accounting estimates involves the use of judgements or assumptions based on the latest available, reliable information.

In addition, the concept of changes in accounting estimates in HKAS 8 is retained with additional clarifications.

The application of the amendments is not expected to have significant impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements.

4. **REVENUE**

Disaggregation of revenue

Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers by major products or service lines is as follows:

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$`000</i>
Revenue from contracts with customers within the scope of HKFRS 15		
Disaggregated by major products or service lines		
Commission income from securities and futures brokerage services	401	796
Sales of motor vehicles where the Group acts as principal	180,391	21,573
Agency and service fees income from accessories sourcing	8	1,720
	180,800	24,089
Revenue from other sources		
Interest income from securities and futures brokerage services	15	93
Total revenue	180,815	24,182
Disaggregated by timing of revenue recognition within the scope		
of HKFRS 15		
Over time	-	_
At point in time	180,800	24,089
	180,800	24,089

Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers by geographical markets is disclosed in note 5.

5. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The executive directors of the Company (the "Executive Directors") are regarded as the chief operating decision-maker. The Executive Directors review the Group's internal reporting in order to assess performance and allocate resources. Operating segments were determined based on these reports.

Specifically, the Group's reportable segments are as follows:

- 1. Brokerage and securities margin financing services provision of brokerage and securities margin financing services
- 2. Trading of listed securities securities trading
- 3. Sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing trading of motor vehicles, and provision of agency and related services

Segment revenue and results

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

For the year ended 31 December 2022

			Sales of motor	
	Brokerage		vehicles,	
	and		provision of	
	securities		agency	
	margin	Trading	services and	
	financing	of listed	accessories	
	services	securities	sourcing	Total
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Segment revenue				
External sales	416	_	180,399	180,815
Inter-segment sales	<u> </u>			
	416		180,399	180,815
Segment loss	(819)	(4,175)	(1,699)	(6,693)
Interest income				15
Other income and losses, net				(5,649)
Unallocated expenses				(17,297)
Finance costs			_	(1,230)
Loss before income tax				(30,854)
Income tax credit			_	182
Loss for the year			=	(30,672)

			Sales of	
			motor	
	Brokerage		vehicles,	
	and		provision of	
	securities		agency	
	margin	Trading	services and	
	financing	of listed	accessories	
	services	securities	sourcing	Total
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Segment revenue				
External sales	889	_	23,293	24,182
Inter-segment sales		_		
inter segment sales				
	889		23,293	24,182
Segment (loss)/profit	(1,185)	(3,361)	491	(4,055)
Interest income				291
Other income and losses, net				(6,846)
Unallocated expenses				(21,424)
Finance costs			-	(250)
Loss before income tax				(32,284)
Income tax credit				182
			-	102
Loss for the year			-	(32,102)

The measure used for reporting segment profits or losses is adjusted loss before interest and income tax. To arrive at the adjusted loss, the Group's loss is further adjusted for items not specifically attributed to individual segments, such as fair value loss on unlisted equity investment, certain interest income and head office or corporate administration costs.

Other segment information is as follows:

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	Brokerage and securities margin financing services <i>HK\$'000</i>	Trading of listed securities <i>HK\$'000</i>	Sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing <i>HK\$'000</i>	Unallocated HK\$'000	Total <i>HK\$'000</i>
Additions to property, plant and equipment			16	182	198
Depreciation and amortisation	12		201	3,209	3,422
Fair value loss on listed equity securities		689			689
Fair value loss on unlisted equity investment				6,217	6,217
Impairment loss recognised on trade receivables			1,331		1,331
Impairment loss on trade deposits paid and other receivables reversed					
Write off of property, plant and equipment				2	2
Write off of trade receivables			430		430
Interest income			(2,262)	(15)	(2,277)

