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BRAINHOLE TECHNOLOGY LIMITED 脑 洞 科 技 有 限 公 司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 2203)

INTERIM RESULTS ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2025

FINANCIAL RESULTS

The Board is pleased to announce the unaudited condensed consolidated financial results of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2025 together with the unaudited comparative figures for the corresponding period in 2024, as follows:

UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the six months ended 30 June 2025

		Six months en	ded 30 June
		2025	2024
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Revenue	3	52,173	83,084
Cost of sales		(43,080)	(72,146)
Gross profit		9,093	10,938
Other income		7,620	2,787
Other gain/(losses)	4	1,158	20,505
Selling and distribution costs		(2,277)	(3,771)
Administrative expenses		(26,652)	(24,602)
Impairment loss on trade receivables and contract assets		(1,802)	_
Finance costs	5	(3,291)	(4,755)

		ded 30 June	
		2025	2024
	Notes	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Profit/(loss) before tax		(16,151)	1,102
Income tax expenses	6	(1,093)	(450)
Profit/(loss) for the period	7	(17,244)	652
Other comprehensive expense for the period			
Item that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:			
Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign			
operations		2,070	(382)
Total comprehensive expense for the period attributable to			
owners of the Company		(15,174)	270
Profit/(loss) per share			
- Basic and diluted (HK cents)	8	(2.16)	0.08
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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 30 June 2025

	Notes	30 June 2025 <i>HK\$'000</i> (Unaudited)	31 December 2024 HK\$'000 (Audited)
Non-current assets			
Plant and equipment	10	24,530	29,729
Right-of-use assets		1,090	1,006
Intangible assets		644	727
Deferred tax assets		1,108	
		27,372	31,462
Current assets			
Inventories		1,564	1,207
Trade and other receivables	11	16,312	38,115
Contract assets		2,145	2,145
Amounts due from related companies	14b	10,959	5,015
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		51,539	48,228
Deferred tax asset		323	_
Bank balances and cash		25,054	26,568
		107,896	121,278
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	12	42,476	43,896
Amount due to related companies		1,137	4,173
Lease liabilities		873	2,151
Loan from ultimate controlling party		18,193	116,276
Loans from related companies		44,350	44,598
Income tax payables		34	34
		107,063	211,128
Net current assets (liabilities)		833	(89,850)
Total assets less current assets (liabilities)		28,205	(58,388)

	30 June 2025	31 December 2024
No		HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Non-current liabilities		
Lease liabilities	287	681
	287	681
Net assets (net liabilities)	27,918	(59,069)
Capital and reserves		
Share capital	8,000	8,000
Reserves	(80,082)	(67,069)
Deficit in shareholders' equity	(72,082)	(59,069)
Perpetual bonds	100,000	
Total Equity (deficiency in assets)	27,918	(59,069)

UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the six months ended 30 June 2025

	Share capital HK\$'000	Share premium HK\$'000	Statutory reserve HK\$'000	Capital reserve HK\$'000	Translation reserve HK\$'000	Merger reserve HK\$'000	Retained profits HK\$'000	Perpetual Bonds HK\$'000	Total HK\$'000
At 1 January 2024 (audited)	_	_	-	-	_	_	652	_	652
Profit for the period Other comprehensive expense for the period: Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign operations					(382)				(382)
Total comprehensive expense									
for the period					(382)		652		270
Deemed contribution from the ultimate controlling party Transfer to statutory reserve				4,196	- 		8		4,196
At 30 June 2024 (unaudited)	8,000	104,098	8,893	34,020	(12,355)	12,778	(84,206)		71,228
At 1 January 2025 (audited)	8,000	104,098	8,886	34,021	(14,122)	12,778	(212,730)	-	(59,069)
Profit for the period Other comprehensive expense for the period: Exchange difference arising	-	-	-	-	-	-	(17,241)	-	(17,241)
on translation of foreign operations					4,228				4,228
Total comprehensive expense for the period					4,228		(17,241)		(13,013)
Issuance of perpetual bonds Deemed contribution from the	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100,000	100,000
ultimate controlling party Transfer to statutory reserve			8				(8)		
At 30 June 2025 (unaudited)	8,000	104,098	8,894	34,021	(9,894)	12,778	(229,979)	100,000	27,918

UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the six months ended 30 June 2025

	Six months ended 30 June		
	2025	2024	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit/(loss) before tax	(16,151)	1,102	
Adjustments for:			
Amortisation of intangible assets	83	89	
Amortisation of deferred income	(13,839)	(249)	
Bank interest income	(3)	(127)	
Depreciation of plant and equipment	1,683	2,430	
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	69	1,109	
Finance costs	3,283	4,424	
Gain on disposal of plant and equipment	(4,648)	(885)	
Government grants	(36)	(22)	
Gain on lease modification	(1,106)	_	
Reversal of impairment ROU	(629)	_	
Gain on disposal of stock	(1,058)	_	
Write-off of plant and equipment	174	3	
Impairment loss on debts	(1,877)	_	
Changes in fair value of financial assets			
at fair value through profit or loss	15,397	(20,505)	
Operating cash flows before movements in working capital	(18,658)	(12,631)	
(Increase)/decrease in inventories	(357)	1,919	
Decrease/(increase) in trade and other receivables	21,880	(5,826)	
Decrease in contract assets	1	8	
Increase in amounts due from related companies	(8,980)	(1,703)	
Decrease in trade and other payables	(2,896)	(2,839)	
Decrease in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(2,705)	(5,020)	
(Decrease)/increase in amount due to a shareholder	(7,763)	279	
Increase in amount due to related parties	8,042	1,167	
Cash used in from operations	(11,436)	(24,646)	
Hong Kong profits tax paid	_		
PRC enterprise income tax (paid)/refund	(7)	4	
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(11,443)	(24,642)	

