

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability) (Stock code: 218)

INTERIM RESULTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2006

RESULTS

The Directors of Shenyin Wanguo (H.K.) Limited (the "Company") are pleased to announce the unaudited condensed consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") for the six months ended 30 June 2006 together with comparative figures for the corresponding period of last year.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

		Six months er 2006	nded 30 June 2005
	Notes	(Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	(Unaudited) <i>HK</i> \$'000
REVENUE	3	159,809	100,196
Other gains		478	75
Cost of trading securities sold		(49,214)	(63,062)
Employee benefits expenses		(31,331)	(20,138)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses		(1,972)	(1,179)
Interest expenses for financial services operations		(152)	(10)
Fair value losses on listed equity investments at fair value through profit or loss		(2,820)	(3,247)
Fair value losses on an unlisted financial instrument at fair value through profit or loss		(9,808)	_
Write-back of impairment for accounts receivable and loans and advances		_	3,200
Other expenses, net		(21,055)	(15,798)
Share of profits of associates	_	8,694	5,840
PROFIT BEFORE TAX	4	52,629	5,877
Tax	5	(2,400)	(653)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD AND ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY	=	50,229	5,224
INTERIM DIVIDEND	6	10,615	_
EARNINGS PER SHARE	7		
Basic		9.46 cents	0.98 cents
Diluted	=	<u>N/A</u>	N/A

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

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	Total equity	=	754,406	689,819

NOTES TO CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the applicable disclosure requirements of Appendix 16 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited and are in compliance with the Hong Kong Accounting Standard ("HKAS") 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in the preparation of these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements are the same as those used in the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2005, except that in the current period, the Group has adopted the following revised Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs"), which became effective for the financial year beginning on or after 1 January 2006:

HKAS 39 Amendment	The Fair Value Option
HKAS 39 & HKFRS 4 Amendments	Financial Guarantee Contracts

The adoption of these HKFRSs has had no material impact on the accounting policies of the Group and the methods of computation in the Group's interim financial statements.

2. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group's operating businesses can be analysed primarily by business segments. The summarised details of the business segments are as follows:

- (a) securities trading and investment holding
- (b) securities broking and dealing
- (c) securities financing and direct loans
- (d) investment advisory services

The Group's intersegment sales and transfers are transacted with reference to terms and conditions used for similar transactions with third parties at the then prevailing market prices.

The Group's unaudited revenue and results by business segments for the period ended 30 June are as follows.

	Securities to investmen	0		urities and dealing	Securities and dire	0		stment y services	Elimi	nations	Tota	ı
	2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$</i> '000	2005 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2005 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>	2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$</i> '000	2005 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>
Segment revenue: External customers Intersegment	80,425	65,747	38,604 	19,910	21,185 145	11,479 	19,595 1,332	3,060 1,330	(1,477)	(1,615)	159,809 	100,196
Total	80,425	65,747	38,604	19,910	21,330	11,764	20,927	4,390	(1,477)	(1,615)	159,809	100,196
Segment results	11,049	(5,296)	3,474	(6,895)	16,390	11,944	13,008	920	_		43,921	673
Unallocated expenses											14	(636)
Share of profits of associates											8,694	5,840
Profit before tax											52,629	5,877
Tax											(2,400)	(653)
Profit for the period											50,229	5,224

3. **REVENUE**

Revenue, which is also the Group's turnover, represents the aggregate of sales proceeds from securities and futures contracts trading, gross interest income, commission and brokerage income less rebates, income from rendering of services and dividend income. An analysis of revenue is as follows:

	Six months ended 30 June		
	2006	2005	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Financial services:			
Sales proceeds from securities and futures contracts trading	79,692	65,338	
Interest income from securities financing and direct loans	16,437	8,204	
Commission and brokerage income	38,583	19,877	
Income from rendering of services	19,595	3,060	
-	154,307	96,479	
Others:			
Bank interest income	4,748	3,275	
Dividend income from listed equity investments	695	394	
Others	59	48	
-	5,502	3,717	
-	159,809	100,196	

4. **PROFIT BEFORE TAX**

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

	Six months end	Six months ended 30 June		
	2006			
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)		
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000		
Net realised gains on trading of listed equity				
investments and futures contracts	(6,035)	(2,276)		
Net realised gains on disposal of available-for-sale investments	(24,443)	_		

5. TAX

Provision for Hong Kong profits tax has been made at the rate of 17.5% (2005: 17.5%) on the estimated assessable profits arising in Hong Kong during the period.