			Sales of motor		
	Brokerage		vehicles,		
	and		provision of		
	securities		agency		
	margin	Trading	services and		
	financing	of listed	accessories		
	services	securities	sourcing	Unallocated	Total
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Additions to property, plant and equipment	14		8		22
Depreciation and amortisation	11		178	3,395	3,584
Fair value gain on listed equity securities		(250)			(250)
Fair value loss on unlisted equity investment				6,735	6,735
Impairment loss recognised on trade receivables					
Impairment loss on trade deposits paid and other receivables reversed			(3,135)	(709)	(3,844)
Write off of property, plant and equipment				17	17
Write off of trade receivables					
Interest income			(35)	(291)	(326)

The segment assets and segment liabilities of the Group as at 31 December 2022 and 2021 are analysed as follows:

Segment assets	2022	2021
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Brokerage and securities margin financing services	22,267	26,676
Trading of listed securities	762	1,600
Sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing	164,430	198,787
Total reportable segment assets	187,459	227,063
Unallocated assets	45,345	68,504
Consolidated assets	232,804	295,567
Segment liabilities	2022	2021
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Brokerage and securities margin financing services	6,397	6,582
Trading of listed securities	_	_
Sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing	59,366	95,385
Total reportable segment liabilities	65,763	101,967
Unallocated liabilities	29,632	14,976
Consolidated liabilities	95,395	116,943

Segment assets consist primarily of certain property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, right-of-use assets, statutory deposits and other assets, certain inventories, trade receivables, certain prepayments, deposits and other receivables, pledged deposits, certain financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and certain bank balances and cash.

Segment liabilities consists primarily of trade and bill payables, certain other payables and accruals, contract liabilities, other borrowings, provisions and lease liabilities.

Geographical information

The Group mainly operates in the PRC, including Hong Kong. Revenue from external customers are allocated based on the geographical areas in which the customers are located.

An analysis of the Group's revenue and non-current assets (excluding financial assets) by geographical location are as follows:

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$`000</i>
Revenue from external customers		
Hong Kong	416	889
The PRC, excluding Hong Kong	180,399	23,293
	180,815	24,182
Non-current assets (excluding financial assets)		
Hong Kong	21,522	23,166
The PRC, excluding Hong Kong	6,027	5,663
	27,549	28,829

The geographical location of non-current assets (excluding financial assets) is based on the physical location of assets (in the case of property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets), the location of the operations to which they are allocated (in the case of intangible assets, statutory deposits and other assets, rental and other deposits paid), and location of operations (in the case of interests in associates).

Information about major customers

Revenue from customers contributing over 10% of the Group revenue is as follows:

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing		
Customer A	54,266	N/A [#]
Customer B	40,578	N/A [#]
Customer C	28,344	N/A [#]
Customer D	N/A*	9,112
Customer E	N/A*	6,944
Customer F	N/A*	2,684

* Each of the customer D, customer E and customer F did not contribute over 10% of the Group's revenue for the year ended 31 December 2022.

[#] Each of the customer A, customer B and customer C did not contribute over 10% of the Group's revenue for the year ended 31 December 2021.

6. OTHER INCOME AND LOSSES, NET

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Other income		
CCASS fee income	12	21
Interest income from bank deposits	2,277	54
Other interest income (Note a)	_	272
Government grants and subsidies (Note b)	412	_
Sundry income (Note c)	1,188	118
	3,889	465
Other gains and losses		
Fair value (loss)/gain on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		
- listed equity securities	(689)	250
- unlisted equity investment	(6,217)	(6,735)
	(6,906)	(6,485)
Exchange gains/(losses), net	292	(27)
Gain on lease termination	8	_
Write off of property, plant and equipment	(2)	(17)
Other losses, net	(6,608)	(6,529)
Other income and losses, net	(2,719)	(6,064)

Notes:

- (a) The other interest income of the Group for the prior year ended 31 December 2021 arose from the short-term advances made by the Group to its customers and certain third parties, which were fully repaid up to the end of that year.
- (b) The conditions for the government grants and subsidies have been fulfilled by the Group up to the end of the reporting period.
- (c) In previous years, the Group had paid earnest money amounted to a total of RMB20,000,000 for the proposed acquisition of a PRC entity and such earnest money was recognised as an expenses for the prior year ended 31 December 2017. During the current year, the earnest money previously paid to the extent of RMB1,000,000 equivalent to HK\$1,156,000 (2021: Nil) was refunded to the Group which was included in sundry income.

