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# CHINA AEROSPACE INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

# 中國航天國際控股有限公司

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 31)

# **ANNOUNCEMENT OF INTERIM RESULTS 2015**

The Board of Directors (the "Board") of China Aerospace International Holdings Limited (the "Company") announces the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the six months ended 30 June 2015 together with the comparative figures of the same period in 2014 as follows:

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

		Six months	ended
		30.6.2015	30.6.2014
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	NOTES	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
CONTINUING OPERATIONS			
Turnover	3	1,234,720	1,258,579
Cost of sales		(991,674)	(984,835)
Gross profit		243,046	273,744
Other gains and losses	4	(5,846)	(33,311)
Other income	4	41,231	33,676
Gain on disposal of an associate		3,716	_
Selling and distribution expenses		(18,628)	(22,588)
Administrative expenses		(156,644)	(163,949)
Fair value changes of investment properties		913,956	47,811
Finance costs		(16,769)	(17,485)
Share of results of joint ventures		(2,842)	1,092
Share of results of associates		(472)	(779)
Profit before taxation	5	1,000,748	118,211
Taxation	6	(370,435)	(31,688)
Profit for the period from continuing operations		630,313	86,523
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS			
Profit for the period from discontinued operations		<u> </u>	7,812
Profit for the period		630,313	94,335

# Six months ended

		30.6.2015	30.6.2014
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	NOTE	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Profit for the period attributable to owners			
of the Company:			
From continuing operations		409,793	79,125
From discontinued operations		_	8,808
		409,793	87,933
Profit (loss) for the period attributable to			
non-controlling interests:			
From continuing operations		220,520	7,398
From discontinued operations		<del>_</del>	(996)
		220,520	6,402
		630,313	94,335
Earnings per share	7		
From continuing and discontinued operations			
- basic		HK13.28 cents	HK2.85 cents
From continuing operations - basic		HK13.28 cents	HK2.56 cents

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

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	Six month	s ended
	30.6.2015	30.6.2014
	(Unaudited) HK\$'000	(Unaudited) HK\$'000
Profit for the period	630,313	94,335
Other comprehensive income (expense):		
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss		
Exchange differences arising on translating foreign operations	(578)	(78,940)
Share of exchange reserve of joint ventures	790	(19,813)
Share of exchange reserve of associates	237	(4,868)
Reclassification adjustments for non-controlling interests		
upon deemed disposal of a subsidiary	_	(24,390)
Reclassification adjustments for the cumulative exchange		
differences upon deemed disposal of foreign operations	_	739
Other comprehensive income (expense) for the period	449	(127,272)
Total comprehensive income (expense) for the period	630,762	(32,937)
Total comprehensive income (expense) attributable to:		
Owners of the Company	409,911	6,139
Non-controlling interests	220,851	(39,076)

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(32,937)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AT 30 JUNE 2015

AT 30 JUNE 2015		20 < 201	24.42.204.4
		30.6.2015	31.12.2014
		(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NOTES	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment		756,968	762,104
Prepaid lease payments		104,714	106,238
Investment properties		5,699,803	4,595,088
Intangible assets		17,472	23,415
Interests in associates		190,853	191,088
Interests in joint ventures		824,881	826,933
Available-for-sale investments		29,000	29,000
Deposits paid for construction costs		4714	16 /11
of investment properties under construction Deposits paid for acquisition of intangible		4,714	16,411
assets and property, plant and equipment		20,166	11,243
		7,648,571	6,561,520
Current assets			
Inventories		304,338	257,703
Trade and other receivables	9	576,519	702,433
Prepaid lease payments		4,069	4,064
Amount due from a related party		15	124,579
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		35,781	39,624
Pledged bank deposits		25,742	33,428
Short-term bank deposits		67	123,118
Bank balances and cash		2,041,942	1,725,918
		2,988,473	3,010,867
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	10	983,132	1,014,845
Amount due to an associate		_	1,050
Taxation payable		73,395	78,532
Bank and other borrowings		21,223	37,406
Other loan		8,948	8,936
	_	1,086,698	1,140,769
Net current assets		1,901,775	1,870,098
Total assets less current liabilities		9,550,346	8,431,618

	30.6.2015 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	31.12.2014 (Audited) <i>HK</i> \$'000
Non-current liabilities		
Loan from a major shareholder	624,220	623,441
Bank and other borrowings	1,252,809	1,088,529
Deferred taxation	1,142,587	788,830
	3,019,616	2,500,800
	6,530,730	5,930,818
Capital and reserves		
Share capital	1,154,511	1,154,511
Reserves	4,216,785	3,837,724
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	5,371,296	4,992,235
Non-controlling interests	1,159,434	938,583
	6,530,730	5,930,818

#### NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

#### 1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the applicable disclosure requirements of Appendix 16 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and with the Hong Kong Accounting Standard 34 "Interim financial reporting" issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (the "HKICPA").

