

Shineroad International Holdings Limited 欣融國際控股有限公司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

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Corporate Information

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The board (the "Board") of directors (the "Directors") of Shineroad International Holdings Limited (the "Company") would like to present the unaudited condensed consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the six months ended 30 June 2023 (the "Period"), together with the comparative figures for the corresponding period in 2022 (the "Previous Period").

BUSINESS REVIEW

Overview

The Group is one of the leading distributors of food ingredients and food additives in Asia with outstanding research and development capacity, which distinguishes us from other competitors in the industry and provides us with an unique edge to develop our reputation and diversified customer networks. Leveraging on our research and development capability, we will continue to build long-term strategic alliance and co-develop with our customers, so as to stick with our mission "To be the Most Reliable Partner in Food Industry".

For the Period, our Group recorded a revenue of approximately RMB324.7 million, representing an decrease of 17% as compared with that of RMB392.9 million for the Previous Period. The profit for the Period decreased by RMB13.2 million, or 56%, from RMB23.8 million for the Previous Period to RMB10.6 million for the Period; while our Group's basic earnings per share were RMB0.02, representing a decrease of RMB0.01 as compared with the Previous Year (RMB0.03).

China Operations

Over the years, we have built strong relationships with our suppliers worldwide. Major suppliers like Nestlé from Switzerland, Mitsubishi from Japan, Sensient from the US, and Rettenmaier from Germany have been cooperating with us for 2 decades.

On the other hand, our Group has established and maintained a solid customer base over the years across different provinces in the PRC. Our core customers, categorised by food applications, are as follows:

Categories	Business nature	Key customers
Dairy products manufacturers	manufacturing dairy products and ice cream	Bright Dairy (光明), Nestlé (雀巢), New Hope (新希望), Yili (伊利), Chicecream (鍾薛高)
Beverage manufacturers	manufacturing beverage	Coca-Cola (可口可樂), Suntory (三得利), Wahaha (娃哈哈), Want Want (旺旺), and Uni-President (統一), Nongfu Spring (農夫山泉), Genki Spring (元氣森林)
Snacks manufacturers	manufacturing confectionery, chocolate, and snacks	Fujiya (不二家), Glico (格力高), Hsu Fu Chi (徐福記), Mars (瑪氏), Orion (好麗友), PepsiCo (百事)
Oil and grease manufacturers	manufacturing margarine and shortening	AAK, Cargill (嘉吉), COFCO (中糧), Kerry Grain and Oil (嘉里糧油)

Categories	Business nature	Key customers
Food service providers	Catering providers (mainly restaurants and teahouses) and upstream suppliers	Boduo (博多), Daka (大咖國際), Tsit Wing (捷榮), McCormick (味可美), Jidong (悸動), inm (一鳴), Babi Mantou (巴比饅頭)

South East Asia Operations

Outside China, we established our overseas subsidiaries in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, and Bangkok, Thailand in late 2019. Although the operation had been hit by the pandemic in the past few years, the recovery of consumption and tourism during the Period has eased the food industry, our customers, and us.

We anticipate our local offices will provide us a competitive edge by bringing scale benefit and introducing more local South East Asian tastes and appetites to the PRC market going forward.

Outlook and prospects

We remain confident in our future prospects. Despite the global economic uncertainty, we anticipate we will continue to achieve strong revenue growth. Going forward, our development initiatives mainly include:

- Continue to increase the sales of products with existing and new distribution rights: With focus on the food service industry and the nutrition and care industry, we are looking into cooperations with distinctive brands to reinforce our competitive advantage.
- Continue to widen our brands and portfolio of self-developed formulated products and potential food ingredients.
- Continue to enhance our research and development capabilities:

Our Asia-Pacific Innovation Center with a total construction area of 40,816.13 sq. metres is expected to commence operation in late 2024, where we plan to set up food solutions laboratory, product incubation center, production lines, logistics, and sales functions. The Company considers the construction of the Asia-Pacific Innovation Center can further expand the Group's business, widen the portfolio of its self-developed formulated products and potential food ingredients, and is beneficial to the Group's future development.

• Continue to extensively identify potential strategic investment opportunities and seek to acquire high-quality target businesses and assets that create synergies for the Group.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Revenue

Revenue of the Group represents the net invoiced value of goods sold, after allowances for returns and trade discounts. The Group derives its revenue mainly from the distribution of food ingredients, food additives and packaging materials in the PRC. The Group's revenue for the Period was RMB324.7 million, representing a decrease of 17% as compared with that of RMB392.9 million for the Previous Period. The decrease in revenue is due to the slower-than expected recovery of the PRC food and consumer goods market in the Period, during which the company experienced a decline in market sales from some of its key customers.

