

广东爱得威建设(集团)股份有限公司

ADWAY GUANGDONG ADWAY CONSTRUCTION (GROUP) HOLDINGS COMPANY LIMITED* (A joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability) Stock code: 6189

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CORPORATE INFORMATION

DIRECTORS

Executive Directors

Mr. YE Yujing (葉玉敬先生)

(Chairman and chief executive officer, resigned as the chief executive officer on 20 October 2023)

Mr. YE Jiajun (葉家俊先生) Ms. YE Xiujin (葉秀近女士) Mr. YE Guofeng (葉國鋒先生)

Non-executive Directors

Mr. ZHUANG Liangbin (莊良彬先生)

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. CAI Huiming (蔡慧明先生) Mr. LIN Zhiyang (林志揚先生) Mr. SUN Changging (孫常青先生)

Mr. ZHOU Wanxiong (周萬雄先生)

SUPERVISORS

Mr. Li Rui (李鋭先生) Mr. YE Weizhou (葉偉周先生)

Mr. TIAN Wen (田文先生) (Resigned on 28 August 2023)

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Mr. CAI Huiming (蔡慧明先生) (Chairman)

Mr. LIN Zhiyang (林志揚先生) Mr. SUN Changqing (孫常青先生)

NOMINATION COMMITTEE

Mr. LIN Zhiyang (林志揚先生) (Chairman)

Mr. YE Yujing (葉玉敬先生) Mr. SUN Changqing (孫常青先生)

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Mr. SUN Changqing (孫常青先生) (Chairman)

Mr. YE Guofeng (葉國鋒先生) Mr. CAI Huiming (蔡慧明先生)

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Mr. YE Yujing (葉玉敬先生) (Chairman)

Mr. YE Guofeng (葉國鋒先生) Mr. YE Jiajun (葉家俊先生) Mr. LIN Zhiyang (林志揚先生) Mr. SUN Changqing (孫常青先生)

AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. YE Guofeng (葉國鋒先生) Mr. LEE Leong Yin (李亮賢先生)

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MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The board (the "Board") of directors (the "Directors") of Guangdong Adway Construction (Group) Holdings Company Limited (the "Company") is pleased to announce the unaudited interim condensed consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") for the six months ended 30 June 2023 (the "Reporting Period"), together with the figures for the corresponding period in 2022. These unaudited interim condensed consolidated results have been reviewed by the audit committee of the Company (the "Audit Committee").

MARKET REVIEW

2023 is a year full of challenges and changes. Since the second half of 2021, the real estate industry in China has been severely affected. The real estate industry and related industries have been hit by new incidents of debt crisis. The real estate industry has been in a downturn and has continued to show its momentum. Under the pressure from the ongoing Sino-US trade war and the subsequent continued decoupling and suppression of China by the West, the PRC economic growth has slowed down, and the building decoration industry to which the Group belongs has also been seriously affected.

On the other hand, although the PRC economy is facing tremendous challenges, there is huge growth potential. While the building decoration industry has encountered its contraction, the market demand on which the industrial development relies remains. As the government's policy on the real estate industries tends to be more favourable, the future development opportunities subsist. The building decoration industry will shift from a high-speed growth stage to a high-quality development stage with opportunities and challenges co-exist.

BUSINESS REVIEW

The Group provides professional and comprehensive building decorative services for public and private clients (including state-owned enterprises, government departments and institutions, listed companies, foreign-funded enterprises, property developers and property management companies), mainly covering four areas: (i) building decoration works; (ii) electrical and mechanical installation works; (iii) curtain wall engineering works; and (iv) fire safety engineering works. The Group's projects cover a wide range of buildings and properties, including commercial buildings, office buildings, industrial buildings, residential buildings, public buildings and infrastructure as well as hotels.

With over 26 years of operating history, the Group has gained substantial experience and brand reputation in the building decoration industry in the PRC, with a broad range of the highest level of qualifications and licenses in the building decoration industry. However, due to the continuous impact of the Company's bank debt default, capital chain rupture, lack of solvency and increasing number of litigation cases, the business continued to be substantially reduced in the first half of 2023.

Since 2013, the Company has been awarded the certificate of "High and New Technology Enterprise (高新技術企業)" ("HNTE") by relevant PRC governmental authorities and has been enjoying a preferential enterprise income tax rate of 15%. In 2022, the HNTE Certificate of the Company has been renewed and is valid for three years from 2022 to 2024.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Revenue and gross profit margin

The Group's revenue decreased by 58.23% from approximately RMB104.83 million for the six months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately RMB43.79 million for the six months ended 30 June 2023. Such decrease was mainly due to the significant decrease in contract value in 2022.

The Group's gross profit decreased by 71.33% from approximately RMB24.28 million for the six months ended 30 June 2022 to approximately RMB6.96 million for the six months ended 30 June 2023. The gross profit margin decreased from 23.16% for the six months ended 30 June 2022 to 15.89% for the six months ended 30 June 2023.

Profit for the period

There is a turnaround from loss to profit for the Reporting Period and the profit for the period amounted to approximately RMB64.24 million for the six months ended 30 June 2023, which was mainly due to the settlement of accounts payable that are not required to be paid and the reversal of the impairment loss provided.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Continued)

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Group's monetary capital (including cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash) amounted to approximately RMB8.28 million and RMB12.88 million, respectively. The decrease in the Group's monetary capital was mainly due to the repayment of certain personal loans and the payment of daily expenses; the Company is unable to obtain new external financing due to its debt default; and in order to ensure the completion of projects, direct payment to suppliers by the major procurement customers mainly due to the freezing of the Company's accounts.

On 22 September 2023, the Company announced that "the Restructuring Transactions involves, inter alia, (1) the Debt Restructuring; (2) the Capital Reduction; (3) the proposed issue of new Domestic Shares under the Specific Mandate; (4) the proposed placing of new H Shares under the Specific Mandate; (5) the proposed amendment to the Articles; and continued suspension of trading". The Company intends to utilize all the proceeds from the subscription of Domestic Shares and the placing of H Shares towards the debt restructuring for settling its target reduced debts. The Company will also actively adopt various measures, including but not limited to obtaining new credit lines from financial institutions, enhancing settling and collection of contract assets and account receivables associated with clients and engineering projects, to restore the Company's liquidity. For details, please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 22 September 2023.

1. Trade receivables and contract assets

The trade receivables decreased from approximately RMB37.21 million for the year ended 31 December 2022 to approximately RMB26.99 million for the six months ended 30 June 2023. The trade receivables are the amounts due from customers in the ordinary course of business. In view of the slowdown in China's economic growth, the substantial increase in defaults in the real estate industry and the significant increase in the Company's defaulting customers, the Group has made provisions in relation to all projects of which certain settlement and payment processes have been delayed after due consideration.

The contract assets decreased from approximately RMB5.52 million as at 31 December 2022 to approximately RMB2.89 million as at 30 June 2023. In view of the slowdown in China's economic growth, the substantial increase in defaults in the real estate industry and the significant increase in the Company's defaulting customers, the Group has made sufficient provisions in relation to certain contract assets of unsettled projects after due consideration.

2. Trade and other payables

The trade and other payables decreased from approximately RMB483.87 million as at 31 December 2022 to approximately RMB396.51 million as at 30 June 2023, which was mainly due to the settlement with suppliers and the clearance of accounts payable that were not required to be paid for the Reporting Period.

3. Borrowings

As at 30 June 2023, the Group had borrowings in the amount of approximately RMB240.27 million (31 December 2022: approximately RMB241.57 million), majority of which are interest-bearing bank borrowings. The Group's bank borrowings were all at fixed interest rates. As at 30 June 2023, the weighted average effective interest rate was 9.42% (2022: 8.08%) per annum.

In terms of bank borrowings, as at the date of this report, the total outstanding bank borrowings due were RMB229.37 million. Among such outstanding bank borrowings, on 24 May 2023, the People's Court of Futian District, Shenzhen City, Guangdong Province issued a notice of sale of debt collateral assets in the amount of RMB18.42 million in respect of the debt default applied for by Bank of Beijing to the Company; and on 1 June 2023, the People's Court of Futian District, Shenzhen City, Guangdong Province issued a notice of auction of debt collateral assets in the amount of RMB43.51 million in respect of the debt default applied for by Bank of China to the Company (24G and 24H of Daqing Building, Shenzhen, the properties held by the Company, and 23G and 23H of Daqing Building, Shenzhen, the properties held by Ye Xiujin) respectively, the proceeds after the completion of the auction on 19 September 2023 were returned to Bank of China as repayment of bank borrowings (principal) of RMB6.35 million.

4. Pledged assets

As at 30 June 2023, the Group's short-term borrowing was secured and pledged by fixed asset of approximately RMB39.11 million in total (31 December 2022: RMB40.18 million), investment property of approximately RMB0.54 million in total (31 December 2022: RMB0.56 million) and guaranteed by certain connected persons.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Continued)

Gearing ratio

The gearing ratio was 652.08% as at 30 June 2023 while the ratio as at 31 December 2022 was 597.73%, which was mainly due to further provisions made for the Group's trade receivables and contract assets.

Gearing ratio represents net debt divided by total assets. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings plus lease liability, trade and other payables, contract liabilities, deferred income. Total capital is calculated as "equity" as shown in the consolidated statement of financial position plus net debt.

6. **Capital expenditure**

For the six months ended 30 June 2023, the Group had no capital expenditure (31 December 2022: Nil), which mainly attributable to the fact that the Group devoted to controlling its capital expenditure since 2022.

7. **Capital commitments**

As at 30 June 2023, the Group had no capital commitments (31 December 2022: nil).

8. **Contingent liabilities**

As at 30 June 2023, due to financial constraints, overdue bank borrowings and involvement in a number of litigations, the bank deposits of the Group with the total value of RMB7.90 million has been frozen by the courts in the PRC. According to the Group's in-house legal adviser, the Directors estimated that the Group may therefore be liable for payables, interest and default of approximately RMB31.48 million in total and such amount was made provision.

Fluctuation of RMB exchange rate and foreign exchange risks

The majority of the Group's business and all bank borrowings are denominated and accounted for in RMB. Therefore, the Group does not have significant exposure to foreign exchange fluctuation. The Board does not expect that the fluctuation of RMB exchange rate and other foreign exchange fluctuations will have material impact on the business operations or financial results of the Group.

The Group currently has no hedging policy with respect to the foreign exchange risks. Therefore, the Group has not entered into any hedging transactions to management potential fluctuation in foreign currency.

10. Significant investments in, acquisitions or disposal of subsidiaries, affiliated companies or assets

On 21 October 2021, the Company (as vendor) entered into the sale and purchase agreement with Huizhou Zhengdong Building Material Technology Limited* (惠州市正東建材科技有限公司) (as purchaser), pursuant to which, the Company has conditionally agreed to sell, and the purchaser has conditionally agreed to purchase the entire issued share capital of Huidong Yip's Development Company Limited* (惠東葉氏實業發展有限公司), a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, at a consideration of approximately RMB31.53 million. For details, please refer to the announcements of the Company dated 21 October 2021 and 26 October 2021. As at 30 June 2023, the above transactions have not been completed.

