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BAUHAUS INTERNATIONAL (HOLDINGS) LIMITED

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code:483)

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02 Financial Highlights

Key Financial Ratios		Notes	Period 4-9/2023	Period 4-9/2022	Change +/-
Performance					
Gross Margin	(%)	1	+74.4	+65.8	+8.6% pts.
Net Profit Margin	(%)	2	+4.0	+7.3	-3.3% pts.
Return on Average Equity					
(Annualised)	(%)	3	+4.2	+7.3	-3.1% pts.
Return on Average Assets					
(Annualised)	(%)	4	+3.1	+5.5	-2.4% pts.
Operating					
Inventory Turnover Days					
(Annualised)		5	370	447	-77 days
Debtors' Turnover Days					
(Annualised)		6	7	5	+2 days
Creditors' Turnover Days					
(Annualised)		7	15	11	+4 days
Liquidity and Gearing					
Current Ratio		8	2.5	3.1	-19.4%
Quick Ratio		9	1.5	1.4	+7.1%
Gearing Ratio	(%)	10	-	-	-
Per Share Data					
Book Value Per Share	(HK cent)	11	45.2	36.3	+24.5%
Basic Earnings Per Share	(HK cent)	12	1.0	1.6	-37.5%
Diluted Earnings Per Share	(HK cent)	13	1.0	1.6	-37.5%
Number of shop					
Hong Kong		14	26	33	-7
Macau	-	14	7	9	-2
		14	22	42	-9
		14	33	42	-9
Aggregate sales footage	(in square feet)	15	43,648	67,956	-35.8%
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Notes:

- 1 "Gross Margin" is based on gross profit divided by turnover for the period.
- 2 "Net Profit Margin" is calculated as the profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent divided by turnover for the period.
- 3 "Return on Average Equity" represents the annualised profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent divided by average of opening and closing balance of shareholders' equity.
- 4 "Return on Average Assets" represents the annualised profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent divided by average of opening and closing balance of total assets.
- 5 "Inventory Turnover Days" is based on average of opening and closing balance of inventories (before provision for inventories) divided by cost of sales (before provision for inventories) and then multiplied by number of days during the period.
- 6 "Debtors' Turnover Days" is based on average of opening and closing balance of trade receivables divided by turnover and then multiplied by number of days during the period.
- 7 "Creditors' Turnover Days" is based on average of opening and closing balance of trade payables divided by purchases and then multiplied by number of days during the period.
- 8 "Current Ratio" represents current assets divided by current liabilities.
- 9 "Quick Ratio" represents current assets less inventories (before provision for inventories) then divided by current liabilities.
- 10 "Gearing Ratio" represents total interest-bearing bank borrowings divided by total assets.
- 11 "Book Value Per Share" represents shareholders' equity divided by the total number of issued shares at the end of reporting period of 367,380,000 (2022: 367,380,000).
- 12 "Basic Earnings Per Share" is calculated as the profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period under review of 367,380,000 (2022: 367,380,000).
- 13 "Diluted Earnings Per Share" is calculated as the profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period under review and all dilutive potential ordinary shares of 367,380,000 (2022: 367,380,000) in aggregate.
- 14 "Number of shop" includes self-managed regular offline stores, counters and outlets in operation as at the end of the reporting period, but excludes short-term pop-up stores and bargain sales outlets.
- 15 "Aggregate sales footage" includes floor areas in square feet of all self-managed regular offline stores, counters and outlets in operation as at the end of the reporting period, but excludes shortterm pop-up stores and bargain sales outlets.

Name of the Company

Bauhaus International (Holdings) Limited 包浩斯國際(控股)有限公司 (the "**Company**") and its subsidiaries (collectively the "**Group**")

Directors of the Company (The "Directors") Executive directors:

Madam Tong She Man, Winnie(Chairlady) Mr. Yeung Yat Hang (Chief Executive Officer) Dr. Wong Yui Lam (resigned on 26 June 2023)

Independent non-executive directors:

Mr. Wong Man Tai Ms. Choi Sze Man, Mandy (appointed on 26 June 2023) Mr. Ong Benjamin Peng Liong (appointed on 30 November 2023) Mr. Chu To Ki (resigned on 18 August 2023) Mr. Mak Wing Kit (resigned on 30 November 2023)

Audit Committee

Mr. Ong Benjamin Peng Liong (Chairman) (appointed on 30 November 2023)
Mr. Wong Man Tai
Ms. Choi Sze Man, Mandy (appointed on 26 June 2023)
Mr. Chu To Ki (resigned on 18 August 2023)
Mr. Mak Wing Kit (Chairman) (resigned on 30 November 2023)

Remuneration Committee

Ms. Choi Sze Man, Mandy (Chairlady) (appointed on 26 June 2023) Mr. Wong Man Tai Mr. Ong Benjamin Peng Liong (appointed on 30 November 2023) Mr. Chu To Ki (resigned on 18 August 2023) Mr. Mak Wing Kit (ceased to act as the Chairman of the remuneration committee and was redesignated as a member of the remuneration committee on 26 June 2023 and resigned on 30 November 2023)

Nomination Committee

Mr. Wong Man Tai (*Chairman*) Ms. Choi Sze Man, Mandy (appointed on 26 June 2023) Mr. Ong Benjamin Peng Liong (appointed on 30 November 2023) Mr. Chu To Ki (resigned on 18 August 2023) Mr. Mak Wing Kit (resigned on 30 November 2023)

Authorised Representatives

Madam Tong She Man, Winnie Mr. Yeung Yat Hang (appointed on 26 June 2023) Dr. Wong Yui Lam (resigned on 26 June 2023)

Company Secretary

Mr. Li Kin Cheong

Principal Auditor

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Listing information

Listing exchange	:	Main Board of The Stock Exchange
		of Hong Kong Limited
		(the "Stock Exchange")
Listing date	:	12 May 2005
Stock code	:	483