An analysis of revenue, net is as follows:

	Six months end	Six months ended 30 June	
	2023 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	
REVENUE Food ingredients Food additives	159,115 165,608	206,452 186,451	
	324,723	392,903	

Cost of sales

The Group's cost of sales solely represented cost of goods sold, which mainly represented the cost of food ingredients and food additives purchased from suppliers. The Group's cost of sales for the Period was RMB273.5 million, representing an decline of 18% as compared with that of RMB332.0 million for the Previous Period. The decline in cost of sales is due to decrease of sale revenue.

Gross profit and gross profit margin

Gross profit of the Group for the Period declined by RMB9.7 million to RMB51.2 million (Previous Period: RMB60.9 million), and the gross profit margin increased to 15.8% for the Period (Previous Period: 15.5%). The increase in the gross profit margin was mainly due to decrease in short term products sold at discount.

Other income and gains

Other income decreased by RMB0.7 million or 17% from RMB4.0 million for the Previous Period to RMB3.3 million for the Period primarily due to the decrease in government grants.

An analysis of other income and gains, net is as follows:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)
Bank interest income	1,053	1,163
Government grants*	1,054	2,591
Others	115	274
Exchange gains	1,121	
	3,343	4,028

^{*} There were no unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to government grants that had been recognised.

Selling and distribution expenses

Selling and distribution expenses primarily consist of staff salaries and benefits, transportation expenses, travelling expenses, rent and rates and others. The selling and distribution expenses increased by RMB2.2 million or 17% to RMB15.4 million for the Period from RMB13.2 million for the Previous Period. The increase was mainly attributed to the participation of re-opened exhibitions and the expansion of sales channels using e-commerce.

Administrative expenses

Administrative expenses primarily consist of depreciation, entertainment, listing expense, rent and rates, research and development, staff salaries and benefits and others. The administrative expenses increased by RMB2.5 million or 12% to RMB22.5 million for the Period from RMB20.0 million for the Previous Period. The increase was mainly attributed to the increase in personnel costs and the expansion of e-commerce channels.

Finance costs

The finance costs represented interests on other loans and lease liabilities. Finance costs increased by RMB0.4 million to RMB0.7 million for the Period from RMB0.3 million for the Previous Period. The increase was mainly due to the increase in loan interest.

Income tax expenses

The Group's income tax expenses decreased by RMB2.6 million from RMB7.5 million for the Previous Period to RMB4.9 million for the Period. The decrease was primarily due to pre-tax profit of the Period was lower than that of the Previous Period.

The major components of income tax expenses of the Group in the interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss are:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)
Current income tax in the PRC	4,597	7,050
Current income tax in HK	1,838	1,554
Deferred income tax expense relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences	(1,548)	(1,103)
Total tax charge for the period	4,887	7,501

Profit for the Period

As a result of the foregoing, the profit for the Period decreased by RMB13.2 million, or 56%, from RMB23.8 million for the Previous Period to RMB10.6 million for the Period.

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Group did not have any material contingent liabilities as at 30 June 2023.

CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

As at 30 June 2023, the Group had the following capital commitments at the end of the reporting period:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2023 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)
Contracted, but not provided for: Land	_	25,128
Buildings	146,392	397
	146,392	25,525

CAPITAL STRUCTURE

There has been no change in the capital structure of the Company during the Period. As at 30 June 2023, the capital of the Company comprises RMB454.5 million, representing an increase of RMB27.1 million as compared to RMB427.4 million as at 30 June 2022, which was attributable to the continuous profit.

LIQUIDITY, FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND FUNDING

The Group's receivable turnover days as at 30 June 2023 decreased to 53 days as compared to 69 days as at 31 December 2022.

Cash position

The Group's cash and cash equivalents balances as at 30 June 2023 amounted to RMB169.9 million, representing a decrease of RMB12.3 million as compared to RMB182.2 million as at 31 December 2022, which was attributable to the payment of Shineroad international global research and development centre construction project.

As at 30 June 2023, the Group's indebtedness comprised bank borrowings of RMB40.0 million, lease liabilities of RMB2.2 million and amount due to related companies of RMB2.6 million. The Group's indebtedness comprised bank borrowings of RMB20.0 million, lease liabilities of RMB3.2 million and amount due to related companies of RMB2.4 million as at 31 December 2022.

