# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

	2008 CURRENT QUARTER ENDED 6/30/2008 RM'000	2007 COMPARATIVE QUARTER ENDED 6/30/2007 RM'000 Restated	2008 6 MONTHS CUMULATIVE TO 6/30/2008 RM'000	2007 6 MONTHS CUMULATIVE TO 6/30/2007 RM'000 Restated
Revenue	25,050	27,705	48,072	55,658
Operating Expenses	(23,429)	(27,521)	(46,238) **	(54,873)
Other Income	30_	274	134_	334_
Profit/(loss) from Operations	1,651	458	1,968	1,119
Finance costs	(975)	(843)	(1,830)	(1,538)
Share of results of an associate	277_	85_	464	148
Profit/(loss) before tax	953	(300)	602	(271)
Taxation	(52)	8	(301)	22
Profit/(loss) for the period	901	(292)	301	(249)
Attributable to:				
Equity holders of the parent	635	(311)	(210)	(422)
Minority interests	266	19_	<u>511</u>	173
	901	(292)	301	(249)
Earnings/(Loss) per share (sen)				
(a) Basic	1.51	(0.74)	(0.50)	(1.00)
(b) Diluted			<del></del>	_
Note no. 1 ** - Operating Expenses for 6 month	ns cumulative ending RM'000	30 June 2008 consists	s of the following :-	
Cost of sale	21,349			
Selling and distribution expenses	12,344			
Operating overhead	12,545 46,238			

Note no. 2 - The following comparative figures have been reclassified to conform with the presentation of the current financial year.

year.	2007 COMPARATIVE	2007 6 MONTHS
	QUARTER ENDED 6/30/2007 RM'000	CUMULATIVE TO 6/30/2007 RM'000
INCOME STATEMENT (EXTRACT):- As previously reported	25,759	49,720
As restated Net Revenue Counter rebate Capitalisation of telecommunication towers Gross Revenue	25,759 3,670 (1,724) 27,705	49,720 8,614 (2,676) 55,658

(The Condensed Consolidated Income Statements should be read in conjunction with the Annual Financial Report for the year ended 31st December 2007)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 JUNE 2008

	AS AT 6/30/2008 RM'000	AS AT 12/31/2007 RM'000
ASSETS Non-current assets		
Property, plant & equipment	28,933	29,557
Prepaid land lease payments	2,565	2,575
Investment in associated company	1,579	1,115
Other investments	21	21
Intangible asset	39	42
Other assets	3,190	3,953
Deferred taxation	535	561
Goodwill on consolidation	24,661	24,661
Current Assets		
Amount owing by contract customers	1,947	4,425
Inventories	22,696	19,190
Debtors	26,125	30,378
Tax Recoverable	159	1,065
Cash and bank balances	14,564	13,839
	65,491_	68,897_
Total Assets	127,014	131,382
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent :		
Share capital	42,000	42,000
Reserves	1,429	1,639
Capital and Reserves	43,429	43,639
Minority interests	3,301	2,790
Total equity	46,730	46,429
Non-current liabilities		
Hire purchase creditors	365	468
IMTN bond	10,000	10,000
Term loans	4,416	4,493
	14,781	14,961
Current Liabilities		
Creditors	23,871	22,940
Amount owing to contract customers	3,422	3,768
Amount owing to director	6,726	6,746
Hire purchase creditors	492	397
Term loans Bankers' acceptances, revolving credit and trust	627	730
receipts	29,613	34,995
Taxation	752_	416_
	65,503	69,992
Total liabilities Total equity and liabilities	80,284 127,014	84,953 131,382
Net Assets per share attributable to ordinary equity		
holders of the parent	1.03	1.04

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

Share         Share         Retained         Capital         Interests         Equit           Capital         Premium         Earnings         Reserve         Total           RM'000         RM'0000         RM'000         RM'000         RM'000 <th>00</th>	00
RM'000 RM	129
At 1 January 2008: - 42,000 5 1,597 37 43,639 2,790 46,4	129
Profit after taxation for the financial	01
At 30 June 2008 42,000 5 1,387 37 43,429 3,301 46,7	′30_
At 1 January 2007: - 42,000 5 2,221 37 44,263 2,624 46,8	87
Subscription of shares in subsidiaries 245 2	45
Loss after taxation for the financial year - (422) - (422) 173 (2	:49)
At 30 June 2007 42,000 5 1,799 37 43,841 3,042 46,8	83