Save as disclosed above, the Group did not have any significant investments in, acquisitions or disposal of subsidiaries or affiliated companies or assets during the six months ended 30 June 2023.

11. Employees and remuneration policy

As at 30 June 2023, the Group had 54 employees (as at 31 December 2022: 70). During the six months ended 30 June 2023, the Group incurred employee costs of approximately RMB3.59 million (six months ended 30 June 2022: approximately RMB8.7 million). Directors, supervisors and senior management of the Company receive compensation in the form of fees, salaries, allowances, discretionary bonuses, defined pension contribution plans and other benefits in kind with reference to those paid by comparable companies, time commitment and the performance of the Company. The Company also reimburses its Directors, supervisors and senior management for expenses which are necessarily and reasonably incurred for the provision of services to the Company or executing their functions in relation to the operations of the Company.

In addition, the Group determines salaries based on each employee's qualifications, position and seniority, and implements systematic and targeted vocational training for employees of different levels on a regular basis and in combination with daily work to meet different requirements, and attaches importance to individual initiative and responsibility. The Group makes contributions to mandatory social security funds for the benefit of employees, including pension insurance, medical insurance, unemployment insurance, work-related injury insurance, maternity insurance and housing provident fund.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Continued)

12. Segment Information

The management of the Company has determined the operating segments based on the reports reviewed by the chief operating decision maker ("CODM"). The CODM, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segment, has been identified as the executive directors of the Company.

The Group is principally engaged in provision of interior and exterior building decoration and design services in the PRC. Management reviews the operating results of the business as one segment to make decisions about resources to be allocated. Therefore, the Board considers that there is only one segment which is used to make strategic decisions. Revenue and profit before income tax are the measure reported to the executive directors for the purpose of resources allocation and performance assessment.

All of the operating entities of the Group are domiciled in the PRC. Accordingly, all of the Group's revenue is derived in the PRC during the six months ended 30 June 2023 (six months ended 30 June 2022: same). As at 30 June 2023, all of the non-current assets were located in the PRC (30 June 2023: same).

FUTURE DEVELOPMENT PROSPECTS AND STRATEGIES

The Group is committed to becoming an internationally leading green decoration comprehensive service provider, through debt restructuring, introducing new investors to enter and invest, resolving debt and liquidity risks, and gaining new life.

1. To pay attention to segmented markets and focus on regional development

The Group will actively respond to the national policy of stimulating economic recovery in infrastructure investment, real estate, and building decoration industries to expand its business, adopt a cautious order strategy, tighten selection criteria against high-quality customers for newly signed orders, empower the Company's building decoration business with technology, and improve the Company's competitiveness. The Group will mainly support and develop businesses in the medical and hotel segments, focusing on the development of the "Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area" to continuously consolidate and highlight its advantages in the segments.

2. Optimize the project management process and promote management quality and efficiency

The Group will continue to optimize the project management process and improve the efficiency of the project management through business process re-engineering and innovative solution. We will optimize business models, strengthen risk control and liquidity management based on changes in national industry management.

3. Enhance talent reserve

The Group will strengthen the construction of corporate culture, optimize the existing personnel of the Company, hire outstanding management and project manager talents in the industry, and create a "market development oriented, business professional, and career enterprising management composite" team.

4. Explore new business opportunities

While focusing on developing its core business, the Company will explore new business opportunities and businesses with new investors, and expand into new energy and technological innovation sectors, moving from traditional architectural decoration service enterprises to technological innovation fields.

OTHER INFORMATION

INTERIM DIVIDEND

The Board does not recommend the payment of an interim dividend for the six months ended 30 June 2023 (2022: Nil).

INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS OF DIRECTORS, SUPERVISORS AND THE CHIEF **EXECUTIVE OFFICER IN THE SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES OF** THE COMPANY AND ITS ASSOCIATED CORPORATIONS

As of 30 June 2023, the interests or short positions of the Directors, Supervisors and the chief executive officer of the Company in the Shares, underlying Shares and debentures of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) ("SFO")) which will be required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests or short positions which they were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO) or which will be required, pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, to be entered in the register referred to therein, or which will be required, pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of the Listed Issuers as set out in Appendix 10 to the Listing Rules to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange are as follows:

| Director/Supervisor | Nature of interest | Long/short position | Number of shares of the Company | Approximate percentage of shareholdings in the relevant class of Shares of the Company (Note 1) | Approximate percentage of shareholdings in the total share capital of the Company (Note 2) |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|
| YE Yujing (葉玉敬) ^(Note 3) | Beneficial Owner | Long position | 67,694,000 | 37.99% | 28.10% |
| | Interest of spouse | Long position | 15,504,000 | 8.70% | 6.44% |
| YE Xiujin (葉秀近) (Note 4) | Beneficial Owner | Long position | 15,504,000 | 8.70% | 6.44% |
| | Interest of spouse | Long position | 67,694,000 | 37.99% | 28.10% |
| YE Guofeng (葉國鋒) (Note 5) | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 6,075,000 | 3.41% | 2.52% |
| YE Jiajun (葉家俊) | Beneficial Owner | Long position | 1,000,000 | 0.56% | 4.20% |

Notes:

- The calculation is based on 178,167,645 Domestic Shares of the Company in issue as at 30 June 2023. 1.
- The calculation is based on the total number of 240,930,645 Shares of the Company in issue as at 30 June 2023 (including 178,167,645 2. Domestic Shares and 62,763,000 H Shares).
- Mr. Ye Yujing is the husband of Ms. Ye Xiujin. Under the SFO, Mr. Ye Yujing will be deemed to be interested in the same number of Shares in 3. which Ms. Ye Xiujin is interested.
- Ms. Ye Xiujin is the wife of Mr. Ye Yujing. Under the SFO, Ms. Ye Xiujin will be deemed to be interested in the same number of Shares in 4. which Mr. Ye Yujing is interested.
- 5. Shenzhen Gong Xiang Li Investment Entity (Limited Partnership) (深圳市共享利投資企業(有限合夥)) ("Shenzhen Gong Xiang Li"), a limited partnership entity established under the PRC laws, is owned as to 88.15% by Mr. Ye Guofeng, our executive Director. In light of the above, Mr. Ye Guofeng is deemed to be interested in all the Shares held by Shenzhen Gong Xiang Li.

INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS OF THE SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS IN THE SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES OF THE COMPANY

As at 30 June 2023, so far as the Directors, Supervisors and the chief executive officer of the Company are aware of, as indicated on the register of interests and/or short positions required to be maintained pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO, the substantial Shareholders (other than Directors, Supervisors and the chief executive officer of the Company) had the following interests and/or short positions in the Shares or underlying Shares of the Company:

| Name of Shareholders | Class of Shares held after the Global Offering | Nature of interest | Long/short position | Number of shares of the Company | Approximate percentage of shareholdings in the relevant class of Shares of the Company (Mote 1) | Approximate percentage of shareholdings in the total share capital of the Company (Note 2) |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Ningbo Meishan Bonded Area Yingxiang Investment Center (Limited Partnership) (寧波梅山保税港區瀛享投資中心 (有限合夥)) (Mote 3) | Domestic Shares | Beneficial Owner | Long position | 12,580,645 | 7.06% | 5.22% |
| Ningbo Meishan Bonded Area Xingwang Yinghua Equity Investment Center (Limited Partnership) (寧波梅山保税港區 興旺嬴華股權投資中心(有限合夥)) (Mote 4 | | Beneficial Owner | Long position | 10,000,000 | 5.61% | 4.15% |
| Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management Co., Ltd (深圳前海興旺 投資管理有限公司) (Notes 3 and 4) | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 22,580,645 | 12.67% | 9.37% |
| Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center (Limited Partnership) (深圳前海 興旺投資中心(有限合夥)) (Motes 3 and 4) | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 22,580,645 | 12.67% | 9.37% |
| Xiong Mingwang (熊明旺) (Notes 3 and 4) | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 22,580,645 | 12.67% | 9.37% |
| South China Sea Selected (Tianjin) Equity Investment Fund Limited Partnership Corporation (Limited Partnership) (南海成長精選(天津)股權投資基金 合夥企業(有限合夥)) (Note 5) | Domestic Shares | Beneficial Owner | Long position | 17,000,000 | 9.54% | 7.06% |
| Shenzhen Co-Win Asset Management Holding Company Limited (深圳同創偉業 資產管理股份有限公司) (Note 5) | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 17,000,000 | 9.54% | 7.06% |
| Shenzhen Co-Win Venture Capital Investments Limited (深圳市同創偉業 創業投資有限公司) ^{Mote 57} | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 17,000,000 | 9.54% | 7.06% |
| Shenzhen Co-Win Jinxiu Asset Management Limited (深圳同創錦繡資產管理有限公司) (Note 5) | | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 17,000,000 | 9.54% | 7.06% |
| Zheng Wei He (鄭偉鶴) (Note 5) | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 17,000,000 | 9.54% | 7.06% |
| Huang Li (黃荔) (Mote 5) | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 17,000,000 | 9.54% | 7.06% |
| Ding Bao Yu (丁寶玉) (Note 5) | Domestic Shares | Interest in a controlled corporation | Long position | 17,000,000 | 9.54% | 7.06% |

Notes:

- The calculation is based on 178,167,645 Domestic Shares and 62,763,000 H Shares (as the case may be) of the Company in issue as at 30 June 1
- 2. The calculation is based on the total number of 240,930,645 Shares of the Company in issue as at 30 June 2023 (including 178,167,645 Domestic Shares and 62,763,000 H Shares).
- Ningbo Meishan Bonded Area Yingxiang Investment Center (Limited Partnership) ("Ningbo Yingxiang"), a limited partnership incorporated 3 in the PRC on 10 May 2017, is controlled by the general partner, Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management (深圳前海興旺投資管 理). Ningbo Yingxiang is owned as to 12%, 6%, 6%, 6%, 4.8% and 3.96%, respectively by Zhao Anchang, Cheng Donghai, Feng Qing, Gu Qijun, Cen Yinglan and Chen Min; as to 3.6% by each of Zhang Linkui, Guo Dong, Qiao Xiuqin, Qiu Yingji, Yang Weiguang, Wang Zeliang, Xia Binquan, Ren Wei, Tang Zhiqing, Jiang Xiaochun, Zhu Weiliang, Sun Yihua, Yu Huagui, Qu Maojuan, Wang Jianping, Xia Liping and Wang Qing; and as to 0.01% by Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management, which is a limited liability company established under PRC law on 15 June 2015 and is owned as to 99% by Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center (Limited Partnership) ("Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center") and 1% by Xiong Mingwang. Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center, a limited partnership entity established under PRC law on 1 February 2016, is owned as to 99% by Xiong Mingwang and 1% by Liu Jun. In light of the above, Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management, Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center and Xiong Mingwang are deemed to be interested in all shares held by Ningbo Yingxiang under the SFO.
- Ningbo Meishan Bonded Area Xingwang Yinghua Equity Investment Center (Limited Partnership) ("Ningbo Xingwang Yinghua"), a limited partnership entity established under PRC law on 6 March 2017, is controlled by the general partner, Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management Co., Ltd ("Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management"). Ningbo Xingwang Yinghua is owned as to 31.60%, 15.80%, 9.48%, 7.90%, 7.90%, 7.90%, 6.48%, 6.32%, 4.74%, 1.58% and 0.32%, respectively by Bai Xinliang, Cui Hegen, Zhang Yao, Gu Jianfang, Zhou Ying, Wu Mohai, Liu Jun, Gu Bin, Yang Mingjiong, Liu Qian and Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management, which is a limited liability company established under PRC law on 15 June 2015 and is owned as to 99% by Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center (Limited Partnership) ("Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center") and 1% by Xiong Mingwang. Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center, a limited partnership entity established under PRC law on 1 February 2016, is owned as to 99% by Xiong Mingwang and 1% by Liu Jun. In light of the above, Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Management, Shenzhen Qianhai Xingwang Investment Center and Xiong Mingwang are deemed to be interested in all shares held by Ningbo Xingwang Yinghua under the SFO.
- South China Sea Selected (Tianjin) Equity Investment Fund Limited Partnership Corporation (Limited Partnership) ("South China Sea LP"), a limited partnership entity established under PRC law on 13 April 2011, is controlled by four general partners, namely, (i) Shenzhen Co-Win Jinxiu Asset Management Limited ("Shenzhen Co-Win Jinxiu Asset"), (ii) Zheng Wei He; (iii) Huang Li; and (iv) Ding Bao Yu. Shenzhen Co-Win Jinxiu Asset, a limited liability company established under PRC law on 24 December 2014, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Shenzhen Co-Win Asset Management Holding Company Limited ("Shenzhen Co-Win Asset"). Shenzhen Co-Win Asset, a company limited by shares established under PRC law on 27 December 2010, is owned as to 35.01% by Shenzhen Co-Win Venture Capital Investments Limited ("Shenzhen Co-Win Venture Capital"), 15.02% by Zheng Wei He, 14.94% by Huang Li, 10.45% by Shenzhen Co-Win Victory Investment Limited Partnership Corporation (Limited Partnership) (深圳同創創贏投資合夥企業(有限合夥)) ("Shenzhen Co-Win Victory LP"), 7.13% by Shenzhen Co-Win South China Asset Management Company Limited (深圳市同創偉業南海資產管理有限公司) which is a limited liability company established under PRC law on 5 February 2013 and is wholly-owned by Shenzhen Co-Win Venture Capital, 3.38% by Ding Bao Yu, 1.60% by Xue Xiaoqing, 1.07% by Zhang Wenjun, 1.07% by Duan Yao, 0.89% by Tang Zhongcheng (唐忠誠), with the remaining 9.44% owned by other shareholders. Shenzhen Co-Win Venture Capital, a limited liability company established under PRC law on 26 June 2000, is owned as to 45% by Zheng Wei He and 55% by Huang Li. In light of the above, Shenzhen Co-Win Jinxiu Asset, Shenzhen Co-Win Asset, Shenzhen Co-Win Venture Capital, Zheng Wei He, Huang Li and Ding Bao Yu are deemed to be interested in all Shares held by South China Sea LP under the SFO.

CHANGES IN DIRECTORS' AND SUPERVISOR'S INFORMATION

Upon specific enquiry by the Company and following confirmations from the Directors and Supervisors, since the date of publication of the previous annual report of the Company, there is no change in the information of the Directors and Supervisors of the Company required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 13.51B(1) of the Listing Rules.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES OF THE COMPANY

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities for the six months ended 30 June 2023.

MODEL CODE FOR SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules (the "Model Code") as the code of conduct regarding the Company's Directors and Supervisor' securities transactions. Upon specific enquiries, all Directors and Supervisors of the Company confirmed that they had complied with the relevant provisions of the Model Code for the six months ended 30 June 2023.

Relevant employees who, because of their office in the Company, are likely to be in possession of inside information, have also been requested to comply with the provisions of the Model Code. No incident of non-compliance of the Model Code by the relevant employees was noted by the Company for the six months ended 30 June 2023.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE CODE

The Company is committed to achieving and maintaining high standards of business ethics and corporate governance. The Company firmly believes that conducting business in a responsible, transparent and fair manner is essential to achieving the long-term business objectives of the Company and the Group. By adhering to these principles, the interests of the Group and its Shareholders can be enhanced in the long run. The Company has been committed to fulfilling its responsibilities to the Shareholders to ensure that the proper processes for overseeing and managing the Group's business are properly operated and reviewed, and have maintained sound corporate governance practices and procedures throughout the six months ended 30 June 2023.

The Company has adopted the principles and code provisions under the Corporate Governance Code set out in part 2 of Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules (the "CG Code"). For the six months ended 30 June 2023. The Company has fully complied with all applicable code provisions as set out in the CG Code, except for code provision C.2.1 of the CG Code as more particularly described below:

Under code provision C.2.1 of the CG Code, the roles of chairman and chief executive officer should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual. However, the Group did not have a separate chairman and chief executive officer and Mr. Ye Yujing performed these two roles until 20 October 2023.

Mr. Ye Yujing ceased to be the chief executive officer of the Company with effect from 20 October 2023. Mr. Wu Jianzhang was appointed as the chief executive officer of the Company with effect from 20 October 2023.

The Directors will review the Group's corporate governance policies and compliance with the CG Code each financial year.

REVIEW OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Audit Committee of the Company comprises three independent non-executive Directors, being Mr. CAI Huiming (as chairman), Mr. LIN Zhiyang and Mr. SUN Changqing. The Audit Committee has reviewed with the management of the Company the accounting principles and practices adopted by the Group and discussed risk management and internal controls and financial reporting matters including a review of the interim results and the interim report of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2023.

DISCLOSURE PURSUANT TO RULES 13.19 AND 13.21 OF THE LISTING RULES

From 30 June 2023 up to the date of this report, the loans amounted to approximately RMB229.37 million in total from 8 banks were due, and the Group failed to repay or renew the due loan.

According to Rule 13.19 of the Listing Rules, the Group has breached the terms of its loan agreement with the aforementioned banks while the Group has yet to obtain a waiver from these banks in respect of the defaults and aforementioned banks demanded the immediate repayment from the Group.

The Company will inform and update its shareholders and other investors of any material development in relation to the above by way of announcement as and when appropriate.

The breakdown of due and outstanding bank loans from the above banks is as follows:

| No. | Lending bank | Loan interest rate (APR) | Outstanding balance of the loan (RMB'0000) | Maturity date of the loan |
|-------|---|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| 1 | Bank of China Limited | 6.09% | 4.351.27 | 2022/4/15 |
| 2 | China Construction Bank Corporation | 5.65% | 4.802.60 | 2022/7/11 |
| 3 | Industrial Bank Co., Ltd. | 6.09% | 924.84 | 2022/10/14 |
| 4 | Bank of Beijing Co., Ltd. | 5.44% | 1,842.46 | 2022/3/16 |
| 5 | Industrial and Commercial Bank of China Limited | 5.60% | 1,438.16 | 2021/12/17 |
| 6 | Hua Xia Bank Co., Limited | 6.90% | 2,308.00 | 2022/4/28 |
| 7 | Shenzhen Rural Commercial Bank Co., Ltd. | 8.00% | 3,000.00 | 2022/4/22 |
| 8 | Bank of Shanghai Co., Ltd. | 6.01% | 4,269.90 | 2022/12/21 |
| Total | | | 22,937.23 | |

The interest rate of the loan shall be the annual interest rate. If the default occurs from the date of default, the original agreed annual interest rate shall be increased by 50%.

EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

Breaches of the terms of the loan agreements

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The Company will inform and update its shareholders and other investors of any material development in relation to the above by way of announcement as and when appropriate.

Bankruptcy Restructuring Matters

On 11 August 2023, the Company announced the "Inside Information — Bankruptcy Restructuring Petition" that the Company has received a letter of notification from Yangxi County Kaihui Real Estate Development Co., Ltd.*(陽西縣凱匯房 地產開發有限公司) ("Kaihui"). Kaihui considered that the Company has failed to pay the loan principal of RMB6,904,444 and interest as confirmed in the Judicial Confirmatory Judgment from the People's Court of Futian District, Shenzhen and the Company is currently insolvent. However, as the Company is highly recognized in the industry with a large number of high-quality qualifications, showing that the Company has bankruptcy restructuring value, Kaihui has applied to Shenzhen Intermediate People's Court (the "Court") for bankruptcy restructuring of the Company on 10 August 2023. For details, please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 14 August 2023.

On 22 September 2023, the Company announced that "the Restructuring Transactions involves, inter alia, (1) the Debt Restructuring; (2) the Capital Reduction; (3) the proposed issue of new Domestic Shares under the Specific Mandate; (4) the proposed placing of new H Shares under the Specific Mandate; and (5) proposed amendment to the Articles; and continued suspension of trading". For details, please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 22 September 2023.

On 25 September 2023, the Company announced the "Inside Information — Bankruptcy Restructuring" that the Company has made an application to the Shenzhen Intermediate People's Court for bankruptcy restructuring. For details, please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 26 September 2023.

On 28 September 2023, the Company announced the "Announcement of Annual Results for the Year Ended 31 December 2022". For details, please refer to the announcement of the Company dated 28 September 2023.

The Company will inform and update its shareholders and other investors of any material development in relation to the above by way of announcement as and when appropriate.

Resumption Guidance and Continued Suspension of Trading

Under Rule 13.50A of the Listing Rules, in view of the disclaimer of opinion of auditor's report for year 2021 (other than the going concern disclaimer), trading in the shares of the Company on the Stock Exchange has been suspended with effect from 9:00 a.m. on 1 April 2022 and will remain suspended pending the Company's fulfillment of the Resumption Guidance (as defined below)

On 8 July 2022, the Company received a letter from the Stock Exchange referring to the disclaimer of opinion expressed by the Company's auditor, BDO China Shu Lun Pan Certified Public Accountants LLP on the Company's financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 in relation to (a) material uncertainties on going concern; and (b) the Company's account receivables, prepayment and contracts assets (the "Disclaimer of Opinion") and the letter set out the following guidance for the resumption of trading in the shares of the Company (the "Initial Resumption Guidance"):

- address the issues giving rise to the Disclaimer of Opinion, provide comfort that the Disclaimer of Opinion would no longer be required and disclose sufficient information to enable investors to make an informed assessment of its financial positions as required under Rule 13.50A of the Listing Rules; and
- inform the market of all material information for the Company's shareholders and investors to appraise the Company's position.

In light of the Company's failure to publish its annual results as of 31 December 2022 before 31 March 2023, the Company received a letter from the Stock Exchange dated 29 March 2023 setting out the additional resumption guidance (the "Additional Resumption Guidance"). The Company needs to publish all outstanding financial results and address any audit modifications

In addition to the Initial Resumption Guidance and the Additional Resumption Guidance, the Company received a letter dated 26 September 2023 from the Stock Exchange setting out the following further additional resumption guidance (the "Further Additional Resumption Guidance", together with the Initial Resumption Guidance and the Additional Resumption Guidance, the "Resumption Guidance"): the Company has to demonstrate compliance with Rule 13.24 of the Listing Rules.