As at 30 June 2023, the gearing ratio, calculated as debt divided by total assets, was 19.0%, as compared with 18.3% as at 31 December 2022. Debt includes interest-bearing loan and other borrowings. Total equity includes equity attributable to owners of the parent and non-controlling interests.

The Group's equity balance increased to RMB454.5 million as at 30 June 2023 from that of RMB451.4 million as at 31 December 2022, which was attributable to the continuous profit.

Treasury policies

The Group has adopted a prudent financial management approach towards its treasury policies and thus maintained a healthy liquidity position throughout the Period. The Group strives to reduce exposure to credit risk by performing ongoing credit assessments and evaluations of the financial status of its customers. To manage liquidity risk, the Board closely monitors the Group's liquidity position to ensure that the liquidity structure of the Group's assets, liabilities and other commitments can meet its funding requirements from time to time.

Foreign Currency Risk

The Group's operational activities are mainly denominated in RMB. The Group is exposed to foreign currency risk primarily arising from purchase of goods by foreign currencies and bank deposits denominated in foreign currencies. The Group currently does not have a foreign currency hedging policy but it monitors foreign exchange exposure and will consider hedging significant foreign currency exposure should the need arise.

CHARGES ON THE GROUP'S ASSETS

As at 30 June 2023, there were no charges on the Group's assets (as at 30 June 2022: Nil).

EMPLOYEES AND REMUNERATION POLICIES

The Group had 174 employees as at 30 June 2023 (as at 31 December 2022: 176). Remuneration is determined by reference to prevailing market terms and in accordance with the job scope, responsibilities, and performance of each individual employee.

The Company has adopted a share option scheme pursuant to which the Directors and employees of the Group are entitled to participate. The local employees are also entitled to discretionary bonus depending on their respective performances and the profitability of the Group.

EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

The Group has no significant events after the Period and up to the date of the approval of the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

Other Information

DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVES' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN THE SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES OF THE COMPANY OR ANY ASSOCIATED CORPORATION

As at 30 June 2023, the interests and short positions of Directors and/or the chief executive of the Company in the Shares, underlying Shares and debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporation (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance) (the "SFO")) which would be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions which they were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO)), as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Model Code") contained in Appendix 10 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules") were as follows:

(i) Long position in the Shares

Name of Director	Capacity/Nature	Number of Shares held/interested in	Percentage of interest
Mr. Huang Haixiao (" Mr. Huang ") <i>(Note)</i>	Interest in controlled corporation	510,000,000	75%

(ii) Long position in the ordinary shares of associated corporations

Name of Director	Name of associated corporation	Capacity/Nature	Number of Shares held/ interested in	Percentage of interest
Mr. Huang (Note)	Ocean Town Company Limited ("Ocean Town")	Beneficial owner	1	100%
Mr. Huang (Note)	Shineroad Group Limited ("Shineroad Group")	Interest in controlled corporation	1	100%

Note: Mr. Huang beneficially owns the entire issued share capital of Ocean Town, which beneficially owns the entire issued share capital of Shineroad Group. Therefore, each of Mr. Huang and Ocean Town is deemed to be interested in 510,000,000 Shares held by Shineroad Group for the purpose of the SFO.

Save as disclosed in the foregoing, as at 30 June 2023, none of the Directors or chief executive of the Company or their respective close associates had any interests or short positions in any Shares, underlying Shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations as recorded in the register required to be kept pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO or pursuant to the Model Code.

INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS OF THE SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES OF THE COMPANY

As at 30 June 2023, so far as the Directors are aware, the interest and short positions of the persons, other than the Director or the chief executive of the Company, in the Shares and underlying Shares of the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 336 of the SFO and which fell to be disclosed to the Company under Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO are as follows:

Name	Capacity/Nature of interest	Number of Shares held/Interested in	Percentage of interest
Ocean Town (Note 1)	Interest in controlled corporation	510,000,000	75%
Shineroad Group (Note 1)	Beneficial owner	510,000,000	75%
Ms. Chen Dongying (Note 2)	Interest of spouse	510,000,000	75%

Notes:

- Such 510,000,000 Shares are held by Shineroad Group as a registered holder. The entire issued share capital of Shineroad Group is wholly-owned by Ocean Town. Therefore, Ocean Town is deemed to be interested in 510,000,000 Shares held by Shineroad Group for the purpose of the SFO.
- 2. Ms. Chen Dongying is the spouse of Mr. Huang and is therefore deemed to be interested in 510,000,000 Shares in which Mr. Huang has, or is deemed to have, for the purpose of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2023, the Directors are not aware of any other persons or corporations (other than the Directors and chief executive of the Company) who/which had any interests or short positions in the Shares or underlying Shares of the Company or any of its associated corporations which would fall to be disclosed to the Company under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO or which were recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under section 336 of the SFO.

