

## China Mobile (Hong Kong) Limited

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## **China Mobile (Hong Kong) Senior Management**



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### **Title**

Mr. WANG Xiaochu

**Chairman and CEO** 

Mr. LU Xiangdong

**Executive Director and Vice President** 

Mr. XUE Taohai

**Executive Director, Vice President and CFO** 

Mr. HE Ning

**Executive Director and Vice President** 

## Agenda



Overview of the Acquisition

**■ The Target Companies** 

Benefits of the Acquisition



# China Mobile (Hong Kong)'s Acquisition of ...



#### Xizang (Tibet)

Pop: 2.71 mn

**GDP p.c.:** 6,716 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 309 k

#### Xinjiang

Pop: 19.34 mn

**GDP p.c.:** 9,157 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 2,329 k

#### Gansu

Pop: 26.03 mn

GDP p.c.: 4.998 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 1,714 k

#### Qinghai

Pop: 5.34 mn

GDP p.c.: 7,308 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 625 k

#### Heilongjiang

Pop: 38.15 mn

GDP p.c.: 11,620 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 4,923 k

#### Jilin

Pop: 27.04 mn

**GDP p.c.:** 9,327 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 3,830 k

#### Ningxia

Pop: 5.80 mn

GDP p.c.: 6,639 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 805 k

#### Yunnan

Pop: 43.76 mn

**GDP p.c.:** 5,619 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 4,249 k

#### Neimenggu (Inner Mongolia)

Pop:

GDP p.c.: 8,765 Rmb

23.88 mn

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 3,079 K

#### Guizhou

Pop: 38.76 mn

GDP p.c.: 3,339 Rmb

Sub<sup>(b)</sup>: 2,634 k

Target Companies<sup>(a)</sup>
Existing Subsidiaries

(a) Target companies also include CMC and Jingyi Design Institute

(b) Refers to the subscribers of Target Companies

## Key Elements of the Acquisition



#### **Acquisition Consideration**

Consideration of US\$3.65 billion

Initial Payment: US\$2.0 billion in cash

Deferred Payment: US\$1.65 billion as loan from the seller

- Assumed net debt of US\$0.47 billion
- Enterprise value of US\$4.12 billion

#### Principal Pre-condition for the Acquisition

Approval by independent shareholders (EGM scheduled on June 16, 2004)

#### **Financial Advisors to the Company**

Independent Financial Advisor

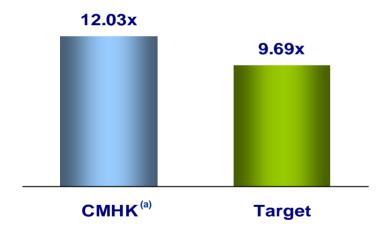
- China International Capital Corporation (Hong Kong) Ltd
- Goldman Sachs (Asia) L.L.C.
- UBS Investment Bank

N.M. Rothschild & Sons (Hong Kong) Ltd

## **Attractive Valuation**



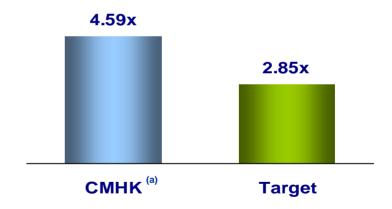




2004E Net Profit (Target): US\$376.6 mn

EV/EBITDA (x)



