INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Directors and Shareholders Far Eastern Department Stores, Ltd.

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Far Eastern Department Stores, Ltd. and its subsidiaries (the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and the consolidated statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and the notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers, and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), International Accounting Standards (IAS), IFRIC Interpretations (IFRIC), and SIC Interpretations (SIC) endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with the Regulations Governing Auditing and Attestation of Financial Statements by Certified Public Accountants and auditing standards generally accepted in the Republic of China. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with The Norm of Professional Ethics for Certified Public Accountant of the Republic of China, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

Key audit matters for the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017 are stated as follows:

Evaluation of Impairment Loss of Goodwill

As of December 31, 2017, the goodwill of the Group was NT\$4,932,782 thousand, accounted for 5% of total consolidated assets, which is material to the consolidated financial statements. Under IAS 36, management must test impairment annually.

The goodwill of the Group mainly derived from the merger and acquisition of operating segments in mainland China. When testing goodwill for impairment, management should evaluate whether the recoverable amount is higher than the carrying amount. In determining the recoverable amount, management should estimate the future cash flows from operating segments in mainland China and determine the optimal discount rate. Significant assumptions involve both judgments made by management and material estimation uncertainty. Thus, the evaluation of impairment loss of goodwill is considered a key audit matter. For the accounting policy related to impairment loss of the goodwill, refer to Notes 4, 5 and 18 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Our key audit procedures for the aforementioned key audit matter are as follows:

- 1. Evaluating the expertise, competency and independence of external valuation specialists mandated by management. Verifying the qualification of valuation specialists to ensure their objectivity and assignment are not influenced or restricted, and the methodology conducted is under regulation.
- 2. With support from our internal financial consultancy specialists, evaluating the appropriateness of significant assumptions applied by management, including cash flows forecasts, revenue growth rates and discount rates used.

Fair Value Evaluation of Investment Properties

As of December 31, 2017, the carrying amount of investment properties was NT\$8,738,216 thousand, accounting for 8% of total consolidated assets, which is material to the consolidated financial statements. The Group's investment properties are subsequently measured using the fair value model. In the process of fair value assessment, valuation technique and inputs require consideration of the future scheme of investment properties to estimate the discounted fair value of future cash flows. Future cash flows are extrapolated using the existing lease contracts of the Group and market rentals.

Since the cash flow forecasts are subject to economic conditions, which have a high level of measurement uncertainty, we have resultantly identified the fair value evaluation of investment properties as a key audit matter. Refer to Notes 4, 5 and 17 to the accompanying consolidated financial statements for the relevant detailed information.

Our key audit procedures for the aforementioned key audit matter are as follows:

- 1. Evaluating the expertise, competency and independence of external valuation specialists mandated by management. Verifying the qualification of valuation specialists to ensure their objectivity and assignment are not influenced or restricted, and the methodology conducted is under regulation.
- 2. Reviewing significant lease contracts to ensure the accuracy of fundamental information for cash flow forecasts.
- 3. With support from our internal financial consultancy specialists, evaluating the appropriateness of significant assumptions applied, including capitalization rates and discount rates used.

Others Matter

We have also audited the parent company only financial statements of Far Eastern Department Stores, Ltd. as of and for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016 on which we have issued an unmodified opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers, and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), International Accounting Standards (IAS), IFRIC Interpretations (IFRIC), and SIC Interpretations (SIC) endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance, including members of the Audit Committee, are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the Republic of China will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the Republic of China, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- 1. Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- 2. Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.
- 3. Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- 4. Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.

- 5. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- 6. Obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision, and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017 and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partners on the audit resulting in this independent auditors' report are Shu-Chuan Yeh and Kuo-Tyan Hung.

Deloitte & Touche Taipei, Taiwan Republic of China

March 21, 2018

Notice to Readers

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are intended only to present the consolidated financial position, financial performance and cash flows in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the Republic of China and not those of any other jurisdictions. The standards, procedures and practices to audit such consolidated financial statements are those generally applied in the Republic of China.