Share information

Shares		As at 30 September 2023 No. of shares	As at 31 March 2023 No. of shares	
Authorised shares Issued shares	:	2,000,000,000 367,380,000	2,000,000,000 367,380,000	
Board lot size Par value	:	2,000 shares HK\$0.10		
Key dates				
2022/23 Annual Results Announcement	:	26 June 2023		
Closure of Register of Members for 2022/23 Annual General Meeting	:	15 August 2023 to 18 August 2023 (both days inclusive)		
2022/23 Annual General Meeting	:	18 August 2023		
2023/24 Interim Results Announcement	:	29 November 2023		
Official website	:	www.bauhaus.com	ı.hk	
Investor relation	:	ir@bauhaus.com.hk		
Financial year end	:	31 March		
Interim period end	:	30 September		

BUSINESS REVIEW

The Group is principally engaged in the design and retail of trendy apparel, bags and fashion accessories for more than twenty years. The Group's turnover is mostly contributed by its major in-house labels like "SALAD", "TOUGH", "80/20", some trendy design brands and certain international labels.

As at 30 September 2023, the Group had a total of 33 self-managed offline shops in operation (31 March 2023: 39).

	As at 30 September 2023	As at 31 March 2023	Changes
Hong Kong	26	30	-4
Macau	7	9	-2
TOTAL	33	39	-6

Following the relaxation of anti-epidemic measures and cross border controls over the COVID-19 pandemic (the "**COVID-19**") in Hong Kong, Macau and Mainland China since the first quarter of 2023, the return of tourism obviously bolstered up the retail sentiment in Hong Kong and Macau. However, possibly due to the change in Mainland travelers' spending behaviour and the global interest rate hike imposing greater uncertainty on economic growth in general, the retail performance did not rebound as strong as generally expected.

After the past three years' unprecedented challenges by the pandemic, the Group has refined its retail operations, restructured its cost hierarchy and eventually resumed its profitability on the core offline retail business as a whole. The Group has became more competitive under difficult business conditions. Even the recovering process might be a bit slower than expected, the retail atmosphere during the six months ended 30 September 2023 was still better than in previous years.

The Group recorded a net profit of about HK\$3.5 million (2022: HK\$5.9 million) for the six months ended 30 September 2023. In the corresponding period last year, the Group recorded a net write-back of lease liabilities of about HK\$5.6 million, government subsidies of about HK\$4.2 million and a gain on disposal of a property of about HK\$1.5 million. In the absence of these significant one-off other income and gains this year, the net profit for the six months ended 30 September 2023 inevitably declined. However, more importantly, the Group's core business improved steadily. The segmental turnover of the Group's offline operations increased by about 9.0% to about HK\$85.2 million (2022: HK\$78.2 million) and if the income effect of the last year's government subsidies of aggregately about HK\$4.2 million was excluded, the recurring segmental profit of the offline segment increased by about 20.3% from about HK\$12.3 million to about HK\$14.8 million for the six months ended 30 September 2023.

Offline

The offline retail operations are the key operating segment of the Group accounting for almost all of the Group's turnover. As at 30 September 2023, the Group had 33 (31 March 2023: 39) physical stores in operation. Even the scale of retail network contracted, turnover of the segment still grew by about 9.0% to about HK\$85.2 million (2022: HK\$78.2 million), which was primarily attributed to the double-digit growth of about +17% (2022: -13%) in same-store-sales during the six months ended 30 September 2023.

In Hong Kong, the local retail market was gradually improving after the re-open of the borders and further fueled by the Hong Kong government's Consumption Voucher Scheme and various festival activities to galvanise both local and tourism traffics. The Group recorded the same-store-sales growth of about +9% (2022: -5%) for the period under review. In addition to building retail store strategically at a site with excellent sales-to-cost efficiency, the Group also faded out certain uncompetitive stores upon the expiry of respective tenancies. The Group's priority in retail management was put on the individual shop's profitability and long-term sustainability of the offline operations as a whole.

The Group's offline retail business in Macau staged a strong rebound during the six months ended 30 September 2023. The Macau's same-store-sales growth for the period under review boosted remarkably to about +59% (2022: -43%). Macau is a travel and entertainment city, where economic performance is highly correlated to tourism. Upon easing of the disease and travel control over the COVID-19 by the governments of Macau and Mainland China, the tourist traffic greatly resumed. The local retail atmosphere was swinging to the bright side during the period under review.

The Group remains its strategic focus on running qualitative and profitable retail platforms instead of driven only by sales achievement. The Group has put much effort in recent years to reduce its operating leverage and to moderate its rigid cost constraints. The Group successfully recalibrated its major operating costs, including rentals and staff costs, to let them link more elastically with its sales and promptly reacted with appropriate contingent plans for any unfavourable incidence. The Group remained steadfast to control its operating costs and sought rooms to enhance its effectiveness. The segment contributed a segmental profit of about HK\$14.8 million (2022: HK\$16.5 million) for the six months ended 30 September 2023 despite the reduction in total number of point-of-sales and the absence of the government subsidies.

Online

The online business is considered having immense potentials while the competition in the online market is also increasingly fierce. The Group has a designated team to foster the development of the Group's e-commerce business. During the six months ended 30 September 2023, the Group operated online shops via certain popular e-commerce platforms like "Tmall", "Zalora", etc. The online sales was about HK\$1.6 million during the six months ended 30 September 2023 (2022: HK\$2.0 million). The operation incurred a segmental loss of about HK\$0.1 million (2022: HK\$0.1 million) for the period under review.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Turnover and Segment Information

Turnover of the Group raised by about 8.2% to approximately HK\$86.8 million (2022: HK\$80.2 million) for the six months ended 30 September 2023. The Group's same-store-sales growth rate came up to about +17% (2022: -13%) for the period under review. The increase in sales was mainly contributed by the revival of retail sentiment after re-opening borders in Hong Kong, Macau and Mainland China. Details of the Group's segmental turnover and results are shown in Note 3 to the Interim Financial Statements.