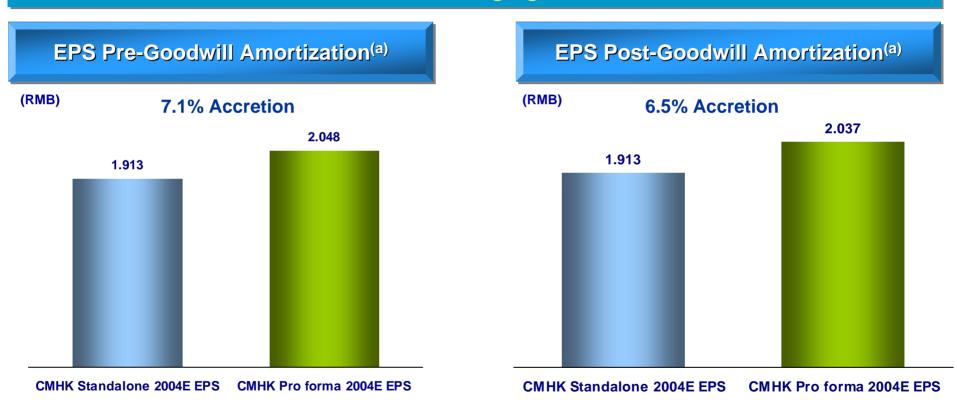


2004E EBITDA (Target): US\$1,446.3 mn

## **Earnings Accretion**



## We expect the Acquisition to be EPS accretive for 2004 and further enhance future earnings growth



- (a) For illustration only, does not reflect CMHK's guidance on its 2004 earnings; "Goodwill" as used here refers to the goodwill amount arising from this acquisition only. Assumptions:
- 2004E EPS of RMB1.913 is based on the average research forecasts by CICC, GS and UBS of HK\$1.803 and HK\$ to RMB exchange rate of 1.0612
- Interest rate of 1.02% on CMHK's average cash and bank deposits
- 2-year USD LIBOR swap rate of 2.595% for deferred consideration
- Effective tax rate of 33% to derive tax savings on the forgone interest income
- Assumes the Acquisition was completed on January 1st, 2004

## **Deferred Payment**



#### Total deferred payment: US\$1.65 billion



- 15-year subordinated debt, with no prepayment penalty
- Interest rate: 2-year USD LIBOR swap rate, 2.595% for the first two years
- Fixed exchange rates
- Flexible payment currency choices



- CMHK intends to repay the deferred payment mainly through:
  - Internal cash resources
  - External financing, including possible bond issuance or other sources

## **Benefits of the Acquisition**



- Extending coverage to further secure market leadership position
- Capturing new growth potential
- Capitalizing on solid track record of integration success
- Enhancing EPS and improving capital structure
- Consolidating to ensure long-term growth



## **The Target Assets**



	2002	2003
Population (mn) (a)	229.3	230.8
GDP per capita (RMB) (a)	6,486	7,292
Mobile penetration (%) (b)	12.8	16.8
China Mobile Subscribers ('000)	18,928	24,497
Contract (c)	6,955	6,990
Prepaid <sup>(c)</sup>	11,973	17,507
Market Share (%)	66.2	64.3
MOU (minutes)	241	265
Contract (c)	364	425
Prepaid <sup>(c)</sup>	152	190
ARPU (RMB)	91	79
Contract (c)	143	141
Prepaid <sup>(c)</sup>	53	50
Monthly Churn (%)	1.28	1.33

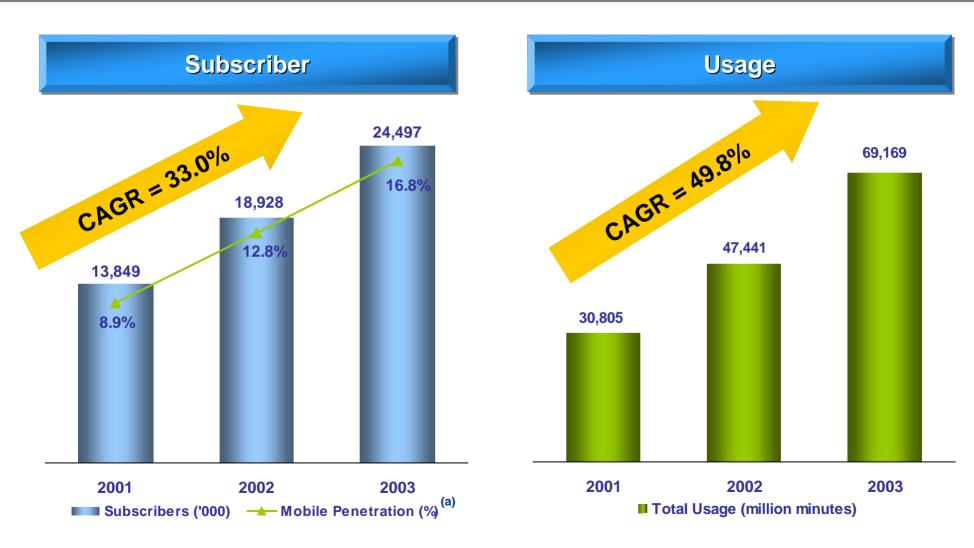
<sup>(</sup>a) 2002 Provincial Statistical Yearbooks with respect to the 2002 data. 2003 data are estimated by the target companies

