Balance Sheet at 31 December 1998 (Expressed in Renminbi)

	Note	1998 RMB'000	1997 RMB'000
Fixed assets	12	4,947	2,049
Construction in progress	13	6,406	-
Interest in subsidiaries	14	46,206,693	18,333,765
Current assets Other receivables Prepaid expenses and other current assets Deposits with banks Cash and bank balances		$ \begin{array}{r} 39,123 \\ 26,384 \\ 7,488,459 \\ \hline 7,383 \\ \hline $	243,289 — 33,912,852 6,650 — 34,162,791
Less: Current liabilities Amounts due to intermediate holding company Accrued expenses and other payables Taxation	8(b)	$ \begin{array}{r} 1,025 \\ 25,066 \\ \phantom{00000000000000000000000000000000000$	31,613 71,749 8,161 111,523
Net current assets		7,534,457 53,752,503	34,051,268 52,387,082
Representing:			
Share capital	20	1,261,419	1,261,419
Reserves	22	52,491,084	51,125,663
Shareholders' equity		53,752,503	52,387,082

Approved by the board of directors on 28 April 1999.

Wang Xiaochu

Director

Ding Donghua

Director