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VISION/VISI



Our vision is to deliver world-class services in each of our core businesses. We aim to create a corporate presence in strategically selected countries and markets. We dedicate our resources for growth in the interest of our customers, employees, stakeholders and the various communities within the countries in which we operate.

Visi kami adalah untuk menawarkan perkhidmatan bertaraf dunia dalam setiap perniagaan teras kami. Sasaran kami adalah untuk mewujudkan kehadiran di negara dan pasaran strategik yang terpilih. Kami memperuntukkan sumber kami untuk pertumbuhan demi kepentingan para pelanggan, kakitangan, pemegang kepentingan dan masyarakat di mana kami beroperasi.

MISSION

We commit to:

- ▶ Support Malaysia's economic growth and pursuit of developed nation status by developing and delivering critical resources.
- ▶ Build and sustain a leading position in the delivery of excellent services in each of our core businesses.
- ▶ Enhance the quality of life through projects and activities that are socially, culturally and environmentally responsible.
- ▶ Create shareholder value and uphold the principles of good corporate governance, integrity and honesty.
- ▶ Nurture a corporate culture that emphasizes the pursuit of excellence. Towards this end, employee-training, career development and the active sharing of knowledge and skills underscore the value we place on our employees as enablers of our Vision and Mission.

MISI

Kami bertekad untuk:

- ▶ *Menyokong usaha pertumbuhan ekonomi Malaysia dan pencapaian status negara maju dengan membangun dan menyampaikan sumber kritikal.*
- ▶ *Membina dan mengekalkan kedudukan peneraju dengan menawarkan perkhidmatan cemerlang untuk setiap perniagaan teras kami.*
- ▶ *Mempertingkatkan kualiti hidup melalui projek dan aktiviti yang bertanggungjawab dari segi sosial, budaya dan alam sekitar.*
- ▶ *Menghasilkan nilai pegangan saham dan berpegang kepada prinsip-prinsip tadbir urus korporat yang baik, kewibawaan dan keikhlasan.*
- ▶ *Menyemai budaya korporat yang memberi penekanan terhadap kecemerlangan. Bagi mencapai matlamat ini, latihan kakitangan, pembangunan kerjaya dan perkongsian pengetahuan dan kemahiran secara aktif menjadi pengukuh nilai yang kami pupuk di kalangan kakitangan untuk menjadi penggerak Visi dan Misi kami.*





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Backed by a committed & dedicated workforce, Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad (MRCB) continues to seek new business opportunities that will contribute towards the Group's growth and long-term sustainability.

Equally, as a customer oriented Group, we will continue to enhance our Customer Relations Management programme to deliver high quality products and services to maintain our competitiveness.

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Dengan sokongan warga kerja yang komited dan dedikasi, Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad (MRCB) akan berterusan mencari peluang perniagaan yang boleh menyumbang kepada pertumbuhan dan pendapatan jangka panjangnya.

Sebagai Kumpulan yang berorientasikan kepentingan hubungan khidmat pelanggan, kami akan terus meningkatkan Program Pengurusan Khidmat Pelanggan untuk membina produk dan memberi perkhidmatan yang berkualiti tinggi demi memastikan kami kekal kompetitif.

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PROXY FORM
BORANG PROKSI

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Thirty-Fourth Annual General Meeting of Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad ("MRCB" or "the Company") will be held at Ballroom 1, LG Level, Eastin Hotel, 13, Jalan 16/11, Pusat Dagangan Section 16, 46350 Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia on Monday, 20 June 2005 at 10.00 a.m. for the following purposes:

AGENDA

ORDINARY BUSINESS

1. To receive and adopt the Statutory Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2004 and the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon. **Resolution 1**
2. To re-elect the following Directors who retire in accordance with Article 101 of the Company's Articles of Association, and being eligible have offered themselves for re-election:
 - (i) Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar **Resolution 2**
 - (ii) Abdul Rahman Ahmad **Resolution 3**
3. To re-elect the following Directors who retire in accordance with Article 106 of the Company's Articles of Association, and being eligible have offered themselves for re-election:
 - (i) Datuk Azlan Zainol **Resolution 4**
 - (ii) Ahmad Zaki Zahid **Resolution 5**
4. To approve the Directors' Fees of RM176,557 for the financial year ended 31 December 2004.
(2003: RM195,000) **Resolution 6**
5. To re-appoint Messrs. PricewaterhouseCoopers as Auditors of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration. **Resolution 7**

SPECIAL BUSINESS

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without any modification, the following Ordinary Resolutions:

6. Authority To Allot Shares

"THAT pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965 ("the Act"), the Board of Directors be and is hereby empowered to issue shares in the Company at any time until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting ("AGM") and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes as the Board of Directors may, in their absolute discretion, deem fit provided that the aggregate number of shares to be issued does not exceed 10% of the issued share capital of the Company for the time being AND THAT the Board of Directors be and is also empowered to obtain approval for the listing of and quotation for the additional shares so issued on Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities")."

Resolution 8

7. Proposed Shareholders' Mandate For Recurrent Related Party Transactions

"THAT subject to the Act, the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities, approval be and is hereby given to the Company and/or its subsidiaries to enter into any of the categories of Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a revenue or trading nature set out as item 1 of Section 2.1.2 of

NOTIS MESYUARAT AGUNG TAHUNAN

DENGAN INI DIMAKLUMKAN BAHAWA Mesyuarat Agung Tahunan yang Ke-Tiga Puluh Empat Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad ("MRCB" atau "Syarikat") akan diadakan di Ballroom 1, Aras LG, Eastin Hotel, 13, Jalan 16/11, Pusat Dagangan Seksyen 16, 46350 Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia pada hari Isnin, 20 Jun 2005 pada jam 10.00 pagi bagi tujuan melaksanakan urusan-urusan berikut:

AGENDA

URUSAN BIASA

1. Menerima dan meluluskan Penyata Kewangan Syarikat bagi tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004 bersama Laporan Lembaga Pengarah dan Juruaudit.
Resolusi 1
2. Melantik semula Pengarah-pengarah berikut yang akan bersara menurut Artikel 101 Tataurusan Syarikat dan oleh kerana layak, telah menawarkan diri mereka untuk perlantikan semula:
 - (i) Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar
Resolusi 2
 - (ii) Abdul Rahman Ahmad
Resolusi 3
3. Melantik semula Pengarah-pengarah berikut yang bersara menurut Artikel 106 Tataurusan Syarikat dan oleh kerana layak, telah menawarkan diri mereka untuk perlantikan semula:
 - (i) Datuk Azlan Zainol
Resolusi 4
 - (ii) Ahmad Zaki Zahid
Resolusi 5
4. Meluluskan yuran Pengarah sebanyak RM176,557 bagi tahun kewangan berakhir pada 31 Disember 2004. (2003: RM195,000)
Resolusi 6
5. Melantik semula Tetuan PricewaterhouseCoopers sebagai Juruaudit dan memberi kuasa kepada Lembaga Pengarah untuk menetapkan ganjaran mereka.
Resolusi 7

URUSAN KHAS:

Bagi menimbang dan sekiranya difikirkan wajar, meluluskan dengan atau tanpa sebarang pindaan, Resolusi-Resolusi Biasa berikut:

6. Kuasa Untuk Penerbitan Saham

"BAHAWA dengan ini, Lembaga Pengarah diberi kuasa menurut Seksyen 132D Akta Syarikat, 1965 ("Akta"), untuk menerbitkan saham Syarikat ini pada bila-bila masa sehingga tamatnya Mesyuarat Agung Tahunan Syarikat ("MAT") yang akan datang, tertakluk kepada terma dan syarat yang telah ditentukan dan untuk tujuan-tujuan yang difikirkan wajar oleh Lembaga Pengarah, dengan syarat jumlah saham yang diterbitkan tidak melebihi 10% daripada modal terbitan Syarikat pada masa ini DAN BAHAWA Lembaga Pengarah juga diberi kuasa untuk mendapatkan kelulusan daripada Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") bagi penyenaraian dan sebutharga saham tambahan yang diterbitkan."

Resolusi 8

7. Cadangan Mandat Pemegang Saham Bagi Urusniaga Pihak Berkaitan Yang Berulang

"BAHAWA, tertakluk kepada Akta, Tatajud dan Tataurusan Syarikat serta Keperluan Penyenercian Bursa Securities, kelulusan dengan ini diberi kepada Syarikat dan/atau syarikat-syarikat subsidiarinya untuk manjalankan sebarang kategori Urusniaga Pihak Berkaitan Yang Berulang dalam bentuk perdagangan atau urusniaga yang mendatangkan hasil seperti yang disenaraikan sebagai perkara 1 dalam Seksyen 2.1.2 Pekeliling dengan Pihak

the Circular with the Related Parties mentioned therein which are necessary for the MRCB Group's day-to-day operations subject further to the following:-

- (i) the transactions are in the ordinary course of business and are on normal commercial terms which are not more favourable to the Related Parties than those generally available to the public and are not to the detriment of the minority shareholders; and
- (ii) disclosure is made in the annual report of the aggregate value of transactions conducted pursuant to the Shareholders' Mandate together with a breakdown of the aggregate value of the transactions during the financial year based on the type of transactions, names of the related parties and their relationship;

AND THAT such approval shall continue to be in force until:-

- (i) the conclusion of the next AGM, at which time it will lapse, unless by a resolution passed at the said AGM, such authority is renewed;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required to be held pursuant to Section 143(1) of the Act (but shall not extend to such extension as may be allowed pursuant to Section 143(2) of the Act); or
- (iii) revoked or varied by resolution passed by the Shareholders in a General Meeting,

whichever is the earlier.

AND THAT the Directors of the Company be authorised to complete and do all such acts and things as they may consider expedient or necessary to give full effect to the Shareholders' Mandate."

Resolution 9

8. Proposed Shareholders' Mandate For Recurrent Related Party Transactions

"THAT subject to the Act, the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities, approval be and is hereby given to the Company and/or its subsidiaries to enter into any of the categories of

Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a revenue or trading nature set out as items 2 and 3 of Section 2.1.2 of the Circular with the Related Parties mentioned therein which are necessary for the MRCB Group's day-to-day operations subject further to the following:-

- (i) the transactions are in the ordinary course of business and are on normal commercial terms which are not more favourable to the Related Parties than those generally available to the public and are not to the detriment of the minority shareholders; and
- (ii) disclosure is made in the annual report of the aggregate value of transactions conducted pursuant to the Shareholders' Mandate together with a breakdown of the aggregate value of the transactions during the financial year based on the type of transactions, names of the related parties and their relationship;

AND THAT such approval shall continue to be in force until:-

- (i) the conclusion of the next AGM, at which time it will lapse, unless by a resolution passed at the said AGM, such authority is renewed;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required to be held pursuant to Section 143(1) of the Act (but shall not extend to such extension as may be allowed pursuant to Section 143(2) of the Act); or
- (iii) revoked or varied by resolution passed by the Shareholders in a General Meeting,

whichever is the earlier.

AND THAT the Directors of the Company be authorised to complete and do all such acts and things as they may consider expedient or necessary to give full effect to the Shareholders' Mandate."

Resolution 10

9. Proposed Shareholders' Mandate For Recurrent Related Party Transactions

"THAT subject to the Act, the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities, approval be and is hereby given to the Company and/or its subsidiaries to enter into any of the categories of

Berkaitan yang disebut di dalamnya yang perlu bagi operasi harian Kumpulan MRCB, tertakluk seterusnya kepada berikut:-

- (i) urusniaga tersebut dijalankan menurut perniagaan biasa dan menurut terma perdagangan biasa yang tidak memberi kelebihan kepada Pihak Berkaitan berbanding dengan terma yang lazimnya diberi tertakluk kepada pihak awam dan tidak memudaratkan pemegang saham minoriti; dan
- (ii) pengumuman dibuat dalam laporan tahunan mengenai nilai agregat urusniaga yang dikendalikan berhubung dengan Mandat Pemegang Saham berserta dengan pecahan nilai agregat urusniaga yang dilakukan sepanjang tahun kewangan tersebut berasaskan kepada jenis urusniaga, nama Pihak Berkaitan tersebut serta perhubungan masing-masing.

DAN BAHAWA kelulusan sedemikian akan terus berkuatkuasa sehingga:-

- (i) tamat MAT akan datang di mana ia akan luput, kecuali melalui satu resolusi yang diluluskan di MAT tersebut, kuasa sedemikian diperbaharui;
- (ii) tamat tempoh di mana MAT yang berikutnya perlu diadakan berhubung dengan Seksyen 143(1) dalam Akta tersebut (tetapi tidak dilanjutkan sehingga ke had lanjutan seperti yang dibenarkan berhubung dengan Seksyen 143(2) Akta tersebut);
- (iii) dibatalkan atau dipelbagai melalui resolusi yang diluluskan oleh Pemegang Saham pada satu Mesyuarat Agung,

yang mana lebih awal

DAN BAHAWA para Pengarah Syarikat dengan ini diberi kuasa untuk menyelesaikan dan mengambil segala tindakan dan perkara yang menurut anggapan mereka wajar atau perlu untuk menguatkuasakan sepenuhnya Mandat Pemegang Saham."

Resolusi 9

8. Cadangan Mandat Pemegang Saham Bagi Urusniaga Pihak Berkaitan Yang Berulang

"BAHAWA, tertakluk kepada Akta, Tataujud dan Tataurusan Syarikat serta Keperluan Penyenercian Bursa Securities, kelulusan dengan ini diberi kepada Syarikat dan/atau syarikat-syarikat subsidiarinya untuk manjalan sebarang kategori Urusniaga

Pihak Berkaitan Yang Berulang dalam bentuk perdagangan atau urusniaga yang mendatangkan hasil seperti yang disenaraikan sebagai perkara 2 dan 3 dalam Seksyen 2.1.2 Pekeliling dengan Pihak Berkaitan yang disebut di dalamnya yang perlu bagi operasi harian Kumpulan MRCB, tertakluk seterusnya kepada berikut:-

- (i) urusniaga tersebut dijalankan menurut perniagaan biasa dan menurut terma perdagangan biasa yang tidak memberi kelebihan kepada Pihak Berkaitan berbanding dengan terma yang lazimnya diberi kepada pihak awam dan tidak memudaratkan pemegang saham minoriti; dan
- (ii) pengumuman dibuat dalam laporan tahunan mengenai nilai agregat urusniaga yang dikendalikan berhubung dengan Mandat Pemegang Saham berserta dengan pecahan nilai agregat urusniaga yang dilakukan sepanjang tahun kewangan tersebut berasaskan kepada jenis urusniaga, nama Pihak Berkaitan tersebut serta perhubungan masing-masing.

DAN BAHAWA kelulusan sedemikian akan terus berkuatkuasa sehingga:-

- (i) tamat MAT akan datang di mana ia akan luput, kecuali melalui satu resolusi yang diluluskan di MAT tersebut, kuasa sedemikian diperbaharui;
- (ii) tamat tempoh di mana MAT yang berikutnya perlu diadakan berhubung dengan Seksyen 143(1) dalam Akta tersebut (tetapi tidak dilanjutkan sehingga ke had lanjutan seperti yang dibenarkan berhubung dengan Seksyen 143(2) Akta tersebut);
- (iii) dibatalkan atau dipelbagai melalui resolusi yang diluluskan oleh Pemegang Saham pada satu Mesyuarat Agung,

yang mana lebih awal

DAN BAHAWA para Pengarah Syarikat dengan ini diberi kuasa untuk menyelesaikan dan mengambil segala tindakan dan perkara yang menurut anggapan mereka wajar atau perlu untuk menguatkuasakan sepenuhnya Mandat Pemegang Saham."

Resolusi 10

9. Cadangan Mandat Pemegang Saham Bagi Urusniaga Pihak Berkaitan Yang Berulang

"BAHAWA, tertakluk kepada Akta, Tataujud dan Tataurusan Syarikat serta Keperluan Penyenercian Bursa Securities, kelulusan dengan ini diberi kepada

Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a revenue or trading nature set out as item 4 of Section 2.1.2 of the Circular with the Related Parties mentioned therein which are necessary for the MRCB Group's day-to-day operations subject further to the following:-

- (i) the transactions are in the ordinary course of business and are on normal commercial terms which are not more favourable to the Related Parties than those generally available to the public and are not to the detriment of the minority shareholders; and
- (ii) disclosure is made in the annual report of the aggregate value of transactions conducted pursuant to the Shareholders' Mandate together with a breakdown of the aggregate value of the transactions during the financial year based on the type of transactions, names of the related parties and their relationship;

AND THAT such approval shall continue to be in force until:-

- (i) the conclusion of the next AGM, at which time it will lapse, unless by a resolution passed at the said AGM, such authority is renewed;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company is required to be

held pursuant to Section 143(1) of the Act (but shall not extend to such extension as may be allowed pursuant to Section 143(2) of the Act); or

- (iii) revoked or varied by resolution passed by the Shareholders in a General Meeting,

whichever is the earlier.

AND THAT the Directors of the Company be authorised to complete and do all such acts and things as they may consider expedient or necessary to give full effect to the Shareholders' Mandate."

Resolution 11

- 10. To transact any other ordinary business for which due notice has been given.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

MOHD NOOR RAHIM YAHAYA (MAICSA 0866820)
Company Secretary

Shah Alam
27 May 2005

Notes:

1. A member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies (or in the case of a corporation, to appoint a representative) to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
2. The Proxy Form must be signed by the appointor or his attorney duly authorised in writing. In the case of a corporation, it shall be executed under its Common Seal or signed by its attorney duly authorised in writing or by an officer on behalf of the corporation.
3. The instrument appointing the proxy must be deposited with the Share Registrar, Symphony Share Registrars Sdn. Bhd., Level 26, Menara Multi Purpose, Capital Square, No 8, Jalan Munshi Abdullah, 50100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

Explanatory Notes:

Ordinary Resolution 8, proposed under Special Business, if passed, will give the Directors of the Company authority to issue ordinary shares in the Company at any time at their absolute discretion without convening a General Meeting. The authorisation will, unless revoked or varied by the Company at a General Meeting, expire at the next AGM.

Ordinary Resolutions 9 to 11, proposed under Special Business if passed, the Shareholders' Mandate will be given to the Company and/or its subsidiaries to enter into Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a revenue or trading nature with the Related Parties listed, in compliance with Para 10.09 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities. This authority, unless revoked or varied by the Company at a General Meeting, will expire at the next AGM.

The class of related parties, the nature of the transactions, the rationale and the methods of determining the transaction prices with the related parties, are detailed out in the Circular to Shareholders dated 27 May 2005.

Syarikat dan/atau syarikat-syarikat subsidiarinya untuk manjelaskan sebarang kategori Urusniaga Pihak Berkaitan Yang Berulang dalam bentuk perdagangan atau urusniaga yang mendarangkan hasil seperti yang disenaraikan sebagai perkara 4 dalam Seksyen 2.1.2 Pekeliling dengan Pihak Berkaitan yang disebut di dalamnya yang perlu bagi operasi harian Kumpulan MRCB, tertakluk seterusnya kepada berikut:-

- (i) urusniaga tersebut dijalankan menurut perniagaan biasa dan menurut terma perdagangan biasa yang tidak memberi kelebihan kepada Pihak Berkaitan berbanding dengan terma yang lazimnya diberi kepada pihak awam dan tidak memudaratkan pemegang saham minoriti; dan
- (ii) pengumuman dibuat dalam laporan tahunan mengenai nilai agregat ususniaga yang dikendalikan berhubung dengan Mandat Pemegang Saham berserta dengan pecahan nilai agregat urusniaga yang dilakukan sepanjang tahun kewangan ini berdasarkan kepada jenis urusniaga, nama Pihak Berkaitan tersebut serta perhubungan masing-masing.

DAN BAHAWA kelulusan sedemikian akan terus berkuatkuasa sehingga:-

- (i) tamat MAT akan datang di mana ia akan luput, kecuali melalui satu resolusi yang diluluskan di MAT tersebut, kuasa sedemikian diperbaharui;

- (ii) tamat tempoh di mana MAT yang berikutnya perlu diadakan berhubung dengan Seksyen 143(1) dalam Akta tersebut (tetapi tidak dilanjutkan sehingga ke had lanjutan seperti yang dibenarkan berhubung dengan Seksyen 143(2) Akta tersebut);
- (iii) dibatalkan atau dipelbagai melalui resolusi yang diluluskan oleh para Pemegang Saham pada satu Mesyuarat Agung,

yang mana lebih awal

DAN BAHAWA para Pengarah Syarikat dengan ini diberi kuasa untuk menyelesaikan dan mengambil segala tindakan dan perkara yang menurut anggapan mereka wajar atau perlu untuk menguatkuasakan sepenuhnya Mandat Pemegang Saham."

Resolusi 11

10. Melaksanakan sebarang urusan biasa yang lain di mana notis yang sewajarnya telah diberikan.

DENGAN PERINTAH LEMBAGA PENGARAH

MOHD NOOR RAHIM YAHAYA (MAICSA 0866820)
Setiausaha Syarikat

Shah Alam
27 Mei 2005

Nota-Nota:

1. Setiap ahli Syarikat ini yang berhak menghadiri dan mengundi di mesyuarat ini, berhak melantik seorang atau lebih proksi (atau melantik seorang wakil, bagi syarikat yang diperbadankan) untuk menghadiri dan mengundi bagi pihaknya. Setiap proksi tidak semestinya seorang ahli Syarikat ini.
2. Borang Proksi mestilah ditandatangani oleh orang yang melantiknya atau wakilnya yang diberi kuasa secara bertulis. Bagi syarikat yang diperbadankan, ia hendaklah dilaksanakan dengan menggunakan Cop Mohor syarikat atau ditandatangani oleh wakilnya yang diberi kuasa secara bertulis atau oleh pegawainya, bagi pihak syarikat tersebut.
3. Alat perlantikan seorang proksi hendaklah dihantar ke Pendaftar, Symphony Share Registrars Sdn. Bhd., Aras 26, Menara Multi Purpose, Capital Square No. 8, Jalan Munshi Abdullah, 50100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia tidak kurang dari 48 jam sebelum waktu yang telah ditetapkan bagi mesyuarat tersebut atau sebarang penangguhannya.

Penjelasan:

Resolusi Biasa 8, dicadangkan di bawah Urusan Khas sekiranya diluluskan, akan memberikan para Pengarah Syarikat kuasa untuk menerbitkan saham-saham Syarikat atas budi bicara mereka pada bila-bila masa tanpa mengadakan Mesyuarat Agung. Kuasa ini, kecuali dimansuhkan atau diubah oleh Syarikat dalam satu Mesyuarat Agung, akan tamat pada MAT yang akan datang.

Resolusi Biasa 9 hingga 11 dicadangkan di bawah Urusan Khas sekiranya diluluskan, mandat Pemegang Saham akan diberikan kepada para Pengarah untuk memasuki urusniaga berulang bersifat hasil dengan Pihak Berkaitan sebagaimana disenaraikan selaras dengan Perenggan 10.09 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities. Kuasa ini, kecuali dibatalkan atau diubah oleh Syarikat pada satu mesyuarat agung, akan tamat pada MAT akan datang.

Kelas Pihak Berkaitan, bentuk urusniaga, rasional dan kaedah dalam menentukan harga urusniaga dengan Pihak Berkaitan, diberikan secara terperinci dalam Pekeliling kepada Pemegang Saham bertarikh 27 Mei 2005.

STATEMENT ACCOMPANYING NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

- 1. Directors who are standing for re-election at the Thirty-fourth Annual General Meeting of the Company are:**

Article 101 of the Articles of Association

- * Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar
- * Abdul Rahman Ahmad

Article 106 of the Article of Association

- * Datuk Azlan Zainol
- * Ahmad Zaki Zahid

The details of Directors who are standing for re-election at the Thirty-fourth Annual General Meeting are set out in the Profile of Directors appearing in pages 12 and 19.

- 2. Details of Attendance of Directors at Board Meetings**

Eight (8) Board of Directors Meetings were held during the financial year ended 31 December 2004. Attendance of the Directors holding office at the end of the financial year is shown below:

Name of Directors	No. of Board Meetings Attended
Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	8
Shahril Ridza Ridzuan	8
Abdul Rahman Ahmad	8
Datuk Zahari Omar	8
Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar	8
Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *	4
Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar	8
Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar	8

* Retired on 20 May 2004.

- 3. Details of date, time and place of General Meeting**

There was only one general meeting held during the financial year ended 31 December 2004:

- (i) Thirty-third Annual General Meeting held on Thursday, 20 May 2004 at 2.30 p.m at Concorde 1, Level 2, Concorde Hotel, 3, Jalan Tengku Ampuan Zabedah C9/C, 40100 Shah Alam, Selangor.

PENYATA MENGIRINGI NOTIS MESUARAT AGUNG TAHUNAN

1. Para Pengarah yang menawarkan diri untuk dipilih semula di Mesyuarat Agung Tahunan Syarikat yang Ke-Tiga Puluh Empat:

Artikel 101 Tataurusan Syarikat

- * Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar
- * Abdul Rahman Ahmad

Artikel 106 Tataurusan Syarikat

- * Datuk Azlan Zainol
- * Ahmad Zaki Zahid

Butir-butir para Pengarah yang menawarkan diri untuk dipilih semula di Mesyuarat Agung Tahunan Syarikat yang Ke-Tiga Puluh Empat terdapat di Profil Pengarah pada muka surat 12 hingga 19.

2. Butir-butir mengenai kehadiran para Pengarah di Mesyuarat Lembaga Pengarah.

Lapan (8) Mesyuarat Lembaga Pengarah telah diadakan sepanjang tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004. Butir-butir kehadiran para Pengarah di Mesyuarat Lembaga Pengarah adalah seperti berikut:

Nama Pengarah	Bil. Mesyuarat Lembaga Pengarah Yang Dihadiri
Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	8
Shahril Ridza Ridzuan	8
Abdul Rahman Ahmad	8
Datuk Zahari Omar	8
Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar	8
Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *	4
Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar	8
Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar	8

* Bersara pada 20 Mei 2004

3. Butir-butir mengenai tarikh, masa dan tempat Mesyuarat Agung

Hanya satu mesyuarat agung yang diadakan bagi tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004:

- (i) Mesyuarat Agung Tahunan yang ke-tiga Puluh Tiga telah diadakan pada hari Khamis, 20 Mei 2004 pada jam 2.30 petang di Concorde 1, Aras 2, Concorde Hotel, 3, Jalan Tengku Ampuan Zabedah C9/C, 40100 Shah Alam, Selangor.

CORPORATE INFORMATION MAKLUMAT KORPORAT

BOARD OF DIRECTORS/LEMBAGA PENGARAH

Datuk Azlan Zainol

(Chairman/Pengerusi)

Shahril Ridza Ridzuan

(Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer/Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif)

Datuk Zahari Omar

(Executive Vice President/Naib Presiden Eksekutif)

Abdul Rahman Ahmad

(Non-independent Non-executive Director/Pengarah bukan bebas bukan eksekutif)

Dato' Ahmad Ibhnihajar

(Independent Non-executive Director/Pengarah bebas bukan eksekutif)

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar

(Independent Non-executive Director/Pengarah bebas bukan eksekutif)

Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar

(Non-independent Non-executive Director/Pengarah bukan bebas bukan eksekutif)

Ahmad Zaki Zahid

(Independent Non-executive Director/Pengarah bebas bukan eksekutif)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS



From left to right/ Dari kiri ke kanan

YBhg. Datuk Azlan Zainol
Encik Shahril Ridza Ridzuan
YBhg. Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar
Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar
Encik Abdul Rahman Ahmad
YBhg. Datuk Zahari Omar
YBhg. Dato' Ahmad Ibhnihajar
Encik Ahmad Zaki Zahid

**COMPANY SECRETARY/
SETIAUSAHA SYARIKAT**

Mohd Noor Rahim Yahaya
(MAICSA 0866820)

**AUDIT COMMITTEE/
JAWATANKUASA AUDIT**

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar
(Chairman/Pengerusi)

Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar
Datuk Zahari Omar

**REGISTERED OFFICE/
PEJABAT BERDAFTAR**

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Fax : 603-5512 2608

**SHARE REGISTRAR/
PENDAFTAR SAHAM**

Symphony Share Registrars Sdn. Bhd.
Level 26, Menara Multi Purpose
Capital Square
No. 8, Jalan Munshi Abdullah
50100 Kuala Lumpur
Tel : 603-2721 2222
Fax : 603-2721 2531

AUDITORS/JURUAUDIT

PricewaterhouseCoopers

**PRINCIPAL BANKERS/
BANK-BANK UTAMA**

Bumiputra-Commerce Bank Berhad
Bank Islam Malaysia Berhad
Alliance Bank Malaysia Berhad
Commerce International Merchant
Bankers Berhad
RHB Sakura Merchant Bankers Berhad

LISTING/PENYENARAIAN
Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad

**DATE OF LISTING/
TARIKH PENYENARAIAN**

22 March/Mac 1971

LEMBAGA PENGARAH



DIRECTORS' PROFILE PROFIL PENGARAH

Datuk Azlan Zainol, aged 55, a Malaysian, is a Non-independent Non-executive Director of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 12 January 2005. He is a Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants (England & Wales), Certified Public Accountants Malaysia and member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants.

Datuk Azlan is currently the Chief Executive Officer of Employees Provident Fund ("EPF"), Malaysia, appointed since April 2001. He is also member of the Board of Nestle (M) Berhad, Malaysian Building Society Berhad, Bursa Malaysia Depository Sdn. Bhd., Jardine Cycle & Carriage Limited, MCL Land Limited, ASIA Limited, Commonwealth African Investments Limited, Member of The Financial Reporting Foundation, Member of The Securities Market Consultative Panel of Bursa Malaysia and Bureau Member of The International Social Security Association.

Prior to joining EPF, he was the Managing Director of AmBank Berhad from 1994 to 2001 and AmFinance Berhad from 1982 to 1994; and director for several subsidiaries of AmBank Group from 1996 to 2001. Prior to that, he was also a partner with Messrs Tan Azlan & Company and Binder Hamlyn.

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Datuk Azlan Zainol, berusia 55 tahun, warganegara Malaysia, adalah Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bukan Bebas MRCB. Beliau dilantik ke Lembaga Pengarah MRCB pada 12 Januari 2005. Beliau merupakan Fellow Institute of Chartered Accountants (England & Wales), Akauntan Awam Bertauliah Malaysia dan ahli Institut Akauntan Malaysia.

Datuk Azlan kini merupakan Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif Kumpulan Wang Simpanan Pekerja ("KWSP"), Malaysia, yang telah dilantik pada bulan April 2001. Beliau juga merupakan ahli Lembaga Pengarah Nestle (M) Berhad, Malaysian Building Society Berhad, Bursa Malaysia Depository Sdn. Bhd., Jardine Cycle & Carriage Limited, MCL Land Limited, ASIA Limited, Commonwealth African Investments Limited, Ahli kepada Yayasan Laporan Kewangan dan Ahli Panel Perunding Pasaran Sekuriti bagi Bursa Malaysia dan Ahli Biro kepada The International Social Security Association.

Sebelum menyertai KWSP, Datuk Azlan memegang jawatan sebagai Pengarah Urusan bagi AmBank Berhad dari tahun 1994 hingga 2001 dan AmFinance Berhad dari tahun 1982 hingga 1994; dan pengarah bagi beberapa syarikat subsidiari Kumpulan AmBank dari tahun 1996 hingga 2001. Sebelum itu, beliau juga merupakan rakan kongsi Tetuan Tan Azlan & Company and Binder Hamlyn.

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang saham utama MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.



DATUK AZLAN ZAINOL

Shahril Ridza Ridzuan aged 35, a Malaysian, is the Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 9 August 2001. He holds a Bachelor of Civil Law (1st Class) from Oxford University, England, a Master of Arts (1st Class) from Cambridge University, England and has been called to the Malaysian Bar and the Bar of England and Wales.

Shahril was a Legal Assistant at Zain & Co from 1994 to 1996. From 1997 to 1998, he was the Special Assistant to the Executive Chairman of Trenergy (M) Berhad/Turnaround Managers Inc (M) Sdn. Bhd. He subsequently joined Pengurusan Danaharta Nasional Berhad from 1998 to 1999. From 1999 to August 2001, he was an Executive Director of SSR Associates Sdn. Bhd.

Shahril also sits on the Board of Media Prima Berhad, The New Straits Times Press (M) Berhad and UDA Holdings Berhad.

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Shahril Ridza Ridzuan, berusia 35 tahun, warganegara Malaysia, adalah Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif MRCB. Beliau telah dilantik sebagai ahli Lembaga Pengarah MRCB pada 9 Ogos 2001. Beliau memiliki Ijazah Sarjana Muda Undang-undang Sivil (Kelas Pertama) dari Oxford University, England, Ijazah Sarjana Sastera (Kelas Pertama) dari Cambridge University, England dan telah diterima masuk ke Badan Peguam Malaysia dan Bar of England and Wales.

Shahril merupakan seorang Pembantu Guaman di Zain & Co. dari tahun 1994 hingga 1996. Dari 1997 hingga 1998, beliau menjadi Pembantu Khas kepada Pengurus Eksekutif Trenergy (M) Berhad/Turnaround Managers Inc (M) Sdn. Bhd. Selepas itu, beliau menyertai Pengurusan Danaharta Nasional Berhad dari 1998 hingga 1999. Dari tahun 1999 hingga Ogos 2001, beliau merupakan Pengarah Eksekutif SSR Associates Sdn. Bhd.

Shahril juga menganggotai Lembaga Pengarah Media Prima Berhad, The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad dan UDA Holdings Berhad.

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang saham utama MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.



SHAHRIL RIDZA
RIDZUAN



Datuk Zahari Omar, aged 56, a Malaysian, is the Executive Vice President of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 26 July 1999. Datuk Zahari graduated from the University of Malaya with a Bachelor of Economics and is a member of the British Columbia Institute of Chartered Accountants, Malaysian Institute of Accountants and Malaysian Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He served as the Director of Finance and Chief Executive - Publishing Division of The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad Group in 1982 and 1983 to 1985 respectively. In 1985, he was transferred to Fleet Group Sdn. Bhd. as Group Operations Controller. From late 1985 to 1990 he was again with The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad and his last position was Senior Group General Manager, Corporate Affairs. Subsequently, he joined Faber Group Berhad and Park May Bhd. where he was appointed as the Managing Director from 1991 to 1994 and 1994 to 1996 respectively. From April 1996 to 25 July 1999, he was the Managing Director of Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad.

He is currently the Managing Director of UDA Holdings Berhad and also sits on the Boards of Commerce Assurance Berhad (formerly known as AMI Insurans Berhad) and Commerce Life Assurance Berhad (formerly known as AMAL Assurance Berhad.)

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Datuk Zahari Omar, berusia 56 tahun, warganegara Malaysia, adalah Naib Presiden Eksekutif MRCB. Beliau telah dilantik sebagai ahli Lembaga Pengarah MRCB pada 26 Julai 1999. Datuk Zahari menamatkan pengajian dari Universiti Malaya dengan Ijazah Sarjana Muda Ekonomi dan merupakan seorang ahli British Columbia Institute of Chartered Accountants, Malaysian Institute of Accountants dan Malaysian Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Beliau berkhidmat sebagai Pengarah Kewangan di Kumpulan The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad pada tahun 1982 dan sebagai Ketua Eksekutif – Bahagian Penerbitan Kumpulan tersebut pada tahun 1983 hingga 1985. Pada tahun 1985, beliau telah dipindahkan ke Fleet Group Sdn. Bhd. sebagai Pengawal Operasi Kumpulan. Dari penghujung tahun 1985 hingga 1990, beliau kembali berkhidmat dengan The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad dan jawatan terakhir beliau adalah sebagai Pengurus Besar Kanan Kumpulan, Hal Ehwal Korporat. Selepas itu, beliau menyertai Faber Group Berhad sebagai Pengarah Urusan pada tahun 1991 hingga 1994 dan sebagai Pengarah Urusan Park May Bhd. dari 1994 hingga 1996. Mulai April 1996, beliau dilantik sebagai Pengarah Urusan Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad sehingga 25 Julai 1999.

Kini, beliau merupakan Pengarah Urusan UDA Holdings Berhad dan turut menganggotai Lembaga Pengarah Commerce Assurance Berhad (dahulu dikenali sebagai AMI Insurans Berhad) dan Commerce Life Assurance Berhad (dahulu dikenali sebagai AMAL Assurance Berhad.)

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang saham utama MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.

Abdul Rahman Ahmad, aged 36, a Malaysian, is a Non-independent Non-executive Director of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 9 August 2001. He holds a Master of Arts from Cambridge University, England and is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants, England & Wales.

Abdul Rahman was an Assistant Manager at Arthur Andersen, London from 1992 to 1996. From 1996 to 1998, he was the Special Assistant to the Executive Chairman of Trenergy (M) Berhad/Turnaround Managers Inc (M) Sdn. Bhd. He subsequently joined Pengurusan Danaharta Nasional Berhad as Unit Head from 1998 to 2000. He was also an Executive Director of SSR Associates Sdn. Bhd. from 2000 to August 2001.

Abdul Rahman was appointed as the Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer of MRCB in August 2001 until 1 September 2003. He was appointed as the Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer of Media Prima Berhad on 19 August 2003. He is also the Executive Director of Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad and sits on the Board of The New Straits Times Press (M) Berhad and Syarikat Prasarana Negara Berhad.

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Abdul Rahman Ahmad, berusia 36 tahun, warganegara Malaysia, adalah Pengarah Bukan Bebas Bukan Eksekutif MRCB. Beliau telah dilantik sebagai ahli Lembaga Pengarah MRCB pada 9 Ogos 2001. Beliau memiliki Ijazah Sarjana Sastera dari Cambridge University, England dan adalah ahli Institute of Chartered Accountants, England and Wales.

Abdul Rahman merupakan Penolong Pengurus di Arthur Andersen, London dari tahun 1992 hingga 1996. Mulai 1996 hingga 1998, beliau merupakan Pembantu Khas kepada Pengurus Eksekutif Trenergy (M) Berhad/Turnaround Managers Inc (M) Sdn. Bhd. Selepas itu beliau menyertai Pengurusan Danaharta Nasional Berhad sebagai Ketua Unit dari 1998 hingga 2000. Beliau juga merupakan Pengarah Eksekutif SSR Associates Sdn. Bhd. dari tahun 2000 hingga Ogos 2001.

Abdul Rahman telah dilantik sebagai Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif MRCB pada Ogos 2001 sehingga 1 September 2003. Beliau telah dilantik sebagai Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif Media Prima Berhad pada 19 Ogos 2003. Beliau juga merupakan Pengarah Eksekutif Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad dan juga menganggotai Lembaga Pengarah The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad dan Syarikat Prasarana Negara Berhad.

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang saham utama MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.



ABDUL RAHMAN AHMAD

Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar aged 55, a Malaysian, is an Independent Non-executive Director of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 27 September 2000. He holds a Bachelor of Economics (Business Administration) and is a member of British Institute of Management

Dato' Ahmad was a Forex Dealer/Portfolio Manager of Malayan Banking Berhad, London from 1976 to 1979. From 1980 to 1984, he was a Manager of Malayan Banking Berhad, Genting Highlands Branch and Balik Pulau Branch. He was a Director of United Traders Securities Sdn. Bhd. from 1984 to 1991, an Executive Director of WM Svene-Nor JV Sdn. Bhd. from 1991 to 1993 and the Managing Director of Taiping Securities Sdn. Bhd. from 1995 to 1997. Dato' Ahmad is the Division Head of UMNO Bahagian Tanjung.

Dato' Ahmad is currently the Managing Director of Penang Port Sdn. Bhd., Chairman of D'nounce Berhad and Commerce Assurance Berhad (formerly known as Amal Assurance Berhad).

As an Independent Non-executive Director, Dato' Ahmad is also the Chairman of Remuneration Committee and ESOS Committee, a member of Audit Committee and Nomination Committee of MRCB.

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar berusia 55 tahun, warganegara Malaysia, adalah Pengarah Bebas Bukan Eksekutif MRCB. Beliau telah dilantik sebagai ahli Lembaga Pengarah MRCB pada 27 September 2000. Beliau memiliki Ijazah Sarjana Muda Ekonomi (Pentadbiran Perniagaan) dan merupakan seorang ahli British Institute of Management.

Dato' Ahmad merupakan Wakil Penjual Forex/Pengurus Portfolio Malayan Banking Berhad, London dari tahun 1976 hingga 1979. Mulai 1980 hingga 1984, beliau berkhidmat sebagai Pengurus Malayan Banking Berhad, cawangan Genting Highlands dan cawangan Balik Pulau. Beliau pernah dilantik sebagai Pengarah United Traders Securities Sdn. Bhd. mulai 1984 hingga 1991, sebagai Pengarah Eksekutif WM Svene-Nor JV Sdn. Bhd. dari 1991 hingga 1993 dan sebagai Pengarah Urusan Taiping Securities Sdn. Bhd. dari tahun 1995 hingga 1997. Dato' Ahmad adalah Ketua UMNO Bahagian Tanjung.

Kini, Dato' Ahmad merupakan Pengarah Urusan Penang Port Sdn. Bhd., Pengerusi D'nounce Berhad dan Commerce Assurance Berhad (dahulu dikenali sebagai Amal Assurance Berhad).

Sebagai Pengarah Bebas Bukan Eksekutif, Dato' Ahmad juga telah dilantik sebagai Pengerusi Jawatankuasa Ganjaran dan Jawatankuasa ESOS, ahli Jawatankuasa Audit dan Jawatankuasa Pencalonan MRCB.

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang saham utama MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar, aged 68, a Malaysian, is an Independent Non-executive Director of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 22 July 2002. He obtained a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Malaya in 1960. He was awarded a Dutch Government Fellowship in 1970 and obtained his Master in Social Science from the International Institute of Social Studies, Hague, Holland in 1972. In 1974, he was awarded the Fullbright-Hays Fellowship and obtained his Ph.D (Political Science) from the University of Hawaii in 1978. In 1990, as a nominee of the Government of Malaysia, he attended the Advanced Management Program at Harvard Business School, Boston, USA.

Upon graduation in 1960, he was inducted into the Malaysian Civil Service, and served in several capacities at national and international levels, until his retirement in 1991.

As an Independent Non-executive Director, Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari is also the Chairman of the Audit Committee and Nomination Committee, a member of the Remuneration Committee and ESOS Committee of MRCB.

He is currently the Chairman of MAJS Sdn. Bhd., Hyper Plasma Sdn. Bhd. (formerly known as MAJS Management Centre Sdn. Bhd.), Innopeak Sdn. Bhd., Tiga Events Sdn. Bhd., Grand Brilliance Sdn. Bhd. and Peakline Sdn. Bhd. He is also Chairman of Allianz Life Insurance Malaysia Berhad, Amanah Ventures Sdn. Bhd., Deputy Chairman of Allianz General Insurance Malaysia Berhad, a Director of Amanah SSCM Asset Management Berhad, Amanah Property Trust Managers Berhad, Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad, Media Prima Berhad, The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad and Radicare (M) Sdn. Bhd.

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar berusia 68 tahun, seorang warganegara Malaysia, adalah Pengarah Bebas Bukan Eksekutif MRCB. Beliau telah dilantik sebagai ahli Lembaga Pengarah MRCB pada 22 Julai 2002. Beliau memperolehi ijazah Sarjana Muda Sastera daripada Universiti Malaya pada tahun 1960. Beliau telah dianugerah Fellowship Kerajaan Belanda pada tahun 1970 dan memperolehi Ijazah Sarjana Sains Kemasyarakatan daripada International Institute of Social Studies, Hague, Holland pada tahun 1972. Selepas itu, pada tahun 1974, beliau telah dianugerahkan Fellowship Fullbright-Hays dan memperolehi Ph.D (Sains Politik) daripada University of Hawaii pada tahun 1978. Pada tahun 1990, beliau telah menghadiri Program Pengurusan Lanjutan di Harvard Business School, Boston, Amerika Syarikat.

Selepas menamatkan pengajian pada tahun 1960, beliau telah diserapkan ke dalam Perkhidmatan Awam Malaysia, dan pernah memegang beberapa jawatan di peringkat negara dan antarabangsa sehingga beliau bersara pada tahun 1991.

Sebagai Pengarah Bebas Bukan Eksekutif, Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari turut dilantik sebagai Pengerusi Jawatankuasa Audit dan Jawatankuasa Pencalonan, ahli Jawatankuasa Ganjaran dan Jawatankuasa ESOS MRCB.

Pada masa ini, beliau adalah Pengerusi MAJS Sdn. Bhd., Hyper Plasma Sdn. Bhd. (dahulunya dikenali sebagai MAJS Management Centre Sdn. Bhd.), Innopeak Sdn. Bhd., Tiga Events Sdn. Bhd. Grand Brilliance Sdn. Bhd. dan Peakline Sdn. Bhd. Beliau adalah juga Pengerusi Allianz Life Insurance Malaysia Berhad, Amanah Ventures Sdn. Bhd., Timbalan Pengerusi Allianz General Insurance Malaysia Berhad, Pengarah Amanah SSCM Asset Management Berhad, Amanah Property Trust Managers Berhad, Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad, Media Prima Berhad, The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad dan Radicare (M) Sdn. Bhd.

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang saham utama MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.



**DATO' DR. MOHD
SHAHARI AHMAD
JABAR**



Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar, aged 53, a Malaysian, is a Non-independent Non-executive Director of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 3 November 2003. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from the Louisiana State University, USA and obtained his Ph.D from University of Kentucky, USA.

Dr. Roslan is also a member of the Remuneration Committee and ESOS Committee of MRCB.

Dr. Roslan was attached to University Putra Malaysia as a Lecturer in 1984, Senior Lecturer in 1987 and Associate Professor in 1991. In 1992–1993, Dr. Roslan was with the University of Kentucky, Lexington as Visiting Professor. On various occasions while at the University Putra Malaysia, he had served as consultant to various international and national organisations which included the World Bank, Asian Development Bank, Winrock International and the Economic Planning Unit of the Prime Minister's Department.

On 1 August 1994, Dr. Roslan was appointed as Director of Investment and Economic Research Department, Employees Provident Fund. He was promoted to the position of Senior Director in 1996 and to his current position as Deputy Chief Executive Officer of the Employees Provident Fund in July 2002.

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar, berusia 53 tahun, warganegara Malaysia, adalah Pengarah Bukan Bebas Bukan Eksekutif MRCB. Beliau telah dilantik menganggotai Lembaga Pengarah MRCB pada 3 November 2003. Beliau berkelulusan ijazah Sarjana Muda Sains dari Louisiana State University, Amerika Syarikat dan memperolehi Ph.D daripada University of Kentucky, Amerika Syarikat.

Beliau juga adalah ahli Jawatankuasa Ganjaran dan Jawatankuasa ESOS MRCB.

Dr. Roslan pernah berkhidmat dengan Universiti Putra Malaysia sebagai Pensyarah pada tahun 1984, Pensyarah Kanan pada tahun 1987 dan Profesor Madya pada tahun 1991. Pada tahun 1992–1993, Dr. Roslan berkhidmat dengan University of Kentucky, Lexington sebagai Profesor Pelawat. Semasa bertugas di Universiti Putra Malaysia, beliau pernah beberapa kali berkhidmat sebagai perundingcara kepada pelbagai pertubuhan antarabangsa dan kebangsaan yang antara lain termasuk Bank Dunia, Bank Pembangunan Asia, Winrock International dan Unit Perancang Ekonomi di Jabatan Perdana Menteri.

Pada 1 Ogos 1994, Dr. Roslan telah dilantik sebagai Pengarah Jabatan Penyelidikan Pelaburan dan Ekonomi, Kumpulan Wang Simpanan Pekerja. Selepas dilantik ke jawatan Pengarah Kanan pada tahun 1996, beliau seterusnya dinaikkan pangkat ke jawatan sekarang sebagai Timbalan Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif Kumpulan Wang Simpanan Pekerja pada bulan Julai 2002.

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.

Ahmad Zaki Zahid, aged 34, a Malaysian, is an Independent Non-executive Director of MRCB. He was appointed to the Board of MRCB on 12 January 2005. He holds a Bachelor of Laws from University of Bristol, England.

Ahmad Zaki was a Senior Executive Officer at the Issues and Investment Division of the Securities Commission of Malaysia from November 1994 to July 1998. Thereupon, from August 1998 to February 2000, he worked as a Senior Consultant at Booz, Allen & Hamilton (Kuala Lumpur/Singapore). He assumed the role of Special Assistant to YB Dato' Hishammuddin Tun Hussein, Minister of Youth and Sports, from March 2000 to June 2001. In July 2001, he joined the Deputy Prime Minister's Office as Special Assistant to YAB Dato' Seri Abdullah Haji Ahmad Badawi and was promoted to his current position as Special Officer to YAB Dato' Seri Abdullah Haji Ahmad Badawi and Head of Policy Unit, Prime Minister's Office, in November 2003.

