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**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ANNOUNCEMENT
UNAUDITED RESULTS FOR THE SECOND QUARTER AND HALF YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017**

Singapore, 27 July 2017 - The Directors of Tuan Sing Holdings Limited (“the Company”) announce the following unaudited results of the Group for the second quarter and half year ended 30 June 2017.

This announcement and the accompanying PowerPoint presentation slides are also available at the Company’s website: <http://www.tuansing.com>.

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These forward-looking statements involve assumptions, risks and uncertainties. The actual future performance or results may differ materially from those expressed or implied by these forward looking statements as a result of various important factors. These factors include but are not limited to, economic, political and social conditions in the geographic markets where the Group operates, interest rate and foreign currency exchange rate movements, cost of capital and availability of capital, competition from other companies and venues for sales / manufacturing / distribution of goods and services, shift in demands, customers and partners, and changes in operating costs. Further details of potential risks and uncertainties affecting the Group are discussed in the “BUSINESS DYNAMIC AND RISK FACTORS STATEMENT” section of this announcement. Unpredictable or unknown factors not discussed in this announcement could also have material adverse effects on forward-looking statements.

Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements which speak only as of the date of this announcement. Except as required by any applicable law or regulation, the Group expressly disclaims any obligation or undertaking to release publicly any updates or revision to any forward-looking statements contained herein to reflect any change in the Group’s expectations with regard thereto or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based.

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1. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

| | Note | Group Second Quarter | | +(-) % | Group First Half | | +(-) % |
|--|------|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| | | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 | | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 | |
| Revenue | (a) | 84,095 | 106,573 | (21) | 158,892 | 212,035 | (25) |
| Cost of sales | | (71,457) | (86,787) | (18) | (130,834) | (168,369) | (22) |
| Gross profit | | 12,638 | 19,786 | (36) | 28,058 | 43,666 | (36) |
| Other operating income | (b) | 865 | 1,541 | (44) | 1,376 | 2,280 | (40) |
| Distribution costs | (c) | (1,053) | (1,440) | (27) | (2,280) | (2,426) | (6) |
| Administrative expenses | (d) | (6,871) | (9,360) | (27) | (12,525) | (16,445) | (24) |
| Other operating expenses | (b) | (762) | (1,998) | (62) | (1,994) | (2,580) | (23) |
| Share of results of an equity accounted investee | (e) | 3,832 | 2,440 | 57 | 7,435 | 4,180 | 78 |
| Interest income | (f) | 970 | 1,009 | (4) | 2,001 | 2,037 | (2) |
| Finance costs | (g) | (7,087) | (6,429) | 10 | (13,189) | (13,164) | 0 |
| Profit before tax and fair value adjustments | | 2,532 | 5,549 | (54) | 8,882 | 17,548 | (49) |
| Fair value adjustments | (h) | (120) | 26 | nm | (105) | 122 | nm |
| Profit before tax | | 2,412 | 5,575 | (57) | 8,777 | 17,670 | (50) |
| Income tax expenses | (j) | (591) | (461) | 28 | (1,635) | (2,937) | (44) |
| Profit for the period | | 1,821 | 5,114 | (64) | 7,142 | 14,733 | (52) |
| OTHER COMPREHENSIVE (LOSS) / INCOME | | | | | | | |
| <i>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss</i> | | | | | | | |
| Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations | (k) | (4,756) | (4,517) | 5 | (3,417) | (10,328) | (67) |
| Share of other comprehensive loss of an equity accounted investee | (k) | (588) | (8,116) | (93) | (3,439) | (3,674) | (6) |
| Cash flow hedges | (k) | 260 | (630) | nm | 389 | (776) | nm |
| Income tax relating to components of other comprehensive (loss) / income that may be reclassified subsequently | | (78) | 186 | nm | (117) | 230 | nm |
| Other comprehensive loss, net of tax | | (5,162) | (13,077) | (61) | (6,584) | (14,548) | (55) |
| Total comprehensive (loss) / income for the period | | (3,341) | (7,963) | (58) | 558 | 185 | 202 |
| <i>Profit attributable to:</i> | | | | | | | |
| Owners of the Company | | 1,837 | 5,137 | (64) | 7,222 | 14,699 | (51) |
| Non-controlling interests | | (16) | (23) | (30) | (80) | 34 | nm |
| | | 1,821 | 5,114 | (64) | 7,142 | 14,733 | (52) |
| <i>Total comprehensive (loss) / income attributable to:</i> | | | | | | | |
| Owners of the Company | | (3,277) | (7,829) | (58) | 907 | 389 | 133 |
| Non-controlling interests | | (64) | (134) | (52) | (349) | (204) | 71 |
| | | (3,341) | (7,963) | (58) | 558 | 185 | 202 |
| Basic and diluted earnings per share (in cents) | | | | | | | |
| Excluding fair value adjustments | (m) | 0.1 | 0.4 | | 0.6 | 1.2 | |
| Including fair value adjustments | (m) | 0.1 | 0.4 | | 0.6 | 1.2 | |
| Return on shareholders' funds (annualised) ^ | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1.6% | 3.4% | |

nm: not meaningful

^ Return on shareholders' funds = net profit attributable to shareholders / average shareholders' funds over the year

Profit has been arrived at after crediting / (charging) the following:

| | Note | Group | | Group | |
|--|------|----------------|----------|------------|----------|
| | | Second Quarter | | First Half | |
| | | 30.06.17 | 30.06.16 | 30.06.17 | 30.06.16 |
| | | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Depreciation of property, plant and equipment [included in cost of sales, distribution costs, administrative expenses] | | (2,128) | (2,057) | (4,299) | (4,125) |
| Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment, net [included in other operating (expenses) / income] | | - | - | - | (4) |
| (Allowance) / write-back of allowance for doubtful trade and other receivables, net [included in other operating (expenses) / income] | | (20) | 19 | (37) | 10 |
| (Allowance) / write-back of allowance for inventory obsolescence, net [included in other operating (expenses) / income] | | (16) | 33 | (16) | 3 |
| Foreign exchange gain / (loss), net [included in other operating income / (expenses)] | (b) | 249 | (222) | (308) | (300) |
| Allowance for diminution in value for development properties, net [included in other operating expenses, cost of sales, other operating income] | (b) | (271) | (900) | (632) | (900) |

Explanatory notes

- (a) Group revenue was \$84.1 million in 2Q2017 and \$158.9 million in 1H2017, down by 21% and 25% respectively as compared to the corresponding periods last year. The decrease was mainly due to lower revenue from development properties. In 2Q2017, \$9.3 million was recognised as revenue from development properties as compared to \$42.0 million in 2Q2016. On a half year basis, revenue recognised from development properties in 1H2017 was \$19.4 million as compared to \$78.1 million in 1H2016.

Revenues of Gul Technologies Singapore Pte. Ltd. (“GulTech”) and Pan-West (Private) Limited (“Pan-West”) are not included as their results are equity accounted for. Had their revenues been included, the Group’s total revenue would have been \$185.3 million for 2Q2017 and \$355.1 million for 1H2017. In the previous year, it was \$183.5 million in 2Q2016 and \$370.0 million in 1H2016.

Detailed analysis of Group revenue is set out in Items 14 and 15.