For the convenience of readers, the independent auditors' report and the accompanying consolidated financial statements have been translated into English from the original Chinese version prepared and used in the Republic of China. If there is any conflict between the English version and the original Chinese version or any difference in the interpretation of the two versions, the Chinese-language independent auditors' report and consolidated financial statements shall prevail.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	2015	2015		
ASSETS	2017 Amount	%	Amount	%
CURRENT ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 16,116,484	15	\$ 13,509,941	13
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current	496,455	1	504,315	-
Available-for-sale financial assets - current	233,523	-	446,079	-
Debt investments with no active market - current Notes receivable	1,914,388 1,131	2	587,511 15,894	-
Trade receivables	1,113,758	1	767,248	1
Trade receivables from related parties	126,364	-	163,085	-
Other receivables	1,784,033	2	1,829,561	2
Current tax assets Inventories	3,079 2,583,275	2	88,192 2,761,106	3
Prepayments	2,383,273 870,134	1	978,303	3 1
Non-current assets held for sale	-	-	10,515	-
Other current assets	69,068		79,317	
Total current assets	25,311,692	24	21,741,067	20
NON-CURRENT ASSETS				
Available-for-sale financial assets - non-current	2,944,887	3	3,522,515	3
Financial assets measured at cost - non-current	608,037	-	609,521	1
Debt investments with no active market - non-current	227,000	- 0	229,000	8
Investments accounted for using the equity method Property, plant and equipment	8,444,059 43,699,225	8 41	8,438,059 43,626,582	8 41
Investment properties	8,738,216	8	10,166,796	10
Intangible assets	5,059,516	5	6,244,854	6
Deferred tax assets	719,578	1	1,023,507	1
Long-term prepayments for lease	8,176,674	8	8,615,400	8
Other non-current assets	<u>1,779,567</u>	2	1,978,309	2
Total non-current assets	80,396,759	<u>76</u>	84,454,543	80
TOTAL	<u>\$ 105,708,451</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$ 106,195,610</u>	<u>100</u>
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Short-term borrowings	\$ 13,084,956	12	\$ 9,886,363	10
Short-term bills payable	2,514,700	3	2,690,946	3
Notes payable	3,071 18,285,105	- 17	37,892 16,250,674	15
Trade payables Trade payables to related parties	18,283,103	1.7	113,817	-
Other payables	4,250,840	4	4,518,254	4
Current tax liabilities	539,394	1	740,459	1
Provisions - current	6,828	-	18,596	-
Advance receipts	7,456,419 83,761	7	7,594,619 92,267	7
Deferred revenue - current Current portion of bonds payable	998,149	1	92,207	-
Current portion of long-term borrowings	3,500,000	3	5,965,315	6
Other current liabilities	<u>264,545</u>		<u>278,656</u>	
Total current liabilities	51,115,648	<u>48</u>	48,187,858	<u>46</u>
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Bonds payable	-	-	996,282	1
Long-term borrowings	13,258,102	13	14,959,267	14
Provisions - non-current	26,465	-	27,995	-
Deferred tax liabilities Net defined benefit liabilities	1,915,480 945,908	2 1	2,053,903 982,919	2 1
Other non-current liabilities	1,588,670	1	2,544,584	2
		<u> 17</u>		
Total non-current liabilities	<u>17,734,625</u>		21,564,950	<u>20</u>
Total liabilities	68,850,273	<u>65</u>	69,752,808	<u>66</u>
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY Share capital				
Common shares	14,169,406	<u>13</u>	14,169,406	13
Capital surplus	<u>3,315,931</u>	3	3,319,868	<u>13</u>
Retained earnings	2.012.201	2	2 000 056	2
Legal reserve Special reserve	3,013,281 2,643,743	3	2,899,856 2,529,594	3 2
Special reserve Unappropriated earnings	2,043,743	<u>2</u>	2,329,394 2,013,557	2
Total retained earnings	7,931,970	8	7,443,007	7
Other equity	3,678,521	3	3,795,400	4
Treasury shares	(97,110)		(97,110)	_
Total equity attributable to owners of the Company	28,998,718	27	28,630,571	27
NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS	7,859,460	8	7,812,231	7
Total equity	36,858,178	<u>35</u>	36,442,802	34
TOTAL	<u>\$ 105,708,451</u>	100	<u>\$ 106,195,610</u>	<u>100</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

	2017		2016			
	Amount	%	Amount	%		
OPERATING REVENUES	\$ 41,166,982	100	\$ 43,496,489	100		
OPERATING COSTS	20,673,607	_50	21,595,367	_50		
GROSS PROFIT	20,493,375	_50	21,901,122	_50		
OPERATING EXPENSES=						
Selling and marketing expenses	1,036,753	3	1,176,453	3		
General and administrative expenses	16,369,898	<u>40</u>	17,563,553	<u>40</u>		
Total operating expenses	17,406,651	43	18,740,006	43		
OPERATING PROFIT	3,086,724	7	3,161,116	7		
NON-OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSES						
Other income	213,248	_	240,977	1		
Other gains and losses	(116,574)	-	(843,912)	(2)		
Finance costs	(445,376)	(1)	(428,315)	(1)		
Share of loss of associates accounted for using the equity method	(39,180)		(8,585)			
Total non-operating income and expenses	(387,882)	(1)	(1,039,835)	<u>(2</u>)		
PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX	2,698,842	6	2,121,281	5		
INCOME TAX EXPENSE	853,820	2	625,723	1		
NET PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	1,845,022	4	1,495,558	4		
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE (LOSS) INCOME Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:						
Remeasurement of defined benefit plans Share of other comprehensive loss of associates	(78,408)	-	(174,835)	(1)		
accounted for using the equity method Income tax relating to items that will not be	(3,666)	-	(3,538)	-		
reclassified subsequently to profit or loss	13,325	_	30,137	_		
rectabilities buobequently to profit of 1000	$\frac{13,323}{(68,749)}$		(148,236)	(1)		
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:						