Other than as disclosed, he does not have any family relationship with any Director and/or major shareholder of MRCB. He has no personal interest in any business arrangement involving MRCB. He has had no conviction for any offence within past 10 years.

Ahmad Zaki Zahid, berusia 34 tahun, warganegara Malaysia, adalah Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bebas MRCB dan dilantik ke Lembaga Pengarah pada 12 Januari 2005. Beliau memegang Ijazah Undang-undang dari University of Bristol, England.

Ahmad Zaki pernah berkhidmat sebagai Pegawai Eksekutif Kanan di Bahagian Terbitan dan Pelaburan, Suruhanjaya Sekuriti Malaysia dari bulan November 1994 hingga Julai 1998. Dari Ogos 1998 hingga Februari 2000, beliau merupakan seorang Perunding Kanan di Booz Allen & Hamilton (Kuala Lumpur/Singapura). Beliau kemudiannya berkhidmat sebagai Pembantu Khas kepada YB Dato' Hishammuddin Tun Hussein, Menteri Belia dan Sukan dari bulan Mac 2000 hingga Jun 2001. Dalam bulan Julai 2001 beliau menyertai Pejabat Timbalan Perdana Menteri sebagai Pembantu Khas kepada YAB Dato' Seri Abdullah Haji Ahmad Badawi, dan kemudiannya dinaikkan ke jawatan sekarang sebagai Pegawai Khas kepada YAB Dato' Seri Abdullah Haji Ahmad Badawi dan Ketua Unit Dasar, Pejabat Perdana Menteri, Jabatan Perdana Menteri, pada bulan November 2003.

Selain daripada yang dimaklumkan, beliau tidak mempunyai sebarang hubungan kekeluargaan dengan mana-mana Pengarah dan/atau pemegang saham utama MRCB. Beliau tidak mempunyai kepentingan peribadi dalam sebarang urusan perniagaan yang melibatkan MRCB. Beliau tidak pernah disabitkan dengan sebarang kesalahan dalam tempoh 10 tahun lepas.



AHMAD ZAKI ZAHID

GROUP FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

MAKLUMAT KEWANGAN KUMPULAN

	2000 (12 months) RM'000	2001 (12 months) RM'000	2002 (12 months) RM'000	2003 (16 months) RM'000	2004 (12 months) RM'000
Revenue Perolehan	248,570	533,080	419,282	359,898 #	188,301
Profit/(Loss) Before Taxation Keuntungan/(Kerugian) Sebelum Cukai	81,291	(648,170)	196,372	116,383 #	22,338
Earnings/(Loss)* Pendapatan/(Kerugian)*	57,684	(656,755)	174,093	124,658 #	33,609
Earnings/(Loss) Per Share (sen)** Pendapatan/(Kerugian) Sesaham (sen)**	6	(67)	18	13 #	4
Shareholders' Funds Dana Pemegang Saham	1,141,620	473,114	648,242	435,635 #	467,109
Total Assets Jumlah Aset	3,500,190	2,990,245	2,765,613	2,071,118 #	1,910,733
Bank Borrowings Pinjaman Bank	1,507,080	1,820,954	1,560,595	1,250,060	1,124,245
Gross Profit Margin (%) Kadar Keuntungan Kasar (%)	12	12	21	19	44
Return On Average Shareholders' Funds (%) Pulangan Atas Purata Dana Pemegang Saham (%)	7	(80)	35	21	5

* Earnings/(loss): Profit/(loss) after taxation and minority interests but before extraordinary items.
 * Pendapatan/(kerugian): Keuntungan/(kerugian) selepas cukai dan kepentingan minoriti tetapi sebelum perkara-perkara luar biasa.

** Based on weighted average number of shares issued during the period/year.

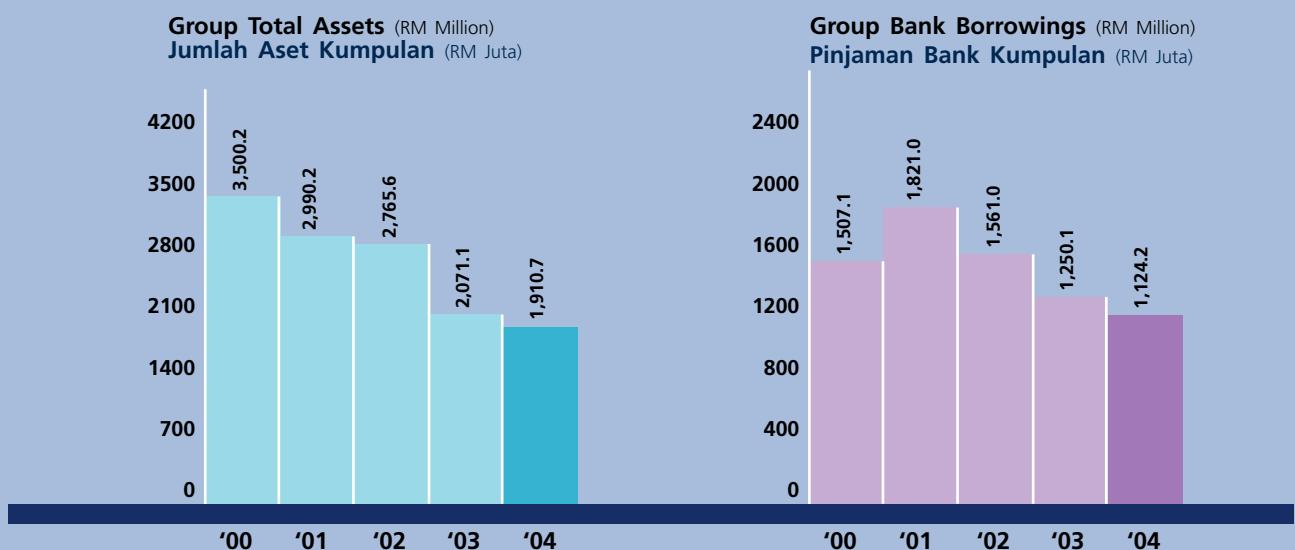
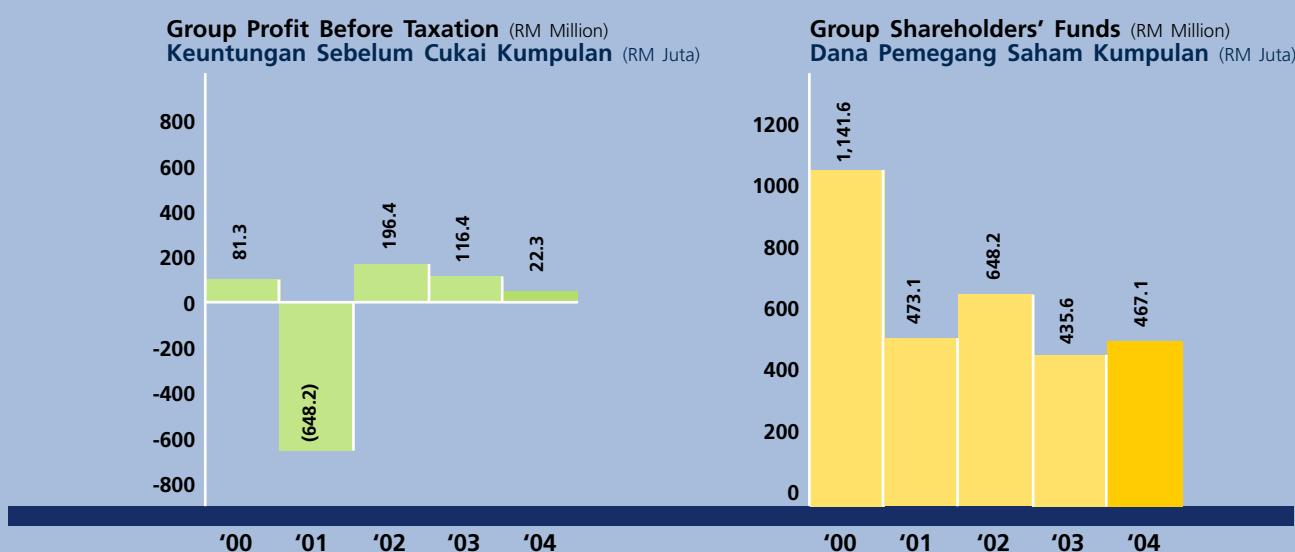
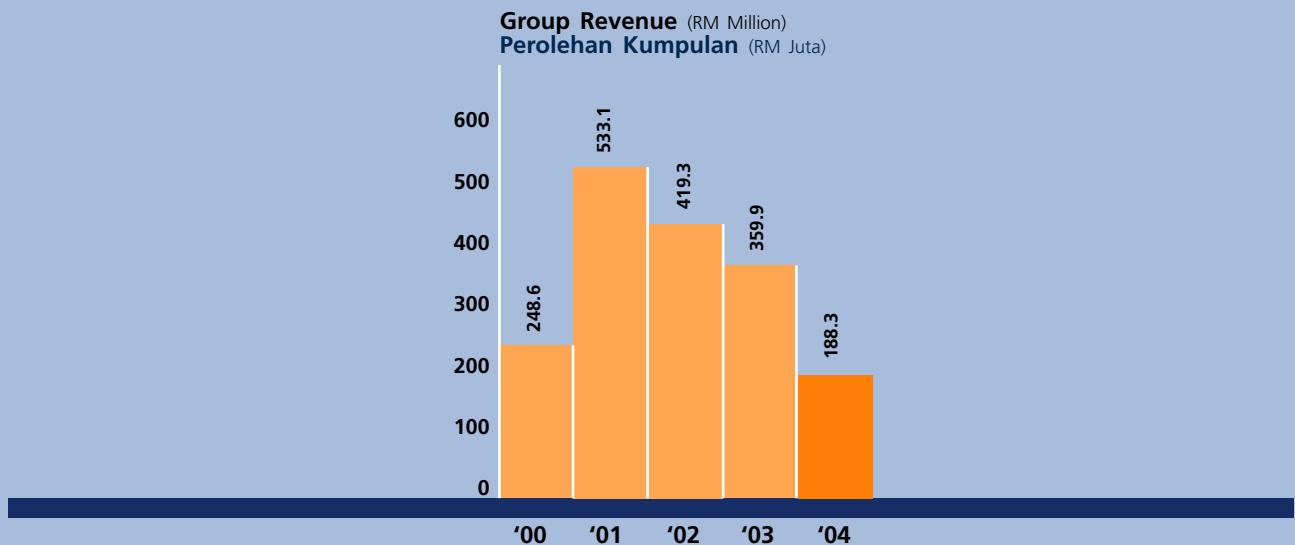
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Some of the figures (#) for the financial period ended 2003 were revised to accomodate the effects of the change in accounting policy and prior year adjustments. Please refer to Note 48 to the financial statements for further explanations. Please note that the same effects arising from the change in accounting policy and prior year adjustments have not been reflected for the financial years ended 2000 to 2002.

Sesetengah angka (#) untuk tempoh kewangan berakhir 2003 telah dipinda untuk penyesuaian terhadap pertukaran dalam dasar perakaunan dan pelarasan tahun terdahulu. Sila rujuk Nota 48 kepada penyata kewangan untuk penjelasan yang lebih lanjut. Sila ambil perhatian bahawa kesan-kesan sama yang terhasil dari pertukaran dalam dasar perakaunan dan pelarasan tahun terdahulu tidak ditunjukkan untuk tahun kewangan berakhir 2000 hingga 2002.

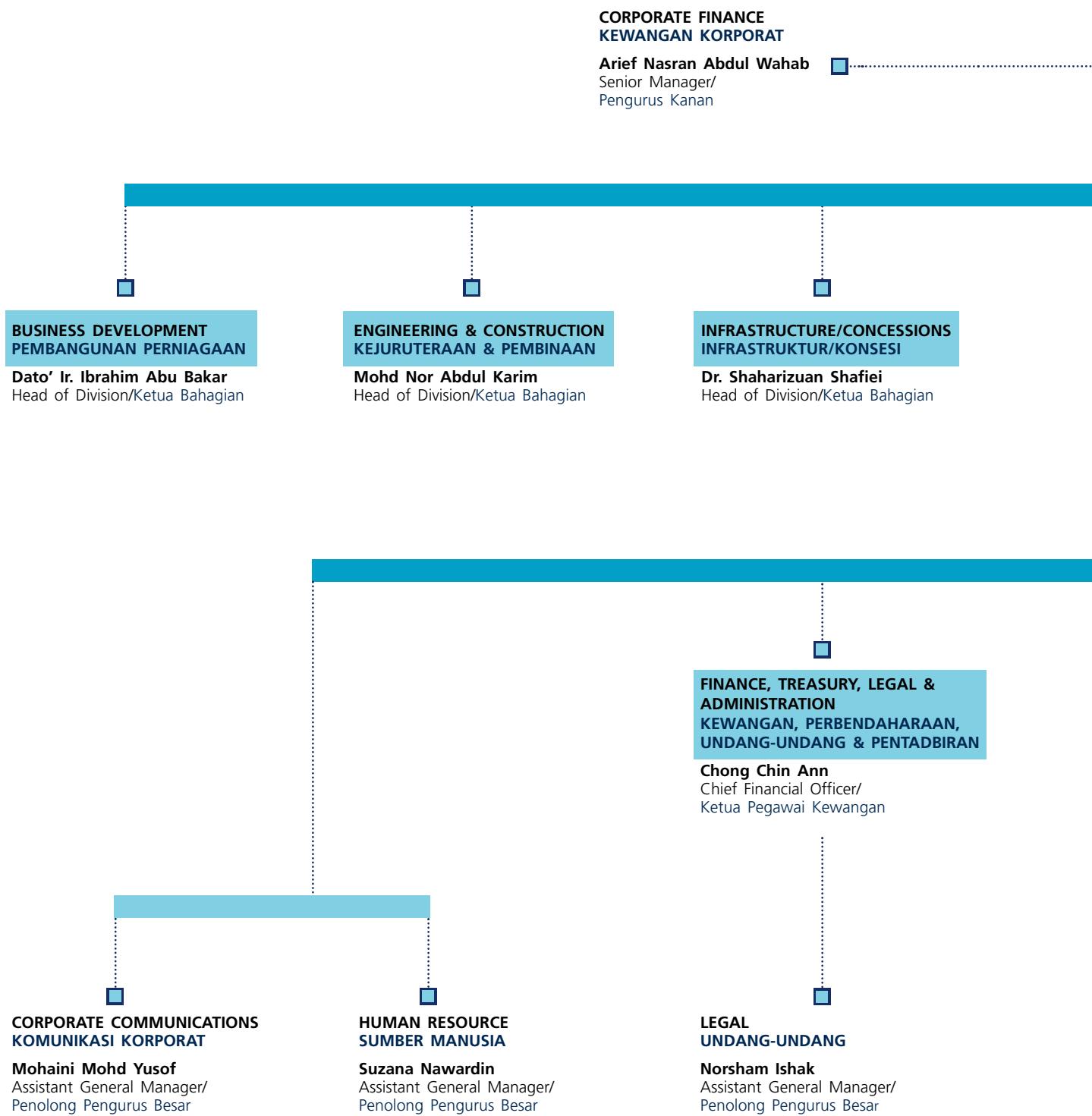
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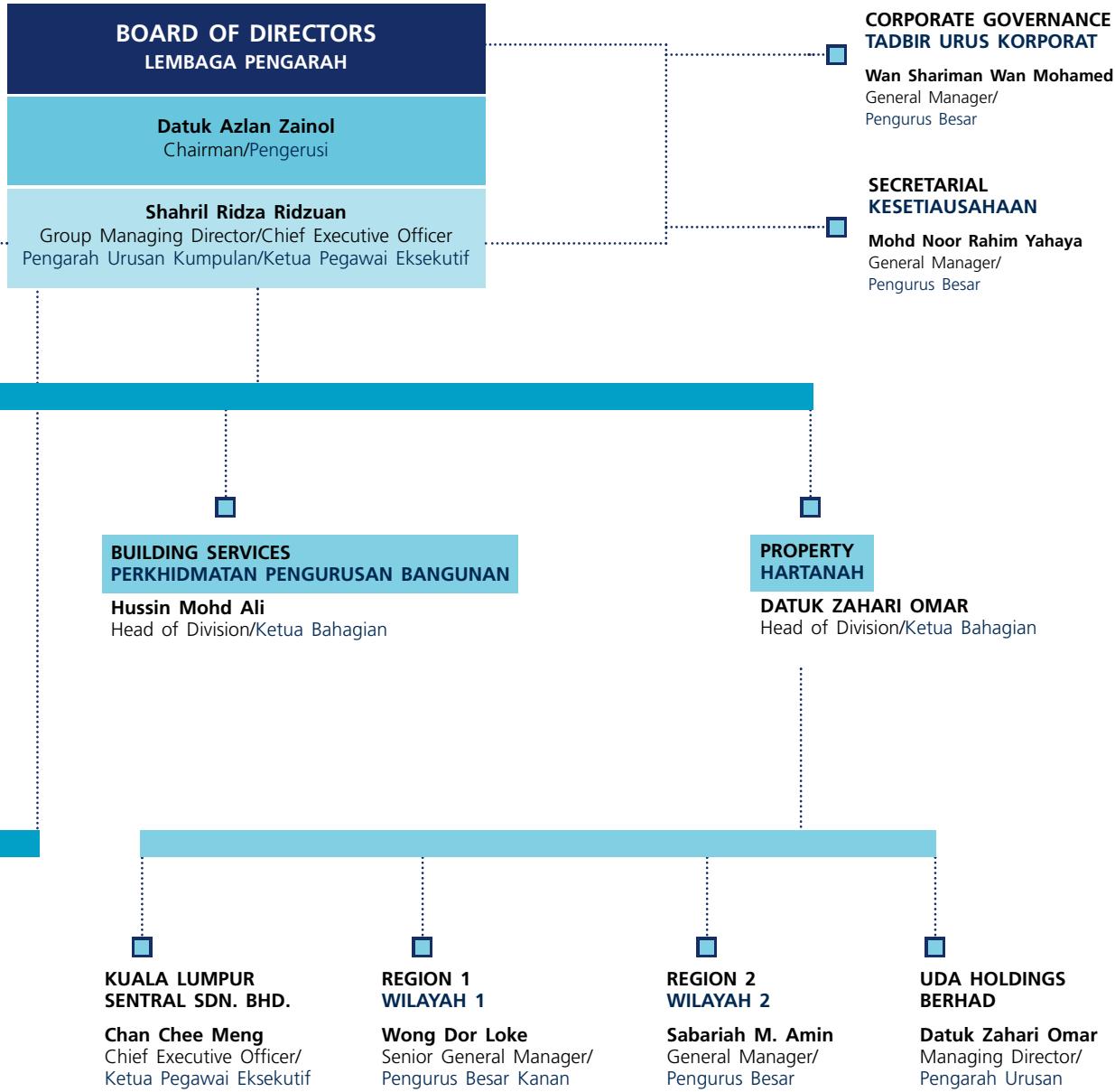
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CORPORATE STRUCTURE

STRUKTUR KORPORAT

MALAYSIAN RESOURCES CORPORATION BERHAD (7994-D)



PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT PEMBANGUNAN HARTANAH

- **64.38%** Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd.
 - **100%** Unity Portfolio Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd.
- **51%** Onesentral Park Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd.
 - **100%** Golden East Corporation Sdn. Bhd.
 - **100%** MRCB Property Development Sdn. Bhd.
 - **70%** Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** Superview Development Sdn. Bhd.
- **60%** MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** Landas Utama Sdn. Bhd.
 - **24.93%** UDA Holdings Berhad
- **30%** Suasana Sentral Two Sdn. Bhd.
(formerly known as Panorama Prominent Sdn. Bhd.)



ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION KEJURUTERAAN DAN PEMBINAAN

- **100%** MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** Milmix Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd.
- **55%** Transmission Technology Sdn. Bhd.



INFRASTRUCTURE/ CONCESSIONS INFRASTRUKTUR/KONSESI

- **100%** MRCB Prasarana Sdn. Bhd.
- **70%** Kejuruteraan dan Pembinaan Seri Lumut Sdn. Bhd.
- **100%** MRCB Environmental Services Sdn. Bhd.
- **55%** MRCB Environment Sdn. Bhd.



CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

PENYATA PENGERUSI

"Despite operating in an extremely competitive and challenging environment, the Group still managed to register another profitable year ended 31 December 2004."

"Walaupun beroperasi dalam persekitaran yang penuh saingan dan mencabar, Kumpulan masih mampu mencatatkan keuntungan pada tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004."

Datuk Azlan Zainol
Chairman/Pengerusi

DEAR SHAREHOLDERS,

On behalf of the Board of the Directors, I am pleased to present the Thirty-Fourth Annual Report and Financial Statements of Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad (MRCB) and its Group of Companies for the financial year ended 31 December 2004.

2004 will be remembered as a defining period in our corporate history following the successful completion of our de-merger exercise in August 2003. It gives me great pleasure to inform you that MRCB is today a leaner and more focused group with core businesses comprising engineering and construction, property and infrastructure. Despite operating in an extremely competitive and challenging environment, the Group still managed to register another profitable year. The challenge before us is to ensure the Group's continued growth is in line with our aim of enhancing shareholder value.

COMPARATIVE FIGURES

As stated in the previous financial year, the reporting period of the financial statements for 2003 was for a period of 16 months ended 31 December 2003. Thus, it must be noted that comments made with respect to the current year's performance in this report are based on the results for the 12 months ended 31 December 2004.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The Group recorded a lower revenue of RM188.3 million for the current financial year ended 31 December 2004 as compared to RM359.9 million in the previous financial period ended 31 December 2003. This was mainly attributable to reduced contributions as some revenue generating companies were sold during these two financial periods. The disposal of our South Africa operations in October 2003, which had contributed approximately RM82.9 million to the Group's revenue in 2003, accounted for the biggest variance.

PARA PEMEGANG SAHAM SEKALIAN,

Saya bagi pihak Lembaga Pengarah dengan sukacitanya membentangkan Laporan Tahunan dan Penyata Kewangan Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad (MRCB) dan Syarikat-syarikat dalam Kumpulannya yang Ketiga Puluh Empat untuk tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004.

Tahun 2004 akan sentiasa diingati sebagai satu tempoh penting dalam sejarah korporat kami berikutkan kejayaan selesainya penyusunan semula operasi yang berasingan pada bulan Ogos 2003. Justeru itu, saya berasa bangga untuk memaklumkan bahawa kini, MRCB telah bangkit semula sebagai sebuah kumpulan yang lebih mantap dan fokus dalam perniagaan terasnya yang merangkumi kejuruteraan dan pembinaan, hartanah dan infrastruktur. Walaupun beroperasi dalam persekitaran yang penuh saingan dan mencabar, Kumpulan masih mampu mencapai satu tahun yang mencatatkan keuntungan. Kami berhadapan dengan cabaran untuk memastikan supaya pertumbuhan berterusan yang dinikmati oleh Kumpulan masih mampu memenuhi matlamat untuk mempertingkatkan nilai pemegang saham.

ANGKA PERBANDINGAN

Seperti yang dinyatakan dalam tahun kewangan sebelumnya, jangkamasa laporan penyata kewangan bagi tahun 2003 adalah untuk tempoh 16 bulan berakhir pada 31 Disember 2003. Justeru itu, adalah dimaklumkan bahawa ulasan yang dibuat berhubung prestasi tahun semasa dalam laporan ini adalah berdasarkan kepada catatan kewangan bagi tempoh 12 bulan berakhir 31 Disember 2004.

MAKLUMAT KEWANGAN

Pada tahun kewangan semasa berakhir 31 Disember 2004, Kumpulan mencatatkan pendapatan berkurangan sebanyak RM188.3 juta berbanding RM359.9 juta yang dicatatkan pada tempoh kewangan sebelumnya berakhir 31 Disember 2003. Ini disebabkan oleh pengurangan sumbangan selepas penjualan beberapa syarikat yang menjana pendapatan sepanjang dua tempoh kewangan tersebut. Penjualan operasi Afrika Selatan pada bulan Oktober 2003 yang menyumbang kira-kira RM82.9 juta kepada pendapatan Kumpulan telah menjadi penyebab paling utama kepada perbezaan hasil yang diperolehi pada tahun 2003.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (continued)

Notwithstanding the disposal of the Group's property project in South Africa, property development is still the major revenue contributor to the Group, accounting for more than 70% of the RM188.3 million recorded in the current year. Kuala Lumpur Sentral continues to be the major contributor to the Group's profit from operations of RM74.5 million. Aside from a one-off gain of RM22.7 million arising from the disposal of MRCB's 70% equity interest in Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad in June 2004, the current year's adjusted profit amounted to RM51.8 million. This is indeed extremely commendable when compared to the previous year's adjusted loss amounting to RM74.1 million, which excludes a disposal gain of RM288.5 million arising from the sale of MRCB's 22.68% equity interest in Rashid Hussain Berhad.

For the year under review, the Group registered a net profit of RM33.6 million compared to RM124.7 million in 2003. Consequently, earnings per share dropped from 13.2 sen in 2003 to 4.4 sen in the current year. Notwithstanding the lower net profit achieved during the current year, the Group's Net Tangible Assets per share increased to 59.5 sen as at 31 December 2004 as compared to 55.9 sen, as at 31 December 2003.

CORPORATE AND OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

The 3R strategy initiated in 2002, comprising Restructuring, Rationalisation and Rejuvenation has transformed MRCB into a focused engineering and construction, property and infrastructure group. During the year, the Group embarked on a further rationalization of assets to streamline and consolidate its engineering and construction activities under its wholly owned subsidiary company, MRCB Engineering Sdn Bhd. In line with our objective, we sold our entire equity interest in Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad for a gain of RM22.7 million. Similarly, we also reduced our shareholdings in MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd. from a subsidiary to an associate interest as the information technology business is a non-core component of the Group's strategy.

MAKLUMAT KEWANGAN (sambungan)

Walaupun Kumpulan telah menjual projek harta tanah di Afrika Selatan, namun pembangunan harta tanah kekal sebagai penyumbang utama hasil kepada Kumpulan, iaitu lebih 70% daripada RM188.3 juta yang dicatatkan pada tahun semasa. Kuala Lumpur Sentral adalah penyumbang sebahagian besar daripada keuntungan operasi Kumpulan sebanyak RM74.5 juta, sejajar dengan kedudukannya sebagai penyumbang hasil yang utama. Selain daripada keuntungan yang diperolehi sekali sebanyak RM22.7 juta hasil daripada penjualan 70% kepentingan ekuiti MRCB dalam Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad pada bulan Jun 2004, keuntungan tahun semasa telah dilaraskan sebanyak RM51.8 juta. Jumlah ini merupakan satu pencapaian yang memang membanggakan jika dibandingkan dengan kerugian dilaraskan pada tahun sebelumnya sebanyak RM74.1 juta yang tidak merangkumi keuntungan daripada penjualan 22.68% kepentingan ekuiti MRCB bernilai sebanyak RM288.5 juta dalam Rashid Hussein Berhad.

Pada tahun yang ditinjau, Kumpulan mencatatkan keuntungan bersih sebanyak RM33.6 juta berbanding RM124.7 juta pada tahun 2003. Ini menyebabkan pendapatan sesaham berkurangan daripada 13.2 sen pada tahun 2003 kepada 4.4 sen pada tahun semasa. Walaupun mencapai keuntungan bersih yang berkurangan pada tahun semasa, namun Aset Ketara Bersih sesaham Kumpulan meningkat kepada 59.5 sen pada 31 Disember 2004 berbanding 55.9 sen pada 31 Disember 2003.

MAKLUMAT KORPORAT DAN OPERASI

Strategi 3R yang meliputi "Restructuring" (Penyusunan Semula), "Rationalisation" (Rasionalisasi) dan "Rejuvenation" (Suntikan Struktur) yang dilancarkan pada tahun 2002 telah membantu menukar MRCB menjadi sebuah kumpulan kejuruteraan dan pembinaan, harta tanah dan infrastruktur yang berfokus. Pada tahun ini, Kumpulan telah melaksanakan langkah rasionalisasi aset bagi mengatur semula dan menyatukan aktiviti kejuruteraan dan pembinaan di bawah anak syarikat milik penuhnya, MRCB Engineering Sdn Bhd. Sejak dengan objektif tersebut, kami telah menjual seluruh kepentingan ekuiti dalam Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad dengan keuntungan sebanyak RM22.7 juta. Pada masa yang sama, kami juga telah mengurangkan pegangan ekuiti di dalam MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd. yang kini telah bertukar daripada sebuah anak syarikat kepada sebuah syarikat bersekutu kerana perniagaan teknologi maklumat adalah perniagaan bukan teras dalam strategi Kumpulan.

CORPORATE AND OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS (continued)

As mentioned earlier, the Group's financial performance for the current year was mainly driven by its property development activities and in particular, Kuala Lumpur Sentral. Today, the skyline of Kuala Lumpur Sentral has been further enhanced following the completion of several imposing and prestigious structures, comprising the Suasana Sentral condominiums, Plaza Sentral office suites and the internationally renowned Kuala Lumpur Hilton and Le Meridien. Currently, several new development projects worth an estimated RM1.2 billion which comprise Plaza Sentral Phase 2 office suites, Lot N office tower, Suasana Sentral Loft condominiums, a shopping mall and serviced apartments are in various stages of development.

Despite the constraints of operating in a highly competitive construction industry, which has been greatly affected by reduced Government spending, the management's perseverance and untiring efforts resulted in the successful awarding of the Federal Route 5 road upgrading project, from Ipoh to Lumut. Most recently, the Group secured another road upgrading project, linking Sabak Bernam and Changkat Jering. The signing of a concession agreement in August 2004 for the privatization of the 18 km Duta-Ulu Kelang Expressway project between the Government of Malaysia and Konsortium Lebuhraya Utara Timur Sdn Bhd, of which MRCB has a 30% equity stake, marks the Group's maiden entry into long-term concessions that can provide a steady flow of earnings to the Group over a long period of time. The project has helped boost our order book as 30% of the construction works of the Expressway will be undertaken by the Group, which mirrors our equity interest. Work on the Expressway is expected to commence by mid 2005.

It gives me great pride to inform you that the Group has successfully completed its first pilot beach rehabilitation project along Teluk Cempedak, Pahang in July 2004. Spurred by the fruits of our success, we will continue to pursue new opportunities in the environmental services sector and expect to receive several new awards in the coming year.

We remain the biggest Malaysian EPC developer of transmission networks, with our RM400 million Sabah East-West Grid scheduled for delivery in 2006. Further, MRCB expects several significant new awards in the transmission sector, in line with the country's continued spending on energy infrastructure.

MAKLUMAT KORPORAT DAN OPERASI (sambungan)

Seperti yang dinyatakan sebelum ini, prestasi kewangan Kumpulan pada tahun ini sebahagian besarnya telah didorong oleh aktiviti pembangunan harta tanah, khususnya Kuala Lumpur Sentral. Kini, pemandangan Kuala Lumpur Sentral telah diperindahkan lagi berikutan siapnya beberapa bangunan menarik dan berprestij, seperti kondominium Suasana Sentral, suit pejabat Plaza Sentral dan dua buah hotel terkemuka di peringkat antarabangsa, iaitu Kuala Lumpur Hilton dan Le Meridien. Buat masa ini, beberapa projek pembangunan baru bernilai lebih kurang RM1.2 bilion yang terdiri daripada suit pejabat Plaza Sentral Fasa 2, menara pejabat Lot N, kondominium Suasana Sentral Loft, sebuah pusat membeli-belah dan pangaspuri servis sedang berada dalam pelbagai tahap pembangunan.

Walaupun berhadapan dengan pelbagai halangan operasi dalam industri pembinaan yang penuh saingan akibat pengurangan ketara perbelanjaan Kerajaan, namun berkat kecekalan dan kegigihan pihak pengurusan berusaha sehingga berjaya memperolehi projek menaiktaraf Jalan Raya Persekutuan Laluan 5, dari Ipoh ke Lumut. Yang terbaru, Kumpulan berjaya memperolehi satu lagi projek menaiktaraf jalan raya yang menghubungkan Sabak Bernam dan Changkat Jering. Perjanjian sebuah projek konsesi Penswastaan Lebuhraya Duta - Ulu Kelang sejauh 18 km yang ditandatangani pada bulan Ogos 2004 di antara Kerajaan Malaysia dan Konsortium Lebuhraya Utara Timur Sdn Bhd, di mana MRCB memegang 30% kepentingan ekuitinya, merupakan pelaburan sulung Kumpulan dalam projek konsesi jangka panjang yang boleh memberi aliran pendapatan yang kukuh kepada Kumpulan. Projek ini telah membantu melonjakkan buku tempahan kami kerana 30% daripada kerja-kerja pembinaan Lebuhraya tersebut akan dilaksanakan oleh Kumpulan, yang mana melambangkan pegangan ekuitinya. Kerja-kerja pembinaan Lebuhraya berkenaan dijangka akan bermula menjelang pertengahan tahun 2005.

Saya dengan sukacitanya memaklumkan kepada anda sekalian bahawa Kumpulan telah berjaya menyiapkan projek perintis pemulihan pantai di sepanjang Teluk Cempedak, Pahang pada bulan Julai 2004. Kejayaan tersebut mendorong kami meneruskan usaha untuk merebut pelbagai peluang baru yang wujud dalam sektor perkhidmatan alam sekitar dan juga menerima beberapa projek baru yang bakal datang.

Kami kekal sebagai kontraktor grid transmisi tenaga terbesar di Malaysia apabila projek tenaga Grid Sabah Timur-Barat bernilai RM400 juta bakal siap pada tahun 2006. Tambahan pula, MRCB dijangka akan mendapat kontrak baru di dalam sektor penghantaran tenaga sejajar dengan perbelanjaan kerajaan dalam infrastruktur tenaga negara.

CORPORATE AND OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS (continued)

I am confident that the Group can continue to maintain an order book in excess of RM1.5 billion, thanks to the untiring efforts and commitment of our management and staff.

In January 2005, the Employees Provident Fund (EPF), increased its equity interest in MRCB from approximately 10.3% to 30.6% following the acquisition of an additional 20% equity. Accordingly, EPF is now the single largest shareholder in MRCB. Perceived as a long-term institutional shareholder with substantial ownership of property assets and development lands throughout Malaysia, the greater role of EPF as a substantial shareholder is expected to bring long-term benefits for the Group through increased synergies at our asset levels.

The current year also saw the implementation of several initiatives by the Group to maintain a high level of operating standards that will help improve product quality. Quality Assurance Key Performance Indicators were introduced to measure the quality of our property products to ensure that they meet a reasonable satisfactory level before handover to our customers. The ISO 9001:2000 accreditation awarded to both MRCB Engineering Sdn Bhd and the operation of Alam Sentral, the Group's retail complex, is proven testimony of the Group's commitment to set measurable quality standards that meet our customers' needs. Another key initiative pursued by the Group is the on-going development of a Customer Relationship Management System (CRM), an innovative solution which focuses primarily on the local property and construction industries. The CRM solution is expected to strengthen the Group's collaborative efforts with customers, partners, suppliers and other stakeholders to create effective and efficient business processes.

MOVING FORWARD

As always, our philosophy is to continue growing our core businesses and assets in a sustainable manner to create good value for our shareholders. Given the promising outlook for the Kuala Lumpur Sentral project, the property and engineering and construction businesses will continue to be the Group's main revenue drivers.

We will continue to participate in more infrastructure, building and construction projects, both locally and abroad. Following the success of our first pilot beach rehabilitation project in Teluk Cempedak, Pahang, the Group is further exploring other business opportunities in the environmental services sector.

MAKLUMAT KORPORAT DAN OPERASI (sambungan)

Saya yakin bahawa Kumpulan akan terus mengekalkan buku tempahan projek sebanyak RM1.5 bilion. Ucapan terima kasih kepada pihak pengurusan dan kakitangan atas usaha gigih dan komitmen mereka untuk mengekalkan tahap buku tempahan projek.

Pada Januari 2005, Kumpulan Wang Simpanan Pekerja (KWSP) telah meningkatkan ekuitinya di dalam MRCB daripada 10.3% kepada 30.6% berikutan penambahan ekuiti sebanyak 20%. Oleh itu, KWSP adalah pemegang saham persendirian terbesar di MRCB. Sebagai pemegang saham institusi jangka panjang yang memiliki pegangan utama dalam aset harta tanah dan tanah untuk pembangunan di seluruh Malaysia, peranan lebih besar yang bakal diterajui oleh KWSP dijangka akan membawa manfaat jangka panjang kepada Kumpulan. Ia akan dicapai melalui peningkatan sinergi aset kita.

Pada tahun semasa, beberapa usaha telah dilaksanakan oleh Kumpulan bagi mengekalkan tahap piawaian operasi yang tinggi supaya ia dapat membantu mempertingkatkan kualiti produknya. Petunjuk Prestasi Jaminan Kualiti telah diperkenalkan untuk mengukur kualiti produk harta tanah bagi memastikan ia memenuhi tahap kepuasan yang diharapkan sebelum diserah kepada para pelanggan. Akreditasi ISO 9001:2000 yang diberikan kepada MRCB Engineering Sdn Bhd, dan operasi Alam Sentral, iaitu kompleks gedung runcit milik Kumpulan, membuktikan komitmen Kumpulan untuk menetapkan satu ukuran piawaian kualiti yang memenuhi keperluan pelanggan. Inisiatif lain yang sedang diusahakan oleh Kumpulan secara berterusan meliputi pembangunan Sistem Pengurusan Perhubungan Pelanggan (CRM), iaitu penyelesaian inovatif yang mengutamakan fokus kepada industri harta tanah dan pembinaan tempatan. Penyelesaian CRM ini dijangka akan mengukuhkan lagi usaha permuafakatan Kumpulan dengan para pelanggan, rakan dalam perniagaan, pembekal dan pemegang kepentingan lain bagi mewujudkan proses perniagaan yang cekap dan berkesan.

MELANGKAH KE HADAPAN

Falsafah perniagaan kami sentiasa ditumpukan kepada usaha berterusan untuk mengembangkan perniagaan dan aset teras kami secara mampan supaya ia mampu mencipta nilai yang memuaskan kepada para pemegang saham kita. Memandangkan projek Kuala Lumpur Sentral menjanjikan masa depan yang cerah, perniagaan harta tanah dan kejuruteraan serta pembinaan dijangka akan terus menjadi penjana hasil yang utama kepada Kumpulan.

Kami akan terus melibatkan diri ke dalam pelbagai projek infrastruktur, bangunan dan pembinaan; sama di dalam maupun di luar negeri. Berikutan kejayaan projek perintis pemulihan pantai di Teluk Cempedak, Pahang, Kumpulan akan meneroka pelbagai peluang perniagaan lain dalam sektor perkhidmatan alam sekitar.

MOVING FORWARD (continued)

The year 2005 started on a positive note for MRCB with EPF becoming the Group's major shareholder. Encouraged by this positive development, we will increase our efforts in ensuring that 2005 will be another successful year for the Group.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Under the guidance of our former Chairman YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail who has resigned with effect from 12 January 2005, MRCB has successfully completed the de-merger exercise, streamlined its core business activities comprising engineering and construction, property and infrastructure, reorganized its corporate and operating structure to a leaner and more focused entity and inculcated a productive work culture driven by a performance-based reward system. I wish to place on record the Board members and my sincere gratitude and appreciation to YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail for his invaluable contributions during his tenure as Chairman. At the same time, I wish to welcome Encik Ahmad Zaki Zahid who was appointed an Independent Non-Executive Director on 12 January 2005.

On behalf of the Board, I would like to thank the management team and all employees of the Group for their unstinting efforts, personal commitment and invaluable contributions made throughout the period. The achievement of the Group's vision and mission, through focused strategies, depends ultimately on their ability and commitment to the Group. I am confident that with their continued loyalty and support, we will achieve many more years of satisfactory performance.

In closing, I wish to reaffirm that the Group remains committed towards creating greater value for our shareholders and other stakeholders. As in the past, we look forward to many more years of close and strong working relationship with our shareholders, other stakeholders, customers, financiers, business partners, suppliers and the relevant authorities in our on-going journey of mutual success growth.

Thank you.

MELANGKAH KE HADAPAN (sambungan)

Tahun 2005 merupakan permulaan yang positif apabila KWSP menjadi pemegang saham utama Kumpulan. Berdasarkan kepada perkembangan positif ini, kami akan terus mempertingkatkan usaha bagi memastikan tahun 2005 akan menjadi satu lagi tahun yang berjaya untuk Kumpulan.

PENGHARGAAN

Di bawah bimbingan Pengurus kami sebelum ini, YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail yang telah meletakkan jawatan berkuatkuasa dari 12 Januari 2005, MRCB telah berjaya melaksanakan usaha pengasingan, mengatur semula aktiviti perniagaan terasnya yang meliputi kejuruteraan dan pembinaan, harta tanah dan infrastruktur, menyusun semula struktur korporat dan operasi untuk membolehkannya menjadi sebuah entiti yang lebih mantap dan berfokus serta memupuk budaya kerja produktif yang didorong oleh sistem ganjaran berdasarkan prestasi. Justeru itu, pihak Lembaga Pengarah dan saya sendiri ingin merakamkan setinggi penghargaan dan terima kasih yang tidak terhingga kepada YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail atas sumbangan tidak terhingga yang beliau berikan sepanjang tempoh memegang jawatan. Pada masa yang sama, saya juga ingin mengalau-alukan perlantikan Encik Ahmad Zaki Zahid sebagai Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bebas pada 12 Januari 2005.

Bagi pihak Lembaga Pengarah, saya ingin mengucapkan terima kasih kepada pihak pengurusan dan seluruh kakitangan Kumpulan atas kegigihan, komitmen peribadi dan sumbangan tidak ternilai yang mereka berikan sepanjang tempoh ini. Pencapaian matlamat wawasan dan misi Kumpulan, melalui strategi yang berfokus, banyak bergantung kepada kemampuan dan komitmen mereka terhadap Kumpulan. Saya yakin bahawa kesetiaan dan sokongan mereka yang berterusan akan membantu kita mencapai prestasi yang lebih membanggakan pada tahun-tahun akan datang.

Akhir sekali, saya ingin menegaskan sekali lagi bahawa Kumpulan akan meneruskan tekad untuk menaikkan nilai pegangan saham yang lebih tinggi untuk para pemegang saham dan pemegang kepentingan lain. Seperti yang sedia wujud sebelumnya, kita berharap semoga hubungan dan kerjasama yang dijalin dengan para pemegang saham, pemegang kepentingan lain, para pelanggan, pembiaya, rakan-rakan perniagaan, para pembekal dan pihak berkuasa berkaitan akan bertambah erat dalam usaha berterusan kita merealisasi pertumbuhan dan kejayaan yang saling memanfaatkan.

Terima kasih.

**Datuk Azlan Zainol
Chairman/Pengurus**

OPERATIONS REVIEW

ULASAN OPERASI



Property Division

Kuala Lumpur Sentral

Property development and investment continue to form the major part of MRCB's core activities. Needless to say, the prestigious Kuala Lumpur Sentral project remains very much at the forefront of the Group's property development portfolio.

The skyline of Kuala Lumpur Sentral has been further enhanced in the past year, with the completion of the 5-star international hotels, Hilton Kuala Lumpur and Le Meridien, located next to Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur, our world-class transit hub.

Kuala Lumpur Sentral is today a bustling 'city centre' with the number of rail commuters increasing significantly, new businesses being established and the fast emergence of a new commercial hub. The progress at Kuala Lumpur Sentral has never been more extensive following the completion of Suasana Sentral, Plaza Sentral and the prestigious 5-star international hotels.

A new burst of developments worth an estimated RM1.2 billion are currently being undertaken at Kuala Lumpur Sentral. These include Plaza Sentral Phase 2 office suites, Lot N office tower, Suasana Sentral Loft condominiums, shopping mall and serviced apartments. Targeted for completion in 2007/2008, these developments will mark the 50% completion of the entire RM4 billion development.

Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur

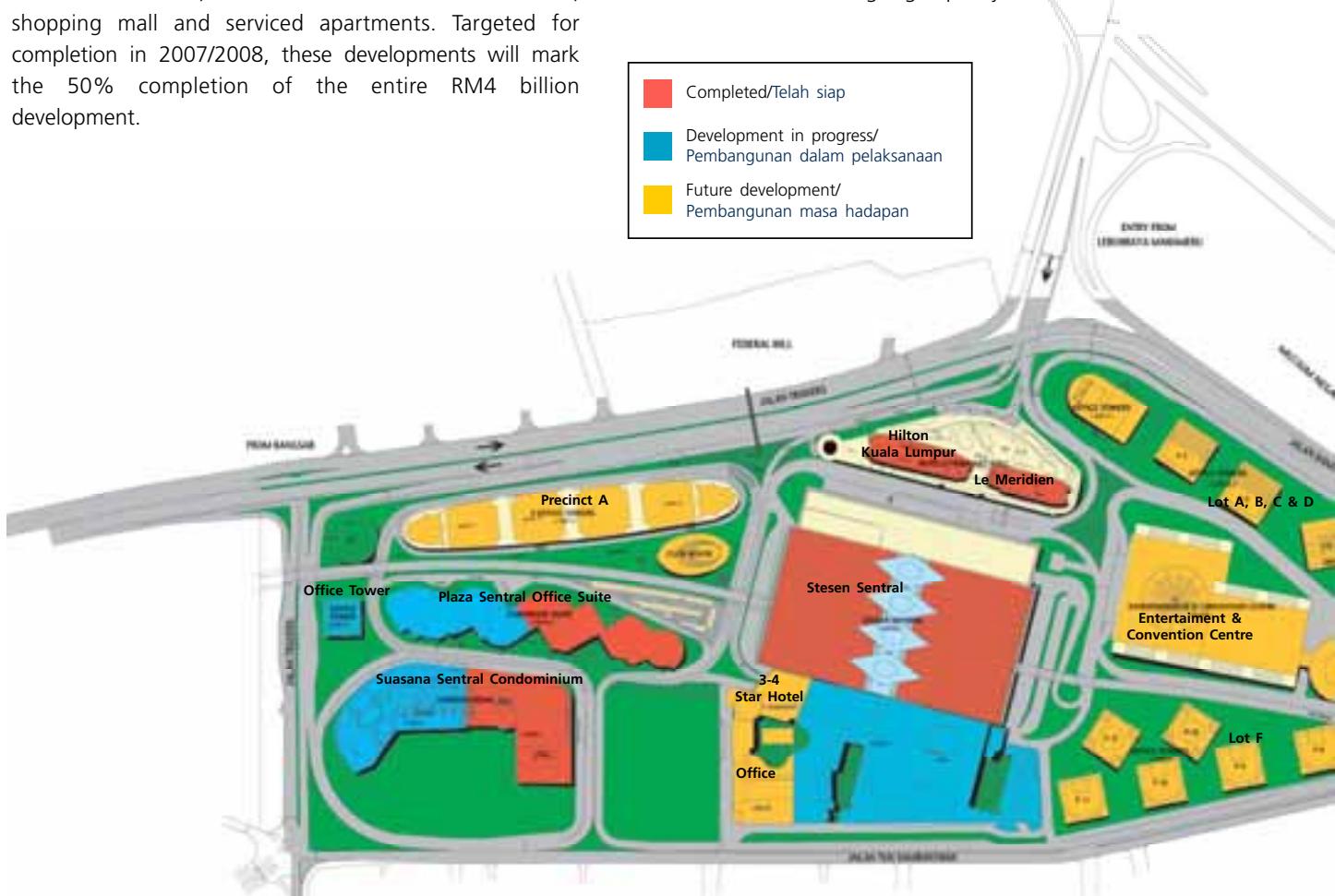
- A World Class Transit Hub

Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur attracts a growing number of commuters, reaching a daily average of 40,000 in 2004. The growth in passenger traffic is in line with the Government's vision of improving the travelling lifestyle of urban Malaysians and enhancing Kuala Lumpur's public transportation system through the use of rail services.

Due to the strategic location of the Kuala Lumpur City Air Terminal, Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur is becoming increasingly popular as a drop-off and pick-up point for KLIA passengers.

Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur emerged a finalist in the Specialised Category of the FIABCI-International Award of Distinction held in Berlin. This international recognition has further enhanced Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur's image as a world-class facility, both in design and quality.