#### 2. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis except for certain properties and financial instruments, which are measured at fair values.

Except as described below, the accounting policies and methods of computation used in the condensed consolidated financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2015 are the same as those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2014.

In the current interim period, the Group has applied, for the first time, the following amendments of Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") issued by the HKICPA that are relevant for the preparation of the Group's condensed consolidated financial statements:

Amendments to HKAS 19 Defined benefit plans: Employee contributions
Amendments to HKFRSs Annual improvements to HKFRSs 2010 - 2012 cycle
Amendments to HKFRSs 2011 - 2013 cycle

The application of the above amendments to HKFRSs in the current interim period has had no material effect on the amounts reported in these condensed consolidated financial statements and/or disclosures set out in these condensed consolidated financial statements.

#### 3. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group determines its operating segments based on the internal reports reviewed by the President, the chief operating decision maker of the Group, that are used to make strategic decisions. The management has identified 9 (1.1.2014 to 30.6.2014: 9) reportable segments: Hi-Tech Manufacturing Business (including plastic products, liquid crystal display, printed circuit boards, intelligent chargers and the related industrial property investment), New Material Business (including polyimide films manufacturing), Aerospace Service (including the Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza of property investment project, land development in Hainan Launching Site Complex Zone and Internet of Things) which represents the major industries in which the Group is engaged.

An analysis of the Group's turnover and results by reportable segments is as follows:

#### For the six months ended 30 June 2015

		Turnover		
	External sales	Inter-segment sales	Total	Segment results
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Hi-Tech Manufacturing Business				
Plastic products	463,556	23,329	486,885	36,068
Liquid crystal display	237,674	105	237,779	13,742
Printed circuit boards	252,987	_	252,987	48,212
Intelligent chargers	271,735	920	272,655	14,470
Industrial property investment	7,282	10,577	17,859	8,778
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New Material Business				(25)
Polyimide films manufacturing (Note)		- <u>-</u>		(25)
Aerospace Service				
Property investment in Shenzhen				
Aerospace Science &				
Technology Plaza	_	_	_	902,574
Land development in Hainan				,
Launching Site Complex Zone (Note)	_	_	_	(3,172)
Internet of Things	142		142	(10,783)
	142	_	142	888,619
Reportable segment total	1,233,376	34,931	1,268,307	1,009,864
Elimination	· · · —	(34,931)	(34,931)	· · · —
Other Business	1,344	` ´ <del>_</del> ´	1,344	2,391
	1,234,720		1,234,720	1,012,255
Unallocated corporate income				36,696
Unallocated corporate expenses				(35,033)
				1,013,918
Gain on disposal of an associate				3,716
Share of results of associates				(447)
Share of results of a joint venture				330
Finance costs				(16,769)
Profit before taxation from				
continuing operations				1,000,748

Note: The polyimide films manufacturing is held by Shenzhen Rayitek Hi-tech Film Company Limited, which became an associate of the Group as a result of deemed disposal during the period ended 30 June 2014. The land development in Hainan Launching Site Complex Zone is held by Hainan Aerospace Investment Management Company Limited, which became a joint venture of the Group as a result of deemed disposal. The President continuously reviews these segment information for the purpose of resources allocation and performance assessment. Thus, there is no change in the segment information reported to the President.