7. **FINANCE COSTS**

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 HK\$'000
Interest on bank borrowings	_	1
Interest on lease liabilities	48	97
Interest on other borrowings	1,182	152
	1,230	250
LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAX		

8. OSS BEFORE INCO

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Loss before income tax has been arrived at after charging:		
Auditor's remuneration		
– audit services	630	600
– non-audit services	100	100
Legal and professional fees	620	607
Consultancy fees	1,558	3,838
Exhibition and marketing fee	361	580
Write off of trade receivables	430	_

The above expenses are included in other expenses presented in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

9. **INCOME TAX CREDIT**

	2022 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2021 HK\$'000
Current tax Deferred tax credit	(182)	(182)
Income tax credit	(182)	(182)

No provision for Hong Kong profits tax and PRC enterprise income tax has been made in the consolidated financial statements as the group companies incurred tax losses for the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: Nil).

10. LOSS PER SHARE

(a) Basic loss per share

The calculation of the basic loss per share attributable to owners of the Company is based on the following data:

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Loss for the purpose of basic loss per share		
Loss for the year attributable to owners of the Company	(30,660)	(32,090)
	2022	2021
	'000	'000
Number of shares for the purpose of basic loss per share		
Number of ordinary shares in issue during the year	7,748,958	7,748,958

(b) Diluted loss per share

No diluted loss per share for both of the years ended 31 December 2022 and 2021 is presented as there were no potential ordinary shares in issue for both of the years.

11. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 HK\$'000
Fair value:		
Equity securities listed in Hong Kong	759	1,448
Unlisted equity investment	3,967	10,854
	4,726	12,302
Analysed for reporting as:		
Non-current assets	3,967	10,854
Current assets	759	1,448
	4,726	12,302

12. TRADE RECEIVABLES

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Trade receivables arising from securities brokerage business:		
Margin clients	165	-
Cash clients	150	41
Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company ("HKSCC") (net)		214
	315	255
Trade receivables arising from trading of motor vehicles:		
Gross receivable	3,490	1,917
Less: impairment losses recognised	(1,296)	
	2,194	1,917
	2,509	2,172

Receivables arising from margin clients

Trade receivables from margin clients at 31 December 2022 are repayable on demand, bearing interest at prevailing market rates and are secured by clients' pledged securities which are listed on the Stock Exchange with a total market value of approximately HK\$10,214,000 (2021: Nil) as at that date. The Group considers that the credit risk arising from the receivables from margin clients is significantly mitigated by the client's pledged securities.

Receivables arising from cash clients and HKSCC

The settlement terms of the receivables arising from cash clients and HKSCC are one or two trade days after the trade execution date.

Aged analysis of receivables arising from securities brokerage business is not presented as management of the Company considers that the aged analysis does not give additional value in view of the nature of this business.

Receivables from trading of motor vehicles

The receivables from customers in respect of the trading of motor vehicles are due in 120 days from date of billing.

As at 31 December 2022, the Group's gross trade receivables from trading of motor vehicles amounted to HK\$3,490,000 (2021: HK\$1,917,000) and impairment loss on trade receivables of HK\$1,331,000 (2021: Nil) was recognised for the year ended 31 December 2022.

The Group applies the simplified approach to provide for expected credit losses under lifetime expected loss basis. To measure the expected credit losses, these receivables are estimated using a provision matrix based on the Group's historical credit loss experience, adjusted for factors that are specific to the debtors and an assessment of both the current and forecast general economic conditions at the reporting date.