	Six months ended 30 June		
	2025	2024	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Acquisition of plant and equipment	42	(273)	
Prepayment for plant and equipment	81	_	
Bank interest received	3	127	
Proceeds from disposal of plant and equipment	7,893	990	
Proceeds from disposal of non-current assets classified as	,		
held-for-sale	1,058		
NET CASH GENERATED FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	9,077	844	
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Government grants received	36	22	
Repayment of principal element of lease liabilities	(1,387)	(1,283)	
Repayment of interest element of lease liabilities	(90)	(136)	
Repayment to related companies	(670)	(670)	
Repayment of loans from ultimate controlling party	(853)	(1,428)	
Loan obtained from ultimate controlling party		30,078	
NET CASH (USED IN)/GENERATED FROM			
FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(2,964)	26,583	
NET (DECREASE)/INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH			
EQUIVALENTS	(5,330)	2,785	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE BEGINNING			
OF THE PERIOD	26,568	42,473	
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes	3,816	580	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE			
PERIOD, REPRESENTED BY BANK BALANCES AND CASH	25,054	45,838	

NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Company was incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 10 September 2014 as an exempted company with limited liability under the Cayman Companies Law, Chapter 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands and its issued shares had been listed on the Stock Exchange since 2017.

The address of the registered office of the Company is Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman, KY1-1111, the Cayman Islands. The address of the principal place of business of the Company is Suites 1801-03, 18/F, One Taikoo Place, 979 King's Road, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong. Its immediate holding company is Yoho Bravo Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands with limited liability and its ultimate controlling party is Mr. Zhang Liang Johnson ("Mr. Zhang").

The Company is principally engaged in investment holding. The principal activities of its subsidiaries are the manufacturing and trading of semiconductors, broadband infrastructure construction and the provision of integrated solution for smart domain application (including smart home, smart campus and smart communities).

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION AND ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements ("interim financial statements") have been prepared in accordance with the applicable disclosure provisions of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules"), including compliance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard ("HKAS") 34, Interim financial reporting, issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"). They were authorised for issue on 20 August 2025.

These interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the same accounting policies adopted in the 2024 annual financial statements, except for the accounting policy changes that are expected to be reflected in the 2025 annual financial statements. Details of any changes in accounting policies are set out below.

These interim financial statements should be read, where relevant, in conjunction with the 2024 annual financial statements of the Group.

New and revised Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") and amendments to HKFRSs

The Group has applied the following amendment to HKFRS Accounting Standards issued by the HKICPA to this unaudited interim financial information for the current accounting period:

Amendments to HKAS 21, The effect of changes in foreign exchange rates: Lack of exchangeability

The Group has assessed the impact of the adoption of the above amendment and considered that there was no material impact on the Group's results and financial position or any substantial changes in the Group's accounting policies.

The Group has not applied any new standard or interpretation that is not yet effective for the current accounting period.

3. REVENUE AND SEGMENT INFORMATION

Information reported to the Board, being the chief operating decision maker (the "CODM"), for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance focuses on types of goods or services delivered or provided. No operating segments identified by the CODM have been aggregated in arriving at the reportable segments of the Group.

Specifically, the Group's reportable and operating segments under HKFRS 8 *Operating Segments* are as follows:

- a) Manufacturing segment engages in selling of electronic and electrical parts and components manufactured by the Group.
- b) Trading segment engages in trading of electronic and electrical parts and components sourced from third-party suppliers.
- c) Broadband infrastructure and smart domain segment engages in the provision of broadband infrastructure construction services, promotion of broadband services, smart domain solution services and operating leases for broadband infrastructure.
- d) Strategic investments segment engages in trading of digital assets and listed equity securities.

Individually material operating segments are not aggregated for financial reporting purposes unless the segments have similar economic characteristics and are similar in respect of the method used to distribute the products and/or the nature of production processes.

Despite that all of the Group's products are of a similar nature, they are subject to different risks and returns. Accordingly, the Group's operating activities are attributable to manufacturing, trading, broadband infrastructure and smart domain segments and strategic investments segments.