- (b) Other operating income decreased for both periods mainly due to a decrease in foreign currency exchange gain arising from appreciation of Australian Dollar (“AUD”) and the absence of compensation received for early termination of leases. Other operating expenses for both periods decreased mainly caused by a decrease in foreign currency exchange losses arising from the depreciation of United States Dollar (“USD”) as well as lower net allowance for diminution in value for development properties.
- (c) The decrease in distribution for both periods reflected lower promotion and commission expenses in relation to the residential projects.

- (d) The decrease in administrative expenses for both periods was mainly caused by lower legal fees relating to the termination of the previous main contractor for the Seletar Park Residence.
- (e) The Group's share of results of an equity accounted investee reflected solely share of results of the 44.5%-owned GulTech. The Group has ceased recognising Pan-West's losses after the Group's share of Pan-West's accumulated losses exceeded the Group's cost of investment.
- (f) Interest income for 2Q2017 and 1H2017 were comparable with the same periods last year.
- (g) Finance costs for 2Q2017 included the interest accrued for the MTN Series II Term Notes of S\$150 million issued on 5 June 2017. However, for 1H2017, finance costs remained comparable to the corresponding period last year as some investment property loans were repaid in 1H2017. Interest cost capitalised was lower for both 2Q2017 and 1H2017 as some project loans on development properties have been repaid during the period.

| | Group Second Quarter | | Group First Half | |
|---|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 |
| Finance costs | | | | |
| Interest expense on loans and borrowings | 8,032 | 7,745 | 15,018 | 16,120 |
| Amortisation of capitalised finance costs | 364 | 326 | 686 | 645 |
| | 8,396 | 8,071 | 15,704 | 16,765 |
| Less: Amounts capitalised as cost of properties | (1,309) | (1,642) | (2,515) | (3,601) |
| | 7,087 | 6,429 | 13,189 | 13,164 |

- (h) Fair value adjustments arose solely from GulTech's foreign exchange forward contracts. These mark-to-market fair value adjustments are unrealised and may not necessarily recur in the future. Hence they are separately disclosed so as to provide a better understanding of the underlying profit attributable to shareholders.
- (j) Taxation charges were arrived at based on the statutory tax rates of the respective countries in which entities in the Group operate and took into account non-deductible expenses and temporary differences. Included therein was deferred tax provision arising from a change in the fair value of net assets of Grand Hotel Group ("GHG") as compared to the tax-cost base of the securities in GHG. Overall, income tax decreased for both current periods due to lower profit generated from Property segment.

| | Group Second Quarter | | Group First Half | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 |
| Income tax expenses | | | | |
| Current income tax | | | | |
| - Singapore | 119 | 563 | 62 | 635 |
| - Foreign | 398 | 463 | 811 | 910 |
| - Over provision in prior years | (122) | (385) | (177) | (387) |
| | 395 | 641 | 696 | 1,158 |
| Withholding tax expense | 10 | 72 | 20 | 76 |
| Deferred tax | 186 | (252) | 919 | 1,703 |
| | 591 | 461 | 1,635 | 2,937 |

- (k) The foreign currency translation loss for 2Q2017 and 1H2017 was due mainly to the depreciation of USD and Renminbi ("RMB") against Singapore Dollar ("SGD") in translating the balance sheets of foreign currency denominated subsidiaries.

The share of other comprehensive loss was related to the Group's share of GulTech's foreign currency translation loss as USD depreciated against SGD by 4% during the periods.

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Cash flow hedges represented the effective portion of changes in the fair value of AUD interest rate swap contracts. These contracts had an effective date from 30 April 2015. The balance was a non-current liability of \$0.6 million at 30 June 2017 [refer to Item 2 note (k), line “Derivative financial instruments”].

(m) Analysis of the Group’s profit before and after fair value adjustments is shown below:

| | Group First Half 2017 | | | Group First Half 2016 | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | Before Fair Value Adjustments | Fair Value Adjustments | After Fair Value Adjustments | Before Fair Value Adjustments | Fair Value Adjustments | After Fair Value Adjustments |
| | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Profit before tax | 8,882 | (105) | 8,777 | 17,548 | 122 | 17,670 |
| Income tax expenses | (1,635) | - | (1,635) | (2,937) | - | (2,937) |
| Profit after tax | 7,247 | (105) | 7,142 | 14,611 | 122 | 14,733 |
| <i>Less:</i> | | | | | | |
| Non-controlling interests | 80 | - | 80 | (34) | - | (34) |
| Profit attributable to owners of the Company | 7,327 | (105) | 7,222 | 14,577 | 122 | 14,699 |
| Basic and diluted earnings per share (in cents) | 0.6 | @ | 0.6 | 1.2 | @ | 1.2 |

@ Less than 0.1 cent

2. STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

| | Note | Group | | Company | |
|--|------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 31.12.16 \$'000 | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 31.12.16 \$'000 |
| ASSETS | | | | | |
| Current assets | | | | | |
| Cash and bank balances | (n) | 177,879 | 163,688 | 204 | 301 |
| Trade and other receivables | (p) | 143,975 | 158,793 | 8,025 | 7,994 |
| Amounts due from subsidiaries | (aa) | - | - | 430,845 | 255,467 |
| Inventories | (q) | 3,929 | 3,564 | - | - |
| Development properties | (r) | 215,063 | 183,232 | - | - |
| Total current assets | | 540,846 | 509,277 | 439,074 | 263,762 |
| Non-current assets | | | | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | (s) | 417,982 | 419,278 | - | - |
| Investment properties | (t) | 1,509,743 | 1,108,652 | 498 | 498 |
| Investments in subsidiaries | (aa) | - | - | 686,834 | 684,755 |
| Investments in equity accounted investees | (u) | 87,470 | 83,579 | - | - |
| Deferred tax assets | (z) | 2,291 | 2,286 | - | - |
| Other non-current assets | | 11 | 11 | - | - |
| Total non-current assets | | 2,017,497 | 1,613,806 | 687,332 | 685,253 |
| Total assets | | 2,558,343 | 2,123,083 | 1,126,406 | 949,015 |
| LIABILITIES AND EQUITY | | | | | |
| Current liabilities | | | | | |
| Loans and borrowings | (w) | 381,623 | 3,406 | - | - |
| Trade and other payables | (y) | 115,525 | 112,333 | 19,690 | 20,096 |
| Amounts due to subsidiaries | | - | - | 287,568 | 265,956 |
| Income tax payable | | 16,537 | 22,290 | 30 | 52 |
| Total current liabilities | | 513,685 | 138,029 | 307,288 | 286,104 |
| Non-current liabilities | | | | | |
| Loans and borrowings | (w) | 1,081,625 | 1,017,387 | 228,002 | 79,562 |
| Derivative financial instruments | (k) | 631 | 1,019 | - | - |
| Deferred tax liabilities | (z) | 36,791 | 35,730 | - | - |
| Other non-current liabilities | | 463 | 462 | - | - |
| Total non-current liabilities | | 1,119,510 | 1,054,598 | 228,002 | 79,562 |
| Capital, reserves and non-controlling interests | | | | | |
| Share capital | | 172,537 | 171,306 | 172,537 | 171,306 |
| Reserves | (ab) | 741,926 | 748,116 | 418,578 | 412,043 |
| Equity attributable to owners of the Company | | 914,463 | 919,422 | 591,115 | 583,349 |
| Non-controlling interests | | 10,685 | 11,034 | - | - |
| Total equity | | 925,148 | 930,456 | 591,115 | 583,349 |
| Total liabilities and equity | | 2,558,343 | 2,123,083 | 1,126,405 | 949,015 |
| Working capital # | | 27,161 | 371,248 | | |
| Total borrowings | (w) | 1,463,248 | 1,020,793 | | |
| Gross gearing (times) ^ | | 1.58 | 1.10 | | |
| Net borrowings ^^ | | 1,285,369 | 857,105 | | |
| Net gearing (times) ^^ | | 1.39 | 0.92 | | |
| Net asset value per share (in cents) | | 77.0 | 77.7 | | |

