Statement by Directors

In the opinion of the Directors:

- (a) the accompanying income statements, balance sheets and statements of changes in equity of the Company and the Group and consolidated cash flow statement of the Group together with the notes thereto, as set out on pages 36 to 79, are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the Group as at 31 December 2005 and of the results of the business of the Company and of the Group and cash flows of the Group for the year then ended; and
- (b) at the date of this statement there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

The board of Directors authorised these financial statements for issue on 21 February 2006.

On Behalf of the Board,

Ming Kam Sing

Chairman

Zhou Lian Kui
Executive Director

Hong Kong 21 February 2006