Segment revenue represents revenue arising from the manufacturing and trading of electronic goods and electrical parts and components, and provision of broadband infrastructure construction services, promotion of broadband services, smart domain solution services and operating leases for broadband infrastructure. An analysis of the Group's revenue for the Period is as follows:

	Six months end	led 30 June
	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Revenue from contracts with customers		
within the scope of HKFRS 15		
Manufacturing of electronic goods	_	34,559
Trading of electronic goods	713	22,859
Broadband infrastructure and smart domain:		ŕ
- Broadband infrastructure construction services	8,725	13,645
 Commission income from promotion of broadband services 	4,303	9,977
- Provision of smart domain solution services	38,862	1,091
	52,603	82,131
Revenue from other sources		
Broadband infrastructure and smart domain:		
Rental income from broadband infrastructure under operating lease		
 Lease payments that are fixed at a rate 	38	953
	52,641	83,084
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Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers by timing of reco	gnition	
	Six months end	led 30 June
	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Timing of revenue recognition		
At a point in time	43,877	68,486
Over time	8,764	14,598
Total revenue from contracts with customers	52,641	83,084

Segment revenue and results

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

					Six months e	ended 30 June				
					Broadband i	nfrastructure	Stra	itegic		
	Manuf	acturing	Tra	ding	and smar	rt domain	Inves	tments	To	otal
	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Segment revenue		34,559	713	22,859	51,929	25,666	_		52,642	83,084
Segment (loss) profit		(1,956)	58	721	(266)	3,605	529	21,197	321	23,567
Unallocated income Unallocated expenses									7,550 (24,022)	1,278 (23,743)
Profit/(loss) before tax									(16,151)	1,102

The accounting policies of the operating segments are the same as the Group's accounting policies. Segment (loss) profit represents the (loss from) profit earned by each segment without allocation of certain administrative expenses, certain finance costs and certain other income. This is the measure reported to the CODM of the Group for the purposes of resource allocation and performance assessment.

Segment assets and liabilities

The following is an analysis of the Group's assets and liabilities by reportable and operating segments:

	As at 30 June 2025 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2024 HK\$'000 (Audited)
SEGMENT ASSETS		
Manufacturing	_	18,267
Trading	_	2,482
Broadband infrastructure and smart domain	60,331	56,424
Strategic investments	51,539	48,228
Unallocated	23,398	27,339
Total assets	135,268	152,740
SEGMENT LIABILITIES		
Manufacturing	_	3,286
Trading	_	822
Broadband infrastructure and smart domain	40,723	39,899
Unallocated	66,627	167,802
Total liabilities	107,350	212,434

For the purposes of monitoring segment performance and allocating resources between segments:

- all assets are allocated to operating segments other than certain plant and equipment and right-of-use assets for administrative purpose, certain deferred tax assets, certain other receivables and prepayments, and certain bank balances and cash as these assets are managed on a group basis; and
- all liabilities are allocated to operating segments other than certain other payables, certain lease liabilities, loan from an immediate holding company, loans from related companies and loan from ultimate controlling party.

OTHER GAIN/(LOSSES) 4.

	Six months en	ded 30 June	
	2025		
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
Changes in fair value of digital assets	_	_	
Changes in fair value of financial assets			
at fair value through profit or loss	1,158	20,505	
	1,158	20,505	
FINANCE COSTS			
	Six months en	ded 30 June	
	2025	2024	

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Six months end	ded 30 June
2025	2024
HK\$'000	HK\$'000
(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
99	136
3,192	4,424
_	195
3,291	4,755
	2025 HK\$'000 (Unaudited) 99 3,192

6. INCOME TAX EXPENSES

The Group calculates the income tax expenses for the Period using the tax rate that would be applicable to the expected total annual earnings. The major components of income tax expenses in the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income are:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Current tax:		
Hong Kong	_	_
The PRC		
	7	_
Under provision in prior years:		
Hong Kong	_	_
The PRC	1,086	
	1,086	_
Deferred tax		450
	1,093	450

- (i) Pursuant to the rules and regulations of the British Virgin Islands and the Cayman Islands, the Group is not subject to any income tax in these jurisdictions for the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024.
- (ii) For the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024, Hong Kong profits tax of the qualified entity of the Group is calculated in accordance with the two-tiered profits tax rates regime. Under the two-tiered profits tax rates regime, the first HK\$2,000,000 of assessable profits of the qualifying corporation is taxed at 8.25%, and assessable profits of the qualifying corporation above HK\$2,000,000 is taxed at 16.5%. The assessable profits of the other entities of the Group not qualifying for the two-tiered profits tax rates regime continue to be taxed at a flat rate of 16.5%.
- (iii) Under the Law of the PRC on Enterprise Income Tax (the "EIT Law") and Implementation Regulation of the EIT Law, the tax rate of the PRC subsidiaries is 25% from 1 January 2008 onwards.

For the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024, Guangzhou Weaving was recognised by the PRC government as a "High and New Technology Enterprise" and was eligible to a preferential tax rate of 15%.

7. PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE PERIOD

Profit/(loss) for the period has been arrived at after charging (crediting):

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Amount of inventories recognised as expenses	711	57,419
Amortisation of intangible assets	93	89
Depreciation of plant and equipment	1,825	2,430
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	1,246	1,109
Research and development costs (Note (i))	2,212	2,232
Write-off of plant and equipment	174	3
Government grants (Note (ii))	(36)	(22)
Gain on disposal of plant and equipment	(4,648)	(885)
Staff costs (including Directors' emoluments)		
Salaries and allowances	15,218	19,754
Retirement benefits scheme (refund)/contributions	(141)	2,551
Total staff costs	15,077	22,305

Notes:

- (i) The research and development costs included staff cost of approximately HK\$nil (six months ended 30 June 2024: HK\$1,473,000) which has been included in staff costs disclosure above.
- (ii) Government grants were subsidies received from local government authorities and the Group has fulfilled all conditions attached to the subsidies. The grants were recognised as other income upon receipt for the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024.