Working capital = total current assets - total current liabilities
^ Gross gearing = total borrowings / total equity; Net gearing = net borrowings / total equity
^^ Net borrowings = total borrowings - cash and bank balances

Explanatory notes

- (n) Cash and bank balances held by the Group were \$177.9 million (31 December 2016: \$163.7 million). Included therein as on end December 2016 were amounts held under the Project Accounts of development properties for which withdrawals are restricted to payments for expenditure incurred on development properties as regulated under the provisions in the Housing Developers (Project Account) Rules in Singapore. Certain bank balances and fixed deposits were held by banks as security for credit facilities [refer to Item 4 note (ac)].

| | Group | | Company | |
|--|----------------|----------------|------------|------------|
| | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 |
| | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Cash and bank balances | | | | |
| Cash at banks and on hand | 47,695 | 39,271 | 204 | 301 |
| Fixed deposits | 130,184 | 117,323 | - | - |
| Amounts held under the Housing Developers (Project Account) Rules | - | 7,094 | - | - |
| | 177,879 | 163,688 | 204 | 301 |

- (p) Included in the carrying amounts as at 30 June 2017 were mainly not due for billing receivables of \$19.3 million (31 December 2016: \$64.5 million) related to the remaining sales consideration on completed development properties sold, deposits of \$7.8 million (31 December 2016: \$7.8 million) for land acquisition in Batam, Indonesia and of \$4.9 million (31 December 2016: \$5.0 million) for land in Jiaozhou, China.
- (q) The amounts of inventories, from the Industrial Services segment, were comparable with that of last year.

- (r) Development properties, comprising properties in the course of development, land held for future development and completed properties held for sale, are analysed in the table below.

| | Group | |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 |
| | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Development properties | | |
| Land cost | 128,397 | 79,728 |
| Development costs incurred | 2,036 | 979 |
| Interest and others | 2,353 | 1,484 |
| | <u>132,786</u> | <u>82,191</u> |
| Less: Allowance for diminution in value | (7,201) | (7,378) |
| Properties in the course of development | <u>125,585</u> | <u>74,813</u> |
| Completed properties held for sale | 94,796 | 113,105 |
| Less: Allowance for diminution in value | (5,318) | (4,686) |
| Completed properties held for sale | <u>89,478</u> | <u>108,419</u> |
| Total Development Properties | <u><u>215,063</u></u> | <u><u>183,232</u></u> |
| Represented by: | | |
| Properties in the course of development in Singapore | 107,288 | 56,166 |
| Land held for future development in China | 18,297 | 18,647 |
| Completed properties held for sale in Singapore | 85,464 | 104,310 |
| Completed properties held for sale in China | 4,014 | 4,109 |
| | <u><u>215,063</u></u> | <u><u>183,232</u></u> |

- (s) Property, plant and equipment comprise mainly hotel properties in Australia. The decrease was as a result of depreciation charges.
- (t) Investment properties increased from \$1,108.7 million to \$1,509.7 million reflecting mainly the purchase of Sime Darby Centre in June 2017, and the redevelopment costs and interest expenses capitalised under Robinson Tower, now known as “18 Robinson”. There was no fair value adjustment for the current periods as the Group’s practice is to revalue investment properties on an annual basis at year-end.

| | Group | |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 |
| | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Investment properties | | |
| Completed investment properties | 1,088,322 | 711,698 |
| Construction of 18 Robinson | 421,421 | 396,954 |
| | <u>1,509,743</u> | <u>1,108,652</u> |
| Represented by: | | |
| Singapore, completed investment properties | 853,975 | 478,030 |
| Australia, completed investment properties | 228,141 | 227,309 |
| China, completed investment properties | 6,206 | 6,359 |
| Singapore, construction of 18 Robinson | 421,421 | 396,954 |
| | <u>1,509,743</u> | <u>1,108,652</u> |

- (u) The increase in value reflected the Group’s share of GulTech’s year-to-date profit, net of the fair value loss and translation loss as a result of the depreciation of USD which is the reporting currency of GulTech.

- (w) The Group's loans and borrowings net of capitalised finance costs, stood at \$1,463.2 million (31 December 2016: \$1,020.8 million). The increase was mainly a result of the issuance of Multicurrency Medium Term Note ("MTN") Series II amounting to S\$150 million on 5 June 2017 and the drawing down of other facilities to finance the acquisition of the Sime Darby Centre and the vacant land at No. 1 Jalan Remaja. AUD borrowing amounting to \$371.3 million, maturing in January 2018 had been reclassified as current as at 30 June 2017.

| | Group | | Company | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 31.12.16 \$'000 | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 31.12.16 \$'000 |
| Current | | | | |
| Bank loans | 381,623 | 3,406 | - | - |
| Non-current | | | | |
| Bank loans | 853,623 | 937,825 | - | - |
| Notes issued under MTN Programme | 228,002 | 79,562 | 228,002 | 79,562 |
| | 1,081,625 | 1,017,387 | 228,002 | 79,562 |
| | 1,463,248 | 1,020,793 | 228,002 | 79,562 |
| Represented by: | | | | |
| Interest-bearing liabilities | 1,468,228 | 1,024,085 | 230,000 | 80,000 |
| Capitalised finance costs | (4,980) | (3,292) | (1,998) | (438) |
| | 1,463,248 | 1,020,793 | 228,002 | 79,562 |

- (y) The balance in trade and other payables was comparable with that of the last year end.
- (z) Deferred tax assets and liabilities are netted off when there is a legally enforceable right to offset and when the deferred income taxes relate to the same tax authority. Deferred tax liabilities arose largely from the recognition the Group's deferred tax liabilities arising from its interest in GHG.
- (aa) Investments in subsidiaries and amounts due from subsidiaries shown under the Company's statement of financial position are tested for impairment whenever there is any objective evidence or indication that these assets may be impaired or any indication that the previously impaired amounts had decreased or no longer exist. No impairment loss or write-back was recognised in profit or loss as a result of above assessment for the current periods.

(ab) Composition of reserves

| | Group | | Company | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 |
| | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Reserves | | | | |
| Foreign currency translation account | (22,738) | (16,151) | - | - |
| Asset revaluation reserve | 106,420 | 106,420 | - | - |
| Other capital reserves: | | | | |
| - Non-distributable capital reserves | 133,102 | 128,200 | 101,264 | 101,264 |
| - Cash flow hedging account | (1,141) | (1,413) | - | - |
| | 131,961 | 126,787 | 101,264 | 101,264 |
| Revenue reserve | 526,283 | 531,060 | 317,314 | 310,779 |
| | 741,926 | 748,116 | 418,578 | 412,043 |

Foreign currency translation account comprises foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations whose functional currencies are different from the presentation currency of the Group, i.e. SGD; as well as from the translation of monetary items which form part of the Group's net investment in foreign operations at the end of the reporting period.

Asset revaluation reserve comprises net cumulative surpluses arising from the revaluation of property, plant and equipment which are held for the purpose of production or supply of goods and services.