SHARE OPTION SCHEME

On 31 May 2018, the then shareholders of the Company approved and conditionally adopted a share option scheme (the "Share Option Scheme") to enable the Company to grant options to eligible participants as incentives and rewards for their contribution to the Group. The principal terms of the Share Option Scheme were summarised in the section headed "Share Option Scheme" in Appendix IV to the prospectus of the Company dated 14 June 2018. No option has been granted during the Period.

Other Information

SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENTS HELD

As at 30 June 2023, the Group held 28,125,200 shares, representing approximately 8.59% equity interest in Tianye Innovation Company ("**Tianye**") which is principally engaged in planting, processing and sales of agricultural food including tropical fruits and vegetables. The investment cost incurred by the Group, being the consideration for acquiring the said shares in Tianye, was RMB78.8 million. On 2 February 2023, Tianye's shares were delisted from the National Equities Exchange And Quotations Co., Ltd. (NEEQ) and were transferred to the Beijing Stock Exchange Co. Ltd. (BSE stock code: 832023).

As at 30 June 2023, the Group's investments in associates of Tianye amounted to RMB102.8 million, representing approximately 18.3% of the Group's total asset as at 30 June 2023. The Group recorded a realised gain of RMB1.7 million, loss on deemed sales of RMB1.7 million due to the shareholdings dilution and did not receive any dividend during the Period. The Group considers the performance of Tianye was satisfactory during the Period. Looking forward, the Group holds positive view on the prospect of this investment and have no plan to change in the current investment.

Save as disclosed above, the Company did not hold any other significant investment with a value greater than 5% of the Company's total assets as at 30 June 2023.

FUTURE PLANS FOR MATERIAL INVESTMENTS OR CAPITAL ASSETS

The Group did not have other plans for material investments and capital assets.

MATERIAL ACQUISITIONS AND DISPOSALS OF SUBSIDIARIES, ASSOCIATES AND JOINT VENTURES

The Group had no material acquisitions or disposals of subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures during the Period.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES

During the Period, neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries had purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities.

COMPLIANCE WITH THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE CODE

The Company is committed to maintain high standards of corporate governance to protect the interests of its Shareholders and to enhance corporate value and accountability. The Board has reviewed the Company's corporate governance practices and is satisfied that the Company has complied with all code provisions of the Corporate Governance Code ("CG Code") as set out in Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules for the Period. The Company will continue to enhance its corporate governance practices appropriate to the conduct and growth of its business and to review such practices from time to time to ensure that they comply with the CG Code and align with the latest developments.

MODEL CODE FOR SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS BY DIRECTORS

The Company has adopted the Model Code as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules as its own code of conduct regarding Directors' securities transactions. Having made specific enquiries with all the Directors, each of the Directors has confirmed that he/she has complied with the Model Code for the Period.

DIVIDEND

The Board takes into account the Group's overall results of operation, financial position and capital requirements, among other factors, in considering the declaration of dividends. The Board does not recommend payment of any dividend in respect of the Period.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The audit committee of the Company (the "Audit Committee"), comprising three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Tan Wee Seng, Mr. Chan Ka Kit and Mr. Meng Yuecheng, has reviewed with the management the interim results for the Period, accounting principles and practices adopted by the Group and discussed auditing, internal controls, risk management and financial reporting matters including a review of the unaudited interim financial information.

The Audit Committee considered that the interim results had complied with all applicable accounting standard and the Listing Rules. The Audit Committee has also reviewed this interim report.

By order of the Board

Shineroad International Holdings Limited

Huang Haixiao

Chairman and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 16 August 2023

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

	Notes	2023 (Unaudited) <i>RMB</i> '000	2022 (Unaudited) <i>RMB'000</i>
REVENUE	4	324,723	392,903
Cost of sales		(273,538)	(332,006)
Gross profit		51,185	60,897
Other income and gains, net Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses Other expenses Finance costs Share of profits and losses of: Associates	4	3,343 (15,381) (22,510) (2,270) (652)	4,028 (13,183) (20,033) (2,541) (297)
PROFIT BEFORE TAX FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	5	15,457	31,281
Income tax expense	6	(4,887)	(7,501)
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS		10,570	23,780
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		10,570	23,780
Attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interests		10,570 — 10,570	23,780 — 23,780