<sup>(</sup>b) Penetration rates have been derived from published MII reports

<sup>(</sup>c) Classification for management reference purposes only

## **Significant Business Growth**

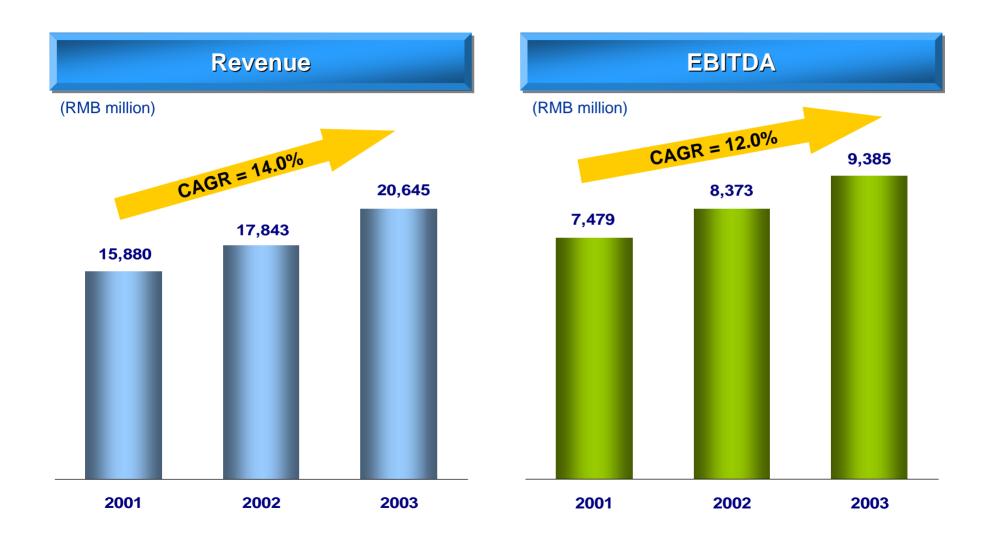




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## Solid Revenue and EBITDA Growth

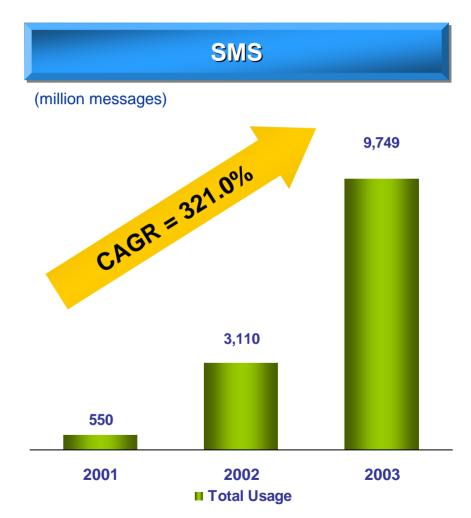




## **New Business - Key Growth Driver**







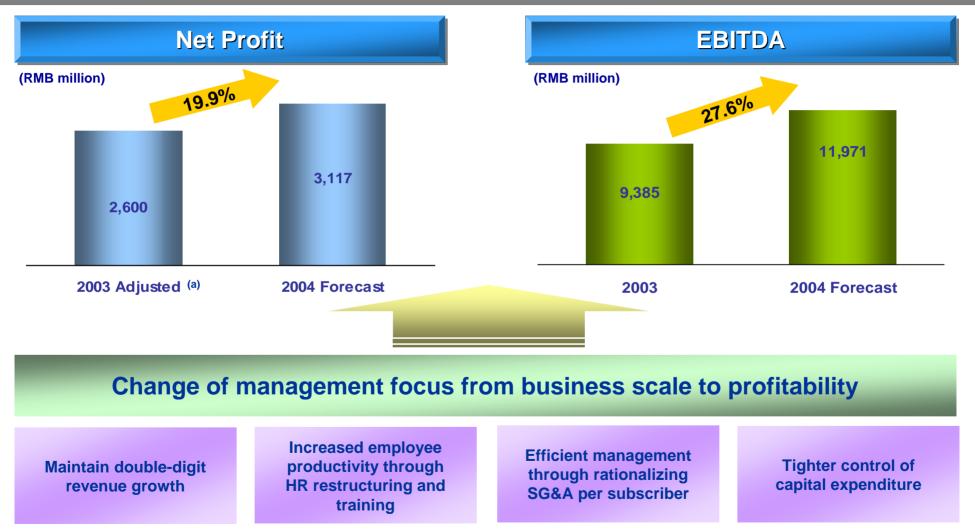
## **Ample Room for Cost Reduction to Improve Profitability**