On 27 January 2004, Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd., a wholly-owned subsidiary of MRCB, was awarded a 15-year concession to manage the commercial and operational aspects of Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur, including its retail management, event management, security, customer and public relations. As an ISO 9001 certified company, Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd. is committed to maintaining high quality standards.





Pembangunan Hartanah

Kuala Lumpur Sentral

Pembangunan dan pelaburan harta kekal sebagai nadi utama aktiviti teras MRCB. Projek berprestij, Kuala Lumpur Sentral memang tidak dinafikan kekal sebagai portfolio utama pembangunan harta Kumpulan.

Pemandangan di Kuala Lumpur Sentral bertambah hebat tahun lepas berikutan siapnya mercutanda terkemuka yang terdiri daripada dua buah hotel terkemuka – Hilton Kuala Lumpur dan Le Meridien bertaraf 5 bintang yang terletak bersebelahan Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur, hab transit Malaysia yang bertaraf dunia.

Kini, pertambahan ketara bilangan penumpang pengangkutan rel, pembukaan pelbagai jenis perniagaan baru serta kemunculan sebuah hab perdagangan baru yang sedang pesat berkembang telah berjaya menukar wajah Kuala Lumpur Sentral menjadi sebuah "pusat perniagaan kotaraya" tersendiri. Dengan siapnya Suasana Sentral, Plaza Sentral dan kedua-dua hotel berprestij 5 bintang bertaraf antarabangsa telah menjadikan kemajuan di Kuala Lumpur Sentral semakin pesat.

Beberapa pembangunan baru bernilai kira-kira RM1.2 bilion juga sedang dilaksanakan dengan pesat di Kuala Lumpur Sentral. Ia meliputi suit pejabat Plaza Sentral Fasa 2, Menara pejabat Lot N, Kondominium Suasana Sentral Loft, gedung membeli-belah dan panggupi sedia khidmat. Pembangunan yang dijangka siap pada tahun 2007/2008 ini melambangkan peringkat 50% siapnya keseluruhan projek pembangunan yang bernilai RM4 bilion ini.

Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur – Hab Transit Bertaraf Dunia

Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur berjaya menarik semakin ramai penumpang yang kini telah mencapai bilangan purata 40,000 penumpang sehari dalam tahun 2004. Bilangan yang semakin bertambah ini adalah sejajar dengan wawasan Kerajaan untuk mempertingkatkan cara hidup kembara rakyat Malaysia yang tinggal di bandar dan pada masa yang sama, mempertingkatkan sistem pengangkutan awam Kuala Lumpur melalui penggunaan perkhidmatan rel.

Lokasi Terminal Udara Kotaraya Kuala Lumpur yang strategik menjadikan Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur semakin popular sebagai pusat menurun dan mengambil penumpang KLIA.

Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur muncul sebagai calon peringkat akhir di bawah Kategori Khas 'FIABCI-International Award of Distinction' yang diadakan di Berlin. Pengiktirafan antarabangsa ini telah mempertingkatkan lagi imej Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur sebagai salah sebuah kemudahan infrastruktur bertaraf dunia, baik dari segi rekabentuk maupun kualiti.

Pada 27 Januari 2004, Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd., sebuah anak syarikat milik penuh MRCB telah diberi konsesi selama 15 tahun untuk mengurus aktiviti komersil dan operasi Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur. Ia termasuk pengurusan gedung runcit, pengurusan acara, keselamatan, perhubungan pelanggan dan juga perhubungan awam. Sebagai sebuah syarikat yang telah diperakui mematuhi sistem pengurusan kualiti ISO 9001, Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd. sentiasa komited untuk mengekalkan tahap piawaian kualiti yang tinggi.

Memandangkan wujud keperluan untuk mengadakan kawalan keselamatan sepanjang masa di dalam dan di sekitar satu-satunya hab transit bersepadu di negara ini, Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd. telah mendapatkan kelulusan daripada Polis Diraja Malaysia untuk menubuhkan satu pasukan kakitangan keselamatan yang dilengkapkan dengan kuasa polis bantuan bagi menjaga keselamatan seluruh kawasan pembangunan seluas 72 ekar ini.



Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur – A World Class Transit Hub (continued)

Given the need to ensure that there is round-the-clock security in and around the nation's only integrated transit hub, Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd. has obtained the approval of the Royal Malaysian Police to have a team of security personnel with auxiliary police power to safeguard the security of the entire 72-acre development.

Branding Exercise

Having successfully completed the first phase of a branding exercise in 2003 to promote greater awareness of the entire 72-acre development, Kuala Lumpur Sentral, in 2004, continued with its brand awareness campaign focusing on the overall project development. A property symposium, which was organised as part of the campaign, received encouraging feedback from investors as they were captivated by the different components that make up Kuala Lumpur Sentral as an integrated development built around a transportation hub.

Progress of Kuala Lumpur Sentral development

Plaza Sentral

Many corporations have enjoyed the benefits of being in a central location with good accessibility within a metropolitan environment. This is reflected by the full occupancy of Plaza Sentral Phase 1 by mostly blue chip multinationals, and other reputable local organisations.

Plaza Sentral Phase 2, comprising four blocks with a total saleable area of 642,000 sq. ft., has received encouraging sales since its launch in September 2003. To-date, 90% of the total net floor area has been sold and/or booked.

Construction of Phase 2 commenced in February 2004 and is targeted to be completed by end 2006 with handover within six months thereafter.



Suasana Sentral Condominiums

In 2003, the remaining units of the luxurious Suasana Sentral condominiums were sold. This is a clear indication of the increasing attractiveness of premier residential properties that are in close proximity to a transit hub.

Riding on the success of Suasana Sentral, MRCB entered into a joint-venture with UM Land Berhad in 2004 to undertake the second (2nd) phase of condominiums, known as Suasana Sentral Loft. It is envisaged that all units will be "snapped up" upon completion given investors' growing confidence for choice properties, both residential and commercial in Kuala Lumpur Sentral. To-date, 50% of units have been sold within three months of bookings being opened to purchasers.

Five-star International Hotels – Hilton Kuala Lumpur & Le Meridien

The five-star Hilton Kuala Lumpur and Le Meridien, owned by Daito and Daisho of Japan, opened their doors for business on 22 September 2004 and 8 October 2004, respectively. The milestone signifies Kuala Lumpur Sentral's shift into a new dimension of prestige. Kuala Lumpur Sentral is proud to host these top-notch international hotels with a view to attract people from all over the world to its integrated development.





Usaha Penampilan Jenama

Setelah berjaya menyiapkan fasa pertama usaha penjenamaan pada tahun 2003 yang bertujuan menggalakkan kesedaran yang lebih tinggi terhadap keseluruhan kawasan pembangunan seluas 72 ekar ini, Kuala Lumpur Sentral telah meneruskan kempen kesedaran jenamanya pada tahun 2004 dengan memberi tumpuan kepada pembangunan projek secara keseluruhan. Sebuah simposium harta tanah yang dianjurkan sebagai sebahagian daripada matlamat kempen ini telah mendapat maklum balas menggalakkan daripada para pelabur kerana mereka kagum terhadap kepelbagaiannya komponen yang membentuk Kuala Lumpur Sentral sebagai sebuah pembangunan bersepadu yang dibina di sekeliling sebuah hab pengangkutan.

Kemajuan Pembangunan Kuala Lumpur Sentral

Plaza Sentral

Banyak syarikat telah mendapat manfaat kerana berada di sebuah lokasi pusat yang menyediakan akses yang memuaskan dan beroperasi di sebuah persekitaran metropolitan. Ini terbukti melalui kadar penghunian penuh yang dinikmati oleh Plaza Sentral Fasa 1 yang kebanyakannya dihuni oleh syarikat multinasional terkemuka dan organisasi tempatan yang ternama.

Plaza Sentral Fasa 2 yang merangkumi empat blok dengan ruang boleh jual seluas 642,000 kaki persegi telah mendapat sambutan jualan yang menggalakkan sejak dilancarkan pada bulan September 2003. Sehingga kini, 90% daripada jumlah keluasan yang digunakan telah habis dijual/ditempah.

Pembinaan Fasa 2 telah dimulakan pada bulan Februari 2004 dan dijadual siap pada akhir tahun 2006. Ia akan diserahkan kepada para pembeli enam bulan selepas itu.

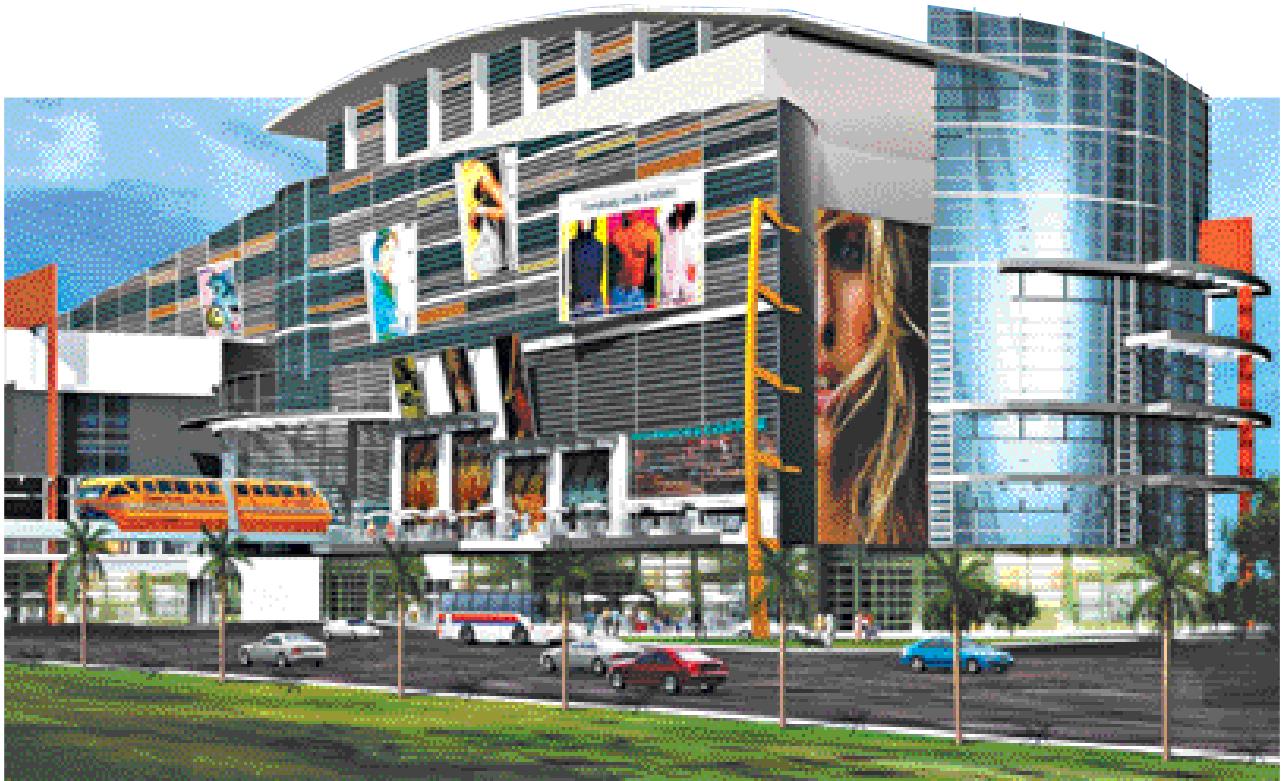
Kondominium Suasana Sentral

Baki unit kondominium mewah Suasana Sentral telah habis dijual pada tahun 2003. Ini jelas membuktikan minat yang semakin meningkat harta tanah kediaman bertaraf perdana yang terletak berhampiran hab transit.

Berasaskan kejayaan menjual semua unit kondominium Suasana Sentral, MRCB telah memeterai perjanjian usahasama dengan UM Land Berhad pada tahun 2004 untuk melaksanakan pembangunan kondominium fasa kedua (2) yang dikenali sebagai Suasana Sentral Loft. Semua unit kondominium ini dijangka akan "habis direbut" apabila siap kelak kerana para pelabur semakin yakin terhadap harta tanah di lokasi terpilih, baik harta tanah kediaman mahupun harta tanah komersil yang dibangunkan di Kuala Lumpur Sentral. Setakat ini, 50% daripada keseluruhan unit di Suasana Sentral Loft telah habis dijual dalam jangkamasa tiga bulan sejak ia dibuka untuk jualan.

Hotel Antarabangsa Bertaraf Lima Bintang – Hilton Kuala Lumpur & Le Meridien

Dengan siapnya hotel bertaraf lima bintang, Hilton Kuala Lumpur dan Le Meridien, yang dimiliki oleh Syarikat Daito and Daisho dari Jepun, telah memulakan perniagaan, masing-masing pada 22 September 2004 dan 8 Oktober 2004. Mercutanda ini menggambarkan peralihan Kuala Lumpur Sentral ke satu dimensi berprestij yang baru. Kuala Lumpur Sentral berbangga dengan adanya hotel bertaraf antarabangsa di pembangunan bersepadu ini. Ia telah berjaya menarik minat ramai dari dalam dan luar negara terhadap pembangunan Kuala Lumpur Sentral ini.



Integrated Retail Centre

The Lot G integrated retail project is being developed by UDA Holdings Berhad, our associate company. Lot G is earmarked to be a unique shopping mall that comes complete with an entertainment floor, a twelve-screen cineplex, a 24-lane bowling alley, floating F & B area, micro-retailing area, as well as floors that are designated to cater to specific needs. Upon completion, the shopping mall is expected to increase Kuala Lumpur Sentral's value as a new commercial hub.

The shopping mall is expected to be a haven for shopping, dining and entertainment as it is easily accessible through Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur's integrated rail network. Equally, prospective tenants are expected to reap the benefits of an increased inflow of consumers and residents following the completion of business suites, a 4-star hotel and a leading-edge office.

Based on the 3Cs' – convergence, connectivity and convenience – the shopping mall will help transform the way people live, work and play.

Lot N

The five-star office tower being constructed on Lot N was sold to Lembaga Tabung Haji on the back of guaranteed investment returns for 15 years and a long-term tenancy agreement by one of the top five accounting firms in the world.

Designed and built according to the tenant's specifications, this 33-storey purpose-built office tower will adopt a hotel concept where personnel throughout the region who come on assignments are given a workstation or a meeting room, for short periods of time – a convenient and practical approach that is a growing trend in global markets.

Construction of this building has commenced and is expected to be completed by early 2007.

The Lot N office tower will be KL Sentral's first five-star intelligent building for offices and is essential to the Company's vision of a world-class development, and a brand new commercial hub in Kuala Lumpur.

Gedung Membeli-belah Bersepadu

Projek Gedung Membeli-belah Bersepadu Lot G akan dibangunkan oleh UDA Holdings Berhad. Lot G telah dirancang untuk menjadi sebuah gedung membeli-belah yang dilengkapi dengan ruang hiburan, sebuah cineplex 12 layar, gelanggang boling 24 lorong, kawasan F & B terapung, kawasan runcit "mikro" serta beberapa tingkat yang disediakan untuk memenuhi keperluan tertentu. Apabila siap nanti, gedung membeli-belah ini dijangka akan meningkatkan nilai Kuala Lumpur Sentral sebagai sebuah hab komersil yang baru.

Gedung membeli-belah ini akan menjadi syurga membeli-belah, menjamu selera dan berhibur kerana ia mempunyai laluan keluar masuk yang mudah melalui Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur yang menyediakan rangkaian rel bersepadu. Di samping itu juga, bakal penyewa dijangka akan mendapat banyak manfaat daripada aliran pengguna dan penghuni kediaman yang semakin ramai berikutnya siapnya suit perniagaan, sebuah hotel bertaraf 4 bintang dan bangunan pejabat serba canggih.

Berasaskan kepada konsep 3C – "convergence", "connectivity" dan "convenience" – gedung membeli-belah ini akan membantu mengubah cara hidup masyarakat bandar baik dari segi tempat tinggal, bekerja dan bersukaria.



Lot N

Bangunan bertaraf 5 bintang yang akan dibina di Lot N telah dijual kepada Lembaga Tabung Haji. Ia disertai dengan jaminan pulangan pelaburan selama 15 tahun dan perjanjian penyewaan jangka panjang oleh salah sebuah daripada lima firma perakaunan paling terkemuka di dunia. Rekabentuk dan susun atur bangunan tersebut sangat berkesan kerana ia mampu memenuhi tahap kepadatan yang tinggi pada satu-satu masa.

Menara pejabat setinggi 33 tingkat ini direkabentuk dan dibina khusus mengikut spesifikasi penyewanya. Ia menggunakan konsep sebuah hotel di mana kakitangan dari seluruh rantau ini yang datang untuk menjalankan tugas bagi tempoh yang singkat akan diberi ruang pejabat kecil atau bilik mesyuarat. Ia juga merupakan satu pendekatan pembangunan yang memberikan keselesaan dan pendekatan praktikal selaras dengan aliran baru yang semakin menjadi tarikan di dalam pasaran global.

Pembinaan bangunan ini telah dimulakan dan dijangka siap pada awal 2007.

Bangunan Lot N merupakan bangunan bertaraf 5 bintang yang pertama dan mempunyai pejabat pintar yang penting untuk memenuhi visi Syarikat yang mahukan pembangunan ini bertaraf dunia dan juga sebuah hab komersil yang baru di Kuala Lumpur.



Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd. (SIDEK)

Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd. continued to perform well in 2004 following the delivery of a total of 1,114 units of affordably-priced homes to proud owners. The handover ceremony held in March 2004 was officiated by the Menteri Besar of Perak who expressed satisfaction in the quality of value-for-money products. SIDEK's commitment towards maintaining high quality standards has resulted in the implementation of MS ISO 9001:2000 practices and procedures. It is envisaged that SIDEK will receive its Certification in mid 2005.

During the year, SIDEK also launched an additional 341 units of single and double storey terrace houses. Various promotional and marketing activities were held including a special "Beli dan Labur" scheme launched in May 2004, in collaboration with American International Assurance Co. Ltd. SIDEK is also pursuing potential investors to invest in Bandar Seri Iskandar and is currently in the midst of finalizing a joint-venture to set up a racing circuit in the township.

As part of its community related service, SIDEK has provided residents of Bandar Seri Iskandar with an 800m x 20m public recreational park. Completed in March 2004, the park's facilities which include a designated jogging area complete with various exercise workstations, a football field and a children's playground are well utilised by residents and those from nearby neighbourhoods. In addition, SIDEK is also in the midst of constructing a surau for the community that is scheduled to be completed by May 2005. Built to accommodate 300 people, the surau will support the harmonious and community living at Bandar Seri Iskandar.

SIDEC (continued)

To ensure a resourceful staff force, SIDEK conducts regular staff development and training programmes. During the year, the staff were sent on study trips to observe first-hand other townships and to exchange views on landscaping, building architecture, environment maintenance and lifestyle concepts. SIDEK also held other training programmes for its staff in line with MRCB's Passion for Excellence programme.

MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd.

2004 was an extremely busy year for the Group's wholly owned subsidiary, MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd. (MRCB Utama). Throughout the year, MRCB Utama completed and handed over keys to 468 proud homeowners in Kajang Utama, a mixed residential development strategically located between Kajang and Putrajaya with immediate linkage to the SILK Highway.

In April 2004, 109 units of Parcel 1 Peak 208 were handed over to homeowners followed by another 99 units of Parcel 2 in July 2004. Peak 208 comprises 208 units of beautiful double-storey terrace houses, 66 of which come with dual frontage.

The Kayangan Shop Apartments comprising 260 units of apartments and 44 shops were successfully completed and handed over in September 2004. The apartments, with a minimum built up area of 712 sq. ft. was attractively priced at an affordable RM54,000 per unit, resulting in all units being completely snapped up within 3 months from the date of its launch.





Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd. (SIDEK)

Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd. (SIDEK) terus menunjukkan prestasi memuaskan pada tahun 2004 berikutan kemampuan Syarikat menyiap dan menyerahkan sejumlah 1,114 unit kediaman mampu milik kepada para pembelinya. Majlis penyerahan yang dilangsungkan pada bulan Mac 2004 ini telah dirasmikan oleh Menteri Besar Perak yang telah menyuarakan kepuasan beliau terhadap kualiti produk yang menepati nilai wang yang dibelanjakan. Komitmen untuk mengekalkan tahap piawaian kualiti yang tinggi telah mendorong SIDEK untuk melaksanakan amalan dan prosedur sistem pengurusan kualiti MS ISO 9001:2000. SIDEK dijangka akan menerima Pengesahan tersebut pada pertengahan tahun 2005.

Pada tahun ini, SIDEK juga telah melancarkan sebanyak 341 unit rumah teres satu dan dua tingkat. Ia juga telah melaksanakan pelbagai aktiviti promosi dan pemasaran, termasuk skim khas "Beli dan Labur" yang dilancarkan pada bulan Mei 2004, dengan kerjasama American International Assurance Co. Ltd. SIDEK sedang berusaha untuk menarik minat para pelabur supaya melabur di Bandar Seri Iskandar dan kini sedang dalam peringkat akhir untuk memeterai perjanjian usahasama bagi membina sebuah litar lumba di perbandaran tersebut.

Sebagai sebahagian daripada aktiviti khidmat kemasyarakatannya, SIDEK telah menyediakan sebuah taman rekreasi awam seluas 800m x 20m untuk penduduk Bandar Seri Iskandar. Kemudahan di taman yang telah siap pada bulan Mac 2004 ini meliputi sebuah kawasan jogging yang dilengkapi dengan pelbagai peralatan latihan jasmani, sebuah padang bola dan sebuah taman permainan kanak-kanak yang kini sudah digunakan dengan selesa oleh para penduduk setempat dan penduduk dari kawasan kejiranannya. Selain itu, SIDEK juga sedang membina sebuah surau untuk masyarakat setempat yang akan disiapkan pada bulan Mei 2005. Surau yang boleh menampung seramai 300 orang jemaah itu akan mewujudkan suasana yang harmoni dan kehidupan bermasyarakat yang lebih sempurna di Bandar Seri Iskandar.

SIDEC (sambungan)

SIDEC mengendalikan program pembangunan dan latihan kakitangan secara kerap untuk memastikan kakitangannya sentiasa berdaya maju. Pada tahun ini, beberapa orang kakitangannya telah mengadakan lawatan sambil belajar, melihat dari dekat pembangunan di perbandaran yang dilawati serta bertukar-tukar pandangan dalam bidang berkaitan lanskap, seni bina bangunan dan konsep gaya hidup. SIDEK juga telah mengadakan beberapa program latihan untuk kakitangannya sejarah dengan program membina semangat MRCB ke arah kecemerlangan.

MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd.

Tahun 2004 merupakan satu tahun yang amat sibuk bagi MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd. (MRCB Utama), anak syarikat milik penuh Kumpulan. Sepanjang tahun tersebut, MRCB Utama telah menyiap dan menyerahkan kunci kepada 468 para pemilik unit di Kajang Utama. Kajang Utama adalah sebuah pembangunan kediaman bercampur-campur yang strategik, terletak antara Kajang dan Putrajaya dan mempunyai laluan sambungan terus ke Lebuhraya SILK.

Pada bulan April 2004, 109 unit Parsel 1 Peak 208 telah diserahkan kepada para pemiliknya, diikuti dengan 99 unit Parsel 2 pada bulan Julai 2004. Peak 208 meliputi 208 unit rumah teres dua tingkat yang cantik, manakala 66 unitnya dibina dengan mempunyai dua halaman.

Parsel Pangsapuri Kedai Kayangan yang terdiri daripada 260 unit pangsapuri dan 44 unit kedai telah berjaya disiap dan diserahkan kepada para pembelinya pada bulan September 2004. Pangsapuri dengan keluasan binaan dalaman minimum 712 kaki persegi telah dijual pada harga yang berpatutan sebanyak RM54,000 seunit dan ia adalah kediaman yang mampu dimiliki. Oleh sebab itu, semua unit habis dijual dalam tempoh tiga bulan dari tarikh pelancarannya.



MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd. (continued)

During the year, the Company is also progressing with the construction of 210 units of smart home apartment units. Sutera Apartment is the first-ever smart home living concept introduced in Kajang for medium cost dwellings. The smart home concept comes with both standard and optional features. Standard features include automated lights and power points plus a CCTV and an alarm system. Homeowners can upgrade the standard features by adding optional features, which include motion and sunray detectors.

In Melaka, MRCB Utama's maiden project, Taman Seri Serkam, comprising 99 units of low cost houses and 125 units of medium cost houses were successfully completed and handed over to home owners in February 2004. This residential development is a joint-venture with MAIM Holdings Berhad.

MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd.

MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd. is the owner and manager of two distinctive property landmarks in Shah Alam namely Menara MRCB, the 21-storey office block with over 200,000 sq.ft of lettable area and Plaza Alam Sentral, the biggest shopping centre in Shah Alam with a total lettable area of over 420,000 sq. ft.

Menara MRCB

Menara MRCB is currently 100% tenanted which is indeed very commendable given the over supply of office space. Tahan Insurance is the major external tenant occupying over 50% of the lettable area. Other notable tenants are Bank Bumiputra Commerce and Bank Islam. Menara MRCB's ability to maintain high occupancy rates is expected to further enhance the value of the property.

Plaza Alam Sentral

Aggressive marketing efforts conducted in 2004 have helped boost Alam Sentral's occupancy rate to over 80%. The latest single tenant, Registrar of Companies (ROC), has taken up a total area of 24,740 sq. ft.

Alam Sentral's management will continue to pursue its aggressive marketing activities to create greater awareness about the shopping centre's key advantages. This includes having an on-going advertising and promotion campaign that is targeted to attract more consumers with higher purchasing power and potential tenants with established brands. The recent changes that were made to reorganise the layout of the common areas have not only helped improve the ambience of the shopping centre but in the process, also opened up greater income-generating opportunities.

MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd. (sambungan)

Pada tahun ini, MRCB Utama juga sedang rancak membina 210 unit pangsapuri kediaman pintar. Pangsapuri Sutera merupakan satu-satunya kediaman kos sederhana berkonsep pintar yang pertama diperkenalkan di Kajang. Konsep kediaman pintar ini menyediakan dua ciri pilihan iaitu ciri piawai dan ciri pilihan. Ciri piawai meliputi lampu, titik kuasa automatik dan CCTV serta sistem penggera. Pemilik kediaman boleh menaiktaraf ciri piawai dengan menambah ciri-ciri pilihan lain yang meliputi pengesan pergerakan dan sinaran cahaya matahari.

Projek pertama MRCB Utama di Melaka iaitu Taman Seri Serkam yang meliputi 99 unit rumah kos rendah dan 125 unit rumah kos sederhana berjaya disiap dan diserahkan kepada para pemiliknya pada bulan Februari 2004. Pembangunan kediaman ini adalah usahasama di antara MRCB Utama dengan MAIM Holdings Berhad.

MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd.

MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd. adalah pemilik dan pengurus dua buah harta tanah mercutanda yang terkemuka di Shah Alam. Harta tanah tersebut merangkumi Menara MRCB yang merupakan sebuah blok pejabat 21 tingkat dengan ruang boleh disewakan seluas lebih 200,000 kaki persegi dan Plaza Alam Sentral yang merupakan sebuah pusat membeli-belah terbesar di Shah Alam dengan ruang boleh disewakan seluas lebih 420,000 kaki persegi.

Menara MRCB

Kini, Menara yang MRCB telah 100% disewakan, berjaya mengatasi kebiasaan pasaran yang sedang menghadapi lebihan bekalan ruang pejabat. Tahan Insurance merupakan penyewa luar yang menghuni lebih 50% daripada ruang yang boleh disewakan. Penyewa lain meliputi Bank Bumiputra Commerce dan Bank Islam. Menara MRCB akan terus menikmati kadar penghunian tinggi yang seterusnya akan membantu menjana nilai yang lebih tinggi kepada harta tanah tersebut.

Plaza Alam Sentral

Usaha pemasaran yang dijalankan secara agresif pada tahun 2004 telah membantu melonjakkan kadar penghunian di Alam Sentral kepada lebih 80%. Pendaftar Syarikat (ROC) merupakan penyewanya yang terbaru dan terbesar yang memenuhi ruang seluas 24,740 kaki persegi.

Pengurusan Alam Sentral akan meneruskan kempen pemasaran dan komunikasi secara agresif bagi mewujudkan tahap kesedaran yang lebih tinggi supaya ia dapat menampilkannya sebagai sebuah pusat membeli-belah yang mempunyai kelebihan daya saing. Usaha ini meliputi kempen pengiklanan dan promosi berterusan yang bertujuan untuk menarik tahap kunjungan pengguna berkuasa beli lebih tinggi dan bakal penyewa yang memegang jenama terkemuka. Perubahan yang melibatkan penyusunan semula susun atur ruang legarnya baru-baru ini bukan sahaja telah mempertingkatkan suasana di sekeliling pusat membeli-belah itu, malah pada masa yang sama, telah membuka lebih banyak peluang yang menjana lebih banyak pendapatan kepada para penyewanya.



Plaza Alam Sentral (continued)

Alam Sentral intends to enhance its reputation as a shopping centre in Shah Alam that offers a differentiated specialty product mix. Towards this end, there is a concerted effort to secure tenants, in particular various specialty retail outlets, whose products appeal to the discerning taste of a growing middle class market residing in and around the vicinity of Shah Alam. In 2005, Alam Sentral will open the biggest IT and digital lifestyle centre in Shah Alam.

A total area of 40,000 sq. ft. has been allocated within the shopping centre to establish an electronic and electrical retail centre comprising various outlets that specialise in electronics, electrical and IT products. Leveraging on the strength of housing the largest IT centre, Alam Sentral is well poised to serve the growing needs of consumers, particularly those residing in the Subang/Klang vicinity. Full occupancy is expected by June 2005.

As a quality-driven company, MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd. (MSCSB) has always been mindful of the need to ensure superior customer satisfaction. In 2004, MSCSB attained the ISO 9001:2000 Accreditation from UKAS for quality commercial and residential property management services. The attainment of this internationally recognised and highly coveted quality certification bears ample proof to the Company's ability to continuously raise its level of service.

Engineering & Construction Division

It is heartening to report that despite operating in an extremely competitive environment, the Engineering and Construction Division ("E&C") managed to secure RM434 million worth of projects for the year under review. Revenue, comprising mainly new projects, increased by 77% as compared to the previous year. This was primarily due to the Division's pro-active approach with government agencies and related companies within the Group to secure projects. Efforts were also made to secure contracts through open tenders.

During the year, MRCB divested its entire interest in Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad which holds a 75% equity in Zelleco Construction Sdn. Bhd. for a consideration of RM41.8 million.

Moving forward, the Division will continue to adopt various strategies to increase its order book. These include intensifying our face-to-face approach with government agencies and related companies and exploring joint venture development prospects with land owners, leveraging on the Division's proven track record in the construction sector. Mention must be made of the reality that the need to venture overseas is no longer an option but a necessity to ensure the Division's long-term sustainability. This is because of an extremely competitive environment that has been further exacerbated due to limited infrastructure development projects in Malaysia. Plans are in store to establish joint ventures and strategic alliances to tap increasing opportunities, particularly in the energy and infrastructure sectors, in developing countries and the Middle East.



Plaza Alam Sentral (sambungan)

Alam Sentral bertekad untuk mempertingkatkan reputasinya sebagai satu-satunya pusat membeli-belah di Shah Alam yang menawarkan pelbagai produk tertentu yang berlainan dan istimewa. Bagi mencapai matlamat tersebut, usaha gigih telah dilaksanakan untuk menarik para penyewa, terutamanya penyewa beraneka gedung istimewa yang dapat menepati citara pasaran kelas menengah di dalam dan di sekitar Bandaraya Shah Alam. Pada tahun 2005, Alam Sentral akan membuka pusat teknologi maklumat dan digital terbesar di Shah Alam.

Ruang seluas 40,000 kaki persegi telah diperuntukkan di pusat membeli-belah ini untuk dijadikan sebuah gedung barang elektrik dan elektronik yang terdiri daripada kedai-kedai yang menjual produk elektronik, elektrik dan perisian teknologi maklumat. Dengan memanfaatkan kedudukannya sebagai pusat Teknologi Maklumat terbesar, Alam Sentral akan mampu memenuhi keperluan pengguna yang semakin meningkat, terutamanya mereka yang tinggal di kawasan Subang/Kelang. Pusat ini dijangka akan menikmati kadar penghunian penuh menjelang bulan Jun 2005.

Sebagai sebuah syarikat yang komited terhadap kualiti, MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd. (MSCSB) sentiasa peka terhadap keperluan untuk memastikan pelanggan mencapai tahap kepuasan yang terbaik. Pada tahun 2004, MSCSB berjaya memperolehi Akreditasi ISO 9001:2000 daripada UKAS bagi perkhidmatan pengurusan harta tanah perdagangan dan kediaman. Pencapaian pengesahan kualiti yang diiktiraf dan diperakui di peringkat antarabangsa ini cukup untuk membuktikan kemampuan Syarikat mempertingkatkan tahap perkhidmatannya secara berterusan.



Bahagian Kejuruteraan & Pembinaan (sambungan)

Pada tahun ini, MRCB telah menjual keseluruhan kepentingannya dalam Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad yang juga memiliki 75% kepentingan ekuiti dalam Zelleco Construction Sdn. Bhd., dengan bayaran sebanyak RM41.8 juta.

Sebagai langkah ke hadapan, Bahagian ini akan terus mengamalkan pelbagai strategi untuk meningkatkan lagi buku tempahan kerjanya. Ini termasuk memperhebatkan pendekatan berurus terus dengan pelbagai agensi dan syarikat kerajaan serta meneroka prospek pembangunan secara usahasama dengan pemilik tanah di samping memanfaatkan rekod pencapaian Bahagian dalam sektor pembinaan. Kita juga harus menerima hakikat bahawa langkah meluaskan penglibatan perniagaan ke luar negara bukan lagi merupakan satu pilihan, tetapi sebaliknya satu keperluan bagi memastikan Bahagian ini terus menikmati pertumbuhan mampan dalam jangkamasa panjang. Ini adalah disebabkan oleh persekitaran yang penuh saingan yang bertambah sukar akibat kekurangan projek pembangunan infrastruktur di Malaysia. Rancangan sudah diatur untuk mewujudkan usahasama dan permuafakatan strategik bagi merebut peluang yang semakin meningkat, terutamanya dalam sektor tenaga dan infrastruktur, di beberapa buah negara sedang membangun dan di Timur Tengah.

Bahagian Kejuruteraan & Pembinaan

Pencapaian Bahagian Kejuruteraan dan Pembinaan ("E&C") adalah amat membanggakan walaupun beroperasi dalam persekitaran yang penuh persaingan. Bahagian E&C mampu mendapatkan kontrak untuk projek bernilai RM434 juta pada tahun yang ditinjau. Hasil yang diperolehi, sebahagian besarnya merangkumi projek-projek baru, mencatatkan peningkatan sebanyak 77% berbanding pencapaian pada tahun sebelumnya. Kejayaan ini sebahagian besarnya disebabkan oleh pendekatan proaktif yang dilaksanakan oleh Bahagian ini terhadap pelbagai agensi serta syarikat kerajaan demi mendapatkan projek. Usaha lain juga sudah dijalankan untuk mendapatkan kontrak melalui tender terbuka.



Commercial & Infrastructure

MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd., which spearheads the Division's commercial and infrastructure construction activities, commenced construction of Plaza Sentral 2 and Lot N. These are the latest commercial office blocks that are being constructed within the Kuala Lumpur Sentral development. Plaza Sentral 2 is well on track for completion by February 2006.

The Division has received Letters of Award to undertake the Federal Route 5 – Ipoh-Lumut and Sabak Bernam-Changkat Jering upgrading of highways. Of the two projects, work has already commenced on the upgrading of the Ipoh-Lumut highway, a RM175 million project. The Division is also actively holding discussions with the Ministry of Health to secure the Permai Psychiatric Hospital construction project.

Residential

Milmix Sdn. Bhd. (Milmix) secured a contract to construct 32 units of shop offices and 73 units of medium cost double-storey terrace houses at Bandar Seri Iskandar (BSI), Perak Darul Ridzuan. BSI is a development project undertaken by Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd., a joint-venture company between Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd., a subsidiary of MRCB and the Perak State Development Corporation (PKNP). Milmix is on schedule to meet delivery deadline of all units in 2005.

Residential (continued)

Given the constraints of operating in a highly competitive environment, Milmix is expected to focus on negotiated projects and joint-venture developments to ensure higher returns, which include sourcing more construction projects from the Group and exploring the large land bank that has been earmarked for development.

Transmission and Distribution

During the year under review, the Energy Division, through Transmission Technology Sdn. Bhd., secured additional work involving underground cabling and new contract for Supervisory Control And Data Acquisition (SCADA) which are linked to the Sabah East-West 275kV Grid Interconnection project. Presently, 60% of the Sabah East-West 275kV project has been completed. However, the completion of the overall project has been extended to 2006 due to Sabah Electricity Sdn. Bhd's decision to relocate the Kasigui sub-station to a site at Kolopis in view of severe flooding that has occurred at the present site.

The Division also actively participates in local and international tenders and is currently awaiting the awarding of the 275kV Transmission Line Kelemak-Melaka.

The Company is ever mindful of the need to ensure staff safety at all times. As such, a safety awareness campaign was held from 6 to 9 September 2004 specifically for those involved in the construction of 275kV transmission Lines and Substation. The objectives of the campaign were to instil greater safety and health awareness among staff and workers and to ensure that the dissemination of information on safety and health aspects through various communication channels is reaching the target groups.



Perdagangan & Infrastruktur

MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd., yang mengembangkan aktiviti perdagangan dan infrastruktur Bahagian ini telah memulakan pembinaan Plaza Sentral 2 dan Lot N. Kedua-dua pembangunan ini merupakan blok pejabat perdagangan terkini yang sedang dibina dalam pembangunan Kuala Lumpur Sentral. Plaza Sentral 2 sedang dibina mengikut jadual untuk disiapkan pada bulan Februari 2006.

Bahagian ini telah menerima dua Surat Serah Kerja untuk menaiktaraf lebuhraya Laluan 5 Persekutuan – Ipoh-Lumut dan juga Sabak Bernam-Changkat Jering. Antara keduanya projek tersebut, kerja bagi projek menaiktaraf Lebuhraya Ipoh-Lumut bernilai RM175 juta ini telah pun dimulakan. Bahagian ini juga sedang mengadakan perbincangan secara aktif dengan Kementerian Kesihatan untuk mendapatkan projek pembinaan Hospital Pesakit Jiwa Permai.

Kediaman

Milmix Sdn. Bhd. (Milmix) telah berjaya mendapatkan kontrak untuk membina 32 unit kedai pejabat dan 73 unit rumah teres dua tingkat kos sederhana di Bandar Seri Iskandar (BSI), Perak Darul Ridzuan. BSI adalah sebuah projek pembangunan yang dijalankan oleh Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd., sebuah syarikat usahasama di antara Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd., anak syarikat MRCB dan Perbadanan Kemajuan Negeri Perak (PKNP). Kerja yang dijalankan oleh Milmix menepati rancangan penyerahan semua unit yang telah dijadualkan pada tahun 2005.



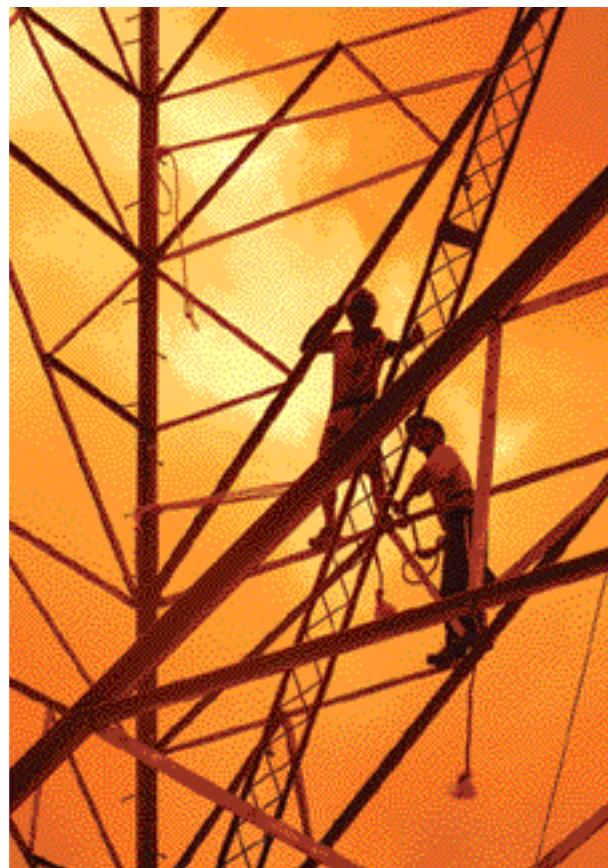
Kediaman (sambungan)

Dengan persekitaran operasi yang mencabar, Milmix dijangka akan memfokus tumpuan kepada projek yang diperolehi secara rundingan dan projek pembangunan secara usahasama bagi memastikan pencapaian pulangan yang lebih tinggi termasuklah mendapatkan sumber projek pembinaan daripada Kumpulan. Di samping itu, Milmix akan mengenalpasti tanah simpanan yang akan dibangunkan.

Penghantaran dan Pembahagian

Pada tahun yang ditinjau, Bahagian Tenaga melalui anak syarikatnya, Transmission Technology Sdn. Bhd., telah mendapat satu lagi kerja yang melibatkan pemasangan kabel bawah tanah dan kontrak baru untuk Kawalan Penyeliaan Dan Pemerolehan Data (SCADA) yang dihubungkan ke projek Sambungtara Grid 275kV Timur-Barat Sabah. Kini, 60% daripada projek 275kV Timur-Barat Sabah telah disiapkan. Walau bagaimanapun, penyiapan keseluruhan projek itu telah dilanjutkan ke tahun 2006 berikutan keputusan Sabah Electricity Sdn. Bhd. untuk memindahkan stesen pencawang Kasigui ke sebuah tapak di Kolopis, memandangkan tapak sedia ada sering banjir teruk.

Bahagian ini juga mengambil bahagian secara aktif dalam tender tempatan dan antarabangsa dan kini sedang menunggu pemberian projek Talian Penghantaran 275kV Kelemak-Melaka.



Infrastructure & Concessions Division

The Division is involved in the privatisation of the Duta-Ulu Kelang Expressway project, an 18-km highway linking Jalan Duta and Hill View, Ulu Kelang, and Sentul Pasar to the Karak Highway. A concession agreement was signed in August 2004 between the Government of Malaysia and the concession company, Konsortium Lebuhraya Utara Timur Sdn. Bhd. About 30% of the total construction works will be undertaken by MRCB in line with its equity holding in the concession company. Work is expected to commence in June 2005.

In addition, the Division is also looking at other long-term infrastructure based projects including the proposed development of a privatised highway in Johor Bahru, and a campus for higher education based on the Public-Private Partnership concept, both of which are currently pending Government's approval.



Infrastructure & Concessions Division (continued)

MRCB Environment Sdn. Bhd., a 55% owned subsidiary of MRCB Environmental Services Sdn. Bhd. which spearheads the Division's environmental services, coastal and river rehabilitation & protection, has successfully completed a pilot beach rehabilitation project at Teluk Cempedak, Pahang, in July 2004. Completed ahead of the original schedule, the project was undertaken using a Pressure Equalization Module System in combination with sand nourishment. The project, which is currently in the maintenance and monitoring stage until 2007, was issued a Certificate of Practical Completion in November 2004.

The Company has also received a Letter of Intent to undertake another beach rehabilitation project at Pulau Tioman. There are also on-going negotiations on various proposals that have also been submitted to provide total beach and river rehabilitation solutions in other states including Terengganu, Johor and Pahang.

Going forward, the Division will continue to focus on the development of long term income generating business for the Group by exploring and pursuing new opportunities in the infrastructure and other environmental related sectors.





Penghantaran dan Pembahagian (sambungan)

Syarikat sentiasa peka terhadap keselamatan kakitangan. Oleh yang demikian, sebuah kempen kesedaran keselamatan telah diadakan dari 6 hingga 9 September 2004, khusus untuk mereka yang terlibat dalam pembinaan Talian Penghantaran dan Stesen pencawang 275kV. Objektif kempen ini adalah untuk memupuk kesedaran yang lebih tinggi terhadap keselamatan dan kesihatan di kalangan kakitangan dan juga pekerja di samping memastikan penyebaran maklumat mengenai pelbagai aspek keselamatan dan kesihatan melalui saluran komunikasi sampai kepada kumpulan sasar.

Bahagian Infrastruktur & Konsesi

Bahagian ini terlibat dalam penswastaan projek Lebuhraya Duta-Ulu Kelang, iaitu sebuah lebuhraya sejauh 18 km yang menghubungkan Jalan Duta ke Hill View, Ulu Kelang dan Sentul Pasar ke Lebuhraya Karak. Sebuah perjanjian konsesi telah ditandatangani pada bulan Ogos 2004, antara Kerajaan Malaysia dengan syarikat konsesi, Konsortium Lebuhraya Utara Timur Sdn. Bhd. Sebanyak 30% daripada jumlah keseluruhan kerja pembinaan projek lebuhraya ini akan dijalankan oleh MRCB, selaras dengan pegangan ekuitinya dalam syarikat konsesi tersebut. Kerja pembinaan dijangka akan bermula pada bulan Jun 2005.

BAHAGIAN INFRASTRUKTUR & KONSESI (sambungan)

Di samping itu, Bahagian ini juga sedang mencari beberapa projek berdasarkan infrastruktur jangka panjang, termasuk cadangan penswastaan pembangunan sebuah lebuhraya di Johor Bahru dan sebuah kampus pusat pengajian tinggi berkonsepkan Perkongsian Sektor Awam-Swasta. Kedua-duanya kini sedang menunggu kelulusan pihak Kerajaan.

MRCB Environment Sdn. Bhd., sebuah anak syarikat yang 55% kepentingannya dimiliki oleh MRCB Environmental Services Sdn. Bhd. bertanggungjawab untuk mengembangkan projek perkhidmatan alam sekitar, pemulihan & perlindungan pesisiran pantai dan sungai, telah berjaya menyiapkan sebuah projek perintis pemulihan pesisir pantai di Teluk Cempedak, Pahang, pada bulan Julai 2004. Projek yang disiapkan lebih awal daripada yang dijadualkan ini telah dilaksana dengan menggunakan Sistem Modul Penyamaan Tekanan dengan kombinasi pemeliharaan pasir. Projek yang kini berada di peringkat penyelenggaraan dan pemantauan sehingga tahun 2007 ini telah diberikan Sijil Siap Praktikal pada bulan November 2004.

Syarikat juga telah mendapat Surat Hasrat untuk menjalankan satu lagi projek pemulihan pantai di Pulau Tioman. Beberapa rundingan juga sedang dijalankan mengenai cadangan untuk menyediakan penyelesaian pemulihan pantai dan sungai secara menyeluruh yang telah diserahkan kepada beberapa negeri lain seperti Terengganu, Johor dan Pahang.

Sebagai langkah menuju ke hadapan, Bahagian ini akan terus memfokus tumpuannya kepada pembangunan perniagaan yang menjana pendapatan jangka panjang untuk Kumpulan dengan meneroka dan mencari pelbagai peluang baru dalam sektor infrastruktur dan sektor-sektor lain yang berkaitan dengan alam sekitar.



IT Infrastructure, Telecommunications & Intelligent Systems

In 2004 MRCB Technologies (MRCBTech) adopted a very aggressive approach in marketing its services to more organisations. Aside from providing existing IT support services to the MRCB Group, MRCBTech relentlessly pursued ICT Infrastructure, Telecommunications and Intelligent System external projects.

In the IT Services and Infrastructure sector, there has been significant progress made. On 4 September 2004, MRCBTech signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with 3ntity to jointly develop a MRCB CRM (Customer Relationship Management) project. The system, presently used by Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd., will eventually be implemented in other subsidiaries. Other projects include the successful migration of the Group's e-mail server to Microsoft Exchange 2003 to enable web outlook access and enhance communications, and upgrade to a newer SAP ERP platform for the Group. As a result of MRCBTech's aggressive marketing efforts, the Company secured two external projects. Hospital Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (HUKM) awarded the first project to supply and

commission additional Storage Area Network (SAN) components, both of which were successfully implemented. The second project was awarded by SOCSO on 25 May 2004 to supply and commission computer peripherals to its offices, nationwide.