#### For the six months ended 30 June 2014

External sales   Inter-segment sales   Total   Presults   HK\$000			Turnover			
Hi-Tech Manufacturing Business   Plastic products   404,475   25,842   430,317   35,148   Liquid crystal display   234,203   218   234,421   11,006   Printed circuit boards   298,453   - 298,453   55,555   Intelligent chargers   308,389   - 308,389   20,296   Industrial property investment   7,483   10,783   18,266   11,155   1,253,003   36,843   1,289,846   133,160   New Material Business   Polyimide films manufacturing (Note)   3,304   - 3,304   (1,836)   1,289,846   133,160   1,289,846   133,160   1,289,846   1,		sales	sales		results	
Plastic products         404,475         25,842         430,317         35,148           Liquid crystal display         234,203         218         234,213         11,006           Printed circuit boards         298,453         —         298,453         55,555           Intelligent chargers         308,389         —         308,389         20,296           Industrial property investment         7,483         10,783         18,266         11,155           New Material Business         1,253,003         36,843         1,289,846         133,160           New Material Business         Polyimide films manufacturing (Note)         3,304         —         3,304         (1,836)           Aerospace Service         Property investment in Shenzhen         Aerospace Service         Property investment in Shenzhen         —         —         30,489           Land development in Hainan         —         —         —         —         (190)           Internet of Things         3,928         —         3,928         (8,248)           Reportable segment total         1,260,235         36,843         1,297,078         153,375           Elimination         —         (36,843)         —         30,723           Other Business         1,6	Hi Took Manufacturing Dusiness	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Liquid crystal display         234,203         218         234,421         11,006           Printed circuit boards         298,453         —         298,453         55,555           Intelligent chargers         308,389         —         308,389         20,296           Industrial property investment         7,483         10,783         18,266         11,155           New Material Business                -         3,304         —         3,304         (1,836)           Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza         —         —         —         30,489           Land development in Hainan         —         —         —         —         (190)           Internet of Things         3,928         —         3,928         (8,248)           Reportable segment total         1,260,235         36,843         1,297,078         153,375           Elimination         —         —         (36,843)         —         30,723           Cher Business         1,648         —         1,648         6,285           Unallocated corporate income         —         30,723	——————————————————————————————————————	404 475	25.842	430 317	25 1/19	
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New Material Business         3,304         -         3,304         (1,836)           Aerospace Service           -         -         -         30,489           Land development in Hainan Launching Site Complex Zone (Note) Internet of Things         -         -         -         -         (190)           Internet of Things         3,928         -         3,928         (8,248)           Reportable segment total         1,260,235         36,843         1,297,078         153,375           Elimination         -         (36,843)         (36,843)         -           Other Business         1,648         -         1,648         6,285           Unallocated corporate income         30,723         (57,026)           Unallocated corporate expenses         (57,026)         133,357           Gain on deemed disposal of a subsidiary         9,583           Share of results of a sociates         (210)           Share of results of a joint venture         1,282           Finance costs         (17,989)	· · ·	1,253,003	36,843	1,289,846		
Aerospace Service Property investment in Shenzhen	New Material Business	, ,		<del></del>		
Property investment in Shenzhen	Polyimide films manufacturing (Note)	3,304		3,304	(1,836)	
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Technology Plaza       —       —       —       30,489         Land development in Hainan Launching Site Complex Zone (Note)       —       —       —       —       (190)         Internet of Things       3,928       —       3,928       —       3,928       22,051         Reportable segment total       1,260,235       36,843       1,297,078       153,375         Elimination       —       (36,843)       (36,843)       —         Other Business       1,648       —       1,648       6,285         Unallocated corporate income       30,723         Unallocated corporate expenses       (57,026)         Gain on deemed disposal of a subsidiary       9,583         Share of results of a ssociates       (210)         Share of results of a joint venture       1,282         Finance costs       (17,989)	Property investment in Shenzhen					
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Internet of Things		_	_	_	(190)	
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Elimination       -       (36,843)       (36,843)       -         Other Business       1,648       -       1,648       6,285         1,261,883       -       1,261,883       159,660         Unallocated corporate income       30,723         Unallocated corporate expenses       (57,026)         Gain on deemed disposal of a subsidiary       9,583         Share of results of associates       (210)         Share of results of a joint venture       1,282         Finance costs       (17,989)		3,928	_	3,928	22,051	
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	Finance costs				(17,989)	
					126,023	
Less: Profit for the period from discontinued operations (7,812)  Profit before taxation from	discontinued operations				(7,812)	
continuing operations 118,211					118,211	

Segment results represent the profit earned/loss incurred by each segment without allocations of interest income, changes in fair value of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, gain on disposal of an associate, gain on deemed disposal of a subsidiary, share of results of a joint venture and associates, interest expenses and other corporate income and corporate expenses. Share of loss of certain joint ventures of HK\$3,172,000 (1.1.2014 to 30.6.2014: HK\$190,000) and share of loss of an associate of HK\$25,000 (1.1.2014 to 30.6.2014: HK\$569,000) were allocated to reportable and operating segments. This is the measure reported to the President for the purpose of resources allocation and performance assessment.

Inter-segment sales are charged at cost-plus basis.

#### OTHER INCOME AND OTHER GAINS AND LOSSES Six months ended 30.6.2015 30.6.2014 HK\$'000 HK\$'000 **Continuing operations** The Group's other income mainly comprises: Bank interest income 33,650 28,411 The Group's other gains and losses mainly comprise: Loss from change in fair value of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (3,843)(6,794)Net exchange loss (1,914)(25,243)**Discontinued operations** The Group's other gains and losses mainly comprise: Net exchange loss (5) 5. PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION Six months ended 30.6.2015 30.6.2014 HK\$'000 HK\$'000 **Continuing operations** Profit before taxation has been arrived at after charging: 1,707 Amortisation of prepaid lease payments 1,244 Amortisation of intangible assets (included in cost of sales) 5,965 4,426 Depreciation of property, plant and equipment 47,065 53,414 **Discontinued operations** Profit before taxation has been arrived at after charging: Amortisation of prepaid lease payments 60

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Amortisation of intangible assets (included in cost of sales)

Depreciation of property, plant and equipment

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#### 6. TAXATION

	Six months ended		
	30.6.2015	30.6.2014	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Continuing operations			
Current tax			
Hong Kong Profits Tax	6,540	3,883	
PRC Enterprise Income Tax	11,549	12,617	
	18,089	16,500	
Deferred tax charge	352,346	15,188	
Income tax charge	370,435	31,688	

Hong Kong Profits Tax and PRC Enterprise Income Tax have been calculated at 16.5% and 25% respectively of the estimated assessable profit for the periods under review other than certain subsidiaries in the PRC that are entitled to High and New Technology Enterprise status of which the applicable income tax rate is 15%.