## **Expecting an Improvement in Profitability in 2004**





(a) Assumes the asset revaluation result was recorded on December 31st, 2002. Detailed adjustment is as follows: 2003 reported net profit (RMB-1,358 mn)+reduction of depreciation(RMB633 mn)\*(1-effective tax rate(22.9%))+reversal of revaluation deficit(RMB3,470 mn)=2003 adjusted net profit (RMB2,600 mn)

### Infrastructure and Distribution



### Infrastructure

- All digital, fully integrated GSM network
  - Average population coverage rate of 80%
  - 182 mobile switching centers; 20,847 base stations
  - Network capacity of 29 million; average utilization rate of 84%
- Well-established intra and inter provincial backbone transmission

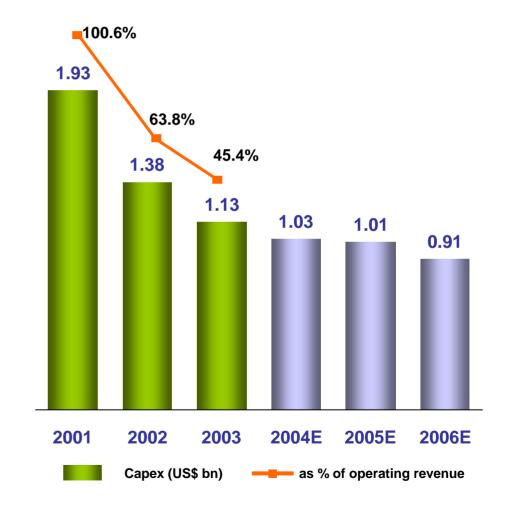
### Distribution

- Extensive network of sales and distribution channels
  - 1,409 proprietary sales outlets
  - -29,383 other retail outlets

## Capital Expenditure Plan



- Planned capital expenditures significantly below historical levels
- Total expected capital expenditure for '04-'06 approximately US\$2.95 billion
- Network infrastructure similar to CMHK's existing operations
- Increased economies of scale and improved utilization expected to lead to higher return on investments



## Capitalization



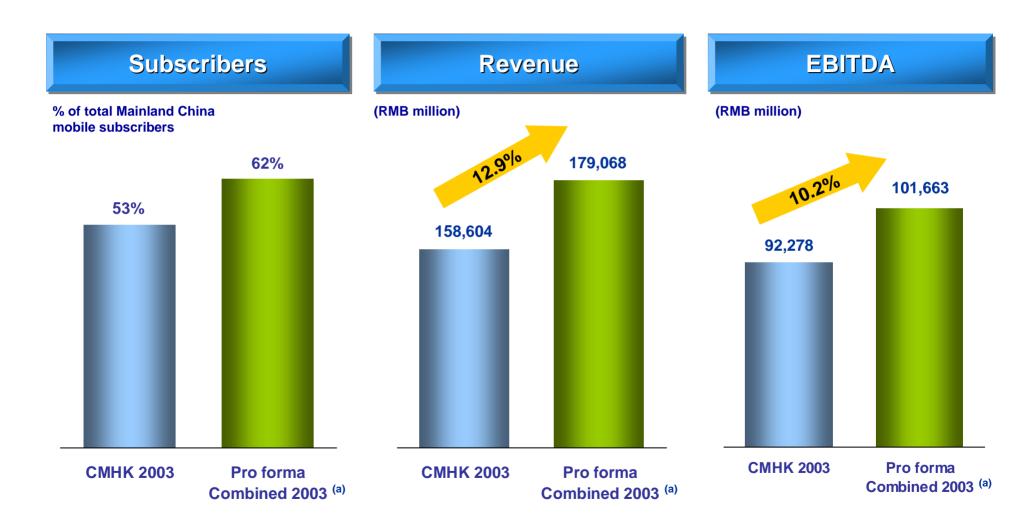
### Targets Combined as of Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, 2003