MRCBTech was also successful in securing several new projects in the Telecommunications and Intelligent Systems sector. The Company was awarded turnkey contracts to design, supply, implement and commission in-building mobile systems at Kuala Lumpur Sentral (Hilton Kuala Lumpur, Le Meridien Kuala Lumpur, Plaza Sentral office towers) and Plaza Alam Sentral to ensure effective coverage for Celcom, Maxis and Digi users. Other projects include the implementation of a broadband infrastructure to enhance fixed and wireless capabilities throughout the Kuala Lumpur Sentral development on behalf of Maxis and TTdotCom and enhancing a Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) system at Plaza Alam Sentral. MRCBTech was also awarded contracts by Universiti Putra Malaysia to supply and install an Access Control System using biometrics.

Infrastruktur IT, Telekomunikasi & Sistem Pintar

Pada tahun 2004 MRCB Technologies (MRCBTech) telah mengamalkan pendekatan agresif untuk memasarkan perkhidmatannya kepada lebih banyak organisasi. Di samping menyediakan perkhidmatan sokongan IT yang sedia ada kepada Kumpulan MRCB, MRCBTech turut berusaha gigih untuk mendapatkan peluang projek luar yang berkaitan dengan Infrastruktur ICT, Telekomunikasi dan Sistem Pintar.

Sektor Perkhidmatan dan Infrastruktur IT mencatatkan kemajuan ketara pada tahun ini. Pada 4 September 2004, MRCBTech telah menandatangani Memorandum Persefahaman (MOU) dengan 3ntity untuk bersama-sama membangunkan projek CRM (Pengurusan Perhubungan Pelanggan) MRCB. Sistem yang kini digunakan oleh Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd. ini akhirnya nanti akan dilaksanakan di anak-anak syarikat lain. Beberapa projek lain yang dijalankan termasuk kejayaan migrasi pelayan e-mel Kumpulan ke Microsoft Exchange 2003 untuk membolehkan keupayaan penggunaan web 'outlook access' dan mempertingkatkan komunikasi serta menaiktaraf platform SAP ERP kepada yang lebih baru untuk Kumpulan. Pemasaran secara agresif yang dijalankan oleh MRCBTech telah membolehkan syarikat ini mendapat dua projek luar. Hospital Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (HUKM) telah memberikannya projek untuk membekal dan mentauliah komponen Rangkaian Kawasan Simpanan (SAN) tambahan, dan kedua-duanya telah berjaya dilaksanakan. Projek kedua diberi oleh PERKESO pada 25 Mei 2004 untuk membekal dan mentauliah persian komputer untuk beberapa pejabatnya di seluruh negara.

MRCBTech juga berjaya mendapat beberapa projek baru dalam sektor Telekomunikasi dan Sistem Pintar. Syarikat telah diberi beberapa kontrak 'turnkey' untuk merekabentuk, membekal, melaksana dan mentauliah sistem mudah alih binaan dalaman di Kuala Lumpur Sentral (termasuk Hilton Kuala Lumpur, Le Meridien Kuala Lumpur dan Menara pejabat Plaza Sentral) dan juga Plaza Alam Sentral untuk memastikan pengguna perkhidmatan Celcom, Maxis dan Digi mendapat liputan yang berkesan. Projek-projek lain termasuk pembinaan infrastruktur 'broadband' (jalur lebar) untuk mempertingkatkan keupayaan talian tetap dan tanpa dawai di seluruh pembangunan Kuala Lumpur Sentral bagi pihak Maxis dan TtdotCom. MRCBTech juga diberi projek menaiktaraf sistem Televisyen Litar Tertutup (CCTV) di Plaza Alam Sentral. Selain itu, MRCBTech juga telah mendapat kontrak oleh Universiti Putra Malaysia untuk membekal dan memasang sebuah Sistem Kawalan Akses menggunakan biometriks.



AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

ANUGERAH DAN PENGIFTIRAFAN

As one of the leading property and engineering & construction players in the country, MRCB advocates the highest level of excellence in developing all its projects, which in turn will benefit its clients, purchasers and business partners.

MRCB's depth of technical and technological expertise, which underpins the Group's array of credentials is further strengthened by the attainment of quality certifications; recognized by highly renowned local and international quality certification authorities.

Sebagai salah satu daripada peneraju harta tanah dan kejuruteraan & pembinaan utama negara, MRCB menekankan kepentingan piawaian tertinggi untuk semua projek yang dilaksanakannya, yang mana akan memanfaatkan para pelanggan, para pembeli dan rakan-rakan niaganya.

Kepakaran MRCB dalam bidang teknikal dan teknologi jelas menunjukkan keupayaan Kumpulan; diperteguhkan lagi dengan pencapaian sijil pengiktirafan piawaian kualiti yang diiktiraf oleh badan-badan piawaian kualiti negara dan juga di peringkat antarabangsa.





PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT/ BAHAGIAN HARTANAH

Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd.

- Certification to MS ISO 9001:2002 QMS
- Best participant at Police Reserve External Training Course Series 3/2003 at PULAPOL, Muar
- Public Toilet Cleanliness Competition, Kuala Lumpur 2003 (1st Prize)
- Transportation Project Award by Eastern Asia Society of Transportation Studies
- Pensijilan bagi MS ISO 9001:2002 QMS
- Peserta Terbaik Latihan Luar Kursus Asas Polis Bantuan Siri 3/2003 di PULAPOL, Muar
- Pertandingan Kebersihan Tandas Awam Kuala Lumpur 2003 (Tempat Pertama)
- Anugerah Projek Pengangkutan oleh Eastern Asia Society of Transportation Studies

Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd.

- Finalist at FIABCI-International Prix D'Excellence 2003
- FIABCI-Malaysia Award of Distinction 2002 for Specialised and Public Sector Category
- PAM Excellence Winner
- Honorary Mention for Excellence in Architecture (PAM)
- Peserta peringkat akhir bagi FIABCI-International Prix D'Excellence 2003
- Anugerah Kecemerlangan FIABCI-Malaysia 2002 bagi Kategori Khusus dan Sektor Awam
- Pemegang Anugerah Kecemerlangan PAM
- Anugerah Kehormat bagi Kecemerlangan Seni Bina (PAM)

ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION/ KEJURUTERAAN & PEMBINAAN

Transmission Technology Sdn. Bhd.

Accreditation/Akreditasi

- MS ISO 9001:2000

Licences/Lesen

- PKK Class 1
- CIDB G7
- Petronas, TNB, SESB
- Ministry of Finance, Malaysia

Milmix Sdn. Bhd.

Licence/Lesen

- CIDB G7

MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd.

Accreditation/Akreditasi

- MS ISO 9001:2000

Licences/Lesen

- PKK Class A
- CIDB G7
- MS ISO 9001:2000
- KPK Class D

INFRASTRUCTURE & CONCESSIONS INFRASTRUKTUR & KONSESI

MRCB Prasarana Sdn. Bhd.

Licence/Lesen

- CIDB G7



registered with/berdaftaf dengan:





Caring for our

Customers

Prihatin terhadap Pelanggan kami

Our Customer Relationship Management (CRM) initiative has helped the Group to remain competitive by developing high quality products and services. We are developing a new Customised CRM Solution that meets customers' expectations and help gain their trust with regards to our quality assurance.

Pengurusan Hubungan Khidmat Pelanggan adalah antara usaha utama Kumpulan untuk kekal kompetitif dalam membina produk dan memberikan perkhidmatan berkualiti tinggi. Kumpulan sedang mencipta program terbaru Hubungan Khidmat Pelanggan untuk memenuhi keperluan pelanggan kami di samping mendapat kepercayaan mereka terhadap piawaian kualiti produk dan perkhidmatan kami.



Caring for our Employees

Prihatin terhadap Kakitangan kami

Nurturing a corporate culture of passion for excellence, our employees are the drivers of the Group's growth and success. Towards this end, the Group is committed to develop our human resources via employee training, career development and active sharing of knowledge as well as skills for our employees' benefit. As a caring employer, we offer a competitive remuneration & benefits package including share options to attract and retain outstanding employees.

Dengan penerapan budaya korporat – “keazaman untuk berjaya”; seluruh warga kerja kami adalah peneraju dalam pertumbuhan dan kejayaan Kumpulan. Justeru itu, Kumpulan komited untuk membangunkan sumber manusia kami melalui latihan, kerjaya dan perkongsian aktif ilmu serta skil demi kepentingan para kakitangan kami. Sebagai majikan yang prihatin, kami menawarkan pakej ganjaran dan faedah yang kompetitif termasuk saham syarikat untuk menarik dan mengekalkan kakitangan terbaik kami.



Caring for our

Community

Prihatin terhadap Masyarakat kami

As a responsible corporate citizen, we are mindful of the importance of implementing good environmental management practices in ensuring compliance of the Group's business activities in communities and markets that we serve. Equally, we are actively involved in social activities that contribute towards the poor and the needy as well as for disaster victims. Our corporate philanthropy primary focus is in the area of education, eradication of poverty and relief & rescue efforts.

Sebagai warga korporat yang bertanggungjawab, kami amat prihatin terhadap kepentingan amalan pengurusan alam sekitar yang baik dalam melaksanakan projek-projek kumpulan di mana-mana komuniti dan pasaran yang kami berada. Pada masa yang sama, kami terlibat secara aktif dalam aktiviti sosial yang menyumbang kepada mereka yang kurang berkemampuan, yang memerlukan bantuan dan juga mangsa-mangsa bencana alam. Bantuan khidmat kebajikan dan sosial kami adalah dalam bidang pendidikan, aktiviti pembasmian kemiskinan dan juga usaha-usaha bantuan & menyelamat.



Caring for our

Shareholders

Prihatin terhadap Pemegang Saham kami

We are responsible to create significant value for all our shareholders. As a Group that emphasizes on the principles of good corporate governance, integrity and honesty, we have via our Board of Directors, put in place a proper check and balance system to ensure transparency and responsibility in the way we operate our business.

Kami bertanggungjawab untuk menaikkan nilai saham syarikat untuk semua pemegang saham. Sebagai Kumpulan yang menekankan kepentingan prinsip tadbir urus korporat, integriti dan ketelusan, kami melalui Lembaga Pengarah telah meletakkan sistem "semakan yang seimbang" untuk memastikan ketelusan dalam melaksanakan operasi perniagaan kami.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2004

KALENDAR PERISTIWA 2004



January/Januari 2004

MRCB and its staff jointly donated goodies and cash to 40 elderly people from Rumah Grace, Klang. MRCB Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer, Encik Shahril Ridza Ridzuan presented the contribution.

MRCB dengan warga kerjanya telah memberi sumbangan berupa barang keperluan dan wang tunai kepada 40 warga emas dari Rumah Grace Kelang. Sumbangan ini disampaikan oleh Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif, Encik Shahril Ridza Ridzuan.



21 February/Februari 2004

The Chief Minister of Melaka, YAB. Datuk Seri Haji Mohd Ali bin Mohd Rustam officiated the handover of keys to 224 purchasers of residential homes at Taman Seri Serkam, Melaka.

Ketua Menteri Melaka, YAB. Datuk Seri Haji Mohd Ali bin Mohd Rustam merasmikan penyerahan kunci kepada 224 pembeli kediaman di Taman Seri Serkam, Melaka.



27 February/Februari 2004

A Moroccan delegation led by H.E Professor Dr Najib Zerouali Quariti and representatives from Kementerian Luar Negara and Multimedia Development Corporation visited Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur.

Satu perwakilan dari Maghribi diketuai oleh H.E Profesor Dr Najib Zerouali Quariti dan wakil-wakil dari Kementerian Luar Negara dan Perbadanan Pembangunan Multimedia membuat lawatan ke Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur.



6 March/Mac 2004

The Menteri Besar of Perak, YAB. Dato' Seri DiRaja Mohd Tajol Rosli, Menteri Besar of Perak was the guest-of-honour at a ceremony to witness the handover of keys by SIDEK to 678 purchasers of affordable homes. To commemorate the occasion, a lucky draw of a Perodua Kancil car drew over 2,000 participants.

Menteri Besar Perak, YAB. Dato' Seri DiRaja Mohd Tajol Rosli menjadi tetamu kehormat di satu majlis penyampaian kunci oleh SIDEK kepada 678 pembeli kediaman mampu milik. Bagi meraikan majlis tersebut, satu acara cabutan bertuah telah diadakan dengan hadiah utamanya sebuah kereta Perodua Kancil telah berjaya menarik minat lebih 2,000 orang peserta.



6 April/April 2004

Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd. (KLSSB) signed a S & P Agreement to sell its office suites at Plaza Sentral Phase 2 to Zaid Ibrahim Management Services Sdn. Bhd., spanning a total area of 72,090 sq. ft., at Block 2B.

Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd. (KLSSB) telah menandatangani satu Perjanjian Jual Beli untuk menjual suite pejabatnya di Plaza Sentral Fasa 2, seluas 72,090 kaki persegi di Blok 2B kepada Zaid Ibrahim Management Services Sdn. Bhd.



28 April/April 2004

MRCB and UM Land Berhad (UM Land) signed an agreement to establish a joint-venture company, Panorama Prominent Sdn. Bhd. (PPSB), followed by Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd. who signed a S & P Agreement with PPSB for the acquisition of approx. 900,000 sq. ft. of Lot L; to build luxury condominiums.

MRCB dan UM Land Berhad (UM Land) menandatangani satu perjanjian untuk mewujudkan sebuah syarikat usahasama, Panorama Prominent Sdn. Bhd. (PPSB), diikuti dengan termeterainya satu Perjanjian Jual Beli di antara Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd. dengan PPSB bagi mengambilah tanah Lot L seluas 900,000 kaki persegi untuk membina pangsapuri mewah.



20 May/Mei 2004

MRCB held its 33rd Annual General Meeting.

MRCB mengadakan Mesyuarat Agung Tahunannya yang ke-33.



23 June/Jun 2004

As part of our community relation activities to promote excellence in education and assistance to needy school children, MRCB had organised three programmes. They are the Young Leaders campaign for school children, sponsorship of New Straits Times, an English newspaper to rural schools and the High Achievers' award for MRCB employees' children who attained excellent academic results.

Antara aktiviti hubungan masyarakat kami untuk mempromosi kecemerlangan dalam pendidikan dan membantu kanak-kanak sekolah yang memerlukan bantuan, MRCB telah menganjurkan tiga program iaitu kempen Pemimpin Muda untuk kanak-kanak sekolah, penajaan akhbar bahasa Inggeris, New Straits Times kepada sekolah luar bandar dan Anugerah Pencapaian Cemerlang bagi anak-anak kakitangan MRCB yang mencapai keputusan peperiksaan cemerlang.



May to July/Mei hingga Julai 2004

MRCB Sports Carnival was held from May to July 2004. A number of sporting activities such as netball, volleyball, football, golf, bowling and ping pong were organized to foster closer ties between the management and staff.

Karnival Sukan MRCB telah diadakan bermula pada bulan Mei hingga Julai 2004. Beberapa aktiviti sukan seperti bola jaring, bola tampar, bola sepak, golf, bowling dan ping pong telah dianjurkan untuk memupuk hubungan yang lebih rapat di antara pihak pengurusan dan kakitangan.



5 July till 9 July/ 5 Julai hingga 9 Julai 2004

In line with its objective to enhance safety awareness amongst the staff, Transmission Technology Sdn. Bhd. organized a Safety Week campaign. There were a number of health and safety talks that were conducted by qualified personnel from MSOSH, NIOSH and Red Crescent Society. In addition, a medical exhibition and a site tour to Akademi Bomba Malaysia were organised for the staff to have better knowledge and insights.

Sejajar dengan objektifnya untuk mempertingkatkan kesedaran keselamatan di kalangan kakitangan, Transmission Technology Sdn Bhd telah menganjurkan kempen Minggu Keselamatan. Beberapa ceramah kesihatan dan keselamatan telah diadakan oleh pegawai-pegawai berkelayakan dari MSOSH, NIOSH dan Persatuan Bulan Sabit Merah. Selain itu, satu pameran perubatan dan lawatan ke Akademi Bomba Malaysia telah dianjurkan supaya kakitangan mendapat pengetahuan dan maklumat yang lebih mendalam.



21 & 28 July/Julai 2004

The Training & Development Department conducted a Fire Fighting and Fire Prevention training programme for floor wardens of each division/department to be better equipped in the event of a fire.

Jabatan Latihan & Pembangunan telah menjalankan satu program latihan Memadam dan Mencegah Kebakaran untuk warden aras setiap bahagian/jabatan supaya mereka lebih bersedia jika berlaku kebakaran.



27 July/Julai 2004

MRCB Family Day was held on 27 July 2004. Approximately 1,000 staff and their families attended this exciting and memorable event. There were tele-matches, a tug-a-war competition, games stalls and many other activities for the whole family to participate and enjoy.

Hari Keluarga MRCB telah diadakan pada 27 Julai 2004. Kira-kira 1,000 orang kakitangan dan keluarga masing-masing menghadiri acara menarik dan penuh kenangan manis. Aktiviti-aktiviti seperti sukaneka, pertandingan tarik tali, gerai permainan dan banyak lagi telah disediakan untuk semua kakitangan serta ahli keluarga mereka menyertainya.



10 August/Ogos 2004

MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd. and Jabatan Kerja Raya (JKR) signed a contract valued at RM175 million to upgrade and widen the Federal Route 5 (FR5) from Ipoh to Lumut. The guest-of-honour was the Minister of Works, YAB. Dato' Seri S. Samy Vellu.

MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd. dan Jabatan Kerja Raya (JKR) telah menandatangani kontrak bernilai RM175 juta untuk menaiktaraf dan meluaskan Laluan Persekutuan 5 (FR5) dari Ipoh ke Lumut. Tetamu kehormat dalam majlis tersebut adalah Menteri Kerjaraya, YAB. Dato' Seri S. Samy Vellu.



12 August/Ogos 2004

MRCB via Konsortium Lebuhraya Utara Timur KL Sdn. Bhd. (KESTURI) signed a concession agreement with the Government of Malaysia to construct the Kuala Lumpur North East Expressway (KLNEE), now known as Duta-Ulu Kelang Expressway (DUKE), for a total contract value of RM1 billion.

MRCB melalui Konsortium Lebuhraya Utara Timur KL Sdn. Bhd. (KESTURI), telah menandatangani perjanjian konsortium dengan Kerajaan Malaysia untuk membina Lebuhraya Utara Timur Kuala Lumpur (KLNEE) atau sekarang dikenali sebagai Lebuhraya Duta-Ulu Kelang (DUKE) dengan jumlah nilai kontrak sebanyak RM1 bilion.



4 September/September 2004

MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd (MRCBTech) signed an Agreement with 3ntity Berhad to develop a Customer Relationship Management (CRM) system.

MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd. (MRCBTech) telah menandatangani satu Perjanjian dengan 3ntity Berhad untuk membangunkan sebuah Sistem Pengurusan Perhubungan Pelanggan (CRM).



20 September/September 2004

A number of staff within the MRCB Group were given training on inspection of buildings and liaising closely with purchasers in line with our effort to improve the quality of our products as well as to provide excellent customer services. The Quality Improvement Initiatives were initiated by the Project & Corporate Planning Department.

Sejajar dengan usaha kami meningkatkan kualiti produk serta memberikan perkhidmatan pelanggan yang cemerlang, beberapa orang kakitangan Kumpulan MRCB telah diberi latihan berkaitan pemeriksaan bangunan dan juga program khidmat pelanggan. Inisiatif Peningkatan Kualiti telah dimulakan oleh Jabatan Projek & Perancangan Korporat.



28 September/September 2004

MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd. was awarded the MS ISO 9001:2000 Accreditation by SIRIM QAS International Sdn. Bhd. for its Quality Management System.

MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd. telah mendapat Akreditasi MS ISO 9001:2000 oleh SIRIM QAS International Sdn. Bhd. bagi Sistem Pengurusan Kualitinya.



3 November/November 2004

MRCB Group gave financial assistance, both in cash and kind, to the poor and needy during the month of Ramadhan. Our Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer, Encik Shahril Ridza Ridzuan and staff visited Pertubuhan Kebajikan Anak-anak Yatim & Miskin Sg. Pinang in Klang to handover the Hari Raya gifts.

Kumpulan MRCB memberi bantuan kewangan, dalam bentuk tunai dan barang asas kepada golongan miskin dan yang memerlukan pada bulan Ramadhan. Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif kami, Encik Shahril Ridza Ridzuan dan kakitangan telah membuat lawatan ke Pertubuhan Kebajikan Anak-anak Yatim & Miskin Sg. Pinang, Kelang untuk menyerahkan hadiah Hari Raya tersebut.



22 December/Disember 2004

MRCB's year-end celebration was held in style at Sri Pentas 2, Plaza Alam Sentral, Shah Alam. The main attraction was the MRCB King & Queen Contest and the Golden Voice Competition. Senior citizens from three homes in Klang namely Rumah Warga Orang Tua Moab, Persatuan Kebajikan Grace Klang and Rumah Orang Tua CKS were special invitees. It was indeed a befitting celebration to honour all MRCB management and staff for their contributions as well as guests from the old folks homes.

Sambutan akhir tahun MRCB telah diadakan dengan bergaya di Sri Pentas 2, Plaza Alam Sentral, Shah Alam. Tarikan utama dalam acara tersebut adalah Pertandingan Raja & Ratu MRCB dan Suara Emas. Para jemputan khas terdiri daripada warga emas dari tiga buah rumah kebajikan iaitu Rumah Warga Orang Tua Moab, Persatuan Kebajikan Grace Kelang dan Rumah Orang Tua CKS. Sesungguhnya ia merupakan majlis sambutan yang gilang gemilang untuk meraikan para tetamu dari rumah kebajikan tersebut, pihak pengurusan dan juga kakitangan MRCB.

STATEMENT OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Board of Directors ("the Board") affirms its commitment to ensure that the highest standards of corporate governance are practised throughout the Company as a fundamental part of discharging its responsibilities to safeguard the interests of stakeholders and enhance shareholder value and the financial performance of the Company. The Board fully supports the recommendations of the Malaysian Code of Corporate Governance ("the Code") and is currently moving towards full compliance with the best practices as set out in the Code.

The Board is pleased to set out below a statement of how the Company has applied the Principles of the Code.

1. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board retains full and effective control of, and responsibility for the Company. The Board has the overall responsibility for corporate governance, reviewing the adequacy and integrity of the system of internal control, reviewing and adopting the strategic direction of the Company and overseeing the investments of the Company. In discharging its responsibility to provide effective governance over the affairs of the Company, the Board has:

- i) Reviewed and approved the Management's strategic business plans, including questioning the assumptions upon which such plans are based;
- ii) Monitored corporate performance against those strategic business plans on a regular basis to evaluate whether the business is being properly managed;
- iii) Reviewed and approved the Company's financial objectives, plans and disclosures, including significant (material) capital allocations, expenditures, or changes in financial reports or controls;
- iv) Monitored and evaluated the Company's Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer (GMD/CEO) and other senior management officers' performance, and developed a succession plan for those senior management officers; and
- v) Ensured that there is a balance of executive, non-executive and independent non-executive Directors on the Board. This is to ensure that there is effective representation for shareholders on the Board, and that issues of strategy, performance and resources are fully discussed and examined to take into account long-term interests of shareholders, employees, customers, suppliers and the many communities in which the Company conducts its business.

Board Balance

The role of the Chairman and the GMD/CEO are distinct and separate. There is a clear division of responsibilities between the Chairman and the GMD/CEO to ensure that there is a balance of power and authority. The non-executive Chairman avails himself to provide clarifications on issues that are raised by shareholders and investors, ensuring the integrity and effectiveness of the governance process of the Board. The Chairman also maintains regular dialogues with the GMD/CEO on all operational matters, and acts as facilitator at the meetings of the Board. The GMD/CEO is responsible to duly ensure execution of strategic goals, effective operations within the Company, and to explain, clarify and inform the Board on matters pertaining to the Company.

The Code also states that, whether or not the roles of Chairman and Chief Executive are combined, the Board should identify a senior independent non-executive director to whom concerns may be conveyed. In line with this, the Board has identified Dato' Ahmad bin Hj. Ibnihajar as a senior independent non-executive director for the period under review.

As at 31 December 2004, the Board has seven (7) members, of which two (2) are executive Directors and five (5) are non-executive Directors (including the Chairman). Two (2) of the five non-executive Directors are independent. This composition is in compliance with the Code, which requires that at least one-third (or the number nearest one-third as defined by Bursa Malaysia) of the board should be non-executive and independent to ensure no individual or group of individuals may dominate the Board's decision-making process. The composition of the Board also reflects a wide variety of background and experience. The Board has directors who are able to act independently and express their views and opinions unencumbered and free from any influence. More importantly, the Board has, as members, independent non-executive directors who are independent from Management and major shareholders of the Company. The independent directors are also free from any business or other relationships that could materially interfere with the exercise of their objective and independent judgement.

The Board has at least four (4) regularly scheduled meetings annually, with additional meetings for particular matters convened as and when necessary. Informal meetings and consultations are frequently and freely held to share expertise and experience. A total of eight (8) Board meetings were held during the financial period of 1 January 2004 to 31 December 2004, of which five (5) were scheduled meetings.

PENYATA TADBIR URUS KORPORAT

Lembaga Pengarah mengukuhkan iltizamnya bagi memastikan supaya tahap tadbir urus korporat tertinggi sentiasa diamalkan di seluruh Syarikat sebagai asas penting dalam melaksanakan tanggungjawabnya untuk melindungi kepentingan pemegang hak dan mempertingkatkan nilai pemegang saham serta prestasi kewangan Syarikat. Ke arah mencapai matlamat ini, Lembaga Pengarah menyokong sepenuhnya saranan yang terkandung di dalam Kod Tadbir Urus Korporat Malaysia ("Kod") dan pada masa ini sedang dalam usaha untuk mematuhi sepenuhnya amalan terbaik seperti yang digariskan dalam Kod tersebut.

Lembaga Pengarah dengan sukacitanya membentangkan di bawah satu pernyataan berhubung penggunaan Prinsip Kod oleh Syarikat.

1. LEMBAGA PENGARAH

Lembaga Pengarah mengekalkan kawalan penuh dan berkesan serta tanggungjawab terhadap Syarikat. Lembaga Pengarah bertanggungjawab secara menyeluruh berhubung tadbir urus korporat, mengkaji kecukupan dan kewibawaan sistem kawalan dalaman, mengkaji dan menerima pakai halatujur strategik Syarikat dan mengawalselia pelaburan Syarikat. Dalam melaksanakan tanggungjawab menyediakan tadbir urus yang berkesan terhadap hal ehwal Syarikat, Lembaga Pengarah telah:

- i) Mengkaji dan meluluskan rancangan perniagaan strategik Pengurusan, termasuk menyoal selidik jangkaan yang menjadi asas kepada rancangan tersebut;
- ii) Memantau prestasi korporat berbanding rancangan perniagaan strategik tersebut bagi menilai sama ada perniagaan sedang diuruskan dengan sewajarnya atau tidak;
- iii) Mengkaji dan meluluskan objektif, rancangan dan pendedahan kewangan Syarikat, termasuk peruntukan modal utama (penting), perbelanjaan, atau perubahan dalam laporan kewangan atau kawalan;
- iv) Memantau dan menilai prestasi Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif Syarikat ("GMD/CEO") dan pegawai pengurusan kanan yang lain, serta merangka rancangan penggantian bagi pegawai pengurusan kanan tersebut; dan v) Memastikan keseimbangan Pengarah eksekutif, bukan eksekutif dan bukan eksekutif bebas dalam Lembaga Pengarah. Ini adalah untuk memastikan supaya terdapat perwakilan yang berkesan bagi para pemegang saham dalam Lembaga Pengarah, dan supaya isu strategi, prestasi dan sumber diperbincang dan diteliti sepenuhnya serta mengambil kira kepentingan jangka panjang para pemegang saham, pekerja, pelanggan, pembekal dan komuniti di mana Syarikat menjalankan perniagaannya.

Keseimbangan Lembaga Pengarah

Peranan Pengerusi dan GMD/CEO adalah berbeza dan berasingan. Terdapat pembahagian tanggungjawab yang jelas antara Pengerusi dan GMD/CEO bagi memastikan wujud keseimbangan kuasa dan autoriti. Pengerusi bukan eksekutif sentiasa bersedia untuk memberi penjelasan berhubung isu-isu yang dibangkitkan oleh para pemegang saham dan pelabur bagi memastikan kewibawaan dan keberkesan proses tadbir urus Lembaga Pengarah. Pengerusi turut mengadakan perbincangan yang kerap dengan GMD/CEO berhubung semua hal operasi, dan berperanan sebagai pemudah cara di Mesyuarat Lembaga Pengarah. GMD/CEO bertanggungjawab untuk memastikan pelaksanaan matlamat strategik, operasi yang efektif dalam Syarikat, serta memberi penerangan, penjelasan dan memaklumkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah berhubung perkara berkaitan Syarikat.

Kod tersebut turut menyatakan bahawa, sama ada peranan Pengerusi dan Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif digabungkan atau tidak, Lembaga Pengarah perlu mengenalpasti seorang pengarah bebas bukan eksekutif kanan yang boleh menangani masalah berkaitan Syarikat. Justeru, Lembaga Pengarah telah melantik Dato' Ahmad Ibhnihajar sebagai pengarah bebas bukan eksekutif kanan bagi tempoh yang ditinjau.

Pada 31 Disember 2004, Lembaga Pengarah terdiri daripada tujuh (7) orang ahli, yang mana dua (2) orang daripada mereka adalah Pengarah eksekutif dan lima (5) orang adalah Pengarah bukan eksekutif (termasuk Pengerusi). Dua (2) daripada lima (5) orang Pengarah bukan eksekutif adalah pengarah bebas. Komposisi ini mematuhi Kod, yang memerlukan supaya sekurang-kurangnya satu per tiga (atau bilangan yang terdekat dengan satu pertiga seperti yang ditakrif oleh Bursa Malaysia) daripada lembaga pengarah hendaklah terdiri daripada pengarah bukan eksekutif bebas bagi memastikan tiada individu atau sekumpulan kecil individu boleh mendominasi proses membuat keputusan Lembaga Pengarah. Komposisi Lembaga Pengarah juga menggambarkan kepelbagaiannya latarbelakang dan pengalaman. Lembaga Pengarah mempunyai ahli yang mampu bertindak secara bebas dan menyatakan pandangan dan pendapat mereka secara bebas serta tidak terikat dengan sebarang pengaruh. Apa yang lebih penting, Lembaga Pengarah mempunyai ahli yang antaranya terdiri daripada para pengarah bebas bukan eksekutif yang bebas daripada Pengurusan dan pemegang saham utama Syarikat. Pengarah bebas tersebut juga bebas daripada sebarang perniagaan atau perhubungan lain yang boleh menjelaskan dengan ketara objektif dan pertimbangan bebas mereka.

Lembaga Pengarah mengadakan sekurang-kurangnya empat (4) mesyuarat setiap tahun yang dijadualkan secara tetap, dengan mesyuarat tambahan bagi perkara-perkara tertentu diadakan jika perlu. Mesyuarat dan rundingan tidak rasmi diadakan dengan kerap dan bebas bagi membolehkan para pengarah berkongsi kepakaran dan pengalaman. Sebanyak lapan (8) mesyuarat Lembaga Pengarah telah diadakan pada tempoh kewangan dari 1 Januari 2004 hingga 31 Disember 2004, yang mana lima (5) daripadanya adalah mesyuarat berjadual.

Board Balance (continued)

Details of the Board movement and attendance at meetings for financial period ended 31 December 2004 are set out below:

Directors	Designation	Appointment	Retirement	Attendance
Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Chairman	24 January 2002	–	(8/8)100%
Shahril Ridza Ridzuan	Group Managing Director/ Chief Executive Officer	9 August 2001	–	(8/8)100%
Abdul Rahman Ahmad	Non-independent, non-executive Director	9 August 2001	–	(8/8)100%
Datuk Zahari Omar	Executive Vice-President	26 July 1999	–	(8/8)100%
Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar	Independent, non-executive Director	27 September 2000	–	(8/8) 100%
Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *	Independent, non-executive Director	27 September 2000	20 May 2004	(4/4) 100%
Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar	Independent, non-executive Director	22 July 2002	–	(8/8)100%
Dr. Roslan A Ghaffar	Non-independent, non-executive Director	3 November 2003	–	(8/8)100%

* Based on four (4) board meetings held before retirement.

A brief description of the background of each Director is presented on page 12 to 19 of the Annual Report.

Supply of Information to the Board

The Board has unrestricted access to timely and accurate information necessary in the furtherance of their duties, which is not only on quantitative but also on other information deemed suitable such as customer satisfaction, product and service quality, market share and market reaction.

All Directors review the Board report prior to the Board meeting. This is issued in sufficient time to enable the Directors to obtain further explanations, where necessary, in order to be briefed properly before the meeting.

In addition to the Company's performance discussed at the meeting, there is a schedule of matters reserved specifically for the Board's decision, including the approval of corporate plans and

Supply of Information to the Board (continued)

budgets, acquisitions and disposals of assets that are material to the Company, major investments and changes to management and control structure of the Company including key policies, procedures and authority limits.

All Directors have access to the advice and services of the Company Secretary and where necessary, in the furtherance of their duties, take independent professional advice at the Company's expense. Additionally the Board invites the Company's senior management to brief the Board as necessary on matters being deliberated, as they are able to deliver a detailed insight on these matters.

Keseimbangan Lembaga Pengarah (sambungan)

Butir-butir mengenai perubahan yang berlaku di dalam Lembaga Pengarah dan kehadiran di mesyuarat bagi tempoh kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004 adalah seperti berikut:

Pengarah	Jawatan	Pelantikan	Persaraan	Kehadiran
Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Pengerusi	24 Januari 2002	–	(8/8) 100%
Shahril Ridza Ridzuan	Pengarah Urusan Kumpulan/Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif	9 Ogos 2001	–	(8/8) 100%
Abdul Rahman Ahmad	Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bukan Bebas	9 Ogos 2001	–	(8/8) 100%
Datuk Zahari Omar	Naib Presiden Eksekutif	26 Julai 1999	–	(8/8) 100%
Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar	Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bebas	27 September 2000	–	(8/8) 100%
Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *	Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bebas	27 September 2000	20 Mei 2004	(4/4) 100%
Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar	Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bebas	22 Julai 2002	–	(8/8) 100%
Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar	Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif Bukan Bebas	3 November 2003	–	(8/8) 100%

* Berdasarkan kepada empat (4) mesyuarat lembaga pengarah yang diadakan sebelum persaraan.

Satu keterangan ringkas mengenai latar belakang setiap Pengarah dibentangkan di muka surat 12 hingga 19 di dalam Laporan Tahunan ini.

Bekalan Maklumat kepada Lembaga

Lembaga Pengarah mempunyai akses yang tidak terhalang untuk mendapatkan maklumat yang menepati masa dan tepat, yang perlu untuk menjalankan tugas mereka tetapi tidak terhad kepada maklumat kuantitatif sahaja malah turut meliputi maklumat lain yang dianggap sesuai seperti kepuasan pelanggan, kualiti produk dan perkhidmatan, bahagian dan tindak balas pasaran.

Semua Pengarah akan mengkaji laporan Lembaga sebelum mesyuarat Lembaga Pengarah berlangsung. Laporan ini dikeluarkan dengan memberi masa yang mencukupi bagi membolehkan para Pengarah mendapat penjelasan lanjut, jika perlu, supaya mereka memperolehi maklumat yang sewajarnya sebelum mesyuarat diadakan.

Selain daripada membincangkan prestasi Syarikat di mesyuarat tersebut, terdapat satu jadual perkara-perkara yang khusus untuk diputuskan oleh

Bekalan Maklumat kepada Lembaga (sambungan)

Lembaga Pengarah. Ia termasuk meluluskan rancangan dan belanjawan korporat, pengambilalihan dan penjualan aset yang penting kepada Syarikat, pelaburan utama, perubahan dalam pengurusan dan struktur kawalan Syarikat, termasuk dasar-dasar penting, prosedur dan had autoriti.

Semua Pengarah boleh mendapatkan nasihat dan khidmat Setiausaha Syarikat dan jika perlu dalam menjalankan tugas mereka, mendapatkan nasihat profesional bebas dengan perbelanjaan ditanggung oleh Syarikat. Selain daripada itu, Lembaga Pengarah menjemput pengurusan kanan Syarikat untuk memberi taklimat kepada Lembaga Pengarah jika perlu berhubung perkara yang diperbincangkan kerana mereka boleh menyampaikan maklumat dalam secara terperinci berhubung perkara ini.

Relationship of the Board with Management

The Board believes that a key principle to its effective functioning is that it is able to function independently of Management. The Board, under the able leadership of the Chairman, acts independently and makes decisions premised on objective, informed and quality information provided to it by Management. The decision-making process and practices currently in place ensure that directors are able to actively exchange viewpoints to enable them to effectively assess the direction of the Company and the performance of Management, one of the Board's principal responsibilities.

The Board, in evaluating information, is assured of quality and complete information that is both qualitative and quantitative. Materials and documents that are supplied to the Board are circulated in advance and specific notice of the proposal is given in the Board's agenda. When the occasion demands, the Board invites the Company's advisers to render advice in furtherance of their duties.

Director's Education

As an integral element of the process of appointing new directors, there is an orientation and education programme for new Board members. Directors also receive further training from time to time, particularly on relevant new laws and regulations and changing commercial risks.

All Directors have attended the Continuous Education Programme as required under the Bursa Securities ruling.

Re-election of Director

In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, all Directors who are appointed by the Board are subject to re-election by shareholders at the first Annual General Meeting ("AGM") following their appointment. The Articles of Association also provide that at least one third of the remaining Directors are subject to re-election by rotation at each AGM.

2. BOARD COMMITTEES

The Board has delegated certain functions to several Committees it has established to assist in the execution of its responsibilities for the Company. The Committees operate under clearly defined terms of reference, which have been approved by the Board of Directors. These Committees have the authority to examine particular issues and report back to the Board with their recommendations. The Chairman of the respective Committees will report to the Board on the outcome of the Committee meetings and its recommendations. The ultimate responsibility for the final decision on all matters, however, lies with the entire Board.

The following Board Committees have been established:

Nomination Committee

The Code endorses, as good practice, a formal procedure for appointments to the Board, with a Nomination Committee making recommendations to the Board. In line with this, the Nomination Committee ("NC") was established on 31 October 2001.

The NC's terms of reference include:

- i) Identifying and recommending new nominees to the Board and committees of the Board of MRCB, and nominees to the boards of its subsidiaries. All decisions and appointments are made by the respective boards after considering the recommendation of the NC;
- ii) Assisting the Board, committees of the Board and directors in assessing its overall effectiveness on an on-going basis; and
- iii) Assisting the Board in periodically reviewing its required mix of skills and experience and other qualities that non-executive Directors should bring to the Board.

Perhubungan Lembaga Pengarah dengan Pengurusan

Lembaga Pengarah percaya bahawa prinsip utama yang membolehkan ia berfungsi dengan berkesan adalah kebolehannya berfungsi secara bebas daripada pihak Pengurusan. Di bawah kepimpinan Pengerusi, Lembaga Pengarah bertindak secara bebas dan membuat keputusan berdasarkan maklumat objektif, termaklum dan berkualiti yang disediakan kepadaanya oleh pihak Pengurusan. Proses dan amalan membuat keputusan yang wujud pada masa ini memastikan supaya para pengarah boleh bertukar pandangan secara aktif untuk membolehkan mereka menilai secara berkesan halaju Syarikat dan prestasi pihak Pengurusan, yang merupakan salah satu daripada tanggungjawab utama Lembaga Pengarah.

Dalam menilai maklumat yang disediakan, Lembaga Pengarah telah diberi kepastian tentang kualiti dan kecukupan maklumat, baik dari segi kualitatif mahupun kuantitatif. Bahan dan dokumen yang dibekalkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah diedar terlebih dahulu dan notis tertentu berhubung cadangan diberi dalam agenda Lembaga Pengarah. Jika keadaan memerlukan, Lembaga Pengarah akan meminta para penasihat Syarikat untuk memberi nasihat dalam menjalankan tugas mereka.

Pendidikan Pengarah

Sebagai elemen penting dalam proses pelantikan para pengarah baru, program orientasi dan pendidikan diatur untuk ahli-ahli Lembaga Pengarah yang baru. Para Pengarah turut menerima latihan lanjut dari semasa ke semasa, khususnya berhubung undang-undang dan peraturan baru yang berkaitan serta risiko perdagangan yang sering berubah-ubah.

Semua Pengarah telah menghadiri Program Pendidikan Berterusan seperti yang ditetapkan oleh peraturan Bursa Securities.

Pemilihan Semula Pengarah

Selaras dengan Artikel Pertubuhan Syarikat, semua Pengarah yang dilantik oleh Lembaga Pengarah tertakluk kepada pemilihan semula oleh para pemegang saham pada Mesyuarat Agung Tahunan ("MAT") pertama selepas pelantikan mereka. Artikel Pertubuhan Syarikat turut memperuntukkan bahawa sekurang-kurangnya satu per tiga daripada baki Lembaga Pengarah tertakluk kepada pemilihan semula mengikut giliran pada setiap MAT.

2. JAWATANKUASA LEMBAGA PENGARAH

Lembaga Pengarah telah mengagihkan fungsi tertentu kepada beberapa Jawatankuasa yang telah ditubuhkan untuk membantu melaksanakan tanggungjawabnya terhadap Syarikat. Jawatankuasa ini beroperasi di bawah takrifan jelas bidang yang telah diluluskan oleh Lembaga Pengarah. Jawatankuasa ini mempunyai autoriti untuk meneliti isu-isu tertentu dan membuat laporan kepada Lembaga Pengarah berserta syor-syornya. Pengerusi setiap Jawatankuasa tersebut akan melapor kepada Lembaga Pengarah berhubung hasil mesyuarat Jawatankuasa dan syor-syornya. Walau bagaimanapun, tanggungjawab muktamad untuk membuat keputusan muktamad berhubung semua perkara terletak kepada keseluruhan Lembaga Pengarah.

Jawatankuasa Lembaga Pengarah berikut telah diwujudkan:

Jawatankuasa Pencalonan

Kod mengesahkan sebagai satu amalan terbaik, sebuah prosedur formal bagi pelantikan ke Lembaga Pengarah, berasaskan usul yang dikemukakan oleh Jawatankuasa Pencalonan kepada Lembaga Pengarah. Sejak dengan itu, Jawatankuasa Pencalonan ("JP") telah ditubuhkan pada 31 Oktober 2001.

Bidang kuasa JP termasuk:

- i) Mengenalpasti dan mengesyorkan calon-calon baru ke Lembaga Pengarah dan jawatankuasa Lembaga Pengarah MRCB, dan calon ke Lembaga Pengarah syarikat-syarikat subsidiariya. Semua keputusan dan pelantikan dibuat oleh Lembaga Pengarah masing-masing selepas mempertimbangkan syor JP;
- ii) Membantu Lembaga Pengarah, jawatankuasa Lembaga Pengarah dan para pengarah dalam menilai keberkesanan menyeluruh mereka secara berterusan; dan
- iii) Membantu Lembaga Pengarah mengkaji secara berkala campuran kemahiran dan pengalaman serta kualiti-kualiti lain yang perlu dibawa oleh para Pengarah bukan eksekutif ke dalam Lembaga Pengarah.

Nomination Committee (continued)

The members of the NC are:

Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *
(Chairman – w.e.f. 26 March 2004, Resigned w.e.f. 20 May 2004)

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar *
(Chairman – w.e.f. 29 July 2004)

Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail **

Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar *

* Independent, non-executive director

** Non-independent, non-executive director

The NC shall meet at least once a year, and a quorum of three (3) is required to convene the meeting. The NC has met twice during the review period, on 26 March 2004 and 29 July 2004.

Remuneration Committee

In line with the Best Practices of the Code, a Remuneration Committee ("RC") was set up on 31 October 2001.

The terms of reference of the RC include:

- i) To determine and recommend to the Board the framework or broad policy for the remuneration packages of the Chairman of the Board, the GMD/CEO and other senior management officers it is designated to consider.
- ii) To establish a formal and transparent procedure for developing policy on the total individual remuneration package of the GMD/CEO and other designated senior management officers including, where appropriate, bonuses, incentives and share options.
- iii) To design the remuneration package for GMD/CEO and other designated senior management officers with the aim of attracting and retaining high-calibre senior management personnel who will deliver success for shareholders and high standards of service for customers, while having due regard to the business environment in which the Company operates. Once formulated, the remuneration package is recommended to the Board for approval.

Remuneration Committee (continued)

iv) To review and recommend to the Board improvements (if any) on GMD/CEO and designated senior management officers' remuneration policy and package, and any other issues relating to benefits of those designated officers on an annual basis.

v) To review any major changes in employee benefit structures throughout the Company, and where appropriate recommend to the Board for adoption.

vi) To review and recommend to the Board for adoption the framework for the Company's annual incentive scheme. The framework for the annual incentive scheme may include:

- Merit increment
- Merit bonus
- Incentives

The members of the RC are:

Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar * (Chairman)

Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail **

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar *

Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *

(Resigned w.e.f. 20 May 2004)

Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar **

(Appointed w.e.f. 29 July 2004)

* Independent, non-executive director

** Non-independent, non-executive director

During the period under review, the RC held seven (7) meetings, on 29 January 2004, 25 February 2004, 26 March 2004, 29 July 2004, 30 August 2004, 8 November 2004 and 21 December 2004.

The determination of the remuneration of the non-executive Directors is a matter for the Board as a whole. The annual fees payable to non-executive directors are presented to the shareholders at the Company's AGM for approval.

Jawatankuasa Pencalonan (sambungan)

Ahli-ahli JP adalah:

Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *
(Pengerusi – berkuatkuasa dari 26 Mac 2004, meletak jawatan berkuatkuasa dari 20 Mei 2004)

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar *
(Pengerusi – berkuatkuasa dari 29 Julai 2004)

Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail **

Dato' Ahmad Ibhajir *

* Pengarah bukan eksekutif bebas

** Pengarah bukan eksekutif bukan bebas

JP hendaklah bermesyuarat sekurang-kurangnya sekali setahun, dan kuorum tiga (3) orang diperlukan untuk mengadakan mesyuarat. JP telah bermesyuarat dua kali pada tempoh yang ditinjau, iaitu pada 26 Mac 2004 dan 29 Julai 2004.

Jawatankuasa Imbuhan

Selaras dengan Amalan Terbaik Kod, sebuah Jawatankuasa Imbuhan ("JI") telah ditubuhkan pada 31 Oktober 2001.

Bidang kuasa RC meliputi:

- i) Untuk menentu dan mengesyorkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah rangka kerja atau dasar umum untuk pakej imbuhan Pengerusi Lembaga Pengarah, GMD/CEO dan para pegawai pengurusan kanan lain yang ditentukan untuk pertimbangannya.
- ii) Untuk menetapkan satu prosedur formal dan telus bagi mewujudkan dasar berhubung keseluruhan pakej imbuhan setiap individu bagi GMD/CEO dan para pegawai pengurusan kanan lain yang ditentukan termasuk, mengikut kesesuaian, bonus, insentif dan opsyen saham.
- iii) Untuk merangka pakej imbuhan bagi GMD/CEO dan para pegawai pengurusan kanan lain yang ditentukan dengan tujuan untuk menarik dan mengekalkan pegawai pengurusan kanan berkebolehan yang akan memberi kejayaan kepada para pemegang saham dan tahap perkhidmatan yang tinggi kepada para pelanggan, di samping memberi pertimbangan sewajarnya terhadap persekitaran perniagaan di mana Syarikat beroperasi. Setelah dirumuskan, ia akan disyorkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah untuk diluluskan.

Jawatankuasa Imbuhan (sambungan)

- iv) Untuk mengkaji semula dan mengesyorkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah peningkatan (jika ada) mengenai dasar dan pakej imbuhan GMD/CEO dan para pegawai pengurusan kanan yang ditentukan, dan sebarang isu lain yang berkaitan dengan ganjaran tahunan untuk para pegawai tersebut.
- v) Untuk mengkaji sebarang perubahan besar dalam struktur faedah pekerja di keseluruhan Syarikat, dan jika sesuai ia akan disyorkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah untuk diterima pakai.
- vi) Untuk mengkaji dan mengesyorkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah penggunaan rangka kerja untuk skim insentif tahunan Syarikat. Rangka kerja skim insentif tahunan itu boleh meliputi:
 - Kenaikan gaji mengikut merit
 - Bonus mengikut merit
 - Insentif

Ahli-ahli JI terdiri daripada:

Dato' Ahmad Ibhajir * (Pengerusi)

Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail **

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar *

Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh *

(Meletak jawatan berkuatkuasa dari 20 Mei 2004)

Dr. Roslan A. Ghaffar **

(Dilantik berkuatkuasa dari 29 Julai 2004)

* Pengarah bukan eksekutif bebas

** Pengarah bukan eksekutif bukan bebas

Pada tempoh yang ditinjau, JI telah bermesyuarat sebanyak tujuh (7) kali, iaitu pada 29 Januari 2004, 25 Februari 2004, 26 Mac 2004, 29 Julai 2004, 30 Ogos 2004, 8 November 2004 dan 21 Disember 2004.