# 7. EARNINGS PER SHARE

The calculation of the basic earnings per share attributable to the owners of the Company is based on the following data:

	Six months end 30.6.2015 <i>HK</i> \$'000	30.6.2014 HK\$'000
From continuing operations and discontinued operations		
Earnings Profit for the period attributable to the owners of the Company for the purposes of basic earnings per share	409,793	87,933
for the purposes of basic earnings per share	409,793	67,733
Number of shares	30.6.2015 '000	30.6.2014 '000
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purposes of basic earnings per share	3,085,022	3,085,022
	Six months end	hal
	30.6.2015 HK\$'000	30.6.2014 <i>HK</i> \$'000
From continuing operations		
Profit for the period attributable to the owners of the Company Less: Profit for the period from the discontinued	409,793	87,933
operations attributable to the owners of the Company		(8,808)
Earnings for the purpose of basic earnings per share from the continuing operations	409,793	79,125

The denominators used are the same as those detailed above for both basic earnings per share.

# From discontinued operations

Basic earnings per share for the discontinued operations is HKnil cents per share (1.1.2014 to 30.6.2014: Profit of HK0.29 cents per share) based on the profit for the period from the discontinued operations of HK\$nil (1.1.2014 to 30.6.2014: Profit of HK\$8,808,000) and the denominators detailed above for basic earnings per share.

No diluted earnings per share is presented as there were no potential dilutive shares in issue for both periods.

#### 8. DIVIDEND

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2014 final dividend of HK1 cent (1.1.2014 to 30.6.2014: 2013 final dividend of HK1 cent) per share amounting to HK\$30,850,000 (1.1.2014 to 30.6.2014: HK\$30,850,000) was paid by the Company during the period. The directors do not recommend payment of an interim dividend for the interim period.

# 9. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

At 30 June 2015, included in trade and other receivables are trade receivables of HK\$494,826,000 (31.12.2014: HK\$504,663,000). The Group allows an average credit period of 90 days to its trade customers.

The following is an aged analysis of trade receivables presented based on invoice date, which approximated the revenue recognition date, at the end of the reporting period:

	30.6.2015 HK\$'000	31.12.2014 <i>HK</i> \$'000
Within 90 days	467,146	473,349
Between 91 - 180 days	22,937	26,331
Between 181 - 365 days	4,090	4,983
Between 1 to 2 years	653	
	494,826	504,663
. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES	30.6.2015 HK\$'000	31.12.2014 <i>HK\$</i> *000
Trade payables	286,504	305,298
Accrued charges	132,746	160,192
Receipt in advance	78,009	105,664
Other payables	485,873	443,691
	983,132	1,014,845

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

	30.6.2015 HK\$'000	31.12.2014 HK\$'000
Within 90 days	271,105	283,135
Between 91 - 180 days	9,099	16,167
Between 181 - 365 days	2,155	1,356
Over 1 year	4,145	4,640
	286,504	305,298

#### **BUSINESS REVIEW**

#### **OVERVIEW**

For the six months ended 30 June 2015, the Company and its subsidiaries reported an unaudited turnover from continuing operations of HK\$1,234,720,000, representing a decrease of 1.90% as compared with that of HK\$1,258,579,000 for the same period of 2014. Profit for the period was HK\$630,313,000, representing a substantial increase of 568.16% as compared with that of HK\$94,335,000 for the same period of 2014. Profit attributable to the shareholders was HK\$409,793,000, representing an increase of 366.02% as compared with that of HK\$87,933,000 for the same period of 2014. Basic earnings per share attributable to the shareholders were HK13.28 cents, representing an increase of HK10.43 cents as compared with that of HK2.85 cents for the same period of 2014.

In the first half of this year, the global economy was still under recovery while the performance of trading and related investment activities remained sluggish. The domestic economy in mainland China continued to slow down while core economic indicators, such as the growth of national economy, consumer price index, manufacturing purchasing managers' index and investment in fixed assets, remained at low level. On the other hand, the Hong Kong economy maintained a mild growth. The turnover of the Company dropped slightly as compared with the same period of last year, gross profit margin decreased to 19.68% as compared with that of 21.75% for the same period of last year. The overall profit of the Company posted a relatively substantial increase as compared with the same period of last year, due to the increase in fair value of investment properties. Taking into consideration the Company's cashflow position as a whole, the Board decided not to distribute any interim dividend.

#### **BUSINESS REVIEW**

In the first half of 2015, the Company's hi-tech manufacturing business was exposed to greater pressure. The construction works of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza were almost completed while those of resettlement area of the Complex Zone of the Launching Site in Hainan Province were delayed. The business of internet of things has tapped into the new area of cross-border e-commerce logistics business.