Gross Profit and Gross Margin

The Group's gross profit increased by about 22.3% to approximately HK\$64.6 million (2022: HK\$52.8 million) for the six months ended 30 September 2023 and the gross margin was substantially strengthened to about 74.4% (2022: 65.8%). Given the stronger retail sentiment and lesser pressure on the Group's aged and slow moving inventories, the Group adjusted retail price upward for most of the in-house brand products, offered fewer price discounts and significantly reduced the scale of bargain sales activities during the six months ended 30 September 2023.

Operating Expenses

The sales environment was gradually easing during the six months ended 30 September 2023 while certain operating costs also started to surge, particularly the rental. The Group's core operating expenses (excluding non-cash write-off, loss on disposal and impairment loss) grew by about 8.7% to approximately HK\$63.6 million (2022: HK\$58.5 million) for the period under review.



Rental is one of the key operating expenses of the Group. Landlords, in general, expected a fast rebound on rentals after re-opening of the borders. Lease expenses (including depreciation of right-of-use assets, lease payment for short term leases and contingent rents, COVID-19-Related rent concessions as well as interest on lease liabilities) for the six months ended 30 September 2023 soared by about 27.9% to about HK\$25.2 million (2022: HK\$19.7 million). The Group cautiously managed lease negotiation processes and always leveraged the sales potentials and leasing costs in each tenancy renewal. The Group turned down certain renewal offers with unacceptably high rental increment during the period under review. At the same time, the Group relocated certain offline shops to less costly locations with appropriate sales exposure. To maintain competitive, the Group adopts an on-going practice of strategically relocating, consolidating and converting its retail portfolio.

The staff cost also edged up by about 6.6% to approximately HK\$22.6 million (2022: HK\$21.2 million) during the six months ended 30 September 2023, which was managed roughly in line with the sales growth. The total number of staff reduced to 152 at the end of the reporting period (31 March 2023: 183). The above two major expenditures have already accounted for about 75.2% (2022: 69.9%) of the Group's core operating expenses.

Depreciation of property, plant and equipment reduced to approximately HK\$1.6 million (2022: HK\$1.9 million) for the period under review. The Group's finance costs, mainly representing interest on lease liabilities, surged during the six months ended 30 September 2023 to about HK\$1.7 million (2022: HK\$0.5 million). The increase was mainly due to more tenancies being renewed and higher implicit interest rates adopted under interest rate hike environment during the period under review. The Group used to manage operating expenses strictly. Efforts to control costs are in place. Regular review on work procedures is essential to enhance efficiency and in turn, to better moderate the cost increment.

Write-back of lease liabilities

The Group successfully negotiated with landlords in last year to make lease modifications and eventually resulted in deep cut in the lease liabilities of the subject tenancies. As a result of the lease modifications, the Group recorded a net write-back of lease liabilities of about HK\$5.6 million in the six months ended 30 September 2022. No lease modification leading to lease liability reduction was recorded during the period under review.

Government grants

The Group recognised certain COVID-19 pandemic relief and subsidies from The Government of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and The Government of Macau Special Administrative Region aggregately of about HK\$4.2 million during the six months ended 30 September 2022. No government grant was received during the period under review.

Gain on disposal of properties

On 13 December 2021, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Group entered into a provisional sale and purchase agreement with an independent third party to sell a car parking space at a total consideration of about HK\$1.8 million (before any related expenses). The transaction was completed on 19 April 2022 and the Group recorded a gain on disposal of the property of about HK\$1.5 million (before any related expenses) during the six months ended 30 September 2022. No gain on disposal of properties was recorded during the period under review.

Net Profit

The Group recorded a net profit for the six months ended 30 September 2023 of about HK\$3.5 million (2022: HK\$5.9 million). The decline in net profit was primarily attributable to the absence of the aforesaid significant non-recurring other income and gains in the six months ended 30 September 2023. More importantly, the Group's core business revived during the period under review.

SEASONALITY

Seasonality has heavy bearing on the sales and results of the Group as its track record shows. The first-half of each financial year has historically been less important than the second-half. In general, more than 50% of the Group's annual sales and most of its operating profit are derived in the second-half of the financial year, within which the holiday seasons of Christmas, New Year and the Lunar New Year fall.

CAPITAL STRUCTURE

As at 30 September 2023, the Group had net assets of approximately HK\$166.0 million (31 March 2023: HK\$162.5 million), comprising non-current assets of approximately HK\$110.4 million (31 March 2023: HK\$76.2 million), net current assets of approximately HK\$82.6 million (31 March 2023: HK\$97.6 million) and non-current liabilities of approximately HK\$27.0 million (31 March 2023: HK\$11.3 million).

LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES

As at 30 September 2023, the Group had cash and cash equivalents and time deposits of approximately HK\$33.8 million (31 March 2023: HK\$67.8 million) and HK\$37.3 million (31 March 2023: HK\$19.7 million), respectively. At the end of the reporting period, the Group had aggregate banking facilities of approximately HK\$10.2 million (31 March 2023: HK\$10.0 million) comprising interest-bearing bank overdraft, revolving loans, rental and utility guarantees as well as import facilities, of which approximately HK\$7.2 million had not been utilised (31 March 2023: HK\$8.5 million). The Group had no bank borrowings as at 30 September 2023 (31 March 2023: NII). The Group's gearing ratio at the end of the reporting period, representing a percentage of total interest-bearing bank borrowings to total assets, was zero (31 March 2023: zero).