The Stock Exchange reminded that during the suspension period, the Company should fulfill its obligations and responsibilities as set forth in the Resumption Guidance.

Under Rule 6.01A of the Listing Rules, the Stock Exchange may cancel the listing of any securities that have been suspended from trading for a continuous period of 18 months. In the case of the Company, the 18-month period expired on 30 September 2023. The Company is endeavouring to carry out various remedial measures. If the Company fails to remedy the issues causing its trading suspension, fully comply with the Listing Rules to the Stock Exchange's satisfaction and resume trading in its shares as soon as possible, the Listing Division of the Stock Exchange will recommend the Listing Committee of the Stock Exchange to proceed with the cancellation of the Company's listing.

Save as disclosed above, the Group does not have any material matters that are required to be disclosed from 30 June 2023 up to the date of this report.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

| | | For the six month | s ended 30 June |
|--|---|-------------------|-----------------|
| | Notes | 2023 | 2022 |
| | | RMB'000 | RMB'000 |
| | | (unaudited) | (unaudited) |
| Revenue | 6 | 43,794 | 104,830 |
| Cost of sales | 7 | (36,835) | (80,553) |
| COST OF Sales | / | (30,633) | (80,333) |
| Cost of sales | | 6,959 | 24,277 |
| esst of sales | | 0,555 | 21,277 |
| Selling and marketing expenses | 7 | (854) | (1,440) |
| Administrative expenses | 7 | (6,826) | (14,568) |
| Net impairment losses on financial and contract assets | 3.1.2 | 39,372 | (83,625) |
| Other income — net | 9 | 38,231 | (8,122) |
| | | | |
| Operating loss | | 76,882 | (83,478) |
| | | | |
| Finance income | | 31 | 65 |
| Finance costs | | (11,348) | (8,351) |
| _ | | (44.545) | (0.005) |
| Finance costs — net | 10 | (11,317) | (8,286) |
| | | | (0.4.75.4) |
| Loss before income tax | | 65,565 | (91,764) |
| Income tax expense | 11 | (1,322) | _ |
| income tax expense | • | (1,522) | |
| Loss for the period | | 64,243 | (91,764) |
| | | | |
| Other comprehensive income | | _ | _ |
| | | | |
| Total comprehensive income for the period | | 64,243 | (91,764) |
| | | | |
| Total loss and comprehensive income attributable to: | | | |
| Owners of the Company | | 64,243 | (91,764) |
| Owners of the Company | | V-1,2-13 | (31,704) |
| Earnings per share | | | |
| — Basic and diluted (RMB) | 12 | 0.27 | (0.38) |
| | | | |

The above consolidated statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

| | | As at 30 June | As at |
|---|-------|------------------|---------------------|
| | Notes | 2023 | 31 December 2022 |
| | Notes | RMB'000 | RMB'000 |
| ACCETC | | | |
| ASSETS Non-current assets | | | |
| Property and equipment | 15 | 45,586 | 46,757 |
| Right-of-use-assets | 13 | 43,360 | 40,737 |
| Investment properties | | 537 | 559 |
| Intangible assets | 16 | 8,361 | 8,495 |
| Other receivables | . 5 | _ | - |
| | | 54,484 | 55,811 |
| Current assets | | | |
| Inventories | | _ | _ |
| Contract assets | 5(a) | 2,892 | 5,524 |
| Trade receivables | 17 | 26,993 | 37,212 |
| Prepayments and other receivables | 18 | 10,090 | 15,441 |
| Restricted bank balance | 20 | 7,853 | 11,876 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 19 | 431 | 1,006 |
| eash and eash equivalents | | | |
| | | 48,259 | 71,059 |
| Total assets | | 102,743 | 126,870 |
| EQUITY | | | |
| Equity attributable to owners of the Company | | | |
| Share capital | 21 | 240,931 | 240,931 |
| Share premium | 21 | 323,070 | 323,070 |
| Other reserves | 22 | _ | |
| Retained earnings | | (1,131,226) | (1,195,470) |
| Total equity | | (567,225) | (631,469) |
| LIABILITIES | | | |
| LIABILITIES Non-current liabilities | | | |
| Lease liabilities | | | |
| Deferred revenue | | 1,340 | 1,412 |
| Provision | | 1,540 — | 1,412 |
| | | 1,340 | 1,412 |
| | | .,2 | .,2 |
| Current liabilities Trade and other payables | 23 | 396,511 | 483,874 |
| Contract liabilities | 5(a) | 364 | -105,074 |
| Contract liabilities | 24 | 240,272 | 241,572 |
| Provision | | 31,481 | 31,481 |
| 1,0,10,0 | | | |
| | | 660 630 | 756,927 |
| | | 668,628 | |
| Total liabilities | | 669,968 | 758,339 |
| Total liabilities Total equity and liabilities | | | |
| | | 669,968 | 758,339 |

The above consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes. The financial statements on pages 17 to 46 were approved by the board of directors on 20 October 2023 and were signed on its behalf.

| Director | Director |
|----------|----------|

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

| | Share capital <i>RMB'000</i> (Note 21) | Share premium <i>RMB'000</i> (Note 21) | Other reserves <i>RMB'000</i> (Note 22) | Retained earnings RMB'000 | Total <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|---|---|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Balance at 1 January 2022 Comprehensive income | 240,931 | 323,070 | 132 | (220,466) | 343,667 |
| — Loss for the year | | | | (975,004) | (975,004) |
| Total comprehensive income | _ | _ | _ | (975,004) | (975,004) |
| Issuance of ordinary shares | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Share issuance costs Transfer to statutory reserve | _ | _ | <u> </u> | | _ |
| Transfer to safety reserve Dividends for the year ended | _ | _ | (132) | _ | (132) |
| 31 December 2021 | | | | <u> </u> | |
| Balance at 31 December 2022 | 240,931 | 323,070 | _ | (1,195,470) | (631,469) |
| Balance at 1 January 2023 Comprehensive income | 240,931 | 323,070 | _ | (1,195,470) | (631,469) |
| Loss for the period | _ | _ | _ | 64,243 | 64,243 |
| Total comprehensive income for the period | _ | _ | _ | 64,243 | 64,243 |
| Issuance of ordinary shares (Note 21) | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Transfer to statutory reserve Transfer to safety reserve | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Balance at 30 June 2023 | 240,931 | 323,070 | _ | (1,131,227) | (567,226) |

The above consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

| | For the six month | ns ended 30 June |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Notes | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> (unaudited) | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (unaudited) |
| Cash flows from operating activities | | |
| Cash generated from operations 25 PRC enterprise income tax paid | 855 (128) | 3,129 (1,225) |
| PRC enterprise income tax paid | 727 | 1,904 |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | |
| Purchases of property and equipment Proceeds from disposal of property | _ | (16) 4 |
| Net cash inflow/(outflow) from investing activities | _ | (12) |
| Cash flows from financing activities | | |
| Proceeds from borrowings Repayments of borrowings | — (1,300) | — (4,671) |
| Interest paid Other cash paid related to financing activities | (1,500) — — | (3,786) |
| Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities | (1,300) | (8,476) |
| Not increase ((decrease) in each and each equivalents | (F72\ | (C EQ4) |
| Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year | (573) 1,006 | (6,584) 8,596 |
| Exchange losses on cash and cash equivalents | (2) | 1 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year 19 | 431 | 2,013 |

The above consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Guangdong Adway Construction (Group) Holdings Company Limited (the "Company") is a joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China (the "PRC") with limited liabilities. The Company's H shares are listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited. The registered and principal place of business of the Company is 3rd Floor, Pengyi Garden Building 1, Bagua No.1 Road, Futian District, Shenzhen, the PRC.

The Company and its subsidiaries (together the "Group") are principally engaged in provision of interior and exterior building decoration and design services in the PRC.

Mr. Ye Yujing ("Mr. Ye") and Mrs. Ye Xiujin ("Ms. Ye"), the wife of Mr. Ye, have been the controlling shareholders of the Group since its establishment.

These consolidated financial statements are presented in Renminbi ("RMB"), unless otherwise stated.

2 **SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

These notes provide a list of the significant accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements. Except for the new and amended standards as disclosed below, the policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented.

2.1 Basis of preparation

The consolidated financial statements of the Group have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRS") issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA") and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622). In addition, the consolidated financial statements also include applicable disclosures required by the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules").

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

2.2 Going concern

The Group incurred a net profit of approximately RMB64.24 million for the six months ended 30 June 2023 and. As at 30 June 2023, the Group had net current liabilities and net liabilities of approximately RMB620.37 million and RMB567.23 million, respectively. As at 30 June 2023, the Group's borrowing was approximately RMB240.27 million, while the Group had cash and cash equivalents of approximately RMB0.43 million. These conditions indicate the existence of material uncertainties which may cast significant doubt about the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. The directors of the Company have given careful consideration to the future liquidity of the Group and prepared cash flow projection for a period of not less than 12 months from the end of the reporting period, including the following plans and measures with the objective to mitigate the liquidity pressure of the Group:

- the Group is currently discussing with creditors and potential investors to carry out debt restructuring exercise for (i) the purpose of reducing the level of debts and obtain new funding to support the operation of the Group. In the opinion of the directors of the Company, the discussions with creditors and potential investors are constructive. At the same time, the Group has been actively communicating with creditors to resolve the pending of litigation cases.
- the Group is actively seeking for new sources of financing; and
- (iii) the Group will implement measures to control administrative costs to preserve liquidity of the Group.

The directors of the Company, taking into account the above plans and measures, are in the opinion that, they are satisfied that it is appropriate to prepare the consolidated financial statements on a going concern basis.

Should the Group be unable to operate as a going concern, adjustments would have to be made to write down the carrying amounts of the assets to their recoverable amounts, to provide for any further liabilities that may arise and to reclassify non-current assets and non-current liabilities as current assets and current liabilities respectively. The effects of these adjustments have not been reflected in the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2023.

2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

2.3 New and amended standards adopted by the Group

The Group has applied the following standards and amendments for the first time for their annual reporting period commencing on 1 January 2022:

| Amendment to HKFRS 16 | Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions beyond 30 June 2021 |
|-----------------------|--|
| Amendments to HKFRS 3 | Reference to the Conceptual Framework |
| 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 |

Effective for annual periods beginning on or after

| HKFRS 17 (including Amendments to HKFRS | Insurance Contracts | 1 January 2023 |
|--|---|----------------|
| 17 in October 2020 and February 2022) | | |
| Amendments to HKAS 1 | Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current and Amendments to Hong Kong Interpretation 5 (2020) | 1 January 2023 |
| Amendments to HKAS 1 and HKFRS Practice Statement 2 | Disclosure of Accounting Policies | 1 January 2023 |
| Amendments to HKAS 8 | Definition of Accounting Estimates | 1 January 2023 |
| Amendments to HKAS 12 | Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single | 1 January 2023 |
| | Transaction | |

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

2.4 New standards, amended standards and interpretations not yet adopted

The following new standards, amended standards and interpretations have been published but are not mandatory for the reporting period ended 30 June 2023 and have not been adopted by the Group in advance:

Effective for annual periods beginning on or after

| Amendments to HKFRS 16 | Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback | 1 January 2024 |
|------------------------------------|---|------------------|
| Amendments to HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28 | Sale or Contribution of Assets between an | To be determined |
| | Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture | |

The Group has already commenced an assessment of the impact of these new or revised standards and amendments, certain of which are relevant to the Group's operations. According to the preliminary assessment made by the Group, no significant impact on the financial performance and position of the Group is expected when they become effective.