In the first half of this year, sealed battery and LCD module under hi-tech manufacturing business recorded a relatively large increase while the sales of intelligent chargers and printed circuit boards saw a large decline, due to the decrease of purchase orders from major customers and of unit price. For the six months ended 30 June 2015, the turnover of the hi-tech manufacturing business amounted to HK\$1,233,234,000, representing a decrease of 1.58% as compared with that of HK\$1,253,003,000 for the same period of 2014, and realised an operating profit of HK\$121,270,000, representing a decrease of 8.93% as compared with that of HK\$133,160,000 for the same period of 2014.

In the beginning of this year, Shenzhen Aerospace Technology Investment Company Limited\* (深圳市航天高科投資管理有限公司) ("Shenzhen Aerospace") had completed most of the construction of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza, and commenced all internal fitting works and part of the inspection works. The completion of the construction work and inspection and the leasing of the project were delayed as a result of the delayed construction of surrounding municipal roads, pipe network and the metro construction. To cope with the operations upon the completion of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza, Shenzhen Aerospace established a wholly-owned company, Shenzhen Aerospace Technology Property Management Company Limited\* (深圳市航天高科物業管理有限公司) responsible for the property management of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza. As at 30 June 2015, construction in progress of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza, together with land use rights, were valued at approximately HK\$5,359,551,000.

The construction of the resettlement area of Complex Zone of the Launching Site in Hainan Province includes resettlement houses, municipal projects, landscaping and ancillary facilities such as housing for the elderly, schools, post offices and hospitals, with a gross floor area of approximately 186,000 square metres. There are 134 resettlement houses with 960 households, and 23 municipal roads to be constructed. Currently, over 85% resettlement houses were topped out while the construction of other commercial and common facilities was fully commenced. In the first half of this year, the progress of resettlement area was dragged in light of the dispute in some land ownership and the inadequacy of peripheral municipal facilities. Hainan Aerospace Investment Management Company Limited\* (海南航天投資管理有限公司) ("Hainan Aerospace") is taking counter-measures to ensure the successful completion of the resettlement area. The introduction of potential investors into Hainan Aerospace is actively on progress. However, the progress lagged behind as scheduled. Hainan Aerospace also completed the conceptual planning and design of the initial phase of the aerospace theme park project, the specific proposal of which is subject to the introduction of professional investors.

Aerospace Digitnexus Information Technology (Shenzhen) Limited\* (航天數聯信息技術(深圳)有限公司) ("Aerospace Digitnexus") endeavoured to develop businesses in respect of application of internet of things, including supply chain management, intelligent warehouses and corporate management of internet of things. During the first half of the year, Aerospace Digitnexus successively completed the development and implementation of project of internet of things and undertook the projects such as design of information security management system, construction project of system of internet of things and cold-chain logistic project. In addition, Aerospace Digitnexus leveraged the traditional customs clearance and transit business as an area to cooperate with parcel mail branch of Shenzhen of China Post and Mail Express in China Post of Jiangmen, Guangdong, to gradually launch import and export businesses related to cross-border e-commerce logistics.

#### **PROSPECTS**

Looking forward to the second half of the year, downside risk in China's economy should not be ignored; developed economies such as the United States and the Eurozone will maintain a moderate recovery but overseas demand is difficult to see significant improvement; the economy in Hong Kong will remain moderate growth. However, due to factors such as debt crisis in Greece and some European countries, violent fluctuation in the global stock markets, acceleration in RMB internationalization, and the normalization pace of the U.S. monetary policy, more uncertainties will be added to the future economic conditions.

The Company has been exploring high-end product markets and expanding product mix under the hi-tech manufacturing business. Meanwhile, with the gradual improvement in manufacturing automation in hi-tech manufacturing business and the expansion of production scale of new manufacturing base, the impact of salary increase and labour shortage will be mitigated, which will improve the profitability of the hi-tech manufacturing business gradually.

During the second half of the year, the construction of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza is expected to complete. Shenzhen Aerospace will enhance the ability in property management and market development so as to boost the performance in marketing plans, property leases and sales for Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza. Meanwhile, since the syndicated loan in respect of the construction project will commence to fall due for repayment next year, Shenzhen Aerospace will negotiate with various financial institutions to seek appropriate alternatives in advance. The project of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza is an achievement made with the support of China Aerospace Science and Technology Corporation ("China Aerospace") and the great effort that the Company has been put for many years, and it will be an important mark for the Company's development in the 13th Five Year Plan ("FYP").

Hainan Aerospace will attempt to complete the construction of the resettlement area during the year and preliminarily meet the relocation conditions for local residents. Following the construction of the resettlement area entering the final stage, Hainan Aerospace is foreseen to face increasing financial pressure and various problems to be arisen from project implementation and management. We believe that, with the support of the shareholders of Hainan Aerospace, it will be successful for Hainan Aerospace to make financing arrangements which are necessary for the construction of the resettlement area. Meanwhile, the

Company will closely coordinate with the other shareholders of Hainan Aerospace to continue to obtain supports from China Aerospace and the Hainan Provincial Government to push forward the construction of the resettlement area and aerospace theme park as well as introduce strategic investors. The Company will closely monitor the progress of the Hainan project, strictly control investment risks and adjust the investment strategies when appropriate in order to cope with the overall development strategies of the Company.