8. PROFIT/(LOSS) PER SHARE

The calculation of the basic and diluted profit/(loss) per share attributable to the owners of the Company is based on the following data:

Basic loss per share

	Six months ended 30 June		
	2025		
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
Loss (Loss)/profit for the purpose of basic and diluted (loss)/profit per share	HK\$(17,244,000)	HK\$652,000	
Number of shares			
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of			
basic and diluted profit/(loss) per share	800,000,000	800,000,000	

Diluted profit/(loss) per share

Diluted profit/(loss) per share is the same as basic profit/(loss) per share for the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024 as there were no dilutive potential ordinary shares outstanding during these periods.

9. **DIVIDEND**

No interim dividend was paid or proposed during the Period, nor has any interim dividend been proposed since the end of the reporting period (six months ended 30 June 2024: nil).

10. PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

During the Period, the Group acquired plant and equipment of approximately HK\$3,000 (six months ended 30 June 2024: HK\$273,000).

During the Period, plant and equipment with a net carrying value of approximately HK\$2,834,000 (six months ended 30 June 2024: HK\$105,000) were disposed of by the Group, for cash proceeds of approximately HK\$1,776,200, resulting in a net gain on disposals of approximately HK\$1,057,800 (six months ended 30 June 2024: HK\$885,000).

Plant and equipment with a net carrying value of approximately HK\$174,000 were written off by the Group during the Period (six months ended 30 June 2024: HK\$3,000).

11. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	As at 30 June 2025 <i>HK\$'000</i> (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2024 HK\$'000 (Audited)
Receivables at amortised cost comprise: Trade receivables Less: allowance for impairment of trade receivables	30,390 (19,163)	52,020 (19,238)
Deposits and other receivables Value-added tax recoverable Prepayments	11,227 2,803 — 2,282	32,782 1,561 872 2,900
Total trade and other receivables	16,312	38,115

As at 30 June 2025, the gross amount of trade receivables arising from contracts with customers and operating leases amounted to approximately HK\$10,039,000 (31 December 2024: HK\$49,022,000) and HK\$1,188,000 (31 December 2024: HK\$2,998,000) respectively.

The Group does not hold any collateral over its trade and other receivables.

The Group allows a credit period up to 90 days to its customers for manufacturing and trading segments. For customers for broadband infrastructure and smart domain segment, various credit periods are granted to its customers, and the credit period of individual customer is considered on a mutually-agreed basis and stipulated in the project contract, as appropriate.

The following is an aged analysis of trade receivables, net of allowance for impairment, presented based on the date of delivery/invoice date, which approximates the respective revenue recognition dates, at the end of the reporting period.

	As at	As at
	30 June	31 December
	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
0 to 30 days	_	10,166
31 to 90 days	_	8,666
91 to 365 days	6,350	9,461
Over 365 days	4,877	4,489
	11,227	32,782
TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES		
	As at	As at
	30 June	31 December
	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Trade payables	32,886	32,908
Accrued staff costs	1,269	3,964
Accruals and other payables	8,321	7,024
	42,476	43,896

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Included in other payables, amount of approximately HK\$nil represented interest payable to loan from an immediate holding company as at 30 June 2025 (31 December 2024: HK\$279,000).

The following is an aged analysis of trade payables presented based on the invoice date at the end of the reporting period.

	As at 30 June 2025 HK\$'000 (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2024 HK\$'000 (Audited)
Within 3 months 4 to 6 months 7 to 12 months Over 1 year	7,500 4,592 14,875 6,119	7,820 5,815 10,531 8,742
	32,886	32,908

The credit period on purchases of goods ranged from 30 to 180 days (31 December 2024: 30 to 180 days). The Group has financial risk management policies in place to ensure that all payables are settled within the credit timeframe.

13. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

As at 30 June 2025, the Group has contracted for but not provided in the unaudited condensed consolidated financial results in respect of acquisition of plant and equipment and broadband infrastructure construction of approximately HK\$nil (31 December 2024: HK\$nil).

14. APPROVAL OF UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial results were approved and authorised for issue by the Board on 27 August 2025.

15. EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

Subsequent to 30 June 2025, there was no significant event that took place after the Period and up to the date of this announcement.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

BUSINESS REVIEW

(i) Broadband infrastructure and smart domain business

Guangzhou Weaving, the wholly-owned subsidiary of the Group, is principally engaged in broadband infrastructure construction and the provision of integrated solution for smart domain application (including smart home, smart campus and smart communities) in the PRC. Its smart domain solution includes hardware for security and identification purposes, software for residence management, energy saving and community services.

Since the Chinese real estate industry has been affected by global macroeconomic controls, liquidity in the industry has severely contracted and led to extended completion periods for ongoing construction projects. Developers have generally adopted a prudent approach to capital expenditure for any new land reserves and development projects, which in turn has significantly impacted the Group's business in the real estate sector.

In light of this market environment, the Group has implemented a more cautious and conservative strategy in cost management and new project investments, with resources focused on projects with stronger profitability and healthier cash flow to optimize its product portfolio.