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.5 Principles of consolidation and equity accounting

Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are all entities over which the Group has control, including the structured entities. The Group controls an entity when the Group is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power to direct the activities of the entity. Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Group. They are deconsolidated from the date that control ceases.

Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between group companies are eliminated. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of an impairment of the transferred asset. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies.

(ii) Changes in ownership interests

The Group treats transactions with non-controlling interests that do not result in a loss of control as transactions with equity owners of the Group. A change in ownership interest results in an adjustment between the carrying amounts of the controlling and non-controlling interests to reflect their relative interests in the related subsidiary. Any difference between the amount of the adjustment to non-controlling interests and any consideration paid or received is recognised in a separate reserve within equity attributable to owners of the Group.

When the Group ceases to consolidate or equity account for an investment because of a loss of control, joint control or significant influence, any retained interest in the entity is re-measured to its fair value with the change in carrying amount recognised in profit or loss. The fair value is the initial carrying amount for the purposes of subsequently accounting for the retained interest as an associate, joint venture or financial asset. In addition, any amounts previously recognised in other comprehensive income in respect of that entity are accounted for as if the Group had directly disposed of the related assets or liabilities. This may mean that amounts previously recognised in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss or transferred to another category of equity as specified/permitted by applicable HKFRS.

2.6 Separate financial statements

Investments in subsidiaries are accounted for at cost less impairment. Cost includes direct attributable costs of investment. The results of subsidiaries are accounted for by the company on the basis of dividend received and

Impairment testing of the investments in subsidiaries is required upon receiving a dividend from these investments if the dividend exceeds the total comprehensive income of the subsidiary in the period the dividend is declared or if the carrying amount of the investment in the separate financial statements exceeds the carrying amount in the consolidated financial statements of the investee's net assets (including goodwill).

2.7 Segment reporting

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker ("CODM"). The CODM, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified as the executive directors that make strategic decisions.

2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

2.8 Foreign currency translation

(i) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of each of the Group's entities are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (the "Functional Currency"). The consolidated financial statements are presented in RMB, which is the Company's functional and the Group's presentation currency.

(ii) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at year end exchange rates are generally recognised in profit or loss. They are deferred in equity if they relate to qualifying cash flow hedges and qualifying net investment hedges or are attributable to part of the net investment in a foreign operation.

Foreign exchange gains and losses that relate to borrowings are presented in the statement of profit or loss, within finance costs. All other foreign exchange gains and losses are presented in the statement of profit or loss on a net basis within other income or other expenses.

2.9 Property and equipment

Property and equipment are stated at historical cost less depreciation, if any. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of any component accounted for as a separate asset is derecognised when replaced. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the reporting period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation on property and equipment is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate their cost to their residual values over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

| Buildings | 30 years |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Building improvements | 5 years |
| Machinery | 10 years |
| Motor vehicles | 5 years |
| Furniture and office equipment | 5 years |

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with carrying amount and included in profit or loss.

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.10 Investment properties

Investment properties, principally comprising buildings, is held for long-term rental yields and is not occupied by the Group. Investment property is initially measured at cost, including related transaction costs and where applicable borrowing costs. The Group adopts the cost model for subsequent measurement of investment properties. Buildings are depreciated to their estimated net residual values over their estimated useful lives. The estimated useful lives, the estimated net residual values that are expressed as a percentage of cost and the annual depreciation rates of investment properties are as follows:

Buildings 30 years

The carrying amount of investment properties shall be reduced to the recoverable amount if the recoverable amount is below the carrying amount.

2.11 Intangible assets

Acquired computer software are capitalised on the basis of costs incurred to acquire and bring to use the specific software.

The Group amortises intangible assets with a limited useful life of 3 to 5 years using the straight-line method.

2.12 Impairment of non-financial assets

Assets that are subject to amortisation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets (cash-generating units). Non-financial assets other than goodwill that suffered an impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at each reporting period.

2.13 Investments and other financial assets

Classification (i)

The Group classifies its financial assets only in the category of assets to be measured at amortised cost. The classification depends on the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual terms of the cash flows.

(ii) Recognition and derecognition

Regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on the trade-date, the date on which the Group commits to purchase or sell the asset. Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or have been transferred and the Group has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

(iii) Measurement

At initial recognition, the Group measures a financial asset at fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset.

Subsequent measurement of debt instruments depends on the Group's business model for managing the asset and the cash flow characteristics of the asset. The only measurement category into which the Group classifies its debt instruments is at amortised cost. Under this category, assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows where those cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest are measured at amortised cost. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income using the effective interest rate method. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition is recognised directly in profit or loss and presented in other gains/ (losses) together with foreign exchange gains and losses. Impairment losses are presented as separate line item in the statement of profit or loss.

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.13 Investments and other financial assets (Continued)

(iv) Impairment

The Group assesses on a forward-looking basis the expected credit losses associated with its debt instruments carried at amortised cost. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk.

For trade receivables, the Group applies the simplified approach permitted by HKFRS 9, which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognised from initial recognition of the receivables, see note 3.1.2 for further details.

2.14 Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is determined using the weighted average method. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

2.15 Trade receivables

Trade receivables are amounts due from customers for goods sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business. If collection of trade receivables is expected in one year or less (or in the normal operating cycle of the business if longer), they are classified as current assets; If not, they are presented as non-current assets.

Trade receivables are recognised initially at the amount of consideration that is unconditional unless they contain significant financing components, when they are recognised at fair value. The Group holds the trade receivables with the objective to collect the contractual cash flows and therefore measures them subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method. See notes 2.12 and 2.13 for further information about the Group's accounting for trade receivables and for a description of the Group's impairment policies.

2.16 Cash and cash equivalents

In the consolidated statements of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand and at bank. Bank deposits which are restricted to use are included in "Restricted bank balance". Restricted bank balance is excluded from cash and cash equivalents included in the consolidated statements of cash flows.

2.17 Share Capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

2.18 Trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Group prior to the end of financial year which are unpaid. Trade payables are classified as current liabilities unless payment is not due within 12 months after the reporting period.

Trade and other payables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

2.19 Borrowings

Borrowings are initially recognised at fair value, net of transaction costs incurred. Borrowings are subsequently carried at amortised cost. Any difference between the proceeds (net of transaction costs) and the redemption value is recognised in profit or loss over the period of the borrowings using the effective interest method.

Fees paid on the establishment of loan facilities are recognised as transaction costs of the loan to the extent that it is probable that some or all of the facility will be drawn down. In this case, the fee is deferred until the draw-down occurs. To the extent there is no evidence that it is probable that some or all of the facility will be drawn down, the fee is capitalised as a pre-payment for liquidity services and amortised over the period of the facility to which it relates.

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.19 Borrowings (Continued)

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the Group has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the end of the reporting period.

2.20 Borrowing costs

General and specific borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are capitalised during the period of time that is required to complete and prepare the asset for its intended use or sale. Qualifying assets are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get 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 costs eligible for capitalisation.

Other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

2.21 Current and deferred income tax

The income tax expense or credit for the period is the tax payable on the current period's taxable income based on the applicable income tax rate for each jurisdiction adjusted by changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences and to unused tax losses.

Current income tax

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period in the countries where the Company and its subsidiaries operate and generate taxable income. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulation is subject to interpretation. It establishes provisions where appropriate on the basis of amounts expected to be paid to the tax authorities.

Deferred income tax

Deferred income tax is provided in full, using the liability method, on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the consolidated financial statements. However, deferred tax liabilities are not recognised if they arise from the initial recognition of goodwill. Deferred income tax is not accounted for if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss. Deferred income tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date and are expected to apply when the related deferred income tax asset is realised or the deferred income tax liability is settled.

Deferred income tax assets are recognised only if it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

Deferred tax liabilities and assets are not recognised for temporary differences between the carrying amount and tax bases of investments in foreign operations where the Company is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences and it is probable that the differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and when the deferred tax balances relate to the same taxation authority. Current tax assets and tax liabilities are offset where the entity has a legally enforceable right to offset and intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Current and deferred tax is recognised in profit or loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. In this case, the tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.22 Employee benefits

Short-term obligations

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits and accumulating sick leave that are expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service are recognised in respect of employees' services up to the end of the reporting period and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. The liabilities are presented as current employee benefit obligations in the balance sheet.

(ii) Pension obligations

In accordance with the rules and regulations in the PRC, the PRC based employees of the Group participate in defined contribution retirement benefit plans organised by the relevant municipal and provincial governments in the PRC under which the Group and the PRC based employees are required to make monthly contributions to these plans calculated as a percentage of the employees' salaries, subject to certain ceiling.

The municipal and provincial governments undertake to assume the retirement benefit obligations of all existing and future retired PRC based employees' payable under the plans described above. Other than the monthly contributions, the Group has no obligation for the payment of retirement and other post-retirement benefits of its employees. The Group's contributions to these plans are expensed as incurred.

(iii) Termination benefits

Termination benefits are payable when employment is terminated by the Group before the normal retirement date, or whenever an employee accepts voluntary redundancy in exchange for these benefits. The Group recognises termination benefits at the earlier of the following dates: (a) when the Group can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits; and (b) when the entity recognises costs for a restructuring that is within the scope of HKAS 37 and involves the payment of termination benefits.

(iv) Housing funds, medical insurances and other social insurances

Employees of the group companies in the PRC are entitled to participate in various government-supervised housing funds, medical insurance and other employee social insurance plan. The Group contributes on a monthly basis to these funds based on certain percentages of the salaries of the employees, subject to certain ceiling. The Group's liability in respect of these funds is limited to the contributions payable in each year.

(v) Bonus entitlements

The expected costs of bonus payments are recognised as a liability when the Group has a present contractual or constructive obligation as a result of services rendered by employees and a reliable estimate of the obligation can be made.

2.23 Government grants

Grants from the government are recognised at their fair value where there is a reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and the Group will comply with all attached conditions.

Government grants relating to costs are deferred and recognised in the consolidated income statement over the period necessary to match them with the costs that they are intended to compensate.

Government grants related to property and equipment are included in non-current liabilities as deferred revenue and are included in the consolidated income statement on a straight-line basis over the expected useful lives of the related

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.24 Revenue recognition

Revenues are recognised when or as the control of the asset is transferred to the customer. Depending on the terms of the contract and the laws that apply to the contract, control of the asset may transfer over time or at a point in time. Control of the asset is transferred over time if the Group's performance:

- Provides all of the benefits received and consumed simultaneously by the customer; or
- Creates and enhances an asset that the customer controls as the Group performs; or
- No assets have been created that have other uses for the Group and the Group has an enforceable claim for payment for the portion of the performance completed to date.