CASH FLOWS

During the period under review, net cash flows from operating activities reduced to approximately HK\$6.3 million (2022: HK\$22.0 million), which was mainly attributable to the increase in replenishment of inventories. The net cash flows used in investing activities increased to about HK\$23.4 million (2022: HK\$8.4 million), which was mainly attributed to the increase in time deposits with original maturity more than three months. Net cash flows used in financing activities dropped to about HK\$16.9 million (2022: HK\$78.8 million) was mainly due to the decrease in dividends to the Company's shareholders.

SECURITY

As at 30 September 2023, the Group's general banking facilities were secured by the Group's property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets situated in Hong Kong, which had aggregate carrying values at the end of the reporting period of approximately HK\$5.0 million and HK\$12.7 million, respectively (31 March 2023: HK\$5.0 million and HK\$12.8 million).

COMMITMENTS

The Group had no material capital commitment contracted but not provided for as at 30 September 2023 (31 March 2023: Nil).

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

As at 30 September 2023, the Group had contingent liabilities in respect of bank guarantees given in lieu of utility and property rental deposits amounting to approximately HK\$2.9 million (31 March 2023: HK\$1.5 million).

HUMAN RESOURCES

Including the Directors, the Group had 152 (31 March 2023: 183) employees as at 30 September 2023. To attract and retain high quality staff, the Group provided competitive remuneration packages with performance bonuses, mandatory provident fund and insurance coverage as well as entitlements to share options to be granted under a share option scheme based on employees' performance, experience and the prevailing market rate. Remuneration packages were reviewed regularly. Regarding staff development, the Group provided regular in-house training to staff and subsidised external training programmes for their professional development.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RISK MANAGEMENT

The Group's sales and purchases during the period under review have been mostly denominated in Hong Kong dollars and United States dollars. The Group has been exposed to certain foreign currency exchange risks but it does not anticipate future currency fluctuations to cause material operational difficulties or liquidity problems. However, the Group continuously monitors its foreign exchange position and, when necessary, will hedge foreign exchange exposure arising from contractual commitments in sourcing apparel from overseas suppliers.

PROSPECTS

Looking forward, the path to full market recovery is visible, though it is likely to encounter turbulence in the process and may require more time to achieve. Given a well-controlled pandemic situation allowing Hong Kong and Macau to resume free travels both domestically and internationally, the Group is cautiously optimistic on its retail performance in the second half of the financial year.

The Group will continue to maintain an optimal scale of offline operations and to foster e-commerce development. The focus will be placed on strengthening profitability and fueling qualitative growth of the Group's retail business rather than massive expansion.

14 Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

For the six months ended 30 September 2023

	Six months ended 30 September			
	Notes	2023 (Unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (Unaudited) HK\$'000	
REVENUE	4	86,791	80,161	
Cost of sales	6	(22,197)	(27,383)	
GROSS PROFIT		64,594	52,778	
Other income and gains Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses	4	1,243 (46,841) (14,965)	11,699 (42,957) (14,249)	
Other expenses Finance costs	6 5	(920) (1,719)	(787) (499)	
PROFIT BEFORE TAX	6	1,392	5,985	
Income tax credit/(expense)	7	2,108	(116)	
PROFIT AND TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD ATTRIBUTABLE				
TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT		3,500	5,869	
EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT	8			
Basic and diluted		1.0 HK cent	1.6 HK cents	



15 Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

As at 30 September 2023

	Notes	As at 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) HK\$'000	As at 31 March 2023 (Audited) HK\$'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS Property, plant and equipment Right-of-use assets Intangible assets Equity investment at fair value through other comprehensive income		13,123 70,945 39 –	9,618 41,884 68 –
Rental, utility and other non-current deposits Deferred tax assets		17,230 9,080	17,788 6,880
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		110,417	76,238
CURRENT ASSETS Inventories Trade receivables Prepayments, deposits and other receivables Tax recoverable Time deposits Cash and cash equivalents	10 11	51,345 3,431 9,686 307 37,300 33,781	29,400 2,785 10,569 386 19,700 67,809
Total current assets		135,850	130,649
CURRENT LIABILITIES Trade payables Other payables and accruals Lease liabilities	12	6,437 14,286 32,561	989 12,704 19,325
Total current liabilities		53,284	33,018
NET CURRENT ASSETS		82,566	97,631
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		192,983	173,869
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Lease liabilities		26,961	11,347
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		26,961	11,347
NET ASSETS		166,022	162,522
EQUITY Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent Share capital Reserves TOTAL EQUITY	13	36,738 129,284 166,022	36,738 125,784 162,522
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16 Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the six months ended 30 September 2023

	Fair value reserve of financial assets at fair value through other		
Reserve	comprehensive	Retained	Total
funds	income	profits	equity
HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
24	(2,970)	48,836	188,194
-	-	-	(60,618)
-	-	5,869	5,869
24	(2,970)	54,705	133,445
24*	(2,970)*	83,782*	162,522
-	-	3,500	3,500
24.4	(2.072) *	07 202 ÷	166,022
	24*	24* (2,970)*	24* (2,970)* 87,282*

* These reserve accounts comprise the consolidated reserves of HK\$129,284,000 (31 March 2023: HK\$125,784,000) in the condensed consolidated statement of financial position.

17 Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the six months ended 30 September 2023

	Six month 30 Septe		
	2023	2022	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Net cash flows from operating activities	6,265	22,038	
Net cash flows used in investing activities	(23,443)	(8,424)	
Net cash flows used in financing activities	(16,850)	(78,770)	
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(34,028)	(65,156)	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	67,809	108,465	
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes, net	-	(369)	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD	33,781	42,940	
ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
Cash and bank balances	33,781	35,920	
Unpledged time deposits with original maturity of			
less than three months when acquired	-	7,020	
	33,781	42,940	

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1.1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

Bauhaus International (Holdings) Limited is a limited liability company incorporated in the Cayman Islands. The Group is principally engaged in the design and retail of trendy apparel, bags and fashion accessories. The Group's turnover is mostly contributed by its major in-house labels like "SALAD", "TOUGH", "80/20", some trendy design brands and certain international labels.