Moreover, certain policies implemented by the Chinese government have also posed challenges for the Group. The "speeding up and reducing fees" policy (提速降費政策) continues to exert downward pressure on the profitability of the broadband infrastructure industry. Although commission income from telecom operators for broadband promotion remained relatively stable during the Period, there is still uncertainty regarding the long-term expansion capacity of broadband infrastructure.

As the market environment evolves, Guangzhou Weaving has integrated its internal resources to develop its smart product sales business and successfully entered overseas markets, bringing a new growth trajectory for the Group.

(ii) Semiconductor business

In recent years, the rapid development of global high-tech fields such as 5G networks, artificial intelligence, the Internet of Things, cloud computing, and big data processing has continuously generated strong demand for high-performance, low-power semiconductor products. This trend provides new growth momentum for the global semiconductor industry.

The semiconductor industry value chain encompasses key stages including integrated circuit (IC) design, wafer manufacturing, and packaging testing. The Group's core business focuses on the packaging testing of discrete devices and the manufacturing of proprietary products, supplemented by the trade of third-party semiconductor products, offering customers complete solutions.

Currently, the semiconductor industry exhibits a significant polarization: in the IC design and wafer manufacturing stages, technological barriers create oligopolistic monopolies; while in the discrete device packaging and testing sector, there is a competitive landscape where international giants coexist with regional companies. As a specialized packaging and testing service provider, the Group faces increasingly intense competition in its niche market.

Since from the post-COVID recovery in 2023, global inflation and monetary tightening policies have severely suppressed demand in the consumer electronics market. Traditional consumer electronics products such as smartphones and PCs briefly warmed up before slipping back into sluggishness, resulting in a cliff-like drop in demand for the Group's industry chain and ongoing declines in product prices. Given the continued expansion of business losses, management decisively suspended relevant production lines in order to curb the spread of losses. Consequently, during the Period, revenue from semiconductor manufacturing and trading plummeted by 99.0% year-on-year.

The exacerbation of global trade frictions, combined with geopolitical risks, adds further uncertainty to the industry's recovery prospects. Weak end-market demand has led customers to significantly reduce orders, and continued declines in product prices present substantial challenges for restarting operations in this business segment. The Board has been carefully assessing the strategic value of this business line and will continue to review its status and development in order to ensure the overall financial health of the Group.

(iii) Strategic investments business

The Group believes that technological innovation is an important engine for future economic development, and it can also drive the emerging applications in the smart living sector. The Group aims to leverage its advantages in the field of smart technology to capture investment opportunities and actively diversify the investments in the field of innovative technologies, in order to create greater value for the Shareholders.

The Group has been making investments in listed equity securities during the Period.

Cryptocurrencies

On 31 October 2022, the Hong Kong Government issued the Policy Statement on the Development of Virtual Assets in Hong Kong, recognizing the potential of distributed ledger technologies and Web 3.0 as future trends in finance and commerce. The Hong Kong Government is committed to creating a facilitating environment for the sustainable development of the virtual asset sector through the calibration of a legal and regulatory framework.

The Group aligns with the Hong Kong Government's views on the development of virtual assets in the region and the Group aims to leverage its strengths in smart technology to identify diversification opportunities and timely capture the new prospects offered by blockchain and Web 3.0. As a result, the Board has been exploring opportunities to purchase cryptocurrencies as a preparatory step to diversify investments in innovative technologies.

During the Period, the Group did not hold any cryptocurrency.

However, the Group maintains a positive outlook on the future of virtual assets, particularly in the realms of Web 3.0 and the metaverse. The Group will work to enhance and diversify its investment portfolio and will consider increasing investments in cryptocurrencies when appropriate.

Listed equity securities

The Group's listed equity securities and options investments mainly include leading technology companies and high-quality large-enterprise groups listed in the United States, Mainland China and Hong Kong.

During the Period, the Group purchased listed equity securities and options at a total acquisition cost of approximately HK\$106.9 million and sold listed equity securities with a total carrying amount of approximately HK\$91.1 million. The net proceeds from the disposals amounted to approximately HK\$100.6 million, resulting in a net realised gain of approximately HK\$9.5 million, which was recorded in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income under the fair value changes of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL").

As at 30 June 2025, the Group measured its listed equity securities and options at fair value based on the closing prices quoted in active markets. The Group recognised the unrealised loss of approximately HK\$9.0 million arising on the changes in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL.

The Group will closely monitor and assess the performance of these investments and make timely and appropriate adjustments on the investment portfolio to enhance the returns for the Group and realise the investments as and when appropriate.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Revenue

The Group recorded revenue of approximately HK\$52.6 million during the Period, as compared to the revenue of approximately HK\$83.1 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. The decrease in revenue was approximately HK\$30.4 million or 36.6% when compared to the corresponding period of the previous financial year. It was primarily attributable to the decrease in the revenue of semiconductor business.

In the semiconductor business, the market for traditional consumer electronics products, such as smartphones and personal computers, has continued to be sluggish after a period of strong economic growth. This decline is primarily due to concerns over high inflation and elevated interest rates, which have severely impacted the performance of the manufacturing and trading segments. In light of the ongoing expansion of business losses, the Board resolved to suspend certain relevant production lines temporarily in order to curb further losses, resulting in a 99% drop in revenue for the semiconductor business during the Period. As a result, the total revenue from the semiconductor business for the Period amounted to approximately HK\$0.7 million, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$56.7 million or 98.8%, as compared to the total revenue of approximately HK\$57.4 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024.