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

	2017			2016			
	A	Amount	%		Amount	%	
Exchange differences on translating foreign operations Unrealized loss on available-for-sale financial	\$	53,290	-	\$	80,511	-	
assets Share of other comprehensive loss of associates		(140,221)	-		(189,429)	-	
accounted for using the equity method		(3,528) (90,459)	<u> </u>	_	(31,856) (140,774)	-	
Other comprehensive (loss) income for the year, net of income tax	_	(159,208)			(289,010)	(1)	
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR	<u>\$</u>	1,685,814	4	<u>\$</u>	1,206,548	3	
NET PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO: Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	\$	1,535,986 309,036	3 1	\$	1,134,252 361,306	3 1	
	\$	1,845,022	4	\$	1,495,558	4	
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO: Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	\$	1,363,957 321,857	3 1	\$	797,192 409,356	2 1	
	\$	1,685,814	4	<u>\$</u>	1,206,548	3	
EARNINGS PER SHARE Basic Diluted		\$ 1.09 \$ 1.09			\$ 0.81 \$ 0.80		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	Equity Attributable to Owners of the Company											
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						Exchange Differences on	Unrealized (Loss)					
	Share Capital	Capital Surplus		Retained Earnings	Unappropriated	Translating Foreign	Gain on Available-for-sale	Gain on Property	Treasury Shares		Non-controlling Interests	
	Share Capital	Capital Sul plus	Legal Reserve	Special Reserve	Earnings	Operations	Financial Assets	Revaluation	Treasury Shares	Total	Interests	Total Equity
BALANCE AT JANUARY 1, 2016	\$ 14,169,406	\$ 3,315,420	\$ 2,728,379	\$ 2,461,168	\$ 2,673,946	\$ 57,483	\$ 1,767,337	\$ 2,170,970	<u>\$ (97,110)</u>	\$ 29,246,999	\$ 7,604,872	\$ 36,851,871
Appropriation of 2015 earnings			171,477		(171 477)							
Legal reserve Special reserve	-	-	1/1,4//	68,426	(171,477) (68,426)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash dividends distributed by the Company	-	-	-	-	(1,416,940)	-	-	-	-	(1,416,940)	-	(1,416,940)
Cash dividends distributed by subsidiaries								=			(158,320)	(158,320)
			171,477	68,426	(1,656,843)		_		_	(1,416,940)	(158,320)	(1,575,260)
Net profit for the year ended December 31, 2016	-	-	-	-	1,134,252	-	-	-	-	1,134,252	361,306	1,495,558
Other comprehensive (loss) income for the year ended December 31, 2016, net of income tax		_		_	(136,670)	790	(201,180)		_	(337,060)	48,050	(289,010)
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Total comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2016	<u> </u>		-	_	997,582	<u>790</u>	(201,180)	-	<u> </u>	797,192	409,356	1,206,548
Difference between equity purchase price and carrying amount arising from actual acquisition of subsidiary	_		_	_	(1,128)		_		_	(1,128)	1,128	_
Adjustments resulting from investments in associates accounted for using the equity method	-	4,448	-	-	-	_	-	-	_	4,448	5,381	9,829
Decreases in non-controlling interests		<u>-</u>				_	_	<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	_	(50,186)	(50,186)
BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2016	\$ 14,169,40 <u>6</u>	\$ 3,319,868	\$ 2,899,856	\$ 2,529,594	\$ 2,013,557	\$ 58,273	\$ 1,566,157	\$ 2,170,970	\$ (97,110)	\$ 28,630,571	\$ 7,812,231	\$ 36,442,802
Appropriation of 2016 comings												
Appropriation of 2016 earnings Legal reserve	-	-	113,425	-	(113,425)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special reverse	-	-	-	114,149	(114,149)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash dividends distributed by the Company Cash dividends distributed by subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	(991,858)	-	-	-	-	(991,858)	(273,138)	(991,858) (273,138)
Cash di Nacias assistate by sassianates			113,425	114,149	(1,219,432)					(991,858)	(273,138)	(1,264,996)
Net profit for the year ended December 31, 2017					1,535,986					1,535,986	309,036	1,845,022
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Other comprehensive (loss) income for the year ended December 31, 2017, net of income tax	_	_		_	(55,150)	27,775	(144,654)			(172,029)	12,821	(159,208)
Total comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2017		_			1,480,836	27,775	(144,654)		<u>-</u>	1,363,957	321,857	1,685,814
Adjustments resulting from investments in associates accounted for using the equity method	<u>-</u>	(3,937)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	(15)			<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	(3,952)	(1,490)	(5,442)
BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2017	<u>\$ 14,169,406</u>	<u>\$ 3,315,931</u>	\$ 3,013,281	\$ 2,643,743	\$ 2,274,946	\$ 86,048	<u>\$ 1,421,503</u>	\$ 2,170,970	<u>\$ (97,110)</u>	\$ 28,998,718	<u>\$ 7,859,460</u>	\$ 36,858,178