The Company is a subsidiary of New Huge Treasure Investments Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands. In the opinion of the Directors, the ultimate holding company of the Company is Yate Enterprises Limited, which was incorporated in the British Virgin Islands and is beneficially and wholly-owned by a discretionary trust.

1.2 BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND PREPARATION

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements (the "Interim Financial Statements") of Bauhaus International (Holdings) Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the six months ended 30 September 2023 have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard ("HKAS") 34, "Interim Financial Reporting", issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"), and the Appendix 16 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules").

The accounting policies and basis of preparation adopted in the preparation of the Interim Financial Statements are the same as those used in the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023, except for the adoption of certain new and revised Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards (which also include HKASs and Interpretations) (the "**Standards**") in current period for the first time as disclosed in Note 2 below. Taxes on income in the interim periods are accrued using the tax rate that would be applicable to expected total annual earnings.

These Interim Financial Statements have not been audited, but have been reviewed by the Company's audit committee and should be read in conjunction with the 2023 annual report.

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2. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

The Group has adopted the following Standards for the first time in the presentation of these Interim Financial Statements.

HKFRS 17	Insurance Contracts and related amendments
Amendments to HKAS 1 and	Disclosure of Accounting Policies
HKFRS Practice Statement 2	
Amendments to HKAS 8	Definition of Accounting Estimates
Amendments to HKAS 12	Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities
	arising from a Single Transaction
Amendments to HKAS 12	International Tax Reform – Pillar Two Model
	Rules

The adoption of the above Standards has had no significant financial effect on these Interim Financial Statements.

3. OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group is principally engaged in the design and retail of trendy apparel, bags and fashion accessories.

Formerly, the Group organised its business units to offer products to customers located in different geographical areas. The Group then presented its segmental information in two reportable segments, namely "Hong Kong & Macau" and "Non-Hong Kong & Macau".

However, in line with the Group's strategic moves, the Group revamped its business models to capture potentials in retail markets more comprehensively via both offline and online channels. For management purpose and in a manner consistent with the way in which information is reported internally to the Group's chief operating decision maker for the purpose of resource allocation and performance assessment, the Group has restructured its reportable segments into two distinctive units with effect from the year ended 31 March 2023 and the comparative figures are also restated to conform with the current period's presentation.

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3. OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

The Group's new reportable segments are as follows:

- 1. **Offline:** management and operation of physical point-of-sale, including but not limited to retail stores, outlets, pop-up shops and seasonal bargain sales activities, etc. in different regions (at the end of the reporting periods, mainly in Hong Kong and Macau); and
- 2. **Online:** management and operation of cyber distribution channels to capture boundless online consumption.

Segment performance is evaluated based on reportable segment profit, which is a measure of adjusted profit before tax. The adjusted profit before tax is measured consistently with the Group's profit before tax except for that interest income, non-lease-related finance costs, gain on disposal of properties (other than from leasehold improvements and equipment) and unallocated expenses, net are excluded from this measurement.

Segment assets exclude equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income, deferred tax assets, tax recoverable and other unallocated corporate assets as these assets are managed on a group basis. Segment liabilities exclude deferred tax liabilities, tax payable and other unallocated corporate liabilities as these liabilities are managed on a group basis. Segment non-current assets exclude equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income, deferred tax assets and other unallocated corporate non-current assets exclude equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income, deferred tax assets and other unallocated corporate non-current assets as these assets are managed on a group basis.

Intersegment sales are transacted with reference to the selling prices used for sales made to third parties at the prevailing market prices.

Information about major customers

Since there was no customer to whom the Group's sales amounted to 10% or more of the Group's revenue during the periods under review, no major customer information is presented.

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3. **OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION** (continued)

	Offline HK\$'000	Online HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
For the six months ended 30 September 2023 (Unaudited)		
Segment revenue: Sales to external customers	85,171	1,620	86,791
Segment results: Reconciliation:	14,753	(149)	14,604
Interest income Finance costs (other than interest on lease liabilities) Gain on disposal of a property (other than from leasehold improvements and equipment)			1,207
Unallocated expenses, net			(14,419)
Profit before tax		_	1,392
Other segment information:			
Capital expenditure* Unallocated capital expenditure*	5,705	-	5,705 138
Total capital expenditure*		_	5,843
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment Unallocated depreciation	1,056	8	1,064 493
Total depreciation		_	1,557
As at 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) Segment assets: Reconciliation:	199,763	1,396	201,159
Deferred tax assets Tax recoverable			9,080 307
Unallocated assets		_	35,721
Total assets		-	246,267
Segment liabilities: Reconciliation:	76,771	792	77,563
Unallocated liabilities			2,682
Total liabilities			80,245
Segment non-current assets: Reconciliation:	81,485	89	81,574
Deferred tax assets Unallocated non-current assets			9,080 19,763
Total non-current assets		1	110,417
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Capital expenditure consists of additions to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets.

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3. **OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION** (continued)

	Offline (Restated) HK\$'000	Online (Restated) HK\$'000	Total (Restated) HK\$'000
For the six months ended 30 September 2022 (Unaudited)			
Segment revenue: Sales to external customers	78,141	2,020	80,161
Segment results: Reconciliation:	16,504	(111)	16,393
Interest income Finance costs (other than interest on lease liabilities) Gain on disposal of a property (other than from leasehold			367 (23)
improvements and equipment) Unallocated expenses, net			1,549 (12,301)
Profit before tax		-	5,985
Other segment information:			
Capital expenditure* Unallocated capital expenditure*	1,893	-	1,893 281
Total capital expenditure*		-	2,174
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment Unallocated depreciation	1,321	32	1,353 544
Total depreciation			1,897
As at 31 March 2023 (Audited) Segment assets: Reconciliation:	159,535	943	160,478
Deferred tax assets Tax recoverable Unallocated assets			6,880 386 39,143
Total assets		-	206,887
Segment liabilities: Reconciliation:	42,027	701	42,728
Unallocated liabilities			1,637
Total liabilities			44,365
Segment non-current assets: Reconciliation:	49,136	105	49,241
Deferred tax assets Unallocated non-current assets			6,880 20,117
Total non-current assets		V.	76,238

Capital expenditure consists of additions to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets.