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

	Notes	2023 (Unaudited) <i>RMB</i> '000	2022 (Unaudited) <i>RMB'000</i>
EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT:			
Basic and diluted, profit for the period (expressed in RMB)	8	0.02	0.03
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME Net other comprehensive income that may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:			
Exchange differences on translation of financial statements into presentation currency		(4,143)	(5,776)
Net other comprehensive income that may not be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:			
Exchange differences on translation of financial statements into presentation currency		5,428	8,699
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD, NET OF TAX		1,285	2,923
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		11,855	26,703
Attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interests		11,855 	26,703
		11,855	26,703

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

30 June 2023

	Notes	30 June 2023 (Unaudited) RMB'000	31 December 2022 (Audited) RMB'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS Property, plant and equipment Right-of-use assets Other intangible assets Investments in an associate Deferred tax assets Pledged deposits Other non-current assets	9	22,771 33,771 133 102,847 454 2,513 45	1,543 35,446 6 102,795 556 2,513 214
Total non-current assets		162,534	143,073
CURRENT ASSETS Inventories Trade receivables Prepayments, deposits and other receivables Due from related parties Pledged deposits Cash and cash equivalents	10 11 16 12 12	75,392 100,662 17,731 6,738 28,404 169,889	92,879 83,281 17,831 5,703 27,880 182,199
Total current assets		398,816	409,773
CURRENT LIABILITIES Trade and bills payables Other payables and accruals Amounts due to related parties Interest-bearing bank and other borrowings Lease liabilities Tax payable	13 16	41,885 16,193 2,571 40,000 711 3,880	52,359 14,660 2,423 20,000 1,020 6,986
Total current liabilities		105,240	97,448
NET CURRENT ASSETS		293,576	312,325
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		456,110	455,398
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Lease liabilities Deferred tax liabilities		1,494 100	2,225 1,750
Total non-current liabilities		1,594	3,975
NET ASSETS		454,516	451,423
EQUITY Equity attributable to owners of the parent Share capital Reserves	14	5,681 448,835	5,681 445,742
Total equity		454,516	451,423

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

	Attributable to owners of the parent						
	Share capital RMB'000	Share premium RMB'000*	Other reserve RMB'000*	Statutory reserve RMB'000*	Exchange fluctuation reserve RMB'000*	Retained profits RMB'000*	Total equity RMB'000
At 1 January 2023 (audited) Profit for the period Other comprehensive income for the period: Exchange differences on translation of financial	5,681 —	207,731	_	47,517 —	3,564 —	186,930 10,570	451,423 10,570
statements into presentation currency	_	_	_	_	1,285	_	1,285
Total comprehensive income for the period	_	_	_	_	1,285	10,570	11,855
Final 2022 dividend declared						(8,762)	(8,762)
At 30 June 2023(unaudited)	5,681	207,731		47,517	4,849	188,738	454,516

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

	Attributable to owners of the parent						
	Share capital RMB'000	Share premium RMB'000*	Other reserve RMB'000*	Statutory reserve RMB'000*	Exchange fluctuation reserve RMB'000*	Retained profits RMB'000*	Total equity RMB'000
At 1 January 2022 (audited) Profit for the period Other comprehensive income for the period:	5,681 —	207,731	(54) —	40,158 —	522 —	159,769 23,780	413,807 23,780
Exchange differences on translation of financial statements into presentation currency	_	_	_	_	2,923	_	2,923
Total comprehensive income for the period	_	_	_	_	2,923	23,780	26,703
Final 2021 dividend declared						(13,141)	(13,141)
At 30 June 2022 (unaudited)	5,681	207,731	(54)	40,158	3,445	170,408	427,369

^{*} These reserve accounts comprise the consolidated reserves of RMB421,688,000and RMB448,835,000, in the consolidated statements of financial position as at 30 June 2022 and 2023, respectively.

^{**} The amount of dividend distribution which the PRC subsidiaries can legally distribute by way of dividend is determined by reference to the distributable profits as reflected in their PRC statutory financial statements prepared under PRC Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("PRC GAAP").