Non-distributable capital reserves comprise mainly capital reduction reserve of the Company, share of reserve of an associate, GulTech and distribution reserve of GHG which is used to record the balance of amounts available for distribution as defined by the Trust Deed.

Cash flow hedging account represents the cumulative net change in fair value of the effective portion of the cash flow hedges.

Revenue reserve is used to record the balance of amounts available for distributions as defined by regulatory requirements. This is distributable to shareholders as dividend.

Movement in the Group's and the Company's reserves are set out in Item 5.

3. GROUP'S BORROWINGS AND DEBT SECURITIES

| | Group | | Company | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 31.12.16 \$'000 | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 31.12.16 \$'000 |
| Secured borrowings | | | | |
| Amount repayable in one year or less, or on demand | 381,623 | 3,406 | - | - |
| Amount repayable after one year | 853,623 | 937,825 | - | - |
| | 1,235,246 | 941,231 | - | - |
| Unsecured borrowings | | | | |
| Amount repayable after one year | 228,002 | 79,562 | 228,002 | 79,562 |
| | 1,463,248 | 1,020,793 | 228,002 | 79,562 |

The Group's borrowings are secured except for the notes issued under the MTN Programme [refer to below]. These secured borrowings are mainly for financing development and investment properties in Singapore, and hotel and investment properties in Australia.

Approximately 84% (31 December 2016: 92%) of the Group's borrowings were on floating rates with various tenures, while the remaining 16% (31 December 2016: 8%) were on fixed rates. Singapore Dollar denominated borrowings represented approximately 75% (31 December 2016: 64%) of total borrowings; while the remaining were in AUD.

MTN Programme

The Company has in place a \$900 million MTN Programme under which it can issue notes in series or tranches and may be denominated in Singapore Dollar or other currency deemed appropriate at the time.

Series I of \$80 million were issued on 14 October 2014. They are of five years duration, unsecured, bear a fixed interest rate of 4.50% per annum payable semi-annually in arrear and will mature on 14 October 2019. Series II of \$150 million were issued on 5 June 2017. They are of three years duration, unsecured, bear a fixed interest rate of 6.00% per annum payable semi-annually in arrear and will mature on 5 June 2020.

Details of any collateral

As at 30 June 2017, the net book value of assets pledged or mortgaged to financial institutions was \$2,171.4 million (31 December 2016: \$1,736.9 million).

4. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

| | Note | Group Second Quarter | | Group First Half | |
|---|------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| | | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 | 30.06.17 \$'000 | 30.06.16 \$'000 |
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | | | | |
| Profit before tax | | 2,412 | 5,575 | 8,777 | 17,670 |
| <i>Adjustments for:</i> | | | | | |
| Fair value loss / (gain) | | 120 | (26) | 105 | (122) |
| Share of results of an equity accounted investee | | (3,832) | (2,440) | (7,435) | (4,180) |
| Allowance for diminution in value for development properties, net | | 271 | 900 | 632 | 900 |
| Depreciation of property, plant and equipment | | 2,128 | 2,057 | 4,299 | 4,125 |
| Allowance / (write-back of allowance) for inventory obsolescence, net | | 16 | (33) | 16 | (3) |
| Allowance / (write-back of allowance) for doubtful trade and other receivables, net | | 20 | (19) | 37 | (10) |
| Net loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment | | - | - | - | 4 |
| Interest income | | (970) | (1,009) | (2,001) | (2,037) |
| Finance costs | | 7,087 | 6,429 | 13,189 | 13,164 |
| Operating cash flows before movements in working capital | | 7,252 | 11,434 | 17,619 | 29,511 |
| Development properties less progressive billings receivable | | (40,685) | 107,741 | (33,100) | 98,423 |
| Inventories | | (163) | 35 | (373) | 410 |
| Trade and other receivables | | 19,461 | (141,479) | 16,118 | (104,327) |
| Trade and other payables | | 16,872 | 44,904 | 4,439 | 31,954 |
| Cash (used in) / generated from operations | | 2,737 | 22,635 | 4,703 | 55,971 |
| Interest received | | 250 | 319 | 773 | 692 |
| Income tax paid | | (7,551) | (4,282) | (8,737) | (4,726) |
| Net cash (used in) / from operating activities | | (4,564) | 18,672 | (3,261) | 51,937 |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | | | | |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | | (456) | (1,356) | (2,131) | (2,328) |
| Proceeds on disposal of property, plant and equipment | | 2 | - | 2 | 62 |
| Additions to investment properties | | (388,788) | (3,275) | (398,735) | (4,962) |
| Net cash used in investing activities | | (389,242) | (4,631) | (400,864) | (7,228) |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES | | | | | |
| Proceeds from loans and borrowings | | 495,731 | 24,762 | 501,699 | 55,662 |
| Repayment of loans and borrowings | | (46,359) | (16,941) | (58,299) | (79,090) |
| Interest paid | | (9,979) | (9,069) | (16,205) | (19,411) |
| Bank deposits (pledged) / released as securities for bank facilities | | (572) | (337) | 1,126 | (30,530) |
| Dividend paid to shareholders | | (5,866) | (5,876) | (5,866) | (5,876) |
| Net cash from / (used in) financing activities | | 432,955 | (7,461) | 422,455 | (79,245) |
| Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | | 39,149 | 6,580 | 18,330 | (34,536) |
| Cash and cash equivalents: | | | | | |
| At the beginning of the period | | 74,390 | 63,358 | 95,896 | 105,675 |
| Foreign currency translation adjustments | | (659) | (2,216) | (1,346) | (3,417) |
| At the end of the period | (ac) | 112,880 | 67,722 | 112,880 | 67,722 |

Explanatory notes

(ac) Cash and cash equivalents

As at 30 June 2017, fixed deposits and bank balances of \$65.0 million (30 June 2016: \$64.3 million) held by banks as security for credit facilities were excluded from the cash and cash equivalents.

| | Group | |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------|
| | 30.06.17 | 30.06.16 |
| | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Cash and bank balances | 177,879 | 132,039 |
| Less: | | |
| Encumbered fixed deposits and bank balances | <u>(64,999)</u> | <u>(64,317)</u> |
| Cash and cash equivalents per consolidated statement of cash flows | <u>112,880</u> | <u>67,722</u> |

As at 30 June 2017, the Group had cash placed with banks in China amounting to \$77.7 million (30 June 2016: \$77.4 million); of which, \$63.5 million (30 June 2016: \$60.9 million) was pledged to a bank as security for banking facilities in Singapore. The repatriation of such cash into Singapore is subject to the Foreign Exchange Control Regulations in China.

(ad) Free cash flow

| | Group | | Group | |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| | Second Quarter | | First Half | |
| | 30.06.17 | 30.06.16 | 30.06.17 | 30.06.16 |
| | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Net cash (used in) / from operating activities | (4,564) | 18,672 | (3,261) | 51,937 |
| Net cash used in investing activities | <u>(389,242)</u> | <u>(4,631)</u> | <u>(400,864)</u> | <u>(7,228)</u> |
| Free cash (out)/inflow for the period ^ | <u>(393,806)</u> | <u>14,041</u> | <u>(404,125)</u> | <u>44,709</u> |

[^] Free cashflow = operating cash flow + investing cash flow

Detailed analysis of Group's cash flow is set out in Item 14.

5. STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

The Group

| | Share capital | Foreign currency translation account | Asset revaluation reserve | Other capital reserves | Revenue reserve | Attributable to owners of the Company | Non-controlling interests | Total equity |
|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| 2017 | | | | | | | | |
| At 1 January 2017 | 171,306 | (16,151) | 106,420 | 126,787 | 531,060 | 919,422 | 11,034 | 930,456 |
| Total comprehensive income | | | | | | | | |
| Profit for the year | - | - | - | - | 7,222 | 7,222 | (80) | 7,142 |
| Other comprehensive income / (loss), net of tax | - | (6,587) | - | 272 | - | (6,315) | (269) | (6,584) |
| Total | - | (6,587) | - | 272 | 7,222 | 907 | (349) | 558 |
| Transaction with owners, recognised directly in equity | | | | | | | | |
| Transfer from revenue reserve to other capital reserves | - | - | - | 4,902 | (4,902) | - | - | - |
| Issue of shares under the Scrip Dividend Scheme | 1,231 | - | - | - | - | 1,231 | - | 1,231 |
| Dividend paid to shareholders | | | | | | | | |
| - Cash | - | - | - | - | (5,866) | (5,866) | - | (5,866) |
| - Share | - | - | - | - | (1,231) | (1,231) | - | (1,231) |
| Total | 1,231 | - | - | 4,902 | (11,999) | (5,866) | - | (5,866) |
| At 30 June 2017 | 172,537 | (22,738) | 106,420 | 131,961 | 526,283 | 914,463 | 10,685 | 925,148 |
| 2016 | | | | | | | | |
| At 1 January 2016 | 170,230 | (23,722) | 94,534 | 116,342 | 519,421 | 876,805 | 10,652 | 887,457 |
| Total comprehensive income | | | | | | | | |
| Profit for the period | - | - | - | - | 14,699 | 14,699 | 34 | 14,733 |
| Other comprehensive loss, net of tax | - | (13,763) | - | (547) | - | (14,310) | (238) | (14,548) |
| Total | - | (13,763) | - | (547) | 14,699 | 389 | (204) | 185 |
| Transaction with owners, recognised directly in equity | | | | | | | | |
| Transfer from revenue reserve to other capital reserves | - | - | - | 6,268 | (6,268) | - | - | - |
| Issue of shares under the Scrip Dividend Scheme | 1,196 | - | - | - | - | 1,196 | - | 1,196 |
| Dividend paid to shareholders | | | | | | | | |
| - Cash | - | - | - | - | (5,877) | (5,877) | - | (5,877) |
| - Share | - | - | - | - | (1,196) | (1,196) | - | (1,196) |
| Total | 1,196 | - | - | 6,268 | (13,341) | (5,877) | - | (5,877) |
| At 30 June 2016 | 171,426 | (37,485) | 94,534 | 122,063 | 520,779 | 871,317 | 10,448 | 881,765 |

The Company

| | Share capital | Other capital reserve | Revenue reserve | Total equity |
|--|------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| 2017 | | | | |
| At 1 January 2017 | 171,306 | 101,264 | 310,779 | 583,349 |
| Profit, representing total comprehensive income for the year | - | - | 13,632 | 13,632 |
| Transactions with owners, recognised directly in equity | | | | |
| Issue of shares under the Scrip Dividend Scheme | 1,231 | - | - | 1,231 |
| Dividend paid to shareholders | | | | |
| - Cash | - | - | (5,866) | (5,866) |
| - Share | - | - | (1,231) | (1,231) |
| Total | 1,231 | - | (7,097) | (5,866) |
| At 30 June 2017 | 172,537 | 101,264 | 317,314 | 591,115 |
| 2016 | | | | |
| At 1 January 2016 | 170,230 | 101,264 | 294,427 | 565,921 |
| Profit, representing total comprehensive income for the year | - | - | 49 | 49 |
| Transactions with owners, recognised directly in equity | | | | |
| Issue of shares under the Scrip Dividend Scheme | 1,196 | - | - | 1,196 |
| Dividend paid to shareholders | | | | |
| - Cash | - | - | (5,877) | (5,877) |
| - Share | - | - | (1,196) | (1,196) |
| Total | 1,196 | - | (7,073) | (5,877) |
| At 30 June 2016 | 171,426 | 101,264 | 287,403 | 560,093 |

6. SHARE CAPITAL

Share Capital

Total number of issued ordinary shares as at 30 June 2017 was 1,187,042,780 as compared to 1,182,842,055 as at 31 December 2016. The increase represents 4,200,725 new ordinary shares allotted and issued on 23 June 2017 at \$0.293 per share to eligible shareholders who have elected to participate in the Company's Scrip Dividend Scheme in respect of the first and final tax exempted one-tier dividend of 0.6 cent per ordinary share in the capital of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2016.

Save for the above, there has been no change in the Company's share capital arising from rights issue, bonus issue, share buy-backs, exercise of share options or warrants, conversion of other issues of equity securities, issue of shares for cash or as consideration for acquisition or for any other purpose since 31 March 2017, being the end of the preceding period reported on. There were also no outstanding convertible securities for which shares might be issued.

Treasury Shares

The Company did not hold any treasury shares as at 30 June 2017 or as at 31 December 2016. There were also no sales, transfers, disposals, cancellation and / or use of treasury shares during 1H2017 and FY2016.

7. AUDIT

The financial statements have not been audited or reviewed by the Company's external auditors.

8. AUDITORS' REPORT

Not applicable.

9. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Singapore Companies Act and Singapore Financial Reporting Standards ("FRS").

10. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Except as disclosed in Item 11 below, the Group has applied the same accounting policies and methods of computation in the financial statements for the current financial periods as compared with those of the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2016.

11. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES

On 1 January 2017, the Group adopted all the new and revised Financial Reporting Standards (“FRSs”) and interpretations of FRS (“INT FRS”) that are effective from that date and are relevant to its operations. The adoption of these new and revised FRSs and INT FRSs does not result in changes to the Group’s and the Company’s accounting policies and has no material effect on the accounts reported for the current or prior financial periods or financial years.

12. EARNINGS PER ORDINARY SHARE

| | Group Second Quarter | | Group First Half | |
|---|-------------------------|----------|---------------------|----------|
| | 30.06.17 | 30.06.16 | 30.06.17 | 30.06.16 |
| (a) Earnings per ordinary share based on the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue (in cents): | | | | |
| Excluding fair value adjustments | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.2 |
| Including fair value adjustments | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.2 |
| Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue (in millions) | 1,183.2 | 1,179.0 | 1,183.0 | 1,179.0 |
| (b) Earnings per ordinary share based on fully diluted basis (in cents) | | | | |
| Excluding fair value adjustments | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.2 |
| Including fair value adjustments | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.2 |
| Adjusted weighted average number of ordinary shares (in millions) | 1,183.2 | 1,179.0 | 1,183.0 | 1,179.0 |

Earnings per ordinary share = Profit attributable to owners of the Company / Weighted average number of shares

There was no outstanding dilutive potential ordinary share. Hence diluted earnings per ordinary share were the same as the earnings per ordinary share for the respective periods. The average number of shares for 2Q2017 was smaller than that for 1H2017 but the difference was immaterial.