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

		2017		2016
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Profit before income tax	\$	2,698,842	\$	2,121,281
Adjustments for:	Ψ	2,000,012	Ψ	2,121,201
Depreciation expenses		2,650,811		2,929,003
Amortization expenses		44,687		40,377
Impairment loss (reversal of impairment loss) recognized on		,		- ,
receivables		(7,062)		20,682
Net loss on financial assets or liabilities at fair value through profit		, , ,		,
or loss		2,851		36,290
Finance costs		445,376		428,315
Interest income		(74,855)		(57,458)
Dividend income		(138,393)		(183,519)
Share of loss of associates accounted for using the equity method		39,180		8,585
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		223,336		40,617
Gain on disposal of investments		(428,971)		-
Loss on disposal of intangible assets		3,261		306
Gain on disposal of non-current assets held for sale		(6,628)		-
Impairment loss recognized on financial assets		2,055		2,055
Impairment loss recognized on intangible assets		1,205,840		998,411
Impairment loss recognized on property, plant and equipment		2,040		177,228
Unrealized gain on physical inventory and slow-moving inventories		(1,734)		(159,305)
Loss (gain) on changes in fair value of investment properties		9,061		(127,937)
Amortization of prepayments		25,903		28,301
Amortization of prepayments for lease		325,824		327,040
(Reversal) recognition of provisions		(13,548)		11,898
Reversal of deferred revenue		(92,267)		(98,552)
Reversal of unrealized purchase discounts		(1,506)		(106,012)
Net changes in operating assets and liabilities				
Financial assets held for trading		5,009		(189,494)
Notes receivable		14,763		(12,501)
Trade receivables		(355,141)		(251,606)
Trade receivables from related parties		36,721		95,407
Other receivables		52,691		(229,922)
Inventories		181,071		501,451
Prepayments		148,600		(2,821)
Other current assets		10,249		10,785
Notes payable		(34,821)		(14,332)
Trade payables		2,034,431		(355,292)
Trade payables to related parties		14,063		(5,937)
Other payables		(979,615)		(297,819)
Deferred revenue		83,761		92,267
Advance receipts		71,379		(231,858)
Other current liabilities		(14,111)		(31,108)
Net defined benefit liabilities		(92,161)		16,041
Cash generated from operations		8,090,992		5,530,867
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	2017	2016
Dividends received	\$ 238,940	\$ 673,437
Interest paid	(431,023)	(411,026)
Interest received	67,559	49,417
Income tax returned	3,125	500
Income tax paid	(799,617)	(341,734)
Net cash generated from operating activities	7,169,976	5,501,461
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from sale of debt investments with no active market	(1,324,877)	187,336
Acquisition of investments accounted for using the equity method	(286,655)	(74,000)
Acquisition of available-for-sale assets	(92,331)	-
Proceeds from sale of available-for-sale financial assets	1,171,836	-
Decrease in prepaid long-term investments	84,174	96,164
Proceeds from disposal of non-current assets held for sale	13,500	(1, 605, 020)
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(1,825,793)	(1,685,232)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	1,940	8,097
Payments for intangible assets Payments for investment properties	(53,748) (1,481)	(42,348) (2,593)
Decrease in other non-current assets	77,909	28,871
Net cash used in investing activities	(2,235,526)	(1,483,705)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from short-term borrowings	137,230,416	107,709,464
Repayments of short-term borrowings	(133,883,006)	(107,049,812)
Proceeds from short-term bills payable	29,826,307	30,934,339
Repayments of short-term bills payable	(30,002,553)	(30,594,413)
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	67,111,036	45,644,837
Repayments of long-term borrowings	(71,280,600)	(45,509,200)
Decrease in other non-current liabilities	(35,184)	(45,513)
Dividends paid to owners of the Company	(992,035)	(1,417,029)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	(267,424)	(197,397)
Decrease in non-controlling interests	_	(50,186)
Net cash used in financing activities	(2,293,043)	(574,910)
EFFECTS OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES	(34,864)	40,465
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	2,606,543	3,483,311
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR	13,509,941	10,026,630
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE YEAR	\$ 16,116,484	<u>\$ 13,509,941</u>
The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial s	tatements.	(Concluded)