	Six months en	ded 30 June	
	2006		
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Current – Hong Kong			
Charge for the period	2,400	159	
Underprovision in prior period		494	
	2,400	653	

6. DIVIDEND

	Six months of	ended 30 June	
	2006		
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Interim dividend - HK2.0 cents (2005: Nil) per ordinary share	10,615		

7. EARNINGS PER SHARE

(a) Basic earnings per share

The calculation of basic earnings per share amount is based on the unaudited profit for the period of HK\$50,229,296 (2005: HK\$5,223,703) and 530,759,126 (2005: 530,759,126) ordinary shares in issue during the period.

(b) Diluted earnings per share

No diluted earnings per share has been presented for the current and prior periods because there was no dilutive potential ordinary share in existence during these periods.

8. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

9.

	30 June 2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$</i> '000	31 December 2005 (Audited) <i>HK\$'000</i>
Available-for-sale investments:		
Listed equity investments in Hong Kong at fair value	26,653	18,786
Unlisted equity investment in Hong Kong at fair value	236,777	236,777
Unlisted club debentures at fair value		2,470
	265,900	258,033
Embedded derivative liability on the unlisted equity investment at fair value	(60,429)	(50,621)
	205,471	207,412
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE		
	30 June	31 December
	2006	2005
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Accounts receivable	206,873	142,742
Less: Impairment	(23,807)	(23,807)
	183,066	118,935

An aged analysis of accounts receivable is as follows:

Current to 30 days	172,439	112,909
31 to 60 days	8,574	2,173
61 to 90 days	944	2,896
Over 90 days	24,916	24,764
	206,873	142,742

Save for credit period allowed by the Group, the accounts receivable shall be due on the settlement day of the respective securities and commodities transactions.

Included in the accounts receivable balance at the balance sheet date is a broker receivable amount due from a substantial beneficial shareholder of the Company, Shenyin & Wanguo Securities Co., Ltd. ("SWSC"), of HK\$8,063,278 (31 December 2005: HK\$1,295,299) which arose from securities dealing transactions. This balance is unsecured, interest-free and repayable on the settlement day of the relevant trades.

10. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

An aged analysis of accounts payable is as follows:

30 June	31 December
2006	2005
(Unaudited)	(Audited)
HK\$'000	HK\$'000
777,270	600,780
	2006 (Unaudited) <i>HK\$'000</i>

Included in the accounts payable balance at the balance sheet date is a broker payable amount due to a substantial beneficial shareholder of the Company, SWSC, of HK\$127,432 (31 December 2005: HK\$9,104,695) which arose from securities dealing transactions. This balance is unsecured, interest-free and payable on the settlement day of the relevant trades.

Included in the accounts payable balance at the balance sheet date is segregated client money held on behalf of another substantial beneficial shareholder, Shenyin Wanguo (H.K.) Holdings Limited ("SWHKH"), of HK\$19,959,236 (31 December 2005: HK\$22,242,658) which also arose from securities dealing transactions. This balance is unsecured, bears interest at bank deposit savings rate per annum and is payable on request.

11. **REVIEW OF ACCOUNTS**

The Audit Committee has reviewed the unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2006.

INTERIM DIVIDEND

The Board of Directors has declared an interim dividend of HK2.0 cents (2005: Nil) per ordinary share for the six months ended 30th June 2006, to shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on 29 September 2006. The dividend will be payable on or about 9 October 2006.

CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS

The register of members of the Company will be closed from 26 September 2006, Tuesday to 29 September 2006, Friday both days inclusive, during which period no transfers of shares of the Company will be registered. In order to qualify for interim dividend, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Registrars, Tengis Limited, at Level 25, Three Pacific Place, 1 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong for registration by no later than 4:00 p.m. on 25 September 2006, Monday.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Business Review

In the first half of the year, the Group achieved an unaudited profit attributable to shareholders of HK\$50.23 million (2005 : HK\$5.22 million), representing an increase of 862% over 2005 while the turnover of the Group raised approximately by HK\$59 million to HK\$159 million on a year-on-year comparison (2005: HK\$100 million).

The Group continued to focus on its stockbroking businesses principally on the stocks listed on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited as well as B shares listed on the Shanghai and Shenzhen Stock Exchanges. The stockbroking business contributed HK\$38 million to the Group's revenue while the number of clients increased by 17% for the six months ended 30 June 2006.