During the Period, the Group recorded nil revenue from sales of its self-manufactured semiconductors, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$34.6 million or 100% as compared to that of approximately HK\$34.6 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024.

The Group's trading of semiconductors primarily complements sales of self-manufactured semiconductors when providing integrated solution services to its customers. During the Period, the Group's revenue derived from its trading of semiconductors amounted to approximately HK\$0.7 million, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$22.2 million or 96.9% as compared to that of approximately HK\$22.9 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024.

On the other hand, the revenue of broadband infrastructure and smart domain segment contributed by Guangzhou Weaving Group amounted to approximately HK\$51.9 million during the Period, compared to the revenue of approximately HK\$25.7 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. The increase of approximately HK\$26.2 million in revenue or 102.3% was mainly because there were more projects for smart domain solution during the Period.

Gross Profit and Gross Profit Margin

The Group's gross profit amounted to approximately HK\$9.4 million for the Period, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$1.5 million or 13.8% from approximately HK\$10.9 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. It was mainly attributable to the decrease in revenue and gross profit margin of the semiconductors business.

The Group's overall gross profit margin for the Period was approximately 17.9%, representing an increase of approximately 4.7 percentage points, as compared with gross profit margin of approximately 13.2% for the six months ended 30 June 2024.

For semiconductor business, the Group recorded gross profit of approximately HK\$0.1 million during the Period, as compared to the gross profit of approximately HK\$0.8 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. The decrease in gross profit was approximately HK\$0.7 million or 87.5% when compared to the corresponding period of the previous financial year. The Group's gross profit margin of the semiconductor business also exhibited an increase of approximately 7.9 percentage point, from approximately 1.4% for the six months ended 30 June 2024 to approximately 9.3% for the Period. The decrease in gross profit and the increase in gross profit margin were primarily due to the different types and volumes of self-manufactured and trading products sold by the Group to customers (which have varying gross profit margins), and management implemented a suspension of operations in the semiconductor industry earlier this year.

Meanwhile, Guangzhou Weaving Group contributed gross profit of approximately HK\$9.4 million for the Period, representing parallel to approximately HK\$10.1 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. The gross profit margin of Guangzhou Weaving Group was recorded at approximately 18.0% and 41.0% respectively for the Period and for the six months ended 30 June 2024. The decrease in gross profit margin was mainly due to increase in smart domain solution services, which had a comparatively lower higher gross margin in this segment.

Changes in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL

As discussed above, the Group recorded net realised gain of approximately HK\$9.5 million arising from the disposals of part of listed equity securities and fair value loss of approximately HK\$9.0 million on the listed equity securities and options held as at 30 June 2025. The aggregate amount of approximately HK\$0.5 million was recognised in other gains in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Selling and Distribution Costs

The Group's selling and distribution costs for the Period was approximately HK\$2.3 million, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$1.5 million or 39.5% from approximately HK\$3.8 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. The amount mainly represented the selling and distribution costs of semiconductors business and such decrease was primarily attributable to the decrease in commission expenses to third-party agent, which was in line with the decrease of the Group's sales to customers of semiconductors by third-party agent referrals.

Administrative Expenses

Administrative expenses mainly included staff costs, Directors' remunerations, legal and professional fees, depreciations, research and development expenditures, insurance expenses, office expenses, rental expenses, travelling expenses, entertainment expenses and other miscellaneous operating expenses.

The Group's administrative expenses for the Period was approximately HK\$26.7 million, increased by approximately HK\$2.1 million or 8.5%, as compared to that of approximately HK\$24.6 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. The increase was mainly due to the increase of staff termination costs of the Group for the Period.

Income Tax Expenses

The Group's income tax expenses for the Period were approximately HK\$1.1 million, as compared to income tax expenses of approximately HK\$0.5 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024. Such amount of income tax expenses for the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024 were primarily attributable to the deferred tax impact arising from the disposal of plant and equipment.

Profit/(Loss) for the Period

As a result of the foregoing, the Group's net loss for the Period was approximately HK\$17.2 million, representing a decrease of approximately HK\$17.9 million when compared to the net gain of approximately HK\$0.7 million for the six months ended 30 June 2024.

LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND CAPITAL STRUCTURE

During the Period, the operations of the Group were primarily funded by internally generated cash flows.

The Group's outstanding capital commitments as at 30 June 2025 amounted to approximately HK\$3.0 million (31 December 2024: HK\$3.9 million). Such commitments primarily related to the broadband infrastructure construction and purchase of equipment and machinery to meet the demand of the market and quality control improvements in the production plant. Such outstanding commitments are expected to be funded by the Group's internally generated funds.

As at 30 June 2025, the Group had no outstanding bank borrowing (31 December 2024: nil).

Please refer to note 12 to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial results in this announcement for the ageing analysis in respect of the trade payables of the Group as at 30 June 2025 and 31 December 2024.