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

	Notes	2023 (Unaudited) <i>RMB</i> '000	2022 (Unaudited) <i>RMB'000</i>
CASH FLOWS (USED IN)/FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit before tax:		15,457	31,281
Adjustments for: Finance costs Share of profit of an associate Depreciation of property, plant and equipment Loss on deemed disposal Amortisation of other intangible assets Depreciation of right-of-use assets Impairment of trade receivables (Write-back of impairment)/Impairment of inventories	9	652 (1,742) 252 1,690 69 1,842 569 (105)	297 (2,459) 203 — 3 1,484 371 1,271
Decrease/(increase) in inventories (Increase)/decrease in trade receivables Decrease in prepayments, other receivables and other assets (Increase)/decrease in pledged deposits (Decrease)/increase in trade payables Increase/(decrease) in other payables and accruals		17,592 (18,985) 100 (524) (10,326) 1,533	(21,108) 17,006 9,042 19,068 7,482 (12,093)
Cash generated from operations Interest paid Income tax paid		8,074 (90) (9,541)	51,848 (170) (10,941)
Net cash flows (used in)/from operating activities		(1,557)	40,737

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

	Notes	2023 (Unaudited) <i>RMB</i> '000	2022 (Unaudited) <i>RMB'000</i>
CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES Purchase of intangible assets Purchases of items of property, plant and equipment Net cash flows used in investing activities	9	(196) (21,304)	(1) (6,604) (6,605)
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) FINANCING ACTIVITIES New bank loans Repayment of bank loans Interest paid		20,000 — (562)	— (20,000) (127)
Principal portion of lease payments Dividends paid Net cash flows from/(used in) financing activities NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(1,196) (8,762) 9,480 (13,577)	(1,880) (13,141) (35,148) (1,016)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period Effect of foreign exchange rate changes, net CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD	,	182,199 1,267 169,889	134,855 2,917 136,756
ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS Cash and cash equivalents as stated in the statements of financial position Cash and cash equivalents as stated	12	169,889	136,756
in the statements of cash flows		169,889	136,756

1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

Shineroad International Holdings Limited (the "Company") was incorporated as an investment holding company in the Cayman Islands with limited liability under the laws of the Cayman Islands. The registered office address of the Company is Windward 3, Regatta Office Park, PO Box 1350, Grand Cayman KY1-1108, Cayman Islands.

During the year, Shineroad International Holdings Limited and its subsidiaries (collectively the "**Group**") was principally engaged in the distribution of food ingredients and food additives.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2023 have been prepared in accordance with HKASs 34 *Interim Financial Reporting*. The interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.

2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those applied in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022, except for the adoption of the following revised Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("**HKFRSs**") for the first time for the current period's financial information.

Amendments to HKAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use
Amendments to HKAS 37 Onerous Contracts — Cost of Fulfilling a Contract

The application of the above amendments to HKASs in the current interim period has had no material effect on the amounts reported in these condensed consolidated financial statements and/or disclosures set out in the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

3. OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group's principal business is the distribution of food ingredients and food additives. For management purposes, the Group operates in one business unit based on its products, and has one reportable segment which is the distribution of food additives.

Information about geographical area

Since all of the Group's revenue was generated from the distribution of food ingredients and food additives in Mainland China and over 95% of the Group's identifiable non-current assets were located in Mainland China, no geographical information is presented in accordance with HKFRS 8 *Operating Segments*.

3. **OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION** (Continued)

Information about major customers

Revenue from continuing operations of approximately RMB36,940,000 and RMB22,243,000 in the six months ended 30 June 2022 and 2023, respectively was derived from sales to a single customer, including sales to a group of entities which are known to be under common control with that customer.

4. REVENUE, OTHER INCOME AND GAINS, NET

An analysis of revenue is as follows:

			For the six months ended 30 June		
			2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	
Rev	venue from contract with customers				
	e of goods		324,723	392,903	
Re	venue from contracts with custom	ers			
(i)	Disaggregated revenue information				
	For the six months ended 30 June 2	023			
	Segments	Food ingredients <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	Food additives <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	Total <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	
	Type of goods or services				
	Sales of goods	159,115	165,608	324,723	
	Geographical markets				
	Mainland China	149,703	163,584	313,287	
	Thailand	6,208	327	6,535	
	Vietnam	3,204	1,697	4,901	
		159,115	165,608	324,723	
	Timing of revenue recognition				
	Goods transferred at a point in time	159,115	165,608	324,723	

4. REVENUE, OTHER INCOME AND GAINS, NET (Continued)

Revenue from contracts with customers (Continued)

(i) Disaggregated revenue information (Continued)

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^{*} There were no unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to government grants that had been recognised.