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4. REVENUE, OTHER INCOME AND GAINS

An analysis of revenue, other income and gains is as follows:

	Six months ended 30 September		
	2023		
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Revenue			
Sale of garment products and			
accessories transferred at a point in time	86,791	80,161	
Disaggregated revenue information Segments			
Retail Business		(Restated)	
Offline	85,171	78,141	
Online	1,620	2,020	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	86,791	80,161	

Performance obligations

Information about the Group's performance obligations is summarised below:

Sale of garment products and accessories

The Group sells garment products and accessories directly to retail customers via retail stores, department stores and internet. The performance obligation is satisfied when the product is transferred to the customers upon delivery of goods. Payment of the transaction price is due immediately when the customers purchase the goods. The payment is usually settled in cash or using credit cards.

The Group also sells goods to distributors. The performance obligation is satisfied when control of the products has been transferred, being when the products are delivered to the distributors and there is no unfulfilled obligation that could affect the distributors' acceptance of the products. The payment is generally due within 30 to 60 days from delivery, except for certain distributors, where payment in advance is normally required.

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4. **REVENUE, OTHER INCOME AND GAINS** (continued)

	Six months ended 30 September	
	2023 (Unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (Unaudited) HK\$'000
Other income		
Bank interest income	1,207	367
Government grants	-	4,185
Others	36	31
	1,243	4,583
Gains		
Gain on disposal of items of property, plant		
and equipment and right-of-use assets, net	-	1,495
Write-back of lease liabilities, net	-	5,621
		7,116
	1,243	11,699

5. FINANCE COSTS

An analysis of finance costs is as follows:

	Six months ended 30 September	
	2023 (Unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (Unaudited) HK\$'000
Interest on lease liabilities Other interest expenses	1,719	476 23
and the second second	1,719	499

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6. **PROFIT BEFORE TAX**

The Group's profit before tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

	Six months ended 30 September	
	2023 (Unaudited) HK\$'000	2022 (Unaudited) HK\$'000
Cost of sales:		
Cost of inventories sold Provision for inventories, net	21,597 600	25,413 1,970
	22,197	27,383
Lease expenses:		
Depreciation of right-of-use assets Lease payments for short term leases	17,374	13,506
and contingent rents not included in the measurement of lease liabilities	6,129	7,077
COVID-19-Related rent concessions	-	(1,384)
Interest on lease liabilities	1,719	476
	25,222	19,675
Employee benefit expenses (including Directors' remuneration): Wages, salaries and other benefits Contribution to pension scheme Refund from pension scheme	27,310 814 (5,525)	23,262 799 (2,884)
	22,599	21,177
Other expenses:		
Amortisation of intangible assets Loss on disposal of trademarks Loss on disposal of items of property,	17 12	26 1
plant and equipment, net	781	-
Write-off of right-of-use assets, net	65	-
Write-off of deposits Foreign exchange losses, net	45	2 758
a size of the local of the	920	787
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,557	1,897
Gain on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets, net Write-back of lease liabilities, net	5	(1,495) (5,621)

7. INCOME TAX

Hong Kong profits tax has been provided at the rate of 16.5% (2022: 16.5%) on the estimated assessable profits arising in Hong Kong during the six months ended 30 September 2023, except for one subsidiary of the Group which is a qualifying corporation under the two-tiered profits tax rates regime. Under the two-tiered profits tax rates regime, the first HK\$2,000,000 of profits of qualifying entities are taxed at 8.25%, and the profits above HK\$2,000,000 are taxed at 16.5%. The provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax for this subsidiary was calculated at the same basis in 2022. Taxes on profits assessable elsewhere had been calculated at the rates of tax prevailing in the countries/jurisdictions in which the Group operates.

	Six months ended 30 September	
	2023 20	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Current tax credit/(charge) – Hong Kong	(5)	14
– Elsewhere	(87)	(140)
Deferred tax credit	2,200	10
Total tax credit/(expense) for the period	2,108	(116)

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8. EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT

The calculation of the basic earnings per share is based on the profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent of HK\$3,500,000 (2022: HK\$5,869,000) and the weighted average number of ordinary shares of 367,380,000 (2022: 367,380,000) in issue during the six months ended 30 September 2023.

Diluted earnings per share is the same as basic earnings per share as the Group had no potentially dilutive ordinary shares in issue during the six months ended 30 September 2023 and 2022.

The calculation of the basic earnings per share is based on:

	Six months ended 30 September	
	2023 (Unaudited) HK\$'000	
Profit		
Profit attributable to equity holders of the parent, used in the basic earnings		
per share calculation	3,500	5,869
	Number	of Shares
Shares		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period under review used in the basic earnings per share		
	367,380,000	367,380,000

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9. DIVIDEND

The board of directors of the Company (the "**Board**") did not declare the payment of an interim dividend for the six months ended 30 September 2023 (2022: 3.0 HK cents per ordinary share).

10. TRADE RECEIVABLES

Sales (both online and offline) are made on cash terms or with short credit terms, except for certain well-established customers with a long business relationship with the Group, where the general credit terms are ranging from 30 days to 60 days. The Group seeks to maintain strict control over its outstanding receivables to minimise credit risk. Overdue balances are regularly reviewed. In view of the aforementioned and the fact the Group's trade receivables relate to a large number of diversified customers, there is no significant concentration of credit risk. The Group does not hold any collateral or other credit enhancements over these balances. Trade receivables are non-interest-bearing.