On the basis of the existing businesses, Aerospace Digitnexus will, through cooperation with China Post, launch the import and export businesses in relation to the cross-border e-commerce logistics on the internet of things. The Company and Aerospace Digitnexus will introduce strategic investors aggressively to raise development funding for Aerospace Digitnexus.

In the first half of the year, the Company has commenced to review on the implementation of the 12th FYP and prepared the draft of the 13th FYP. The management of the Company will communicate with China Aerospace in respect of the details of the 13th FYP. Upon the approval of the Board of the Company, the relevant plans will become a new blueprint for the corporate development in order to lay a foundation for the Company to leap forward during the 13th FYP period.

#### MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

#### **RESULTS PERFORMANCE**

The unaudited turnover of the Company and the subsidiaries in the continuing operations for the six months ended 30 June 2015 was HK\$1,234,720,000, representing a decrease of 1.90% as compared with that of HK\$1,258,579,000 for the same period of 2014. The profit for the period was HK\$630,313,000, representing a significant increase of 568.16% as compared with that of HK\$94,335,000 for the same period of 2014.

# PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

Profit attributable to shareholders of the Company was HK\$409,793,000, representing an increase of 366.02% as compared with that of HK\$87,933,000 for the same period of 2014. For the six months ended 30 June 2015, both the turnover and the profit of the Company's major businesses deceased slightly. As the fair value of investment properties increased substantially, hence, the profit attributable to equity holders of the Company substantially increased as compared to the corresponding period in 2014.

Based on the issued share capital of 3,085,022,000 shares during the period, the basic earnings per share was HK13.28 cents, representing an increase of HK10.43 cents as compared with that of HK2.85 cents for the same period of 2014.

#### **DIVIDENDS**

The Board decided not to distribute an interim dividend for the year of 2015.

The distribution of 2014 final dividend of HK1 cent per share was approved by shareholders at the annual general meeting held in May 2015, warrants of which were dispatched to all shareholders on 18 June 2015.

# **RESULTS OF CORE BUSINESSES**

Core businesses of the Company and the subsidiaries are hi-tech manufacturing and aerospace services.

The turnover of the hi-tech manufacturing is the main source of the Company's turnover and that contributes a significant profit and cash flow. This enables the Company to fulfill gradual development of the business of aerospace services and other new businesses such as science and technology, tourism and culture driven real estate business, so as to achieve the Company's new development target and minimize single business risk.

# HI-TECH MANUFACTURING

The turnover of the hi-tech manufacturing for the six months ended 30 June 2015 was HK\$1,233,234,000, representing a decrease of 1.58% as compared with the same period of last year; the operating profit was HK\$121,270,000, representing a decrease of 8.93% as compared with the same period of last year. The results of the hi-tech manufacturing are shown below:

	Turnove	er (HK\$'000)		Operatin	g Profit	
				(HK\$	<b>'000</b> )	
	First half of	First half of	Changes	First half of	First half of	Changes
	2015	2014	(%)	2015	2014	(%)
Plastic Products	463,556	404,475	14.61	36,068	35,148	2.62
Printed Circuit Boards	252,987	298,453	(15.23)	48,212	55,555	(13.22)
Intelligent Chargers	271,735	308,389	(11.89)	14,470	20,296	(28.71)
Liquid Crystal Display	237,674	234,203	1.48	13,742	11,006	24.86
Industrial Property						
Investment	7,282	7,483	(2.69)	8,778	11,155	(21.31)
Total	1,233,234	1,253,003	(1.58)	121,270	133,160	(8.93)

Looking forward to the second half of 2015, the competition in the electronic information industry will remain intense. The Company strives to explore markets of high end products and expand products varieties, continue to put effort in the research and development of new products and market development, raise automation in production, expand in scale and capacity of production, vigorously, explore business by ways of merger and acquisition or cooperation etc., in order to ensure a continuous and stable growth of the hi-tech manufacturing.

#### **AEROSPACE SERVICE BUSINESS**

The Complex Zone of the Launching Site in Hainan Province

For the first half of 2015, the loss of Hainan Aerospace Investment Management Company Limited\* (海南 航天投資管理有限公司) ("Hainan Aerospace") attributable to the Company amounted to HK\$3,172,000. Looking into the second half of 2015, Hainan Aerospace will strive to complete all construction works of the resettlement zone, align with the government in resettling local residents, aggressively discuss with the government in solving problems arise during development, prepare well in overall project strategy, as well as putting efforts in exploring financing options so as to satisfy its funding needs for the construction works.

#### Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza

In the first half of 2015, Shenzhen Aerospace Technology Investment Company Limited\* (深圳市航天高科投資管理有限公司) ("Shenzhen Aerospace") continued to progress the final stage of construction works of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza. In the second half of 2015, Shenzhen Aerospace will continue to step up those remaining construction works and decorations, striving for completion of the construction work and inspection as early as possible, and aggressively commence business promotion and leasing etc.. It is expected that the rental income of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza will contribute to the Company's results from 2016 onwards.

Shenzhen Aerospace recorded a fair value gain of investment property of HK\$907,235,000 in the first half of 2015. As at 30 June 2015, the property under construction and land use right of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza was valued at approximately HK\$5,359,551,000.

### Internet of Things

In the first half of 2015, the performance of Aerospace Digitnexus Information Technology (Shenzhen) Limited\* (航天數聯信息技術(深圳)有限公司) ("Aerospace Digitnexus") was not ideal, it realized a turnover of HK\$142,000 and an operating loss of HK\$10,783,000. In the second half of 2015, Aerospace Digitnexus will continue to put effort in optimizing its product techniques, and doing well on the development in cold-chain logistics warehouse management while it will cooperate with China Post Group in developing cross-border e-commerce logistics and related business and strive to realize profit.

On 22 July 2014, the Company, Digilink Systems Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company which in turn owns the entire interest in Aerospace Digitnexus, entered into the Subscription Agreement with two strategic investors. Both strategic investors, owing to self reasons, did not fulfil the terms as stated in the Subscription Agreement. Thereby, the Subscription was expired and became void on 31 March 2015. Details of which please refer to the announcements of the Company made on 22 July 2014 and 1 April 2015 respectively.

#### **ASSETS**

(HK\$'000)	<b>30 June 2015</b>	31 December 2014	Changes(%)
Non-Current Assets	7,648,571	6,561,520	16.57
Current Assets	2,988,473	3,010,867	(0.74)
Total Assets	10,637,044	9,572,387	11.12

The increase in non-current assets was mainly due to an increase in construction cost investment and the fair value of investment properties.

The equity attributable to shareholders of the Company was HK\$5,371,296,000, representing an increase of 7.59% as compared with that of HK\$4,992,235,000 as at 31 December 2014. The increase in equity attributable to shareholders of the Company was due to the increase in profits during the period. Based on the issued share capital of 3,085,022,000 shares during the period, the net assets per share attributable to shareholders of the Company was HK\$1.74.

As at 30 June 2015, a cash deposit of the Company and the subsidiaries of HK\$25,742,000 had been pledged to banks to obtain credit facilities, and Shenzhen Aerospace had obtained a syndicated loan by securing the land use right and property under construction thereof at value of RMB4,293,000,000 to a syndicate comprising banks and a financial institution.

#### **LIABILITIES**

(HK\$'000)	<b>30 June 2015</b>	31 December 2014	Changes(%)
Non-Current Liabilities	3,019,616	2,500,800	20.75
Current Liabilities	1,086,698	1,140,769	(4.74)
Total Liabilities	4,106,314	3,641,569	12.76

The increase in non-current liabilities was mainly due to the increase in bank loans and deferred tax, whereas the decrease in current liabilities was mainly due to the decrease in short term bank loans and trade payables. As at 30 June 2015, the Company and the subsidiaries had bank and other borrowings of HK\$1,898,252,000.

Shenzhen Aerospace entered into a syndicated loan agreement of RMB1,500,000,000 with a syndicate of financial institutions in 2011 for the payment of construction costs of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza. With the construction works nearly complete, the payable construction costs will increase significantly. Shenzhen Aerospace will gradually drawdown the loan to pay the construction costs. Therefore, the relevant bank debt will gradually increase. As at 30 June 2015, Shenzhen Aerospace had drawn down the loan in the amount of RMB1,003,500,000.

#### **OPERATING EXPENSES**

The administrative expenses of the Company and the subsidiaries in the first half of 2015 were HK\$156,644,000, representing a decrease of 4.46% as compared with the same period last year. The finance costs amounted to HK\$52,193,000, of which HK\$35,424,000 was capitalized and recorded as the construction cost of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza.

#### **CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

As at 30 June 2015, the Company and the subsidiaries did not have any other material contingent liabilities.

#### FINANCIAL RATIOS

	First half of 2015	First half of 2014
Gross Profit Margin (%)	19.68	21.75
Return on Net Assets (%)	9.65	1.71
	30 June 2015	31 December 2014
	30 June 2013	31 December 2014
Assets- Liabilities Ratio (%)	38.60	38.04
Assets- Liabilities Ratio (%) Current Ratio		

# **LIQUIDITY**

The source of funds of the Company and the subsidiaries mainly relies on internal resources, banking facilities and short term fixed deposits. The free cash, bank balance and short-term bank deposits as at 30 June 2015 amounted to HK\$2,042,009,000, the majority of which were in Hong Kong Dollars and Renminbi.