The Group's gearing ratio as at 30 June 2025 and 31 December 2024, which was calculated by dividing its total bank borrowings by its total equity, were both nil, due to no outstanding bank borrowings at 30 June 2025 and 31 December 2024.

The Group adopts conservative treasury policies in cash and financial management. To achieve better risk control and minimise the cost of funds, the Group's treasury activities are centralised with all bank deposits denominated either in HK\$, US\$ or RMB. The Group's liquidity and financing requirements are reviewed regularly. The Group will continue to maintain a prudent capital structure when considering financing for new investments.

CHARGES ON GROUP ASSETS

As at 30 June 2025, the Group did not have any pledged assets (31 December 2024: nil).

SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENTS/MATERIAL ACQUISITIONS AND DISPOSALS

Save as disclosed in the paragraph headed "Listed equity securities" in the section headed "Management Discussion and Analysis – Business Review – (iii) Strategic investments business" of this announcement, the Group did not make any significant investments or material acquisitions and disposals of subsidiaries during the Period.

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

As at 30 June 2025, the Group did not have any significant contingent liabilities (31 December 2024: nil).

EXPOSURE TO FLUCTUATIONS IN EXCHANGE RATES

The Group is exposed to foreign currency risks as several of its subsidiaries have foreign currency sales and purchases. For the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024, approximately 23.5% and 21.2%, respectively, of the Group's sales were denominated in currencies other than the functional currency of the relevant group entities making the sales, and approximately 2.1% and 2.3%, respectively, of purchases were not denominated in the relevant group entities' functional currency.

The carrying amounts of the Group's foreign currency denominated monetary assets and monetary liabilities as at 30 June 2025 and 31 December 2024 are as follows:

	Assets		Liabilities	
	30 June	31 December	30 June	31 December
	2025	2024	2025	2024
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
United States dollars ("US\$")	52,029	83,289	710	610
Renminbi ("RMB")	613	24	0	7
Total:	52,642	83,313	710	617

The Group currently does not have a foreign currency hedging policy. However, the Directors continuously monitor the related foreign exchange exposure and will consider hedging significant foreign currency exposure should the need arise.

HUMAN RESOURCES

As at 30 June 2025, the Group had a workforce of 67 full-time employees (including one executive Director but excluding three independent non-executive Directors) of whom approximately 96.7% were employed in the PRC and approximately 3.3% in Hong Kong. The Group's staff costs (including Directors' emoluments) for the six months ended 30 June 2025 and 2024 amounted to approximately HK\$15.1 million and HK\$22.3 million, respectively. The Group's employees in Hong Kong are required to participate in the Mandatory Provident Fund scheme under which it is required to contribute a fixed percentage of the employees' payroll costs (up to a maximum of HK\$1,500 per month) to the scheme. For the Group's employees in the PRC, the Group makes contributions to various government sponsored employee benefit funds, including housing provident fund, basic pension insurance fund, basic medical insurance, unemployment insurance, maternity insurance and work-related injury insurance funds in accordance with applicable PRC laws and regulations.

The Group generally recruits employees from the open market. It actively pursues a strategy to recruit, develop and retain talented employees by (i) providing them with training programs on a regular basis to keep them abreast of their knowledge in the products it distributes, technology development and market conditions of the electronics industry, broadband infrastructure industry and smart domain industry; (ii) aligning employees' compensation and incentives with their performance; and (iii) providing them with a clear career path with opportunities for additional responsibilities and promotions.

RESERVES

Movements in the reserves of the Group for the Period are set out in the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity set out above.

DIVIDENDS

The Board does not recommend the payment of any interim dividend for the Period (30 June 2024: nil).

BUSINESS PROSPECT

In the coming year, the global economic environment is expected to remain unpredictable, and the Group's semiconductor business will continue to face challenges. Ongoing trade tensions between the U.S. and China, along with geopolitical conflicts worldwide, are affecting the global semiconductor supply chain and market. Concerns over high inflation and interest rate hikes will further suppress growth momentum in the consumer market. The replacement cycle for consumer electronics products, such as smartphones and personal computers, is generally lengthening, and it remains unclear when the consumer market will regain its growth momentum. As a result, the Group's semiconductor customers are adopting a cautious approach when placing new orders. Consequently, the Group is taking a prudent stance on this segment of the business, and management may suspend operations in response to market conditions to minimize further losses, reallocating resources to the smart product trading business while continuing to seek opportunities for technological innovation.

On another front, China's "14th Five-Year Plan" has elevated innovation and technological development to a core national priority and strategic pillar for economic growth. It is anticipated that 5G networks, artificial intelligence, the Internet of Things, cloud computing, and big data processing will continue to receive strong supports from the Chinese government. The Group believes that widespread technological innovations will drive new applications in the smart living sector, which will also benefit from a stable and healthy real estate market following deleveraging policy reforms. In light of these, the Group aims to seize the rapidly growing demands for technological applications in the smart living field.

Looking ahead, Guangzhou Weaving aims to become an integrator of smart venue solutions and successfully expand its smart product offerings into overseas markets, believing that this business will bring new growth momentum to the Group. The Group will continue to seek acquisition targets, primarily focusing on smart living-related technologies that could create potential business synergies with Guangzhou Weaving, as well as electronic components in the fields of artificial intelligence and the Internet of Things.