(The Condensed Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Annual Financial Report for the year ended 31st December 2007)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2008	6 MONTHS ENDED 6/30/2008 RM'000	6 MONTHS ENDED 6/30/2007 RM'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net profit/(loss) before taxation	602	(271)
Adjustments for:		
Amortisation of intangible asset Amortisation of other investment Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments Allowance for doubtful debts	3	3
Share of results of an associate Depreciation of property, plant and equipment Interest income	(464) 1,628 (77)	(148) 1,514 (5)
Interest expense	1,922	1,531
Fixed assets written off Provision/(write back) for foreseeable loss	25	59 (318)
Share options granted under ESOS	-	-
Written down of inventories Stock loss	-	-
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(111)
Operating profit before working capital and non-current assets changes	3,639	2,254
Changes in working capital and non-current assets:		
Net change in current and non-current assets	7,004	(34)
Net change in inventories Net change in current liabilities	(3,505) 1,055	2,604 (2,545)
Cash generated from operations	8,193	2,279
Income tax paid	(189)	(1,531)
Tax refunded Interest paid	1,157 (1,922)	90 (591)
	(1,0/	
Net cash generated from /(used in) operating activities	7,239	247
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Investment in assocites company Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(1,020)	(2,850)
Dividend paid to minority interest Interest received	77	5
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	112
Net cash used in investing activities	(943)	(2,733)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from issuance of shares to minority interests Drawdown of IMTN bond	-	245
Bankers' acceptances, term loans,revolving credit and trust receipts Net drawdown/(repayment) of hire purchase Creditors	(5,562) (9)	5,308 (164)
ret drawdown/(repayment) of thre pulchase creditors	(3)	(104)
Net cash used in financing activities	(5,571)	5,389
NET INCREASE / (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	725	2,903
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AS AT 1 JANUARY 2008 / 2007	13,839	8,891
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AS AT 30 JUNE 2008/2007	14,564	11,794
Note: (1) Cash & Cash Equivalents for the period ended 30 June 2008 consists of the Cash & Cash Equivalents	16,792	15,563
Bank Overdraft	(2,228) 14,564	(3,769) 11,794
	14,004	11,194

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The figures have not been audited.

### NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT

# PART A – EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARD 134 ("FRS 134")

#### A1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND METHODS OF COMPUTATION

The interim financial report is unaudited and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of FRS 134 Interim Financial Reporting and Paragraph 9.22 of the Listing Requirements of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

The interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2007

The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted by the Group in this interim financial report are consistent with those adopted in the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2007 except for the following revised FRS issued by Malaysia Accounting Standard Board ("MASB") which are effective for financial period beginning on or after 1 July 2007:

FRS 107	Cash Flow Statements
FRS112	Income Taxes
FRS118	Revenue
FRS121	The Effects of changes in Foreign Exchange Rates
FRS134	Interim Financial Reporting
FRS137	Provision, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets
FRS139	Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement has been issued and the effective date has yet to be determined by the MASB.

The adoption of the above FRS does not have any significant financial impact on the Group.

### A2. AUDIT REPORT QUALIFICATION

The audit report on the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2007 was not subject to any qualification.

# A3. SEASONAL OR CYCLICAL FACTORS

The operations of the Group, other than the retailing division, are not subject to any seasonal or cyclical changes. The retail segment will benefit from higher consumer spending during festivals, school holidays and carnival sales.

# A4. EXCEPTIONAL OR EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS

There were no items of an exceptional or unusual nature that have affected the assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows of the Group during the current quarter and financial year to date.

#### A5. CHANGES IN ESTIMATES OF AMOUNT REPORTED PREVIOUSLY

There were no changes in estimates of amount reported in prior interim periods of the current financial period or changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years that have a material effect in the current interim period.

### A6. DEBTS AND EQUITY SECURITIES

There were no other issuance, cancellation, repurchases, resale and repayments of debt and equity securities for the current quarter.

### A7. DIVIDENDS PAID

There were no dividends paid during the period under review.

### **A8. SEGMENTAL INFORMATION**

	Engineering & Construction	Investment holding	Agriculture	Retailing	Group
REVENUE					
External revenue	8,796,764	25,800	0	39,335,537	48,158,101
Inter-segment revenue	0	0	0	(86,396)	(86,396)
	8,796,764	25,800	0	39,249,141	48,071,705
RESULTS Segment results	380,455	(506,319)	(123,959)	2,217,727	1,967,904
Finance costs Share of results of an associate	(671,024)	0 464,097	0	(1,159,182)	(1,830,206)
Profit/(Loss) before taxation	(290,569)	(42,222)	(123,959)	1,058,545	601,795
Taxation	(26,582)	241,811	0	(516,380)	(301,151)
Profit/(Loss) after taxation	(317,151)	199,589	(123,959)	542,165	300,644

#### Attributable to:

Equity holders of the parent	(787,267)	199,589	(123,959)	500,816	(210,821)
Minority interests	470,116	0	0	41,349	511,465
	(317,151)	199,589	(123,959)	542,165	300,644

	Engineering & Construction	Investment holding	Agriculture	Retailing	Group
OTHER INFORMATION					
Segment assets	38,129,772	6,231,545	447,143	83,739,612	128,548,072
Segment liabilities	30,551,192	6,988,948	2,000	44,218,021	81,760,161
Capital expenditure	(130,991)	0	0	(888,699)	(1,019,690)
Depreciation	699,815	30,461	0	897,833	1,628,109

# A9. VALUATIONS OF PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

There was no revaluation of property, plant and equipment during the current period. The valuation of land and buildings had been brought forward without amendment from the previous annual audited report.