Movements of impairment losses on trade receivables are as follows:

	2022	2021
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
At 1 January	-	-
Impairment loss recognised for the year	1,331	-
Exchange realignment	(35)	
At 31 December	1,296	

The following is an aged analysis of the trade receivables arising from trading of motor vehicles based on invoice dates and net off loss allowance:

	2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
0 to 30 days	1,412	_
91 to 180 days	124	_
181 to 365 days	-	1,917
Over 365 days	658	
	2,194	1,917

TRADE AND BILL PAYABLES 13.

2022 HK\$'000	2021 <i>HK\$'000</i>
85	97
5,891	6,312
100	_
75	_
-	63,288
6	6
6,157	69,703
	HK\$'000 85 5,891 100 75 - 6

Payables to margin clients are repayable on demand. The settlement terms of amounts payable arising from cash clients are one or two trade days after the trade execution date.

Aged analysis of payables arising from securities brokerage business is not presented as management of the Company considers that the aged analysis does not give additional value in view of the nature of this business.

The following is an aged analysis of payables arising from trading of motor vehicles, bill payables and other trade payables based on invoice dates:

	2022	2021
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
91 to 180 days	75	38,045
181 to 365 days	-	25,243
Over 365 days	6	6
	81	63,294
PROVISIONS		
	2022	2021
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Provision for loss on onerous contracts	11,725	12,700
		12,700

15. DIVIDENDS

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The directors of the Company do not recommend payment of a dividend in respect of the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: Nil).

BUSINESS REVIEW

The Group recorded a loss of approximately HK\$30.7 million for the year ended 31 December 2022, compared with the loss of approximately HK\$32.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2021, it reduced by approximately HK\$1.4 million. As disclosed in the Company's announcement dated 8 March 2023, the loss for the year ended 31 December 2022 was mainly due to (i) the implementation of the pandemic containment measures under COVID-19 during the year ended 31 December 2022 and the new wave of COVID-19 outbreak in the PRC at the last quarter of 2022, the business under the segment of sales of motor vehicles in the PRC has been affected and stagnated; (ii) the impairment loss on trade receivables recognised during the year ended 31 December 2022; and (iii) the increase in the finance costs in various business segments.

The Group for the year ended 31 December 2022 recorded total revenue of approximately HK\$180.8 million, which was an increase of approximately HK\$156.6 million compared with the last year. It was due to a record of sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing segment approximately HK\$180.4 million for the year ended 31 December 2022, compared with approximately HK\$23.3 million for the previous year, representing an increase of approximately HK\$157.1 million. Although the sales volume of the motor vehicles during the year ended 31 December 2022 was increased, the profits under this business segment had not improved, which is wholly due to the selling price of the motor vehicles had been marked down in order to boost up the sales and clear the inventories.

The performance of the sales of motor vehicles segment has been seriously affected since the outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic, the on-going Sino-US trade war and the change of the PRC government policy. For the year ended 31 December 2022, the Group recorded the revenue of sales of motor vehicles where the Group acts as principal approximately HK\$180.4 million and agency and service fees income from accessories sourcing approximately HK\$8,000. Approximately HK\$21.6 million and approximately HK\$1.7 million were recorded respectively for the revenue of sales of motor vehicles where the Group acts as principal and agency and service fees income from accessories sourcing for the year ended 31 December 2021.

In 2019, the Group invested in the new medicine development market in the PRC, the limited partnership of the Group co-operates with its business partner in the joint development of four new medicines in the treatment of lymphoma, cell tumors, colorectal cancer and multidrug-resistant tuberculosis. As at 31 December 2022, one of the new medicines has entered into the phase II of clinical trial and the others are still in the researching stage.