Penentuan imbuhan untuk Pengarah bukan eksekutif terletak kepada keseluruhan Lembaga Pengarah. Cadangan yuran tahunan yang perlu dibayar kepada para pengarah bukan eksekutif dibentangkan kepada para pemegang saham pada MAT Syarikat untuk diluluskan.

Directors' Remuneration

A summary of the remuneration of the Directors for the period, distinguishing between executive and non-executive Directors in aggregate, with categorization into appropriate components and the number of Directors whose remuneration falls into each successive band of RM50,000 are set out below:

	Executive Directors	Non-Executive Directors	Total
Fees (RM)	–	176,557.00	176,557.00
Salary (RM)	387,792.00	0.00	387,792.00
EPF (RM)	153,897.00	12,000.00	165,897.00
Bonus (RM)	78,600.00	0.00	78,600.00
Benefits-in-kind (RM)	14,084.15	39,542.09	53,626.24
Other Emoluments (RM)	200,004.00	60,000.00	260,004.00
Total (RM)	834,377.15	288,099.09	1,122,476.24
Directors' Remuneration			
RM0 – RM50,000	–	5	5
RM50,001 – RM100,000	–	–	–
RM100,001 – RM150,000	1	1	2
RM150,001 – RM200,000	–	–	–
RM200,001 – RM250,000	–	–	–
RM250,000 – RM300,000	–	–	–
RM300,001 – RM350,000	–	–	–
RM350,001 – RM400,000	–	–	–
RM400,001 – RM450,000	–	–	–
RM450,001 – RM500,000	–	–	–
RM500,001 – RM550,000	–	–	–
RM550,001 – RM600,000	–	–	–
RM600,001 – RM650,000	–	–	–
RM650,001 – RM700,000	–	–	–
RM700,001 – RM750,000	1	–	1
RM750,001 – RM800,000	–	–	–
RM800,001 – RM850,000	–	–	–
Total	2	6	8

Audit Committee

The Audit Committee Report is set out on pages 84 to 88 of this Annual Report.

3. INVESTOR RELATIONS

As a public-listed company responsible to its shareholders, the Company acknowledges the need for transparency and disclosure in its business dealings.

Various corporate announcements are made during the period under review, and this includes timely release of the quarterly financial results. In addition, corporate announcements, events and developments are issued to the media via press releases and/or by holding press conferences after general meetings or corporate events. These provide shareholders and

3. INVESTOR RELATIONS (continued)

the investing public with an overview of the Company's performance and operations. In addition, the Company has established a website at www.mrcb.com.my which shareholders and investors can conveniently access for information about the Company.

The Company regards the AGM as the forum to communicate with its shareholders. The Board, at each AGM via the Annual Report, presents the Company's progress and performance. Shareholders are then given the opportunity to ask questions or seek clarification on the business and performance of the Company. Where appropriate, the Chairman of the Board will undertake to provide the questioner with a written answer to any significant question that cannot be readily answered during the AGM.

Imbuhan Pengarah

Satu ringkasan berhubung imbuhan untuk Pengarah bagi tempoh yang ditinjau, membezakan antara Pengarah eksekutif dan bukan eksekutif secara agregat, dengan mengkategorikan dalam komponen yang sesuai bilangan Pengarah yang mana imbuhan mereka berada dalam lingkungan setiap RM50,000 dinyatakan seperti di bawah:

	Pengarah Eksekutif	Pengarah Bukan Eksekutif	Jumlah
Yuran (RM)	—	176,557.00	176,557.00
Gaji (RM)	387,792.00	—	387,792.00
KWSP (RM)	153,897.00	12,000.00	165,897.00
Bonus (RM)	78,600.00	—	78,600.00
Manfaat Seumpamanya (RM)	14,084.15	39,542.09	53,626.24
Emolumen lain (RM)	200,004.00	60,000.00	260,004.00
Jumlah (RM)	834,377.15	288,099.09	1,122,476.24

Imbuhan Pengarah

RM0 – RM50,000	—	5	5
RM50,001 – RM100,000	—	—	—
RM100,001 – RM150,000	1	1	2
RM150,001 – RM200,000	—	—	—
RM200,001 – RM250,000	—	—	—
RM250,001 – RM300,000	—	—	—
RM300,001 – RM350,000	—	—	—
RM350,001 – RM400,000	—	—	—
RM400,001 – RM450,000	—	—	—
RM450,001 – RM500,000	—	—	—
RM500,001 – RM550,000	—	—	—
RM550,001 – RM600,000	—	—	—
RM600,001 – RM650,000	—	—	—
RM650,001 – RM700,000	—	—	—
RM700,001 – RM750,000	1	—	1
RM750,001 – RM800,000	—	—	—
RM800,001 – RM850,000	—	—	—
Jumlah	2	6	8

Jawatankuasa Audit

Laporan Jawatankuasa Audit dibentangkan di muka surat 85 hingga 89 dalam Laporan Tahunan ini.

3. PERHUBUNGAN DENGAN PELABUR

Sebagai sebuah syarikat senarai awam yang bertanggungjawab terhadap para pemegang sahamnya, Syarikat mengakui perlunya ketelusan dan pendedahan dalam urusan perniagaannya.

Pelbagai pengumuman korporat dibuat pada tempoh kewangan ini, dan ini termasuk pengeluaran keputusan kewangan suku tahunan yang tepat pada masanya. Selain daripada itu, pengumuman, acara dan perkembangan korporat dikeluarkan kepada media melalui siaran akbar dan/atau dengan mengadakan sidang akbar selepas mesyuarat agung atau acara korporat. Ini menyediakan gambaran menyeluruh

3. PERHUBUNGAN DENGAN PELABUR (sambungan)

kepada para pemegang saham dan masyarakat pelabur berhubung prestasi dan operasi Syarikat. Selain daripada itu, Syarikat telah mewujudkan laman web beralamat di www.mrcb.com.my di mana pemegang saham dan pelabur boleh memasukinya untuk mendapatkan maklumat berkenaan Syarikat.

Syarikat menganggap MAT sebagai sebuah forum untuk berkomunikasi dengan para pemegang saham. Pada setiap MAT, Lembaga Pengarah akan membentangkan kemajuan dan prestasi Syarikat melalui Laporan Tahunan. Para pemegang saham kemudian akan diberi peluang untuk mengemukakan soalan atau meminta penjelasan berhubung perniagaan dan prestasi Syarikat. Dimana sesuai, Pengerusi Lembaga Pengarah akan memberi jawapan bertulis kepada penanya bagi soalan-soalan yang tidak dapat diberikan jawapan semasa MAT.

4. FINANCIAL REPORTING

In presenting the annual financial statements and quarterly announcement to shareholders, the Directors aim to present a balanced and understandable assessment of the Company's position and prospects. This also applies to other price-sensitive public reports and reports to regulators.

5. DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT FOR PREPARING THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Board is responsible for the preparation of the financial statements of the Company. The Board has ensured that the financial statements have been prepared based on accounting policies which have been consistently and properly applied, supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates, in adherence to all applicable accounting standards.

It is also the Board's responsibility to ensure that accounting records are accurate, within margins of reasonableness, and which discloses the financial position of the Company in a true and fair manner.

The statements by directors pursuant to Section 169(15) of the Companies Act, 1965 in relation to the preparation of the financial statements are set out on page 92 of this Annual Report under "Statement by Directors".

6. RELATIONSHIP WITH THE AUDITORS

The Company has established transparent and appropriate relationships with its auditors through the Audit Committee.

The role of the Audit Committee in relation to the auditors is described on page 84 to 88 of the Annual Report.

7. INTERNAL CONTROL

Introduction

The Code requires listed companies to maintain a sound system of internal control to safeguard shareholders' investments and the Company's assets. The Bursa Malaysia Listing Requirements require directors of listed companies to include a statement in annual reports on the state of their internal controls. The Bursa Malaysia's Statement on Internal Control: Guidance for Directors of Public Listed Companies ("Guidance") provides guidance for compliance with these requirements. Set out below is the Board's Internal Control Statement, which has been prepared in accordance with the Guidance.

Responsibility

The Board recognises the importance of sound controls and risk management practices to good corporate governance. The Board affirms its overall responsibility for the Company's system of internal controls and risk management, and for reviewing the adequacy and integrity of the system. Such a system, however, can only be designed to manage rather than eliminate the risk of failure to achieve business objectives. This system, by its nature, can only provide reasonable but not absolute assurance against material misstatement or loss.

Risk Management Framework

The Company has in place an on-going process for identifying, evaluating, monitoring and managing the significant risks affecting the achievement of its business objectives.

The Board has established an organisation structure with clearly defined lines of accountability and delegated authority. It has extended the responsibilities of the Audit Committee to include the work of monitoring all internal controls on its behalf.

4. LAPORAN KEWANGAN

Para Pengarah beriltizam untuk membentangkan satu penilaian yang seimbang dan mudah difahami mengenai kedudukan dan prospek Syarikat dalam pembentangan penyata kewangan tahunan dan pengumuman suku tahunan kepada para pemegang saham. Pendekatan ini turut digunakan kepada laporan awam lain yang bersifat sensitif harga dan laporan kepada penguatkuasa peraturan.

5. PENYATA TANGGUNGJAWAB PENGARAH DALAM MENYEDIAKAN PENYATA KEWANGAN

Lembaga Pengarah bertanggungjawab menyediakan penyata kewangan Syarikat. Lembaga Pengarah juga telah memastikan bahawa penyata kewangan disediakan berdasarkan penggunaan dasar perakaunan secara konsisten dan sesuai, disokong oleh pertimbangan dan anggaran yang munasabah dan berhemat serta mematuhi semua piawaian perakaunan yang diterima pakai. Para Pengarah turut bertanggungjawab untuk memastikan bahawa rekod perakaunan berada dalam lingkungan ketepatan munasabah, serta mendedahkan kedudukan yang benar dan saksama berhubung kewangan Syarikat.

Penyata pengarah menurut Seksyen 169(15) Akta Syarikat, 1965 berhubung penyediaan penyata kewangan dibentangkan di muka surat 92 dalam Laporan Tahunan ini di bawah "Penyata oleh Pengarah"

6. PERHUBUNGAN DENGAN JURUAUDIT

Syarikat menjalin perhubungan yang telus dan sesuai dengan juruauditnya melalui Jawatankuasa Audit.

Peranan Jawatankuasa Audit dalam hubungan dengan juruaudit tersebut dinyatakan di muka surat 85 hingga 89 dalam Laporan Tahunan ini.

7. KAWALAN DALAMAN

Pengenalan

Kod memerlukan syarikat tersenarai mengekalkan sistem kawalan dalaman yang baik untuk melindungi pelaburan pemegang saham dan aset Syarikat. Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Malaysia menghendaki para pengarah syarikat tersenarai untuk menyertakan satu penyata dalam laporan tahunan berhubung keadaan kawalan dalaman mereka. Penyata berhubung Kawalan Dalaman Bursa Malaysia: Panduan bagi Pengarah Syarikat Disenarai Awam ("Panduan") menyediakan panduan bagi pematuhan dengan keperluan-keperluan ini. Dibentangkan di bawah adalah Penyata Kawalan Dalaman Lembaga Pengarah, yang telah disediakan selaras dengan Panduan.

Tanggungjawab

Lembaga Pengarah mengakui kepentingan kawalan dan amalan pengurusan risiko terbaik terhadap tadbir urus korporat yang baik. Lembaga Pengarah mengesahkan tanggungjawab menyeluruhnya terhadap sistem kawalan dalaman dan pengurusan risiko Syarikat, dan bagi mengkaji kecukupan dan kewibawaan sistem ini. Sistem tersebut, walau bagaimanapun, hanya boleh direka untuk mengurus dan bukan menghapus risiko kegagalan mencapai objektif perniagaan. Berasaskan ciri-cirinya, sistem ini hanya mampu menyediakan jaminan munasabah dan bukan muktamad terhadap salahnyata atau kerugian yang ketara.

Rangka Kerja Pengurusan Risiko

Syarikat telah menyediakan proses berterusan untuk mengenalpasti, menilai, memantau dan mengurus risiko utama yang mendatangkan kesan kepada pencapaian objektif perniagaannya.

Lembaga Pengarah telah mewujudkan sebuah struktur organisasi dengan garisan akauntabiliti dan delegasi autoriti yang jelas. Ia telah meluaskan tanggungjawab Jawatankuasa Audit untuk meliputi kerja-kerja memantau semua kawalan dalaman bagi pihaknya.

Risk Management Framework (continued)

In a move towards a more integrated approach to risk management, the Board has previously established a Risk Management Framework for the Company. Key risk processes have been identified and divided into three major areas, i.e. Investment/Divestment risks, Implementation risks and Operational risk. At all levels of management, a system has been put in place to identify and manage the risks, which includes nomination of a Risk Manager in each division and quarterly risk management reporting. The Risk Management Framework is continuously reviewed, and was last revised by the Board of Directors on 24 February 2005.

Subsequently, a Risk Management Working Committee (RMWC) has been established. The RMWC, a working committee at the executive level, is chaired by the GMD/CEO and its members include the Head of Projects & Corporate Planning, the Head of Human Resources and the Head of Finance & Treasury, with the Head of Corporate Governance in attendance as a permanent invitee. Representatives from each operating unit will also be invited to attend the RMWC as required. The RMWC shall meet on a regular basis to review all major risk areas, and consider the changes to risk management and control processes that should be recommended. Its review covers matters such as responses to significant risks identified, output from monitoring processes and changes made to the internal control systems. The first RMWC meeting was held on 20 February 2004.

The RMWC reports to the Audit Committee, which also oversees the Company's Risk Management function. The Audit Committee will then report to the Board on significant changes in the business and the external environment that affect key risks.

Other Key Elements

The Board has also established a Tender Committee to ensure transparency and integrity of the award process.

The other key elements of the Company's internal control systems are described below:

- i) clearly defined lines of authority and divisionalised organisation structure for monitoring the conduct and operations of individual business units;

Other Key Elements (continued)

- ii) clear delegation of responsibilities to committees of the full Board and to operating units, including authorisation levels for all aspects of the business set out in the Company's Limits of Authority;
- iii) clearly documented internal policies and procedures set out in a series of Standard Operating Manuals which is periodically reviewed for improvements and to reflect changes in business structures and processes;
- iv) a detailed budgeting process, where operating units prepare budgets for the coming year which are approved both at operating unit level and by the full Board;
- v) monthly reporting of actual results and review against budget, with major variances being followed up and management action taken where necessary;
- vi) monthly status report on division and department activities submitted to Performance Monitoring & Risk Management department to be reviewed and discussed;
- vii) monitoring of performance including discussion of any significant issues at monthly division meeting and senior management meeting chaired by the GMD/CEO;
- viii) regular and comprehensive information provided to management, covering financial performance and key performance indicators such as staff utilisation and cash flow performance; and
- ix) regular Internal Audit visits which provide independent assurance on the effectiveness of the Company's system of internal controls and advising Management on areas for further improvements.

The Board believes that the development of the system of internal controls is an on-going process, and has taken steps throughout the period under review to improve its internal control system and will continue to do so.

Associated Companies

Representatives from the Company are appointed to the board of directors of associated companies and attend board meetings. For active associated companies, key financial information of these companies is reviewed and significant issues are reported to the MRCB Board.

Rangka Kerja Pengurusan Risiko (sambungan)

Dalam usaha ke arah mencapai kaedah pengurusan risiko yang lebih bersepadu, Lembaga Pengarah sebelum ini telah mewujudkan sebuah Rangka Kerja Pengurusan Risiko bagi Syarikat. Proses risiko penting dikenalpasti dan dibahagikan kepada tiga bidang utama, iaitu risiko Pelaburan/Pelupusan, risiko Pelaksanaan dan risiko Operasi. Sebuah sistem telah disediakan di semua peringkat pengurusan untuk mengenalpasti dan mengurus risiko, yang meliputi pencalonan Pengurus Risiko dalam setiap bahagian serta laporan pengurusan risiko setiap suku tahun. Rangka Kerja Pengurusan Risiko disemak secara berterusan dan telah disemak kali terakhir oleh Lembaga Pengarah pada 24 Februari 2005.

Kemudian, sebuah Jawatankuasa Kerja Pengurusan Risiko ("JKPR") telah ditubuhkan. JKPR dipengerusikan oleh GMD/CEO dan ahli-ahlinya termasuk Ketua Perancangan Projek & Korporat, Ketua Sumber Manusia dan Ketua Kewangan & Perbendaharaan, dengan Ketua Tadbir Urus Korporat hadir sebagai jemputan tetap. Wakil-wakil daripada setiap unit operasi juga akan dijemput untuk menghadiri JKPR. JKPR, sebuah jawatankuasa kerja di peringkat eksekutif, akan bermesyuarat secara tetap untuk mengkaji semua bidang risiko utama, dan menentukan perubahan kepada pengurusan risiko dan proses kawalan yang patut disyorkan. Kajiannya meliputi hal-hal seperti tindak balas terhadap risiko utama yang dikenalpasti, hasil daripada proses pemantauan dan perubahan yang dilakukan terhadap sistem kawalan dalaman. Mesyuarat JKPR pertama telah diadakan pada 20 Februari 2004.

JKPR melapor kepada Jawatankuasa Audit, yang turut mengawalselia fungsi Pengurusan Risiko Syarikat. Jawatankuasa Audit kemudian akan melapor kepada Lembaga Pengarah berhubung perubahan penting dalam perniagaan dan persekitaran luaran yang mempengaruhi risiko utama.

Elemen-elemen Penting Lain

Lembaga Pengarah turut menubuhkan Jawatankuasa Tender bagi memastikan ketelusan dan kewibawaan proses pemberian tender.

Elemen-elemen penting sistem kawalan dalaman lain Syarikat adalah seperti yang dinyatakan di bawah:

- i) garis autoriti dan pembahagian struktur organisasi yang ditakrif dengan jelas bagi memantau pengendalian dan operasi setiap unit perniagaan;
- ii) pengagihan tanggungjawab yang jelas kepada jawatankuasa Lembaga Pengarah penuh dan kepada unit operasi, termasuk peringkat kelulusan bagi semua aspek perniagaan yang dibentangkan dalam Had Autoriti Syarikat;

Elemen-elemen Penting Lain (sambungan)

- iii) dasar dan prosedur dalam yang didokumentasi dengan jelas dan dibentangkan dalam satu siri Manual Operasi Standard yang dikaji secara berkala untuk dipertingkatkan dan untuk menggambarkan perubahan dalam struktur dan proses perniagaan;
- iv) proses belanjawan yang terperinci, di mana unit operasi menyediakan belanjawan bagi tahun akan datang yang diluluskan di peringkat unit operasi dan oleh Lembaga Pengarah penuh;
- v) laporan bulanan berhubung keputusan sebenar berbanding belanjawan, dengan perbezaan utama diambil tindakan susulan dan tindakan oleh pihak pengurusan jika perlu;
- vi) Laporan status bulanan berhubung aktiviti bahagian dan jabatan diserahkan kepada Jabatan Pemantauan Prestasi Dan Pengurusan Risiko untuk dikaji dan diperbincangkan;
- vii) pemantauan prestasi meliputi perbincangan berhubung sebarang isu penting pada mesyuarat bulanan bahagian dan mesyuarat pengurusan kanan yang dipengerusikan oleh GMD/CEO;
- viii) penyediaan maklumat secara kerap dan lengkap kepada pengurusan, meliputi prestasi kewangan dan petunjuk prestasi utama seperti penggunaan kakitangan dan prestasi aliran tunai; dan
- ix) lawatan kerap Audit Dalaman yang menyediakan jaminan bebas berhubung keberkesanan sistem kawalan dalaman Syarikat dan memberi nasihat kepada Pengurusan berhubung perkara-perkara yang perlu dipertingkatkan.

Lembaga Pengarah percaya bahawa pembangunan sistem kawalan dalaman merupakan satu proses berterusan, dan Lembaga Pengarah telah mengambil langkah sepanjang tempoh ini untuk mempertingkatkan sistem kawalan dalaman Syarikat dan akan terus berbuat demikian pada masa-masa akan datang.

Syarikat-syarikat Bersekutu

Para wakil daripada Syarikat dilantik ke lembaga pengarah syarikat-syarikat bersekutu dan menghadiri mesyuarat lembaga pengarah syarikat tersebut. Bagi syarikat bersekutu yang aktif, maklumat kewangan utama berhubung syarikat ini dikaji dan isu-isu penting dilaporkan kepada Lembaga Pengarah MRCB.

ADDITIONAL COMPLIANCE INFORMATION

The information set out below is disclosed in compliance with the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities"):

(i) **Utilisation of Proceeds Raised from Corporate Proposals**

There were no proceeds raised by the Company during the financial year ended 31 December 2004.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 12 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(ii) **Share Buy-Backs**

The Company has not sought the approval from the shareholders to purchase its own shares and therefore, has not purchased any of its own shares during the financial year. As such, there are no shares being retained as treasury shares by the Company.

Disclosed in accordance with Paragraph 12.24, Appendix 12D of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(iii) **Options, Warrants or Convertible Securities**

The Company has not issued any options, warrants or convertible securities during the financial year ended 31 December 2004 other than the granting of options under the MRCB Employees' Share Option Scheme.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 14 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(iv) **American Depository Receipt ("ADR") or Global Depository Receipt ("GDR")**

The Company did not sponsor any ADR or GDR programme.

Disclosed in accordance with Paragraph 9C, Part A, item 15 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(v) **Sanctions and/or Penalties Imposed**

There was no sanctions and/or penalties imposed on MRCB and its subsidiary companies, directors or management by the relevant regulatory bodies during the financial year.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 16 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(vi) **Non-audit Fees**

The amount of non-audit fees paid to the external auditors for the financial year 2004 was RM132,000.00.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 17 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(vii) **Variation in Results**

There was no profit forecast issued by the Company during the financial year.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 18 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(viii) **Profit Guarantee**

There were no profit guarantees given by the Company during the financial year.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 19 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(ix) **Material Contracts**

There were no material contracts (not being contracts entered into in the ordinary course of business) entered into by the Company and its subsidiary companies involving directors and major shareholders, which subsisted at the end of the financial year ended 31 December 2004 or, if not then subsisting, entered into since the end of the previous financial year.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 20 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

MAKLUMAT PEMATUHAN TAMBAHAN

Maklumat yang dibentangkan di bawah adalah untuk mematuhi Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ('Bursa Securities').

(i) **Penggunaan Kutipan yang Dikumpul daripada Cadangan Korporat**

Tidak ada kutipan yang telah dikumpulkan oleh Syarikat pada tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 12 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(ii) **Pembelian Balik Saham**

Syarikat tidak meminta kelulusan daripada para pemegang saham untuk membeli sahamnya sendiri dan oleh itu, tidak membeli sebarang sahamnya sendiri pada tahun ini. Oleh itu, tidak ada saham yang disimpan sebagai saham perbendaharaan oleh Syarikat.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Perenggan 12.24, Lampiran 12D Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(iii) **Pilihan, Waran atau Sekuriti Boleh Tukar**

Syarikat tidak menerbitkan sebarang pilihan, waran atau sekuriti boleh tukar pada tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004 selain daripada pemberian pilihan di bawah Skim Pilihan Saham Kaktangan MRCB.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 14 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(iv) **American Depository Receipt ("ADR") atau Global Depository Receipt ("GDR")**

Syarikat tidak menaja sebarang program ADR atau GDR.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 15 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(v) **Sekatan dan/atau Penalty Yang Dikenakan**

Tidak ada sekatan dan/atau penalty yang telah dikenakan ke atas MRCB dan syarikat-syarikat subsidiarinya, para pengarah atau pengurusan oleh penguatkuasa peraturan berkenaan pada tahun kewangan ini.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 16 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(vi) **Yuran bukan Audit**

Jumlah yuran bukan audit yang dibayar kepada juruaudit luar pada tahun kewangan 2004 adalah RM132,000.00

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 17 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(vii) **Variasi Keputusan**

Kumpulan tidak mengeluarkan sebarang ramalan keuntungan pada tahun kewangan ini.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 18 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(viii) **Jaminan Keuntungan**

Syarikat tidak memberi sebarang jaminan keuntungan pada tahun kewangan ini.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 19 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(ix) **Kontrak Penting**

Tidak ada kontrak penting (kecuali kontrak yang dimeterai dalam urusan biasa perniagaan) yang ditandatangani oleh Syarikat dan syarikat-syarikat subsidiarinya yang melibatkan para pengarah dan pemegang saham utama, yang wujud pada tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004, atau jika tidak wujud, dimeterai sejak akhir tahun kewangan lepas.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 20 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(x) **Revaluation Policy**

The Company did not have a revaluation policy on landed properties.

Disclosed in accordance with Appendix 9C, Part A, item 23 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(xi) **Directors' Training**

All the Directors who were required to complete the Continuing Education Programme and the Mandatory Accreditation Programme ("MAP") as prescribed by Bursa Securities during the financial year ended 31 December 2004 have successfully completed the programmes. Encik Ahmad Zaki Zahid who was appointed as a Director of the Company in early 2005 is scheduled to attend the MAP in June 2005. The Directors will continue to attend other relevant training programmes as appropriate to enhance their skills and knowledge.

(xii) **Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a Revenue or Trading Nature**

At an Annual General Meeting held on 20 May 2004, the Company had obtained a mandate from its shareholders to allow the Company and its subsidiaries to enter into recurrent related party transactions of a revenue or trading nature.

The details of the recurrent related party transactions of a revenue or trading nature conducted during the financial year ended 31 December 2004 pursuant to the said shareholders' mandate are as follows:

Company in MRCB Group involved	Related Party	Interested Related Party	Nature of Transaction	Value of Transaction (RM'000)
MRCB	Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad ("STMB")	Realmild (M) Sdn. Bhd.	Rental of Sri Pentas 2, Plaza Alam Sentral to STMB	936,000
MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd.	Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd.	Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd.	Provision of consulting services by Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd. to MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd.	735,000
MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd.	Maxis Broadband Sdn. Bhd.	Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Provision of supply and installation of telecommunication infrastructure by MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd. to Maxis Broadband Sdn. Bhd.	280,000
MRCB Selborn Sdn. Bhd.	Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd.	Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Rental of space by MRCB Selborn Sdn. Bhd. to Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd. for antennas installation.	30,000
Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd.	Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd.	Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Rental of space by Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd. to Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd. for antennas installation.	25,200

Disclosed in accordance with Paragraph 10.09 (1)(b) and Section 4.1.5 of Practice Note 12/2001 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

(x) **Dasar Penilaian Semula**

Syarikat tidak mempunyai dasar penilaian semula berhubung hartanah.

Didedahkan selaras dengan Lampiran 9C, Bahagian A, perkara 23 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

(xi) **Latihan Pengarah**

Semua Pengarah yang dikehendaki menghadiri Program Pendidikan Berterusan dan Program Akreditasi Mandatori (MAP) seperti yang ditetapkan oleh Bursa Securities pada tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004 telah berjaya menjalani latihan masing-masing. Encik Ahmad Zaki Zahid yang dilantik sebagai Pengarah Syarikat pada awal tahun 2005 dijadual akan menghadiri MAP pada bulan Jun 2005. Para Pengarah akan terus menghadiri program latihan berkaitan yang sesuai untuk mempertingkatkan kemahiran dan pengetahuan mereka.

(xii) **Urushiaga Pihak Berkaitan Berulang yang Berbentuk Hasil atau Perdagangan**

Pada Mesyuarat Agung Tahunan yang dijalankan pada 20 Mei 2004, Syarikat telah memperolehi mandat daripada para pemegang sahamnya untuk membolehkan Syarikat dan syarikat-syarikat subsidiarinya menjalankan urusniaga pihak berkaitan berulang yang berbentuk hasil atau perdagangan.

Butir-butir urusniaga pihak berkaitan berulang yang berbentuk hasil atau perdagangan yang dijalankan pada tahun kewangan berakhir 31 Disember 2004 menurut mandat pemegang saham tersebut adalah seperti berikut:

Syarikat dalam Kumpulan MRCB	Pihak Berkaitan	Pihak Berkaitan Berkepentingan	Bentuk Urusniaga	Nilai Urusniaga (RM'000)
MRCB	Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad ("STMB")	Realmild (M) Sdn. Bhd.	Penyewaan Sri Pentas 2, Plaza Alam Sentral kepada STMB	936,000
MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd.	Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd.	Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd.	Penyediaan khidmat rundingan oleh Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd. kepada MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd.	735,000
MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd.	Maxis Broadband Sdn. Bhd.	Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Penyediaan pembekalan dan pemasangan infrastruktur telekomunikasi oleh MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd. kepada Maxis Broadband Sdn. Bhd.	280,000
MRCB Selborn Sdn. Bhd.	Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd.	Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Penyewaan ruang oleh MRCB Selborn Sdn. Bhd. kepada Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd. untuk pemasangan antena	30,000
Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd.	Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd.	Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	Penyewaan ruang oleh Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd. kepada Maxis Mobile Sdn. Bhd. untuk pemasangan antena	25,200

Didedahkan selaras dengan Perenggan 10.09 (1)(b) dan Seksyen 4.1..5 Nota Amalan 12/2001 Keperluan Penyenaraian Bursa Securities.

MATERIAL CONTRACTS

MRCB (January 2004 – Disember 2004)

Concession Agreement dated 27 January 2004 between Government of Malaysia ("GOM") and Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd. ("SSSB") whereby SSSB is the Concession Company to operate maintain and manage Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur situated on the land held under Title No. H.S. (D) 92385 Lot P.T. 30, Mukim Bandar Kuala Lumpur, Daerah Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan, for 15 years from 30 November 2000.

Sale and Purchase Agreement dated 23 March 2004 between MRCB (the "Vendor") and Lembaga Tabung Haji (the "Purchaser"), whereby the Vendor has agreed to sell to the Purchaser a land held under Geran 46227, Lot 79, Seksyen 70, Bandar Kuala Lumpur, District of Kuala Lumpur, State of Wilayah Persekutuan measuring approximately 4,138 square metres in area together with a 30 storey office building to be erected thereon for a cash consideration of RM161,460,000.00.

Joint Venture and Shareholders' Agreement dated 28 April 2004 between United Malayan Land Bhd. ("UMLAND") and MRCB, where the parties are desirous to form a Joint Venture Company known as Suasana Sentral Two Sdn. Bhd. (formerly known as Panorama Prominent Sdn. Bhd.) to acquire a piece of land known as Lot L from KL Sentral Sdn. Bhd. and to develop 2 blocks of 36 storey condominium 600 units inclusive of car park and 1 storey recreational facilities on Lot L subject to any such amendment or variation as may be imposed by the relevant authority.

Agreement for Transfer of Shares and Assignment of Development Rights dated 12 May 2004 between MRCB (the "Vendor") and Maxdeluxe Sdn. Bhd. (the "Purchaser"), where the Purchaser has agreed to purchase the Vendor's shares in Zelleco (M) Sdn. Bhd. free from assets and liabilities. The Purchaser also has agreed to assign the development rights over several pieces of land to the Vendor. This agreement was duly completed on 30 June 2004.

Contract Document No. KKR/JKR/IP/UB/24/2004 dated 10 August 2004 between Jabatan Kerja Raya Malaysia on behalf of Government of Malaysia and MRCB for an upgrading of Federal Route 5 from Ipoh to Lumut, Perak Darul Ridzuan (the "Project"), where MRCB has been awarded the said Project for a total cost of RM175,000,000.00. The Project is expected to be completed by 2006.

Share Sale Agreement dated 10 November 2004 between MRCB and Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd. for the disposal of 1,124,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd. for a consideration of RM1,124,000.00 to be satisfied in cash. This transaction was completed on 2 December 2004.

Share Sale Agreement dated 20 December 2004 between Kumpulan Perangsang Selangor Berhad ("KPSB") and MRCB for the disposal 6,500,000 ordinary shares representing 25% of the total issued and paid up capital of MRCB Ceramics free from all liens, claims, charges, mortgages, equities and other encumbrances to MRCB. This transaction was duly completed on the same date of the said Agreement since all the conditions precedent have been fulfilled.

KONTRAK-KONTRAK PENTING

MRCB (Januari 2004 – Disember 2004)

Perjanjian Konsesi bertarikh 27 Januari 2004 antara Kerajaan Malaysia ("KM") dan Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd. ("SSSB") di mana SSSB merupakan Syarikat Konsesi untuk mengendali, menyenggara dan mengurus Stesen Sentral Kuala Lumpur yang terletak di atas tanah No. H.S. (D) 92385 Lot P.T. 30, Mukim Bandar Kuala Lumpur, Daerah Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan, selama 15 tahun bermula dari 30 November 2000.

Perjanjian Jual Beli bertarikh 23 Mac 2004 antara MRCB ("Vendor") dan Lembaga Tabung Haji ("Pembeli"), di mana Vendor telah bersetuju untuk menjual kepada Pembeli sebidang tanah di bawah Geran 46227, Lot 79, Seksyen 70, Bandar Kuala Lumpur, Daerah Kuala Lumpur, Negeri Wilayah Persekutuan berukuran lebih kurang 4,138 meter persegi di dalam kawasan berserta dengan sebuah bangunan 30 tingkat yang akan didirikan dengan bayaran tunai sebanyak RM161,460,000.00.

Perjanjian Usahasama dan Pemegang Saham bertarikh 28 April 2004 antara United Malayan Land Bhd. ("UMLAND") dan MRCB, di mana pihak-pihak terbabit berhasrat untuk menubuhkan sebuah Syarikat Usahasama dikenali sebagai Suasana Sentral Two Sdn. Bhd. (dahulunya dikenali sebagai Panorama Prominent Sdn. Bhd.) untuk mengambil alih sebidang tanah dikenali sebagai Lot L dari KL Sentral Sdn. Bhd. dan untuk membangunkan 2 blok kondominium 36 tingkat 600 unit termasuk medan letak kereta dan 1 tingkat kemudahan rekreasi di Lot L tertakluk kepada sebarang pindaan atau variasi yang mungkin dikenakan oleh pihak berkuasa berkaitan.

Perjanjian bagi Pindahan Saham dan Pindahmilik Hak Pembangunan bertarikh 12 Mei 2004 antara MRCB ("Vendor") dan Maxdeluxe Sdn. Bhd. ("Pembeli"), di mana Pembeli bersetuju untuk membeli saham Vendor di dalam Zelleco (M) Sdn. Bhd. bebas daripada aset dan liabiliti. Pembeli juga bersetuju untuk memindahmilik hak-hak pembangunan ke atas sebidang tanah kepada Vendor. Perjanjian ini telah disempurnakan pada 30 Jun 2004.

Kontrak Dokumen No. KKR/JKR/IP/UB/24/2004 bertarikh 10 Ogos 2004 antara Jabatan Kerja Raya Malaysia bagi pihak Kerajaan dan MRCB bagi menaiktaraf Laluan Persekutuan 5 dari Ipoh ke Lumut, Perak Darul Ridzuan ("Projek"), di mana MRCB telah diberikan Projek tersebut dengan jumlah kos RM175,000,000.00. Projek tersebut dijangka akan disiapkan menjelang 2006.

Perjanjian Jualan Saham bertarikh 10 November 2004 antara MRCB dan Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd. bagi penjualan sebanyak 1,124,000 saham biasa bernilai RM1.00 sesaham di dalam MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd. dengan bayaran sebanyak RM1,124,000.00 yang akan dipenuhi secara tunai. Urusniaga ini telah disempurnakan pada 2 Disember 2004.

Perjanjian Jualan Saham bertarikh 20 Disember 2004 antara Kumpulan Perangsang Selangor Berhad ("KPSB") dan MRCB bagi penjualan 6,500,000 saham biasa yang merupakan 25% daripada jumlah modal terbitan dan berbayar di dalam MRCB Ceramics bebas daripada semua lien, tuntutan, caj, gadaian, ekuiti dan sandaran lain kepada MRCB. Urusniaga ini telah disempurnakan pada tarikh yang sama dengan Perjanjian kerana semua syarat terdahulu telah dipenuhi.

AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

1. MEMBERS

In line with the Code, the Audit Committee (AC) members shall be appointed by the Board of Directors amongst the Directors, and shall consist of not less than three (3) members. A majority of the AC members must be independent Directors.

The members of the AC shall elect a Chairman from among themselves, who shall be an independent director. An alternate director cannot be appointed as a member of the AC.

At least one member of the AC:

- i) must be a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants; or
- ii) if he is not a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants, he must have at least 3 years' working experience and:
 - he must have passed the examinations specified in Part I of the 1st Schedule of the Accountants Act 1967; or
 - he must be a member of one of the associations of accountants specified in Part II of the 1st Schedule of the Accountants Act 1967.

In the event of any vacancy in the AC resulting in the non-compliance of the above requirements, the Company must fill the vacancy within 3 months.

MRCB's Company Secretary shall act as Secretary to the AC.

2. MEETINGS

The AC shall meet at least four (4) times in a year to discuss any matters raised by the Auditors in discharging their functions. The quorum for a meeting of the AC shall be three (3), of which the majority must be independent directors.

The AC met on seven (7) occasions for the period of 1 January 2004 to 31 December 2004. The meetings were held on 29 January 2004, 25 February 2004, 26 March 2004, 20 May 2004,

2. MEETINGS (continued)

29 August 2004, 8 November 2004 and 12 December 2004. The attendances of each member are as follows:

Members	Meetings Attended
Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar * (Chairman)	7/7 (100%)
Datuk Zahari Omar **	7/7 (100%)
Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh * (Resigned from the Board w.e.f. 20 May 2004)	4/4 (100%)
Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar *	7/7 (100%)

* Independent, non-executive Directors

** Member of Malaysian Institute of Accountants

The AC Secretary is responsible for the co-ordination of administrative details of the meetings, including calling the meetings, voting and keeping of minutes.

In addition to the AC members, the GMD/CEO, the Head of Finance & Treasury and Head of Corporate Governance (Chief Internal Auditor) are invited to attend the AC meetings. The Heads of Division/Companies/Departments and their management staff may attend the AC meetings, by invitation, when audit reports of their Divisions/Companies/Departments are tabled for discussion. The presence of External Auditors will be requested when required.

The AC Chairman shall, upon the request of the External Auditor, convene a meeting of the AC to consider any matter the External Auditor believes should be brought to the attention of the Directors or shareholders. The Auditors also have the right to appear and be heard at any meeting of the AC, and shall appear before the AC when required to do so by the AC.

3. TERMS OF REFERENCE

The AC's Terms of Reference has recently been updated and approved by the Board on 24 February 2005, and are outlined below:

- i) The AC shall be granted the authority to investigate any activity of the Company, its subsidiaries and employees. All employees shall be directed to cooperate as requested by members of the AC.
- ii) The AC shall be empowered to retain persons having special competence as necessary to assist the AC in fulfilling its responsibilities.

LAPORAN JAWATANKUASA AUDIT

1. AHLI

Selaras dengan Kod, Jawatankuasa Audit ("JA") perlu dilantik oleh Lembaga Pengarah dari kalangan para Pengarah, dan perlu terdiri tidak kurang daripada tiga (3) orang ahli. Majoriti ahli JA hendaklah terdiri daripada para Pengarah bebas.

Ahli-ahli JA perlu melantik seorang Pengerusi dari kalangan mereka, yang hendaklah merupakan pengarah bebas. Pengarah pengganti tidak boleh dilantik sebagai ahli JA.

Sekurang-kurangnya seorang ahli JA:

- (i) Hendaklah merupakan ahli Institut Akauntan Malaysia; atau
- (ii) jika beliau bukan seorang ahli Institut Akauntan Malaysia, beliau hendaklah mempunyai sekurang-kurangnya 3 tahun pengalaman bekerja dan:
 - beliau telah lulus peperiksaan yang ditetapkan dalam Bahagian I Jadual Pertama Akta Akauntan, 1967; atau
 - beliau hendaklah merupakan seorang ahli persatuan akauntan yang ditetapkan dalam Bahagian II Jadual Pertama Akta Akauntan, 1967.

Sekiranya berlaku sebarang kekosongan di dalam JA yang menyebabkan keperluan di atas tidak dipatuhi, Syarikat perlu mengisi kekosongan tersebut dalam tempoh tiga bulan.

Setiausaha Syarikat MRCB akan bertindak sebagai Setiausaha kepada JA.

2. MESYUARAT

JA perlu bermesyuarat sekurang-kurangnya empat (4) kali setahun untuk membincangkan sebarang perkara yang dikemukakan oleh Juruaudit dalam melaksanakan fungsi mereka. Kuorum suatu mesyuarat JA hendaklah terdiri daripada tiga (3) orang ahli, yang majoritinya adalah Pengarah bebas.

JA telah bermesyuarat tujuh (7) kali dalam tempoh 1 Januari 2004 hingga 31 Disember 2004. Mesyuarat telah diadakan pada 29 Januari 2004,

2. MESYUARAT (sambungan)

25 Februari 2004, 26 Mac 2004, 20 Mei 2004, 29 Ogos 2004, 8 November 2004 dan 12 Disember 2004. Kehadiran setiap ahli adalah seperti berikut:

Ahli	Mesyuarat hadiri
Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar * (Pengerusi)	7/7 (100%)
Datuk Zahari Omar **	7/7 (100%)
Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Haji Salleh * (Meletak jawatan dari Lembaga Pengarah berkuatkuasa dari 20 Mei 2004)	4/4 (100%)
Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar *	7/7 (100%)

* Pengarah bukan eksekutif bebas

** Ahli Institut Akauntan Malaysia

Setiausaha JA bertanggungjawab ke atas penyelesaian perkara-perkara berbentuk pentadbiran termasuk memanggil mesyuarat, pengundian dan penyimpanan minit mesyuarat.

Selain daripada ahli JA, GMD/CEO, Ketua Kewangan & Perbendaharan dan Ketua Tadbir Urus Korporat (Ketua Juruaudit Dalam) turut dijemput untuk menghadiri mesyuarat JA. Ketua Bahagian/Syarikat/Jabatan dan kakitangan pengurusan mereka boleh menghadiri mesyuarat JA, melalui jemputan, apabila laporan audit bahagian/syarikat/jabatan mereka dibentang untuk perbincangan. Juruaudit Luar akan diminta hadir apabila perlu.

Di atas permintaan Juruaudit Luar, Pengerusi JA perlu mengadakan mesyuarat untuk mempertimbangkan sebarang perkara yang Juruaudit Luar percaya perlu diketengahkan untuk perhatian para Pengarah atau pemegang saham. Juruaudit juga berhak untuk hadir dan memberi pendapat pada sebarang mesyuarat JA dan perlu hadir di hadapan JA apabila diminta berbuat demikian.

3. BIDANG RUJUKAN

Bidang Rujukan JA telah dikemaskini dan diluluskan baru-baru ini oleh Lembaga Pengarah pada 24 Februari 2005, seperti yang digarisikan di bawah:

- i) JA diberi kuasa untuk menyiasat sebarang aktiviti Syarikat, syarikat-syarikat subsidiarinya dan kakitangannya. Semua kakitangan akan diarah supaya bekerjasama seperti yang diminta oleh ahli JA.
- ii) JA diberi kuasa untuk mengekalkan orang-orang yang mempunyai kemahiran khas yang diperlukan untuk membantunya dalam melaksanakan tanggungjawab.

3. TERMS OF REFERENCE (continued)

- iii) The AC shall provide assistance to the Board in fulfilling its fiduciary responsibilities, particularly relating to business ethics, policies, financial management & control.
- iv) The AC, through regularly scheduled meetings, shall maintain a direct line of communication between the Board, External Auditor, Internal Auditor and Management.
- v) The AC shall provide greater emphasis on the Audit function by increasing the objectivity and independence of the External and Internal Auditors, and providing a forum for discussion that is independent of the Management.

4. AUTHORITY

The AC shall have the following authority as empowered by the Board of Directors:

- i) To have the authority to investigate any matter within its terms of reference;
- ii) To have the resources which are required to perform its duties;
- iii) To have full, free and unrestricted access to any information, records, properties and personnel of the Company;
- iv) To have direct communication channels with the External Auditors and person(s) carrying out the internal audit function or activity;
- v) To be able to obtain independent professional or other advice; and
- vi) To be able to convene meetings with the External Auditors and Internal Auditors together with other independent members of the Board, excluding the attendance of the executive members of the AC, at least once a year or whenever deemed necessary. The AC should also be able to meet exclusively among itself whenever deemed necessary.

5. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The duties and responsibilities of the AC are as follows:

- i) To consider and recommend the appointment of the External Auditor, the audit fee and any questions of resignation or dismissal including considering whether there is reason (supported by grounds) to believe that the Company's External Auditor is not suitable for reappointment;

5. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES (continued)

- ii) To discuss with the External Auditor, before the audit commences, the nature and scope of the audit;
- iii) To review the external audit plan with the External Auditor, and the assistance given by the employees of the Company to the External Auditor;
- iv) To discuss with the External Auditor, his audit report and his evaluation of the system of internal controls;
- v) To review the quarterly and year-end financial statements of the Company, prior to the approval by the Board of Directors, focusing particularly on:
 - Any changes in accounting policies and practices
 - Significant adjustments arising from the audit
 - The going concern assumption
 - Compliance with accounting standards and other legal requirements;
- vi) To discuss problems and reservations arising from the interim and final audits, and any matter the External Auditor may wish to discuss (in the absence of management where necessary);
- vii) To review the External Auditor's Management Letter and Management's response;
- viii) To do the following with regards to the internal audit function:
 - Review, on an ongoing basis, the adequacy of the scope, functions and resources of the internal audit function, and that it has the necessary authority to carry out its work;
 - Review the internal audit programme, processes, the results of the internal audit programme, processes or investigation undertaken. Where necessary, the AC will ensure that appropriate action is taken on the reports and recommendations of the internal audit function, and that all the above are not subject to management's approval or clearance;
 - Review any appraisal or assessment of the performance of members of the internal audit function;

3. BIDANG RUJUKAN (sambungan)

- iii) JA akan memberi bantuan kepada Lembaga Pengarah dalam memenuhi tanggungjawab fidusiarinya, khususnya berkaitan dengan etika perniagaan, dasar, pengurusan & kawalan kewangan.
- iv) Melalui mesyuarat yang dijadualkan secara tetap, JA perlu mengekalkan saluran komunikasi langsung dengan Lembaga Pengarah, Juruaudit Luar dan Dalaman serta pihak Pengurusan.
- v) JA memberi penekanan yang lebih besar kepada fungsi audit dengan mempertingkatkan objektiviti dan kebebasan Juruaudit Luar dan Dalaman serta menyediakan suatu forum untuk perbincangan yang bebas daripada Pengurusan.

4. BIDANG KUASA

JA mempunyai kuasa berikut seperti yang diberi oleh Lembaga Pengarah:

- i) Mempunyai kuasa untuk menyiasat sebarang perkara dalam bidang rujukannya;
- ii) Mempunyai sumber yang diperlukan untuk menjalankan tugasnya;
- iii) Mempunyai akses sepenuhnya, bebas dan tanpa halangan kepada sebarang maklumat, rekod, aset dan personel Syarikat;
- iv) Mempunyai saluran komunikasi langsung dengan Juruaudit Luar dan orang-orang yang menjalankan fungsi atau aktiviti Audit Dalaman;
- v) Boleh mendapatkan nasihat profesional bebas atau nasihat lain; dan
- vi) Boleh mengadakan mesyuarat dengan Juruaudit Luar dan Juruaudit Dalaman bersama-sama dengan ahli bebas Lembaga yang lain, tanpa kehadiran ahli eksekutif JA, sekurang-kurangnya sekali setahun atau apabila dianggap perlu. JA hendaklah bermesyuarat secara eksklusif di kalangan ahlinya apabila dianggap perlu.

