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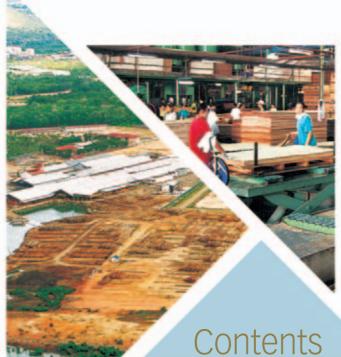
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### Notice of Annual General Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWELFTH
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Company
will be held at Grand Ballroom, Hotel Sandakan,
4th Avenue, 90000 Sandakan, Sabah on
28 September 2007 at 11.00 a.m to transact
the following business:

AG	ENDA	A	Resolution
1.	To re	1	
2.	To c	2	
3.		re-elect the following Directors retiring under Article 103 of the Company's Articles of sociation:-	
	(a)	Lim Ted Hing	3
	(b)	Fong Kin Wui	4
4.		consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions pursuant to Section 129 of the mpanies Act, 1965:-	
	(a)	"That Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong, who retires in accordance with Section 129 of the Companies Act, 1965, be hereby re-appointed as a Director of the Company to hold office until the next Annual General Meeting."	5
	(b)	"That Mr Chan Saik Chuen, who retires in accordance with Section 129 of the Companies Act, 1965, be hereby re-appointed as a Director of the Company to hold office until the next Annual General Meeting."	6
5.	To a	approve payment of Directors' fees of RM70,000 for the year ended 31 March 2007.	7
6.	To r	re-appoint Auditors and authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.	8
7.	As S	Special Business, to consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions:-	
	(i)	ORDINARY RESOLUTION	9
		Authority to issue shares pursuant to Section 132D. Companies Act. 1965	

"THAT subject always to the Companies Act, 1965, the Articles of Association of the Company and approvals from the relevant statutory or regulatory authorities, where such approvals are necessary, full authority be and is hereby given to the Directors pursuant to

#### Notice of Annual General Meeting (cont'd)

#### (i) ORDINARY RESOLUTION (cont'd)

Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965, to issue shares in the Company at any time until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes as the Directors may, in their absolute discretion, deem fit provided that the aggregate number of shares to be issued pursuant to this Resolution does not exceed 10% of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company for the time being."

#### (ii) ORDINARY RESOLUTION

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### Authority to issue shares pursuant to the Company's Employees' Share Option Scheme

"THAT pursuant to the Company's Employees' Share Option Scheme ("the Scheme") as approved at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 30 September 2004, the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised, in accordance with Section 132D of the Companies Act 1965, to allot and issue shares in the Company from time to time in accordance with the Scheme."

#### (iii) ORDINARY RESOLUTION

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#### Proposed renewal of the authority for the purchase of own shares

THAT, subject to compliance with the Companies Act, 1965, the Articles of Association of the Company, regulations and guidelines issued from time to time by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Malaysia") or any other regulatory authorities, approval be and is hereby given to the Company to utilize an amount not exceeding the total share premium and retained profits of the Company to purchase such amount of ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in the Company as may be determined by the Directors of the Company from time to time on Bursa Malaysia upon such terms and conditions as the Directors may deem fit and expedient in the interest of the Company provided that the aggregate number of shares to be purchased pursuant to this resolution does not exceed ten (10) per centum of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company for the time being. As at 31 March 2007, the audited share premium and retained profits accounts of the Company were RM16,502,859 and RM12,486,488 respectively;

AND THAT such authority shall commence upon the passing of this resolution and shall remain in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company unless earlier revoked or varied by ordinary resolution of the shareholders of the Company in a general meeting;

AND THAT authority be and is hereby given to the Directors of the Company to decide in their discretion to retain the ordinary shares in the Company so purchased by the Company as treasury shares and/or cancel them and/or resell the treasury shares or to distribute them as share dividend and/or subsequently cancel them;

AND FURTHER THAT authority be and is hereby given to the Directors of the Company to take all such steps as are necessary and to enter into any agreements and arrangements with any party or parties to implement, finalise and give full effect to the aforesaid with full powers to assent to any conditions, modifications, variations and/or amendments (if any) as may be imposed by the relevant authorities.

#### (iv) SPECIAL RESOLUTION

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#### Proposed amendments to Articles of Association of the Company

THAT the amendments to the Articles of Association of the Company as set out in the Appendix A that is attached be hereby approved.

#### Notice of Annual General Meeting (cont'd)

8. To transact any other business of an ordinary meeting of which due notice has been given.

#### NOTICE OF DIVIDEND ENTITLEMENT

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN THAT contingent upon the approval by the shareholders at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting a final tax exempt dividend of 4% for the year ended 31 March 2007 will be paid on 30 October 2007 to the shareholders registered in the Record of Depositors as at 8 October 2007.

A depositor shall qualify for entitlement to the dividend only in respect of:-

- (a) shares transferred into the Depositor's Account before 4.00 p.m on 8 October 2007 in respect of ordinary transfers;
- (b) shares bought on the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad on a cum entitlement basis according to the Rules of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

#### THIEN VUI HENG (MIA 5970)

Company Secretary

Sandakan, Sabah 5 September 2007

#### Notes :

- a) A member of the Company who is entitled to attend and vote at this meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on a show of hands or on a poll in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- b) In the case of a corporate member, the instrument appointing a proxy shall be under its Common Seal or under the hand of some officer of the corporation duly authorised in that behalf.
- c) Where a member appoints more than one (1) proxy, the appointment shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportion of his holding to be represented by each proxy.
- d) The instrument appointing a proxy must be deposited at the Company's Registered Office situated at 2nd Floor, Lot 15, Block C, Old Slipway Site, 90000 Sandakan, Sabah not less than fortyeight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or at any adjournment thereof.
- e) Explanatory notes on Special Business:-
  - (i) Ordinary Resolution (Resolution 9)

The ordinary resolution if passed, will renew the powers given to the Directors at the last Annual General Meeting, the authority to issue shares up to 10% of the issued capital of the Company for the time being for such purpose as the Directors deem fit in the interest of the Company. The authority unless revoked or varied by the Company in general meeting will expire at the next Annual General Meeting.

- (ii) Ordinary Resolution (Resolution 10)
  - The ordinary resolution if passed, will enable the Directors of the Company, from the date of the General Meeting, to allot and issue ordinary shares of the Company to those employees who have exercised their options under the Employees' Share Option Scheme. This authority, unless revoked or varied at a General Meeting, will expire at the next Annual General Meeting.
- (iii) Ordinary Resolution (Resolution 11)
  - The ordinary resolution if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company to purchase the Company's shares up to ten (10) per centum of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company ("Proposed Share Buy-Back") by utilizing the funds allocated which shall not exceed the total share premium and retained profits of the Company. This authority, unless revoked or varied at a general meeting, will expire at the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company. Further information on the Proposed Share Buy-Back are set out in the Statement dated 5 September 2007 which is despatched together with the Company's 2007 Annual Report.
- (iv) Special Resolution (Resolution 12)

The proposed amendments to the Articles of Association are to amend the Company's Articles of Association to be in line with the changes made to the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

# Statement Accompanying the Notice of Annual General Meeting

pursuant to Paragraph 8.28 (2) of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad

- 1. The names of Directors who are standing for re-election or re-appointment are Lim Ted Hing, Fong Kin Wui, Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong and Chan Saik Chuen.
- 2. Further details of Directors who are standing for re-election or re-appointment are as follows:

#### **Lim Ted Hing**

Aged 52, a Malaysian and a fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants. He is the Executive Director/Chief Operating Officer of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 22 June 1996. He joined Ernst & Young, a public accounting firm in 1985 and was the Senior Manager in charge of its Sandakan Office before leaving to join the Group as Group Financial Controller in July 1994. He was later appointed as Executive Director/Chief Operating Officer in June 1996. He is a member of the Audit Committee, Share Option Committee and Executive Committee of the Board. He is currently a Director of NPC Resources Berhad and several other private companies. His direct shareholdings in the Company as at 3 August 2007 was 1,211,100 ordinary shares of RM1 each. He also holds 800,000 share options. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### Fong Kin Wui

Aged 47, a Malaysian with a Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Civil Engineering from Plymonth Polytechnic, United Kingdom which he obtained in 1983. He is an Executive Director of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 22 June 1996. He has extensive experience and knowledge in the construction industry and plantation business. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the Board. He currently sits on the Board of several companies. His direct and indirect shareholdings in the Company as at 3 August 2007 were 1,695,794 and 4,262,200 ordinary shares of RM1 each respectively. He also holds 800,000 share options. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong

Aged 76, a Malaysian, is the Non-Independent Non-Executive Chairman of the Company. He is one of the founder members of the Group. He is the Chairman of Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd group of companies and also the Chairman of the Board of several private companies. He was the Chairman of the Timber Association of Sabah from 1985 to 1988. With his experience in the timber industry, he contributes to the direction and pace of the Group. He has no directorships in other public companies. His indirect shareholding in the Company as at 3 August 2007 was 23,347,479 ordinary shares of RM1 each. He also holds 800,000 share options. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### **Chan Saik Chuen**

Aged 76, a Malaysian, is the Executive Vice-Chairman of the Company. He is one of the founder members of the Group and has been involved in the timber industry since the 1960's. He oversees the log production operations of the Group and provides the Group with information on the various logistics and operational methods. He sits on the Board of a number of private companies. He has no directorships in other public companies. His direct and indirect shareholdings in the Company as at 3 August 2007 were 49,537 and 24,529,859 ordinary shares of RM1 each respectively. He also holds 800,000 share options. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

### Corporate Structure



### Corporate and Other Information

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

#### **Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong**

Non-Independent Non-Executive Chairman

#### **Chan Saik Chuen**

**Executive Vice-Chairman** 

#### Seah Tee Lean JP

Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer

#### **Lim Ted Hing**

**Executive Director/Chief Operating Officer** 

#### **Fong Kin Wui**

**Executive Director** 

#### Ag Ahmad Bin Ag Amin

Independent Non-Executive Director

#### Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon

Independent Non-Executive Director

#### **COMPANY SECRETARY**

Thien Vui Heng (MIA 5970)

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#### **SOLICITORS**

Shearn Delamore & Co Mazlan & Associates Chin Lau Wong & Foo

#### **AUDITORS**

Ernst & Young

#### **PRINCIPAL BANKERS**

Alliance Bank Malaysia Berhad CIMB Bank Berhad HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad Malayan Banking Berhad Public Bank Berhad RHB Bank Berhad Standard Chartered Bank Malaysia Berhad United Overseas Bank (Malaysia) Berhad

#### STOCK EXCHANGE LISTING

Main Board of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad

#### Corporate and Other Information (cont'd)

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The company is a public limited company, incorporated and domiciled in Malaysia.

All information provided in this Annual Report unless otherwise specified, had been made up to a date not earlier than six (6) weeks from the date of notice of the Annual General Meeting.

#### **DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION**

a) Details of the Directors' remuneration for the financial year ended 31 March 2007 are as follows:-

	Salaries/ Allowances	Bonus	EPF & Socso Contributions	Directors' Fees	Benefits in kind	Total
Executive Directors	1,881,000	790,500	237,060	40,000	82,002	3,030,562
Non-Executive Directors	522,000	162,000	19,166	30,000	17,686	750,852
Total	2,403,000	952,500	256,226	70,000	99,688	3,781,414

- b) The directors whose remuneration falls in each successive band of RM50,000 are as follows:
  - (i) Executive Directors

Range of Remuneration RM	No of Directors
350,001 - 400,000 450,001 - 700,000	1
650,001 - 700,000 700,001 - 750,000	1
1,200,001 - 1,250,000	1
Total	4

(ii) Non-Executive Directors

Range of Remuneration RM	No of Directors
50,001 - 100,000	2
550,001 - 600,000	1
Total	3

#### **NUMBER OF BOARD MEETINGS**

During the financial year ended 31 March 2007, the Company held five (5) Board meetings.

#### **CORPORATE PROPOSAL**

There are no corporate proposals outstanding as at the date of the 2007 Annual Report.

#### Corporate and Other Information (cont'd)

#### **SHARE BUY-BACKS**

During the financial year ended 31 March 2007, the Company bought-back a total of 1,490,200 of its own shares for a total consideration of RM1,366,912.50 and retained them as treasury shares. Details of the shares purchased are as follows:

Month	No of ordinary shares of RM1.00 each	Lowest Purchase Price Per Share (RM)	Highest Purchase Price Per Share (RM)	Average Purchase Price Per Share (RM)	Total Consideration (RM)
April 2006	192,500	0.920	0.945	0.935	180,023.00
May 2006	130,100	0.900	0.955	0.944	122,856.50
June 2006	331,900	0.900	0.920	0.902	299,284.50
July 2006	524,400	0.890	0.915	0.903	473,499.00
August 2006	79,600	0.900	0.925	0.903	71,908.50
September 2006	134,700	0.930	0.950	0.940	126,641.00
October 2006	-	-	-	-	-
November 2006	10,000	1.040	1.040	1.040	10,400.00
December 2006	-	-	-	-	-
January 2007	-	-	-	-	-
February 2007	-	-	-	-	-
March 2007	87,000	0.935	0.955	0.946	82,300.00

There were no resale of treasury shares or shares cancelled during the financial year under review.

#### **OPTIONS, WARRANTS OR CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES**

There were no options, warrants or convertible securities exercised in respect of the financial year under review.

There were also no options offered to and/or exercised by non-executive directors pursuant to a share scheme for employees in respect of the financial year under review.

#### AMERICAN DEPOSITORY RECEIPT (ADR) OR GLOBAL DEPOSITORY RECEIPT (GDR)

The Company did not sponsor any ADR or GDR programme.

#### **SANCTIONS AND/OR PENALTIES**

There were no sanctions and/or penalties imposed on the Company and its subsidiaries, directors or management by the regulatory bodies.

#### **NON-AUDIT FEES**

The amount of non-audit fees incurred for services rendered to the Company and its subsidiaries for the financial year by the external auditors and its affiliated company was RM33,550.00.

#### Corporate and Other Information (cont'd)

#### **VARIATION IN RESULTS**

There was no material variance between the results for the financial year and the unaudited results previously announced. The Company did not issue any profit estimate, forecast or projections for the financial year.

#### **PROFIT GUARANTEE**

There was no profit guarantee to be received by the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2007.

#### **MATERIAL CONTRACTS**

There are no material contracts of the company and its subsidiaries involving directors and major shareholders' interests for the financial year under review other than the related party transactions as disclosed in note 27 to the financial statements.

#### **LANDED PROPERTIES**

The landed properties of the Group are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and less any impairment losses as disclosed in note 2.3(d) to the financial statements.



### Corporate Governance

#### THE MALAYSIAN CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Board of Directors ("Board") supports the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance ("Code") and is committed to ensuring that good corporate governance is practised throughout the Group in enhancing shareholders' value and the financial performance of the Group.

The Board acknowledges its responsibility for compliance with the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Listing Requirements") and all other statutory requirements.

Below is a description of how the Group has applied the principles set out in the Code and its compliance with the best practices of the Code for the year ended 31 March 2007.

#### A. DIRECTORS

#### I The Board

The Board plays a primary role in the conduct and control of the Group's business affairs. The Board currently consists of 7 members namely a Non-independent Non-executive Chairman, an Executive Vice-Chairman, a Chief Executive Officer, an Executive Director, a Chief Operating Officer and 2 Independent Non-executive Directors. The Chairman is independent of the chief executive officer and is not a previous chief executive officer. The Directors have diverse skills and a wide range of relevant business, commercial and financial experience. The profile of the Directors is presented on pages 17 to 19 of the Annual Report.

The Board meets on a quarterly basis to deliberate and consider among others, the Group's quarterly reports and convene additional meetings as necessary. The Directors exercise independent judgement when deliberating matters concerning the Group including strategy, operations, performance, financial and resources.

Prior to each Board Meeting, the Board members are provided with the Agenda of the Board Meeting and the relevant documents and information. This is to enable them to obtain a comprehensive understanding of the issues to be deliberated upon and to enable them to arrive at an informed decision.

There is a schedule of matters reserved specifically for the Board's consideration and decision, including the approval of corporate plans, acquisition and disposal of major assets, major investments, changes to the management and control structure of the Group and issues in respect of key policies, procedures and authority limits.

Where a potential conflict of interest may arise, it is mandatory practice for the director concerned to declare his interest and abstain from the decision making process.

The Board delegates certain responsibilities to the Board Committees in order to enhance business and operational efficiency as well as efficacy. All Committees have their written terms of reference. All minutes of their proceedings and deliberations at the Committee meetings are tabled at the subsequent Board meetings and are duly noted and acted on where deemed necessary by the Board.

To date, the Board has set up five committees namely Audit Committee, Remuneration Committee, Nominating Committee, Share Option Committee and Executive Committee.

#### **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Committee has been appointed to assist the Board in discharging its oversight functions and to comply with the listing requirements.

The membership and functions of the Committee including its terms of references are as disclosed in the Audit Committee report on pages 24 to 27 of the annual report.

#### A. DIRECTORS (CONT'D)

#### I The Board (cont'd)

#### REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The Remuneration Committee consists of Non-Executive Directors of the Company as follows:-

- Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong (Chairman)
- Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon
- Ag Ahmad Bin Ag Amin

The Committee is responsible to draw up and recommend to the Board for its consideration and implementation, the policy framework on all elements of Directors' remuneration including fringe benefits.

The Committee reviews the annual remuneration packages of the Directors and makes appropriate recommendations to the Board for its consideration.

#### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Nominating Committee consists of Non-Executive Directors of the Company as follows:-

- Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong (Chairman)
- Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon
- Ag Ahmad Bin Ag Amin

The Committee is responsible for proposing new nominees for the Board and for assessing directors on an on-going basis and report back recommendations to the Board for its consideration and implementation.

The Committee recommends to the Board, Directors to fill seats on Board committees and provides orientation and education program for new Board members.

#### **SHARE OPTION COMMITTEE**

The Committee consists of four (4) members as follows:-

Directors of the Company

- Seah Tee Lean (Chairman)
- Lim Ted Hing

Directors of Subsidiaries

- Quek Siew Hau
- Seah Sen Onn

The Committee administers the Company's Employees Share Option Scheme ("ESOS") in accordance with the Bye-Laws of the Company's ESOS and is vested with powers and authorities in respect of the administration of the Company's ESOS as approved by the Board.

#### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

The Executive Committee of Directors (Exco) consists of four (4) directors of the Company and four (4) directors of its subsidiaries as follows:

Directors of the Company

- Chan Saik Chuen (Chairman)
- Seah Tee Lean
- Fong Kin Wui
- Lim Ted Hing

#### A. DIRECTORS (CONT'D)

#### I The Board (cont'd)

#### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (cont'd)**

**Directors of Subsidiaries** 

- Fong Tham Yu
- Quek Siew Hau
- Seah Sen Onn
- Chan Ka Ming

The Exco undertakes tasks assigned to it by the Board of Directors.

The Exco is vested with powers and authorities in respect of the management, control, and direction of the Company as approved by the Board of Directors save for the schedule of matters reserved specifically for the Board's consideration and decision.

#### II Board Balance

The Chairman of the Board provides overall leadership to the Board in decision making without limiting the principle of collective responsibility for the Board decisions.

The Directors are responsible for the Group's operations and the role of the independent non-executive Directors is important to the Group in ensuring that strategies proposed by the executive Directors are deliberated, and take into account the interests of the shareholders, employees, customers, suppliers, and other stakeholders before they are implemented.

The Board is of the opinion that the current Board balance of seven (7) directors (comprising three (3) Non-executive Directors and four (4) Executive Directors) is suitable for the Group. The Board will continue to regularly review the size and composition of the Board in order for the Board to function effectively. The Board is satisfied that the present two (2) independent directors fulfils the Listing Requirements and is sufficient to fairly reflect the investment of the minority shareholders. The Board has identified Mr Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon to be the senior independent non-executive director of the Company to whom the concerns of shareholders/investors may be conveyed.

#### **III** Supply of Information

In carrying out their duties, the Directors have complete access to all staff for information both financial and non-financial pertaining to the Group's affairs. The Directors also have full access to the advice and services of the Company Secretary. Where necessary, the Directors engage independent professional for advice at the Group's expense to enable them to discharge their duties with full knowledge of the cause and effect.

#### IV Appointments to the Board

The Nominating Committee comprises non-executive directors, majority of whom are independent. The Committee is responsible for proposing new nominees for the board and for assessing the effectiveness of the Board and the contributions of each director towards the effectiveness of the decision-making process of the Board.

The appointment of any additional Director is made as and when it is deemed necessary by the existing Board of Directors with due consideration given to the mix, expertise and experience required for an effective Board. Any proposal to appoint new directors will be discussed among the Board members and appointment to the Board will be clearly documented in the Board resolutions.

#### A. DIRECTORS (CONT'D)

#### V Re-election

The Articles of Association of the Company requires that all directors shall be subject to election by shareholders at the first opportunity after their appointment and that at least one third (1/3) or the number nearest to one third (1/3) of the directors, be subject to re-election thereafter by rotation once at least in each three (3) years at the Annual General Meeting.

#### VI Directors' Training

As an integral process of appointing new directors, new Board members are provided orientation and education to familiarise them with nature of the Group's businesses, current issues and the responsibilities of directors.

All present directors have attended the Mandatory Accreditation Programme and Continuing Education Programme (CEP) as prescribed by the Listing Requirements. Given that Bursa Securities had varied the CEP requirements from year 2005 onwards, the Board of Directors in determining the training needs has adopted a policy that each director should attend such training which will aid them in the discharge of their duties and to accumulate no lesser than 48 points in a financial year ("the Minimum CEP points"). Each hour of training session attended shall be awarded 2 CEP points. Each director is allowed to have any excess CEP point carried forward to the next financial year provided that the number of points carried forward shall not exceed 24 CEP points. Should any Director not meet the Minimum CEP points in a financial year, the Board may grant such extension of time as required for him to meet it.

For the financial year ended 31 March 2007, all the Directors save for Encik Ag Ahmad bin Ag Amin, have met the Minimum CEP points set by the Company including Mr Chan Saik Chuen and Mr Paul Voon, who had subsequently attended seminars and met the Minimum CEP points.

The Board has granted Encik Ag Ahmad bin Ag Amin extension of time to fulfil his shortfall of CEP points.

The training of the Directors consists of attendance at one or more of the following events:-

- 1 day conference on Sabah International Business 2006;
- 1 day seminar on Tax Practitioner Update & Tax Planning for 2007;
- 1 day seminar on Auditors & Fraud;
- 1/2 day workshop on Biodiesel;
- 1/2 day seminar on 2007 Budget Proposals & Recent Developments;
- 1/2 day talk on Zest for Life;
- Briefing on Annual Executive Tax 2006; and
- Dialogue with Branch Chairman of Malaysian Institute of Accountants.

The Board will evaluate and determine the training needs of the Directors to aid them in the discharge of their duties as Directors. The training would be designed to cover, among others, updates/ amendments on the Bursa Securities Listing Requirements and other regulatory requirements relating to the discharge of the Directors' duties and responsibilities.

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#### Corporate Governance (cont'd)

#### **B. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION**

#### I The Level and Make-up of Remuneration

The level of remuneration for a Director is determined with a view to ensure experienced and capable Directors are attracted and retained to run the Group. There are no attendance fee for both executive and non-executive directors as attendance are expected of the directors in the discharge of their duties as Directors. For Executive Directors, the remuneration is structured to link rewards to performance and/or industry. For non-executive Directors, the level of remuneration will commensurate with the responsibilities undertaken by them.

#### II Procedure

The Remuneration Committee consists of non-executive directors. The Committee is responsible for drawing up the policy framework on all elements of remuneration such as reward structure, fringe benefits and other terms of employment of Executive Directors.

Directors' remuneration packages are determined by the Board as a whole. The Directors whose remuneration packages are being deliberated have the right to be heard during the deliberation but are not allowed to participate in decisions on their own remuneration packages. The Group reimburses expenses incurred by the Directors in the course of their duties as directors.

#### III Disclosure

The details of the Directors' remuneration for the financial year under review are disclosed on page 8 of the Annual Report.

The Board is of the view that the transparency and accountability aspects of corporate governance as applicable to Directors' Remuneration are appropriately served by the band disclosure made.

#### C. SHAREHOLDERS

#### I Shareholders' Communication

The Group recognises the importance of accountability to its shareholders, stakeholders and investors through proper, timely and adequate dissemination of information on the Group's performance and other developments via appropriate channels of communication including information posted on its website, www.tekala.com.my. The annual reports, the interim results announcements and other announcements and the circulars to shareholders are the primary modes of communication to report the Group's business, results and other major developments to its shareholders, stakeholders and investors.

In addition, the Group values dialogue with its shareholders and investors as a means of effective communication that enables the Board and management to convey information about Group's performance, corporate strategy and other matters affecting shareholders' interests.

However, price-sensitive and any information that may be regarded as undisclosed material information about the Group is not disclosed until after the prescribed announcement to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad has been made.

#### II The Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting serves as a principal forum for dialogue with shareholders.

At the Annual General Meeting, the shareholders are accorded the opportunity to raise questions on the agenda items of the general meeting. Directors and Senior Management Officers would provide answers and appropriate clarifications to issues raised.

#### C. SHAREHOLDERS (CONT'D)

#### II The Annual General Meeting (cont'd)

Each item of special business included in the notice of the meeting will be accompanied by an explanatory statement for the proposed resolution to facilitate understanding and evaluation of issues involved.

#### D. ACCOUNTABILITY AND AUDIT

#### I Financial Reporting

In presenting the annual financial statements and quarterly announcements, the Directors aim to present a balanced and understandable assessment of the Group's position and prospects. The Audit Committee assists the Board in reviewing information to ensure its accuracy and adequacy. The Statement of Directors' Responsibilities pursuant to Paragraph 15.27(a) of the Listing Requirements is set out on page 22 of the annual report.

In addition, Directors are furnished with management accounts to enable them to review the Group prospect, performance and financial position.

#### II Internal Control

The Directors acknowledge their responsibilities for the Group's system of internal controls covering not only financial controls but also operational and compliance controls as well as risk management. The internal control system is designed to meet the Group's needs and to manage the risks to which it is exposed. This system is designed to manage, rather than eliminate, the risk of failure to achieve business objectives and can only provide reasonable, and not absolute assurance against material misstatements or losses.

The statement of internal control by Directors pursuant to Paragraph 15.27(b) of the Listing Requirements is set out on page 23 of the annual report.

#### III Risk Management

The Group adopts a common approach to risk management.

Resources, be they physical, financial and human resources, will be applied to ensure our standards of product/services achieve and exceed expectations.

It is also the Group policy that in order to achieve the economic expectations of our shareholders, it would pursue business opportunities/activities involving certain degree of risk. Due consideration would be given to the balance of risks and rewards, as far as practicable, to optimize the rewards from the Group's business activities.

The Group is committed to the philosophy of effective business risk management.

#### IV Relationship with the Auditors

The Group's external auditors shall report independently to the shareholders of the company in accordance with the statutory requirements. The Group and the Directors shall provide full assistance to the external auditors so as to enable them to discharge their duties accordingly.

The external auditors shall meet with the internal auditors as and when deemed necessary, without the presence of the management.

The role of the Audit Committee in relation to the external auditors is set out in the terms of reference of the Audit Committee on pages 24 to 27 of the annual report.



#### Directors' Profile (cont'd)





**DATUK SERI PANGLIMA QUEK CHIOW YONG** 

**CHAN SAIK CHUEN** 

**SEAH TEE LEAN JP** 

#### **DATUK SERI PANGLIMA QUEK CHIOW YONG**

A Malaysian aged 76, is the Non-Independent Non-Executive Chairman of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 22 June 1996. He is one of the founder members of the Group. He is the Chairman of Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd group of companies and also the Chairman of the Board of several private companies. He was the Chairman of the Timber Association of Sabah from 1985 to 1988. With his experience in the timber industry, he contributes to the direction and pace of the Group. He is the Chairman of the Remuneration Committee and Nominating Committee of the Board. He has no directorships in other public companies. He had attended five Board Meetings in the financial year ended 31 March 2007. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### **CHAN SAIK CHUEN**

A Malaysian aged 76, is the Executive Vice-Chairman of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 22 June 1996. He is one of the founder members of the Group and has been involved in the timber industry since the 1960's. He oversees the log production operations of the Group and provides the Group with information on the various logistics and operational methods. He is the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board. He sits on the Board of a number of private companies. He has no directorships in other public companies. He had attended five Board Meetings in the financial year ended 31 March 2007. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### **SEAH TEE LEAN JP**

A Malaysian aged 69, is the Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 22 June 1996. He has been involved in the timber industry for more than thirty years. With his extensive experience and knowledge, he is at the helm in all aspects of the Group's business. He is constantly in touch with the developments in the timber industry with his involvement as a member of the Governing Council of the Timber Association of Sabah. He also possesses extensive experience and knowledge in the plantation business. He is the Chairman of the Share Option Committee and a member of the Executive Committee of the Board. He is the Managing Director of Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd Group of Companies. He had attended five Board Meetings in the financial year ended 31 March 2007. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### Directors' Profile (cont'd)









LIM TED HING

**FONG KIN WUI** 

AG AHMAD BIN AG AMIN

**VOON SUI LIONG @ PAUL VOON** 

#### **LIM TED HING**

Aged 52, a Malaysian and a fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants. He is the Executive Director/Chief Operating Officer of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 22 June 1996. He joined Ernst & Young, a public accounting firm in 1985 and was the Senior Manager in charge of its Sandakan Office before leaving to join the Group as Group Financial Controller in July 1994. He was later appointed as Executive Director/Chief Operating Officer in June 1996. He is a member of the Audit Committee, Share Option Committee and Executive Committee of the Board. He is currently a Director of NPC Resources Berhad and several other private companies. He had attended five Board Meetings in the financial year ended 31 March 2007. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### **FONG KIN WUI**

Aged 47, a Malaysian with a Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Civil Engineering from Plymonth Polytechnic, United Kingdom which he obtained in 1983. He is an Executive Director of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 22 June 1996. He has extensive experience and knowledge in the construction industry and plantation business. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the Board. He currently sits on the Board of several companies. He had attended five Board Meetings in the financial year ended 31 March 2007. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### AG AHMAD BIN AG AMIN

Aged 45, a Malaysian and had completed a two-years course at Institute Technology Industries. He is an Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 15 December 1998. He had been involved in the timber industry for more than 10 years. He is currently doing his own business in contract farming. He is a member of the Audit Committee, Remuneration Committee and Nominating Committee of the Board. He has no directorships in other public companies. He had attended five Board Meetings in the financial year ended 31 March 2007. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

#### **VOON SUI LIONG @ PAUL VOON**

Aged 56, a Malaysian with a Bachelor of Commerce (Hons). He is an Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company and was appointed to the Board on 15 December 1998. He was a major shareholder and the Managing Director of Nountun Press (S) Sdn Bhd, the publisher of the "Borneo Mail", a daily newspaper for 10 years (1988-1998). He was also Managing Director of Borneo Golf Resort Berhad from 1993 to 1996. Presently, he sits as a member of the Board of Sabah Tourism Promotion Corporation and is doing his own business in ticketing and inbound golf tours. He is the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Remuneration Committee and Nominating Committee of the Board. He has no directorships in other public companies. He had attended five Board Meetings in the financial year ended 31 March 2007. He has no family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder of the Company. He has not entered into any transaction which has a conflict of interest with the Company. He has no convictions for offences within the past 10 years.

### Chairman's Statement



On behalf of the Board of
Directors of Tekala Corporation
Berhad, I am pleased to present
the Annual Report and the
audited financial statements of
Tekala Corporation Berhad Group
of companies for the financial
year ended 31 March 2007.

#### **FINANCIAL RESULTS**

During the financial year under review, the Group recorded a turnover of RM161.19 million and a pre-tax profit of RM32.77 million compared to turnover of RM119.39 million and a pre-tax profit of RM2.48 million for the previous year. The significant improvement in performance was mainly due to better plywood margins and sales volume for the year under review.

Included in the above results for the financial year under review was the share of profit after taxation of RM1.94 million versus RM0.20 million in 2006 from the Group's associate - Offshoreworks Holding Sdn Bhd ("Offshoreworks"), an integrated oil and gas services provider.

#### **DIVIDENDS**

During the financial year under review, the Board of Directors declared and paid a 2% tax exempt interim dividend on 8 February 2007.

In addition, the Board of Directors recommended a final tax exempt dividend of 4% be paid in respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2007 subject to the approval of the shareholders at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting of the Company.

#### Chairman's Statement (cont'd)

#### **PROSPECTS**

The prospects for the timber industry are dependent on the global outlook. The positive growth of the global economy will spur demand for timber and processed wood products.

With the group emphasis in improving its operational efficiency and in promoting and marketing high quality floorbase plywood for its main Japanese market, the Directors believe the group's prospects in the industry remain positive despite inherent volatility in the Japanese plywood market.

The Group's associate company - Offshoreworks, an integrated oil and gas services provider - is expected to contribute favourably to the earnings of the Group with the outlook of the oil and gas industry expected to remain positive in the foreseeable years ahead.

Based on the above and barring any unforeseen circumstances, the Directors expect the Group to deliver satisfactory financial results for the coming financial year.

Further, the Group will continue to review and monitor its existing investments and to explore new business opportunities in its continuous efforts to diversify earnings and to enhance shareholders' value.

#### **APPRECIATION**

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to express my gratitude to our customers, suppliers, bankers, business associates, relevant government authorities and shareholders for their continued support and co-operation.

I would also like to convey my appreciation to the Management and staff of the Group for their untiring efforts and contributions.

#### DATUK SERI PANGLIMA QUEK CHIOW YONG CHAIRMAN

Sandakan 3 August 2007

# Statement of Directors' Responsibilities Pursuant to Paragraph 15.27 (a) of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad

The Directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Group and of the Company at the end of the financial year and of the results and cash flows of the Group and the Company for the financial year then ended and lay them before the General Meeting together with a copy of the auditors' report thereon. The financial statements should be made up to a date not more than six months before the date of the meeting.

In preparing the financial statements, the Directors have:

- adopted suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently unless a change is required by statute or by an approved accounting standard or if the change will result in a more appropriate presentation of events or transactions in the financial statements.
- exercised judgement and made estimates that are prudent and reasonable;
- ensured applicable approved accounting standards have been followed and material departures, if any, have been disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepared the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the Group and the Company will continue in business in the foreseeable future.

The Directors are also responsible for ensuring that proper accounting and other records are kept as will sufficiently explain the transactions and financial position of the Group and of the Company and enable true and fair financial statements be prepared which comply with approved accounting standards and the Companies Act, 1965.

The Directors have overall responsibilities for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the Group, to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.



### Statement of Internal Control

Pursuant to Paragraph 15.27 (b) of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad

The Directors acknowledge that they are responsible for the Group's system of internal control and ensuring its adequacy and integrity. The internal control system is designed to manage rather than eliminate the risk of failure to achieve business objectives, and therefore can only provide reasonable and not absolute assurance against material misstatements or losses.