For trading of listed securities, the Group recorded an unrealised loss of approximately HK\$0.7 million for the year ended 31 December 2022.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Results of the Group

The Group recorded total revenue of approximately HK\$180.8 million for the year ended 31 December 2022 as compared to total revenue of approximately HK\$24.2 million for the previous year, representing an increase of approximately HK\$156.6 or approximately 6.5 times. The sharp increase of revenue was primarily due to the increase in sales of motor vehicles business in the PRC.

The Group recorded a loss for the year amounted to approximately HK\$30.7 million, compared with a loss of approximately HK\$32.1 million for the last year, representing a decrease of loss of approximately 4.4%. The loss of the year encompassed an unrealised fair value losses on securities trading of approximately HK\$0.7 million, compared with unrealised fair value gains on securities trading of approximately HK\$0.3 million for the previous year.

The loss included the fair value losses arising from the Group's interest in the limited partnership engaged in the business of investing in new medicine development projects at the fair value through its profit and loss of approximately HK\$6.2 million for the year under review, compared with fair value losses of approximately HK\$6.7 million for the previous year.

There was no impairment loss on trade deposits paid and other receivables reversed or recognised for the year under review, compared with the impairment loss on trade deposits paid and other receivables reversed of approximately HK\$3.8 million for the previous year.

The loss also took the impairment loss recognised on trade receivables of approximately HK\$1.3 million for the year under review, no impairment needed for such trade receivables in the previous year.

Liquidity and financial resources

The Group's current assets as at 31 December 2022 amounted to approximately HK\$201.3 million compared with approximately HK\$255.9 million as at 31 December 2021 and the liquidity of the Group, as demonstrated by the current ratio (current assets over current liabilities) is 2.2 times, compared with 2.5 times for previous year. Among them, the financial assets at fair value through profit or loss were approximately HK\$0.8 million (2021: approximately HK\$1.4 million) which invested in the equity securities listed in Hong Kong. As at 31 December 2022, the Group's cash and bank balances were approximately HK\$38.9 million (2021: approximately HK\$60.4 million) of which approximately HK\$5.9 million (2021: approximately HK\$60.4 million) of which approximately HK\$5.9 million (2021: approximately HK\$60.1 million) were held on behalf of clients in trust and segregated accounts.

As at 31 December 2022, the Group's total borrowings amounted to HK\$25 million (2021: approximately HK\$10 million) was repayable within one year. That borrowings were secured by charges over the Group's leasehold land and buildings as well as corporate guarantee issued by the Company. The gearing ratio of the Group as at 31 December 2022 (calculated by the total liabilities of approximately HK\$95.4 million over equity attributable to the owners of the Company of approximately HK\$137.2 million) is 69.5% (2021: 65.5%).

The equity attributable to the owners of the Company amounted to approximately HK\$137.2 million as at 31 December 2022, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$41.2 million, or 23.1% from that of 31 December 2021. The decrease was mainly due to loss for the year attributable to the owners of the Company.

The Group manages the foreign exchange exposure arising from its normal course of business activities and investments in foreign operations by funding its local operations and investments through cash flow generated from business transaction locally. As at the end of the year, the Group did not have any material un-hedged foreign exchange exposure of interest rate mismatch. Foreign currency exposure did not pose a significant risk for the Group. However, we will continue to stay vigilant and closely monitor our exposure to movements of relevant currency.

Capital structure

As at 31 December 2022, the Company's issued share capital was 7,748,958,120 shares of HK\$0.01 each.

Sales of motor vehicles and provision of agency services

It recorded approximately HK\$180.4 million of revenue for the year under review compared with approximately HK\$23.3 million for the last year, representing an increase of revenue of approximately 6.7 times. It is principally engaged in motor vehicles business in the PRC, in particular, sales of motor vehicles and motor vehicles parts. As the pace of certification process is improved and more Group's China 6 Standard imported motor vehicles can be offered for sale in the PRC. The Group has lowered the selling price of its motor vehicles to push up the sales under the widespread preventive and control measures under COVID-19 in the PRC during the year. However, there incurred a loss of approximately HK\$1.7 million for the year which is arrived at after taking into impairment loss recognised on trade receivables amounted to approximately HK\$1.3 million, compared with profit of approximately HK\$0.5 million for the last year (2021: impairment loss on trade deposits paid and other receivables reversed amounted to approximately HK\$3.8 million).