# A10. MATERIAL EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO THE END OF THE INTERIM PERIOD

There were no material events subsequent to the end of the current period as at 28 August 2008.

# A11. CHANGES IN COMPOSITION OF THE GROUP

There were no changes in the composition of the Group during the current interim period.

# **A12. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

	As at 30/06/2008 RM'000	As at 31/12/2007 RM'000
Corporate guarantees given to licensed bank for Banking facilities granted to subsidiaries	65,242	68,502

# A13. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The related party transactions of the Group for the period ended 30 June 2008 are as follows:

Transaction parties	Nature of transaction	As at 30/06/2008 RM'000	As at 31/12/2007 RM'000
MX Too Sdn Bhd	Royalty	280	465
Roncato Leatherware Sdn Bhd	Sale of products	424	1,178
Fook Cheong Trading	Sale of products	37	61
MRZ Car Seat Sdn Bhd	Sale of products/ rental	26	50

The above transactions have been entered into in the ordinary course of business and have been established under terms that were mutually agreed between the parties.

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### NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT

# PART B - EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD

#### **B1. PERFORMANCE REVIEW**

The group recorded a profit before taxation of RM0.95 million for the current quarter ended 30 June 2008 as compared to the loss of RM 0.3 million for the corresponding quarter.

The group recorded a profit before taxation of RM0.60 million for the period ended 30 June 2008 as compared to the loss before taxation of RM0.27 million in the corresponding period.

The increase in profit before taxation for both the current quarter and period was mainly due to increase in sale of garments and higher contribution from leasing of telecommunication towers.

#### **B2. COMMENT ON MATERIAL CHANGES IN PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION**

For the quarter under review, the Group recorded a profit before taxation of RM0.95 million, compared to a loss before tax of RM 0.35 million for the preceding first quarter of 2008. The improvement in performance for the current quarter is mainly due to the higher profit contribution from telecommunication tower project management business and Retail business.

### **B3. COMMENTARY ON PROSPECTS**

The outlook for the Group's operating environment is expected to remain competitive. The Group will continue to focus on its core business activities and is expected to seek ways to consolidate its position in the telecommunication tower project management business and retailing sectors. Moving forward, the Group has ventured into the agricultural sector via the Agarwood project in Laos.

Overall, the Board of Directors expects the Group's performance for this year to continue to be satisfactory.

#### **B4. PROFIT FORECAST OR PROFIT GUARANTEE**

Not applicable to the Group.

### **B5. TAXATION**

The taxation charge included the following:

	Current Quarter RM'000	Year to Date RM'000
Current year provision	323	555

# **B6. UNQUOTED INVESTMENTS AND PROPERTIES**

- (1) There was no purchase of unquoted investment and/or property for the current quarter and the financial year to date.
- (2) There were no sales of unquoted investment and/or property for the current quarter and the financial year to date.

### **B7. QUOTED SECURITIES**

- (1) There were no purchase and disposals of quoted securities by the Group for the current quarter and financial year to date.
- (2) There were no investments in quoted securities as at 30 June 2008.

# **B8. CORPORATE PROPOSAL**

There were no outstanding corporate proposals announced but not completed within 7 days from the date of issue of this report.

### **B9. BORROWINGS AND DEBT SECURITIES**

The Group borrowings as at 30 June 2008 ar	e as follow:-	
	RM'000	RM'000
Short Term		
Hire purchase creditors	492	
Bill payable & Revolving credit	29,613	
Term loans	627	
Bank overdraft	3,950	34,682
Long Term		
Hire purchase creditors	365	
IMTN bond	10,000	
Term Loans	4,416	14,781
•	Total –	49,463

The bank overdrafts, bills payable and term loans are secured over certain subsidiaries' properties, a subsidiary's directors' guarantee as well as fixed deposits placed on lien.

### **B10. OFF BALANCE SHEET FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

There were no financial instruments with off balance sheet risk as at 28 August 2008.

### **B11. CHANGES IN MATERIAL LITIGATIONS**

The Group is not engaged in any material litigation as at 28 August 2008.

### **B12. DIVIDEND**

No dividend has been declared nor recommended for the current period ended 30 June 2008.

#### **B13. EARNINGS PER SHARE**

The basic earnings/(loss) per share is arrived at by dividing the net profit/(loss) for the period attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent by the number of ordinary shares in issue as follows:-

	Current Quarter	Financial Year to Date
Net profit/(loss) attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent (RM'000)	635	(210)
Number of ordinary shares in issue (in thousand)	42,000	42,000
Basic earnings/(loss) per share (sen)	1.51	(0.50)

## **B14. AUTHORISATION FOR ISSUE**

The Interim Financial Statement and the accompanying notes were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Director.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD
Mah Li Chen
Tan Ley Theng
Company Secretaries

Kuala Lumpur 28 August 2008