When control of goods and services is transferred over time, the progress towards complete satisfaction of performance obligation is measured based on one of the following methods that best depicts the Group's performance in satisfying the performance obligation:

- Direct measurements of the value of individual services transferred by the Group to the customer (output method); or
- The Group's efforts or inputs to the satisfaction of the performance obligation (input method).

(i) **Construction contracts**

The Group generates revenue by providing interior and exterior building decoration and design services under construction contracts. The Group determines that revenue from construction contracts satisfies the performance obligation over time, for the performance of construction contracts creates or enhances an asset that the customer controls as the asset is created or enhanced. The Group recognises revenue over time based on the percentage of completion, using input method as measured by the proportion that contract costs incurred for work performed to date relative to the estimated total contract costs in accordance with HKFRS 15.

The excess of cumulative revenue recognised over the cumulative billings to customers is recognised as contract assets. The excess of cumulative billings to customers over the cumulative revenue recognised is recognised as contract liabilities.

Upon the completion of construction work, normally 5% to 10% of the contract price will be retained by customers as quality guarantee and will be refunded after a one-or two-year's warranty period. The Group does not intend to give a financing to the customer through retention. The Group makes efforts to collect such retention and timely monitor the credit risk.

There is no material contract fulfilment cost or cost of obtaining contracts incurred by the Group.

(ii) Rendering of services

The Group provides design services to external parties. Design fee is recognised as revenue in the accounting period in which the services are rendered, by reference to the amount provided in the service period stipulated in the contract.

(iii) Sales of goods

Sales of goods are recognised when the Group has delivered products to the customer; the customer has accepted the products and collectability of the related receivables is reasonably assured.

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.25 Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing:

- the profit attributable to owners of the Group, excluding any costs of servicing equity other than ordinary shares
- by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for bonus elements in ordinary shares issued during the year and excluding treasury shares.

(ii) Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per share to take into account:

- the after-income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential ordinary shares, and
- the weighted average number of additional ordinary shares that would have been outstanding assuming the conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares.

2.26 Interest income

Interest income on financial assets at amortised cost which calculated using the effective interest method is recognised in the statement of profit or loss as part of other income.

Interest income is presented as finance income where it is earned from financial assets that are held for cash management purposes, see note 10 below. Any other interest income is included in other income.

Interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of a financial asset except for financial assets that subsequently become credit-impaired. For credit-impaired financial assets, the effective interest rate is applied to the net carrying amount of the financial asset (after deduction of the loss allowance).

2.27 Leases

Leases are recognised as a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use by the Group.

Assets and liabilities arising from a lease are initially measured on a present value basis. Lease liabilities include the net present value of the following lease payments:

- the fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments), less any lease incentives receivable;
- the variable lease payment that are based on an index or a rate;
- the amounts expected to be payable by the lessee under residual value guarantees;
- the exercise price of a purchase option if the Group is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and
- the payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the Group exercising that option.

The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease. If that rate cannot be determined, which is generally the case for leases in the Group, the lessee's incremental borrowing rate is used, being the rate that the lessee would have to pay to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of similar value in a similar economic environment with similar terms and conditions.

SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued) 2

2.27 Leases (Continued)

To determine the incremental borrowing rate, the Group uses recent third-party financing received by the individual lessee as a starting point, adjusted to reflect changes in financing conditions since third party financing was received.

Lease payments are allocated between the liability and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to profit or loss over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period.

The right-of-use assets are generally depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term on a straight-line basis.

Right-of-use assets are measured at cost comprising the following:

- the amount of the initial measurement of lease liability,
- any lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received,
- any initial direct costs, and
- the restoration costs.

Payments associated with short-term leases and leases of low-value assets are recognised on a straight-line basis as an expense in profit or loss. Short-term leases are leases with a lease term of 12 months or less.

The Company applies the short-term lease recognition exemption to leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option. It also applies the recognition exemption for lease of low-value assets. Lease payments on short-term leases and leases of low-value assets are recognised as expense on a straight-line basis or another systematic basis over the lease term.

2.28 Dividend distribution

Dividend distribution to the Company's shareholders is recognised as a liability in the Group's financial statements in the period in which the dividends are approved by the Company's shareholders.

3 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

3.1 Financial risk factors

The Group's activities expose the Group to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including foreign exchange risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The Group's overall risk management programme focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the Group's financial performance. Risk management is carried out by the financial department under policies approved by the board of directors.

3.1.1 Market risk

Foreign exchange risk

The majority of the Group's business and all bank borrowings are denominated and accounted for in RMB. Therefore, the Group does not have significant exposure to foreign exchange fluctuation. The Board does not expect that the fluctuation of RMB exchange rate and other foreign exchange fluctuations will have material impact on the business operations or financial results of the Group. The Group currently has no hedging policy with respect to the foreign exchange risks. Therefore, the Group has not entered into any hedging to management potential fluctuation in foreign currency.

FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued) 3

3.1 Financial risk factors (Continued)

3.1.1 Market risk (Continued)

Interest rate risk

The Group's interest rate risk mainly arises from borrowings. The Group regularly seeks the most favourable interest rates available for borrowings. Borrowings issued at variable rates expose the Group to cash flow interest rate risk. As at 30 June 2023, if the market interest rates had been higher with all other variables held constant, post-tax loss for the year would have been higher.

The Group has not entered into any interest rate swaps to hedge its exposure to interest rate risks.

3.1.2 Credit risk

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, trade receivables, contract assets and deposits and retention receivables recorded as other receivables.

The carrying amount of these balances in the consolidated statement of financial position represents the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk in relation to its financial and contract assets. The management has a credit policy in place and the exposure to these credit risks are monitored on an ongoing basis.

Risk management

Majority of the Group's cash and cash equivalents are placed in those banks incorporated in the PRC which are reputable local listed commercial banks or state-owned bank. The management does not expect any losses from non-performance by these banks and financial institutions as they have no default history in the past.

In respect of trade receivables, contract assets and deposits and retention receivables, which related to the construction customers, periodical credit evaluations are performed taking into account the customers' financial position, past experience and other factors. Credit limits are also set based on internal risk assessment results for individual customer. The Group generally requires customers to settle progress billings in accordance with contracted terms and other debts in accordance with agreements. Normally, the Group does not obtain collateral from customers.

Impairment of financial assets

The Group has three types of assets that are subject to the expected credit loss model:

- Trade receivables,
- Contract assets relating to construction contracts, and
- Deposits and retention receivables relating to construction contracts recorded as other receivables.

The Group applies the HKFRS 9 simplified approach to measuring expected credit losses which uses a lifetime expected loss allowance for all trade receivables and contract assets.

To measure the expected credit losses of trade receivables and contract assets, individual credit evaluation on significant customers is performed by the management. These evaluation focuses on the customer payment history and current and future ability for payment, taking into account the information specific to the customer as well as pertaining to the current and future general economic environment in which the customer operated.

For the customers who are not subject to individual credit evaluation or individually assessed as not impaired, the management collectively assess the expected credit losses taking into account the aging analysis and the history of bad debt losses in respect of those groups of customers. The historical loss rates are adjusted to reflect current and forward-looking information affecting the ability of the customers and debtors to settle the receivables.

FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued) 3

3.1 Financial risk factors (Continued)

3.1.2 Credit risk (Continued)

Impairment of financial assets (Continued)

The impairment on deposits and retention receivables is measured as either 12-month expected credit losses or lifetime expected credit losses, depending on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition.

For other receivables, the Group makes the periodic collective assessment as well as the individual assessment on the recoverability based on past experience and forward-looking information.

The closing loss allowances for trade receivables, contract assets and other receivables as at 30 June 2023 reconcile to the opening loss allowances as follows:

| | Trade receivables <i>RMB'000</i> | Contract assets <i>RMB'000</i> | Other receivables <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| As at 1 January 2023 Provision for impairment Written off Reversal of provision | 751,862 — (12,103) — | 19,437 7,165 — — | 65,814 — (8,288) — |
| As at 30 June 2023 | 739,759 | 26,602 | 57,526 |

The closing loss allowances for trade receivables, contract assets and other receivables as at 31 December 2022 reconcile to the opening loss allowances as follows:

| | Trade receivables <i>RMB'000</i> | Contract assets <i>RMB'000</i> | Other receivables <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| As at 1 January 2022 | 501,341 | 540,048 | 18,239 |
| Provision for impairment | 751,862 | 19,437 | 127,879 |
| Written off | (501,341) | (540,048) | (80,304) |
| Reversal of provision | _ | _ | _ |
| | | | |
| As at 31 December 2022 | 751,862 | 19,437 | 65,814 |

Trade receivables, contract assets and other receivables are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited into profit or

While cash and cash equivalents are also subject to the impairment requirements of HKFRS 9, the identified impairment loss was immaterial.

FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued) 3

3.1 Financial risk factors (Continued)

3.1.3 Liquidity risk

The Group's policy is to regularly monitor current and expected liquidity requirements and its compliance with debt covenants, to ensure that it maintains sufficient reserves of cash and adequate committed lines of funding from banks and other financial institutions to meet their liquidity requirements in the short and longer term.

Management devotes to tighten its credit terms to customers and fasten its collection of debtors by available means in order to maintain sufficient cash to meet the obligations. Moreover, the Group continues to explore its available funding through different financial facilities to maintain sufficient flexibility in funding as well. The Group closely monitors its policies to maintain sufficient cash flows and ensure they are effective. Management considers that there is no significant liquidity risk as the Group has sufficient committed facilities to fund its operations.

The table below analyses the Group's non-derivative financial liabilities that will be settled on a net basis into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the consolidated balance sheets date to the contractual maturity date. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows. Balances due within 12 months equal their carrying balances, as the impact of discounting is not significant.

| | Less than 1 year <i>RMB'000</i> | Over 1 year <i>RMB'000</i> | Total <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| As at 30 June 2023 | | | |
| Borrowings | 259,178 | _ | 259,178 |
| Trade and other payables (excluding other tax | 200, | | 233, |
| payable and payroll payable) | 353,426 | _ | 353,426 |
| Lease liabilities | _ | _ | _ |
| Estimated liabilities | 31,481 | _ | 31,481 |
| | | | |
| | 644,085 | _ | 644,085 |
| | | | |
| As at 31 December 2022 | | | |
| Borrowings | 260,478 | _ | 260,478 |
| Trade and other payables (excluding other tax | | | |
| payable and payroll payable) | 454,384 | _ | 454,384 |
| Lease liabilities | _ | _ | _ |
| Estimated liabilities | 31,481 | | 31,481 |
| | | | |
| | 746,343 | | 746,343 |

3.2 Capital management

The Group's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the amount of dividends paid to the shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt.

Consistent with the other companies in the industry, the Group monitors capital on the basis of the gearing ratio. This ratio is calculated as net debt divided by total capital. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings less cash and cash equivalents. Total capital is calculated as "equity" as shown in the consolidated statement of financial position plus net debt.

FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued) 3

3.2 Capital management (Continued)

As of 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Group's strategy was to maintain the gearing ratio at a reasonable level. The gearing ratios as at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022 were as follows:

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|--|--|
| Total borrowings <i>(Note 24)</i> Lease liabilities Less: cash and cash equivalents <i>(Note 19)</i> | 240,272 — 431 | 241,572 — 1,006 |
| Net debt Total equity | 239,841 (567,225) | 240,567 (631,469) |
| Total capital | (327,384) | (390,902) |
| Gearing ratio | -73.26% | -61.54% |

The Group has complied with the loan covenants throughout the reporting period.

3.3 Fair value estimation

The Group's financial assets and financial liabilities are mainly receivables and payables, respectively, which are carried at amortised cost. The fair values of these financial instruments approximate their carrying amounts.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

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

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

Recognition of revenue

The Group recognises the revenue over time based on the percentage of completion, using input methods in accordance with HKFRS 15. The percentage of completion is determined by the aggregated cost for the individual contract incurred at the end of the reporting period compared with the estimated budgeted cost. Because of the nature of the activity undertaken in construction contracts, the date at which the contract activity is entered into and the date when the activity is completed usually fall into different accounting period. The Group reviews and revises the estimates of contract revenue, contract costs, variation orders and contract claims prepared for each construction contract as the contract progresses and regularly reviews the progress of the contracts.

(b) Impairment of trade receivables and contract assets

The expected credit losses for trade receivables and contract assets are based on assumptions about risk of default and expected loss rates. The Group uses judgement in making these assumptions and selecting the inputs to the impairment calculation, based on the Group's assessment on customer payment history and current and future ability for payment taking into account the information specific to the customer as well as pertaining to the current and future general economic environment in which the customer operated. Details of management's credit risk assessment are disclosed in the tables in Note 3.1.2.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS (Continued)

Income taxes and deferred taxation

The Group is subject to income taxes in the PRC. Judgement is required in determining the provision for income taxes. There are many transactions and calculations for which the ultimate determination is uncertain during the ordinary course of business. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the amounts that were initially recorded, such difference will impact the income tax and deferred tax provision in the year in which such determination is made

SEGMENT INFORMATION 5

Management has determined the operating segments based on the reports reviewed by CODM. The CODM, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segment, has been identified as the executive directors of the Company.

The Group is principally engaged in provision of interior and exterior building decoration and design services in the PRC. Management reviews the operating results of the business as one segment to make decisions about resources to be allocated. Therefore, the board of directors of the Company regards that there is only one segment which is used to make strategic decisions. Revenue and profit before income tax are the measures reported to the executive directors for the purpose of resources allocation and performance assessment.

All of the operating entities of the Group are domiciled in the PRC. Accordingly, all of the Group's revenue is derived in the PRC during the six months ended 30 June 2023 (2022: same).

As at 30 June 2023, all of the non-current assets were located in the PRC (2022: same).

Assets and liabilities related to contracts with customers

The Group has recognised the following assets and liabilities related to contracts with customers:

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|--|--|
| Contract assets relating to construction contracts Loss allowance (Note 3.1.2) | 29,494 (26,602) | 24,961 (19,437) |
| Total contract assets | 2,892 | 5,524 |
| Contract liabilities relating to construction contracts | 364 | _ |

Significant changes in contract assets and liabilities

Contract assets have decreased as the Group has provided less services ahead of billing for certain construction contracts. The Group also recognised a loss allowance for contract assets following the adoption of HKFRS 9, see note 3.1.2 (ii) for further information.

Contract liabilities represented the billing progress in excess of the construction works performed and the advance payment made by customers. Contract liabilities increased by RMB363,780 as a result of the receipts from the Company's new contracts.

REVENUE

| | For the six mont | For the six months ended 30 June | |
|--|------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> | |
| Revenue from construction contracts Sales, design and other income | 43,717 77 | 104,405 425 | |
| Total | 43,794 | 104,830 | |

7 **EXPENSES BY NATURE**

For the six months ended 30 June

| | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|
| | | |
| Raw materials and consumables used | _ | 2,988 |
| Cost of construction projects | 36,835 | 80,553 |
| Staff costs (including directors' emoluments) (Note 8) | 3,491 | 8,177 |
| Consultancy and professional fees | 1,902 | 345 |
| Depreciation and amortisation expenses | 1,144 | 1,273 |
| Other taxes | 189 | 74 |
| Travelling expenses | 72 | 213 |
| Entertainment expenses | 211 | 740 |
| Office expenses | 237 | 88 |
| Miscellaneous expenses | 434 | 2,110 |
| | | |
| Total cost of sales, selling and marketing expenses and administrative expenses | 44,515 | 96,561 |

STAFF COSTS (INCLUDING DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS)

For the six months ended 30 June

| | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|
| Salaries, wages and bonuses Housing funds, medical insurances and other social insurances | 2,930 561 | 6,662 1,515 |
| | 3,491 | 8,177 |

9 OTHER INCOME — NET

| For the | six m | onths | ended | 30 | lune |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|----|------|
| | | | | | |

| | ror the six months ended 30 June | |
|---|----------------------------------|---------|
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | RMB'000 | RMB'000 |
| | | |
| Government grants (a) | 291 | 98 |
| Rental income from investment properties | 628 | 237 |
| Disposal of property, plant and equipment | (19) | (1) |
| Others | 46,104 | 148 |
| | | |
| | 47,003 | 483 |
| Outgoings related to rental income | (182) | (182) |
| Litigation compensation | (8,590) | (8,422) |
| Others | _ | _ |
| | | |
| | (8,772) | (8,605) |
| | 38,231 | (8,122) |

⁽a) Government grants are under no unfulfilled conditions or other contingencies attaching to these grants. The Group did not benefit directly from any other forms of government assistance.

10 FINANCIAL COST — NET

For the six months ended 30 June

| | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|
| Finance Income — Interest income derived from bank deposits | 31 | 65 |
| — interest income derived from bank deposits | 31 | 03 |
| Finance costs — Interest expense on borrowings — Interest expense on lease liabilities | (11,348) — | (8,328) (23) |
| | (11,348) | (8,351) |
| | (11,317) | (8,286) |

11 INCOME TAX EXPENSES

| | For the six months ended 30 Jur | |
|--|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
| Current Income Tax | 1,322 | |
| — PRC Enterprise Income Tax Deferred income tax | 1,322 | |
| | 1,322 | _ |

The current tax mainly represents the provision for PRC Enterprise Income Tax ("EIT") for companies operating in the PRC. These companies are subject to EIT on their taxable income as reported in their respective statutory financial statements (as adjusted in accordance with the relevant PRC tax laws and regulations).

Pursuant to the Law of the PRC on Enterprise Income Tax (the "EIT Law"), the enterprise income tax rate for domestic enterprises and foreign-invested enterprises is 25%. On 9 December 2022, the Company renewed its high-tech enterprise certificate for a period of three years commencing from 1 January 2022. The applicable income tax rate for the years from 2024 to 2022 is 15%. The Company is subject to a corporate income tax rate of 15%. The Company is subject to a corporate income tax rate of 15%. Assuming there is no change in the relevant laws and regulations, the Directors are of the view that the Company will continue to be granted preferential tax treatment by applying for the renewal of the certificate and therefore a tax rate of 15% has been applied in considering the deferred income tax. All other PRC entities of the Group are subject to EIT at the rate of 25% under the EIT Law.

12 LOSS PER SHARE

The calculation of basic loss per share is based on the loss attributable to the owners of the Company divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the six months ended 30 June 2023 and 30 June 2022

| | For the six month | is ended 30 June |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|
| | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
| Loss attributable to owners of the Company (RMB'000) Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue (thousands) | 64,243 240,931 | (91,764) 240,931 |
| Basic loss per share (RMB) | 0.27 | (0.38) |

The Company did not have any potential ordinary shares outstanding during the six months ended 30 June 2023 and 30 June 2022. Diluted loss per share for the six months ended 30 June 2023 and 30 June 2022 are the same as the basic loss per share.

13 DIVIDEND

The Board does not recommend the payment of any final dividend for the six months ended 30 June 2023.

14 SUBSIDIARIES

The Group's subsidiaries at 30 June 2023 are set out below. Unless otherwise stated, they have share capital consisting solely of ordinary shares that are held directly by the Group, and the proportion of ownership interests held equals the voting rights held by the Group. The country of incorporation or registration is also their principal place of business.

| Name | Type of legal entity | Place of incorporation/ establishment | Principal activities and place of operation | Registered/ paid-up capital | Proportion of ordinary shares directly held by the parent company |
|--|------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------|---|
| Jingdi Industrial (Shenzhen) Company Limited (景帝實業(深圳)有限公司) | Limited Liability Company | Shenzhen, the PRC | Industrial and commercial investment (specific programme to be declared separately); Supply chain management; import and export trading; China | RMB10,100,000 | 100% |
| Huidong Yip's Development Company Limited (惠東葉氏實業發展有限公司) | Limited Liability Company | Huizhou, the PRC | Development and construction of industrial parks; China | RMB500,000 | 100% |
| Huidong Shikuan Decorative Furniture Creative Culture Company Limited (惠東士寛 裝飾家私創藝文化有限公司) | Limited Liability Company | Huizhou, the PRC | Design and sale of mobile and stationary furniture suitable for building decoration works and soft furnishing products; China | RMB500,000 | 100% |
| Adway Construction (Hong Kong) Limited | Limited Liability Company | Hong Kong | Import and export of building decoration and construction materials; Hong Kong | HKD10,000 | 100% |

15 PROPERTIES AND EQUIPMENT

| | | | | Furniture | |
|--|----------------------|--------------------|---|---|-------------------------|
| | Construction RMB'000 | Machine RMB'000 | Motorised vehicles <i>RMB'000</i> | and office equipment <i>RMB'000</i> | Total <i>RMB'000</i> |
| For the year ended | | | | | |
| 31 December 2022 | | | | | |
| Opening net book amount | 47,855 | 78 | 758 | 473 | 49,163 |
| Acquisitions | _ | 54 | - | 2 | 56 |
| Disposals | (2.050) | (2.4) | (5) | (6) | (11) |
| Depreciation | (2,058) | (24) | (240) | (129) | (2,451) |
| Closing net book amount | 45,797 | 108 | 513 | 339 | 46,757 |
| | | | | | |
| As at 31 December 2022 | | | | | |
| Cost | 90,160 | 239 | 7,508 | 5,968 | 103,875 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (44,363) | (132) | (6,995) | (5,629) | (57,118) |
| Net book value | 45,797 | 108 | 513 | 339 | 46,757 |
| For the six months ended 30 June 2023 | | | | | |
| Opening net book amount | 45,797 | 107 | 513 | 340 | 46,757 |
| Acquisitions | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Disposals | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Depreciation | (1,043) | (15) | (101) | (12) | (1,171) |
| Closing net book amount | 44,754 | 92 | 412 | 328 | 45,586 |
| As at 30 June 2023 | | | | | |
| Cost | 90,160 | 239 | 7.509 | 5,967 | 103,875 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (45,406) | (147) | (7,007) | (5,639) | (58,289) |
| Net hook value | 44 754 | 92 | 502 | 328 | 45,586 |
| Net book value | 44,754 | 92 | 502 | 328 | 45,58 |

16 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

| | As at | As at |
|--|---------|-------------|
| | 30 June | 31 December |
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | RMB'000 | RMB'000 |
| As at 1 January | | |
| Cost | 6,646 | 6,646 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (6,646) | |
| Net book value | _ | 21 |
| During the year | | |
| During the year Opening net book amount | | 21 |
| Acquisitions | _ | _ |
| Depreciation | _ | (21) |
| | | , |
| Closing net book amount | | _ |
| As at 30 June | | |
| Cost | 6,646 | 6,646 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (6,646) | (6,646) |
| Net book value | _ | _ |
| RADE RECEIVABLES | | |
| | As at | As at |
| | 30 June | 31 December |
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | PMP'000 | PN/P'()()() |

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| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|--|--|
| Trade receivables | 766,752 | 789,074 |
| Less: provision for impairment of trade receivables | (739,759) | (751,862) |
| Trade receivables — net | 26,993 | 37,212 |
| Bills receivable | — | — |
| | 26,993 | 37,212 |

17 TRADE RECEIVABLES (Continued)

The ageing analysis of trade receivables based on the date of revenue recognition is as follows:

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|-------------------|--|--|
| | | |
| within 1 year | 206,285 | 169,835 |
| 1 to 2 years | 164,403 | 174,122 |
| 2 to 3 years | 38,621 | 40,055 |
| 3 to 4 years | 236,970 | 279,822 |
| 4 to 5 years | 30,043 | 30,722 |
| More than 5 years | 90,430 | 94,518 |
| | | |
| | 766,752 | 789,074 |

The carrying amounts of trade receivables and bills receivable approximate their fair values due to their short maturities. The Group's trade receivables are denominated in Renminbi.