5. TUGAS DAN TANGGUNGJAWAB

Tugas dan tanggungjawab JA adalah seperti berikut:

- i) Untuk menimbang dan mencadangkan pelantikan juruaudit luar, yuran audit tersebut dan sebarang persoalan mengenai peletakan atau pemecatan jawatan, termasuk menimbangkan sama ada wujud sebab (disokong dengan asas) untuk mempercayai bahawa juruaudit luar tidak sesuai untuk dilantik semula;

5. TUGAS DAN TANGGUNGJAWAB (sambungan)

- ii) Untuk berbincang dengan juruaudit luar, sebelum pengauditan dimulakan; jenis dan skop audit yang akan dijalankan;
- iii) Untuk mengkaji pelan audit luar dengan juruaudit luar dan bantuan yang akan diberikan oleh kakitangan Syarikat kepada juruaudit luar;
- iv) Untuk berbincang dengan juruaudit luar tentang laporan audit dan penilaian beliau tentang sistem kawalan dalaman;
- v) Untuk mengkaji penyata kewangan Syarikat setiap suku tahun dan akhir tahun, sebelum diluluskan oleh lembaga pengarah, dengan memfokus terutamanya kepada:
 - Sebarang perubahan dasar dan amalan perakaunan;
 - Pelarasan penting yang timbul daripada pengauditan tersebut;
 - Andaian kesinambungan perniagaan;
 - Pematuhan kepada piawaian perakaunan dan keperluan perundangan lain.
- vi) Untuk membincangkan masalah dan persoalan yang timbul daripada audit interim dan akhir dan sebarang perkara yang juruaudit luar mungkin ingin membincangkan (tanpa kehadiran pengurusan, jika perlu);
- vii) Untuk mengkaji surat pengurusan dan tindak balas pengurusan;
- viii) Untuk melakukan yang berikut berhubung dengan fungsi audit dalaman:
 - Mengkaji secara berterusan, kecukupan skop, fungsi dan sumber fungsi audit dalaman dan bahawa ia mempunyai kuasa yang diperlukan untuk menjalankan tugasnya;
 - Mengkaji program, proses, keputusan program audit dalaman, proses atau penyiasatan audit dalaman yang dijalankan. Apabila perlu, JA akan memastikan supaya tindakan sewajarnya diambil berkaitan laporan dan cadangan fungsi audit dalaman dan bahawa semua di atas tidak tertakluk kepada kelulusan atau pelepasan pengurusan;
 - Mengkaji sebarang penaksiran atau penilaian prestasi para ahli dalam fungsi audit dalaman;

5. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES (continued)

- Review the remit of the internal audit function, including the remuneration of the Chief Internal Auditor;
- Monitor closely significant disagreement(s) between Internal Auditor and Management, whether resolved or not.
- ix) To ensure that all serious allegations involving issues such as fraud, misconduct and criminal breach of trust are brought to the AC's attention. An investigation must obtain the clearance of the AC Chairman before it can proceed, and the AC is empowered to review the major findings of such internal investigations and management's response;
- x) To consider any related party transactions and conflict of interest situation that may arise within the Company including any transaction, procedure or course of conduct that raises questions of management integrity;
- xi) To obtain satisfactory response from management on the Internal Audit reports and reports issued by external auditors;
- xii) To submit a summary report to the Board after each AC meeting to advise on issues discussed, as well as an annual report to the Board highlighting material concerns discovered by internal audit during the year;
- xiii) To oversee the function of the Risk Management Committee and report to the Board significant changes in the business and the external environment which affect key risks;
- xiv) Where review of audit reports of subsidiaries and any related corporation also falls under the jurisdiction of the AC, all the abovementioned function shall also be performed by the AC in co-ordination with the Board of Directors of the subsidiaries and related corporation;
- xv) To review arrangements established by management for compliance with any regulatory or other external reporting requirements, by-laws and regulation related to the Company's operations.

6. ACTIVITIES

During the year, the activities of the AC include the review and deliberation of:

- i) the quarterly financial result announcements;
- ii) the year-end financial statements of the Company;

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- iii) the External Auditor's reports in relation to audit and accounting issues arising from the audit, and updates of new developments on accounting standards issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board;
- iv) annual audit strategy and plan of the external auditors;
- v) related party transactions that arose within the Company;
- vi) annual audit plan proposed by the Internal Auditors;
- vii) audit reports presented by the Internal Auditor on findings and recommendations with respect to system and control weaknesses; and
- viii) Risk Management Working Committee reports and findings.

7. INTERNAL AUDIT

The Company supports internal audit as an independent appraisal function to examine and evaluate its activities as a value-added service to the management. On 17 January 2005, the AC has approved a revised Internal Audit Charter to better define the objectives, mission, scope, organisation, authority and responsibilities of Internal Audit.

The Internal Audit function supports all divisions, business units and departments of the Company in areas of planning, stewardship and control in accordance with their objectives, policies and procedures guidelines. It adopts a risk-based auditing approach, taking into account best practices and industry standards. Internal Audit conducts evaluation of the system of internal controls that encompasses the Company's governance, operations, and information systems. It then provides the AC with independent and objective reports on the effectiveness of the system of internal controls within the Company, and recommendations to improve the Company's controls and risk management procedures.

Internal Audit reports are discussed at management level, and actions are agreed in response to the Internal Audit's recommendations. The status of implementation of the agreed actions are followed up by Internal Audit to ensure that they are completed and satisfactory control is maintained. The AC reviews all Internal Audit reports and management responses, and evaluates the overall effectiveness of the Company's system of internal controls and risk management processes. Significant risk issues are referred to the Board for consideration. The Board reviews the minutes of the AC meetings.

5. TUGAS DAN TANGGUNGJAWAB (sambungan)

- Mengkaji remit fungsi audit dalaman, termasuk imbuhan Ketua Juruaudit Dalaman;
- Memantau secara rapat perselisihan pendapat (pendapat-pendapat) yang ketara antara Juruaudit Dalaman dan Pengurusan, sama ada telah diselesaikan atau belum.
- ix) Untuk memastikan supaya semua tuduhan serius yang melibatkan isu-isu seperti penipuan, salah laku dan pecah amanah dibawa ke perhatian Pengerusi JA sebelum ia diteruskan dan JA diberi kuasa untuk mengkaji penemuan utama penyiasatan dalaman sedemikian serta tindak balas pengurusan terhadapnya;
- x) Untuk menimbang sebarang urusniaga pihak berkaitan dan situasi konflik kepentingan yang mungkin timbul dalam Syarikat, termasuk sebarang urusniaga, prosedur atau tatalaku yang menimbulkan persoalan tentang kewibawaan pengurusan;
- xi) Untuk mendapatkan tindak balas memuaskan daripada pengurusan tentang laporan Juruaudit Dalaman dan laporan yang dikeluarkan oleh Juruaudit Luar;
- xii) Untuk menghantar ringkasan laporan kepada Lembaga Pengarah selepas setiap mesyuarat JA untuk memberi nasihat tentang isu-isu yang telah dibincangkan serta sebagai laporan tahunan kepada Lembaga Pengarah untuk memaklumkan tentang perkara-perkara penting yang ditemui oleh juruaudit dalaman pada tahun tersebut;
- xiii) Untuk mengawalselia fungsi Jawatankuasa Pengurusan Risiko dan laporan kepada Lembaga Pengarah tentang perubahan penting dalam perniagaan dan persekitaran luar yang membawa kesan kepada risiko-risiko utama;
- xiv) Apabila kajian laporan audit syarikat-syarikat subsidiari dan perbadanan berkaitan juga jatuh di bawah bidang kuasa JA, semua fungsi yang disebutkan di atas akan dilaksanakan oleh JA secara selaras dengan Lembaga Pengarah syarikat-syarikat subsidiari dan perbadanan berkaitan;
- xv) Untuk mengkaji pengaturan yang ditetapkan oleh pengurusan mematuhi sebarang peraturan atau keperluan laporan luaran, undang-undang kecil dan peraturan berkaitan dengan operasi Syarikat.

6. AKTIVITI

Pada tahun yang ditinjau, aktiviti JA meliputi kajian dan perbincangan perkara-perkara berikut:

- i) pengumuman keputusan kewangan suku tahunan;

6. AKTIVITI (sambungan)

- ii) penyata kewangan akhir tahun Syarikat;
- iii) laporan Juruaudit Luar berkaitan dengan isu audit dan perakaunan yang timbul daripada audit, dan kemaskini perkembangan terbaru berhubung piawaian perakaunan yang dikeluarkan oleh Lembaga Piawaian Perakaunan Malaysia;
- iv) strategi audit tahunan dan rancangan Juruaudit Luar;
- v) urusniaga pihak berkaitan yang timbul dalam Syarikat;
- vi) rancangan audit tahunan yang dicadangkan oleh Juruaudit Dalaman;
- vii) laporan audit yang dibentangkan oleh Juruaudit Dalaman berhubung penemuan dan syor-syor berkaitan kelemahan sistem dan kawalan; dan
- viii) laporan dan penemuan Jawatankuasa Kerja Pengurusan Risiko.

7. AUDIT DALAMAN

Syarikat menyokong audit dalaman sebagai sebuah fungsi penilaian bebas untuk memeriksa dan menilai aktivitinya sebagai perkhidmatan tambah nilai kepada pengurusan. Pada 17 Januari 2005, JA telah meluluskan Piagam Audit Dalaman yang baru untuk memberi takrifan yang lebih jelas tentang objektif, misi, skop, organisasi, kuasa dan tanggungjawab Audit Dalaman.

Fungsi Audit Dalaman menyokong semua bahagian, unit perniagaan dan jabatan dalam Syarikat, termasuk perkara berkaitan perancangan, kepimpinan dan kawalan menurut objektif, dasar dan garis panduan prosedur. Ia menerimapakai pendekatan pengauditan berasaskan risiko, dengan mengambilka amalan terbaik dan piawaian industri. Audit Dalaman mengendalikan penilaian sistem kawalan dalaman yang meliputi tadbir urus korporat, operasi dan sistem maklumat Syarikat. Selepas itu, ia memberikan kepada JA laporan bebas dan berobjektif mengenai keberkesanan sistem kawalan dalaman dalam Syarikat serta cadangan untuk mempertingkatkan taraf kawalan dan prosedur pengurusan risiko Syarikat.

Laporan Audit Dalaman dibincangkan di peringkat pengurusan dan tindakan telah dipersetujui sebagai tindak balas kepada cadangan Audit Dalaman. Status pelaksanaan tindakan yang telah dipersetujui diikuti oleh Audit Dalaman bagi memastikan ia lengkap dan kawalan yang memuaskan sentiasa terpelihara. JA mengkaji semua laporan Audit Dalaman dan tindak balas pengurusan serta menilai keberkesanan keseluruhan sistem kawalan dalaman dan proses pengurusan risiko Syarikat. Isu-isu risiko yang penting dirujuk untuk pertimbangan Lembaga Pengarah. Lembaga Pengarah mengkaji minit mesyuarat JA.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Directors are pleased to submit their annual report to the members together with the audited financial statements of the Group and of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2004.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The Company is principally an investment holding company. The Company also engages in construction related activities, property development and provision of management services to its subsidiaries.

The Group is principally engaged in property development and investment, engineering, infrastructure and construction related activities.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of the activities of the Group and of the Company during the financial year.

FINANCIAL RESULTS

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Profit/(loss) after taxation	38,271	(18,422)
Minority interests	(4,662)	-
Net profit/(loss) attributable to shareholders	33,609	(18,422)

DIVIDENDS

No dividend has been paid or declared by the Company since 31 December 2003. The Directors do not recommend the payment of any dividend for the financial year ended 31 December 2004.

RESERVES AND PROVISIONS

All material transfers to or from reserves and provisions during the financial year are shown in the financial statements.

SHARE CAPITAL

During the financial year, the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company was increased from RM768,170,868 to RM768,185,868 following the issuance of 15,000 new ordinary shares of RM1.00 each as follows:

Purpose of issue	No. of ordinary shares of RM1.00 each
Exercise of share options by eligible employee pursuant to the Company's Employees' Share Option Scheme	15,000

The new ordinary shares which were issued for cash during the financial year ranked pari passu in all respects with the existing ordinary shares of the Company.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

EMPLOYEES' SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad's Employees' Share Option Scheme ('ESOS' or the 'Scheme') was approved by the shareholders at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on 12 August 2002 and became effective on 5 September 2002.

The details of the ESOS are contained in the Bye-Laws and the salient features thereof are set out in Note 38 to the financial statements.

During the financial year, the number of ordinary shares of RM1.00 each covered under options granted, exercised and lapsed were as follows:

Tranche	Date	Price	No. of ordinary shares of RM1.00 each covered under options				At 31.12.2004
			At 1.1.2004	Granted	Exercised	Lapsed	
1	6 Sep 2002	RM1.06	26,170,000	–	–	–	26,170,000
2	26 May 2003	RM1.00	9,578,076	–	(15,000)	(1,009,627)	8,553,449
3	2 Apr 2004	RM1.00	–	10,381,555	–	(364,063)	10,017,492
			35,748,076	10,381,555	(15,000)	(1,373,690)	44,740,941

The Company has been granted an exemption by the Companies Commission of Malaysia from having to disclose the names of the option holders who were granted less than 200,000 options as at 31 December 2004.

The names and the number of options granted in respect of the ESOS, in excess of 200,000 options are as follows;

Name	No. of options granted
Shahril Ridza Ridzuan	500,000
Datuk Zahari Omar	405,000
Dato' Ibrahim Abu Bakar	360,000
Wong Dor Loke	316,250
Mohd Nor Abdul Karim	309,500
Abd Rahim Abd Rahman	280,000
Chan Chee Meng	280,000
Dr. Shaharizuan Shafiei	280,000
Sabariah Mohamed Amin	221,250
Chong Chin Ann	216,000
Hussin Mohd Ali	209,250
Mohamed Noor Rahim Yahaya	202,500
Sabarudin Mansor	201,000

DIRECTORS

The Directors who have held office during the period since the date of the last report are:

Datuk Azlan Zainol (Chairman)	(appointed on 12.1.2005)
Shahril Ridza Ridzuan (Group Managing Director/ Chief Executive Officer)	
Datuk Zahari Omar (Executive Vice President)	
Dato' Ahmad Hj. Ibnihajar	
Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar	
Abdul Rahman Ahmad	
Dr. Roslan A Ghaffar	
Ahmad Zaki Zahid	(appointed on 12.1.2005)
YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail	(resigned on 12.1.2005)
Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Hj. Salleh	(retired on 20.5.2004)

In accordance with Article 106 of the Company's Articles of Association, Datuk Azlan Zainol and Ahmad Zaki Zahid, who were appointed to the Board during the period subsequent to the last Annual General Meeting of the Company, retire from office at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, offer themselves for election.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

In accordance with Article 101 of the Company's Articles of Association, Abdul Rahman Ahmad and Dato' Ahmad Hj. Ibhijar retire from office at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

DIRECTORS' BENEFITS

During and at the end of the financial year, no arrangements subsisted to which the Company is a party, being arrangements with the object or objects of enabling Directors of the Company to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporates except for options over shares granted by the Company to Executive Directors of the Group pursuant to the ESOS.

Since the end of the previous financial period, no Director of the Company has received or become entitled to receive any benefit (other than Directors' remuneration and benefits disclosed in Note 12 to the financial statements) by reason of a contract made by the Company or a related corporation with the Director or with a firm of which he is a member, or with a company in which he has a substantial financial interest.

According to the Register of Directors' Shareholdings, particulars of the interests of Directors who held office at the end of the financial year in shares and options over shares in the Company and its related corporations were as follows:

	Number of ordinary shares of RM1.00 each			
	At 1.1.2004	Acquired	Sold	At 31.12.2004
Deemed interest in the Company				
YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail (resigned on 12.1.2005)**	163,238,104	66,667	-	163,304,771
Company				
Number of options over ordinary shares of RM1.00 each				
At 1.1.2004				
Shahril Ridza Ridzuan	500,000	-	-	500,000
Datuk Zahari Omar	405,000	-	-	405,000
Abdul Rahman Ahmad	500,000	-	(500,000)	-

** YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail was deemed to have an interest in shares of the Company by virtue of his substantial interest in Realmild (M) Sdn. Bhd. which in turn has a substantial interest in the Company.

On 7 January 2005, Realmild (M) Sdn. Bhd. disposed its 155,555,555 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each to Employee Provident Fund Board. Subsequently, YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail ceased to be a substantial shareholder of the Group and the Company and the subsidiaries of the Company.

By virtue of his interest in shares of the Company, YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail is also deemed to have a substantial interest in shares in the subsidiaries of the Company to the extent the Company has an interest.

The other Directors in office at the end of the financial year did not hold any interest in shares in or debentures of the Company and its related corporations.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

STATUTORY INFORMATION ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Before the income statements and balance sheets of the Group and of the Company were made out, the Directors took reasonable steps:

- (a) to ascertain that action had been taken in relation to the writing off of bad debts and the making of allowance for doubtful debts and satisfied themselves that all known bad debts had been written off and that adequate allowance had been made for doubtful debts; and
- (b) to ensure that any current assets, other than debts, which were unlikely to realise in the ordinary course of business their values as shown in the accounting records of the Group and of the Company had been written down to an amount which they might be expected so to realise.

At the date of this report, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances:

- (a) which would render the amounts written off for bad debts or the amount of the allowance for doubtful debts in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company inadequate to any substantial extent; or
- (b) which would render the values attributed to current assets in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company misleading; or
- (c) which have arisen which render adherence to the existing method of valuation of assets or liabilities of the Group and of the Company misleading or inappropriate.

No contingent or other liability has become enforceable or is likely to become enforceable within the period of twelve months after the end of the financial year which, in the opinion of the Directors, will or may affect the ability of the Group or of the Company to meet their obligations when they fall due.

At the date of this report, there does not exist:

- (a) any charge on the assets of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year which secures the liability of any other person; or
- (b) any contingent liability of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year.

At the date of this report, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances not otherwise dealt with in this report or the financial statements which would render any amount stated in the financial statements misleading.

In the opinion of the Directors:

- (a) the results of the Group's and of the Company's operations during the financial year were not substantially affected by any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature except as disclosed in the income statement, significant events during the financial year and prior year adjustments as disclosed in Note 46 and Note 48 to the financial statements respectively; and
- (b) there has not arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely to affect substantially the results of the operations of the Group or of the Company for the financial year in which this report is made except for the significant event subsequent to the balance sheet date disclosed in Note 47 to the financial statements.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR

The significant events that occurred during the financial year are disclosed in Note 46 to the financial statements.

SIGNIFICANT EVENT SUBSEQUENT TO BALANCE SHEET DATE

The significant event that occurred subsequent to balance sheet date is disclosed in Note 47 to the financial statements.

In accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors dated 27 April 2005.

SHAHRIL RIDZA RIDZUAN

Group Managing Director/
Chief Executive Officer

DATUK ZAHARI OMAR

Executive Vice President

STATEMENT BY DIRECTORS

PURSUANT TO SECTION 169(15) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 1965

We, **SHAHRIL RIDZA RIDZUAN** and **DATUK ZAHARI OMAR**, two of the Directors of **MALAYSIAN RESOURCES CORPORATION BERHAD**, state that, in the opinion of the Directors, the financial statements set out on pages 99 to 168 are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Group and of the Company as at 31 December 2004 and of the results and cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the financial year ended on that date in accordance with the applicable approved accounting standards in Malaysia and the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965.

In accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors dated 27 April 2005.

SHAHRIL RIDZA RIDZUAN
Group Managing Director/
Chief Executive Officer

DATUK ZAHARI OMAR
Executive Vice President

STATUTORY DECLARATION

PURSUANT TO SECTION 169(16) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 1965

I, **CHONG CHIN ANN**, the Officer primarily responsible for the financial management of **MALAYSIAN RESOURCES CORPORATION BERHAD**, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the financial statements set out on pages 99 to 168 are, in my opinion, correct and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1960.

CHONG CHIN ANN

Subscribed and solemnly declared by the abovenamed **CHONG CHIN ANN** at **KUALA LUMPUR**, Malaysia on 27 April 2005.

Before me,

HARON HASHIM (W 128)
No. 114, NUBE Building
Bilek 604, Penthouse
Jalan Tuanku Abd. Rahman
50100 Kuala Lumpur

COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS

TO THE MEMBERS OF MALAYSIAN RESOURCES CORPORATION BERHAD

(Company No. 7994 D)

We have audited the financial statements set out on pages 99 to 168. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's Directors. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on these financial statements and to report our opinion to you, as a body, in accordance with Section 174 of the Companies Act, 1965 and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility to any other person for the content of this report.

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

In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965 and applicable approved accounting standards in Malaysia so as to give a true and fair view of:
 - (i) the matters required by Section 169 of the Companies Act, 1965 to be dealt with in the financial statements; and
 - (ii) the state of affairs of the Group and of the Company as at 31 December 2004 and of the results and cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the financial year ended on that date;

and

- (b) the accounting and other records and the registers required by the Act to be kept by the Company and by the subsidiaries of which we have acted as auditors have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

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

Our auditors' reports on the financial statements of the subsidiaries were not subject to any qualification and did not include any comment made under subsection 3 of Section 174 of the Act.

PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS
(No. AF: 1146)
Chartered Accountants

Kuala Lumpur
27 April 2005

THAYAPARAN A/L S. SANGARAPILLAI
(No. 2085/09/06 (J))
Partner of the firm

INCOME STATEMENTS

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

	Note	Group		Company	
		Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Revenue	7	188,301	359,898	42,374	28,526
Cost of sales	8	(105,242)	(293,108)	(25,954)	(304)
Gross profit		83,059	66,790	16,420	28,222
Other operating income:					
– gain/(loss) on disposal/dilution of investments	9	21,014	267,192	34,624	196,144
– gain on de-merger of a subsidiary		–	1,143	–	–
– others	9	23,763	85,395	4,687	37,800
Selling and distribution costs		(3,752)	(6,828)	(92)	(1,354)
Administrative expenses		(45,120)	(58,960)	(12,265)	(13,438)
Other operating expenses:					
– (impairment losses)/reversal of impairment losses		7,403	(55,333)	(16,480)	(20,891)
– write back of/(allowance for) doubtful debts					
• subsidiaries		–	–	(47,445)	(172,699)
• others		6,323	(55,542)	8,542	(1,760)
– others		(18,148)	(29,476)	(9,190)	(9,295)
Profit/(loss) from operations	10	74,542	214,381	(21,199)	42,729
Finance costs	13	(65,697)	(91,291)	(14,054)	(26,843)
Share of results of associates		8,567	(9,422)	–	–
Share of results of jointly controlled entities		4,926	2,715	–	–
Profit/(loss) from ordinary activities before taxation		22,338	116,383	(35,253)	15,886
Taxation	14				
• Company and subsidiaries (including tax refunds which were deemed irrecoverable in prior years of RM16,831,000 at both Group and Company (2003: RMNil))		24,801	(1,343)	16,831	–
• associates		(6,338)	(377)	–	–
• jointly controlled entities		(2,530)	–	–	–
Profit/(loss) from ordinary activities after taxation		38,271	114,663	(18,422)	15,886
Minority interests		(4,662)	9,995	–	–
Net profit/(loss) attributable to shareholders		33,609	124,658	(18,422)	15,886
Earnings per share (sen):					
– Basic	15	4.4	13.2		

BALANCE SHEETS

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2004

	Note	2004 RM'000	Group 2003 RM'000	Company 2004 RM'000	Company 2003 RM'000
NON CURRENT ASSETS					
Property, plant and equipment					
– operational property, plant and equipment	16(a)	20,624	34,290	1,038	1,934
– investment properties	16(b)	176,912	180,162	–	–
		197,536	214,452	1,038	1,934
Land held for property development	17(a)	823,962	816,258	3,800	3,800
Expressway development expenditure	18	–	–	–	–
Subsidiaries	19	–	–	340,634	370,706
Associates	20	266,592	297,768	4,500	1,500
Jointly controlled entities	21	5,299	2,830	–	–
Other investments	22	9,405	10,288	9,405	10,288
Goodwill on consolidation		10,000	10,478	–	–
Deferred tax assets	23	3,193	6,299	–	–
		1,315,987	1,358,373	359,377	388,228
CURRENT ASSETS					
Inventories	24	32,155	20,361	8,842	–
Property development costs	17(b)	164,217	170,356	28,002	–
Trade and other receivables	25	140,733	276,116	44,179	61,553
Amounts due from subsidiaries	25	–	–	212,427	231,716
Tax recoverable		19,853	21,481	10,472	10,667
Marketable securities	27	86,468	71,960	86,233	71,725
Bank balances and deposits	28	151,320	152,471	9,990	43,841
		594,746	712,745	400,145	419,502
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Provisions for liabilities and charges	29	9,064	14,832	–	–
Trade and other payables	30	217,398	249,297	34,745	17,903
Amounts due to subsidiaries	30	–	–	211,904	258,815
Taxation		89	9,035	–	–
Short term borrowings – secured	32	235,018	204,150	100,987	120,987
Bonds	33	–	91,000	–	–
		461,569	568,314	347,636	397,705
NET CURRENT ASSETS		133,177	144,431	52,509	21,797

BALANCE SHEETS
AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

	Note	2004 RM'000	Group 2003 RM'000	Company 2004 RM'000	Company 2003 RM'000
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Post-employment benefits obligation	34	7,001	6,107	2,201	1,846
Bonds	33	793,672	792,660	—	—
Long term borrowings	35	95,555	162,250	20,000	—
Long term liabilities	36	785	4,315	147	234
Deferred tax liabilities	23	2,161	1,131	—	—
		899,174	966,463	22,348	2,080
		549,990	536,341	389,538	407,945
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Share capital	37	768,186	768,171	768,186	768,171
Reserves		(301,077)	(332,536)	(378,648)	(360,226)
Shareholders' equity		467,109	435,635	389,538	407,945
MINORITY INTERESTS					
		82,881	100,706	—	—
		549,990	536,341	389,538	407,945

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

	<u>Share Capital</u>			
	Nominal value (Note 37) RM'000	Statutory and other reserves (Note 39) RM'000	Accumulated losses RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 January 2004	768,171	79,332	(430,569)	416,934
Prior year adjustments (Note 48)	–	–	18,701	18,701
As restated	768,171	79,332	(411,868)	435,635
Issuance of share capital	15	–	–	15
Deferred tax liability on revaluation surplus	–	–	(2,150)	(2,150)
Net profit for the financial year	–	–	33,609	33,609
At 31 December 2004	768,186	79,332	(380,409)	467,109

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
 FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

	Share Capital		Statutory and other reserves		Currency translation difference	Accumulated losses	Total
	Nominal value (Note 37) RM'000	Share premium RM'000	(Note 39) RM'000		RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
At 1 September 2002	976,550	1,008,463	76,206	2,859	(1,415,836)	648,242	
Prior year adjustment (Note 48)	–	–	–	–	10,585	10,585	
	976,550	1,008,463	76,206	2,859	(1,405,251)	658,827	
Share in the transfer to statutory reserves by an associate	–	–	3,858	–	(3,858)	–	
Realisation of statutory reserves upon disposal of an associate	–	–	(61,791)	–	61,791	–	
Realisation of capital redemption reserve upon de-merger of an associate	–	–	(18,273)	–	18,273	–	
Reserve on consolidation	–	–	79,332	–	–	79,332	
Currency translation arising in the financial period	–	–	–	(2,322)	–	(2,322)	
Currency translation reserve reversed upon disposal of foreign subsidiaries	–	–	–	(537)	–	(537)	
Net gain/(loss) not recognised in income statement	–	–	3,126	(2,859)	76,206	76,473	
Pursuant to corporate restructuring scheme							
Issuance of shares	175,706	79,068	–	–	–	254,774	
Capital reconstruction	(384,085)	(157,319)	–	–	–	(541,404)	
Share issuance expenses	–	(50)	–	–	–	(50)	
Cancellation of share premium	–	(930,162)	–	–	930,162	–	
Net loss on dilution of interests in associates upon de-merger	–	–	–	–	(137,643)	(137,643)	
Net profit for the financial period	–	–	–	–	124,658	124,658	
At 31 December 2003	768,171	–	79,332	–	(411,868)	435,635	

COMPANY STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

	<u>Share Capital</u> Nominal value (Note 37) RM'000	<u>Non- Distributable</u>		
		Share premium RM'000	Accumulated losses RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 January 2004	768,171	–	(360,226)	407,945
Issue of shares:				
– exercise of share options	15	–	–	15
Net loss for the financial year	–	–	(18,422)	(18,422)
At 31 December 2004	768,186	–	(378,648)	389,538
At 1 September 2002	976,550	1,008,463	(1,306,274)	678,739
Pursuant to corporate restructuring scheme				
Issuance of share capital	175,706	79,068	–	254,774
Capital reconstruction	(384,085)	(157,319)	–	(541,404)
Share issuance expenses	–	(50)	–	(50)
Cancellation of share premium	–	(930,162)	930,162	–
Net profit for the financial period	–	–	15,886	15,886
At 31 December 2003	768,171	–	(360,226)	407,945

CASH FLOW STATEMENTS

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

	Group		Company	
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Profit/(loss) from ordinary activities after taxation and minority interests	33,609	124,658	(18,422)	15,886
Adjustments for:				
Taxation	(15,933)	1,720	(16,831)	–
Minority interests	4,662	(9,995)	–	–
Share of results of:				
– associates	(8,567)	9,422	–	–
– jointly controlled entities	(4,926)	(2,715)	–	–
Interest expense	62,452	86,061	13,404	25,568
Impairment losses/(reversal of impairment losses) on:				
– subsidiaries	–	–	30,972	(556)
– associates	7,089	–	–	2,821
– marketable securities	(14,492)	18,626	(14,492)	18,626
Goodwill written off	145	–	–	–
(Write back of)/allowance for doubtful debts	(6,323)	55,542	38,903	174,459
Write back of expressway development expenditure	–	(50)	–	–
Provision for foreseeable losses on development properties	–	7,289	–	304
Operational property, plant and equipment:				
– depreciation	5,297	10,853	1,010	2,219
– impairment losses	–	360	–	–
– written off	205	359	198	7
– net gain on disposal	(1,468)	(1,727)	(39)	(208)
Investment properties:				
– depreciation	4,016	6,638	–	–
– impairment losses	–	36,707	–	–
– gain on disposal	–	(2,588)	–	–
Allowance for inventories obsolescence	405	725	85	–
(Write back of)/provision for:				
– liabilities and charges	(3,318)	92	–	–
– post-employment benefits	1,318	1,565	365	458
Amortisation of bonds issuance expenses	1,012	1,350	–	–
Bad debts written off	3,242	18	3,025	6,866
Waiver of interest	(3,777)	(3,545)	–	–

CASH FLOW STATEMENTS
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

	Group	Sixteen months ended	Company	Sixteen months ended
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	31.12.2003 RM'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
(CONTINUED)				
Net (gain)/loss on disposal/dilution of investments in				
– subsidiaries	(21,014)	9,894	(34,624)	–
– associate	–	(288,489)	–	(207,547)
– marketable securities	–	11,403	–	11,403
Interest income	(5,417)	(8,047)	(4,680)	(4,707)
Gain on de-merger of a subsidiary	–	(1,143)	–	–
Net unrealised gain on foreign exchange	–	(67)	–	–
Unrealised gains	26,244	–	–	–
	64,461	64,916	(1,126)	45,599
Changes in working capital:				
Increase in property development costs	(1,565)	(19,742)	(28,002)	(32)
Decrease/(increase) in other investments	883	(9,863)	867	(239)
Decrease in expressway development expenditure	–	50	–	–
(Increase)/decrease in inventories	(12,199)	27,706	(8,927)	–
Decrease/(increase) in receivables	69,640	12,572	13,399	(3,495)
(Increase)/decrease in amounts due from subsidiaries	–	–	(86,568)	22,196
Decrease in amounts due to associates	(895)	(10,927)	–	(10,156)
(Decrease)/increase in amount due to jointly controlled entity	(9,068)	358	–	–
Increase in marketable securities	(16)	(52,282)	–	(52,282)
(Decrease)/increase in payables	(11,027)	34,976	23,169	(71,369)
Net cash from operations	100,214	47,764	(87,188)	(69,778)
Interest received	5,417	8,047	4,680	4,707
Dividends received from:				
– subsidiary	–	–	1,530	–
– associates	5,069	5,904	–	3,385
Taxation refunded	19,593	–	17,621	–
Taxation paid	(2,654)	(20,557)	–	–
Interest paid	(63,951)	(133,314)	(10,149)	(21,577)
Retirement benefits paid	(202)	(102)	(10)	(59)
(Pledged)/released of bank balances and fixed deposits as security value	(5,871)	101,944	16,824	(17,329)
Net cash flow from operating activities	57,615	9,686	(56,692)	(100,651)

CASH FLOW STATEMENTS
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

	Note	Group		Company	
		Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES					
Proceeds from disposal of:					
– shares in an associate		–	504,610	–	504,610
– marketable securities		–	130,625	–	130,625
Proceeds from disposal of operational property, plant and equipment		14,734	7,553	90	2,396
Net cash flow from disposal of interest in subsidiaries	5(a)	41,983	(21,755)	42,924	38,000
Net cash outflow from de-merger of a subsidiary	5(b)	–	(85,038)	–	–
Subscription of rights issue of a subsidiary		–	–	–	(85,030)
Net cash used for acquisition of subsidiaries	6	–	(79,092)	–	(85,390)
Purchase of operational property, plant and equipment		(5,267)	(11,054)	(364)	(375)
Proceed from disposal of investment properties		–	5,256	–	–
Purchase of investment properties		(766)	–	–	–
Subscription of shares in associates		(3,000)	(1,500)	(3,000)	(1,500)
Subscription of shares by minority interest		–	45	–	–
Net cash flow from investing activities		47,684	449,650	39,650	503,336
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES					
Proceeds from:					
– term loan		8,608	328,247	–	200,000
– issue of shares		15	–	15	–
Repayment of term loans		(114,112)	(773,340)	–	(594,013)
Dividends paid by a subsidiary to minority interest		(1,469)	–	–	–
Profit distribution from joint venture		2,355	–	–	–
Net cash flow from financing activities		(104,603)	(445,093)	15	(394,013)
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		696	14,243	(17,027)	8,672
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR/PERIOD		72,682	58,439	26,512	17,840
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR/PERIOD	40	73,378	72,682	9,485	26,512

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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1 GENERAL INFORMATION

The Company is principally an investment holding company. The Company also engages in construction related activities, property development and provision of management services to its subsidiaries.

The Group is principally engaged in property development and investment, engineering, infrastructure and construction related activities.

The principal activities of the subsidiaries and associates are described in Note 44 to the financial statements.

The Company is a public limited liability company, incorporated and domiciled in Malaysia, and listed on the Main Board of Bursa Malaysia Bhd.

The address of the registered office of the Company is as follows:

Aras 10, Menara MRCB
No. 2, Jalan Majlis 14/10
Seksyen 14
40000 Shah Alam
Selangor Darul Ehsan

The number of persons employed by the Group and by the Company at the end of the financial year amounted to 555 (2003: 552) and 90 (2003: 93) respectively.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements of the Group and of the Company have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified for the revaluation of certain investment properties and development properties, and unless otherwise indicated in the summary of significant accounting policies below.

The financial statements comply with the applicable approved accounting standards in Malaysia and the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965. The new accounting standards adopted in these financial statements are as follows:

- MASB 29 'Employee Benefits'
- MASB 32 'Property Development Activities'

With the exception of MASB 32 (Note 48), there are no changes in accounting policy that affect net profit or shareholders' equity as the Group was already following the recognition and measurement principles of MASB 29.

Comparative figures have been adjusted or extended, where appropriate to conform with changes in presentation due to the requirements of the above new accounting standards that have been applied retrospectively.

The Group has changed its financial year end from 31 August to 31 December during the previous financial year. Therefore, the comparative for income statements, statements of changes in equity, cash flow statements and their related notes are not comparable.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with the applicable approved accounting standards in Malaysia and the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965 requires the Directors to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reported financial year. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated income statement and balance sheet include the financial statements of the Company and all its subsidiaries made up to the end of the financial year. In the previous financial period, Promising Quality Sdn. Bhd. and its subsidiaries ('PQSB group') were not consolidated on the basis that control was intended to be temporary and PQSB group had not previously been consolidated as allowed under MASB Standard No. 11 'Consolidated Financial Statements and Investments in Subsidiaries'. PQSB group was disposed off during the current financial year.

Financial statements of subsidiaries, other than PQSB group, are consolidated using the acquisition method of accounting, commencing from the date on which control is transferred to the Group and are no longer consolidated from the date that control ceases.

The cost of an acquisition is the amount of cash paid and the fair value at the date of acquisition of other purchase consideration given by the acquirer, together with directly attributable expenses of the acquisition. At the date of acquisition, the fair values of the subsidiaries' net assets are determined and these values are reflected in the consolidated financial statements. The difference between the cost of acquisition and the Group's share of the fair value of the identifiable net assets of the subsidiary acquired at the date of acquisition is reflected as goodwill or reserve on consolidation. See accounting policy Note 3(b) on goodwill.

Minority interest is measured at the minorities' share of the post acquisition fair values of the identifiable assets and liabilities of the acquiree. Separate disclosure is made of minority interest.

Intragroup transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions are eliminated; unrealised losses are also eliminated unless cost cannot be recovered. Where necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to ensure consistency with the accounting policies adopted by the Group.

The gain or loss on disposal of a subsidiary is the difference between net disposal proceeds and the Group's share of its net assets together with the goodwill/reserve on consolidation (net of accumulated impairment losses).

(b) Goodwill on consolidation

Goodwill represents the excess of the cost of acquisition of subsidiaries, associates and jointly controlled entities over the Group's share of the fair value of their identifiable net assets at the date of acquisition. Goodwill is stated at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. At each balance sheet date, the Group assesses whether there is any indication of impairment. If such indications exist, an analysis is performed to assess whether the carrying amount of the asset is fully recoverable. A write down is made if the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount. Refer to accounting policy on impairment of assets as set out in Note 3(v) below.

Reserve on consolidation represents the excess of the Group's share of the fair value of identifiable net assets acquired over the cost of acquisition. Negative goodwill is stated as a reserves on consolidation.

(c) Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are those corporations, partnerships or other entities (including joint venture arrangements) in which the Group has power to exercise control over the financial and operating policies so as to obtain benefits from their activities.

Investments in subsidiaries are stated in the Company's financial statements at cost. Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying value of the investment is assessed and written down immediately to its recoverable amount. Refer to accounting policy on impairment of assets as set out in Note 3(v) below.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(d) Associates

Associates are enterprises in which the Group exercises significant influence, but which it does not control. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the associates but not the power to exercise control over those policies.

Investments in associates are stated at cost. Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying value of the investment is assessed and written down immediately to its recoverable amount. Refer to accounting policy on impairment of assets as set out in Note 3(v) below.

Investments in associates are accounted for in the consolidated financial statements using the equity method of accounting. Equity accounting involves recognising in the income statement the Group's share of the results of associates for the financial year and its share of post acquisition movements within reserves in reserves. The Group's investments in associates are carried in the balance sheet at an amount that reflects its share of the net assets of the associates and includes goodwill on acquisition (net of accumulated impairment losses). Equity accounting is discontinued when the carrying amount of the investment in an associate reaches zero, unless the Group has incurred obligations or guaranteed obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

Unrealised gains on transactions between the Group and its associates are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the associates; unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence on impairment of the asset transferred. Where necessary, in applying the equity method, adjustments are made to the financial statements of associates to ensure consistency of accounting policies with the Group.

(e) Jointly controlled entities

Jointly controlled entities are corporations, partnership or other entities over which there is a contractually agreed sharing of control by the Group with one or more parties over the financial and operating policy decisions.

Investments in jointly controlled entities are stated at cost. Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying value of the investment is assessed and written down immediately to its recoverable amount. Refer to accounting policy on impairment of assets as set out in Note 3(v) below.

Results and interests in jointly controlled entities are equity accounted in the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

Equity accounting involves recognising the Group's share of the post acquisition results of jointly controlled entities in the income statement and its share of post acquisition movements within reserves in reserves. The cumulative post acquisition movements are adjusted against the cost of the investment and includes goodwill on acquisition (net of accumulated impairment losses).

Unrealised gains on transactions between the Group and its jointly controlled entities are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the jointly controlled entities; unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence on a reduction in the net realisable value of current assets or impairment of the asset transferred. Where necessary, in applying the equity method, adjustments have been made to the financial statements of jointly controlled entities to ensure consistency of accounting policies with those of the Group.

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3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(f) Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are converted into Ringgit Malaysia at the exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. Monetary assets and liabilities in foreign currencies at the balance sheet date are converted into Ringgit Malaysia at the rates of exchange ruling on that date. Exchange differences arising from the settlement of foreign currency transactions and from the translation of foreign currency monetary assets and liabilities are included in the income statements.

The principal closing rates used in translation of foreign currency amounts are as follows:

Foreign currency	31.12.2004 RM	31.12.2003 RM
1 US Dollar	3.825	3.825

(g) Other investments

Long term investments are stated at cost and an allowance for diminution in value is made where, in the opinion of the Directors, there is a decline other than temporary in the value of such investments. Where there has been a decline other than temporary in the value of an investment, such a decline is recognised as an expense in the period in which the decline is identified.

On disposal of an investment, the difference between net disposal proceeds and its carrying amount is charged or credited to the income statement.

(h) Marketable securities

Marketable securities are carried at the lower of cost and market value, determined on an aggregate portfolio basis by category of investment. Cost is based on the weighted average basis. Market value is calculated by reference to stock exchange quoted selling prices at the close of business at the balance sheet date. Increases/decreases in the carrying amount of marketable securities are credited/charged to the income statement.

On disposal of an investment, the difference between net disposal proceeds and its carrying amount is charged or credited to the income statement.

(i) Property, plant and equipment

Operational property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses except for freehold land which is not depreciated. Freehold land is not depreciated as it has an infinite life.

Other operational property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a straight line basis to write off the cost of assets to their residual values over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is shorter, at the following annual rates:

Buildings	2%
Plant and machinery	5% – 20%
Furniture, fittings, office equipment and computers	5% – 33 1/3%
Motor vehicles	20% – 33 1/3%

Investment properties held as property, plant and equipment are stated at cost or Directors' valuation which is based on a valuation by professional valuers in 1982 using the fair market value basis, less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(i) Property, plant and equipment (continued)

The Directors have applied the transitional provisions issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board on adoption of MASB Standard 15 'Property, Plant and Equipment' which allows the leasehold land to be stated at its previous years' valuation less depreciation. Accordingly, the valuation has not been updated.

Leasehold land under investment properties are amortised over the period of the respective leases which range from 66 years to 99 years. Depreciation is computed on the straight line method to write off the cost of each asset over its estimated useful life. The principal annual depreciation rate for building under investment properties is 2% per annum.

Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying amount of the asset is assessed and written down immediately to its recoverable amount. Refer to accounting policy on impairment of assets as set out in Note 3(v) below.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount and are included in profit/(loss) from operations.

Repairs and maintenance are charged to the income statement during the year in which they are incurred. The cost of major renovations is included in the carrying amount of the asset when it is probable that future economic benefits in excess of the originally assessed standard of performance of the existing asset will flow to the Group. Major renovations are depreciated over the remaining useful life of the related asset.

(j) Finance lease and hire purchase

Leases of property, plant and equipment where substantially all the benefits and risks of ownership are transferred to the Group and the Company are classified as finance leases.

Property, plant and equipment acquired under finance lease and hire purchase are capitalised in the financial statements at the inception of the lease at the lower of the fair value of the leased property and the present value of the minimum lease payments and are depreciated in accordance with the accounting policy as set out in Note 3(i) above. The corresponding outstanding obligations due under the finance lease and hire purchase after deducting finance charges are included as liabilities in the financial statements. Each lease payment is allocated between the liability and finance charges so as to achieve a periodic constant rate of interest on the balance outstanding. The interest element of the finance charges are allocated to the income statements over the periods of the respective agreements.

(k) Property development activities

(i) Land held for property development

Land held for property development consists of land or such portion thereof on which no significant development work has been undertaken or where development activities are not expected to be completed within the normal operating cycle. Such land is classified as non-current asset and is stated at cost less impairment losses.

Cost associated with the acquisition of land includes the purchase price of the land, professional fees, stamp duties, commissions, conversion fees and other relevant levies. Where the Group had previously recorded the land at revalued amount, it continues to retain this amount as its surrogated cost as allowed by MASB 32. Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying amount of the asset is assessed and written down immediately to its recoverable amount. Refer to accounting policy on impairment of assets as set out in Note 3(v) below.

Land held for property development is transferred to property development costs (under current assets) when development activities have commenced and where the development activities can be completed within the Group's normal operating cycle of two (2) to three (3) years.

Borrowing costs are capitalised in accordance with Note 3(w) below. All other borrowing costs are expensed to income statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(k) Property development activities (continued)

(ii) Property development costs

Property development costs comprise costs associated with the acquisition of land or such portion thereof and all costs directly attributable to development activities or that can be allocated on a reasonable basis to these activities.

When the outcome of the development activity can be estimated reliably, property development revenue and expenses are recognised by using the stage of completion method. The stage of completion is measured by reference to the proportion that property development costs incurred bear to the estimated total costs for the property development.

When the outcome of a development activity cannot be reliably estimated, property development revenue is recognised only to the extent of property development costs incurred that is probable will be recoverable; property development costs on the development units sold are recognised when incurred.

Irrespective of whether the outcome of a property development activity can be estimated reliably, when it is probable that total property development costs (including expected defect liability expenditure) will exceed total property development revenue, the expected loss is recognised as an expense immediately.

Property development costs not recognised as an expense are recognised as an asset and are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Borrowing costs are capitalised in accordance with Note 3(w) below. All other borrowing costs are expensed to income statement.

Where revenue recognised in the income statement exceed billings to purchasers, the balance is shown as accrued billings under trade and other receivables (within current assets). Where billings to purchasers exceed revenue recognised in the income statement, the balance is shown as progress billings under trade and other payables (within current liabilities).

(l) Expressway development expenditure

Expressway development expenditure represents cost incurred, which includes borrowing cost relating to the financing of the development, in connection with the Ipoh-Lumut Expressway Project.

The total development expenditure incurred for the project will be amortised over the remaining concession period upon completion of the construction of the expressway and commencement of collection of toll revenues. The amount capitalised is charged as an expense in the income statement in the financial year in which it is identified that no future economic benefits are expected to flow from the expressway development expenditure.

(m) Inventories

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

The cost of unsold properties comprises cost associated with the acquisition of land, direct costs and an appropriate proportion of allocation costs attributable to property development activities.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less the costs of completion and selling expenses.

(n) Receivables

Receivables are carried at anticipated realisable value. An estimate is made for doubtful debts based on a review of all outstanding amounts at the financial year end and when there is objective evidence that the Group and the Company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of receivables. Bad debts are written off during the financial year in which they are identified.

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(o) Construction contract

A construction contract is a contract specifically negotiated for the construction of an asset or a combination of assets that are closely interrelated or interdependent in terms of their design, technology and functions or their ultimate purpose or use.

When the outcome of a construction contract can be estimated reliably, contract revenue and contract costs are recognised over the financial year of the contract as revenue and expense respectively.

The Group uses the percentage of completion method to determine the appropriate amount of contract revenue and contract costs to recognise in a given period; the stage of completion of a construction contract is measured by reference to the value of work done certified to the estimated contract sum of the contract; the stage of completion of an engineering contract on other hand is measured by reference to the proportion that contract costs incurred for work performed to date bear to the estimated total costs for the contract. Irrespective of whether the outcome of a construction contract can be estimated reliably when it is probable that total contract costs will exceed total contract revenue, the expected loss is recognised as an expense immediately.

When the outcome of a construction contract cannot be estimated reliably, contract revenue is recognised only to the extent of contract costs incurred that it is probable will be recoverable and contract costs are recognised as expenses when incurred.

No profit is recognised where contract works is in its initial stage or has not reached a stage of completion where it is possible to determine the financial outcome of the contract with reasonable accuracy.

The aggregate of the costs incurred and the profit/loss recognised on each contract is compared against the progress billings up to the end of the financial year. Where costs incurred and recognised profit (less recognised losses) exceed progress billings, the balance is shown as 'Amounts due from customers on contracts' under trade and other receivables. Conversely, where progress billings exceed costs incurred and recognised profit, the balance is shown as 'Amounts due to customers on contracts' under trade and other payables.

(p) Employee benefits

(i) Short term employee benefits

Wages, salaries, paid annual leave and sick leave, bonuses, and non-monetary benefits are accrued in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees of the Group.

(ii) Post-employment benefits

The Group has various post-employment benefit schemes in accordance with local conditions and practices. These benefits plans are either defined contribution plans or defined benefit plans.

A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which the Group pays fixed contributions into a separate entity (a fund) and will have no legal or constructive obligations to pay further contributions if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employee benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior years. A defined benefit plan is a pension plan that defines an amount of pension benefit to be provided, usually as a function of one or more factors, such as age, years of service or compensation.