5. PROFIT BEFORE TAX FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS

The Group's profit before tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

			For the six months ended 30 June		
			2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	
(a)	Cost of sales: Cost of inventories sold		273,538	332,006	
(b)	Employee benefit expenses (excluding directors' and chief executive's remuneration):				
	Wages and salaries		17,729	18,590	
	Pension scheme contributions		3,923	3,467	
	Other welfare		550	566	
			22,202	22,623	
(c)	Other items:				
	Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	9	252	203	
	Amortisation of other intangible assets	9	69	3	
	Depreciation of right-of-use assets		1,842	1,484	
	Research and development costs:		1,012	1, 10 1	
	Current year expenditure		2,395	3,132	
	Loss on deemed disposal		1,690	_	
	Lease payments not included in the		,		
	measurement of lease liabilities		1,194	290	
	Auditor remuneration		51	115	
	Transportation expenses		_	138	
	Travel expenses		1,522	655	
	Foreign exchange differences, net		(1,121)	2,166	
	Accrual of impairment of trade receivables		569	371	
	(Write-back of impairment)/Impairment of				
	inventories		(105)	1,271	
	Bank interest income		(1,053)	(1,163)	

6. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

The major components of income tax expense of the Group in the interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income are:

	For the six months ended 30 June		
	2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	
Current income tax in the PRC Current income tax in the Hong Kong Deferred income tax expense relating to origination and	4,597 1,838	7,050 1,554	
reversal of temporary differences	(1,548)	(1,103)	
Total tax charge for the period	4,887	7,501	

Pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Cayman Islands and BVI, the Company and certain of its subsidiaries are not subject to any income tax in the Cayman Islands and BVI.

The provision for current income tax in the PRC is based on a statutory rate of 25% of the assessable profits of subsidiaries of the Group as determined in accordance with the PRC Corporate Income Tax Law.

The first HK\$2,000,000 of assessable profits of the subsidiary in Hong Kong are taxed at 8.25% and the remaining assessable profits are taxed at 16.5%.

7. DIVIDENDS

	For the six months ended 30 June		
	2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	
Final declared — HK1.50 cent (approximately RMB1.34 cent) (30 June 2022: HK2.25 cent (approximately RMB1.93 cent)) per ordinary share	8,762	13,141	

On 30 March 2023, the board of directors declared an interim dividend of HK1.50 cent (six months ended 30 June 2022: HK2.25 cent) per ordinary share, amounting to a total of approximately RMB8,762,000 (six months ended 30 June 2022: approximately RMB13,141,000).

8. EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT

The calculation of the basic earnings per share amount is based on the profit for the period attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent of 680,000,000 (2022: 680,000,000), and the weighted average number of ordinary shares of 680,000,000 (2022: 680,000,000) in issue during the period, as adjusted to reflect the rights issue during the period.

The Group had no potentially dilutive ordinary shares in issue during the six months ended 30 June 2023 and 2022.

The calculations of basic and diluted earnings per share are based on:

	For the six months ended 30 June		
	2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	
Earnings Profit attributable to owners of the parent, used in the basic			
and diluted earnings per share calculations	10,570	23,780	
Shares Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the year used in the basic earnings per share			
calculation	680,000,000	680,000,000	
Basic earnings per share (RMB)	0.02	0.03	
Diluted earnings per share (RMB)	0.02	0.03	

9. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Machinery <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	Motor vehicles <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	Office equipment <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	Construction in progress <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)	Total <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)
31 December 2022					
At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022:					
Cost	687	1,412	3,008	145	5,252
Accumulated depreciation	(546)	(875)	(2,780)		(4,201)
Net carrying amount	141	537	228	145	1,051
At 1 January 2022, net of					
accumulated depreciation	141	537	228	145	1,051
Additions	92	_	146	613	851
Exchange realignment Depreciation provided	6	7	1	_	14
during the period	(64)	(218)	(91)		(373)
At 31 December 2022, net of					
accumulated depreciation	175	326	284	758	1,543
At 31 December 2022:					
Cost	789	1,424	3,155	758	6,126
Accumulated depreciation	(614)	(1,098)	(2,871)		(4,583)
Net carrying amount	175	326	284	758	1,543

9. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (Continued)

	Machinery RMB'000 (Unaudited)	Motor vehicles <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	Office equipment RMB'000 (Unaudited)	Construction in progress RMB'000 (Unaudited)	Total RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Six months ended 30 June 2023 At 31 December 2022 and					
1 January 2023:					
Cost	789	1,424	3,155	758	6,126
Accumulated depreciation	(614)	(1,098)	(2,871)		(4,583)
Net carrying amount	175	326	284	758	1,543
At 1 January 2023, net of					
accumulated depreciation	175	326	284	758	1,543
Additions	23	_	46	21,404	21,473
Exchange realignment Depreciation provided	(10)	17	_	_	7
during the period	(36)	(105)	(111)	_	(252)
At 30 June 2023, net of					
accumulated depreciation	152	238	219	22,162	22,771
At 30 June 2023:					
Cost	820	1,433	3,201	22,162	27,616
Accumulated depreciation	(668)	(1,195)	(2,982)		(4,845)
Net carrying amount	152	238	219	22,162	22,771