18 PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

| | As at | As at |
|---|----------|-------------|
| | 30 June | 31 December |
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | RMB'000 | RMB'000 |
| | | |
| Prepayments | _ | _ |
| Other receivables — net | 10,090 | 15,441 |
| | | |
| | 10,090 | 15,441 |
| | | |
| Less: non-current portion | | |
| Security deposit | _ | _ |
| Retention receivables | | _ |
| | | |
| | | _ |
| | | |
| | 10,090 | 15,441 |
| Other receivables | | |
| The receivables | | |
| | As at | As at |
| | 30 June | 31 December |
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | RMB'000 | RMB'000 |
| | | |
| Other receivables | 67,616 | 81,255 |
| Less: provision for impairment of other receivables | (57,526) | (65,814) |
| | | |
| Other receivables — net | 10,090 | 15,441 |

19 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|--|--|
| Denominated in RMB — Bank deposits — Cash on hand | 336 44 | 930 44 |
| | 380 | 974 |
| Denominated in HKD — Bank deposits | 51 | 32 |
| Total | 431 | 1,006 |

20 RESTRICTED BANK BALANCES

As at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022, restricted bank balances are restricted deposits that have been judicially frozen due to creditors' litigations.

21 SHARE CAPITAL AND SHARE PREMIUM

| Number of shares (in thousands) | Share capital <i>RMB'000</i> | Share premium <i>RMB'000</i> | Total <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| | | | |
| 240,931 | 240,931 | 323,070 | 564,001 |
| _ | _ | _ | _ |
| _ | _ | _ | _ |
| 240,931 | 240,931 | 323,070 | 564,001 |
| | | | |
| 240,931 | 240,931 | 323,070 | 564,001 |
| _ | _ | _ | _ |
| 240.931 | 240.931 | 323.070 | 564.001 |
| | 240,931 — 240,931 | shares (in thousands) RMB'000 240,931 240,931 | shares (in thousands) capital RMB'000 premium RMB'000 240,931 240,931 323,070 — — — 240,931 240,931 323,070 240,931 240,931 323,070 — — — |

22 OTHER RESERVES

| | Statutory reserve RMB'000 | Safety reserve <i>RMB'000</i> | Capital reserve <i>RMB'000</i> | Total <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| At 1 January 2022 | 80,126 | 132 | 323,070 | 403,328 |
| Transfer to statutory reserve Transfer to safety reserve | | (132) | | (132) |
| As at 31 December 2022 | 80,126 | _ | 323,070 | 403,196 |
| At 1 January 2023 | 80,126 | _ | 323,070 | 403,196 |
| Transfer to statutory reserve Transfer to safety reserve | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| As at 30 June 2023 | 80,126 | _ | 323,070 | 403,196 |

(a) Statutory reserve

In accordance with the relevant rules and regulations in the PRC and the Company's articles of association, the Company is required to transfer no less than 10% of its profit after taxation calculated under the PRC accounting standards and regulations to the statutory reserve fund, until the accumulated total of the fund reaches 50% of its registered capital. The statutory reserve fund can only be used, upon approval by the relevant authority, to offset prior years' losses or to increase the capital of the respective companies.

(b) Safety reserve

Pursuant to certain regulations issued by the Ministry of Finance and the State Administration of Work Safety, the Group is required to set aside an amount to safety reserve at various rates ranging from 1.5% to 2% of the total revenue recognised from construction contracts for the six months ended 30 June 2023. The reserve can be used to improve the safety of the construction work and the amount is generally expenses in nature and charged to the consolidated income statement as incurred.

23 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|--|--|
| Trade payables | 306,869 | 413,983 |
| | 306,869 | 413,983 |
| Other tax payables Employee benefits payable Other payables | 13,333 3,019 73,290 | 11,792 2,307 55,792 |
| | 396,511 | 483,874 |

23 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES (Continued)

The ageing analysis of trade payables based on invoice date is as follows:

| | As a 30 Jun 202: <i>RMB'00</i> 0 | 31 December 2022 |
|---|---|------------------|
| Within 1 year Between 1 and 2 years 2 to 3 years Over 3 years | 133,75 65,98 34,67 72,45 | 56,082 67,282 |
| | 306,86 | 413,983 |

24 BORROWINGS

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|--|--|
| Bank borrowings — pledged, secured and guaranteed Bank borrowings — secured and guaranteed Other borrowings — pledged Other borrowings — unsecured | 175,742 53,630 10,000 900 | 175,742 53,630 10,000 2,200 |
| | 240,272 | 241,572 |

As at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022, all of the Group's borrowings were repayable within one year and denominated in RMB.

The weighted average effective interest rate as at 30 June 2023 is 9.42% (2022: 8.08%) per annum.

As at 30 June 2023, loans from 8 banks with an aggregate amount of approximately RMB229.37 million have fallen due and the Group has failed to repay or renew the matured loans.

25 CASH FLOW INFORMATION

(a) Cash generated from operations

Reconciliation of loss before income tax to cash generated from operations:

| | For the six months ended 30 June | |
|--|---|--|
| | 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
| Loss before income tax Adjustments for: | 65,566 | (91,764) |
| — Depreciation of property and equipment and investment properties — Depreciation of right-of-use assets — Amortisation of intangible assets — Provision of financial and contract assets — Finance costs — net — Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment | 1,193 — 134 (39,372) 11,317 19 | 1,292 305 163 83,625 8,286 |
| | 38,857 | 1,908 |
| Changes in working capital: — Contract assets — Contract liabilities — Trade receivables, prepayments and other receivables — Trade and other payables | 2,631 364 15,570 (56,695) | 84,487 (97,614) 10,647 2,476 |
| Cash generated from operations | 727 | 1,903 |

(b) Net debt reconciliation

This section sets out an analysis of net debt and the movements in net debt for each of the years presented.

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|--|--|
| Cash and cash equivalents Borrowings — repayable within one year Lease liabilities | 431 (240,272) — | 1,006 (241,572) — |
| Net debt | (239,841) | (240,566) |

27 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESERVE MOVEMENT OF THE COMPANY

(a) Statement of financial position of the Company

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|--|--|
| | | |
| ASSETS | | |
| Non-current assets | 24 777 | 24 777 |
| Investments in subsidiaries | 21,777 | 21,777 |
| Property and equipment | 45,175 | 46,319 |
| Right-of-use assets Investment properties | 537 | — 559 |
| Intangible asset | | |
| Prepayments and other receivables | _ | _ |
| Trepayments and other recentables | | |
| | 67,489 | 68,655 |
| Current assets | | |
| Contract assets | 2,892 | 5,524 |
| Trade receivables | 26,993 | 37,212 |
| Prepayments and other receivables | 7,391 | 12,631 |
| Amounts due from subsidiaries | 2,434 | 2,434 |
| Restricted bank balances | 7,739 | 11,876 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 233 | 804 |
| | 47,682 | 70 491 |
| | 47,082 | 70,481 |
| Total assets | 115,171 | 139,136 |

27 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESERVE MOVEMENT OF THE COMPANY (Continued)

(a) Statement of financial position of the Company (Continued)

| | As at 30 June 2023 <i>RMB'000</i> | As at 31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> |
|---|--|--|
| EQUITY Equity attributable to owners of the Company Share capital Reserves (b) Other reserves (b) Retained earnings (b) | 240,931 (804,690) — — | 240,931 (868,941) — — |
| Total equity | (563,759) | (628,010) |
| LIABILITIES Non-current liabilities Lease liabilities Deferred income Provisions | 1,340 | 1,412 |
| | 1,340 | 1,412 |
| Current liabilities Trade and other payables Contract liabilities Borrowings Provisions | 405,473 364 240,272 31,481 | 492,681 — 241,572 31,481 |
| | 677,590 | 765,734 |
| Total liabilities | 678,930 | 767,146 |
| Total equity and liabilities | 115,171 | 139,136 |
| Net (liabilities)/assets | (563,795) | (628,010) |

The statement of financial position of the Company was approved by the board of directors on 20 October 2023 and was signed on its behalf.

| DIRECTORS | DIRECTORS |
|-----------|-----------|

27 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESERVE MOVEMENT OF THE COMPANY (Continued)

(b) Reserve movement of the Company

| | Share premium <i>RMB'000</i> | Other reserves <i>RMB'000</i> | Retained earnings <i>RMB'000</i> | Total <i>RMB'000</i> |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|
| Balance at 1 January 2022 | 323,050 | 132 | (217,348) | 105,834 |
| Comprehensive income Loss for the year | _ | _ | (974,643) | (974,643) |
| Total comprehensive income | _ | _ | (974,643) | (974,643) |
| Issuance of ordinary shares | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Share issuance costs | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Transfer to statutory reserve | _ | 2,253 | _ | 2,253 |
| Utilisation of safety reserve | | (2,385) | | (2,385) |
| Balance at 31 December 2022 | 323,050 | _ | (1,191,991) | (868,941) |
| Balance at 1 January 2023 Comprehensive income | 323,050 | _ | (1,191,990) | (868,940) |
| — Loss for the year | _ | _ | 64,250 | 64,250 |
| Total comprehensive income | _ | _ | 64,250 | 64,250 |
| Issuance of ordinary shares | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Transfer to statutory reserve | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Utilisation of safety reserve | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Balance at 30 June 2023 | 323,050 | _ | (1,127,740) | (804,690) |

28 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Save as disclosed in other notes to these financial statements, there are no other significant subsequent events after 30 June 2023 which would have a material effect on these financial statements.