Defined contribution plans

The Group's contributions to defined contribution plans are charged to the income statement in the year to which they relate. Once the contributions have been paid, the Group has no further payment obligations.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(p) Employee benefits (continued)

(ii) Post-employment benefits (continued)

Defined benefit plans

The Group provides for unfunded retirement benefits to eligible employees that have been in the service of the Group for a continuous period of at least ten (10) years.

The Group determines the present value of defined benefit obligation with sufficient regularity such that the liability recognised in the financial statements does not differ materially from the amount that would have been determined as at that date. The defined benefit obligation, calculated using the projected unit credit method, is determined by a qualified independent actuary after considering the estimated future cash outflows using the market yields at the valuation date of high quality corporate bonds. The latest actuarial valuation was carried out on 18 November 2002.

The current service cost recognised in the income statement is calculated based on the present value of the benefits accruing over the financial year/period following the valuation date with reference to the number of eligible employees and projected final salaries.

Actuarial gains and losses arise from experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions. Net actuarial gains and losses are immediately recognised in the income statements in the year when the valuation is performed.

(iii) Equity compensation benefits

Details of the Group's Employee Share Option Scheme are set out in Note 38 to the financial statements. The Group does not make a charge to the income statement in connection with share options granted. When the share options are exercised, the proceeds received are credited to share capital and share premium.

(q) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, when it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, and when a reliable estimate of the amount can be made.

(i) Guaranteed rental scheme/liquidated ascertained damages and guarantee reserve

The Group provides for estimated liability on projects still under progress/guarantee period at the balance sheet date. This provision is calculated based on contract agreements/past histories.

(ii) Other provisions

The Group also recognises the estimated concession fees that is payable to the Government of Malaysia at the balance sheet date in relation to the concession to operate, manage and maintain the Kuala Lumpur central railway station by a subsidiary. The provision is calculated based on the effective date as stated in the Concession Agreement.

(r) Bonds

Bonds issued by the Group are stated at net proceeds received on issue. The bonds issuance expenses which represents the difference between the gross proceeds and the total amount of the payment of the bonds are allocated to periods over the term of the bonds at a constant rate on the carrying amounts and are charged to the income statement.

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3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(s) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of the cash flow statements, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand, bank balances, demand deposits, short term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are presented within borrowings in current liabilities on the balance sheet.

(t) Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

The Group does not recognise a contingent liability but discloses its existence in the financial statements. A contingent liability is a possible obligation that arises from past events whose existence will be confirmed by uncertain future events beyond the control of the Group or a present obligation that is not recognised because it is not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation. A contingent liability also arises in the extremely rare circumstance where there is a liability that cannot be recognised because it cannot be measured reliably.

A contingent asset is a possible asset that arises from past events whose existence will be confirmed by uncertain future events beyond the control of the Group. The Group does not recognise contingent assets but discloses its existence where inflows of economic benefits are probable, but not virtually certain.

(u) Income taxes

Current tax expense is determined according to the tax laws of each jurisdiction in which the Group operates and include all taxes based upon the taxable profits, and real property gains taxes payable on disposal of properties.

Deferred tax is recognised in full, using the liability method, on temporary differences arising between the amounts attributed to assets and liabilities for tax purposes and their carrying amounts in the financial statements.

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences or unused tax losses can be utilised.

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences arising on investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures except where the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary difference will not be reversed in the foreseeable future.

Tax rates enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date are used to determine deferred tax.

(v) Impairment of assets

Property, plant and equipment and other non-current assets, including intangible assets, are reviewed for impairment losses whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's net selling price and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest level for which there is separately identifiable cash flows.

The impairment loss is charged to the income statement. Any subsequent increase in recoverable amount is recognised in the income statement.

(w) Interest capitalisation

Interest incurred on borrowings relating to the purchase of property, plant and equipment is capitalised as part of the cost of the asset until the assets are ready for their intended use. Interest relating to property development activities is capitalised during the periods in which the activities to prepare and develop the properties are carried out.

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3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(x) Revenue recognition

Revenue comprises the invoiced value for the sale of goods and services, net of sales taxes, rebates and discounts, and after eliminating sales within the Group.

Revenue is recognised upon delivery of products and customer acceptance, where significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods are transferred to the buyer or upon completion of the performance of services rendered to customers.

Revenue relating to long term engineering contracts and property development activities are accounted for using the percentage of completion method; the stage of completion is measured by reference to the actual costs incurred to date to estimated total costs for each of the contract and property development activity. For construction contract, the stage of completion is measured by reference to the value of work done certified to the estimated contract sum of the contract.

Other revenues earned by the Group are recognised on the following bases:

Rental income – on the accrual basis

Interest income – on the accrual basis

Dividend income – when the shareholder's right to receive payment is established

(y) Financial instruments

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to both a financial asset of one enterprise and a financial liability or equity instrument of another enterprise.

A financial asset is any asset that is cash, a contractual right to receive cash or another financial asset from another enterprise, a contractual right to exchange financial instruments with another enterprise under conditions that are potentially favourable, or an equity instrument of another enterprise.

A financial liability is any liability that is a contractual obligation to deliver cash or another financial asset to another enterprise, or to exchange financial instruments with another enterprise under conditions that are potentially unfavourable.

(i) Financial instruments recognised on the balance sheet

Financial instruments are recognised on the balance sheet when the Group has become a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Financial instruments are classified as liabilities or equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangement. The particular recognition method adopted for financial instruments recognised on the balance sheet is disclosed in the individual accounting policy associated with each item.

(ii) Financial instruments not recognised on the balance sheet

The Group does not have any off balance sheet financial instruments.

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3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(z) Segment reporting

Segment reporting is presented for enhanced assessment of the Group's risks and returns. Business segments provide products or services that are subject to risk and returns that are different from those of other business segments. Geographical segments provide products or services within a particular economic environment that is subject to risks and returns that are different from those components operating in other economic environments.

Segment revenue, expense, assets and liabilities are those amounts resulting from the operating activities of a segment that are directly attributable to the segment and the relevant portion that can be allocated on a reasonable basis to the segment. Segment revenue, expense, assets and segment liabilities are determined before intragroup balances and intragroup transactions are eliminated as part of the consolidation process, except to the extent that such intragroup balances and transactions are between group enterprises with a single segment.

(aa) Operating leases

Leases of assets where a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are retained by the lessor are classified as operating leases. Payments made under operating leases (net of any incentives received from the lessor) are charged to the income statement on the straight line basis over the lease period.

4 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

(a) The Group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks, including interest rate risk, liquidity and cash flow risks, credit risk and foreign currency exchange risk. The Group's overall financial risk management objective is to ensure that the Group creates value for its shareholders. The Group focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the Group. Financial risk management is carried out through risk reviews, internal control systems and adherence to Group financial risk management policies. The Group does not trade in financial instruments.

(i) Interest rate risk

The Group finances its operations through operating cash flows and borrowings which are principally denominated in Ringgit Malaysia. The Group's policy is to derive the desired interest rate profile through a mix of fixed and floating rate banking facilities and private debt securities.

(ii) Liquidity and cash flow risk

The Group manages its liquidity risk by maintaining sufficient levels of cash or cash convertible investments and available credit facilities to meet its working capital requirements.

(iii) Credit risk

Credit risk is the potential loss from a transaction in the event of default by the counterparty during the term or upon settlement of the transaction. The Group seeks to control credit risk by setting counterparty limits and/or obtaining bank guarantees where appropriate, and ensuring that the sale of products and services are made to customers with appropriate credit histories, and through application of other stringent credit policies.

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4 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

(b) Fair values for disclosure purposes

The carrying amounts of the following financial assets and liabilities approximate their fair values due to the relatively short term maturity of these financial instruments: deposits, cash and bank balances, receivables and payables (excluding non-trade amounts due to/from group companies) and short term borrowings.

The fair values of the non-current quoted investments are represented by their market values as disclosed in Notes 20 and 22 to the financial statements.

The fair values of long term borrowings (including Bonds) are estimated using discounted cash flow analysis. The carrying values of the long term borrowings (including Bonds) approximate their fair values based on the prevailing borrowing rates of similar borrowings obtainable by the Group and the Company.

5 DISPOSAL AND DE-MERGER OF SUBSIDIARIES

5(a) DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES

The effects of the disposals on the financial position of the Group were as follows:

	At dates of disposals 2004 RM'000	At dates of disposals 2003 RM'000
Net assets disposed:		
Property, plant and equipment	165	25,256
Development properties	-	5,615
Associate	2,606	-
Jointly controlled entities	102	-
Project development expenditure	-	1
Inventories	-	1,605
Trade and other receivables	66,339	13,434
Cash and bank balances	941	59,755
Trade and other payables	(33,511)	(94,184)
Term loan	(10,308)	(14,090)
Net assets/(liabilities)	26,334	(2,608)
Net amount accounted for as associate at date of disposal	-	(2,182)
Assignment of amount due from subsidiary	-	52,684
Minority interests	(21,017)	-
Goodwill on consolidation	333	-
Net assets disposed	5,650	47,894
Gain/(loss) on disposal	37,274	(9,894)
Total consideration received/receivable from disposal	42,924	38,000
Less: Cash and bank balances	(941)	(59,755)
Net cash from disposal of interest in subsidiaries	41,983	(21,755)

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5 DISPOSAL AND DE-MERGER OF SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

5(a) DISPOSAL OF SUBSIDIARIES (continued)

Financial year ended 31 December 2004

- (i) On 30 June 2004, the Company completed the disposal of its entire 70% equity interest in Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad ('ZMSB') Group for a total consideration of RM41.8 million. As part of the terms of the disposal, the Company has assumed certain assets and liabilities of both ZMSB and Zelleco Construction Sdn. Bhd., a subsidiary of ZMSB.
- (ii) On 2 December 2004, the Company completed the disposal of its 22.48% equity interest in MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd. ('MMCSB') for a cash consideration of RM1.124 million. The Company's equity interest in MMCSB was reduced from 71.48% to 49.00% and consequently MMCSB became an associate of the Company.

Financial period ended 31 December 2003

- (i) On 30 January 2003, Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad, a 70% owned subsidiary, completed the disposal of its 70% equity interest in Zelleco Engineering Sdn. Bhd. ('ZESB') for a nominal consideration of RM1 only. The consideration was arrived at on a willing buyer-willing seller basis taking into account the unaudited net tangible liabilities of ZESB of RM9.42 million as at 31 March 2002.
- (ii) On 28 October 2003, the Company and its wholly owned subsidiary, Malaysian Resources International Sdn. Bhd. ('MRI'), completed the disposal of MRCB Mauritius Limited ('MML') and the sale of the Company's advances to Novelway Investment (Proprietary) Limited ('Novelway') for a total cash considerations of RM38.0 million. Novelway is a wholly owned subsidiary of MML, which in turn is a wholly owned subsidiary of MRI.

The effects of the disposals in financial year ended 31 December 2004 on the results of the Group for the current and prior financial year were as follows:

	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Revenue	7,409	88,799
Operating cost	(5,082)	(87,004)
Profit from operation	2,327	1,795
Finance cost	(412)	(161)
Foreign exchange gain	–	16,840
Profit before taxation	1,915	18,474
Taxation	935	(112)
Profit after taxation	2,850	18,362
Minority interests	(1,453)	–
	1,397	18,362

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5 DISPOSAL AND DE-MERGER OF SUBSIDIARIES (CONTINUED)

5(b) DE-MERGER OF A SUBSIDIARY

	At date of de-merger 2003 RM'000
Net assets de-merged:	
Subsidiary	289,713
Associate	399,651
Other debtors	99,004
Cash and bank balances	85,038
Other creditors	(855)
Loans and other liabilities	(279,000)
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Net assets distributed to shareholders, by way of Media Prima Berhad ('MPB') shares	593,551
Net assets retained in the Group	(541,404)
Gain on de-merger of MPB	(53,290)
Less: Cash and bank balances	1,143
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Net cash from de-merger of a subsidiary	(85,038)
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On 25 August 2003, Media Prima Berhad was de-merged from the Group. The effects of the above de-merger on the results of the Group for the financial period were as follows.

	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Revenue	—
Other income	73
Operating cost	(420)
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Loss from operation	(347)
Finance cost	(789)
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Loss before taxation	(1,136)
Taxation	—
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Net loss attributable to shareholders	(1,136)

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6 ACQUISITION OF SUBSIDIARIES

	At dates of acquisitions 2003 RM'000
Fair value of net assets acquired:	
Associate	299,332
Other receivables	2,760
Deposits with finance companies	6,248
Cash and bank balances	50
Other payables	(11,681)
Long term loan	(131,999)
Fair value of net assets acquired	164,710
Reserve on consolidation	(79,320)
Purchase consideration	85,390
Less: Cash and cash equivalents of subsidiaries acquired:	
Deposits with finance companies acquired	(6,248)
Cash and bank balances acquired	(50)
Cash outflow of the Group on acquisition	79,092
Cash outflow of the Company on acquisition	85,390

- (i) On 4 April 2003, the Company acquired a 100% equity interest in Landas Utama Sdn. Bhd. ('LUSB') for cash consideration of RM85.4 million. LUSB is principally an investment holding company with a 24.93% equity stake in UDA Holdings Berhad.
- (ii) On 17 July 2003, the Company acquired the balance of 50% equity interest in Harmonic Fairway Sdn. Bhd. ('HFSB') for cash consideration of RM2 only. With this acquisition, HFSB became a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.

The effects of the above acquisitions on the financial results of the Group from the date of the respective acquisitions which occurred during the financial year to 31 December 2003 were as follows:

	RM'000
Revenue	-
Operating costs	(337)
Loss on operations	(337)
Finance cost	(7,399)
Loss before taxation	(7,736)
Taxation	-
Share of loss after tax of an associate	(3,532)
Net loss attributable to shareholders	(11,268)

The effects of the above acquisitions on the financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2003 were as follows:

	At 31.12.2003 RM'000
Associate	290,731
Other receivables	7,217
Bank balances	25
Other payables	(10,560)
Long term loan	(131,999)
Increase in the Group's net assets	155,414

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7 REVENUE

	Group		Company	
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Property development	120,084	267,141	20,173	—
Sale of goods	—	78	—	—
Construction contracts	29,085	39,389	8,305	—
Information technology contracts	6,295	19,121	—	—
Management fees	—	—	10,554	6,584
Dividend income (gross):				
– subsidiaries	—	—	2,125	15,621
– associate	—	—	—	4,702
– quoted marketable securities	—	5	—	—
Interest income from loan stock	—	—	1,217	1,619
Investment property income	13,780	16,019	—	—
Rental income	11,708	12,048	—	—
Rendering of other services	7,349	6,097	—	—
	188,301	359,898	42,374	28,526

8 COST OF SALES

Cost of inventories sold	341	22,444	—	—
Property development costs	60,898	220,801	18,393	304
Construction contract costs	20,940	22,058	7,641	—
Others	23,063	27,805	(80)	—
	105,242	293,108	25,954	304

9 OTHER OPERATING INCOME

Gain/(loss) on disposal/dilution of investment in:				
• subsidiaries	21,014	(9,894)	34,624	—
• associate	—	288,489	—	207,547
• marketable securities	—	(11,403)	—	(11,403)
	21,014	267,192	34,624	196,144
Rental income on land and buildings	4,104	3,005	1,125	1,188
Rental income on other assets	688	523	—	20
Interest income from:				
– subsidiaries	—	—	1,166	1,552
– fixed deposits	3,522	6,440	1,043	971
– others	1,895	1,607	1,264	566
Bad debts recovered	1,023	207	—	—
Debt waiver	—	3,545	—	—
Consequential compensation income				
resulting from disposal of a subsidiary	—	33,742	—	33,498
Forfeiture of progress billings and deposits	208	2,090	—	—

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10 PROFIT/(LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS

	Group		Company	
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Profit/(loss) from operations is arrived at after charging/(crediting):				
Auditors' remuneration				
- statutory audit	363	347	50	33
- non-statutory audit	132	45	125	45
Staff costs (including remuneration of directors) (Note 11)	42,137	45,804	8,982	10,552
Operational property, plant and equipment:				
- depreciation	5,297	10,853	1,010	2,219
- impairment loss	—	360	—	—
- written off	205	359	198	7
- net gain on disposals	(1,468)	(1,727)	(39)	(208)
Investment properties:				
- depreciation	4,016	6,638	—	—
- gain on disposal	—	2,588	—	—
Allowance for inventories obsolescence	405	725	85	—
Rental of:				
- premises	—	120	2,225	2,862
- motor vehicles	15	16	1	1
- office equipment	211	119	100	27
Hire of plant and machinery/equipment	12	77	—	—
Bad debts written off	3,242	18	3,025	6,866
(Write back of)/provision for liabilities and charges	(3,318)	92	—	—
Amortisation of bonds issuance expenses	1,012	1,350	—	—
Net realised gain on foreign exchange	(4)	(11,873)	(4)	(10,501)
Net unrealised gain on foreign exchange	—	(67)	—	—
Impairment losses/(reversal of impairment losses) on:				
• subsidiaries	—	—	30,972	(556)
• associate	7,089	—	—	2,821
• investment properties	—	36,707	—	—
• marketable securities	(14,492)	18,626	(14,492)	18,626

11 STAFF COSTS

Wages, salaries and bonus	32,012	34,283	6,396	6,928
Defined contribution plan	3,781	4,238	875	1,194
Defined benefit plan (Note 34)	1,318	1,565	365	458
Termination benefits	8	522	8	14
Other employee benefits	5,018	5,196	1,338	1,958
	42,137	45,804	8,982	10,552

12 DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

The Directors of the Company in office during the financial year were as follows:

Non-executive Directors

Abdul Rahman Ahmad

Dato' Ahmad Hj. Ibnihajar

Dato' Dr. Mohd Shahari Ahmad Jabar

Dr. Roslan A Ghaffar

YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail (Chairman) (resigned on 12.1.2005)

Dato' Zainol Abidin Dato' Hj. Salleh (retired on 20.5.2004)

Executive Directors

Shahril Ridza Ridzuan (Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer)

Datuk Zahari Omar (Executive Vice President)

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12 DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION (CONTINUED)

The aggregate amount of remuneration received/receivable by Directors of the Company for the financial year/period are:

	Group		Company	
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Non-executive Directors:				
– fees	176	164	169	164
– emoluments	72	119	72	119
	248	283	241	283
Executive Directors:				
– salaries and bonus	466	1,516	466	1,516
– defined contribution plan	154	328	154	328
– other employee benefits	200	264	200	264
	820	2,108	820	2,108
	1,068	2,391	1,061	2,391
Benefits-in-kind				
Non-executive Director	40	49	40	49
Executive Directors	14	81	14	81
	54	130	54	130

Details of the defined contribution and defined benefit plans of the Group and of the Company are set out in Note 34.

Executive Directors of the Company have been granted options under the Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad's Employees' Share Option Scheme as follows:

Year ended 31.12.2004

Grant date	Expiry date	Exercise price RM/share	At 1.1.2004	Granted	Exercised	At 31.12.2004
6 Sep 2002	4 Sep 2007	1.06	475,000	–	–	475,000
26 May 2003	4 Sep 2007	1.00	430,000	–	–	430,000
			905,000	–	–	905,000

Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003

Grant date	Expiry date	Exercise price RM/share	At 1.9.2002	Granted	Exercised	At 31.12.2003
6 Sep 2002	4 Sep 2007	1.06	–	475,000	–	475,000
26 May 2003	4 Sep 2007	1.00	–	430,000	–	430,000
			–	905,000	–	905,000

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13 FINANCE COSTS

	Group		Company	
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Arrangement fee for borrowings	3,245	5,230	651	1,275
Interest expense on:				
– term loans	26,613	38,467	10,303	19,468
– bank overdraft, trust receipts and bills payable	328	1,099	–	(10)
– hire purchase	813	2,556	22	616
– loan stock	673	896	–	–
– intercompany advances	–	–	3,078	4,450
– others	1,256	2,392	–	1,044
Finance charges on bonds issued	32,769	40,651	–	–
	65,697	91,291	14,054	26,843

14 TAXATION

(a) Tax charge for the financial year/period

In Malaysia:				
Current taxation	5,589	888	–	–
(Over)/under accrual in prior years	(23,508)	4,678	(16,831)	–
Deferred taxation (Note 23)	1,986	(3,846)	–	–
	(15,933)	1,720	(16,831)	–
Current tax				
Current year/period	5,589	3,980	–	–
Benefit from previously unrecognised tax losses	–	(3,092)	–	–
(Over)/under accrual in prior years (net)	(23,508)	4,678	(16,831)	–
Deferred tax				
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	13,119	(3,846)	–	–
Benefit from previously unrecognised tax losses	(11,133)	–	–	–
	(15,933)	1,720	(16,831)	–

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14 TAXATION (CONTINUED)

- (b) Numerical reconciliation of income tax expense

The explanation of the relationship between tax expense and profit/(loss) from ordinary activities before tax is as follows:

	Group		Company	
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Profit/(loss) before tax	22,338	116,383	(35,253)	15,886
Tax calculated at the Malaysian tax rate of 28% (2003: 28%)	6,255	32,587	(9,871)	4,448
Tax effects of:				
Control transfer	352	–	–	–
Effect of different tax rates of other countries	(8)	–	–	–
Income not subject to tax	(25,216)	(64,368)	(1,917)	(64,299)
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	30,718	31,619	12,935	25,328
Utilisation of previously unrecognised tax losses	(354)	(3,092)	–	–
Utilisation of previously unrecognised deductible temporary differences	(11,925)	–	–	–
(Over)/under accrual of tax in prior years	(32,651)	4,640	(24,893)	–
Tax credit	(2,566)	(5,691)	–	–
Effect of tax rates for small and medium enterprises	(72)	(9)	–	–
Current year/period tax losses not recognised	15,908	12,781	4,790	1,109
Other deductible temporary differences not recognised	3,626	(6,747)	2,125	33,414
Tax (refund)/charge	(15,933)	1,720	(16,831)	–

15 EARNINGS PER SHARE

(a) Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share of the Group is calculated by dividing the net profit attributable to shareholders by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the financial year/period.

	Group	
	Year ended 31.12.2004	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003
Net profit attributable to shareholders (RM'000)	33,609	124,658
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	768,183	946,247
Basic earnings per share (sen)	4.4	13.2

(b) Diluted earnings per share

The diluted earnings per share is not presented in the financial statements as the effect of the assumed conversion of the Options under the Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad's Employees' Share Option Scheme during the financial year is anti-dilutive as per MASB 13 "Earnings Per Share".

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16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Net book value				
Operational property, plant and equipment (Note 16(a))	20,624	34,290	1,038	1,934
Investment properties (Note 16(b))	176,912	180,162	—	—
	197,536	214,452	1,038	1,934

16(a) OPERATIONAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Group	Freehold land and buildings RM'000	Plant and machinery RM'000	Furniture, fittings, office equipment and computers RM'000	Motor vehicles RM'000	Total RM'000
2004					
Cost					
At 1.1.2004					
At 1.1.2004	23,464	21,768	30,327	3,712	79,271
Additions	—	2,006	2,997	264	5,267
Disposals	(1,455)	(16,111)	(3,188)	(1,294)	(22,048)
Transferred to inventory	(10,893)	—	—	—	(10,893)
Written off	—	—	(837)	—	(837)
Disposal of subsidiaries	—	—	(1,745)	—	(1,745)
At 31.12.2004	11,116	7,663	27,554	2,682	49,015
Accumulated depreciation					
At 1.1.2004					
At 1.1.2004	1,088	12,863	21,907	2,287	38,145
Charge for the financial year	98	464	4,276	459	5,297
Released on disposals	(89)	(10,876)	(2,611)	(1,181)	(14,757)
Transferred to inventory	(780)	—	—	—	(780)
Written off	—	—	(632)	—	(632)
Disposal of subsidiaries	—	—	(1,580)	—	(1,580)
At 31.12.2004	317	2,451	21,360	1,565	25,693
Accumulated impairment losses					
At 1.1.2004					
At 1.1.2004	1,572	4,970	294	—	6,836
Transferred to inventory	(1,185)	—	—	—	(1,185)
Released on disposal	(387)	(2,566)	—	—	(2,953)
At 31.12.2004	—	2,404	294	—	2,698

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16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

16(a) OPERATIONAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

	Freehold land and buildings RM'000	Plant and machinery RM'000	Furniture, fittings, office equipment and computers RM'000	Motor vehicles RM'000	Total RM'000
Group					
2003					
Cost					
At 1.9.2002	40,242	44,085	37,150	12,509	133,986
Additions	1,509	6,257	2,576	712	11,054
Disposals	(1,625)	(6,772)	(5,389)	(8,762)	(22,548)
Written off	–	(8)	(1,645)	(210)	(1,863)
Disposal of subsidiaries	(16,662)	(20,609)	(2,169)	(537)	(39,977)
Transfer/reclassification	–	(1,185)	(196)	–	(1,381)
At 31.12.2003	23,464	21,768	30,327	3,712	79,271
Accumulated depreciation					
At 1.9.2002	2,566	27,616	22,692	7,454	60,328
Charge for the financial period	517	1,647	7,411	1,278	10,853
Released on disposals	(197)	(4,200)	(5,024)	(5,965)	(15,386)
Written off	–	(8)	(1,291)	(205)	(1,504)
Disposal of subsidiaries	(1,798)	(11,007)	(1,685)	(275)	(14,765)
Transfer/reclassification	–	(1,185)	(196)	–	(1,381)
At 31.12.2003	1,088	12,863	21,907	2,287	38,145
Accumulated impairment losses					
At 1.9.2002	1,808	5,710	294	–	7,812
Impairment	–	360	–	–	360
Disposal	(236)	(1,100)	–	–	(1,336)
At 31.12.2003	1,572	4,970	294	–	6,836
Net book value					
At 31.12.2004	10,799	2,808	5,900	1,117	20,624
At 31.12.2003	20,804	3,935	8,126	1,425	34,290

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16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

16(a) OPERATIONAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

Detailed land and buildings of the Group are as follows:

	Freehold land RM'000	Buildings RM'000	Total RM'000
Group			
2004			
Cost			
At 1.1.2004	7,777	15,687	23,464
Disposals and transfer to inventory	(1,508)	(10,840)	(12,348)
At 31.12.2004	6,269	4,847	11,116
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses			
At 1.1.2004	–	2,660	2,660
Charge for the financial year	–	98	98
Released on disposals and transfer to inventory	–	(2,441)	(2,441)
At 31.12.2004	–	317	317
2003			
Cost			
At 1.9.2002	10,744	29,498	40,242
Additions	1,509	–	1,509
Disposals	–	(1,625)	(1,625)
Disposal of subsidiaries	(4,476)	(12,186)	(16,662)
At 31.12.2003	7,777	15,687	23,464
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses			
At 1.9.2002	–	4,374	4,374
Charge for the financial period	–	517	517
Released on disposals	–	(433)	(433)
Disposal of subsidiaries	–	(1,798)	(1,798)
At 31.12.2003	–	2,660	2,660
Net book value			
At 31.12.2004	6,269	4,530	10,799
At 31.12.2003	7,777	13,027	20,804

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16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

16(a) OPERATIONAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

	Furniture, fittings, office equipment and computers RM'000	Motor vehicles RM'000	Total RM'000
Company			
2004			
Cost			
At 1.1.2004	9,022	810	9,832
Additions	364	—	364
Disposals	(40)	(190)	(230)
Written off	(807)	—	(807)
At 31.12.2004	8,539	620	9,159
Accumulated depreciation			
At 1.1.2004	7,539	359	7,898
Charge for the financial year	886	124	1,010
Released on disposals	(36)	(142)	(178)
Written off	(609)	—	(609)
At 31.12.2004	7,780	341	8,121
2003			
Cost			
At 1.9.2002	9,138	5,700	14,838
Additions	327	48	375
Disposals	(423)	(4,728)	(5,151)
Written off	(20)	(210)	(230)
At 31.12.2003	9,022	810	9,832
Accumulated depreciation			
At 1.9.2002	6,306	2,559	8,865
Charge for the financial period	1,518	701	2,219
Released on disposals	(267)	(2,696)	(2,963)
Written off	(18)	(205)	(223)
At 31.12.2003	7,539	359	7,898
Net book value			
At 31.12.2004	759	279	1,038
At 31.12.2003	1,483	451	1,934

Operational property, plant and equipment with net book value amounting to RM1,305,743 (31.12.2003: RM9,523,981) of certain subsidiaries have been charged as security for borrowings and term loan facilities (Notes 32 and 35).

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16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

16(a) OPERATIONAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

Included in operational property, plant and equipment of the Group and of the Company are the net book values of the following assets acquired under finance lease agreements and hire purchase terms:

	Net book value	2004	2003
	RM'000	RM'000	
Group			
Plant and machinery	-	397	
Furniture, fittings, office equipment and computer	443	-	
Motor vehicles	746	777	
	1,189	1,174	
Company			
Motor vehicles	242	356	

16(b) INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

	At 1.1.2004 RM'000	Addition RM'000	At 31.12.2004 RM'000
Group			
2004			
At cost/valuation			
Long leasehold land:			
At 1982 valuation	10,823	-	10,823
At cost	32,595	-	32,595
	43,418	-	43,418
Buildings and improvements:			
At cost	228,696	766	229,462
Total	272,114	766	272,880

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

16(b) INVESTMENT PROPERTIES (CONTINUED)

	At 1.1.2004 RM'000	Charge for the financial year RM'000	At 31.12.2004 RM'000
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Group

2004

Accumulated depreciation

Long leasehold land:			
At 1982 valuation	3,193	179	3,372
At cost	1,172	271	1,443
	4,365	450	4,815
Buildings and improvements:			
At cost	29,677	3,566	33,243
Total	34,042	4,016	38,058

At
1.1.2004/
31.12.2004
RM,000

Accumulated impairment losses

Long leasehold land:			
At 1982 valuation	515		
At cost	8,035		
	8,550		
Buildings and improvements:			
At cost	49,360		
Total		57,910	

	At 1.9.2002 RM'000	Disposal RM'000	At 31.12.2003 RM'000
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2003

At cost/valuation

Long leasehold land:			
At 1982 valuation	10,938	(115)	10,823
At cost	32,595	-	32,595
	43,533	(115)	43,418
Buildings and improvements:			
At cost	232,908	(4,212)	228,696
Total	276,441	(4,327)	272,114

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16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

16(b) INVESTMENT PROPERTIES (CONTINUED)

	At 1.9.2002 RM'000	Depreciation RM'000	Disposal RM'000	At 31.12.2003 RM'000
Group				
2003				
Accumulated depreciation				
Long leasehold land:				
At 1982 valuation	2,998	228	(33)	3,193
At cost	760	412	–	1,172
	3,758	640	(33)	4,365
Buildings and improvements:				
At cost	25,305	5,998	(1,626)	29,677
Total	29,063	6,638	(1,659)	34,042

	At 1.9.2002 RM'000	Impairment loss RM'000	At 31.12.2003 RM'000
Accumulated impairment losses			
Long leasehold land:			
At 1982 valuation	–	515	515
At cost	4,113	3,922	8,035
	4,113	4,437	8,550
Buildings and improvements:			
At cost	17,090	32,270	49,360
Total	21,203	36,707	57,910

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

16 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

16(b) INVESTMENT PROPERTIES (CONTINUED)

	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Group		
Net book value		
Long leasehold land:		
At 1982 valuation	6,936	7,115
At cost	23,117	23,388
	30,053	30,503
Buildings and improvements:		
At cost	146,859	149,659
Total	176,912	180,162

The leasehold land and buildings of subsidiaries with net book values of RM176,912,000 (31.12.2003: RM180,162,000) are charged as security for term loan facilities (Note 35).

The net book value of the revalued land, had this asset been carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, is as follows:

	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Group		
Long leasehold land	2,259	2,317

The leasehold land of a subsidiary is stated at Directors' valuation based on a valuation by independent valuers in 1982 using the fair market value basis.

The leasehold investment properties consist of three leasehold land and buildings with unexpired periods of leases ranging from 40 years to 89 years.

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17 PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

17(a) LAND HELD FOR PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Freehold land, at cost	270,580	289,558	3,785	3,785
Freehold land, at valuation	7,357	8,457	—	—
Leasehold land, at valuation	42,070	42,332	—	—
Development expenditure	542,984	514,940	319	319
	862,991	855,287	4,104	4,104
Less: Accumulated impairment losses	(39,029)	(39,029)	(304)	(304)
	823,962	816,258	3,800	3,800
At start of year/period	816,258	853,568	3,800	4,072
Acquisition of freehold land	9,777	—	32,000	—
Disposal of freehold land	(20,348)	—	—	—
Development expenditure incurred	28,338	3,986	—	32
Transfer to property development costs (Note 17(b))	(10,063)	(33,703)	(32,000)	—
Impairment losses recognised in the income statement during the year/period	—	(7,593)	—	(304)
At end of year/period	823,962	816,258	3,800	3,800

Title to freehold land of a subsidiary is in the process of being registered in the subsidiary's name.

The freehold and leasehold land of certain subsidiaries have been charged as security for term loan facilities (Note 35).

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

17 PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED)

17(b) PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT COST

	Group 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	Company 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
At start of year/period				
– land, at cost	52,855	27,778	–	–
– land, at valuation	3,982	3,982	–	–
– development costs	447,986	461,113	–	–
– accumulated cost charged to income statement	(334,467)	(389,779)	–	–
	170,356	103,094	–	–
Costs incurred during the year/period				
– transfer from land held under property development (Note 17(a))	10,063	33,703	32,000	–
– development costs	59,930	167,315	14,395	–
	69,993	201,018	46,395	–
Costs charged to income statement	(75,737)	(133,756)	(18,393)	–
Transfer to inventories	(395)	–	–	–
Reversal upon completion of projects				
– land, at cost	(20,134)	–	–	–
– development costs	–	(189,589)	–	–
– accumulated costs charged to income statement	20,134	189,589	–	–
	164,217	170,356	28,002	–
At end of year/period				
– land, at cost	82,481	52,855	32,000	–
– land, at valuation	3,982	3,982	–	–
– development costs	507,915	447,986	14,395	–
– accumulated costs charged to income statement	(429,766)	(334,467)	(18,393)	–
– transfer to inventories	(395)	–	–	–
	164,217	170,356	28,002	–

Included in development expenditure are the following charges made during the financial year/period:

	Group 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Interest capitalised	40,805	65,808

	Group 2004 %	2003 %
Capitalisation rate used to determine the amount of borrowing costs eligible for capitalisation	55	62

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18 EXPRESSWAY DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE

	Group	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Expressway development expenditure	18,203	18,203
Less: Accumulated impairment losses	(18,203)	(18,203)
	—	—

19 SUBSIDIARIES

	Group	Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000
Unquoted shares at cost:			
– in Malaysia	—	0*	530,677
– outside Malaysia	—	—	538,352
			3
Loan stocks at cost	—	0	530,677
Less: Accumulated impairment losses	—	—	17,333
			17,333
			(207,376)
			(184,982)
	—	0	340,634
			370,706

* The investment in Promising Quality Sdn. Bhd. ('PQSB') is carried at group cost of RM4.00 at the date that PQSB became a subsidiary.

The consolidated financial statements of a former sub-subsidiary, PQSB were not consolidated on the basis that control was intended to be temporary and PQSB had not previously been consolidated, as permitted under MASB Standard No. 11 'Consolidated Financial Statements and Investments in Subsidiaries'. The Company had on 21 October 2003 entered into a Subscription Agreement with UDA Holdings Berhad ('UDA'), Harmonic Fairway Sdn. Bhd. and PQSB for PQSB to issue and UDA to subscribe for new ordinary shares of PQSB which on completion resulted in UDA owning 99.99% of the issued and paid-up capital of PQSB ('Proposed Share Issue'). The Proposed Share Issue was completed on 30 March 2004.

The loan stocks issued by a subsidiary pursuant to a Joint Venture Agreement dated 18 April 1996 was due for redemption on 1 January 2002 at 100% of its nominal value for all loan stocks not previously redeemed or purchased together with all accrued interest thereon. The joint venture parties have consented to extend the redemption to 31 December 2016, or within 6 months from the completion of joint venture project, whichever shall be earlier under the Joint Venture Agreement dated 19 February 2003.

The fair value of the loan stocks as at 31 December 2004 was approximately RM17,333,000 (2003: RM13,988,000).

The Group's effective equity interest in the subsidiaries, their respective principal activities and country of incorporation are set out in Note 44.

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20 ASSOCIATES

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
In Malaysia				
Unquoted investments at cost	19,067	10,772	11,950	1,500
Share of post-acquisition accumulated losses	(7,413)	(3,735)	-	-
Unrealised gains	(1,394)	-	-	-
	10,260	7,037	11,950	1,500
Less: Accumulated impairment losses	(7,869)	-	(7,450)	-
	2,391	7,037	4,500	1,500
Quoted investments at cost	299,332	299,332	-	-
Share of post-acquisition accumulated losses	(10,281)	(8,601)	-	-
Unrealised gains	(24,850)	-	-	-
	264,201	290,731	-	-
	266,592	297,768	4,500	1,500
Market value of quoted investments	131,119	121,439	-	-

Analysis of associates is as follows:

	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Group's share of tangible assets	266,364	301,886
Group's share of intangible assets	75	-
	266,439	301,886
Premium/(reserve) on acquisition	153	(4,118)
	266,592	297,768

The Group's effective equity interest in the associates, their respective principal activities and country of incorporation are set out in Note 44.

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21 JOINTLY CONTROLLED ENTITIES

	Group 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Share of net assets of the jointly controlled entities	5,299	2,830

The Group has the following jointly controlled entities:

- (a) 50% interest in a jointly controlled entity, TTSB-SPK Consortium, which was formed on 18 July 2001 to undertake the design, manufacture, test, supply, delivery, installation commissioning and maintenance of the 275kV Sabah East-West Grid Interconnection Transmission Line Segaliud, Sandakan-Kasigui, Kota Kinabalu.

The jointly controlled entities of (b) and (c) mentioned below were disposed off during the financial year as part of the disposal of Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad which was completed on 30 June 2004.

- (b) 50% interest in a jointly controlled entity, Zelleco-Hyundai JV which was formed on 24 January 1995 and commenced operations on 1 October 1995 to undertake the construction of a section of the national power transmission system.
- (c) 60% interest in a jointly controlled entity, Zelleco-Perspec Consortium which was formed on 8 October 1996 and immediately commenced operations to undertake piling works, substructure and basement construction and ancillary works for Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd., a subsidiary of the Company.

The Group's share of the assets and liabilities of the jointly controlled entities are as follows:

	Group 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Property, plant and equipment	48	64
Current assets	22,965	15,381
Current liabilities	(17,714)	(12,615)
	5,299	2,830

The Group's share of the revenue and expenses of the jointly controlled entities are as follows:

	Group Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Revenue	43,492	22,903
Other operating income	181	–
Other operating expense	(38,747)	(20,188)
Profit from ordinary activities before taxation	4,926	2,715
Taxation	–	–
Profit from ordinary activities after taxation	4,926	2,715

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22 OTHER INVESTMENTS

	Group and Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
At cost:		
Shares in a corporation, quoted outside Malaysia	910	910
Less: Accumulated impairment losses	(840)	(840)
	70	70
Unquoted investments	13,860	14,727
Less: Accumulated impairment losses	(4,525)	(4,509)
	9,335	10,218
	9,405	10,288
Market value of quoted shares	118	410

23 DEFERRED TAXATION

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when the deferred taxes relate to the same tax authority. The following amounts, determined after appropriate offsetting, are shown in the balance sheet:

	Group	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Deferred tax assets	3,193	6,299
Deferred tax liabilities	(2,161)	(1,131)
	1,032	5,168

The movements during the financial year/period relating to deferred tax are as follows:

At start of financial year/period	5,168	1,322
Charged from/(to) income statement (Note 14)		
– property, plant and equipment	38	521
– development property	(2,491)	(18,539)
– accruals	197	–
– provisions	249	60
– tax losses	21	21,804
	(1,986)	3,846
Charged to equity	(2,150)	–
At end of financial year/period	1,032	5,168

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23 DEFERRED TAXATION (CONTINUED)

	Group	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Subject to income tax		
Deferred tax assets (before offsetting)		
Development property	2,734	–
Accruals	197	–
Provisions	249	129
Tax losses	21	41,858
	3,201	41,987
Offsetting	(8)	(35,688)
Deferred tax asset (after offsetting)	3,193	6,299
Deferred tax liabilities (before offsetting)		
Property, plant and equipment	(2,153)	(163)
Development property	–	(36,656)
	(2,153)	(36,819)
Offsetting	(8)	35,688
Deferred tax liabilities (after offsetting)	(2,161)	(1,131)

The amounts of deductible temporary differences and unused tax losses (which have no expiry date) for which no deferred tax assets are recognised in the balance sheet are as follow:

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Deductible temporary differences	95,135	124,732	10,164	2,577
Tax losses	364,895	309,390	96,023	78,918

24 INVENTORIES

At cost:				
Completed properties for sale	22,546	19,273	–	–
At net realisable value:				
Land held for sale	2,007	590	1,509	–
Completed properties for sale	7,602	498	7,333	–
	32,155	20,361	8,842	–

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25 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Trade receivables	55,499	92,435	6,789	10,341
Less: Allowance for doubtful debts	(17,866)	(17,945)	(2,477)	(2,679)
	37,633	74,490	4,312	7,662
Amounts due from customers on contracts (Note 26)	5,836	19,105	274	–
Accrued billings in respect of property development	18,296	24,734	–	–
Amounts due from associates	1,580	1,128	1,051	606
Amounts due from other related parties	639	1,029	–	–
Amount due from jointly controlled entities	8,710	386	–	–
Amount due from a non-consolidated sub-subsidiary	–	119,663	–	44,500
Deposits	6,333	21,059	2,473	16,086
Prepayments	3,688	5,492	–	–
Other receivables	85,001	48,885	60,350	45,191
Less: Allowance for doubtful debts	(26,983)	(39,855)	(24,281)	(52,492)
	68,039	155,244	38,542	53,285
	140,733	276,116	44,179	61,553
Amounts due from subsidiaries	–	–	503,956	941,127
Less: Allowance for doubtful debts	–	–	(291,529)	(709,411)
	–	–	212,427	231,716

The amount due from a non-consolidated sub-subsidiary that was related to the sale of land, was unsecured, interest-free and with no fixed repayment terms. The amount was fully repaid during the financial year.

All the trade and other receivables for the Group and the Company are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

The Group's normal credit terms range from 7 days to 180 days (2003: 7 days to 180 days). Other credit terms are assessed and approved on a case-by-case basis.

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26 CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Aggregate costs incurred to date	1,597,137	1,803,520	7,641	194,000
Attributable profits on contract works performed to date	301,074	349,807	664	11,823
Less: Provision for foreseeable losses	(43)	(56,769)	–	–
	1,898,168	2,096,558	8,305	205,823
Less: Progress billings	(1,899,408)	(2,078,187)	(8,031)	(205,823)
	(1,240)	18,371	274	–
Amounts due from customers on contracts (Note 25)	5,836	19,105	274	–
Amounts due to customers on contracts (Note 30)	(7,076)	(734)	–	–
	(1,240)	18,371	274	–
Retention sum on contracts, included under trade receivables	7,895	12,895	–	5,000
The costs incurred to date on construction contracts include the following charges made during the financial year/period:				
Professional fees paid to corporate shareholders of a subsidiary	–	3,357	–	–

27 MARKETABLE SECURITIES

Shares in corporations, quoted in Malaysia – At cost	23,388	23,388	23,153	23,153
Other marketable securities, quoted in Malaysia	99,802	99,802	99,802	99,802
Less : Allowance for diminution in value	(36,722)	(51,230)	(36,722)	(51,230)
	63,080	48,572	63,080	48,572
	86,468	71,960	86,233	71,725
Market value of quoted shares	36,766	32,062	36,503	31,593
Market value of other quoted securities	65,458	48,929	65,458	48,929
	102,224	80,991	101,961	80,522

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28 BANK BALANCES AND DEPOSITS

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Deposits with licensed banks	87,918	91,982	504	17,305
Deposits with finance companies	17,195	30,280	8,270	25,300
Cash held under Housing Development Accounts	32,185	4,913	—	—
Cash and bank balances	14,022	25,296	1,216	1,236
	151,320	152,471	9,990	43,841

Included in the Group's and the Company's cash and bank balances and deposits with licensed banks and finance companies are restricted monies amounting to RM77,308,962 (31.12.2003: RM71,438,082) and RM504,654 (31.12.2003: RM17,329,345) respectively, (Note 40) representing:

- collateral pledged with licensed banks and/or finance companies by the Group and the Company for credit facilities granted and bank guarantee facilities issued to third parties.
- proceeds from the issue of Bonds by a subsidiary net of permitted withdrawal at date of issue of Bonds has been channelled to Designated Accounts for the Kuala Lumpur central railway station development project as provided under the terms and conditions of the Project Account Agreement (Note 33).
- first memorandum of deposits of fixed deposits of certain subsidiaries held as security for the term loan facility and guarantee facilities (Notes 32, 35 and 42).

Cash held under Housing Development Accounts represents receipts from purchasers of residential properties less payments or withdrawals provided under the Housing Developers (Control and Licensing) Act, 1966.

All the deposits, cash and bank balances of the Group and the Company are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

The weighted average period effective interest rates per annum of deposits, cash and bank balances that were effective at the end of the financial year/period were as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2004 %	2003 %	2004 %	2003 %
Deposits with licensed banks	2.68	2.52	3.70	3.35
Deposits with licensed institutions	2.64	2.90	2.61	2.90

The deposits with licensed banks and licensed institutions have an average maturity of 7 and 4 days (2003: maturity of 7 days) respectively.

Bank balances are deposits held at call with banks.

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29 PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES

		Group		
	Guaranteed rental scheme RM'000	Liquidated ascertained damages and guarantee reserve RM'000	Others RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 January 2004	6,229	6,418	2,185	14,832
Charged to income statement	146	(168)	60	38
Utilised during the financial year	(1,838)	(612)	–	(2,450)
Unused amounts reversed	–	(3,356)	–	(3,356)
At 31 December 2004	4,537	2,282	2,245	9,064
At 1 September 2002	9,517	10,885	2,105	22,507
Charged to income statement	125	1,853	80	2,058
Utilised during the financial period	(3,413)	(4,354)	–	(7,767)
Unused amounts reversed	–	(1,966)	–	(1,966)
At 31 December 2003	6,229	6,418	2,185	14,832
At 31 December 2004	4,537	2,282	2,245	9,064
At 31 December 2003	6,229	6,418	2,185	14,832

(a) Guaranteed rental scheme

Provisions for guaranteed rental scheme are made for anticipated losses on contracts undertaken by a subsidiary.

(b) Liquidated ascertained damages and guarantee reserve

Provision for liquidated ascertained damages and provision for guarantee reserve are in respect of projects undertaken by the subsidiaries. Provision for liquidated ascertained damages ('LAD') is recognised for expected LAD claims based on the contract agreement. Provision for guarantee reserve is made on each contract based on the estimated liability that may arise during the guarantee period.

(c) Others

Other provisions relate to:

- (i) provision by a subsidiary for remedial works to complete the rehabilitation of the hill slope due to a landslide on the freehold land held by the subsidiary based on the estimation made by consultants.
- (ii) provision made by a subsidiary for concession fees payable to the Government of Malaysia in relation to the concession to operate, manage and maintain the Kuala Lumpur central railway station based on the effective date as stated in the Concession Agreement.

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30 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Trade payables	74,921	109,725	3,162	266
Amounts due to customers on contracts (Note 26)	7,076	734	—	—
Progress billings in respect of property development	26,204	11,628	14,565	—
Amounts due to associates	—	443	—	—
Amounts due to jointly controlled entities	—	744	—	—
Amounts due to other related parties	7,114	17,042	5,963	15,031
Hire purchase and lease creditors due within 12 months (Note 31)	591	2,006	87	87
Other payables	44,174	52,912	8,307	1,387
Accruals	25,687	20,941	2,077	725
Accrued interest payable	31,631	33,122	584	407
	217,398	249,297	34,745	17,903

The amounts due to subsidiaries are unsecured, have no fixed terms of repayment and carry average interests ranging from 0% to 3.75% (31.12.2003: 0% to 3.88%) per annum at end of the financial year/period.

The amounts due to associates, jointly controlled entities and other related parties are unsecured, interest free and have no fixed terms of repayment.

The above trade and other payables balances are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia except for the currency exposure profile of trade payables which is as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Ringgit Malaysia	74,921	109,705	3,162	266
US Dollar	—	20	—	—
	74,921	109,725	3,162	266

Credit terms of trade payables ranged from 30 days to 60 days (2003: 30 days to 70 days).