#### CAPITAL EXPENDITURE AND INVESTMENT COMMITMENT

As at 30 June 2015, the capital commitments of the Company and the relevant subsidiaries contracted for but not provided in the condensed consolidated financial statements was HK\$334,409,000, mainly for the capital expenditure of the construction of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza. With the construction works of Shenzhen Aerospace Science & Technology Plaza nearly complete, Shenzhen Aerospace will draw down the syndicated loan by stages to settle related construction costs.

#### FINANCIAL RISKS

The Company and the subsidiaries review the cash flow and financial position periodically and do not presently engage into any financial instruments or derivatives to hedge the exchange and the interest rate risks

## HUMAN RESOURCES AND REMUNERATION POLICIES

The remuneration policy of the Company and the subsidiaries is based on the employee's qualifications, experience and performance on the job, with reference to the current market situation. The Company and the subsidiaries will continue to upgrade the level of human resources management and strictly implement the performance-based appraisal system, in order to motivate employees to make continuous improvement in their individual performance and contributions to the Company.

As at 30 June 2015, the Company and the subsidiaries have a total of approximately 6,850 employees based in the mainland China and Hong Kong respectively.

# THE 13<sup>TH</sup> FIVE-YEAR PLAN

In the first half of 2015, the Company and its subsidiaries commenced the drafting work of the next five-year development plan, making clear the development aims and setting up major measures in achieving those targets, so as to bring forth a sustained healthy development of the Company.

# PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF THE COMPANY'S LISTED SECURITIES

There had been no purchase, sale or redemption of the Company's listed securities by the Company and its subsidiaries during the first half of 2015.

#### CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

For the six months ended 30 June 2015, the Company had complied throughout the period with the provisions of the *Corporate Governance Code and Corporate Governance Report* as set out in Appendix 14 of the Listing Rules.

# DIRECTORS' AND EXECUTIVE'S INTERESTS IN SHARES

The Company had adopted the *Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers* as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules as the required standard for the Directors of the Company to trade the securities of the Company. Having made specific enquiry to all the Directors of the Company and in accordance with information provided, all the Directors have complied with the provisions under the Model Code.

As at 30 June 2015, save for Mr Zhang Jianheng, Mr Chen Xuechuan and Mr Shi Weiguo, the Directors of the Company, are the officers of China Aerospace Science & Technology Corporation, the substantial shareholder of the Company, none of the directors, chief executives or their associates have any beneficial or non-beneficial interests in the share capital, warrants and options of the Company or its subsidiaries or any of its associated corporations which is required to be recorded in the Register of Directors' Interests pursuant to Part XV of the Securities & Futures Ordinance or as otherwise notified to the Company and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited pursuant to the *Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers*.

#### **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Audit Committee of the Company currently has a membership comprising two Independent Non-Executive Directors, Mr Luo Zhenbang (Chairman) and Ms Leung Sau Fan, Sylvia, and a Non-Executive Director, Mr Shi Weiguo. The major responsibilities of the Audit Committee include serving as a focal point for communication between the Directors and external auditors in reviewing the Company's financial information as well as overseeing the Company's financial reporting system and internal control procedures.

The Audit Committee of the Company reviewed, discussed and approved the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2015 that had been reviewed by the auditor, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu.

# REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The Remuneration Committee of the Company currently has a membership comprising two Independent Non-Executive Directors, Ms Leung Sau Fan, Sylvia (Chairman) and Mr Wang Xiaojun, and a Non-Executive Director, Mr Chen Xuechuan. The Remuneration Committee takes the role of advisory and proposes to the Board on the emoluments of the Directors and senior management with regard to the operating results of the Company, the individual performance and the comparable market information.

# NOMINATION COMMITTEE

The Nomination Committee of the Company currently has a membership comprising two Non-Executive Directors, Mr Zhang Jianheng (Chairman) and Mr Chen Xuechuan, and three Independent Non-Executive Directors, Mr Luo Zhenbang, Ms Leung Sau Fan, Sylvia and Mr Wang Xiaojun. The responsibilities of the Nomination Committee are to review the structure, the number of members and its composition for the execution of the Company's policy.

# **APPRECIATION**

I hereby express my profound gratitude to my fellow Directors and all staff of the Company for their dedication, loyal services and invaluable contributions during the past year. Grateful thanks are also due to shareholders, bankers, business partners and members of the community who have supported the Company's development all along.

By order of the Board, **Zhang Jianheng** *Chairman* 

Hong Kong, 25 August 2015

At the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors of the Company comprises:

Executive Directors	Non-Executive Directors	Independent Non-Executive Directors
Mr Li Hongjun ( <i>President</i> ) Mr Jin Xuesheng	Mr Zhang Jianheng ( <i>Chairman</i> ) Mr Chen Xuechuan	Mr Luo Zhenbang Ms Leung Sau Fan, Sylvia
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<sup>\*</sup> These PRC entities do not have English names, the English names set out herein are for identification purpose only.