A sound system of internal control provides reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that a Group will not be hindered in achieving its business objectives or the orderly conduct of its business. A system of internal control cannot, however, provide protection with certainty against a Group failing to meet its business objectives or all material errors, losses, fraud, or breaches of laws or regulations as a sound system of internal control reduces, but cannot eliminate the possibility of poor judgement in decision-making; human errors; control processes being circumvented by employees and others; management overriding controls; and the occurrence of unforeseeable circumstances.

The Group operates within a control environment and framework developed and refined over the years. The Management is responsible for the identification and evaluation of significant risks and to formulate the design and operation of appropriate internal controls for its businesses. Risk assessment for the Group is carried out on a regular basis. Comprehensive reports on the Group's financial information and performance are also presented to the Directors on a regular basis.

The Audit Committee comprising the two independent non-executive Directors and the Chief Operating Officer operates under written terms of reference. Its functions include discussing and reviewing with the external auditors their audit findings, their evaluation of the Group's system of internal control and the adequacy of the scope and functions of the internal audit functions and the detailed review of the quarterly reports prior to its recommendation to the Directors for consideration and approval.

For the financial year under review, the Audit Committee reviewed the internal audit work carried out to assess the effectiveness, adequacy and integrity of the Group's system of internal control to ensure compliance with the systems and standard operating procedures of the Group including the process of identifying and evaluating significant risks affecting the Group's business and the policies and procedures by which risks are managed. The Audit Committee also reviewed the financial reporting framework of the associate – Offshoreworks Holdings Sdn Bhd and Group. The results of the review were satisfactory.

The Directors have considered and reviewed the Group's major business risks and its control environment. Controls have been found to be appropriate and adequate. Accordingly, the Directors are satisfied that the Group has a sound system of internal control for the financial year under review.

### Audit Committee Report

The Directors are pleased to present the Audit Committee Report of the Company in respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2007 ("year under review").

#### (A) COMPOSITION

The members of the Audit Committee are as follows:

CHAIRMAN		No of meetings Attended
Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon	Independent Non-Executive Director	5
COMMITTEE MEMBERS		
Ag Ahmad Bin Ag Amin Lim Ted Hing (MIA 3437)	Independent Non-Executive Director Executive Director/Chief Operating Officer	5 5

#### (B) MEETINGS

The audit committee held five meetings in respect of the financial year under review.

#### (C) ACTIVITIES

The activities of the Audit Committee in the discharge of its functions and duties in respect of the financial year under review included the reviewing of the work carried out by the internal audit department, reviewing of the quarterly reports prior to submission to the Board for approval, reviewing with the external auditors their audit, the accounting and audit issues arising from their audit and reviewing the draft audited accounts including reviewing of related party transactions before approval by the Board.

In addition, the Audit Committee verified that the options granted during the financial year were in compliance with the By-laws of the Company's Employees' Share Option Scheme.

#### (D) INTERNAL AUDIT FUNCTION

The Internal Audit function of the Company was established in June 2002. Its principal responsibility is to assist the Audit Committee in providing independent assessments for the adequacy, efficiency and effectiveness of the internal control systems to ensure compliance with the systems and standard operating procedures in the Group.

#### (E) TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE

The terms of reference of the Audit Committee, which have been amended to comply with the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, are as follows:

#### **CONSTITUTION**

1. A committee of the Board known as the Audit Committee is hereby established in accordance with the listing requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

#### Audit Committee Report (cont'd)

#### (E) TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

2. The committee shall consist of not less than three members of which the majority shall be made up of Independent Non-Executive Directors with at least one member of the Audit Committee who must be a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA).

No member of the Committee shall be

- a spouse, parent, brother, sister, son or adopted son, daughter or adopted daughter of an Executive Director of the Company or of any related corporation, or
- spouse of brother, sister, son or adopted son, daughter or adopted daughter of an Executive Director of the Company or of any related corporation, or
- any person having a relationship which, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, would interfere with the exercise of independent judgement in carrying out the functions of the Audit Committee.
- 3. The members of the Audit Committee shall elect a chairman from among their members who shall be an Independent Non-Executive Director.
- 4. If a member of the Committee resigns, dies, or for any other reason ceases to be a member with the result that the number of members is reduced below 3, the Board of Directors shall, within 3 months of that event, appoint such number of new members as may be required to make up the minimum number of 3 members.
- 5. The term of office and performance of the Audit Committee and each of its members shall be reviewed by the Board at least once every three years to determine whether the Audit Committee and members have carried out their duties in accordance with their terms of reference.

#### **RIGHTS**

- 6. In accordance with procedures to be determined by the Board and at the cost of the Company, the Audit Committee shall
  - (a) have authority to investigate any matter within its terms of reference;
  - (b) have the resources which are required to perform its duties;
  - (c) have full and unrestricted access to any information pertaining to the Company;
  - (d) have direct communication channels with the external auditors and person(s) carrying out the internal audit function or activity;
  - (e) be able to obtain independent professional or other advice; and
  - (f) be able to convene meetings with the external auditors, excluding the attendance of the executive members of the Committee, whenever deemed necessary.

#### REPORTING OF BREACHES TO THE BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD

7. Where the Audit Committee is of the view that a matter reported by it to the Board has not been satisfactorily resolved resulting in a breach of the Listing Requirements, the Audit Committee must promptly report such matter to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

#### (E) TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

#### **FUNCTIONS**

- 8. The Audit Committee shall, amongst others, discharge the following functions:-
  - (1) review the following and report the same to the Board:-
    - (a) with the external auditors, the audit plan;
    - (b) with the external auditors, his evaluation of the system of internal controls;
    - (c) with the external auditors, his audit report;
    - (d) the assistance given by the employees of the Company to the external auditors;
    - (e) the adequacy of the scope, functions and resources of the internal audit functions and that it has the necessary authority to carry out its work;
    - (f) the internal audit programme, processes, the results of the internal audit programme, processes or investigation undertaken and whether or not appropriate action is taken on the recommendations of the internal audit function;
    - (g) the quarterly results and year end financial statements, prior to the approval by the Board, focusing particularly on:-
      - (i) charges in or implementation of major accounting policy changes;
      - (ii) significant and unusual events; and
      - (iii) compliance with accounting standards and other legal requirements;
    - (h) any related party transaction and conflict of interest situation that may arise within the Company
      or group including any transaction, procedure or course of conduct that raises questions of
      management integrity;
    - (i) any letter of resignation from the external auditors of the Company; and
    - (j) whether there is reason (supported by grounds) to believe that the Company's external auditor is not suitable for re-appointment; and
  - (2) recommend the nomination of a person or persons as external auditors.

#### ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS

- 9. The quorum for meetings of the Audit Committee shall be at least two where the majority of members present must be Independent Non-Executive Directors.
- 10. Other Board members and employees shall attend Audit Committee meetings only at the invitation of the Committee. However, at least once a year, the Committee shall meet with the external auditors.
- 11. The Company Secretary shall be the Secretary of the Committee.

#### Audit Committee Report (cont'd)

#### (E) TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

#### **PROCEEDINGS AT MEETINGS**

- 12. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present within 10 minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, or is unwilling to act, the Members present may choose one of their members who is an Independent Non-Executive Director to be Chairman of the meeting.
- 13. Save as is otherwise provided, the Committee shall meet, adjourn or otherwise regulate its meetings and proceedings as it thinks fit. Questions arising at any meeting shall be agreed to by all the members present at the meeting. In the event of there being no unanimous decision, the matter concerned shall be referred to the Board of Directors.
- 14. A resolution signed by all members of the Audit Committee for the time being present in Malaysia shall be as effective as a resolution passed at a meeting of the Committee duly convened and held. Any such resolution may consist of several documents in the same form and each signed by one or more members of the Audit Committee.

#### **FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS**

15. Meetings shall be held not less than twice a year. The external auditors may request a meeting if they consider that one is necessary.

#### **REPORTING PROCEDURES**

16. The Secretary shall circulate the minutes of meetings of the Committee to all members of the Board.

### **Shareholdings Statistics**

as at 3 August 2007

Authorised Share Capital : 500,000,000
Paid-Up & Issued Share Capital : 152,752,300
Treasury Shares : 2,740,100
Adjusted capital (after netting Treasury Shares) : 150,012,200

Type of Share : Ordinary share of RM1.00 each

No of Shareholders : 11,908

Voting Rights : 1 vote per shareholder on a show of hands

1 vote per ordinary share on a poll

#### **ANALYSIS OF SHAREHOLDINGS**

Size of Holdings	No. of Holders	Total Holdings#	Percentage#
1 to 99	8	91	0.00
100 to 1,000	5,179	5,142,853	3.43
1,001 to 10,000	5,793	23,085,627	15.39
10,001 to 100,000	840	22,682,779	15.12
100,001 to 7,500,609*	87	85,639,450	57.09
7,500,610 and above**	1	13,461,400	8.97
TOTAL	11,908	150,012,200	100.00

#### Notes:-

- \* Less than 5% of Issued Holdings
- \*\* 5% and above of Issued Holdings
- # Excluding a total of 2,740,100 shares bought-back by the Company and retained as treasury shares as per Record of Depositors as at 3 August 2007.

#### SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS AS PER REGISTER OF SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS

[based on notifications in writing received by the Company on or before 3 August 2007]

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No.	Name of Substantial Shareholder	Direct interest	%	Indirect interest	%
1	Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd	13,461,400	8.97	-	-
2	Chan Saik Chuen	49,537	0.03	24,529,8591	16.35
3	Chan Saik Chuen Sdn Bhd	6,806,2592	4.54	17,723,600 <sup>3</sup>	11.81
4	Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong	-	-	23,347,4794	15.56
5	Quek Chiow Yong Holdings Sdn Bhd	5,623,879	3.75	17,723,600 <sup>3</sup>	11.81

#### Notes:

- 1 Deemed interested through Chan Saik Chuen Sdn Bhd, Tekala Holdings Sdn Bhd and Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd
- 2 Held directly and also via RHB Capital Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd
- 3 Deemed interested through Tekala Holdings Sdn Bhd and Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd
- 4 Deemed interested through Quek Chiow Yong Holdings Sdn Bhd, Tekala Holdings Sdn Bhd and Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd

Shareholdings Statistics as at 3 August 2007 (cont'd)

#### **DIRECTORS' INTERESTS**

According to Register maintained under Section 134 of the Companies Act, 1965, the directors' interests in shares and share options of the Company or in a related corporation are as follows:-

	Ord	inary Sha	Options Over Ordinary Shares of RM1 each			
Name of Directors	Direct	in the Company  Direct Indirect			← in the Company	
	interest	%	interest	%	No. of Options	<b>%</b> *
Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong	-	-	23,347,4791	15.56	800,0007	4.85
Chan Saik Chuen	49,537	0.03	24,529,8592	16.35	800,0008	4.85
Seah Tee Lean	4,285,140	2.86	2,353,3913	1.57	600,0008	3.64
Lim Ted Hing	1,211,100	0.81	-	-	800,0008	4.85
Fong Kin Wui	1,695,7944	1.13	4,262,2005	2.84	800,0008	4.85
Ag Ahmad bin Ag Amin	36,6976	0.02	-	-	450,0009	2.73
Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon	-	-	-	-	500,0007	3.03

The Directors by virtue of their interest in shares in the Company are also deemed to have interest in shares in all of its related corporations to the extent the Company has an interest.

#### Notes:-

- \* Percentage is computed based on the total number of share options granted by the Company of 16,495,900
- 1 Deemed interested through Quek Chiow Yong Holdings Sdn Bhd, Tekala Holdings Sdn Bhd and Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd
- 2 Deemed interested through Chan Saik Chuen Sdn Bhd, Tekala Holdings Sdn Bhd and Syarikat Kretam (Far East) Holdings Sdn Bhd
- 3 Deemed interested through STL Holdings Sdn Bhd
- 4 Held directly and also via Mayban Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd-Amanahraya-JMF Asset Management Sdn Bhd
- 5 Deemed interested through Tekala Holdings Sdn Bhd
- 6 Held via UOBM Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd
- 7 Options exercisable pursuant to the Company's Employees' Share Option Schemes ("ESOS") at option price of RM1.35 per share for 10% of the options and RM1.00 per share for the balance of 90% of the options
- 8 Options exercisable pursuant to the Company's ESOS at an option price of RM1.02 per share
- 9 Options exercisable pursuant to the Company's ESOS at an option price of RM1.00 per share

#### THIRTY (30) LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS AS PER RECORD OF DEPOSITORS

No.	Name	No. Of Shares Held#	%#
1.	SYARIKAT KRETAM (FAR EAST) HOLDINGS SDN BHD	13,461,400	8.97
2.	DB (MALAYSIA) NOMINEE (ASING) SDN BHD  Exempt an for EFG Bank	5,727,428	3.82
3.	QUEK CHIOW YONG HOLDINGS SDN BHD	5,623,879	3.75
4.	INTER-PACIFIC EQUITY NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD Kim Eng Securities Pte Ltd for Wong Hon Chak	5,040,000	3.36

#### THIRTY (30) LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS AS PER RECORD OF DEPOSITORS (CONT'D)

No.	Name	No. Of Shares Held#	%#
5.	SEAH TEE LEAN	4,285,140	2.86
6.	TEKALA HOLDINGS SDN BHD	4,262,200	2.84
7.	CHAN SAIK CHUEN SDN BHD	4,221,855	2.81
8.	TAN TONG CHEW	4,214,849	2.81
9.	AMANAH RAYA NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD Skim Amanah Saham Bumiputera	4,000,000	2.67
10.	Q C M SDN BHD	3,488,299	2.33
11.	KWAN PUN CHO	2,778,200	1.85
12.	RHB CAPITAL NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD Pledged securities account for Chan Saik Chuen Sdn Bhd (071004)	2,584,404	1.72
13.	S T L HOLDINGS SDN BHD	2,353,391	1.57
14.	YEOH KEAN HUA	2,282,100	1.52
15.	MALAYSIA NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD Overseas Assurance Corporation (Malaysia) Berhad (MGF)	1,730,300	1.15
16.	MALAYSIA NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD Great Eastern Life Assurance (Malaysia) Berhad (LPF)	1,708,800	1.14
17.	CITICORP NOMINESS (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD Pledged securities account for Kwan Hung Cheong (473937)	1,668,000	1.11
18.	KWAN CHEE HANG SDN BHD	1,657,749	1.11
19.	T Y FONG SDN BHD	1,634,393	1.09
20.	CITICORP NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD  Exempt An For Merrill Lynch International (Prime Broker)	1,590,000	1.06
21.	MAYBAN NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD Amanahraya-JMF Asset Management Sdn Bhd for Fong Kin Wui (C346-240450)	1,395,794	0.93
22.	LIM TED HING	1,211,100	0.81
23.	PERMODALAN NASIONAL BERHAD	1,188,000	0.79
24.	HDM NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD  DBS Vickers SECS (S) Pte Ltd for River Estates Incorporated	1,140,000	0.76
25.	RHB CAPITAL NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD C C Ho Sdn Bhd (T- 071001)	930,000	0.62

Shareholdings Statistics as at 3 August 2007 (cont'd)

#### THIRTY (30) LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS AS PER RECORD OF DEPOSITORS (CONT'D)

No.	Name	No. Of Shares Held#	%#
26.	SEAH SEN ONN @ DAVID SEAH	925,000	0.62
27.	CHIANG YOK LENG	851,100	0.57
28.	MALAYSIA NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD Overseas Assurance Corporation (Malaysia) Berhad (MSF)	847,500	0.56
29.	LIE TJIE MOH @ LEE CHEE HIONG	780,900	0.52
30.	CITICORP NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD  Exempt An for Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith Incorporated (Foreign)	753,550	0.50

#### Note:-

# Excluding a total of 2,740,100 shares bought-back by the Company and retained as treasury shares as per Record of Depositors as at 3 August 2007.



## List of Properties

Registered Owner and address	Land Area (per title deed)	Description	Tenure	Age of Building (years)	Net Book Value As At 31 March 2007 (RM'000)	Date of Acquisition
Kalabakan Plywood Sdn Bhd CL 105464766 Sungai Imam Pasir Putih District of Tawau	32.73 acres	Plywood factory, warehouse, office and auxiliary buildings	999 years leasehold (expiry 02.09.2923)	17	9,863	21.06.1996
Kalabakan Wood Products Sdn Bhd CL 105463956 Sungai Imam Pasir Putih District of Tawau	29.57 acres	Factory building	99 years leasehold (expiry 31.12.2088)	10	8,462	21.06.1996
Korsa Plywood Sdn Bhd CL 105421814 Sungai Imam Pasir Putih District of Tawau	46.38 acres	Industrial land and building	99 years leasehold (expiry 31.12.2076)	12	9,820	21.06.1996



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### Directors' Report

The Directors have pleasure in presenting their report together with the audited financial statements of the Group and of the Company for the financial year ended 31 March 2007.

#### **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES**

The principal activity of the Company is investment holding.

The principal activities of the subsidiaries are timber processing, log timber extraction and investment holding.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of the principal activities during the financial year.

#### **RESULTS**

Group RN	Company RM
Profit for the year 23,094,25	11,744,908

There were no material transfers to or from reserves or provisions during the financial year other than as disclosed in the financial statements.

In the opinion of the Directors, the results of the operations of the Group and of the Company during the financial year were not substantially affected by any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature other than the effects arising from the changes in accounting policies due to the adoption of the new and revised FRSs which has resulted in a decrease in the Group's and the Company's profit for the year by RM407,762 and RM115,065 respectively as disclosed in Note 2.2(d)(ii) to the financial statements.