13. NET ASSET VALUE PER ORDINARY SHARE

| | Group | | Company | |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 | 30.06.17 | 31.12.16 |
| Net asset value per ordinary share (in cents) | 77.0 | 77.7 | 49.8 | 49.3 |
| Total number of issued shares (in millions) | 1,187.0 | 1,182.8 | 1,187.0 | 1,182.8 |

Net asset value per ordinary share = Equity attributable to owners of the Company / Total number of issued shares

14. REVIEW OF GROUP PERFORMANCE

Overview

For the 2Q2017, the Group reported revenue of \$84.1 million, a drop of 21% as compared to last year same quarter of \$106.6 million. Net profit attributable to shareholders fell 64% to \$1.8 million as compared to the same quarter last year. For the 1H2017, Group revenue was \$158.9 million, a drop of 25% as compared to \$212.0 million last year. Net profit attributable to shareholders dropped 51% to \$7.2 million from \$14.7 million a year earlier. Lower revenue and profit reported were due to the decrease in sales of the residential development projects as compared to the corresponding periods last year.

Earnings per share stood at 0.1 cent for 2Q2017 and 0.6 cent for 1H2017, as compared to 0.4 cent and 1.2 cents respectively a year earlier. Net asset value per share was 77.0 cents at 30 June 2017, down slightly from 77.7 cents at 31 December 2016 [refer to “Financial Position” below].

Financial Performance

Group revenue decreased 21% to \$84.1 million in 2Q2017 and 25% to \$158.9 million in 1H2017 as compared to the same periods last year. The decrease was due mainly to lower revenue recognition from development properties as a result of lower sales of the residential development projects as compared to the corresponding periods last year. Distribution costs decreased 27% and 6% in 2Q2017 and 1H2017 respectively as there were lower promotional and commission expenses for the residential development projects. Lower administrative expenses reflected lower legal fees incurred relating to the termination of the previous main contractor at Seletar Park Residence.

Other operating income for both periods was lower than the corresponding period last year, reflected mainly a lower foreign currency exchange gains arising from the appreciation of the Australian dollar and the absence of compensation received for early termination of leases. Other operating expenses decreased due to lower foreign currency exchange losses arising mainly from the depreciation of the US dollar and lower net allowance for diminution in value for development properties.

The Group recorded a share of results of its 44.5%-owned associate, GulTech of \$3.8 million in 2Q2017 and \$7.4 million in 1H2017, an increase of 57% and 78% respectively over the same period last year.

Overall, the Group’s profit after tax (inclusive of fair value adjustments) decreased 64% to \$1.8 million in 2Q2017 and down 52% to \$7.1 million in 1H2017.

Financial Position

As at 30 June 2017, the Group's total assets increased 20.5% or \$435.2 million to \$2,558.3 million as compared to \$2,123.1 million at the previous year-end. The increase was attributable mainly to the acquisition in June 2017 of Sime Darby Centre and a vacant land at Jalan Remaja totalling \$412.8 million, higher cash and bank balances from the proceeds of the Series II MTN notes, offset partially by a decrease in trade and other receivables.

The Group's total liabilities increased by 36.9% or \$440.6 million to \$1,633.2 million as compared to \$1,192.6 million at the previous year-end. There were higher borrowings including the \$150 million Series II MTN notes to finance the afore-mentioned acquisitions and working capital. As a result, gross gearing increased to 1.58 times as compared to 1.10 times at the previous year-end. Net gearing increased to 1.39 times from 0.92 times.

As at 30 June 2017, shareholders' fund dropped 1% or \$5.0 million to \$914.5 million as compared to the previous year-end. The decrease was caused by the Company's payment of dividends to shareholders and foreign currency translation loss the amount of which was higher than the profit earned for the six months period.

Under the Tuan Sing Scrip Dividend Scheme, 4.2 million new shares were issued in June 2017 and accordingly, the Company's share capital increased by approximately \$1.2 million to \$172.5 million as at 30 June 2017.

Cash Flow

In the first half of 2017, cash flow activities were dominated by the afore-mentioned acquisitions and borrowing activities.

During the period, net cash used in operating activities was \$3.3 million as there was certain cash payment for the land acquisition at No.1 Jalan Remaja. Such amount was much larger than the cash received from the sale of completed development properties.

Net cash used in investing activities was \$400.9 million. This comprised mainly the \$365 million acquisition of Sime Darby Centre and related expenses and \$22.4 million on "18 Robinson" under construction and \$2.1 million capital expenditure for the two hotels in Australia. In comparison to the corresponding period last year, \$4.5 million was invested on 18 Robinson and \$2.7 million on capital expenditure for the two hotels in Australia.

Net cash from financing activities was \$422.5 million, reflecting mainly net borrowings of \$443.4 million which in turn was inclusive of the Series II notes of \$150.0 million, drawing down of facilities for the acquisition of the Sime Darby Centre and for the Remaja land but netting of interest payment of \$16.2 million and cash dividends paid to shareholders of \$5.9 million. In the corresponding period last year, net cash of \$79.2 million was used in financing activities mainly on a net loan repayment of \$23.4 million, interest payment of \$19.4 million, cash dividends paid to shareholders of \$5.9 million, coupled with an increase in bank deposit pledged of \$30.5 million.

As a net result, cash and cash equivalents stood at \$112.9 million as at 30 June 2017; from \$95.9 million as at 31 December 2016. There was a free cash outflow of \$404.1 million as compared to free cash inflow of \$44.7 million in the corresponding period last year.

15. REVIEW OF SEGMENT PERFORMANCE

Property

All the three development property projects, namely, Seletar Park Residence, Sennett Residence, and Cluny Park Residence had been completed and substantially sold in the previous quarters.

As a result, for the second quarter, Property revenue decreased 56% to \$26.0 million from \$58.9 million in the same period last year. Profit after tax was \$3.4 million, down from \$5.9 million a year ago. For the first half year, Property revenue decreased 55% to \$48.7 million and profit after tax was \$5.4 million, down from \$13.0 million a year ago.

Hotels Investment

Hotels Investment reported revenue of A\$27.0 million in 2Q2017 and A\$55.0 million in 1H2017, as compared to A\$27.5 million and A\$57.4 million respectively a year ago. Net income from hotel operations reduced by 3% to A\$11.1 million as both Grand Hyatt Melbourne and Hyatt Regency Perth registered a combined 2.7% drop in RevPAR despite higher occupancy rate. For the first half of the year, profit after tax was A\$0.8 million as compared to A\$0.6 million in the corresponding period last year mainly attributable to a reduction in administrative expenses.

Industrial Services

For 2Q2017 and 1H2017, Industrial Services reported higher revenue of \$37.4 million and \$63.4 million as compared to \$27.8 million and \$57.8 million respectively in the corresponding period last year. This was mainly attributable to higher activities from Commodities Trading offset partially by the lower activities from Tyre Distribution. Higher loss incurred by the Tyre Distribution caused Industrial Services reported a loss of \$0.1 million and \$0.4 million for 2Q2017 and 1H2017 respectively. There was a loss of \$0.1 million in 2Q2016 and a profit after tax of \$0.2 million in 1H2016.

Other Investments

For the second quarter, GulTech reported revenue of US\$71.2 million as compared to US\$55.0 million in the corresponding quarter last year. Profit after tax was higher at US\$8.2 million, as compared to US\$5.0 million in 2Q2016. For the first half year, GulTech reported revenue of US\$136.4 million as compared to US\$110.5 million in the first half last year. The increase was mainly attributable to improved performance from all its three plants.

GulTech reported net profit attributable to shareholders of US\$11.7 million for 1H2017, up from US\$7.0 million in 1H2016. This translated into the Group's increased share of net profit of \$7.3 million as compared to \$4.3 million in the same period last year.

16. VARIANCE FROM PROSPECT STATEMENT

Not applicable.