The ageing analysis of the trade receivables as at the end of the reporting period, based on the invoice date and net of loss allowance, is as follows:

	As at	As at
	30 September	31 March
	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Within 90 days	3,329	2,703
91 to 180 days	74	44
181 to 365 days	28	38
	3,431	2,785

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11. TIME DEPOSITS

Time deposits include the following component:

	As at	As at
	30 September	31 March
	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Unpledged but with original maturity of		
more than three months when acquired	37,300	19,700

12. TRADE PAYABLES

The ageing analysis of the trade payables as at the end of the reporting period, based on the invoice date, is as follows:

	As at	As at
	30 September	31 March
	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Within 90 days	6,437	989

The trade payables are non-interest-bearing and are normally settled on terms of 30 to 60 days.

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13. SHARE CAPITAL Shares

	Company	
	As at	As at
	30 September	31 March
	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Authorised: 2,000,000,000 (31 March 2023: 2,000,000,000) ordinary shares of HK\$0.1 each	200,000	200,000
	200,000	200,000
Issued and fully paid:		
367,380,000 (31 March 2023:		
367,380,000) ordinary shares of		
HK\$0.1 each	36,738	36,738

Details of the Company's share option scheme and the share options issued under the scheme are included in Note 14 to the Interim Financial Statements.

14. SHARE OPTION SCHEME

On 27 August 2015, the Company adopted a share option scheme (the "**Scheme**") to provide the Company with the flexibility of granting share options to eligible participants as incentives or rewards for their contribution or potential contribution to the Group. Eligible participants of the Scheme include the Company's Directors, including independent non-executive Directors, other employees of the Group, any advisers, consultants, suppliers and customers of the Group and such other persons who, in the sole opinion of the Board, will contribute or have contributed to the Group. The Scheme will remain in force for 10 years from the effective date of 28 August 2015.

No share option was granted under the Scheme since its adoption and during the six months ended 30 September 2023 (2022: Nil). As at the date of this report, the total number of securities available for issue under the Scheme was 36,738,000, representing 10% of the issued shares of the Company.

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15. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

At the end of the reporting period, contingent liabilities not provided for in the Interim Financial Statements were as follows:

	As at	As at
	30 September	31 March
	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Bank guarantees given in lieu of utility and		
property rental deposits	2,909	1,466

16. COMMITMENTS

The Group had no material capital commitment contracted but not provided for as at 30 September 2023 (31 March 2023: Nil).

17. PLEDGE OF ASSETS

As at 30 September 2023, the Group's general banking facilities were secured by the Group's property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets situated in Hong Kong, which had aggregate carrying values at the end of the reporting period of approximately HK\$4,955,000 and HK\$12,681,000, respectively (31 March 2023: HK\$5,021,000 and HK\$12,849,000).



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18. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

(a) During the period under review, the Group had the following transactions with related companies controlled either by a substantial shareholder, executive Directors or a close family member of a substantial shareholder:

	Six months ended 30 September	
	2023	2022
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Purchase of a motor vehicle	-	250
Computer system maintenance charges	497	366
Purchases of computer equipment	71	28

(b) Compensation of key management personnel of the Group

	Six months ended 30 September	
	2023	2022
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Short-term employee benefits	2,007	1,801
Post-employment benefits	18	18
Total compensation paid to key		
management personnel	2,025	1,819

19. APPROVAL OF THE INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Interim Financial Statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board on 29 November 2023.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SECURITIES

At 30 September 2023, the interests and short positions of the Directors in the shares and underlying shares of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "**SFO**")), as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "**Model Code**"), were as follows:

	Number of s				
Name of director	Directly beneficially owned	Through controlled corporation	Through a discretionary trust/as beneficiary and founder of trust	Total number of ordinary shares held	Percentage of the Company's issued share capital
Madam Tong She Man, Winnie (" Madam Tong ") <i>(note 1)</i>	-	34,068,000	180,000,000	214,068,000	58.27%
Mr. Yeung Yat Hang	4,930,000	-	-	4,930,000	1.34%

Long positions in ordinary shares of the Company

Note:

1. The 34,068,000 shares are held by Great Elite Corporation ("Great Elite"), the entire issued share capital of which is beneficially owned by Madam Tong, an executive director of the Company. The 180,000,000 shares are held by New Huge Treasure Investments Limited ("Huge Treasure"), which is held by Yate Enterprises Limited as to 100%. Yate Enterprises Limited is in turn held by East Asia International Trustees Limited ("EAIT") as to 100% as trustee of The Tong & Wong Family Trust, a discretionary trust established by Dr. Wong Yui Lam ("Dr. Wong"), a substantial shareholder of the Company and Madam Tong, an executive director of the Company. Madam Tong is also one of the beneficiaries of The Tong & Wong Family Trust.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 September 2023, none of the Directors had registered an interest or short position in the shares or underlying shares of the Company or any of its associated corporation, that was required to be recorded pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' AND OTHER PERSONS' INTERESTS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES

At 30 September 2023, the following interests of 5% or more of the issued share capital of the Company were recorded in the register of interests required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO:

	nd nature of interest					
Name	Position	Directly beneficially owned	Through controlled corporation	Through discretionary trust/as beneficiary, founder or trustee of trust	Total number of ordinary shares held	Percentage of the Company's issued share capital
Dr. Wong Yui Lam						
(note 1)	Long position	2,200,000	29,900,000	180,000,000	212,100,000	57.73%
EAIT <i>(note 2)</i>	Long position	-	-	180,000,000	180,000,000	49.00%
Yate Enterprises Limited					100.000.000	10.000/
(note 3)	Long position	-	180,000,000	-	180,000,000	49.00%
Huge Treasure	Long position	180,000,000	-	-	180,000,000	49.00%
Great Elite <i>(note 4)</i>	Long position	34,068,000	-	-	34,068,000	9.27%
Wonder View (note 5) Mr. David Michael	Long position	29,900,000	-	-	29,900,000	8.14%
Webb (note 6)	Long position	10,517,600	15,228,400	-	25,746,000	7.01%