#### **DIVIDENDS**

The amount of dividends paid by the Company since 31 March 2006 were as follows:

**RM** 

In respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2006 as reported in the Directors' report of that year:

Final tax exempt dividend of 3% on 149,627,300 ordinary shares (netted off 2,466,300 treasury shares), declared on 28 September 2006 and paid on 30 October 2006

4,488,819

In respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2007:

First interim tax exempt dividend of 2% on 149,617,300 ordinary shares (netted off 2,476,300 treasury shares), declared on 23 November 2006 and paid on 8 February 2007

2,992,346

7,481,165

#### Directors' Report (cont'd)

#### **DIVIDENDS (CONT'D)**

At the forthcoming Annual General Meeting, a final tax exempt dividend of 4% in respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2007 will be proposed for shareholders' approval. The financial statements for the current financial year do not reflect this proposed dividend. Such dividend, if approved by the shareholders, will be accounted for in equity as an appropriation of retained earnings in the financial year ending 31 March 2008.

#### **DIRECTORS**

The names of the Directors of the Company in office since the date of the last report and at the date of this report are:

Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong

Chan Saik Chuen

Seah Tee Lean

Lim Ted Hing

Fong Kin Wui

Ag Ahmad Bin Ag Amin

Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon

Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong and Chan Saik Chuen retire in accordance with Section 129 of the Companies Act, 1965 and the board recommends them for re-appointment to hold office until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company.

In accordance with Article 103 of the Company's Articles of Association, Lim Ted Hing and Fong Kin Wui retire by rotation at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

#### **DIRECTORS' BENEFITS**

Neither at the end of the financial year, nor at any time during that year, did there subsist any arrangement to which the Company was a party, whereby the Directors might acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in or debentures of the Company or any other body corporate, other than those arising from the share options granted under the Employee Share Options Scheme.

Since the end of the previous financial year, no Director has received or become entitled to receive a benefit (other than benefits included in the aggregate amount of emoluments received or due and receivable by the Directors or the fixed salary of a full-time employee of the Company as shown in Note 8 to the financial statements) by reason of a contract made by the Company or a related corporation with any Director or with a firm of which he is a member, or with a company in which he has a substantial financial interest, except as disclosed in Note 27 to the financial statements.

# Directors' Report (cont'd)

#### **DIRECTORS' INTEREST**

According to the register of Directors' shareholdings, the interests of Directors in office at the end of the financial year in shares in the Company during the financial year were as follows:

Number of Ordinary				Shares of RM1 Each		
Names of Directors	1.4.2006	Acquired	Sold	31.3.2007		
Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong Indirect shareholding	10,838,479	14,169,000	-	25,007,479		
Chan Saik Chuen Direct shareholding Indirect shareholding	49,537 12,020,859	- 14,169,000	- -	49,537 26,189,859		
Seah Tee Lean Direct shareholding Indirect shareholding	4,285,140 2,353,391	- -	-	4,285,140 2,353,391		
Lim Ted Hing Direct shareholding	1,211,100	-	-	1,211,100		
Fong Kin Wui Direct shareholding Indirect shareholding	1,695,794 3,427,100	- 835,100	- -	1,695,794 4,262,200		
Ag Ahmad Bin Ag Amin Direct shareholding	51,697	-	(15,000)	36,697		

The interests of Directors in options granted to subscribe for ordinary shares in the Company pursuant to the Employee Share Options Scheme are as follows:

	Option	Number of Options Over Ordinary Shares of RM1 Each			
Names of Directors	Price RM	1.4.2006	Granted	Exercised	31.3.2007
Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong	1.35 1.00	80,000 720,000	-	-	80,000 720,000
Chan Saik Chuen	1.02	800,000	-	-	800,000
Seah Tee Lean	1.02	600,000	-	-	600,000
Lim Ted Hing	1.02	800,000	-	-	800,000
Fong Kin Wui	1.02	800,000	-	-	800,000
Ag Ahmad Bin Ag Amin	1.00	450,000	-	-	450,000
Voon Sui Liong @ Paul Voon	1.35 1.00	50,000 450,000	-	-	50,000 450,000

## Directors' Report (cont'd)

#### TREASURY SHARES

During the financial year, the Company repurchased 1,490,200 of its issued ordinary shares from the open market at an average price of RM0.92 per share. The total consideration paid for the repurchase including transaction costs was RM1,376,572. The shares repurchased are being held as treasury shares in accordance with Section 67A of the Companies Act, 1965.

As at 31 March 2007, the Company held as treasury shares a total of 2,563,300 of its 152,093,600 issued ordinary shares. Such treasury shares are held at a carrying amount of RM2,395,190 and further relevant details are disclosed in Note 20 to the financial statements.

#### **EMPLOYEE SHARE OPTIONS SCHEME ("ESOS")**

The ESOS for eligible employees and Directors of the Company and its subsidiaries was approved by the shareholders at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 30 September 2004. The ESOS became effective on 22 November 2004 when the last of the requisite approvals was obtained and is valid for a period of five (5) years expiring on 21 November 2009.

The salient features and other terms of the ESOS are disclosed in Note 25 to the financial statements.

The Company has been granted exemption by the Companies Commission of Malaysia from having to disclose the names of option holders who have been granted options to subscribe for less than 200,000 ordinary shares of RM1 each. The names of option holders granted options to subscribe for 200,000 or more ordinary shares of RM1 each during the financial year are as follows:

			Exercise	Number of Shares Option		
Name	<b>Grant Date</b>	<b>Expiry Date</b>	Price	Granted	Exercised	31.3.2007
			RM			
Chin Chan Yee	13.11.2006	21.11.2009	1.00	225,000	-	225,000
Wong Seng Yew	13.11.2006	21.11.2009	1.00	225,000	-	225,000

#### OTHER STATUTORY INFORMATION

- (a) Before the income statements and balance sheets of the Group and of the Company were made out, the Directors took reasonable steps:
  - (i) to ascertain that proper action had been taken in relation to the writing off of bad debts and the making of provision for doubtful debts and satisfied themselves that all known bad debts had been written off and that adequate provision had been made for doubtful debts; and
  - (ii) to ensure that any current assets which were unlikely to realise their value as shown in the accounting records in the ordinary course of business had been written down to an amount which they might be expected so to realise.
- (b) At the date of this report, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances which would render:
  - (i) the amount written off for bad debts or the amount of the provision for doubtful debts in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company inadequate to any substantial extent; and
  - (ii) the values attributed to the current assets in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company misleading.

# Directors' Report (cont'd)

#### OTHER STATUTORY INFORMATION (CONT'D)

- (c) At the date of this report, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances which have arisen which would render adherence to the existing method of valuation of assets or liabilities of the Group and of the Company misleading or inappropriate.
- (d) At the date of this report, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances not otherwise dealt with in this report or financial statements of the Group and of the Company which would render any amount stated in the financial statements misleading.
- (e) As at the date of this report, there does not exist:
  - (i) any charge on the assets of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year which secures the liabilities of any other person; or
  - (ii) any contingent liability of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year.
- (f) In the opinion of the Directors:
  - (i) no contingent or other liability has become enforceable or is likely to become enforceable within the period of twelve months after the end of the financial year which will or may affect the ability of the Group or of the Company to meet their obligations when they fall due; and
  - (ii) no item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature has arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report which is likely to affect substantially the results of the operations of the Group or of the Company for the financial year in which this report is made.

#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, Ernst & Young, have expressed their willingness to continue in office.

Signed on behalf of the Board in accordance with a resolution of the Directors dated 24 July 2007.

SEAH TEE LEAN LIM TED HING

# Statement by Directors

Pursuant to Section 169(15) of the Companies Act, 1965

We, SEAH TEE LEAN and LIM TED HING, being two of the Directors of TEKALA CORPORATION BERHAD, do hereby state that, in the opinion of the Directors, the accompanying financial statements set out on pages 41 to 84 are drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965 and applicable Financial Reporting Standards in Malaysia so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as at 31 March 2007 and of the results and the cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the year then ended.

Signed on behalf of the Board in accordance with a resolution of the Directors dated 24 July 2007.

SEAH TEE LEAN LIM TED HING

# Statutory Declaration

Pursuant to Section 169(16) of the Companies Act, 1965

I, LIM TED HING, being the Director primarily responsible for the financial management of TEKALA CORPORATION BERHAD, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the accompanying financial statements set out on pages 41 to 84 are in my opinion correct, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1960.

Subscribed and solemnly declared by the abovenamed LIM TED HING at Sandakan in the State of Sabah on 24 July 2007

**LIM TED HING** 

Before me,

# Report of the Auditors

To the Members of TEKALA CORPORATION BERHAD (Incorporated in Malaysia)

We have audited the financial statements set out on pages 41 to 84. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's Directors.

It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on the financial statements and to report our opinion to you, as a body, in accordance with Section 174 of the Companies Act, 1965 and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility to any other person for the content of this report.

We conducted our audit in accordance with applicable Approved Standards on Auditing in Malaysia. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the Directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

#### In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements have been properly drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965 and applicable Financial Reporting Standards in Malaysia so as to give a true and fair view of:
  - (i) the financial position of the Group and of the Company as at 31 March 2007 and of the results and the cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the year then ended; and
  - (ii) the matters required by Section 169 of the Companies Act, 1965 to be dealt with in the financial statements; and
- (b) the accounting and other records and the registers required by the Act to be kept by the Company and by its subsidiaries of which we have acted as auditors have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

We are satisfied that the financial statements of the subsidiaries that have been consolidated with the financial statements of the Company are in form and content appropriate and proper for the purposes of the preparation of the consolidated financial statements and we have received satisfactory information and explanations required by us for those purposes.

The auditors' reports on the financial statements of the subsidiaries were not subject to any qualification and did not include any comment required to be made under Section 174(3) of the Act.

ERNST & YOUNG
AF: 0039
Chartered Accountants

CHONG YEW HOONG

1502/04/09 (J) Partner

Sandakan, Malaysia 24 July 2007

# **Income Statements**

For the Year Ended 31 March 2007

	Note	2007 RM	Group 2006 RM (Restated)	2007 RM	ompany 2006 RM
Revenue	3	161,191,352	119,388,854	16,006,385	17,607,024
Cost of sales	4	(120,430,580)	(107,873,065)	-	-
Gross profit		40,760,772	11,515,789	16,006,385	17,607,024
Other income	5	2,757,454	2,310,496	184,413	166,504
Distribution costs		(1,133,005)	(955,253)	-	-
Other expenses		(303,245)	(225,064)	-	-
Administrative expenses		(11,246,904)	(10,368,446)	(4,401,212)	(12,977,634)
Operating profit		30,835,072	2,277,522	11,789,586	4,795,894
Share of profit of an associate		1,938,837	199,942	-	-
Profit before tax	6	32,773,909	2,477,464	11,789,586	4,795,894
Income tax expense	9	(9,679,658)	(878,700)	(44,678)	(42,953)
Profit for the year		23,094,251	1,598,764	11,744,908	4,752,941
Attributable to:					
Equity holders of the Company		23,094,251	1,598,764	11,744,908	4,752,941
Earnings per share attributable to equity holders of the Company (sen):					
Basic, for profit for the year	10(a)	15.40	1.05		
Diluted, for profit for the year	10(b)	15.40	1.05		

# Balance Sheets

		Group		Company		
	Note	2007 RM	2006 RM (Restated)	2007 RM	2006 RM	
ASSETS						
Non-current assets						
Property, plant and equipment	12	19,584,113	23,482,286	-	-	
Land lease prepayments	13	19,588,897	19,811,247	-	-	
Investments in subsidiaries	14	-	-	64,053,775	67,724,786	
Investment in an associate	15	27,655,649	25,716,812	-	-	
Other investments	16	131,000	111,000	-	-	
		66,959,659	69,121,345	64,053,775	67,724,786	
Current assets						
Inventories	17	34,128,523	19,184,391	_	-	
Trade and other receivables	18	16,121,369	10,542,421	116,192,176	108,483,981	
Tax refundable		1,988,577	2,012,694	5,826	34,519	
Cash and bank balances	19	77,132,635	71,527,270	5,732,655	6,716,667	
		129,371,104	103,266,776	121,930,657	115,235,167	
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TOTAL ASSETS  EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		196,330,763	172,388,121	185,984,432	182,959,953	
		196,330,763	1/2,388,121	185,984,432	182,737,733	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity	20	196,330,763 152,093,600	172,388,121	185,984,432 152,093,600	152,093,600	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company	20 20					
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium		152,093,600	152,093,600	152,093,600	152,093,600 16,502,859	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares	20	152,093,600 16,502,859	152,093,600 16,502,859	152,093,600 16,502,859	152,093,600 16,502,859	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/	20 20	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190)	152,093,600 16,502,859	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190)	152,093,600 16,502,859	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve	20 20	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190)	152,093,600 16,502,859	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190)	152,093,600 16,502,859	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/	20 20 21	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618)	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618)	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/ (Accumulated losses)	20 20 21	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 13,980,687	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - (1,632,399)	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 12,486,488	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - 8,222,745	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/ (Accumulated losses)  Total equity	20 20 21	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 13,980,687	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - (1,632,399)	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 12,486,488	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - 8,222,745	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/ (Accumulated losses)  Total equity  Non-current liabilities  Deferred tax liabilities	20 20 21 22	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 13,980,687 180,367,368	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - (1,632,399) 165,945,442	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 12,486,488	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - 8,222,745	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/ (Accumulated losses)  Total equity  Non-current liabilities  Deferred tax liabilities  Current liabilities  Trade and other payables	20 20 21 22	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 13,980,687 180,367,368 1,599,512	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - (1,632,399) 165,945,442 1,009,146	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 12,486,488	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - 8,222,745	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/ (Accumulated losses)  Total equity  Non-current liabilities  Deferred tax liabilities  Current liabilities  Trade and other payables	20 20 21 22 23	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 13,980,687 180,367,368	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - (1,632,399) 165,945,442	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 12,486,488 178,873,169	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - 8,222,745 175,800,586	
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company  Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Share option reserve Retained earnings/ (Accumulated losses)  Total equity  Non-current liabilities  Deferred tax liabilities  Current liabilities	20 20 21 22 23	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 13,980,687 180,367,368 1,599,512 9,800,515 4,563,368	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - (1,632,399) 165,945,442 1,009,146 5,400,495 33,038	152,093,600 16,502,859 (2,395,190) 185,412 12,486,488 178,873,169	152,093,600 16,502,859 (1,018,618) - 8,222,745 175,800,586	

# Statements of Changes in Equity For the Year Ended 31 March 2007

		<b>←</b>		able to Equity on-Distributat		the Company — Distributable Retained	<b></b>
	Note	Share Capital (Note 20) RM	Treasury Shares (Note 20) RM	Share Premium (Note 20) RM	Share Option Reserve (Note 21) RM	Earnings/ (Accumulated Losses)	Total RM
Group							
At 1 April 2005		151,407,700	-	16,489,141	-	4,434,355	172,331,196
Issue of ordinary shares pursuant to ESOS	25	685,900	-	13,718	-	-	699,618
Purchase of treasury shares	20	-	(1,011,868)	-	-	-	(1,011,868)
Transaction costs		-	(6,750)	-	-	-	(6,750)
Profit for the year		-	-	-	-	1,598,764	1,598,764
Dividends	11	-	-	-	-	(7,665,518)	(7,665,518)
At 31 March 2006		152,093,600	(1,018,618)	16,502,859	-	(1,632,399)	165,945,442
Share options granted under ESOS	21	-	-	-	185,412	-	185,412
Purchase of treasury shares	20	-	(1,366,912)	-	-	-	(1,366,912)
Transaction costs		-	(9,660)	-	-	-	(9,660)
Profit for the year		-	-	-	-	23,094,251	23,094,251
Dividends	11	-	-	-	-	(7,481,165)	(7,481,165)
At 31 March 2007		152,093,600	(2,395,190)	16,502,859	185,412	13,980,687	180,367,368

# Statements of Changes in Equity For the Year Ended 31 March 2007 (cont'd)

		<b>—</b>		able to Equity on-Distributat		the Company — Distributable	<b>•</b>
	Note	Share Capital (Note 20) RM	Treasury Shares (Note 20) RM	Share Premium (Note 20) RM	Share Option Reserve (Note 21) RM	Retained Earnings (Note 22) RM	Total RM
Company							
At 1 April 2005		151,407,700	-	16,489,141	-	11,135,322	179,032,163
Issue of ordinary shares pursuant to ESOS	25	685,900	-	13,718	-	-	699,618
Purchase of treasury shares	20	-	(1,011,868)	-	-	-	(1,011,868)
Transaction costs		-	(6,750)	-	-	-	(6,750)
Profit for the year		-	-	-	-	4,752,941	4,752,941
Dividends	11	-	-	-	-	(7,665,518)	(7,665,518)
At 31 March 2006		152,093,600	(1,018,618)	16,502,859	-	8,222,745	175,800,586
Share options granted under ESOS	21	-	-	-	185,412	-	185,412
Purchase of treasury shares	20	-	(1,366,912)	-	-	-	(1,366,912)
Transaction costs		-	(9,660)	-	-	-	(9,660)
Profit for the year		-	-	-	-	11,744,908	11,744,908
Dividends	11	-	-	-	-	(7,481,165)	(7,481,165)
At 31 March 2007		152,093,600	(2,395,190)	16,502,859	185,412	12,486,488	178,873,169