Credit terms of other payables ranged from 30 days to 60 days (2003: 30 days to 60 days).

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31 HIRE PURCHASE AND LEASE CREDITORS

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000

Analysis of hire purchase and lease creditors:

Payable within one year	654	2,816	110	110
Payable between one and two years	454	2,392	110	110
Payable between two and five years	472	3,066	76	186
Payable after five years	8	16	—	—
	1,588	8,290	296	406
Less: Finance charges	(212)	(1,969)	(62)	(85)
	1,376	6,321	234	321

Present value of hire purchase and lease creditors liabilities:

Payable within one year	591	2,006	87	87
Payable between one and two years	349	1,641	87	87
Payable between two and five years	430	2,662	60	147
Payable after five years	6	12	—	—
	1,376	6,321	234	321

Representing hire purchase and lease creditors:

Due within 12 months (Note 30)	591	2,006	87	87
Due after 12 months (Note 36)	785	4,315	147	234
	1,376	6,321	234	321

- (a) The weighted average year/period end effective interest rates of hire purchase and lease creditors ranged from 3.5% to 5.38% (31.12.2003: 3.50% to 7.25%) per annum.
- (b) The hire purchase and lease creditors are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

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32 SHORT TERM BORROWINGS – SECURED

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Bank overdrafts (Note 40)	633	8,351	–	–
Short term borrowings and other credit facilities	27,000	29,178	27,000	27,000
Term loans due within 12 months (Note 35)	207,385	166,621	73,987	93,987
Total	235,018	204,150	100,987	120,987

The short term borrowings of the Group are secured by:

- legal charges over certain assets of the subsidiaries (Note 16(a))
- a charge over the entire share capital of a subsidiary
- assignment of the Privatisation Agreement, Contractors' Performance Bond and insurance policies of a subsidiary
- first memorandum of deposit of fixed deposits of certain subsidiaries (Note 28)
- debenture incorporating first fixed and floating charges over all present and future assets of a subsidiary

The short term borrowings of the Company are secured by:

- First party legal charge over shares of certain subsidiaries, and shares and Irredeemable Convertible Unsecured Loan Stocks of Media Prima Berhad
- Charge over the property of a subsidiary

	Group		Company	
	2004 %	2003 %	2004 %	2003 %
Weighted average year/period end effective interest rates				
Bank overdrafts	7.50	7.50	–	–
Short term borrowings and other credit facilities	5.63	7.17	5.63	7.08
Term loan	7.17	7.17	5.63	7.08

33 BONDS

	Group	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Al-Bai Bithaman Ajil Bonds (BalDS) (nominal value)	800,000	891,000
Less: unamortised cost of issue	(6,328)	(7,340)
	793,672	883,660
BalDS	800,000	891,000
Less: Bonds issuance expenses	(10,125)	(10,125)
Net proceeds	789,875	880,875
Cumulation of amortisation of Bonds issuance expenses	3,797	2,785
	793,672	883,660
Representing Bonds:		
Due within 12 months	–	91,000
Due after 12 months	793,672	792,660
	793,672	883,660

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33 BONDS (CONTINUED)

- (a) In 2001, a subsidiary issued RM920 million Al-Bai Bithaman Ajil Bonds ('Bonds') in a total of six tranches with face values of RM120 million, RM80 million, RM200 million, RM220 million and two of the six tranches with a face value of RM150 million each to the primary subscribers. Tenure of the Bonds ranges from 2 to 10 years from the date of issue and carry profit rates, which have been fixed in accordance with the Syariah principals, at rates ranging from 7.70% to 9.25% per annum and are payable semi annually from its respective issue dates. The Bonds are traded on the Scriptless Securities Trading System operated and managed by Bank Negara Malaysia.
- (b) The Bonds are secured against land titles of the sub-divided plots of land that has been and are to be effected in stages based on the physical progress of the construction works on the Kuala Lumpur central railway station pursuant to the Supplementary Agreement to the Concession Agreement with the Government of Malaysia and Syarikat Harta dan Tanah Sdn. Bhd.
- (c) Proceeds from the issue of Bonds are channelled to Designated Accounts. Permitted withdrawals relating to the Kuala Lumpur central railway station development project from these Designated Accounts are subject to terms and conditions of the Project Account Agreement (Note 28).
- (d) The maturity structure of the Bonds are as follows:

	Group	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Payable within one year	—	91,000
Payable between one and two years	80,000	—
Payable between two and five years	350,000	430,000
Payable after five years	370,000	370,000
	800,000	891,000
(e) Fair value	876,376	881,171

- (f) The Bonds are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

34 POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OBLIGATIONS

The Group provides for unfunded retirement benefits to eligible employees that have been in the service of the Group for a continuous period of at least ten (10) years.

The liability in respect of the defined benefit plan is the present value of the defined benefit obligation at the balance sheet date. The defined benefit obligation, calculated using the projected unit credit method, is determined by a qualified actuary on the basis of a triennial valuation and after considering the estimated future cash outflows using the market yields at the valuation date of high quality corporate bonds. The latest actuarial valuation was carried out on 18 November 2002.

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34 POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OBLIGATIONS (CONTINUED)

		Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Defined benefit plan			
At 1 January 2004		6,107	1,846
Charged to income statement (Note 11)		1,318	365
Disposal of subsidiary		(222)	-
Utilised during the financial year		(202)	(10)
At 31 December 2004		7,001	2,201
At 1 September 2002		4,644	1,447
Charged to income statement (Note 11)		1,565	458
Utilised during the financial period		(102)	(59)
At 31 December 2003		6,107	1,846

The amounts recognised in the Group's and Company's balance sheets are analysed as follows based on the valuation carried out on 18 November 2002:

	Group	Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000
	2003 RM'000		2003 RM'000
Present value of unfunded obligations	7,001	6,107	2,201
	1,846		

The expenses recognised in the Group's and Company's income statement are analysed as follows:

	Group	Company	
	Year ended	Sixteen months ended	Year ended
	31.12.2004 RM'000	31.12.2003 RM'000	31.12.2004 RM'000
	31.12.2004 RM'000	31.12.2003 RM'000	31.12.2003 RM'000
Current service cost	853	1,129	251
Interest cost	465	436	114
Total included in staff costs (Note 11)	1,318	1,565	365
	458		

The above charge to the income statement was included in the administrative expenses of the year/period.

The principal actuarial assumptions used by the valuers in the valuation carried out on 18 November 2002 in respect of the Group's and Company's defined benefit plan are as follows:

	Defined benefit plan Group and Company %
Discount rate	7.0
Expected rate of salary increases	4.0

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35 LONG TERM BORROWINGS

	Group 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	Company 2004 RM'000	Company 2003 RM'000
Secured:				
Analysis of term loans:				
Payable within one year	207,385	166,621	73,987	93,987
Payable between one and two years	95,555	83,260	20,000	—
Payable between two and five years	—	78,946	—	—
Payable after five years	—	44	—	—
	302,940	328,871	93,987	93,987
Representing term loans:				
Due within 12 months (Note 32)	207,385	166,621	73,987	93,987
Due after 12 months	95,555	162,250	20,000	—
	302,940	328,871	93,987	93,987

(a) The long term loans are secured by:

- a charge over the entire share capital of a subsidiary
- first fixed charge over properties of certain subsidiaries (Notes 16(a), 16(b) and 17(a))
- debenture incorporating first fixed and floating charges over all present and future assets of a subsidiary
- assignment of the Privatisation Agreement, Contractors' Performance Bond and insurance policies of a subsidiary
- first memorandum of deposit of fixed deposits of a subsidiary (Note 28)

(b)	Group 2004 %	2003 %	Company 2004 %	Company 2003 %
Weighted average year/period end effective interest rates per annum				
Term loan	7.27	9.36	5.63	7.08

(c)	Group 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	Company 2004 RM'000	Company 2003 RM'000
Fair value				
Term Loan	95,421	156,543	20,000	—

(d) All borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

36 LONG TERM LIABILITIES

	Group 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	Company 2004 RM'000	Company 2003 RM'000
Hire purchase and lease creditors due after 12 months (Note 31)				
Hire purchase and lease creditors due after 12 months (Note 31)	785	4,315	147	234
Fair value of hire purchase and lease creditors due after 12 months	763	4,311	147	234

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37 SHARE CAPITAL

	Group and Company 2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Authorised:		
2,000,000,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each	2,000,000	2,000,000
Issued and fully paid:		
Ordinary shares of RM1.00 each:		
At start of year/period	768,171	976,550
Issuance of share capital: – exercise of share options	15	–
Pursuant to corporate restructuring scheme*		
– Issuance of share capital	–	175,706
– Capital reconstruction	–	(384,085)
At end of year/period	768,186	768,171

During the financial year, the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company was increased from RM768,170,868 to RM768,185,868 by the issuance of 15,000 new ordinary shares RM1.00 each.

* In the previous financial period, the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company was reduced from RM976,549,999 to RM768,170,868 resulting from the Group's corporate restructuring scheme. The movement in the share capital resulted from the following:

- (a) Issuance of 175,706,803 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each at a premium of 45 sen as consideration for the acquisition of rights to allotment of 231,613,514 ordinary shares of Media Prima Berhad; and
- (b) Capital reconstruction exercise involving a capital reduction of 33 1/3 sen for each of the ordinary share of RM1.00 each in the Company followed by a capital consolidation of 3 ordinary shares of 66 2/3 sen each into 1 ordinary share of RM2.00 each and thereafter, divided into 2 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in the Company. The capital reconstruction exercise reduced the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company from 1,152,256,302 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each to 768,170,868 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each.

38 EMPLOYEES' SHARE OPTION SCHEME

The Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad's Employees' Share Option Scheme ('ESOS' or the 'Scheme') was approved by the shareholders at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on 12 August 2002 and became effective on 5 September 2002.

The details of the ESOS are contained in the Bye-Laws and the salient features thereof are as follows:

- (a) The Scheme is set up for the participation in the ordinary share capital of the Company only.

The total number of shares to be offered under the ESOS shall not exceed 10% of the total number of issued and fully paid ordinary shares of the Company at any time during the tenure of the Scheme, which shall be in force for a period of five (5) years commencing 5 September 2002.

- (b) Eligible employees (including Executive Directors) are those who must have been confirmed in his/her position as an employee with a minimum of six (6) months continuous service on or prior to the date of offer of the ESOS.
- (c) The Scheme is administered by an Option Committee which comprises senior management staff appointed by the Board of Directors.

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38 EMPLOYEES' SHARE OPTION SCHEME (CONTINUED)

- (d) An Option granted under the ESOS is capable of being exercised by the grantee by notice in writing to the Company commencing from the date of the offer and expiring on 4 September 2007.
- (e) Options granted for each year may be exercised in full or in such lesser number of shares provided that the number shall be in multiples of and not less than 1,000 shares.
- (f) The option price of each share shall be at a discount of not more than 10% from the weighted average market price of the shares of the Company as stated in the Daily Official Listing issued by the Bursa Malaysia Bhd. for the five (5) market days immediately preceding the date of offer and shall not be less than the par value of the share.
- (g) An eligible employee can only participate in one ESOS implemented by any company in the Group at any one time.
- (h) All the new ordinary shares issued arising from the ESOS shall rank pari-passu in all respects with the existing ordinary shares of the Company.

Set out below are details of options over the ordinary shares of the Company granted under the ESOS:

Tranche	Date	Price	At 1.1.2004	No. of ordinary shares of RM1.00 each covered under options			At 31.12.2004
				Granted	Exercised	Lapsed	
1	6 Sep 2002	RM1.06	26,170,000	–	–	–	26,170,000
2	26 May 2003	RM1.00	9,578,076	–	(15,000)	(1,009,627)	8,553,449
3	2 Apr 2004	RM1.00	–	10,381,555	–	(364,063)	10,017,492
			35,748,076	10,381,555	(15,000)	(1,373,690)	44,740,941

All options were vested during the year when the ESOS was granted.

39 STATUTORY AND OTHER RESERVES

	Group	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Reserves on consolidation	79,332	79,332

The movement in reserves were as follows:

Statutory reserves

At 1 January/September	–	57,933
Share in the transfer by an associate	–	3,858
Realisation of reserves upon disposal of investment by an associate	–	(61,791)
At 31 December	–	–

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39 STATUTORY AND OTHER RESERVES (CONTINUED)

	Group	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Capital redemption reserves		
At 1 January/September	–	18,273
Realisation of reserves upon de-merger of an associate pursuant to corporate restructuring scheme	–	(18,273)
At 31 December	–	–
Reserves on consolidation		
At 1 January/September	79,332	–
Arising from acquisition during the financial year/period	–	79,332
At 31 December	79,332	79,332

The statutory reserves represented the Group's share of the statutory reserves of associates, which were maintained in accordance with the Banking and Financial Institutions Act, 1989.

The capital redemption reserves represented the Group's share of the capital redemption reserves of an associate, which was created upon redemption by an associate of its subsidiary's redeemable preference shares.

The reserves on consolidation represent the short fall of the purchase consideration for a subsidiary over the Group's share of the fair value of the subsidiary's separable net assets at the date of acquisition.

40 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	Group		Company	
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Bank balances and deposits (Note 28)	151,320	152,471	9,990	43,841
Secured bank overdrafts (Note 32)	(633)	(8,351)	–	–
	150,687	144,120	9,990	43,841
Less: Cash and bank balances and fixed deposits held as security value (Note 28)	(77,309)	(71,438)	(505)	(17,329)
	73,378	72,682	9,485	26,512

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41 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The related parties with whom the Group and the Company transacted with during the financial year/period included the following:

Related parties	Nature of relationship
Promising Quality Sdn. Bhd. (‘PQSB’)	A subsidiary of UDA Holdings Berhad.
The New Straits Times Press (Malaysia) Berhad ('NSTP')	An associate of Media Prima Berhad, which shares a common significant shareholder with the Company by way of Realmild (M) Sdn. Bhd. ('Realmild'). YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail has substantial interest in Realmild.
AMI Insurans Berhad ('AMI') and NSTO Outdoor Sdn. Bhd. ('NSTO')	Deemed related by virtue of being subsidiaries of NSTP.
Maxis Broadband Sdn. Bhd. (‘MBSB’)	Wholly owned subsidiary of Maxis Communications Berhad ('MCB') and YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail is a Director and shareholder of MCB.
Sistem Televisyen Malaysia Berhad ('STMB')	A subsidiary of Media Prima Berhad, which share a common significant shareholder with the Company by way of Realmild (M) Sdn. Bhd. ('Realmild'). YAM Dato' Seri Syed Anwar Jamalullail has substantial interest in Realmild.

	Group 2004 RM'000	Group 2003 RM'000	Company 2004 RM'000	Company 2003 RM'000
Significant related party transactions other than mentioned elsewhere in the financial statements are as follows:				
Reduction in sales value of properties sold to PQSB	-	13,400	-	-
Rental income from STMB	936	1,188	936	1,188
Advertisement income from NSTO	-	1,625	-	-
Insurance premium charged by AMI	1,433	1,234	35	20
Purchase of advertisement from NSTP	208	364	12	165
Rental income from MBSB	280	-	-	-
Professional fees charged by corporate shareholders of MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd., a subsidiary of the Company, pertaining to the provision of information technology services	735	3,356	-	-

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42 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

	Group	Company		
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Secured performance guarantee extended to third parties	822	660	-	-
Unsecured corporate guarantees given to financial institutions for:				
– credit facilities granted to subsidiaries	–	–	135,686	144,034
– trade and performance guarantees extended to third parties	59,076	36,701	–	–
– litigations arising from businesses	61,929	34,626	5,923	5,921

The secured performance guarantees of RM822,000 (31.12.2003: RM660,000) are secured by way of deposits of the corresponding amounts with interest thereon pledged to and deposited with the Guarantor Bank pursuant to the memorandum of deposit (Note 28).

The outstanding legal claims have not been provided for in the financial statements as the Board of Directors, having taking advice from its legal counsel, are of the opinion that the above claims are not likely to succeed and thus would not have a material effect on the financial position or the business of the Group and of the Company.

43 CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

	Group	Company		
	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000
Authorised capital expenditure not contracted for:				
– property, plant and equipment	220	205	–	–
– project development expenditure	–	250	–	–
	220	455	–	–

44 SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES

The Group's effective equity interest in the subsidiaries and associates as at 31 December 2004, their respective principal activities and country of incorporation are as follows:

Name of enterprise	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Effective equity interest	
			2004 %	2003 %
SUBSIDIARIES:				
Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd.	Property development	Malaysia	64.38	64.38
Held through 100% ownership by Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd.				
– Unity Portfolio Sdn. Bhd.	Property management	Malaysia	64.38	64.38
Landas Utama Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd.	Property development	Malaysia	100.00	100.00

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44 SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES (CONTINUED)

Name of enterprise	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Effective equity interest	
			2004 %	2003 %
Held through 100% ownership by MRCB Utama Sdn. Bhd.				
– Country Annexe Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	Property development and property holding	Malaysia	60.00	60.00
MRCB Engineering Sdn. Bhd.	Engineering services and construction	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Environmental Services Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Held through 55% ownership by MRCB Environmental Services Sdn. Bhd.				
– MRCB Environment Sdn. Bhd.	Infrastructure 'design and build' construction works	Malaysia	55.00	55.00
MRCB Prasarana Sdn. Bhd.	Infrastructure 'design and build' construction works	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Technologies Sdn. Bhd.	Information technology services and professional outsourcing	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd.	Property development and investment holding	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Held through 100% ownership by Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd.				
– Bitar Enterprises Sdn. Bhd.*	Property investment	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
– Golden East Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	Property development and management	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
– MR Properties Sdn. Bhd.*	Property development	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
– Seri Iskandar Utilities Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
– Sunrise Properties Sdn. Bhd.*	Property development	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
– Taiyee Development Sdn. Bhd.*	Property development	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
– MRCB Property Development Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	Malaysia	100.00	100.00

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44 SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES (CONTINUED)

Name of enterprise	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Effective equity interest	
			2004 %	2003 %
Held through 100% ownership by MRCB Property Development Sdn. Bhd.				
– MRCB Cahaya Mutiara Sdn. Bhd.*	Property development and management	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Held through 70% ownership by Malaysian Resources Development Sdn. Bhd.				
– Seri Iskandar Development Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	Property development	Malaysia	70.00	70.00
– Kejuruteraan Dan Pembinaan Seri Lumut Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	70.00	70.00
Malaysian Resources Sentral Sdn. Bhd.	Provision of facility management	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Mafira Holdings Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Held through 38.6% ownership by Mafira Holdings Sdn. Bhd.				
– Zen Concrete Industries Sdn. Bhd.	Manufacturing and sale of pre-stressed spun concrete poles	Malaysia	38.60	38.60
Onesentral Park Sdn. Bhd.	Property development	Malaysia	51.00	51.00
Semasa Sentral Sdn. Bhd.	Operation, management and maintenance of the Kuala Lumpur central railway station	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Superview Development Sdn. Bhd.	Property development, management and shares trading	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Transmission Technology Sdn. Bhd.	Engineering, construction and commissioning services to power transmission systems	Malaysia	55.00	55.00
Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad^	Investment holding and contractor of civil and structural works	Malaysia	–	70.00
Held through 30% ownership by Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad				
– Zelleco Engineering Sdn. Bhd.^	Fabrication of structural steel works	Malaysia	–	21.00
Held through 75% ownership by Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad				
– Zelleco Construction Sdn. Bhd.^	Contractor of civil and structural works	Malaysia	–	52.50

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

44 SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES (CONTINUED)

Name of enterprise	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Effective equity interest	
			2004 %	2003 %
Held through 50% ownership by Zelleco Construction Sdn. Bhd.				
– Pembangunan Sulaiman-Zelleco JV Sdn. Bhd.^	Contractor of civil and structural works	Malaysia	–	26.25
Milmix Sdn. Bhd.	Civil and infrastructure building contractor	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MR Securities Sdn. Bhd.*	Investment holding	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Held through 100% ownership by MR Securities Sdn. Bhd.				
– Bintara Guard Force Security Sdn. Bhd.*	Security guard services	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MR Construction Sdn. Bhd.*	Construction	Malaysia	51.00	51.00
MR Enterprises Sdn. Bhd.*	Construction	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MR Investments (Cayman) Pte. Ltd. #^*^^	Investment holding	Cayman Island	–	100.00
MR Management Sdn. Bhd.*	Investment holding and management services	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRC Management (BVI) Ltd.##*	Investment trading	British Virgin Island	100.00	100.00
MR-H Piling and Civil Engineering (M) Sdn. Bhd.*	Piling and civil engineering	Malaysia	51.00	51.00
MRCB Ceramics Sdn. Bhd.*	Manufacturing, distribution and sale of ceramic tiles	Malaysia	100.00	75.00
MRCB Dotcom Sdn. Bhd.*	Planning and management services	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Intelligent System and Control Sdn. Bhd.*	System maintenance and application services and other technological applications	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Smart Sdn. Bhd. *	One-stop card technology service provider	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Land Sdn. Bhd.*	Project management and development services	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Project Management Sdn. Bhd.*	Project management and engineering related services	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Property Management Sdn. Bhd. *	Property investment and management	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Trading Sdn. Bhd.*	Trading in building materials	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB (Terengganu) Sdn. Bhd.*	Property development	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Region Resources Sdn. Bhd.*	Quarry operations	Malaysia	80.00	80.00

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44 SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES (CONTINUED)

Name of enterprise	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Effective equity interest	
			2004 %	2003 %
Held through 100% ownership by Region Resources Sdn. Bhd.				
– Syarikat Gemilang Quarry Sdn. Bhd.*	Quarry operations	Malaysia	80.00	80.00
Sibexlink Sdn. Bhd.*	Sale of business information and website development	Malaysia	59.65	59.65
Malaysian Resources International Sdn. Bhd.*	Dormant	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Cheq Point (M) Sdn. Bhd.*	Charge card services and investment holding	Malaysia	75.00	75.00
Harmonic Fairway Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Held through 100% ownership by Harmonic Fairway Sdn. Bhd.				
– Promising Quality Sdn. Bhd.^	Trustee for subsidiaries to develop an integrated property project	Malaysia	–	100.00
Held through 100% ownership by Promising Quality Sdn. Bhd.				
– Rainbow Precious Sdn. Bhd.^	Pre-operating	Malaysia	–	100.00
– Gallant Horizon Sdn. Bhd.^	Pre-operating	Malaysia	–	100.00
– Perpetual Morning Sdn. Bhd.^	Pre-operating	Malaysia	–	100.00
– Colossus Harvest Sdn. Bhd.^	Pre-operating	Malaysia	–	100.00
– Pinnacle Might Sdn. Bhd.^	Pre-operating	Malaysia	–	100.00
– Fine Calibre Sdn. Bhd.^	Pre-operating	Malaysia	–	100.00
Estroman Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
MRCB Energy International Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Malaysian Resources Technology Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Multimedia Base Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

44 SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES (CONTINUED)

Name of enterprise	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Effective equity interest	
			2004 %	2003 %
MRCB Transmission & Distribution Sdn.Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
Trans Peninsula Crude Oil Transaction Sdn. Bhd.	Pre-operating	Malaysia	100.00	100.00
ASSOCIATES:				
UDA Holdings Berhad	Property development, property investment and investment holding	Malaysia	24.93	24.93
Suasana Sentral Two Sdn. Bhd.# <i>(formerly known as Panorama Prominent Sdn. Bhd.)</i>	Property development	Malaysia	30.00	—
Nuzen Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	Investment holding	Malaysia	30.00	30.00
Kota Francais (M) Sdn. Bhd.	Franchising property management and consultancy	Malaysia	20.00	20.00
MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd.	Applications services relating to information and technologies	Malaysia	49.00	71.48

* Dormant

Associate acquired during the financial year

Subsidiaries incorporated outside Malaysia having their accounting records prepared and maintained in Ringgit Malaysia

^ Subsidiaries disposed of during the financial year

^^ Subsidiary de-registered during the financial year (refer Note 46(f))

45 SEGMENT REPORTING

The Group is organised into four main business segments:

- Engineering and construction
- Property development
- Infrastructure
- Investment holding

During the previous financial period, the Group was also engaged in the Media and Financial Services business segments. However, the media segment was de-merged from the Group during the previous financial period pursuant to the Group restructuring scheme. The financial services segment was disposed during the previous financial period.

Other operations of the Group mainly comprised multimedia and concessions, which is at present of insufficient size to be reported separately.

Inter-segment revenue comprise mainly of construction contracts, property sales, information technology contracts, management fees and dividend income between the various segments.

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

45 SEGMENT REPORTING (CONTINUED)

	Engineering and Construction RM'000	Property Development RM'000	Infrastructure RM'000	Investment Holding & Others RM'000	Group RM'000
Year ended 31 December 2004					
Revenue					
Total revenue	59,646	140,928	10,286	45,796	256,656
Inter-segment revenue	(40,848)	(3,606)	–	(23,901)	(68,355)
External revenue	18,798	137,322	10,286	21,895	188,301
Results					
Segment results	(5,257)	39,743	(54)	34,693	69,125
Interest Income					5,417
Profit from operations					74,542
Finance costs					(65,697)
Share of results of jointly controlled entities and of associates	4,926	9,619	–	(1,052)	13,493
Profit from ordinary activities before taxation					22,338
Taxation					15,933
Profit from ordinary activities after taxation					38,271
Minority interests					(4,662)
Net profit for the financial year					33,609
At 31 December 2004					
Other information					
Assets					
Segment assets	42,122	1,385,976	5,135	182,562	1,615,795
Jointly controlled entities and associates	5,299	264,201	–	2,391	271,891
Tax recoverable and deferred tax assets					23,047
Total assets					1,910,733
Liabilities					
Segment liabilities	30,647	137,556	1,706	62,963	232,872
Interest bearing instruments					1,125,621
Provision for taxation and deferred tax liabilities					2,250
Total liabilities					1,360,743

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

45 SEGMENT REPORTING (CONTINUED)

	Engineering and Construction RM'000	Property Development RM'000	Infrastructure RM'000	Investment Holding & Others RM'000	Group RM'000
At 31 December 2004 (continued)					
Other Disclosures					
Capital expenditure	3,507	601	17	1,142	5,267
Depreciation and amortisation	1,325	5,355	103	2,530	9,313
Impairment loss	–	–	–	–	–
Sixteen months ended 31 December 2003					
Revenue					
Total revenue	36,220	293,107	3,880	69,817	403,024
Inter-segment revenue	(712)	(4,833)	–	(37,581)	(43,126)
External revenue	35,508	288,274	3,880	32,236	359,898
Results					
Segment results	19,692	(18,674)	(1,601)	(61,418)	(62,001)
Interest Income					8,047
Gain on disposal of investments					268,335
Profit from operations					214,381
Finance costs					(91,291)
Share of results of jointly controlled entities and of associates	3,061	(3,785)	–	(5,983)	(6,707)
Profit from ordinary activities before taxation					116,383
Taxation					(1,720)
Profit from ordinary activities after taxation					114,663
Minority interests					9,995
Net profit for the financial period					124,658

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

45 SEGMENT REPORTING (CONTINUED)

	Engineering and Construction RM'000	Property Development RM'000	Infrastructure RM'000	Investment Holding & Others RM'000	Group RM'000
At 31 December 2003					
Other information					
Assets					
Segment assets	63,758	1,465,147	7,831	206,004	1,742,740
Jointly controlled entities and associates	5,834	290,731	–	4,033	300,598
Tax recoverable and deferred tax assets					27,780
Total assets					<u>2,071,118</u>
Liabilities					
Segment liabilities	31,150	173,185	4,479	59,416	268,230
Interest bearing instruments	15,490	980,643	307	259,941	1,256,381
Provision for taxation and deferred tax liabilities					10,166
Total liabilities					<u>1,534,777</u>
Other Disclosures					
Capital expenditure	2,085	7,194	465	1,322	11,066
Depreciation and amortisation	3,291	8,388	56	5,756	17,491
Impairment loss	–	36,707	–	360	37,067

Capital expenditure consist of additions to property, plant and equipment (Note 16) and intangible assets, including additions resulting from acquisitions through business combinations (Note 6).

Secondary reporting format – geographical segments

The Group's business segments operate in two main geographical areas.

- Malaysia*
- South Africa

The Group's business segment in South Africa was disposed of during the previous financial period.

* Company's home country

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- 31 DECEMBER 2004 (CONTINUED)

45 SEGMENT REPORTING (CONTINUED)

	Revenue		Total assets		Capital expenditure	
	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000	2004 RM'000	2003 RM'000	Year ended 31.12.2004 RM'000	Sixteen months ended 31.12.2003 RM'000
Malaysia	188,301	277,004	1,638,842	1,770,520	5,267	4,837
South Africa	—	82,894	—	—	—	6,229
	188,301	359,898	1,638,842	1,770,520	5,267	11,066
Jointly controlled entities and associates			271,891	300,598		
Total assets			1,910,733	2,071,118		

With the exception of the countries disclosed above, no other individual country contributed more than 10% of consolidated revenue or assets.

In determining the geographical segments of the Group, revenue are based on the country in which the customer is located. There are no revenue between the segments. Total assets and capital expenditure are determined based on where the assets are located.

46 SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR

- (a) The Company had on 21 October 2003 entered into a Subscription Agreement with UDA Holdings Berhad ('UDA'), Harmonic Fairway Sdn. Bhd. ('HFSB') and Promising Quality Sdn. Bhd. ('PQSB') for PQSB to issue and UDA to subscribe for new ordinary shares of PQSB which on completion will result in UDA owning 99.99% of the issued and paid-up capital of PQSB ('Proposed Shares Issue'). As at the previous financial period end, PQSB was wholly owned by HFSB, which in turn was wholly owned by the Company.

The Proposed Share Issue was completed on 30 March 2004 and as a result, PQSB is no longer a subsidiary of the Company.

- (b) The Company had on 12 May 2004 entered into an Agreement for Transfer of Shares with Maxdeluxe Sdn. Bhd. to dispose its entire 70% equity interest in Zelleco (M) Sendirian Berhad ('ZMSB') for a total consideration of RM41.8 million ('Proposed Disposal'). As part of the terms of the Proposed Disposal, the Company has assumed certain assets and liabilities of both ZMSB and Zelleco Construction Sdn. Bhd., a subsidiary of ZMSB.

The Proposed Disposal was completed on 30 June 2004.

- (c) The Company had on 28 April 2004 entered into a Joint Venture and Shareholders Agreement with United Malayan Land Berhad ('UML') to set up Suasana Sentral Two Sdn. Bhd. ('SSTS') (formerly known as Panorama Prominent Sdn. Bhd.), a 30:70 shareholding joint venture company to acquire a piece of land measuring approximately 8,250 square metres ('Lot L') from Kuala Lumpur Sentral Sdn. Bhd. ('KLSSB'). KLSSB is a subsidiary of the Company.

SSTS had on the same day entered into a Conditional Sale and Purchase Agreement ('SPA') with KLSSB to acquire Lot L for a cash consideration of RM38.0 million and will subsequently develop it into two (2) blocks of condominium comprising six hundred (600) units with car parks and recreational facilities.

The Company has obtained the approval for the joint venture and acquisition of Lot L from the Foreign Investment Committee. On 30 September 2004, the Company subscribed for a 30% equity shares in SSTS for RM1.5 million.

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46 SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR (CONTINUED)

- (d) The Company had on 10 November 2004 entered into a Share Sale Agreement with Irshad Consulting Sdn. Bhd. for the disposal of 1,124,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in MRCB Multimedia Consortium Sdn. Bhd. ('MMCSB') for a cash consideration of RM1.124 million. ('Proposed Disposal')

Pursuant to the Proposed Disposal, the Company's equity interest in MMCSB will be reduced from 71.48% to 49.00% and MMCSB will cease to be a subsidiary of the Company. However, the Company will remain the single largest equity holder.

The Proposed Disposal was completed on 2 December 2004.

- (e) The Company had on 20 December 2004 entered into a Share Sale Agreement with Kumpulan Perangsang Berhad for the acquisition of 6.5 million ordinary shares of RM1.00 each representing 25% equity interest in MRCB Ceramics Sdn. Bhd. ('MCSB') for a nominal cash consideration of RM1.00.

The acquisition was deemed completed on the same day as all the condition precedents were fulfilled. MCSB now is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.

- (f) The Company had on 31 December 2004 de-registered its wholly owned dormant subsidiary, MR Investment (Cayman) Pte.Ltd., a company incorporated in Cayman Island.

47 SIGNIFICANT EVENT SUBSEQUENT TO BALANCE SHEET DATE

The Company ('MRCB') had on 17th January 2005 entered into three (3) separate share sale agreements with Malaysia South-South Corporation Berhad, Telekom Malaysia Berhad and South Investment, Trade and Technology Data Exchange Centre for the acquisition of 1,000,000, 1,450,000 and 1,000,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each respectively. The purchase consideration for each acquisition is RM1.00. Upon completion of the above acquisitions, Sibexlink Sdn. Bhd. will then become a wholly owned subsidiary of MRCB.

Completion of the above acquisitions is still pending.

48 PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENTS

During the financial year, the Group made the following prior year adjustments:

- (a) During the financial year, the Group adopted MASB 32 'Property Development Activities' for the first time. The comparatives in respect of the property development costs have been restated whereby the excess of revenue recognized in income statement over billings to purchasers is now presented as accrued billing within current assets and the excess of billings to purchasers over revenue recognized in income statement is now presented as progress billings within current liabilities. Development properties, both current and non-current, have been renamed and reclassified as "property development costs" and "land held for property development".

The adoption of MASB 32 also requires certain expenses which were previously capitalized as part of the property development expenditure are now recognised as an expense in the income statement when incurred.

- (b) The impairment losses of an investment property and development property of a subsidiary, MRCB Selborn Corporation Sdn. Bhd., the recognition of tax recoverable and the classification of other debtors was inappropriately accounted in the Group financial statements in the financial year 2002 and 2003. Consequently, a prior year adjustment has been made.

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48 PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENTS (CONTINUED)

	As previously reported RM'000	Prior year adjustments		As restated RM'000
		(a) RM'000	(b) RM'000	
Group				
At 31 August 2002				
RESERVES				
Accumulated losses	(1,415,836)	(8,453)	19,038	(1,405,251)
Sixteen months ended 31 December 2003				
Revenue	353,483	6,415	–	359,898
Net profit attributable to shareholders	116,542	2,425	5,691	124,658
At 31 December 2003				
RESERVES				
Accumulated losses	(430,569)	(6,028)	24,729	(411,868)
MINORITY INTERESTS	102,982	(2,276)	–	100,706
NON CURRENT ASSETS				
Goodwill	478	–	10,000	10,478
Investment properties	171,400	–	8,762	180,162
Development properties				
– non-current	841,997	(841,997)	–	–
Land held for property development	–	810,168	6,090	816,258
CURRENT ASSETS				
Development properties				
– current	160,611	(160,611)	–	–
Property development costs	–	170,356	–	170,356
Accrued billings	–	24,734	–	24,734
Deposits	20,385	674	–	21,059
Other receivables	58,885	–	(10,000)	48,885
Tax recoverable	11,604	–	9,877	21,481
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Progress billings	–	11,628	–	11,628
Company				
At 31 December 2003				
NON CURRENT ASSETS				
Development properties				
– non-current	3,800	(3,800)	–	–
Land held for property development	–	3,800	–	3,800

49 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements have been approved for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors on 27 April 2005.

ANALYSIS OF SHAREHOLDINGS

AS AT 29 APRIL 2005

Authorised Share Capital : 2,000,000,000
 Paid-up Share Capital : 768,185,868
 Type of Shares : Ordinary Share of RM1.00 each
 No. of Shareholders : 57,438
 Voting Rights : One vote for every share

Size of Shareholdings	No. of Shareholders	Percentage of Shareholders (%)	No. of Shares Held	Percentage of Shareholding (%)
Less than 100	3,150	5.48	143,848	0.02
100 to 1,000	18,069	31.46	10,563,122	1.38
1,001 to 10,000	30,407	52.94	107,095,649	13.94
10,001 to 100,000	5,337	9.29	145,781,813	18.98
100,001 to less than 5% of issued shares	474	0.83	271,433,207	35.33
5% and above of issued shares	1	0.00	233,168,229	30.35
TOTAL	57,438	100.00	768,185,868	100.00

LIST OF SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS (5% and above) as at 29 April 2005

Name	No. of Shares Held	Percentage of Shareholding (%)
1. Employees Provident Fund Board *	233,168,229	30.35

* Partly held through various nominees and fund managers

DIRECTORS' SHAREHOLDINGS as at 29 April 2005

None of the Directors of the Company has any direct and indirect interest in shares in the Company or its related corporation.

LIST OF THIRTY (30) LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS

AS AT 29 APRIL 2005

Name	Shareholdings	%
1. EMPLOYEES PROVIDENT FUND BOARD	233,168,229	30.35
2. MALAYSIA NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SENDIRIAN BERHAD < GREAT EASTERN LIFE ASSURANCE (MALAYSIA) BERHAD (PAR 1) >	13,463,733	1.75
3. RHB NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < RHB ASSET MANAGEMENT SDN BHD FOR TELEKOM MALAYSIA BERHAD (C) >	8,957,252	1.17
4. GREEN COUNTRY VALLEY SDN BHD	7,348,600	0.96
5. MINISTER OF FINANCE	6,369,273	0.83
6. ALLIANCE BANK MALAYSIA BERHAD	5,970,149	0.78
7. AMANAH RAYA BERHAD < SBB VALUE FUND >	5,461,800	0.71
8. HSBC NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < HSBC (M) TRUSTEE BHD FOR THE HWANG-DBS SELECT OPPORTUNITY FUND (3969) >	5,010,000	0.65
9. MALAYSIA NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SENDIRIAN BERHAD < GREAT EASTERN LIFE ASSURANCE (MALAYSIA) BERHAD (PAR 2) >	5,000,667	0.65
10. CARTABAN NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD < STATE STREET AUSTRALIA FUND Q3VD FOR FULLERTON (PRIVATE) LIMITED >	4,500,000	0.59
11. TENGKU UZIR BIN TENGKU UBAIDILLAH	4,312,300	0.56
12. HSBC NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < HSBC (M) TRUSTEE BHD FOR HWANG-DBS SELECT SMALL CAPS FUND (4579) >	3,956,500	0.52
13. CARTABAN NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD < INVESTORS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY FOR ISHARES, INC >	3,540,000	0.46
14. RHB NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < RHB ASSET MANAGEMENT SDN BHD FOR PERTUBUHAN KEBANGSAAN MELAYU BERSATU ATAU UMNO >	3,500,233	0.46
15. KHAZANAH NASIONAL BERHAD	3,239,333	0.42
16. HLB NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < HONG LEONG BANK BERHAD >	3,218,839	0.42
17. UNIVERSAL TRUSTEE (MALAYSIA) BERHAD < MALAYSIAN ASSURANCE ALLIANCE BHD >	3,200,000	0.42
18. HSBC NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD < DZ BANK INTL FOR UNI EM FERNOST TREUHANDKONTO, LUXEMBOURG >	3,000,000	0.39
19. RHB CAPITAL NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < BANK UTAMA (MALAYSIA) BHD >	2,910,345	0.38
20. CITICORP NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD < BEAR STEARNS SECURITIES CORP FOR FPP EMERGING MARKETS FUND II LIMITED >	2,787,666	0.36

**LIST OF THIRTY (30) LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS
AS AT 29 APRIL 2005 (CONTINUED)**

Name	Shareholdings	%
21. AM NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < PERTUBUHAN KESELAMATAN SOSIAL >	2,706,422	0.35
22. CITICORP NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD < CITIBANK SINGAPORE GLOBAL WINDOW FOR SAVERS MALAYSIA FUND >	2,700,000	0.35
23. BUMIPUTRA-COMMERCE TRUSTEE BERHAD < RHB MALAYSIA RECOVERY FUND >	2,650,000	0.34
24. HSBC NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD < TNTC FOR DBS MALAYSIA EQUITY FUND >	2,500,000	0.33
25. AMFINANCE BERHAD < PLEDGED SECURITIES ACCOUNT FOR NG LEONG HUAT (SMART) >	2,340,000	0.30
26. HSBC NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < PLEDGED SECURITIES ACCOUNT FOR OH KIM SUN >	2,324,000	0.30
27. MAYBAN NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < PLEDGED SECURITIES ACCOUNT FOR TAY ONG NGO @ TAY BOON FANG (178AW0025) >	2,235,000	0.29
28. CARTABAN NOMINEES (ASING) SDN BHD < DEXIA BQ INTL A LUX FOR OYSTER-FPP EMERGING MARKETS >	2,100,666	0.27
29. MAYBAN NOMINEES (TEMPATAN) SDN BHD < MAYBANK TRUSTEES BERHAD FOR RHB DYNAMIC FUND (N14011200188) >	2,000,222	0.26
30. QUEK LENG CHAN	2,000,000	0.26
JUMLAH	352,471,229	45.88

PROPERTIES OF THE GROUP

DESCRIPTION/ EXISTING USE	LOCATION	AREA	NET BOOK VALUE AS AT	DATE/YEAR OF LAST REVALUATION/ ACQUISITION	TENURE	APPROXIMATE AGE OF BUILDING		ENCUMBRANCE
			31/12/2004 (RM'000)					
Resource Complex – 6 storey industrial buildings/flatted factories and warehouse	33, Jalan Segambut Atas, Segambut, 51200 Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan	72,098 sq. metres	40,222	1982	Leasehold 66 years expiring on 2.2.2044	19 years	YES	
Land for proposed mixed housing development	PT 6748 (part) and 6754, Mukim Kajang, District of Hulu Langat, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	3.17 hectares	8,694	1987	Freehold	–	NIL	
Land for proposed mixed housing development	Lot 6061 (part) and 69 (part), Mukim Ulu Kelang, District of Gombak, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	7.06 hectares	13,448	1989	Freehold	–	YES	
Land for proposed condominium development	Country lease No. 015146120, Municipality and District of Kota Kinabalu, Sabah.	1.10 hectares	–	1989	Leasehold 999 years expiring on 4.7.2918	–	NIL	
Land for proposed industrial development	Lot 10836 to 10868, 10870 to 10981, 10984 to 11015, Mukim Rantau, District of Seremban, Negeri Sembilan Darul Khusus.	5.20 hectares	3,800	1.4.1984	Freehold	–	NIL	
Land for proposed mixed commercial development	H.S. (D) 79956 P.T. No. 12, Seksyen 14, Bandar Shah Alam, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	1.21 hectares	11,229	1992	Leasehold 99 years expiring on 15.9.2092	–	YES	
Plaza Alam Sentral – 7 level shopping complex	H.S. (D) 79956 P.T. No. 12, Seksyen 14, Bandar Shah Alam, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	68,233 sq. metres	93,629	1992	Leasehold 99 years expiring on 15.9.2092	5 years	YES	
Menara MRCB – 23 level office block	H.S. (D) 79956 P.T. No. 12, Seksyen 14, Bandar Shah Alam, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	25,641 sq. metres	43,061	1992	Leasehold 99 years expiring on 15.9.2092	5 years	YES	
Sentral Plaza Corporate Office Suite	CS/3B/11-3 and CS/3A/11, Block C, Plaza Sentral, Jalan Stesen Sentral 5, Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan.	956 sq. metres	4,735	27.6.1997	Freehold	4 years	YES	
Business Office	Level 22, No 1, Jalan Tasik Permaisuri 2, Bandar Tun Razak, 56000 Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan.	1,812 sq. metres	2,598	21.8.1995	Leasehold 99 years expiring on 22.7.2090	7 years	YES	

DESCRIPTION/ EXISTING USE	LOCATION	AREA	NET BOOK VALUE AS AT	DATE/YEAR OF LAST REVALUATION/ ACQUISITION	TENURE	APPROXIMATE AGE OF BUILDING		ENCUMBRANCE
			31/12/2004 (RM'000)					
Development land and infrastructure surrounding Kuala Lumpur central station	Lot 12, 16, 19 Sek. 70 Lot 203 and 238, Sek. 72, Mukim Bandar Kuala Lumpur, District of Kuala Lumpur, Jalan Damansara, Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan.	17.37 hectares	878,359	10.3.1999	Freehold	–	YES	
Industrial land	Plot No. 143 & 145, Rawang Industrial Park, 48000 Rawang, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	1,692 sq. metres	6,269	2.12.1997	Freehold	–	YES	
Vacant industrial land	Lot no. IL-1946, Bukit Beruntung, Mukim Serendah, District of Hulu Selangor, P.T. No. 1939, H.S.D. No. 8651, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	5,913 sq. metres	498	22.6.1999	Freehold	–	NIL	
4 storey shop office	Sub Lot No. 4, 5 & 6 H.S.(D) 49729, Lot PT 33487, Taman Kajang Utama Mukim Kajang, District of Ulu Langat, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	1,485 sq. metres	1,306	28.12.1999	Freehold	5 years	YES	
Several parcels of land for proposed mixed development	H.S. (D) 5698-5701, H.S. (D) 6808-6850, H.S. (D) 6851-6898, H.S. (D) 6899-6946, H.S. (D) 6947-6994, H.S. (D) 6995-7042, H.S. (D) 7043-7090, H.S. (D) 7091-7138, H.S. (D) 7139-7186, H.S. (D) 7187-7204 KM 36, Jalan Ipoh Lumut, Bandar Seri Iskandar, Bota, District of Perak Tengah, Perak Darul Ridzwan.	22,963 hectares	46,623	2001/2002	Leasehold 99 years expiring between 22.2.2101 to 18.9.2101	–	YES	
Bungalow lots	Lot 147, 148, 149 and 150, Phase 1B, Sek. 32, Bukit Rimau, 40460 Shah Alam, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	3,047 sq. metres	1,509	31.12.2003	Freehold	–	NIL	
4 storey shop offices	Lot No. 60107-2B, Lot No. 60107-1B, Lot No. 60106-3B, Lot No. 60106-3A, Lot No. 60106-2A, Lot No. 60106-2B, Lot No. 60106-1B, Jalan Trompet 14, Bandar Bukit Beruntung, Selangor Darul Ehsan.	532 sq. metres	269	21.12.1999	Freehold	6 years	NIL	

PROXY FORM

(Before completing this form, please refer to the notes below)

I/We _____
of _____
being a member/members of **Malaysian Resources Corporation Berhad**, hereby appoint * the Chairman of the meeting
or _____
of _____
or failing whom _____
of _____
as my/our proxy to attend and vote for me/us and on my/our behalf at the Thirty-fourth Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held on Monday, 20 June 2005 at 10.00 a.m. and at any adjournment thereof.

My/our proxy is to vote on the Resolutions as indicated by an "**X**" in the appropriate spaces below. If this form is returned without any indication as to how the proxy shall vote, the proxy shall vote or abstain as he/she thinks fit.

NO.	RESOLUTION	FOR	AGAINST
1.	To receive and adopt the Statutory Financial Statements and Reports		
2.	To re-elect the following Directors pursuant to Article 101: Dato' Ahmad Ibnihajar		
3.	Abdul Rahman Ahmad		
4.	To re-elect the following Directors pursuant to Article 106: Datuk Azlan Zainol		
5.	Ahmad Zaki Zahid		
6.	To approve Directors' Fees of RM176,557 for the financial year ended 31 December 2004		
7.	To re-appoint Messrs PricewaterhouseCoopers as Auditors of the Company and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration		
8.	To pass the ordinary resolution pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965		
9.	To pass the following ordinary resolutions for the Proposed Shareholders' Mandate for Recurrent Related Party Transactions: Recurrent Related Party Transactions set out as item 1 of Section 2.1.2 of the Circular to Shareholders		
10.	Recurrent Related Party Transactions set out as items 2 and 3 of Section 2.1.2 of the Circular to Shareholders		
11.	Recurrent Related Party Transaction set out as item 4 of Section 2.1.2 of the Circular to Shareholders		

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2005

Number of Shares Held _____

Signature of Shareholder

NOTES:

1. A member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxies (or in the case of a corporation, to appoint a representative) to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
2. The Proxy Form must be signed by the appointor or his attorney duly authorised in writing. In the case of a corporation, it shall be executed under its Common Seal or signed by its attorney duly authorised in writing or by an officer on behalf of the corporation.
3. The instrument appointing the proxy must be deposited with the Share Registrar at Symphony Share Registrars Sdn. Bhd., Level 26, Menara Multi Purpose, Capital Square, No. 8, Jalan Munshi Abdullah, 50100 Kuala Lumpur, MALAYSIA, not less than 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

* Delete if not applicable



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