Notes:

- The 29,900,000 shares are held by Wonder View Limited ("Wonder View"), the entire issued share capital of which is beneficially owned by Dr. Wong, a substantial shareholder of the Company. The 180,000,000 shares are held by Huge Treasure, which is held by Yate Enterprises Limited as to 100%. Yate Enterprises Limited is in turn held by EAIT as to 100% as trustee of The Tong & Wong Family Trust, a discretionary trust established by Dr. Wong, a substantial shareholder of the Company and Madam Tong, an executive director of the Company. Dr. Wong is also one of the beneficiaries of The Tong & Wong Family Trust.
- EAIT holds 100% shareholding interest in Yate Enterprises Limited as trustee of The Tong & Wong Family Trust and Yate Enterprises Limited holds 100% shareholding interest in Huge Treasure. Therefore, EAIT is deemed to be interested in the shares in the Company by virtue of the SFO.
- 3. Yate Enterprises Limited holds 100% shareholding interest in Huge Treasure. Therefore, Yate Enterprises Limited is deemed to be interested in the shares in the Company held by Huge Treasure by virtue of the SFO.
- 4. Great Elite is a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands, the entire issued share capital of which is owned by Madam Tong.
- 5. Wonder View is a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands, the entire issued share capital of which is owned by Dr. Wong.

35 Other Information

6. The 15,228,400 shares are held by Preferable Situation Assets Limited, which is incorporated in the British Virgin Islands, the entire issued share capital of which is owned by Mr. David Michael Webb.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 September 2023, no person, other than the Directors, whose interests are set out in the section of "Directors' interests in securities" above, had an interest or short position in the shares or underlying shares of the Company that was required to be recorded pursuant to section 336 of the SFO.

DIRECTORS' RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES OR DEBENTURES

Save as disclosed in the section of "Share Option Scheme", at no time during the six months ended 30 September 2023 were rights to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in the Company granted to any of the Directors or their respective spouses or minor children, or were any such rights exercised by them; or was the Company, its holding company, or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangement to enable the Directors to acquire such rights in any other body corporate.

SHARE OPTION SCHEME

On 27 August 2015, the Company adopted a share option scheme (the "**Scheme**") to provide the Company with the flexibility of granting share options to eligible participants as incentives or rewards for their contribution or potential contribution to the Group. Eligible participants of the Scheme include the Company's Directors, including independent non-executive Directors, other employees of the Group, any advisers, consultants, suppliers and customers of the Group and such other persons who, in the sole opinion of the Board, will contribute or have contributed to the Group. The Scheme will remain in force for 10 years from the effective date of 28 August 2015.

No share option was granted under the Scheme since its adoption and during the six months ended 30 September 2023 (2022: Nil). As at the date of this report, the total number of securities available for issue under the Scheme was 36,738,000, representing 10% of the issued shares of the Company.

MODEL CODE OF SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS BY DIRECTORS

The Company has adopted the Model Code as set out in Appendix 10 to the Listing Rules as its own code of conduct for dealing in securities of the Company by the Directors. Based on specific enquiry with the Directors, all the Directors confirmed that they have complied with the required standards as set out in the Model Code throughout the six months ended 30 September 2023.

CHANGES IN DIRECTORSHIP AND OTHER CHANGES IN DIRECTORS' INFORMATION

Pursuant to Rule 13.51B(1) of the Listing Rules, the changes in directorship and other changes in the information of the Directors since the publication of the annual report of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2023 up to the date of this report are set out below:

Name of Director	Details of changes
Mr. Ong Benjamin Peng Liong	Appointed as the independent non-executive Director, the chairman of the audit committee and a member of each of the nomination committee and remuneration committee of the Company, with effect from 30 November 2023
Mr. Mak Wing Kit	Resigned as the independent non-executive Director, the chairman of the audit committee and a member of each of the nomination committee and remuneration committee of the Company, with effect from 30 November 2023
Mr. Chu To Ki	Resigned as the independent non-executive Director and a member of each of the audit committee, nomination committee and remuneration committee of the Company, with effect from 18 August 2023
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DIVIDEND

The Board did not declare the payment of an interim dividend for the six months ended 30 September 2023 (2022: 3.0 HK cents per ordinary share).

PURCHASE, REDEMPTION OR SALE OF LISTED SECURITIES OF THE COMPANY

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

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Group is committed to maintaining a high standard of corporate governance which serves as a vital element throughout the development of the Group. The Board emphasises on maintaining and conducting sound and effective corporate governance structure and practices.

The Company has complied with the applicable code provisions of the Corporate Governance Code as set out in Appendix 14 of the Listing Rules throughout the six months ended 30 September 2023.

REVIEW OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The Board has established an audit committee of the Company (the "Audit Committee") with written terms of reference and comprising at least three independent non-executive Directors throughout the six months ended 30 September 2023. The Audit Committee has reviewed the accounting principles and practices adopted by the Group, including the review of the Interim Financial Statements for the six months ended 30 September 2023, and discussed risk management, internal control and financial reporting matters.

SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

Based on information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of the Directors, at least 25% of the Company's total number of issued shares was held by the public as at the date of this report.

APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Board, I would like to express my gratitude to our shareholders, business partners and customers for their unwavering support. I would also like to extend my sincere appreciation to the Group's employees for their dedication and contribution.

By Order of the Board Bauhaus International (Holdings) Limited Madam Tong She Man, Winnie

Chairlady

Hong Kong, 29 November 2023