# Cash Flow Statements For the Year Ended 31 March 2007

		Group		Company		
	Note	2007 RM	2006 RM	2007 RM	2006 RM	
Cash Flows From Operating Activities						
Profit before tax		32,773,909	2,477,464	11,789,586	4,795,894	
Adjustments for:						
Interest on fixed deposits Share of profit of an associate Write-back of provision for diminution	5	(2,251,374) (1,938,837)	(1,963,317) (199,942)	(184,413)	(166,504)	
in value of other investments	5	(50,000)	-	-	-	
Unrealised gain of exchange differences	5	(454)	-	-	-	
Gain on disposal of plant and equipment	5	(40,294)	(151,511)	-	-	
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	6	4,237,005	4,720,862	-	-	
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments	6	222,350	-	-	-	
Equipment scrapped	6	657	-	-	-	
Provision for diminution in value of investments	,	00.000		0.744.050	40.07.000	
in other investments and subsidiaries	6	30,000	-	3,741,358	12,367,039	
Share options granted under ESOS	21	185,412	-	115,065		
Operating profit before working capital changes		33,168,374	4,883,556	15,461,596	16,996,429	
(Increase)/decrease in inventories (Increase)/decrease in receivables Increase/(decrease) in payables		(14,944,132) (5,505,264) 4,400,102	3,858,148 5,308,641 (245,200)	- 2,556 (48,022)	- (2,318) (13,783)	
Cash generated from operations Income tax paid		17,119,080 (4,534,927)	13,805,145 (402,760)	15,416,130 (16,067)	16,980,328	
Net cash generated from operating activities		12,584,153	13,402,385	15,400,063	16,980,328	
Cash Flows From Investing Activities						
Interest on fixed deposits received		2,178,144	1,932,418	176,829	166,504	
Acquisition of a subsidiary		-	-	-	(2)	
Subscription of additional shares in a subsidiary		-	-	-	(99,998)	
Investment in an associate		-	(25,516,870)	-	-	
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(339,495)	(3,277,747)	-	-	
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		40,300	168,001	_	_	
Net cash generated from/(used in)		<u> </u>	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
investing activities		1,878,949	(26,694,198)	176,829	66,504	

# Cash Flow Statements For the Year Ended 31 March 2007 (cont'd)

		(	Group	Company		
	Note	2007	2006	2007	2006	
		RM	RM	RM	RM	
Cash Flows From Financing Activities						
Purchase of treasury shares	20	(1,376,572)	(1,018,618)	(1,376,572)	(1,018,618)	
Proceeds from issuance of shares		-	699,618	-	699,618	
Net change in accounts with subsidiaries		-	-	(7,703,167)	(8,144,640)	
Dividends paid	11	(7,481,165)	(7,665,518)	(7,481,165)	(7,665,518)	
Net cash used in financing activities		(8,857,737)	(7,984,518)	(16,560,904)	(16,129,158)	
Net increase/(decrease) in cash						
and cash equivalents		5,605,365	(21,276,331)	(984,012)	917,674	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		71,527,270	92,803,601	6,716,667	5,798,993	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	19	77,132,635	71,527,270	5,732,655	6,716,667	

# Notes to the Financial Statements

31 March 2007

#### 1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

The Company is a public limited liability company, incorporated and domiciled in Malaysia, and is listed on the Main Board of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The registered office and the principal place at which business is carried out is located at 2nd Floor, Lot 15, Block C, Old Slipway Site, 90000 Sandakan, Sabah.

The principal activity of the Company is investment holding. The principal activities of the subsidiaries are timber processing, log timber extraction and investment holding. There have been no significant changes in the nature of the principal activities during the financial year.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the Directors on 24 July 2007.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 2.1 Basis of Preparation

The financial statements comply with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965 and applicable Financial Reporting Standards in Malaysia. At the beginning of the current financial year, the Group and the Company had adopted new and revised FRSs which are mandatory for financial periods beginning on or after 1 April 2006 as described fully in Note 2.2.

The financial statements of the Group and of the Company have also been prepared on a historical basis.

The financial statements are presented in Ringgit Malaysia (RM).

### 2.2 Changes in Accounting Policies and Effects Arising from Adoption of New and Revised FRSs

On 1 April 2006, the Group and the Company adopted the following FRSs mandatory for financial periods beginning on or after 1 April 2006:

FRS 3 Business Combinations	
FRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements	
FRS 102 Inventories	
FRS 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Estimates and Error	S
FRS 110 Events after the Balance Sheet Date	
FRS 116 Property, Plant and Equipment	
FRS 121 The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates	
FRS 127 Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements	
FRS 128 Investment in Associates	
FRS 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation	
FRS 133 Earnings Per Share	
FRS 136 Impairment of Assets	
FRS 138 Intangible Assets	

In addition to the above, the Group has also taken the option of early adoption of FRS 117: Leases for the financial period beginning 1 April 2006.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.2 Changes in Accounting Policies and Effects Arising from Adoption of New and Revised FRSs (cont'd)

The adoption of FRS 3, 102, 108, 110, 116, 121, 127, 128, 132, 133, 136 and 138 did not have significant financial impact on the Group. The principal effects of the changes in accounting policies resulting from the adoption of the other new/revised FRSs are discussed below:

#### (a) FRS 2: Share-based Payment

Prior to 1 April 2006, no compensation expense was recognised in income statement for share options granted. The Group and the Company recognised an increase in share capital and share premium when the options were exercised. Upon the adoption of FRS 2, the total fair value of share options granted to employees is recognised as an employee cost with a corresponding increase in the share option reserve within equity over the vesting period.

The Group has applied FRS 2 in accordance with its transitional provisions which allow this change in accounting policy to be applied to share options that were granted after 31 December 2004 but had not yet vested on 1 January 2006. The application is retrospective. However, the comparative amount as at 31 March 2006 is insignificant to be restated to reflect this application. The effects on the balance sheets as at 31 March 2007 and income statements for the year ended 31 March 2007 are set out in Note 2.2(d)(i) and Note 2.2(d)(ii) respectively.

#### (b) FRS 101: Presentation of Financial Statements

#### Share of results in associates

Prior to 1 April 2006, the Group's share of taxation of associates accounted for using the equity method was included as part of the Group's income tax expense in the consolidated income statement. Upon the adoption of the revised FRS 101, the share of taxation of associates accounted for using the equity method is now included in the respective shares of profit or loss reported in the consolidated income statement before arriving at the Group's profit or loss before tax.

This change in presentation has been applied retrospectively and as disclosed in Note 2.2(d)(iii), certain comparatives have been restated. The effects on the consolidated income statement for the year ended 31 March 2007 are set out in Note 2.2(d)(ii).

### (c) FRS 117: Leases

#### (i) Leasehold land held for own use

Prior to 1 April 2006, leasehold land held for own use was classified as property, plant and equipment and was stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Long leasehold land with an unexpired lease term of more than 50 years was not amortised as the Directors are of the opinion that the non-amortisation of the long leasehold land has no material effect on the financial statements. The adoption of the revised FRS 117 has resulted in a change in the accounting policy relating to the classification of leases of land and buildings. Leases of land and buildings are classified as operating or finance leases in the same way as leases of other assets and the land and buildings elements of a lease of land and buildings are considered separately for the purposes of lease classification. Leasehold land held for own use is now classified as operating lease and where necessary, the minimum lease payments or the up-front payments made are allocated between the land and the buildings elements in proportion to the relative fair values for leasehold interests in the land element and buildings element of the lease at the inception of the lease. The up-front payment represents prepaid lease payments and are amortised on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.2 Changes in Accounting Policies and Effects Arising from Adoption of New and Revised FRSs (cont'd)

## (c) FRS 117: Leases (cont'd)

#### (i) Leasehold land held for own use (cont'd)

The Group has applied the change in accounting policy in respect of leasehold land in accordance with the transitional provisions of FRS 117. At 1 April 2006, the unamortised amount of leasehold land is retained as the surrogate carrying amount of land lease prepayments as allowed by the transitional provisions. The reclassification of leasehold land as land lease prepayments has been accounted for retrospectively and as disclosed in Note 2.2(d)(iii), certain comparatives have been restated. The effects on the consolidated balance sheet as at 31 March 2007 and consolidated income statement for the year ended 31 March 2007 are set out in Note 2.2(d)(i) and (ii) respectively. This change has no impact on the Company's financial statements.

#### (ii) Initial direct costs

Prior to 1 April 2006, the Group, as a lessor in operating lease arrangements, had recognised initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging leases as an expense in the income statement in the period in which they were incurred. The revised FRS 117 requires such costs to be added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised as an expense over the lease term on the same basis as the lease income. According to the revised FRS 117, this change in accounting policy should be applied retrospectively. In general, the Group does not incur significant initial direct costs on negotiating and arranging leases and as a result, this change in accounting policy did not materially affect the financial statements of the Group and the Company.

# (d) Summary of effects of adopting new and revised FRSs on the current year's financial statements

The following tables provide estimates of the extent to which each of the line items in the balance sheets and income statements for the year ended 31 March 2007 is higher or lower than it would have been had the previous policies been applied in the current year.

#### (i) Effects on balance sheets as at 31 March 2007

	Increase/(Decrease)					
	FRS 2	FRS 117				
<b>Description of Change</b>	Note 2.2(a)	Note 2.2(c)	Total			
	RM	RM	RM			
Group						
Property, plant and equipment	-	(19,811,247)	(19,811,247)			
Land lease prepayments	-	19,588,897	19,588,897			
Retained earnings	(185,412)	(222,350)	(407,762)			
Share option reserve	185,412	-	185,412			
Company						
Investments in subsidiaries	70,347	-	70,347			
Retained earnings	(115,065)	-	(115,065)			
Share option reserve	185,412	-	185,412			

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

- 2.2 Changes in Accounting Policies and Effects Arising from Adoption of New and Revised FRSs (cont'd)
  - (d) Summary of effects of adopting new and revised FRSs on the current year's financial statements (cont'd)
    - (ii) Effects on income statements for the year ended 31 March 2007

	Increase/(Decrease)						
	FRS 2	FRS 101	FRS 117				
<b>Description of Change</b>	Note 2.2(a)	Note 2.2(b)	Note 2.2(c)	Total			
	RM	RM	RM	RM			
Group							
Cost of sales	-	-	3,711	3,711			
Other expenses	-	-	78,180	78,180			
Administrative expenses	185,412	-	140,459	325,871			
Share of profit of an associates	-	(957,783)	-	(957,783)			
Profit before tax	(185,412)	(957,783)	(222,350)	(1,365,545)			
Income tax expense	-	(957,783)	-	(957,783)			
Profit for the year	(185,412)	-	(222,350)	(407,762)			
Earnings per share:							
Basic, for profit for the year (sen)	(0.12)	-	(0.15)	(0.27)			
Diluted, for profit for the year (sen)	(0.12)	-	(0.15)	(0.27)			
Company							
Administrative expenses	115,065	-	-	115,065			
Profit for the year	(115,065)	-	-	(115,065)			

### (iii) Restatement of comparatives

The following comparative amounts have been restated as a result of adopting the new and revised FRSs:

		Increase		
	Previously	FRS 101	FRS 117	
	Stated	Note 2.2(b)	Note 2.2(c)	Restated
	RM	RM	RM	RM
At 31 March 2006				
Group				
Property, plant and equipment	43,293,533	-	(19,811,247)	23,482,286
Land lease prepayments	-	-	19,811,247	19,811,247
For the year ended 31 March 2006				
Group				
Share of profit of an associate	484,797	(284,855)	-	199,942
Profit before tax	2,762,319	(284,855)	-	2,477,464
Income tax expense	(1,163,555)	284,855	-	(878,700)

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Subsidiaries and Basis of Consolidation

#### (i) Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are entities over which the Group has the ability to control the financial and operating policies so as to obtain benefits from their activities. The existence and effect of potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are considered when assessing whether the Group has such power over another entity.

In the Company's separate financial statements, investments in subsidiaries are stated at cost less impairment losses. On disposal of such investments, the difference between net disposal proceeds and their carrying amounts is included in income statement.

#### (ii) Basis of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries as at the balance sheet date. The financial statements of the subsidiaries are prepared for the same reporting date as the Company.

Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date of acquisition, being the date on which the Group obtains control, and continue to be consolidated until the date that such control ceases. In preparing the consolidated financial statements, intragroup balances, transactions and unrealised gains or losses are eliminated in full. Uniform accounting policies are adopted in the consolidated financial statements for like transactions and events in similar circumstances.

Acquisitions of subsidiaries are accounted for using the purchase method. The purchase method of accounting involves allocating the cost of the acquisition to the fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities and contingent liabilities assumed at the date of acquisition. The cost of an acquisition is measured as the aggregate of the fair values, at the date of exchange, of the assets given, liabilities incurred or assumed, and equity instruments issued, plus any costs directly attributable to the acquisition.

Any excess of the cost of the acquisition over the Group's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities represents goodwill. Any excess of the Group's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of acquisition is recognised immediately in income statement.

Minority interests represent the portion of profit or loss and net assets in subsidiaries not held by the Group. It is measured at the minorities' share of the fair value of the subsidiaries' identifiable assets and liabilities at the acquisition date and the minorities' share of changes in the subsidiaries' equity since then.

#### (b) Associates

Associates are entities in which the Group has significant influence and that is neither a subsidiary nor an interest in a joint venture. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee but not in control or joint control over those policies.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

#### (b) Associates (cont'd)

Investments in associates are accounted for in the consolidated financial statements using the equity method of accounting. Under the equity method, the investment in associate is carried in the consolidated balance sheet at cost adjusted for post-acquisition changes in the Group's share of net assets of the associate. The Group's share of the net profit or loss of the associate is recognised in the consolidated income statement. Where there has been a change recognised directly in the equity of the associate, the Group recognises its share of such changes. In applying the equity method, unrealised gains and losses on transactions between the Group and the associate are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the associate. After application of the equity method, the Group determines whether it is necessary to recognise any additional impairment loss with respect to the Group's net investment in the associate. The associate is equity accounted for from the date the Group obtains significant influence until the date the Group ceases to have significant influence over the associate.

Goodwill relating to an associate is included in the carrying amount of the investment and is not amortised. Any excess of the Group's share of the net fair value of the associate's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of the investment is excluded from the carrying amount of the investment and is instead included as income in the determination of the Group's share of the associate's income statement in the period in which the investment is acquired.

When the Group's share of losses in an associate equals or exceeds its interest in the associate, including any long-term interests that, in substance, form part of the Group's net investment in the associate, the Group does not recognise further losses, unless it has incurred obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

The most recent available audited financial statements of the associates are used by the Group in applying the equity method. Where the dates of the audited financial statements used are not coterminous with those of the Group, the share of results is arrived at from the last audited financial statements available and management financial statements to the end of the accounting period. Uniform accounting policies are adopted for like transactions and events in similar circumstances.

In the Company's separate financial statements, investments in associates are stated at cost less impairment losses.

On disposal of such investments, the difference between net disposal proceeds and their carrying amounts is included in income statement.

# (c) Intangible Assets

#### (i) Goodwill

Goodwill acquired in a business combination is initially measured at cost being the excess of the cost of business combination over the Group's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities. Following the initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is not amortised but instead, it is reviewed for impairment, annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired. Gains and losses on the disposal of an entity include the carrying amount of goodwill relating to the entity sold.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

#### (c) Intangible Assets (cont'd)

#### (ii) Other Intangible Assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost. The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is their fair values as at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses. The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed to be either finite or indefinite. Intangible assets with finite lives are amortised on a straight-line basis over the estimated economic useful lives and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at each balance sheet date.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised but tested for impairment annually or more frequently if the events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired either individually or at the cash-generating unit level. The useful life of an intangible asset with an indefinite life is also reviewed annually to determine whether the useful life assessment continues to be supportable.

### (d) Property, Plant and Equipment, and Depreciation

All items of property, plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the income statement during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Subsequent to recognition, property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation of property, plant and equipment is provided for on a straight-line basis to write off the cost of each asset to its residual value over the estimated useful life, at the following annual rates:

%

Buildings	5
Plant, machinery and heavy equipment	10 - 20
Motor vehicles	20
Furniture, fittings and equipment	10 - 20

The residual values, useful life and depreciation method are reviewed at each financial year-end to ensure that the amount, method and period of depreciation are consistent with previous estimates and the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits embodied in the items of property, plant and equipment.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. The difference between the net disposal proceeds, if any and the net carrying amount is recognised in income statement.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

#### (e) Impairment of Non-Financial Assets

The carrying amounts of assets other than inventories are reviewed at each balance sheet date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, the asset's recoverable amount is estimated to determine the amount of impairment loss.

For goodwill, intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life and intangible assets that are not yet available for use, the recoverable amount is estimated at each balance sheet date or more frequently when indicators of impairment are identified.

For the purpose of impairment testing of these assets, recoverable amount is determined on an individual asset basis unless the asset does not generate cash flows that are largely independent of those from other assets. If this is the case, recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit (CGU) to which the asset belongs to. Goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the Group's CGUs, or groups of CGUs, that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the Group are assigned to those units or groups of units.

An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or CGU's fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. Where the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognised in respect of a CGU or groups of CGUs are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to those units or groups of units and then, to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets in the unit or groups of units on a pro-rata basis.

An impairment loss is recognised in income statement in the period in which it arises.

Impairment loss on goodwill is not reversed in a subsequent period. An impairment loss for an asset other than goodwill is reversed if, and only if, there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. The carrying amount of an asset other than goodwill is increased to its revised recoverable amount, provided that this amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined (net of amortisation or depreciation) had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. A reversal of impairment loss for an asset other than goodwill is recognised in income statement.