The Group will also explore alternate acquisition targets such as high-potential growth companies with leading technologies. Additionally, the Group will continue to monitor market and industry development trends, actively capturing investment opportunities arising from technological innovation, and will consider diversifying investments in innovative technologies and Web 3.0 to promote technological advancement and create greater value for Shareholders.

CODE OF CONDUCT REGARDING DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted the Model Code as its own code of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors on terms no less exacting than the required standard of dealings set out in Appendix C3 of the Listing Rules. Upon specific enquiry made with all the Directors, the Company was not aware of any non-compliance with the Model Code during the Period regarding securities transactions by Directors.

COMPETING INTERESTS

None of the Directors or controlling shareholders of the Company and their respective close associates (as defined in the Listing Rules) has any interest in a business which competed or might compete with the business of the Group or has any other conflict of interests with the Group during the Period.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Company is committed to achieving high standards of corporate governance. The Directors believe that sound and reasonable corporate governance practices are essential for the continued growth of the Group and for safeguarding and maximising Shareholders' interests.

Pursuant to code provision C.2.1 of the CG Code, the roles of the chairman and the chief executive should be separated and should not be performed by the same individual. The division of responsibilities between the chairman and chief executive should be clearly established and set out in writing. Mr. Zhang Liang Johnson was the chairman of the Board ("Chairman") while the post of the chief executive officer of the Company (the "CEO") has been vacant since 1 February 2021.

The executive Directors and the senior management have been delegated with the authority and responsibility by the Board for the day-to-day operations, business strategies and management of the Group. After evaluation of the current situation of the Company and considering of the board composition, the Board is of the opinion that it is appropriate and in the best interests of the Company at the present stage for such arrangement as it helps to maintain the continuity of the policies and the stability of the operations of the Company. The Board will continue to review the effectiveness of the Company's structure as business continues to grow and develop in order to assess whether any changes, including the appointment of the CEO, is necessary.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company established an audit committee on 23 September 2015 with written terms of reference in compliance with the Listing Rules.

The primary duties of the audit committee of the Company are mainly to make recommendation to the Board on the appointment, re-appointment and removal of external auditor, monitor the integrity of the financial statements, annual reports and interim reports, review significant financial reporting judgements contained therein, and oversee financial reporting system, risk management and internal control systems of the Group. The audit committee of the Company consists of three members, namely Mr. Xu Liang, Mr. Chen Johnson Xi and Ms. Zhang Yibo, all being independent non-executive Directors. Mr. Xu Liang, who has appropriate professional qualifications and experience in accounting matters, is the chairperson of the audit committee.

The audit committee of the Company has reviewed this announcement and the Group's unaudited condensed consolidated financial results for the Period and is of the opinion that the preparation of such results complied with the applicable accounting standards and that adequate disclosure has been made in respect thereof.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES OF THE COMPANY

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased, sold or redeemed any of the listed securities (including sale of treasury shares (within the meaning of the Listing Rules)) of the Company during the Period.

DEFINITIONS

In this announcement, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the following meanings:

"Board" the board of Directors

"CG Code" the Corporate Governance Code as set out in Appendix C1 to the

Listing Rules

"close associate(s)" has the meaning ascribed thereto under the Listing Rules

"Company" Brainhole Technology Limited 脑洞科技有限公司, a company

incorporated as an exempted company with limited liability in the

Cayman Islands

"Director(s)" the director(s) of the Company

"Group" the Company and its subsidiaries

"Guangzhou Weaving" 廣州織網通訊科技有限公司 (Guangzhou Weaving Communications

Telecommunications Technology Limited*), a company established in the PRC with limited liability and a wholly-owned subsidiary of the

Company

"Guangzhou Weaving

Group"

Guangzhou Weaving and its subsidiary

"HKFRS(s)" Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards issued by the HKICPA

"HKICPA" Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants

"HK\$" or "HK dollar(s)"

and "HK cents"

Hong Kong dollars and cents respectively, the lawful currency of Hong

Kong

"Hong Kong" the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the PRC

"Listing Rules" the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange,

as amended, supplemented and/or otherwise modified from time to time

as the context may require

"Model Code" a code of conduct adopted by the Company regarding securities

transactions by Directors and employees of the Group on terms no less exacting than the required standard of dealings set out in Appendix C3

to the Listing Rules

"Period" for the six months ended 30 June 2025

"PRC" the People's Republic of China, save that, for the purpose of this

announcement and unless the context otherwise requires, references in this announcement do not include Hong Kong, Macau Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China and Taiwan

"RMB" Renminbi, the lawful currency of the PRC

"SFO" Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong

Kong)

"Share(s)" ordinary share(s) of HK\$0.01 each in the share capital of the Company

"Shareholder(s)" holder(s) of the Shares

"Stock Exchange" The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

"US\$" United States dollars, the lawful currency of the United States

"%" per cent.

* The English translation of the company name is for reference only. The official name of this company is in Chinese.

By order of the Board

Brainhole Technology Limited

Zhang Liang Johnson

Chairman and executive Director

Hong Kong, 27 August 2025

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. Zhang Liang Johnson as executive Director, and Mr. Xu Liang, Mr. Chen Johnson Xi and Ms. Zhang Yibo as independent non-executive Directors.