Company Balance Sheet

31 December 2000

	Note	2000 \$'000	1999 \$'000
NET ASSETS EMPLOYED		4 000	
Fixed Assets	3	166,347	197,755
Investments	4	1,881,165	1,424,589
Long Term Receivables	5	170,892	320,744
Current Assets			
Inventories	6	439 , 751	652 , 364
Receivables	7	757 , 324	692 , 468
Long term receivables -			
Current portion	5	-	4,367
Taxation recoverable		193,021	172 , 983
Cash and short term investment	8	1,747,817	1,471,950
		3,137,913	2,994,132
Current Liabilities			
Payables;	9	1,336,091	1,417,956
Subsidiaries		773 , 342	683,941
Bank and short term loans	10	691 , 396	473,625
Long term liabilities -			
Current portion	15	2,698	61,664
		2,803,527	2,637,186

Net Current Assets		334 , 386	356,946
		2,552,790	2,300,034
FINANCED BY			
Share Capital	12	216,588	180,491
Capital Reserve	13	1,162,339	952 , 016
Retained Earnings		623,138	610,938
		2,002,065	1,743,445
Long Term Liabilities	15	550 , 725	556,589
		2,552,790	2,300,034

On behalf of the Board

D R Orane Chairman D G Wehby Finance Director