#### (f) Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Cost includes the purchase price of inventories acquired and other attributable costs in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition.

Cost of spare parts and consumables is computed using the weighted average method while cost of camp stores and spares is computed using the first in, first out basis.

Cost of work-in-progress and finished goods for wood products are computed using the weighted average method. Cost includes direct materials, direct labour, direct overheads and variable production overheads.

Cost of logging work-in-progress is determined using the weighted average method. The cost includes direct labour, materials and other direct expenses.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated cost of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

### (g) Financial Instruments

Financial instruments are recognised in the balance sheet when the Group has become a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial instruments are classified as assets, liabilities or equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangement. Interest, dividends and gains and losses relating to a financial instrument are reported as expense or income. Distributions to holders of financial instruments classified as equity are recognised directly in equity. Financial assets and liabilities are offset against each other when the Group has a legally enforceable right to offset and intends to settle either on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### (i) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the cash flow statements, cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and at bank, deposit at call and short term highly liquid investments which have an insignificant risk of changes in value.

#### (ii) Other non-current investments

Non-current investments other than investments in subsidiaries and associates are stated at cost less impairment losses. On disposal of an investment, the difference between net disposal proceeds and its carrying amount is recognised in income statement.

#### (iii) Trade receivables

Trade receivables are carried at anticipated realisable values. Bad debts are written off when identified. An estimate is made for doubtful debts based on a review of all outstanding amounts as at the balance sheet date.

#### (iv) Trade payables

Trade payables are stated at the fair value of the consideration to be paid in the future for goods and services received.

### (v) Equity Instruments

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Dividends on ordinary shares are recognised in equity in the period in which they are declared.

The transaction costs of an equity transaction are accounted for as a deduction from equity, net of tax. Equity transaction costs comprise only those incremental external costs directly attributable to the equity transaction which would otherwise have been avoided.

The consideration paid, including attributable transaction costs on repurchased ordinary shares of the Company that have not been cancelled, are classified as treasury shares and presented as a deduction from equity. No gain or loss is recognised in income statement on the sale, re-issuance or cancellation of treasury shares. When treasury shares are reissued by resale, the difference between the sales consideration and the carrying amount is recognised in equity.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

#### (h) Leases

#### (i) Classification

A lease is recognised as a finance lease if it transfers substantially to the Group all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership. Leases of land and buildings are classified as operating or finance leases in the same way as leases of other assets and the land and buildings elements of a lease of land and buildings are considered separately for the purposes of lease classification. All leases that do not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards are classified as operating leases, with the following exceptions:

- Property held under operating leases that would otherwise meet the definition of an investment property is classified as an investment property on a property-by-property basis and, if classified as investment property, is accounted for as if held under a finance lease; and
- Land held for own use under an operating lease, the fair value of which cannot be measured separately from the fair value of a building situated thereon at the inception of the lease, is accounted for as being held under a finance lease, unless the building is also clearly held under an operating lease.

#### (ii) Finance Leases - the Group as Lessee

Assets acquired by way of hire purchase or finance leases are stated at an amount equal to the lower of their fair values and the present value of the minimum lease payments at the inception of the leases, less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. The corresponding liability is included in the balance sheet as borrowings. In calculating the present value of the minimum lease payments, the discount factor used is the interest rate implicit in the lease, when it is practicable to determine; otherwise, the Company's incremental borrowing rate is used. Any initial direct costs are also added to the carrying amount of such assets.

Lease payments are apportioned between the finance costs and the reduction of the outstanding liability. Finance costs, which represent the difference between the total leasing commitments and the fair value of the assets acquired, are recognised in the income statement over the term of the relevant lease so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the remaining balance of the obligations for each accounting period.

The depreciation policy for leased assets is in accordance with that for depreciable property, plant and equipment as described in Note 2.3(d).

#### (iii) Operating Leases - the Group as Lessee

Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the term of the relevant lease. The aggregate benefit of incentives provided by the lessor is recognised as a reduction of rental expense over the lease term on a straight-line basis.

In the case of a lease of land and buildings, the minimum lease payments or the up-front payments made are allocated, whenever necessary, between the land and the buildings elements in proportion to the relative fair values for leasehold interests in the land element and buildings element of the lease at the inception of the lease. The up-front payment represents prepaid lease payments and are amortised on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

#### (h) Leases (cont'd)

#### (iv) Operating Leases - the Group as Lessor

Assets leased out under operating leases are presented on the balance sheets according to the nature of the assets. Rental income from operating leases is recognised on a straight-line basis over the term of the relevant lease. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### (i) Income Tax

Income tax on the profit or loss for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Current tax is the expected amount of income taxes payable in respect of the taxable profit for the year and is measured using the tax rates that have been enacted at the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax is provided for, using the liability method. In principle, deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, unused tax losses and unused tax credits to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, unused tax losses and unused tax credits can be utilised. Deferred tax is not recognised if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or negative goodwill or from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction which is not a business combination and at the time of the transaction, affects neither accounting profit nor taxable profit.

Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date. Deferred tax is recognised as income or an expense and included in the profit or loss for the period, except when it arises from a transaction which is recognised directly in equity, in which case the deferred tax is also recognised directly in equity, or when it arises from a business combination that is an acquisition, in which case the deferred tax is included in the resulting goodwill or the amount of any excess of the acquirer's interest is the net fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of the combination.

### (j) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present obligation as a result of a past event and it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate of the amount can be made. Provisions are reviewed at each balance sheet date and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. Where the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as finance cost.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

#### (k) Employee Benefits

#### (i) Short Term Benefits

Wages, salaries, bonuses and social security contributions are recognised as an expense in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees. Short term non-accumulating compensated absences such as sick leave are recognised when the absences occur.

#### (ii) Defined Contribution Plans

Defined contribution plans are post-employment benefit plans under which the Group pays fixed contributions into separate entities or funds and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay further contributions if any of the funds do not hold sufficient assets to pay all employee benefits relating to employee services in the current and preceding financial years. Such contributions are recognised as an expense in the profit or loss as incurred. As required by law, companies in Malaysia make such contributions to the Employees Provident Fund.

#### (iii) Share-based Compensation

The Tekala Corporation Berhad Employee Share Options Scheme ("ESOS"), an equity-settled, share-based compensation plan, allows the Group's employees to acquire ordinary shares of the Company. The total fair value of share options granted to employees is recognised as an employee cost with a corresponding increase in the share option reserve within equity over the vesting period and taking into account the probability that the options will vest. The fair value of share options is measured at grant date, taking into account, if any, the market vesting conditions upon which the options were granted but excluding the impact of any non-market vesting conditions. Non-market vesting conditions are included in assumptions about the number of options that are expected to become exercisable on vesting date.

At each balance sheet date, the Group revises its estimates of the number of options that are expected to become exercisable on vesting date. It recognises the impact of the revision of original estimates, if any, in the income statement, and a corresponding adjustment to equity over the remaining vesting period. The equity amount is recognised in the share option reserve until the option is exercised, upon which it will be transferred to share premium, or until the option expires, upon which it will be transferred directly to retained earnings.

The proceeds received net of any directly attributable transaction costs are credited to equity when the options are exercised.

#### (I) Foreign Currencies

### (i) Functional and Presentation Currency

The individual financial statements of each entity in the Group are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ("the functional currency"). The consolidated financial statements are presented in Ringgit Malaysia (RM), which is also the Company's functional currency.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

#### (I) Foreign Currencies (cont'd)

#### (ii) Foreign Currency Transactions

In preparing the financial statements of the individual entities, transactions in currencies other than the entity's functional currency (foreign currencies) are recorded in the functional currencies using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. At each balance sheet date, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates prevailing on the balance sheet date. Non-monetary items carried at fair value that are denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates prevailing on the date when the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not translated.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items, and on the translation of monetary items, are included in income statement for the period.

Exchange differences arising on the translation of non-monetary items carried at fair value are included in income statement for the period except for the differences arising on the translation of non-monetary items in respect of which gains and losses are recognised directly in equity. Exchange differences arising from such non-monetary items are also recognised directly in equity.

#### (m) Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the revenue can be reliably measured. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

#### (i) Sale of goods

Revenue is recognised upon transfer of significant risks and rewards of ownership to the buyer. Revenue is not recognised to the extent where there are significant uncertainties regarding recovery of the consideration due, associated costs or the possible return of goods.

#### (ii) Log timber extraction income

Log timber extraction income is recognised upon delivery of log timber to customers.

#### (iii) Dividend income

Dividend income is recognised when the Group's right to receive payment is established.

#### (iv) Storage income

Revenue from storage is recognised on accrual basis.

#### (v) Interest income

Interest income is recognised on an accrual basis using the effective interest method.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.4 Standards and Interpretations Issued but Not Yet Effective

At the date of authorisation of these financial statements, the following FRSs, amendments to FRSs and Issues Committee Intrepretations ("IC Interpretation") were issued but not yet effective and have not been applied by the Group and the Company.

FRSs, Amendments to FRSs and IC Interpretations	Effective for financial periods beginning on or after
FRS 124: Related Party Disclosures	1 October 2006
FRS 139: Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement	Deferred
FRS 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources	1 January 2007
Amendment to FRS 119 <sub>2004</sub> : Employee Benefits - Actuarial Gains and Losses, Group Plans and Disclosures	1 January 2007
Amendment to FRS 121: The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates - Net Investment in a Foreign Operation	1 July 2007
IC Interpretation 1: Changes in Existing Decommissioning, Restoration and Similar Liabilities	1 July 2007
IC Interpretation 2: Members' Shares in Co-operative Entities and Similar Instruments	1 July 2007
IC Interpretation 5: Rights to Interest arising from Decommissioning, Restoration and Environmental Rehabilitation Funds	1 July 2007
IC Interpretation 6: Liabilities arising from Participating in a Specific Market - Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment	1 July 2007
IC Interpretation 7: Applying the Restatement Approach under FRS 129 <sub>2004</sub> - Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies	1 July 2007
IC Interpretation 8: Scope of FRS 2	1 July 2007

The above FRSs, amendments to FRSs and IC Interpretations are expected to have no impact on the financial statements of the Group and the Company upon their initial application except for FRS 124: Related Party Disclosures. This standard will affect the identification of related parties and some other related party disclosures.

#### 2.5 Reviews of Estimates

The revised FRS 116: Property, Plant and Equipment requires the review of the residual value and remaining useful life of an item of property, plant and equipment at least at each financial year end. The Group reviewed the residual values and the estimated useful lives of all property, plant and equipment. The effects of the reviews are immaterial and no adjustment is made. The effects on future periods are dependent on the review of the residual value and remaining useful life of an item of property, plant and equipment in future periods.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 2.6 Significant Accounting Estimates

#### **Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty**

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the balance sheet date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below:

#### (i) Depreciation of property, plant and equipment

The cost of plant and machinery is depreciated on a straight-line basis over the assets' useful lives. Management estimates the useful lives of these plant and machinery to be within 5 to 10 years. These are common life expectancies applied in the timber industry. Changes in the expected level of usage and technological developments could impact the economic useful lives and the residual values of these assets, therefore future depreciation charges could be revised.

#### (ii) Deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all unused tax losses and unabsorbed capital allowances to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the losses and capital allowances can be utilised. Significant management judgement is required to determine the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognised, based upon the likely timing and level of future taxable profits together with future tax planning strategies. The total carrying value of recognised tax losses and capital allowances of the Group was RM1,125,396 (2006: RM4,663,114) and the unrecognised tax losses and capital allowances of the Group was RM14,780,284 (2006: RM10,958,278).

#### 3. REVENUE

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	Group		Group		Co	mpany
	2007 RM	2006 RM	2007 RM	2006 RM		
Revenue from timber processing						
and log timber trading	149,105,358	101,451,878	-	-		
Revenue from log timber extraction	11,800,994	17,852,029	-	-		
Tax exempt dividends from						
an unquoted subsidiary	-	-	16,006,385	17,607,024		
Gross dividend from an unquoted associate	285,000	84,947	-	-		
	161,191,352	119,388,854	16,006,385	17,607,024		
COST OF SALES						
OOT OF SALES						
Cost of inventories sold	107,675,007	91,379,183	-	-		
Log timber extraction cost	12,755,573	16,493,882	-	-		
	120,430,580	107,873,065	-	_		

#### 5. OTHER INCOME

Gain on disposal of plant and equipment	40,294	151,511	-	-
Rental income	6,000	6,000	-	-
Miscellaneous income	277,397	189,668	-	-
Interest income	2,251,374	1,963,317	184,413	166,504
Gain on foreign exchange				
- Realised	131,935	-	-	-
- Unrealised	454	-	-	-
Write-back of provision for diminution				
in value of other investments	50,000	-	-	-
	2,757,454	2,310,496	184,413	166,504

#### 6. PROFIT BEFORE TAX

The following amounts have been included in arriving at profit before tax:

	Group		Company	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Amortisation of land lease prepayments (Note 13) Auditors' remuneration:	222,350	-	-	-
- statutory audits	70,900	63,400	25,000	22,000
- other services	10,000	42,150	10,000	42,150
Depreciation of property, plant and				
equipment (Note 12)	4,237,005	4,720,862	-	-
Employee benefits expense (Note 7)	16,684,260	15,266,885	40,000	40,000
Equipment scrapped	657	-	-	-
Land rental	85,200	92,600	-	-
Non-executive Directors' remuneration (Note 8)	865,917	636,343	314,231	138,587
Professional fees charged by an associate				
of the Company's auditors	23,550	17,250	1,800	1,700
Provision for diminution in value of investments				
in other investments and subsidiaries	30,000	_	3,741,358	12,367,039
Rent of premises	271,500	282,000	_	-
Write-back of provision for diminution in value	•			
of other investments	(50,000)	-	-	-

#### 7. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSE

Salaries, wages and allowances	15,359,973	14,021,756	40,000	40,000
Contributions to defined contribution plans	956,303	894,190	-	-
Gratuity	52,220	46,600	-	-
Share options granted under ESOS	70,347	-	-	-
Social Security contributions	60,301	62,331	-	-
Benefits-in-kind	185,116	242,008	-	-
	16,684,260	15,266,885	40,000	40,000

Included in employee benefits expense of the Group and of the Company are Executive Directors' remuneration amounting RM4,665,112 (2006: RM4,087,336) and RM40,000 (2006: RM40,000) respectively as further disclosed in Note 8.

## 8. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

	Group		Company	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
	RM	RM	RM	RM
<b>Directors of the Company</b>				
Executive:				
- Salaries, bonus and other emoluments	2,908,560	2,633,300	-	-
- Fees	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000
- Benefits-in-kind	82,002	67,720	-	-
	3,030,562	2,741,020	40,000	40,000
Non-Executive:				
- Salaries, bonus and other emoluments	703,166	591,587	169,166	108,587
- Fees	30,000	30,000	30,000	30,000
- Benefits-in-kind	17,686	14,756	-	-
- Share options granted under ESOS	115,065	-	115,065	-
	865,917	636,343	314,231	138,587
	3,896,479	3,377,363	354,231	178,587
Other directors of Subsidiaries				
Executive:				
- Salaries, bonus and other emoluments	1,560,020	1,276,929	-	-
- Benefits-in-kind	74,530	69,387	-	-
	1,634,550	1,346,316	-	-
	5,531,029	4,723,679	354,231	178,587

## 9. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

	Group		Company	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
	RM	RM	RM	RM
		(Restated)		
Current income tax:				
On results for the year	9,089,509	410,532	45,007	46,396
Overprovision in prior years	(217)	(42,383)	(329)	(3,443)
	9,089,292	368,149	44,678	42,953
Deferred tax (Note 23):				
Relating to origination of temporary				
differences	602,790	510,551	-	-
Relating to changes in tax rates	(62,360)	-	-	-
Underprovision in prior years	49,936	-	-	-
	590,366	510,551	-	-
Total income tax expense	9,679,658	878,700	44,678	42,953

#### 9. INCOME TAX EXPENSE (CONT'D)

Current income tax is calculated at the statutory tax rate of 27% (2006: 28%) on the estimated assessable profit for the year. The statutory tax rate will be reduced from the current year's rate of 27% to 26%, effective year of assessment 2008. The computation of deferred tax as at 31 March 2007 has reflected these changes.

A reconciliation of income tax expense applicable to profit before tax at the statutory income tax rate to income tax expense at the effective income tax rate of the Group and of the Company is as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2007 RM	2006 RM (Restated)	2007 RM	2006 RM
Profit before tax	32,773,909	2,477,464	11,789,586	4,795,894
Tax expense at Malaysian statutory tax				
rate of 27% (2006: 28%)	8,848,955	693,690	3,183,188	1,342,850
Reduction in deferred tax arising from				
reduction in tax rate from 27% to 26%	(42,343)	-	-	-
Effect of income subject to tax rate of 20%*	(21,187)	(10,942)	-	-
Effect of income not subject to income tax	-	-	(3,277,760)	(4,929,967)
Effect of changes in tax rates on opening				
balance of deferred tax	(20,017)	-	-	-
Effect of expenses not deductible for tax purposes	370,922	327,624	139,579	3,633,513
Effect of share of results of an associate	(523,486)	(55,985)	-	-
Utilisation of previously unrecognised tax				
losses and unabsorbed capital allowances	-	(1,055,846)	-	-
Deferred tax assets recognised on				
previously unrecognised tax losses	(19,679)	-	-	-
Deferred tax assets not recognised in respect				
of current year's tax losses and unabsorbed				
capital allowances	1,036,774	1,022,542	-	-
Overprovision of tax expense in prior years	(217)	(42,383)	(329)	(3,443)
Underprovision of deferred tax in prior years	49,936	-	-	-
Total income tax expense	9,679,658	878,700	44,678	42,953

<sup>\*</sup> Pursuant to Paragraph 2A, Schedule 1, Part 1 of the Income Tax Act, 1967, the income tax rate applicable to the first RM500,000 of the chargeable income of certain subsidiaries is 20% as they are considered small and medium scale companies.