17. OUTLOOK

In Singapore, residential property market is beginning to show some signs of recovery though it is slow. As at 30 June 2017, only 2 units of Seletar Park Residence, 10 units of Cluny Park Residence; and 10 units and the 3 shop units of Sennett Residence remain unsold, the Group will continue to market vigorously the remaining unsold units.

The Group is scheduled to launch “Kandis Residence” in the third quarter of 2017. This project, located very near Sembawang Park, has 130 one- to three-bed-room units spread over three and seven-storey buildings with full condominium facilities. The purchase of a freehold vacant lot at No. 1 Jalan Remaja for another development project was completed on 14 June 2017. This residential site is within walking distance to Hillview MRT Station. The Group plans to develop it into approximately 100 units of condominium apartments. Project launch is targeted in 2Q2018.

The purchase of Sime Darby Centre at Dunearn Road (opposite King Albert Park MRT Station) for \$365 million, as an investment property, was completed on 16 June 2017. As at end June 2017, the property is about 87% occupied over a net lettable area of approximately 18,832 square metres. The Group is currently looking into repositioning the property into a hub of activities that can serve the needs of the vast residential community in the vicinity.

The construction of 18 Robinson has been progressing well and is expected to be completed before end 2018 when it will provide a steady stream of income to the Group.

Hotels Investment in Australia is expected to continue to contribute sustainable recurring income and cash flow to the Group.

Barring unforeseen circumstances, the Group will be profitable for the year 2017.

18. BUSINESS DYNAMIC AND RISK FACTORS STATEMENT

We list below key risks that have been identified. There may be other risks which are unknown to the Group. We have also taken mitigating actions that we believe could help us to manage these risks. However, we may not always be successful in deploying all of these mitigating actions. In that event, our cash flow, operating results, financial position, business and reputation could be adversely affected.

The Group acknowledges that it is necessary to take certain risks in order to remain in the business. However, such risks taking should be within its risks appetite and strategy after considering the economic and regulatory environments that the Group is operating in.

After making due inquiry, the Group is satisfied that there were no risks that could affect its ability to continue as a going concern within the next 12 months.

Business & Strategic Risk

- The Group may not be able to successfully implement its business strategy due to limited opportunities, foreign ownership restrictions, government policies, political consideration or specific preference of sellers
- The Group's operations are subject to country-specific risks be they political, regulatory, economic or currency particularly when it ventures into neighbouring country
- Industries that the Group operates in are highly competitive. The increasing competition could adversely affect the business and financial position of the Group
- The Group's development property business inherently has long gestation period and is subject to execution risks during which government policy changes could have substantial effect on the success of a project
- The Group's property and hotels investment businesses are capital intensive and rely on the availability of sizable external funding below the breakeven rate of the businesses
- The Group may face reputation risk arising from negative publicity over adverse happenings or events
- The Group is facing increasing expectations on good corporate governance and social responsibility obligations

Financial Risk

- The Group is exposed to the increasing volatility in interest rates, foreign exchange and equity rate of returns
- The Group is exposed to the inherent risks of using financial derivatives to counter volatility in interest rates and foreign exchange
- The Group is exposed to liquidity risks arising from external borrowings
- The Group is exposed to risk of regulatory bodies' monetary policy changes which may render its capital structure ineffective or inefficient
- The Group faces credit risks when counterparties default on their contractual obligations thereby resulting in financial loss to the Group
- The Group is subject to tax exposure in foreign jurisdictions in which the tax regulations are complex, less explicit or subject to changes at short notice
- The Group's investment value may fluctuate due to changes in the economic conditions

Operational Risk

- The Group is exposed to alliance risk due to possible conflict of interests between the Group and its business associates or joint venture partners
- The property business relies heavily on third-party contractors whose services may fall short of the quality and timeliness the Group requires, given the prevailing tight labour market in Singapore
- The Group's hotels investment is also subject to technology disruption including attendant cyber security risks
- The Group is exposed to inefficient operations that it does not discover in time
- With increasing concern from the community on climatic and environmental issues, the Group's exposure to such risk is increasing
- Unexpected loss of key personnel or a failure in the execution of succession plans may jeopardise the successful implementation of business plans
- The Group is exposed to vendors whose services in terms of quality and timeliness are not satisfactory
- The Group is exposed to work health and safety risks arising from occurrence of incidents in carrying out a process or pandemic beyond the control of the Group
- The Group is exposed to personal data protection risk in relating to the Personal Data Protection Act 2012 in Singapore and the Privacy Act in Australia
- Not all facets of the Group's operations are insurable or at an acceptable premium

Compliance Risk

- The Group may be held responsible for non-compliance in countries where laws, regulations, rules , practices or ethical standards are less explicit or different from those in Singapore
- Rapid changes in laws, regulations, rules and practices where the Group operates have created an increasingly more complex environment for compliance
- The Group is exposed to the risk of inappropriate or inadequate documentation of contractual relationships with third parties
- The Group's internal control systems and related framework may not be kept up-to-date in this dynamic business environment and any non-observance by business units may not be discovered in time

19. DIVIDEND

(a) Current financial period reported on

No dividend has been recommended or declared for 2Q2017 and 1H2017.

(b) Corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year

No dividend was declared for 2Q2016 and 1H2016, being the corresponding period of the immediately preceding year.

(c) Date payable

Not applicable.

(d) Books closure date

Not applicable.

20. SEGMENTAL ANALYSIS

Products and services from which reportable segments derive their revenue

For management purpose, the Group is organised into strategic business units based on their products and services. The Group's principal business operating units, during and at the end of the reporting period, are Property, Hotels Investment, Industrial Services and Other Investments. Accordingly, the Group's reportable operating segments under *FRS 108* are as follows:

| Segment | Principal activities |
|----------------------|--|
| Property | Development of properties for sale, property investment and provision of property management services in Singapore, Australia and China. |
| Hotels Investment | Investment in hotels in Australia. |
| Industrial Services | Trading and marketing of industrial commodities, distribution of tyres and re-treading of tyres, as well as manufacturing of polypropylene woven bags in Malaysia. |
| Other Investments | Investment in GulTech, a printed circuit boards manufacturer with plants in China. |
| Corporate and Others | Provision of corporate-level services. |

Segment revenue represents revenue generated from external and internal customers. Segment profit represents the profit earned by each segment after allocation of central administrative costs and finance costs. This is the measure reported to the chief operating decision maker for the purpose of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance.

Management monitors the operating results of each of its business unit for the purpose of making decisions on resource allocation and performance assessment. Corporate and Others are managed on a group basis and are not allocated to operating segments. Segment assets and liabilities are presented net of inter-segment balances. Inter-segment pricing is determined on arm's length basis.

Information regarding each of the Group's reportable segments is presented below.