	RMB million
Total Debt	5,174
Owners' Equity	25,766
Total Book Capitalization	30,940
Cash and Bank Deposits	1,296
Net Debt	3,878
Total Debt /Total Capitalization	16.7%



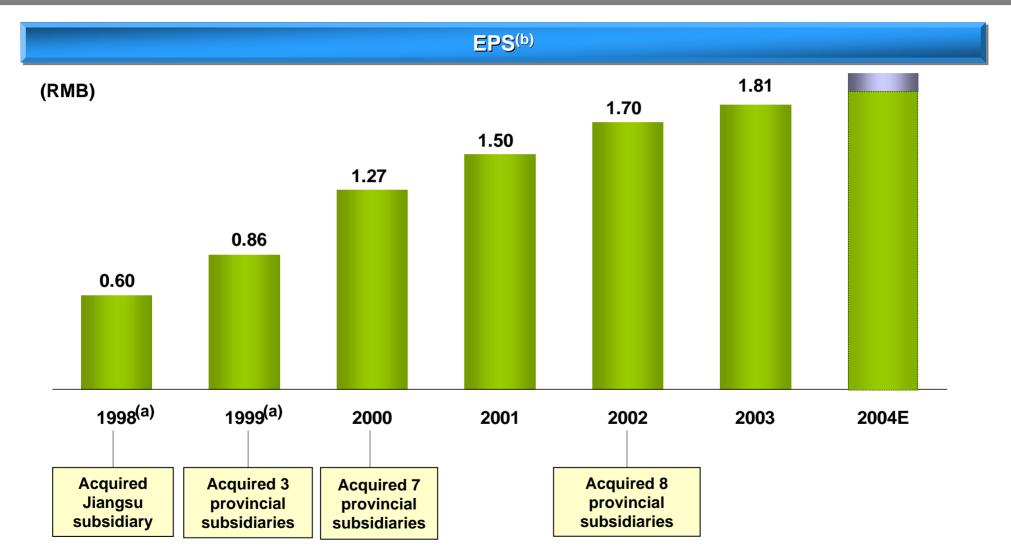
## Further Consolidating Market Leadership Position





## **Successful Path Towards Shareholder Value Creation**





- (a) Prior to the write-down and write-off of analog assets
- b) Includes both organic growth and value creation through acquisition

## Capitalizing on Solid Track Record of Integration Successes



### 7 Acquired Subsidiaries



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## **Improving Capital Structure**



	As of December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2003	
(RMB billion)	СМНК	Pro forma Combined <sup>(a)</sup>
Cash and Bank Deposits	56.4	41.1
Total Debt	44.6	63.4
Total Capitalization	243.4	262.2
Total Debt/Total Capitalization	18.3%	24.2%
Total Debt/EBITDA	0.48x	0.62x

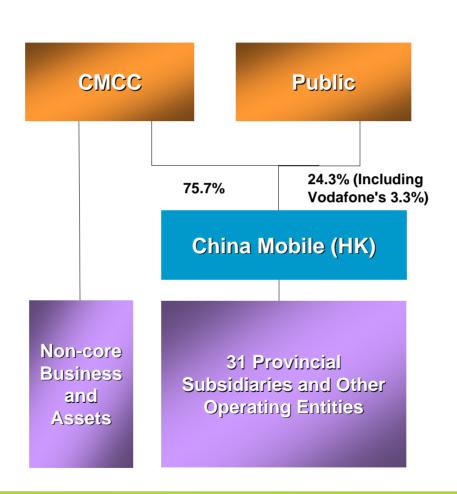
<sup>(</sup>a) Assumes the Acquisition was completed on December 31st, 2003

## **More Efficient Corporate Structure**



#### CMCC:

- CMCC's role primarily defined as controlling shareholder
- Operates non-core businesses



#### CMHK:

- China Mobile's core businesses and assets all under CMHK
- Responsible for all strategic and operational decisions and execution

Connected transactions significantly reduced

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#### World-Class Wireless Multi-Media Services Provider

- World's largest wireless operator by subscriber number
- In the world's most dynamic and fast growing economy
- With ample financial strength to capture future growth potential in wireless multi-media services

