

TAN CHONG INT'L<00693> - Results Announcement

Tan Chong International Limited announced on 16/03/2005:

(stock code: 00693)

Year end date: 31/12/2004

Currency: HKD

Auditors' Report: Unqualified

	(Audited) Current Period from 01/01/2004 to 31/12/2004 Note ('000)	(Audited) Last Corresponding Period from 01/01/2003 to 31/12/2003 ('000)
Turnover	: 5,251,540	4,281,553
Profit/(Loss) from Operations	: 391,646	348,654
Finance cost	: (9,119)	(5,081)
Share of Profit/(Loss) of Associates	: 37,784	31,483
Share of Profit/(Loss) of Jointly Controlled Entities	: N/A	N/A
Profit/(Loss) after Tax & MI	: 340,774	288,993
% Change over Last Period	: +17.92 %	
EPS/(LPS)-Basic (in dollars)	: 0.169	0.144
-Diluted (in dollars)	: N/A	N/A
Extraordinary (ETD) Gain/(Loss)	: N/A	N/A
Profit/(Loss) after ETD Items	: 340,774	288,993
Final Dividend per Share	: 4.0 cents	3.5 cents
(Specify if with other options)	: N/A	N/A
B/C Dates for Final Dividend bdi.	: 28/04/2005	to 13/05/2005
Payable Date	: 17/06/2005	
B/C Dates for Annual General Meeting bdi.	: 28/04/2005	to 13/05/2005
Other Distribution for Current Period	: N/A	
B/C Dates for Other Distribution	: N/A	

Remarks:

1. Profit before Taxation and minority interests

For the year ended
31 December

2004	2003
HK\$'000	HK\$'000

Profit before taxation and minority interests is arrived at after
Charging/(crediting):

Cost of goods sold		
	4,266,872	3,346,044
Interest expense	9,119	5,081
Amortisation of lease prepayments		
	3,656	3,374
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment		
	58,384	49,406
Gain on sale of property, plant and equipment		
	(6,546)	(6,426)
Gain on sale of investments	-	(11,701)
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2. Basis of consolidation

The consolidated accounts of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2004 comprise of the Company and all its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group") and the Group's interest in associates.