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UNAUDITED RESULTS FOR THE SECOND QUARTER AND HALF YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

Segment revenues and results

| | Property \$'000 | Hotels Investment \$'000 | Industrial Services \$'000 | Other Investments \$'000 | Corporate and Others \$'000 | Inter- Segment Eliminations \$'000 | Total Consolidated \$'000 |
|---|--------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| 1H2017 | | | | | | | |
| Revenue | | | | | | | |
| External revenue | 38,145 | 57,275 | 63,382 | - | 90 | - | 158,892 |
| Inter-segment revenue | 10,529 | 989 | - | - | 18,965 | (30,483) | - |
| | 48,674 | 58,264 | 63,382 | - | 19,055 | (30,483) | 158,892 |
| Results | | | | | | | |
| Gross profit | 24,224 | 12,558 | 2,052 | - | 15,388 | (26,164) | 28,058 |
| Other operating income | 278 | - | 289 | - | 818 | (9) | 1,376 |
| Distribution costs | (1,020) | - | (1,260) | - | - | - | (2,280) |
| Administrative expenses | (8,459) | (11,159) | (1,852) | - | (1,215) | 10,160 | (12,525) |
| Other operating expenses | (907) | (9) | (319) | - | (766) | 7 | (1,994) |
| Share of results | | | | | | | |
| of an equity accounted investee | - | - | - | 7,435 | - | - | 7,435 |
| Interest income | 2,066 | - | 652 | - | 3 | (720) | 2,001 |
| Finance costs | (10,644) | - | (1) | - | (3,264) | 720 | (13,189) |
| Profit before tax and fair value adjustments | 5,538 | 1,390 | (439) | 7,435 | 10,964 | (16,006) | 8,882 |
| Fair value adjustments | - | - | - | (105) | - | - | (105) |
| Profit before tax | 5,538 | 1,390 | (439) | 7,330 | 10,964 | (16,006) | 8,777 |
| Income tax expenses | (135) | (555) | (7) | - | (938) | - | (1,635) |
| Profit for the year | 5,403 | 835 | (446) | 7,330 | 10,026 | (16,006) | 7,142 |
| Profit attributable to: | | | | | | | |
| Owners of the Company | 5,404 | 835 | (367) | 7,330 | 10,026 | (16,006) | 7,222 |
| Non-controlling interests | (1) | - | (79) | - | - | - | (80) |
| Profit for the year | 5,403 | 835 | (446) | 7,330 | 10,026 | (16,006) | 7,142 |
| 1H2016 | | | | | | | |
| Revenue | | | | | | | |
| External revenue | 96,926 | 57,237 | 57,782 | - | 90 | - | 212,035 |
| Inter-segment revenue | 10,909 | 899 | - | - | 5,066 | (16,874) | - |
| | 107,835 | 58,136 | 57,782 | - | 5,156 | (16,874) | 212,035 |
| Results | | | | | | | |
| Gross profit | 36,849 | 12,496 | 2,916 | - | 1,301 | (9,896) | 43,666 |
| Other operating income | 683 | - | 314 | 38 | 1,255 | (10) | 2,280 |
| Distribution costs | (1,113) | - | (1,313) | - | - | - | (2,426) |
| Administrative expenses | (11,704) | (11,546) | (1,902) | 2 | (1,315) | 10,020 | (16,445) |
| Other operating expenses | (1,008) | (16) | (388) | - | (1,168) | - | (2,580) |
| Share of results | | | | | | | |
| of an equity accounted investee | - | - | - | 4,180 | - | - | 4,180 |
| Interest income | 2,087 | 4 | 760 | - | 3 | (817) | 2,037 |
| Finance costs | (11,301) | 19 | (9) | - | (2,690) | 817 | (13,164) |
| Profit before tax and fair value adjustments | 14,493 | 957 | 378 | 4,220 | (2,614) | 114 | 17,548 |
| Fair value adjustments | - | - | - | 122 | - | - | 122 |
| Profit before tax | 14,493 | 957 | 378 | 4,342 | (2,614) | 114 | 17,670 |
| Income tax expenses | (1,519) | (357) | (206) | - | (855) | - | (2,937) |
| Profit for the year | 12,974 | 600 | 172 | 4,342 | (3,469) | 114 | 14,733 |
| Profit attributable to: | | | | | | | |
| Owners of the Company | 12,975 | 600 | 137 | 4,342 | (3,469) | 114 | 14,699 |
| Non-controlling interests | (1) | - | 35 | - | - | - | 34 |
| Profit for the year | 12,974 | 600 | 172 | 4,342 | (3,469) | 114 | 14,733 |

Note:

1. No revenue is reported under "Other Investments" as the Group equity accounts for its investments in GulTech and Pan-West.
2. "Corporate and Others" refers to the aggregation of provision of corporate-level services by the Company to the various subsidiaries and charged as such. They are eliminated at group-level upon consolidation.
3. Results of GHG's investment property have been reclassified from Hotels Investment Segment to Property Segment.

Segment assets and liabilities

| | Property \$'000 | Hotels Investment \$'000 | Industrial Services \$'000 | Other Investments \$'000 | Corporate and Others \$'000 | Total Consolidated \$'000 |
|--|--------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 30.06.2017 | | | | | | |
| Assets | | | | | | |
| Segment assets | 2,367,646 | 15,137 | 75,340 | - | 12,750 | 2,470,873 |
| Investment in equity accounted investees | - | - | - | 87,470 | - | 87,470 |
| Total assets | 2,367,646 | 15,137 | 75,340 | 87,470 | 12,750 | 2,558,343 |
| Liabilities | | | | | | |
| Segment liabilities | (70,411) | (19,294) | (18,061) | (5,432) | (3,421) | (116,619) |
| Loan and borrowings | (1,235,245) | - | - | - | (228,003) | (1,463,248) |
| Current and deferred tax liabilities | (17,756) | - | (418) | - | (35,154) | (53,328) |
| Total liabilities | (1,323,412) | (19,294) | (18,479) | (5,432) | (266,578) | (1,633,195) |
| Net assets | 1,044,234 | (4,157) | 56,861 | 82,038 | (253,828) | 925,148 |
| 31.12.2016 | | | | | | |
| Assets | | | | | | |
| Segment assets | 1,932,426 | 13,833 | 84,515 | - | 8,730 | 2,039,504 |
| Investment in equity accounted investees | - | - | - | 83,579 | - | 83,579 |
| Total assets | 1,932,426 | 13,833 | 84,515 | 83,579 | 8,730 | 2,123,083 |
| Liabilities | | | | | | |
| Segment liabilities | (61,887) | (17,408) | (25,247) | (5,432) | (3,840) | (113,814) |
| Loan and borrowings | (941,231) | - | - | - | (79,562) | (1,020,793) |
| Current and deferred tax liabilities | (21,925) | - | (619) | - | (35,476) | (58,020) |
| Total liabilities | (1,025,043) | (17,408) | (25,866) | (5,432) | (118,878) | (1,192,627) |
| Net assets | 907,383 | (3,575) | 58,649 | 78,147 | (110,148) | 930,456 |

21. INTERESTED PERSON TRANSACTIONS

The Company did not seek and does not have a shareholders' general mandate pursuant to Rule 920 of the Listing Manual.

22. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

In the opinion of the Directors, no factor has arisen between 1 July 2017 and the date of this announcement which would materially affect the results of the Group and of the Company for the periods just ended.

23. CONFIRMATION PURSUANT TO RULE 720(1) OF THE LISTING MANUAL

The Company confirms that it has procured undertakings from all its Directors and executive officers in the format set out in Appendix 7.7 pursuant to Rule 720(1) of the Listing Manual of SGX-ST.

24. CONFIRMATION BY THE BOARD

We, Ong Beng Kheong and William Nursalim alias William Liem, being two directors of Tuan Sing Holdings Limited (the “Company”), do hereby confirm on behalf of the directors of the Company that, to the best of our knowledge, nothing has come to the attention of the Board of Directors of the Company which may render the financial results of the second quarter and half year ended 30 June 2017 to be false or misleading in any material aspect.

Ong Beng Kheong
Chairman

William Nursalim alias William Liem
Chief Executive Officer

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Helena Chua
Company Secretary
27 July 2017