
EXPECTED TIMETABLE

2001

Application lists open and close 11:45 a.m. to 12:00 noon on Thursday, 5th July

Announcement of the level of indication of interest in the Placing
to be released on the GEM website at www.hkgem.com Friday, 6th July

Allotment and transfer (as the case may be) of the
Placing Shares on or before Friday, 6th July

Despatch of Share certificates on or about (*Note 1*) Friday, 6th July

Dealings in the Shares on GEM to commence on Monday, 9th July

Notes:–

1. The share certificates for the Placing Shares to be distributed in CCASS are expected to be deposited into CCASS on or before 6th July, 2001 for credit to the respective CCASS participant's stock account designated by the Underwriters, the placees or their agents (as the case may be).
2. For details of the structure of the Placing, including the conditions thereto, see the section headed "Structure and conditions of the Placing" in this prospectus.
3. In the event of any change in the expected timetable as set out in this prospectus, an announcement will be made to inform investors.
4. All reference to time is to Hong Kong time.