	Group	
	2007	2006
	RM	RM
Tax savings recognised during the year arising from utilisation of:		
- current year tax losses	147,596	162,382
- current year capital allowances	7,331	1,240,792
- tax losses brought forward from previous years	917,052	1,579,867
- unabsorbed capital allowances brought forward from previous years	759,572	-
Unutilised tax losses carried forward	13,903,896	13,709,353
Unabsorbed capital allowances carried forward	2,000,409	1,912,039

#### 10. EARNINGS PER SHARE

#### (a) Basic

Basic earnings per share amount is calculated by dividing the profit for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the financial year, excluding treasury shares held by the Company.

	2007	2006
Profit for the year (RM)	23,094,251	1,598,764
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue Basic earnings per share (sen)	149,943,228 15.40	151,795,984 1.05

#### (b) Diluted

For the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share, the profit for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company and the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the financial year have been adjusted for the dilutive effects of all potential ordinary shares, namely share options granted to employees.

	2007	2006
Profit for the year (RM)	23,094,251	1,598,764
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue Effect of dilution in share options	149,943,228	151,795,984 627,374
Adjusted weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue and issuable	149,943,228	152,423,358
Diluted earnings per share (sen)	15.40	1.05

The effect on the basic earnings per share for the current financial year arising from the assumed conversion of the share options is anti-dilutive. Accordingly, the diluted earnings per share for the current year is presented as equal to basic earnings per share.

**Dividends** 

### 11. DIVIDENDS

	Dividend in respect of year		recogni	sed in year	
	2007	2006	2005	2007	2006
	RM	RM	RM	RM	RM
Recognised during the year:					
Final dividend for 2005: 4% less 28% taxation, on 152,093,600 ordinary shares (2.88 sen per ordinary share)	-	-	4,380,296	-	4,380,296
Special dividend for 2005: 3% less 28% taxation, on 152,093,600 ordinary shares (2.16 sen per ordinary share)		_	3.285.222	_	3,285,222
Ordinary Share)	_	_	5,205,222	_	5,205,222

#### 11. DIVIDENDS (CONT'D)

					Dividends
	Divi	dend in respe	ct of year	recogni	ised in year
	2007	2006	2005	2007	2006
	RM	RM	RM	RM	RM
Final tax exempt dividend for 2006: 3% on 149,627,300 ordinary shares (netted off 2,466,300 treasury shares) (3 sen per ordinary share)	-	4,488,819	-	4,488,819	-
First interim tax exempt dividend for 2007: 2% on 149,617,300 ordinary shares (netted off 2,476,300 treasury shares) (2 sen per ordinary share)	2,992,346	-	-	2,992,346	_
, <u> </u>	2,992,346	4,488,819	7,665,518	7,481,165	7,665,518

At the forthcoming Annual General Meeting, a final tax exempt dividend of 4% in respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2007 will be proposed for shareholders' approval. The financial statements for the current financial year do not reflect this proposed dividend. Such dividend, if approved by the shareholders, will be accounted for in equity as an appropriation of retained earnings in the financial year ending 31 March 2008.

## 12. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Group	Buildings RM	Plant, machinery and heavy equipment RM	Motor vehicles RM	Furniture, fittings and equipment RM	Total RM
At 31 March 2007					
Cost					
At 1 April 2006 Additions Disposals Scrapped	23,643,594	71,550,688 257,140 (178,892) (33,048)	2,513,643 4,050 (40,000) (5,000)	1,671,345 78,305 (28,200) (107,560)	99,379,270 339,495 (247,092) (145,608)
At 31 March 2007	23,643,594	71,595,888	2,472,693	1,613,890	99,326,065
Accumulated depreciation					
At 1 April 2006 Depreciation charge for the year Disposals Scrapped	13,905,309 1,182,607 -	58,457,241 2,855,669 (178,889) (33,047)	2,006,996 146,755 (39,999) (4,999)	1,527,438 51,974 (28,198) (106,905)	75,896,984 4,237,005 (247,086) (144,951)
At 31 March 2007	15,087,916	61,100,974	2,108,753	1,444,309	79,741,952
Net carrying amount					
At 31 March 2007	8,555,678	10,494,914	363,940	169,581	19,584,113

### 12. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONT'D)

Group	Buildings RM	Plant, machinery and heavy equipment RM	Motor vehicles RM	Furniture, fittings and equipment RM	Total RM
At 31 March 2006					
Cost					
At 1 April 2005 Additions Disposals Scrapped	23,643,594	69,032,494 2,920,698 (402,504)	2,276,272 321,973 (84,602)	1,658,818 35,076 (11,788) (10,761)	96,611,178 3,277,747 (498,894) (10,761)
At 31 March 2006	23,643,594	71,550,688	2,513,643	1,671,345	99,379,270
Accumulated depreciation					
At 1 April 2005 Depreciation charge for the year Disposals Scrapped	12,722,702 1,182,607 -	55,508,498 3,337,464 (388,721)	1,948,590 140,506 (82,100)	1,489,497 60,285 (11,786) (10,558)	71,669,287 4,720,862 (482,607) (10,558)
At 31 March 2006	13,905,309	58,457,241	2,006,996	1,527,438	75,896,984
Net carrying amount					
At 31 March 2006	9,738,285	13,093,447	506,647	143,907	23,482,286

## 13. LAND LEASE PREPAYMENTS

	Group	
	2007 RM	2006 RM
Long Term Leasehold Land		
At beginning of year Amortisation charge for the year (Note 6)	19,811,247 (222,350)	19,811,247 -
At end of year	19,588,897	19,811,247

#### 14. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

	Co	mpany
	2007 RM	2006 RM
Unquoted shares at cost Add: Share options granted under ESOS	90,084,893 70,347	90,084,893
	90,155,240	90,084,893
Less: Provision for diminution in value of investments in subsidiaries		
At beginning of year Current year provision	22,360,107 3,741,358	9,993,068 12,367,039
At end of year	26,101,465	22,360,107
	64,053,775	67,724,786

Details of the subsidiaries, which are incorporated in Malaysia, are as follows:

		Owi	ortion of nership terest
Name of Subsidiary	Principal Activities	<b>2007</b> %	<b>2006</b> %
Syarikat Tekala Sdn. Bhd.	Log timber extraction	100	100
Kalabakan Plywood Sdn. Bhd.	Timber processing	100	100
Marimba Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	100	100
Kinamarketing (S) Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	100	100
Kim Haw Sdn. Bhd.	Ceased operation	100	100
Gerak Armada Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	100	100
Subsidiaries of Kalabakan Plywood Sdn. Bhd.			
Dealpact Sdn. Bhd.	Ceased operation	100	100
Kalabakan Wood Products Sdn. Bhd.	Provision of storage services	100	100
Korsa Plywood Sdn. Bhd. (Not yet commenced operation)	Downstream timber processing	100	100
Subsidiaries of Marimba Sdn. Bhd.			
Barimas Sdn. Bhd.	Ceased operation	100	100
Hartawan Ekuiti Sdn. Bhd.	Ceased operation	100	100
Sabacergas Sdn. Bhd.	Ceased operation	100	100
Szan Szui Kayu Balak (Sabah) Sdn. Bhd.	Ceased operation	100	100

On 15 March 2006, the Foreign Investment Committee had approved the Company's appeal to waive the 30% Bumiputra equity condition imposed on subsidiary, Hartawan Ekuiti Sdn. Bhd. subject to its equity structure be reviewed again if it resumes business operations.

#### 14. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (CONT'D)

#### (a) Acquisition of Subsidiary

As reported in last financial year, the Company acquired 100% equity interest in Gerak Armada Sdn. Bhd. ("GASB") on 1 July 2005, a company incorporated in Malaysia, for a total cash consideration of RM2.

The acquired subsidiary has contributed the following results for the Group for the year ended 31 March 2006:

	RM
Revenue	84,947
Profit for the year	264,354

The assets arising from the acquisition were as follows:

	Fair value recognised on acquisition RM	Acquiree's carrying amount RM
Cash and bank balances	2	2
Fair value of total net assets Goodwill on acquisition	2 -	
Total cost of acquisition	2	

The cash outflow on acquisition was as follows:

	RM
Cost of acquisition	2
Cash and cash equivalents of subsidiary	(2)
Net cash outflow of the Group	-

On 14 September 2005, the Company subscribed an additional 99,998 ordinary shares of RM1 each in GASB. In the previous financial year, the Company via GASB invested in an associate, Offshoreworks Holdings Sdn. Bhd. ("OHSB") for a total consideration of RM25,516,870 inclusive incidental expenses.

#### (b) Disposal of Subsidiary

As reported in last financial year, GASB disposed of its entire equity interest in Rimbun Intan Sdn. Bhd. on 1 August 2005, for a total consideration of RM2,945,250 which was completed on 11 August 2005.

The disposal had no effect on the financial position of the Group as at the end of the year as analysed below:

	2006 RM
Sundry receivable Cash on hand	2,945,250 2
Net assets disposed Total disposal proceeds	2,945,252 (2,945,252)
Profit on disposal to the Group	-

## 14. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES (CONT'D)

## (b) Disposal of Subsidiary (cont'd)

	2006 RM
Disposal proceeds settled by:	N.V.
Cash	2
Issuance of shares in OHSB	2,945,250
	2,945,252
Cash inflow arising on disposal:	
Cash consideration, representing cash inflow of the Group	2
Cash and cash equivalents of subsidiary disposed	(2)
Net cash inflow of the Group	-

### 15. INVESTMENT IN AN ASSOCIATE

	Group	
	2007 RM	2006 RM
Unquoted ordinary shares in Malaysia, at cost Share of post-acquisition reserve 300% Redeemable Cumulative 3 Year Preference Shares	16,016,870 2,138,779 9,500,000	16,016,870 199,942 9,500,000
	27,655,649	25,716,812

Details of the associate held by the subsidiary, Gerak Armada Sdn. Bhd. which is incorporated in Malaysia, is as follows:

		0	oportion of wnership Interest
Name of Associate	<b>Principal Activities</b>	<b>2007</b> %	<b>2006</b> %
Offshoreworks Holdings Sdn. Bhd.	Company's activity is investment holding while the Group is an oil and gas services provider	25	25
The summarised financial information of	of the associate are as follows:		
		2007 RM	2006 RM
Assets and liabilities			
Current assets Non-current assets		78,095,206 91,195,391	40,016,211 44,999,299
Total assets		169,290,597	85,015,510
Current liabilities Non-current liabilities		(58,310,059) (76,226,293)	(33,742,041) (25,414,225)
Total liabilities		(134,536,352)	(59,156,266)

#### 15. INVESTMENT IN AN ASSOCIATE (CONT'D)

	2007 RM	2006 RM
Results		
Revenue Profit for the year	153,019,211 7,755,348	48,443,415 799,771

The amount of goodwill included within the Group's carrying amount of investment in an associate is RM1,056,050 (2006: RM1,056,050)

### **16. OTHER INVESTMENTS**

		Group	
	2007 RM	2006 RM	
At cost			
Unquoted shares	325,000	325,000	
Less: Provision for diminution in value of investments At beginning of year Write-back of provision Current year provision	220,000 (50,000) 30,000	220,000	
At end of year	200,000	220,000	
Shares quoted in Malaysia	125,000 6,000	105,000 6,000	
	131,000	111,000	

At 31 March 2007, the market value of the quoted shares was RM2,400 (2006: RM1,230). In the opinion of the Directors, the impairment in the value of investments in quoted shares is not material and therefore, no provision for impairment is made.

#### 17. INVENTORIES

		Group	
	2007 RM	2006 RM	
Cost			
Finished goods	9,016,049	6,952,703	
Production supplies	3,373,057	3,547,864	
Raw materials	8,415,464	1,323,992	
Stock-in-transit	6,126,645	2,909,290	
Work-in-progress	6,197,028	4,450,542	
	33,128,243	19,184,391	
Net realisable value			
Finished goods	1,000,280	-	
	34,128,523	19,184,391	

#### 18. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

		Group		Company	
	2007 RM	2006 RM	2007 RM	2006 RM	
Trade receivables					
Third parties	16,427,890	11,448,069	-	-	
Less: Provision for doubtful debts At beginning of year Bad debts written off against	1,538,516	1,560,730	-	-	
provision for doubtful debts	(38,516)	(22,214)	-	-	
At end of year	1,500,000	1,538,516	-	-	
Bad debts written off	(38,516)	(22,214)	-	-	
	14,889,374	9,887,339	-	-	
Other receivables					
Amounts due from subsidiaries	-	-	116,165,867	108,462,700	
Deposits	65,825	71,225	6,500	6,500	
Prepayments	399,391	380,771	12,225	6,750	
Sundry receivables	766,779	203,086	7,584	8,031	
	1,231,995	655,082	26,309	21,281	
	16,121,369	10,542,421	116,192,176	108,483,981	

## (a) Credit risk

The Group's primary exposure to credit risk arises through its trade receivables. The Group's trading terms with its customers are mainly on credit. The credit period is generally for a period ranging from 30 days to 60 days. Overdue balances are reviewed regularly by senior management. There is no significant concentration of credit risk. Trade receivables are non-interest bearing.

## (b) Amounts due from subsidiaries

Amounts due from subsidiaries are non-interest bearing and are repayable on demand. These amounts are unsecured and are to be settled in cash.

Further details on related party transactions are disclosed in Note 27.

## 19. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

		Group		mpany
	2007 RM	2006 RM	2007 RM	2006 RM
Cash on hand and at banks	4,737,635	9,967,270	32,655	396,667
Deposits with: Licensed banks Licensed financial institutions	72,395,000	59,560,000 2,000,000	5,700,000	6,320,000
Cash and bank balances	77,132,635	71,527,270	5,732,655	6,716,667

The interest rates of fixed deposits of the Group and of the Company for the financial year range from 2.70% to 3.45% (2006: 2.15% to 3.00%) and 3.00% to 3.37% (2006: 2.45% to 3.00%) per annum respectively.

## 20. SHARE CAPITAL, SHARE PREMIUM AND TREASURY SHARES

	Number of Ordinary Shares of RM1 Each		•	ount —		
	Share Capital (Issued and fully paid)	Treasury Share	Share Capital (Issued and fully paid) RM	Share Premium RM	Total Share Capital and Share Premium RM	Treasury Shares RM
At 1 April 2005 Ordinary shares issued pursuant to	151,407,700	-	151,407,700	16,489,141	167,896,841	-
ESOS (Note 25)	685,900	-	685,900	13,718	699,618	-
Purchase of treasury shares Transaction costs	-	(1,073,100)	-	-	-	(1,011,868) (6,750)
At 31 March 2006 and 1 April 2006	152,093,600	(1,073,100)	152,093,600	16,502,859	168,596,459	(1,018,618)
Purchase of treasury shares Transaction costs	-	(1,490,200)	-	-	-	(1,366,912) (9,660)
At 31 March 2007	152,093,600	(2,563,300)	152,093,600	16,502,859	168,596,459	(2,395,190)

## 20. SHARE CAPITAL, SHARE PREMIUM AND TREASURY SHARES (CONT'D)

		of Ordinary f RM1 Each	A	Amount		
Authorized chara conital	2007	2006	2007 RM	2006 RM		
Authorised share capital						
At beginning and end of year	500,000,000	500,000,000	500,000,000	500,000,000		

#### **Treasury Shares**

This amount represents the acquisition cost of treasury shares.

The shareholders of the Company, by an ordinary resolution passed in a general meeting held on 28 September 2006 to approve the renewal of authority of the Directors of the Company to repurchase its own ordinary shares. The Directors of the Company are committed to enhancing the value of the Company for its shareholders and believe that the repurchase plan can be applied in the best interests of the Company and its shareholders.

During the financial year, the Company repurchased 1,490,200 of its issued ordinary shares from the open market at an average price of RM0.92 per share. The total consideration paid for the repurchase was RM1,376,572, comprising of consideration paid amounting to RM1,366,912 and transaction costs of RM9,660. The repurchase transactions were financed by internally generated funds. The shares repurchased are being held as treasury shares in accordance with Section 67A of the Companies Act, 1965.

Of the total 152,093,600 (2006: 152,093,600) issued and fully paid ordinary shares as at 31 March 2007, 2,563,300 (2006: 1,073,100) are held as treasury shares by the Company. As at 31 March 2007, the number of outstanding ordinary shares in issue after the setoff is therefore 149,530,300 (2006: 151,020,500) ordinary shares of RM1 each.

#### 21. SHARE OPTION RESERVE

	Group		Company	
	2007	2006	2007 2006 2007	2006
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Share options granted under ESOS:				
Recognised in income statement	185,412	-	115,065	-
Included in investments in subsidiaries	-	-	70,347	
	185,412	-	185,412	-

The share option reserve represents the equity-settled share options granted to employees and Directors of the Company and its subsidiaries. This reserve is made up of the cumulative value of services received from employees and Directors recorded on grant of share options.

#### 22. RETAINED EARNINGS

As at 31 March 2007, the Company has tax exempt profits available for distribution of approximately RM40,055,568 (2006: RM31,530,348), subject to the agreement of the Inland Revenue Board.