Brokerage and securities margin financing service

Total revenue of this segment recorded approximately HK\$0.4 million for the year ended 31 December 2022, compared with approximately HK\$0.9 million for the last year. This segment loss of approximately HK\$0.8 million while loss of approximately HK\$1.2 million for the last year.

Trading of listed securities

The listed equity securities trading recorded no realised gain or loss for the years ended 31 December 2022 and 2021. It recorded an unrealised fair value losses of approximately HK\$0.7 million for the year under review, compared with an unrealised fair value gains of approximately HK\$0.3 million of the previous year. This segment showed an operating loss of approximately HK\$4.2 million for the year 31 December 2022 and it recorded a loss of approximately HK\$3.4 million last year.

OUTLOOK

As at 31 December 2022, almost 99.8% revenue of the Group came from the segment of sales of motor vehicles, provision of agency services and accessories sourcing in the PRC.

As disclosed in the circular of the Company dated 19 March 2018, the motor vehicles business has a risk of reliance on a small number of customers. As at 31 December 2022, 重慶盛渝泓嘉國際貿易有限公司 (transliterated as Chongqing Sheng Yu Hong Jia International Trading Company Limited) ("Sheng Yu Hong Jia") has improved its number of customers and increased to 66 customers and with 38 customers in the progress of negotiation. Sheng Yu Hong Jia will strive to increase more customers to reduce the level of reliance in the future.

As disclosed in the announcement of the Company dated 7 March 2022, due to the change of government policy in the PRC on the China 6 Standard imported motor vehicles, the PRC government requires the parallel importers of motor vehicles to obtain certification administered by the Ministry of Ecology and Environment of the PRC ("EE Certificate") for China 6 Standard imported motor vehicles before offering the same for sale in the PRC. As at 31 December 2022, the Group obtained EE Certification for six types of China 6 Standard imported motor vehicles, and the others are still in the Certification Process. The Group has been closely monitoring the Certificate Process for their imported China 6 Standard motor vehicles. The Group expects the business performance of this segment will be improved if more Group's China 6 Standard imported motor vehicles can be offered for sale in the PRC.

The PRC has been reforming the regulatory landscape in the pharmaceutical industry leading it has a steady growth in the past few years, especially for major new medicines development like the promotion of more lifesaving and safe medicines to be listed and included in medical insurance. Therefore, the Company will continue to pay attention to the new medicine development market in the PRC in order to diversify the business of the Group.

The Group is optimistic and confident in the prospects of the China and Hong Kong stock markets and will continue to develop other businesses and seek opportunities to expand its revenue sources to enhance the Group's revenue.

CHARGES ON ASSETS

Leasehold land and buildings of the Group with a carrying amount of approximately HK\$21.1 million (2021: approximately HK\$22.7 million) were pledged for credit facilities granted to the Group.

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

As at 31 December 2022, the Group did not have any contingent liabilities (2021: Nil).

MATERIAL ACQUISITION AND DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES/FUTURE PLAN FOR MATERIAL INVESTMENTS

There was no other material acquisition/disposal which would have been required to be disclosed under the GEM Listing Rules for the year under review and the Group has no concrete plans for any material investments.

EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

As at 31 December 2022, the Group had a workforce of 50 employees (2021: 49). The total staff costs, including Directors' emoluments, amounted to approximately HK\$13.8 million for the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: approximately HK\$14.1 million). The Group's remuneration policies are reviewed on an annual basis and commensurate with the industry pay level. The remuneration package includes basic salary, provident fund, medical benefits and discretionary bonus. The Group has also adopted a share option scheme as an added incentive for its employees.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES

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

COMPLIANCE WITH RULES 5.48 TO 5.67 OF THE GEM LISTING RULES

The Company has adopted a code of conduct regarding Directors' securities transactions on terms no less exacting than the required standard of dealings as set out in Rules 5.48 to 5.67 of the GEM Listing Rules. The Company's Directors have complied with such code of conduct and the required standard of dealings.

PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS

There are no provisions for pre-emptive rights under the Company's Articles of Association or the laws of the Cayman Islands which would oblige the Company to offer new shares on a pro-rata basis to existing shareholders.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Board assumes overall responsibility for the leadership and control of the Group, including providing and setting the Group's directions and strategies in the interests of the Group. It believes in good corporate governance and corporate governance practices that promote investor confidence, development of the Group, and transparency while having the long-term interest of the Group and enhancement of shareholders' value as the ultimate objectives. It has adopted the code provision numbering as set out in the Corporate Governance Code contained in Appendix 15 of the GEM Listing Rules (the "Corporate Governance Code"). The Company has complied with the applicable code provisions of the Corporate Governance Code, except for the following deviation:

Code Provision C.2.1

Code provision C.2.1 stipulates that the roles of chairman and chief executive should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual. The division of responsibilities between the chairman and chief executive should be clearly established and set out in writing.

Mr. Wang Jiawei is the chairman and chief executive officer of the Company. In view of Mr. Wang has extensive experience in project management and securities investments and is responsible for the overall corporate strategies, planning and business development of the Company. Under the supervision by the Board which is comprised of three independent non-executive Directors and a non-executive Director, which represent more than half of the Board, the interests of the shareholders of the Company will be adequately and fairly represented.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company has established an audit committee ("Audit Committee") with specific written terms of reference. As at 31 December 2022, the Audit Committee consisted of three independent non-executive Directors, Mr. Li Jianxing, Professor Zhang Benzheng and Professor Chen Shu Wen. Mr. Li Jianxing, being an independent non-executive Director, is the chairman of the Committee. The Audit Committee's role and function includes making recommendations to the Board on the appointment, reappointment and removal of the external auditor, and to approve the remuneration and terms of engagement of the external auditor; review and monitor the external auditors' independence and objectivity and the effectiveness of the audit process in accordance with applicable standards; develop and implement policy on the engagement of an external auditor to supply non-audit services; monitor the integrity of financial statements, annual reports and accounts, half-yearly and quarterly reports of the Company, and review significant financial reporting judgments contained in them; review the Company's financial controls, internal control and risk management systems; and review the Group's financial and accounting policies, procedures and practices.

The Audit Committee has reviewed the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2022 pursuant to the relevant provisions contained in the Corporate Governance Code as set out in Appendix 15 of the GEM Listing Rules and was of the opinion that such statements had complied with applicable accounting standards and that adequate disclosures had been made in respect thereof.

SCOPE OF WORK OF CCTH CPA LIMITED

The figures in respect of the Group's consolidated statement of financial position, consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and related notes thereto for the year ended 31 December 2022 as set out in the preliminary announcement have been agreed by the Group's auditors, CCTH CPA Limited, to the amounts set out in the Group's draft consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022. The work performed by CCTH CPA Limited in this respect did not constitute an assurance engagement in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing, Hong Kong Standards on Review Engagements or Hong Kong Standards on Assurance Engagements issued by HKICPA and consequently no assurance has been expressed by CCTH CPA Limited on the preliminary announcement.

By order of the Board Sinofortune Financial Holdings Limited Wang Jiawei Chairman

Hong Kong, 17 March 2023

As of the date of this announcement, the executive Directors are Mr. Wang Jiawei and Ms. Lai Yuk Mui, the non-executive Director is Mr. Liu Runtong and the independent non-executive Directors are Professor Zhang Benzheng, Mr. Li Jianxing and Professor Chen Shu Wen.

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