10. INVENTORIES

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	30 June 2023 <i>RMB'</i> 000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Audited)
Food ingredients Food additives	30,790 45,104	35,431 58,632
Provision for inventories	75,894 (502)	94,063 (1,184)
I. TRADE RECEIVABLES	75,392	92,879
	30 June 2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Audited)
Trade receivables Impairment	101,953 (1,291)	84,003 (722)
	100,662	83,281

The Group seeks to maintain strict control over its outstanding receivables to minimise credit risk. Overdue balances are reviewed regularly by senior management. In view of the aforementioned and the fact that the Group's trade and bills receivables relate to various diversified customers, there is no significant concentration of credit risk. The Group does not hold any collateral or other credit enhancements over its trade receivable balances. Trade and bills receivables are non-interest-bearing.

11. TRADE RECEIVABLES (Continued)

An aging analysis of the trade receivables as at the end of the reporting period, based on the invoice date and net of loss allowance, is as follows:

	30 June	31 December
	2023	2022
	RMB'000	RMB'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Within 3 months	83,113	76,840
3 to 6 months	17,549	6,441
	100,662	83,281

12. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND PLEDGED DEPOSITS

	30 June 2023 <i>RMB'</i> 000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Audited)
Cash and bank balances Less: Pledged time deposits:	200,806	212,592
Pledged for letters of credit — non-current Pledged for letters of credit — current	(2,513) (28,404)	(2,513) (27,880)
Cash and cash equivalents	169,889	182,199

At the end of the reporting period, the cash and bank balances of the Group denominated in US dollars ("**USD**") amounted to RMB3,316,000 (2022: RMB2,976,809); denominated in Hong Kong dollars ("**HKD**") amounted to RMB5,758,000 (2022:RMB716,261) and denominated in Vietnamese Dong ("**VND**") amounted to RMB1,664,000 (2022: RMB1,273,256), denominated in Thailand Baht ("**THB**") amounted to RMB1,491,000 (2022: RMB499,547).

The RMB is not freely convertible into other currencies, however, under Mainland China's Foreign Exchange Control Regulations and Administration of Settlement, Sale and Payment of Foreign Exchange Regulations, the Group is permitted to exchange RMB for other currencies through banks authorized to conduct foreign exchange business.

Cash at banks earns interest at floating rates based on daily bank deposit rates. The bank balances are deposited with creditworthy banks with no recent history of default.

13. TRADE AND BILLS PAYABLES

An aging analysis of the trade and bills payables as at the end of reporting period, based on the transaction date, is as follows:

	30 June	31 December
	2023	2022
	RMB'000	RMB'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Within 3 months	41,885	52,359

The trade payables are non-interest-bearing and are normally settled on terms of 7 to 90 days.

14. SHARE CAPITAL

	30 June 2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Audited)
Authorised: 2,000,000,000 (31 December 2022: 2,000,000,000) shares of HK\$0.01 each	16,708	16,708
Issued and fully paid: 680,000,000 (31 December 2022: 680,000,000) shares of HK\$0.01 each	5,681	5,681

15. COMMITMENTS

The Group had the following capital commitments at the end of the reporting period:

	30 June	31 December
	2023	2022
	RMB'000	RMB'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Contracted, but not provided for: Buildings	146,392	6,734
	146,392	6,734
	140,392	0,734

16. RELATED PARTY DISCLORSURE

a) In addition to the transactions detailed elsewhere in this financial information, the Group had the following

		For the six months ended 30 June	
		2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)
	Entity controlled by the controlling share-holder: Sales to related parties Purchases from related parties Purchases from associates Rental expenses	9,758 14,174 714 81	10,409 4,088 503 84
	Mr. Huang Haixiao: Rental expenses	427	427
b)	Outstanding balances with related parties:		
		30 June 2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Audited)
	Due to related parties	2,571	2,423
	Due from related parties	6,738	5,703
c)	Key management personnel		
		For the six months ended 30 June	
		2023 <i>RMB</i> '000 (Unaudited)	2022 <i>RMB'000</i> (Unaudited)
	Other emoluments: Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind Pension scheme contributions	2,214 282	1,715 208
		2,496	1,923

There were no arrangements under which a director or the chief executive waived or agreed to waive any remuneration during the six months ended 30 June 2022 and 2023.