The Company has sufficient tax credit under Section 108 of the Income Tax Act, 1967 and the balance in the tax exempt income account to frank payment of dividends out of its entire retained earnings as at 31 March 2007.

## 23. DEFERRED TAX

	Group		
	2007	2006	
	RM	RM	
At beginning of year	1,009,146	498,595	
Recognised in income statement (Note 9)	590,366	510,551	
At end of year	1,599,512	1,009,146	
Deferred tax assets	-	-	
Deferred tax liabilities	1,599,512	1,009,146	
	1,599,512	1,009,146	

The components and movements of deferred tax liabilities and assets during the financial year prior to offsetting are as follows:

## Group

## Deferred Tax Liabilities in respect of Property, Plant and Equipment

	2007 RM	2006 RM
At beginning of year Recognised in income statement	2,314,818 (422,703)	2,349,051 (34,233)
At end of year	1,892,115	2,314,818

## **Deferred Tax Assets**

	Unutilised Tax Losses RM	Unabsorbed Capital Allowances RM	Total RM
At 1 April 2006 Recognised in income statement	(954,621) 944,951	(351,051) 68,118	(1,305,672) 1,013,069
At 31 March 2007	(9,670)	(282,933)	(292,603)
At 1 April 2005 Recognised in income statement	(1,482,079) 527,458	(368,377) 17,326	(1,850,456) 544,784
At 31 March 2006	(954,621)	(351,051)	(1,305,672)

Deferred tax assets have not been recognised in respect of the following items:

	Group			
	2007 RM			
Unutilised tax losses	13,913,484	10,299,992		
Unabsorbed capital allowances	866,800	658,286		
	14,780,284	10,958,278		

#### 23. DEFERRED TAX (CONT'D)

The availability of the unutilised tax losses and unabsorbed capital allowances for offsetting against future taxable profits of the Company are subject to no substantial changes in shareholdings of the Company under Section 44(5A) and (5B) and Schedule 3, Paragraphs 75A and 75B of Income Tax Act, 1967.

#### 24. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	G	Group		mpany
	2007 RM	2006 RM	2007 RM	2006 RM
Trade payables				
Third parties	5,695,137	3,344,820	-	_
Other payables				
Amounts due to subsidiaries	-	-	6,996,572	6,996,572
Accruals	2,745,273	993,974	102,649	94,918
Sundry payables	1,360,105	1,061,701	12,042	67,877
	4,105,378	2,055,675	114,691	162,795
	9,800,515	5,400,495	7,111,263	7,159,367

## (a) Trade payables

Trade payables are non-interest bearing and the normal trade credit terms granted to the Group range from 30 days to 90 days.

#### (b) Amounts due to subsidiaries

Amounts due to subsidiaries are non-interest bearing and are repayable on demand. These amounts are unsecured and are to be settled in cash.

Further details on related party transactions are disclosed in Note 27.

## 25. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS - EMPLOYEE SHARE OPTIONS SCHEME ("ESOS")

The ESOS for eligible employees and Directors of the Company and its subsidiaries was approved by the shareholders at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 30 September 2004. The ESOS became effective on 22 November 2004 and is valid for a period of five (5) years expiring on 21 November 2009.

The salient features of the ESOS are as follows:

(i) The maximum number of new shares which may be subscribed on the exercise of options granted under the ESOS shall not, in aggregate, be more than fifteen per cent (15%) of the total issued and paid-up ordinary share capital of the Company at any point of time during the existence of the scheme;

## 25. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS - EMPLOYEE SHARE OPTIONS SCHEME ("ESOS") (CONT'D)

- (ii) The option price for each new share at which the grantee is entitled to subscribe upon exercise of his rights under the option shall be the weighted average of the mean market price of the Company's shares as quoted and shown in the daily official list issued by the Bursa Malaysia for the five (5) market days immediately preceding the date of offer set at a discount if deemed appropriate by the option committee of not more than ten percent (10%) or the par value of the Company's shares, whichever is higher. Notwithstanding this, the option price per share shall in no event be less than the par value of the shares;
- (iii) Eligible employees, executive Directors and non-executive Directors of the Company and its subsidiary companies with at least one (1) year of service and any Non-Malaysian employee who has served the Group for a continuous period of at least two (2) years shall be eligible to participate in the ESOS;
- (iv) The allowable allotment that may be offered to eligible employees and Directors under the ESOS ranges from 5,000 to 800,000 ordinary shares;
- (v) The persons to whom the options have been granted do not have any right to participate by virtue of such options in any other ESOS of any company within the Group so long as the scheme subsists. Subject to the Bye-Laws of the ESOS, the options granted are exercisable within the option period which is between one to five years; and
- (vi) The new shares to be allotted and issued upon any exercise of the options will upon such allotment and issuance, rank pari passu in all respects with the then issued and fully paid-up shares except that the shares so issued will not rank for any dividends, rights, allotments or other distributions, the entitlement date (namely the date as at the close of business on which shareholders must be registered in order to be entitled to any dividends, rights, allotments or other distributions) of which is prior to the date of allotment of the new shares and will be subject to all the provisions of the Articles of Association of the Company relating to transfer, transmission and otherwise.

The following table illustrates the number and weighted average exercise prices (WAEP) of, and movements in, share options during the year:

	•	<b>←</b> Number of Share Options				-
	Outstanding at 1 April	← Moven Granted	_	the year → Terminated	Outstanding at 31 March	Exercisable at 31 March
2007						
22.12.2004	11,157,800	-	-	(391,000)	10,766,800	7,848,400
06.05.2005	130,000	-	-	-	130,000	97,500
17.02.2006	1,620,000	-	-	-	1,620,000	810,000
13.11.2006	-	1,726,500	-	(36,300)	1,690,200	847,400
	12,907,800	1,726,500	-	(427,300)	14,207,000	9,603,300
WAEP	1.02	1.00	-	1.02	1.02	1.02
2006						
22.12.2004	12,731,700	-	(685,900)	(888,000)	11,157,800	5,109,600
06.05.2005	-	130,000	-	-	130,000	65,000
17.02.2006	-	1,620,000	-	-	1,620,000	405,000
	12,731,700	1,750,000	(685,900)	(888,000)	12,907,800	5,579,600
WAEP	1.02	1.03	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02

#### 25. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS - EMPLOYEE SHARE OPTIONS SCHEME ("ESOS") (CONT'D)

## (i) Details of share options outstanding at the end of the year:

2007	WAEP RM	<b>Exercised Period</b>
22.12.2004	1.02	22.12.2004 - 21.11.2009
06.05.2005	1.35	06.05.2005 - 21.11.2009
17.02.2006	1.00	17.02.2006 - 21.11.2009
13.11.2006	1.00	13.11.2006 - 21.11.2009
2006		
22.12.2004	1.02	22.12.2004 - 21.11.2009
06.05.2005	1.35	06.05.2005 - 21.11.2009
17.02.2006	1.00	17.02.2006 - 21.11.2009

## (ii) Share options exercised during the year

As disclosed in Note 20, options exercised in the previous financial year resulted in the issuance of 685,900 ordinary shares at an exercise price of RM1.02 each. The related weighted average share price at the date of exercise was RM1.26.

## (iii) Fair value of share options granted during the year

The fair value of share options granted during the year was estimated by using a binomial model, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted. The fair value of share options measured at grant date and the assumptions are as follows:

	2007	2006
Fair value of share options at the following grant dates (RM):		
6 May 2005	-	0.24
17 February 2006	-	0.21
13 November 2006	0.12	-
Weighted average share price (RM)	0.98	1.07
Weighted average exercise price (RM)	1.00	1.03
Expected volatility (%)	20.69	31.04
Expected life (years)	2.64	3.64
Risk free rate (%)	4.00	4.50
Expected dividend yield (%)	3.16	2.80

The expected life of the options is based on historical data and is not necessarily indicative of exercise patterns that may occur. The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility is indicative of future trends, which may also not necessarily be the actual outcome. No other features of the option grant were incorporated into the measurement of fair value.

## 26. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES - UNSECURED

## **Group**

Two subsidiaries are resisting claims totalling RM2,595,484 from the Employees Provident Fund (EPF) Board alleging that EPF contributions should have been made on fees paid to contractors. The Company's contention is that the contractors are not employees within the meaning of the EPF Act. This amount has not been provided for in the financial statements.

The Company has engaged solicitors to put up defence against the claims and the solicitors are of the view that the Company has a valid defence in the aforesaid contention. The outcome of the dispute is not known as the case has not yet been concluded. However, the magistrate's court has allowed the Company's preliminary objection and dismissed the charges which was reaffirmed by the High Court on 26 May 2004. The EPF Board has appealed to the Court of Appeal and the matter is now pending a decision of the Court of Appeal expected on 27 August 2007.

## **Company**

	2007	2006
	RM	RM
Guarantees given to banks for banking facilities		
granted to certain subsidiaries	6,200,000	6,200,000

## 27. SIGNIFICANT RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

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	2007 RM	2006 RM
Transactions with a company in which certain Directors of the Company are also directors:		
Rental of premises paid to Syarikat Kretam Sdn. Bhd.	240,000	240,000

These transactions had been settled during the financial year under review.

The above related party transactions were entered in the ordinary course of business upon terms and conditions mutually agreed between the relevant parties.

## **Company**

	2007 RM	2006 RM
Transactions with subsidiaries		
Repayment of advances received	21,823,216	46,685,389
Advances given	13,520,000	37,223,005
Tax exempt dividend from an unquoted subsidiary	16,006,385	17,607,024

#### 28. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

## (a) Financial risk management objective and policies

The Group's financial risk management policy is guided by the need to ensure that timely and adequate funds are available for the business development and operational needs and in managing its foreign exchange, liquidity and credit risks. It is the Group's policy not to engage in speculative transactions.

## (b) Foreign currency risk

The Group is exposed to foreign exchange risk as certain purchases and sales are transacted in United States Dollar and Japanese Yen. Foreign exchange exposures in transactional currencies are not hedged.

The Company does not transact in derivative instruments.

## (c) Liquidity risk

The Group manages its debt maturity profile, operating cash flows and the availability of funding so as to ensure that refinancing, repayment and funding needs are met. As part of its overall liquidity management, the Group maintains sufficient levels of cash or cash convertible investments to meet its working capital requirements. In addition, the Group strives to maintain available banking facilities of a reasonable level to its overall debt position.

#### (d) Credit risk

Credit risk is controlled by the application of credit approvals, limits and monitoring procedures. Credit risk is minimised and monitored by limiting the Group's associations to business partners with high creditworthiness. Trade receivables are monitored on an ongoing basis via group management reporting procedures.

The Group does not have any significant exposure to any individual customer or counterparty nor does it have any major concentration of credit risk related to any financial instruments.

## (e) Fair values

The carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities of the Group and of the Company at the balance sheet date approximated their fair values due to their short term maturities.

The following methods and assumptions are used to estimate the fair values of these instruments:

## (i) Investments in Unquoted Shares

In the opinion of the Directors, it is not practicable to determine the fair values of these financial assets due principally to a lack of quoted market price and the inability to estimate fair value. However, the Group does not anticipate the carrying amounts recorded at the balance sheet date to be significantly different from the recoverable values.

## (ii) Investments in Quoted Shares

The fair value of quoted shares is determined by reference to stock exchange quoted market bid prices at the close of the business on the balance sheet date.

The carrying amounts of the investments in quoted shares have not been reduced to fair value as the impairment in the value of investments is not material. However, the Company believes that the carrying amounts represent the recoverable value in future.

#### 28. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONT"D)

## (e) Fair values (cont'd)

(iii) Cash and Cash Equivalents, Amounts Due To/From Subsidiaries, Trade and Other Receivables and Payables

The carrying amounts approximate their fair values due to the relatively short term maturity of these financial instruments.

(iv) Contingent Liabilities

In the opinion of the Directors, it is not practicable to estimate the fair value of contingent liabilities as disclosed in Note 26 to the financial statements due to the uncertainties of timing, costs and eventual outcome.

#### 29. SEGMENTAL INFORMATION

(a) Reporting format

The primary segment reporting format is determined to be business segments as the Group's risks and rates of return are affected predominantly by differences in the products and services produced. Secondary information is reported geographically. The operating businesses are organised and managed separately according to the nature of the products and services provided, with each segment representing a strategic business unit that offers different products and serves different markets.

(b) The Business Segment

The Group's operations comprise the following main business segments:

- (i) Timber processing and log timber trading
- (ii) Log timber extraction
- (iii) Investment holding

The Directors are of the opinion that all inter-segment transactions have been entered into in the normal course of business and have been established on terms and conditions mutually agreed between the relevant parties.

(c) Geographical segments

The Group's geographical segments are based on the location of the Group's assets. Sales to external customers disclosed in geographical segments are based on the geographical location of its customers as follows:

(i) Malaysia - Investment holding and log timber extraction

(ii) North Asia - Timber processing and log timber trading

(d) Allocation basis and transfer pricing

Segment results, assets and liabilities include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis. Unallocated items comprise mainly corporate assets, liabilities and expenses.

Transfer prices between business segments are set on an arm's length basis in a manner similar to transactions with third parties. Segment revenue, expenses and results include transfers between business segments. These transfers are eliminated on consolidation.

## 29. SEGMENTAL INFORMATION (CONT'D)

The following table provides an analysis of the Group's revenue, results, assets liabilities and other information by business segment.

## **Business Segments**

	Investment holding RM	Timber processing and log timber trading RM	Log timber extraction RM	Elimination RM	Consolidated RM
31 March 2007					
Revenue					
Sales to external customers Inter-segment sales	285,000 16,006,385	149,105,358 -	11,800,994 -	- (16,006,385)	161,191,352 -
Total revenue	16,291,385	149,105,358	11,800,994	(16,006,385)	161,191,352
Results					
Segment results	16,291,385	40,291,608	(746,006)	(16,006,385)	39,830,602
Unallocated expenses Interest on fixed deposits Share of profit of an associate					(11,246,904) 2,251,374 1,938,837
Profit before tax Income tax expense					32,773,909 (9,679,658)
Profit for the year					23,094,251
31 March 2006					
Revenue					
Sales to external customers Inter-segment sales	84,947 17,607,024	101,451,878	17,852,029 -	- (17,607,024)	119,388,854
Total revenue	17,691,971	101,451,878	17,852,029	(17,607,024)	119,388,854
Results					
Segment results	17,691,971	9,310,431	1,287,273	(17,607,024)	10,682,651
Unallocated expenses Interest on fixed deposits Share of profit of an associate					(10,368,446) 1,963,317 199,942
Profit before tax Income tax expense					2,477,464 (878,700)
Profit for the year					1,598,764

## 29. SEGMENTAL INFORMATION (CONT'D)

## **Business Segments (cont'd)**

	Investment holding RM	Timber processing and log timber trading RM	Log timber extraction RM	Elimination RM	Consolidated RM
31 March 2007					
Assets					
Segment assets Investment in an associate Unallocated assets	6,135,069 27,655,649	136,607,874	23,943,594	-	166,686,537 27,655,649 1,988,577
Total assets					196,330,763
Liabilities					
Segment liabilities Unallocated liabilities	116,191	7,457,535	2,226,789	-	9,800,515 6,162,880
Total liabilities					15,963,395
Other segment information					
Capital expenditure Depreciation Amortisation of land	-	290,642 4,194,872	48,853 42,133	-	339,495 4,237,005
lease prepayments	-	222,350	-	-	222,350
31 March 2006					
Assets					
Segment assets Investment in an associate Unallocated assets	6,902,529 25,716,812	122,992,774 -	14,874,312	-	144,658,615 25,716,812 2,012,694
Total assets					172,388,121
Liabilities					
Segment liabilities Unallocated liabilities	163,795	4,092,058	1,144,642	-	5,400,495 1,042,184
Total liabilities					6,442,679
Other segment information					
Capital expenditure Depreciation	-	3,253,210 4,665,942	24,537 54,920	-	3,277,747 4,720,862

## 29. SEGMENTAL INFORMATION (CONT'D)

## **Geographical Segments**

The following table provides an analysis of the Group's revenue by geographical segment:

2007	Revenue RM
2007	
Malaysia	12,139,088
North Asia	149,052,264
	161,191,352
2006	
Malaysia	17,936,976
North Asia	101,451,878
	119,388,854





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No.	Resolutions	For	Against	Dated this	day	
1	To receive and adopt Directors' Report and Audited Financial Statements			of	2007	
2	To declare a final tax exempt dividend of 4% for the year ended 31 March 2007.					
3	To re-elect the following Directors:- - Lim Ted Hing			Signature(s) of Memb	er(s)	
4	- Fong Kin Wui					
5	To re-appoint the following Directors in accordance with Section 129 of the Companies Act, 1965: Datuk Seri Panglima Quek Chiow Yong			No. of shares held	t	
6	- Chan Saik Chuen					
7	To approve Directors' Fees of RM70,000 for the year ended 31 March 2007.					
8	To re-appoint Auditors and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.					
9	- Authority to issue shares under Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965			Notes a) A member of the Company ent		
10	- Authority to issue shares pursuant to the Company's Employees' Share Option Scheme			attend and vote at this re entitled to appoint a pro attorney to attend and vote in	oxy or an nstead.	
11	- Proposed renewal of the authority for the purchase of own shares			b) A proxy or an attorney need member of the Company.  c) The form of proxy or power of		

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- Proposed amendments to Articles of Association

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- c) The form of proxy or power of attorney if executed by a corporation must be executed under common seal.
- d) The instrument appointing a proxy or a power of attorney must be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company at 2nd Floor, Lot 15, Block C, Old Slipway Site, 90000 Sandakan, Sabah not less than 48 hours before the time set for the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

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