In the first half of 2006, Bank of China Limited served as the core focus of capital raising activities and the market sentiment for subscribing new shares remained strong. Shenyin Wanguo Capital (H.K.) Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, respectively participated in the initial public offering ("IPO") of large H shares of Bank of China Limited, Dalian Port (PDA) Company Limited and Shanghai Prime Machinery Company Limited as well as in the issue of new shares of Champion Real Estate Investment Trust and Golden Eagle Retail Group Limited etc. Besides, Shenyin Wanguo Capital (H.K.) Limited acted as a financial adviser to several listed companies including Shanghai Donghua Petrochemical Co, Ltd., Shanghai Zendai Property Limited and Wai Yuen Tong Medicine Holdings Limited.

First quarter of 2006 saw very strong performance out of offshore listed (non A & B shares) Chinese equities driven by excess global liquidity pouring into emerging markets, including high energy and commodity prices, given that large proportion of offshore listed Chinese equities are commodity based enterprises. Performance of domestic listed A shares, caught up in the second quarter as positive results of the non trade-able share reform (management incentivised to maximize shareholders' value, merger & acquisition made possible) have started to emerge. All funds and segregated portfolios under management have recorded good performance as a result.

Against such backdrop, business development focus in second half 2006 will be to further penetrate and capture new institutional clients in existing markets as well as to develop new markets where expertise in investment in China are in good demand.

Market Review

The Hong Kong economy maintained a stable momentum of development in the first half of 2006, which was evidenced by a 5.2% growth in Gross Domestic Product ("GDP"), a 5.0% growth in local consumption and a 4.3% growth in fixed capital formation in the second quarter as compared to the corresponding period of last year. In the first half of 2006, Hong Kong's overall exports and imports of goods increased by 10.2% and 10.1%, respectively. According to the published statistics, the unemployment rate between April and June 2006 stayed at 5.0%, a further drop of 1% as compared with 6% of last year.

As benefited from the continuous upturn of the overall economy, the Hong Kong securities market traded actively. The Stock Exchange recorded an average daily turnover of HK\$32.2 billion between January and June this year, a rise of 77% from that of last year. The IPO of Bank of China Limited raised HK\$87.6 billion and its successful listing on the Stock Exchange on 1 June 2006 set a historic record for the largest IPO financing activity of the Stock Exchange. Between January and June this year, funds raised in the Hong Kong securities market amounted to HK\$112 billion, driving up the market values of Hong Kong-listed securities to over HK\$10 trillion.

In the first half of this year, the Group, by adjusting its business strategies and leveraging on its deep understanding of the PRC Mainland market, spared no effort in developing the market of institutional customers and local retail clients, and the progress was proved to be satisfactory. The Group further enhanced its cooperation with the parent company in the scope of research and dedicated to improve its services with a focus on the provision of professional consultancy services for customers investing in red-chip China enterprises stock. We also strived to propose PRC Mainland enterprises for listing in Hong Kong and providing various consultancy services for listed state-owned enterprises and such businesses have achieved substantial progress.

B-share activity picked up during the first six months of the year. However, a moratorium on new issues remained in place. The B-share indices on the Shanghai and Shenzhen Stock Exchanges reached highs (and lows) of 101.4 (62.9) and 324.1 (199.2), respectively, during the period. The average daily turnover of the B-shares increased to RMB 220.6 million from RMB 80.2 million for the Shanghai Stock Exchange and increased to RMB 299.5 million from RMB 203.3 million for the Shenzhen Stock Exchange, respectively, over the same period as of last year.

Looking Ahead

The GDP growth rate of the PRC Mainland in the first half of this year reached 10.3%, which provided staunch support for the expansion of the Hong Kong economy. It is anticipated that the continuous development of the PRC Mainland economy, and with support of the government policies, will add impetus to the future growth of the Hong Kong economy. According to the business prospect survey conducted by the Census and Statistics Department of Hong Kong, 38% of the respondents expected the business situation to be better in the third quarter over the second quarter this year, as compared to a mere 6% expecting it to be worse. All respondents expected an increase in turnover or output in the third quarter over the second quarter.

The implementation of QDII policy of the PRC Mainland and the anticipation for RMB appreciation will give a boost to Hong Kong market which is expected to be revealed in the second half of the year. The forth-coming financing activities of large state-owned enterprises, such as Industrial and Commercial Bank of China, will also push up the market values of the Hong Kong securities market. It is expected that the Hong Kong securities market will remain active in the second half of the year.

However, it should be noted that macro-economic measures of the Central Government, interest rate policies of the US Federal Reserve, fluctuations in commodity prices, sustained high oil prices and regional conflicts may have an unfavourable impact on the Hong Kong securities market in the second half of the year.

In this environment, we will take a conservative approach in our proprietary trading, provision of margin financing to clients and business expansion while prudent cost controls will remain in place. At the same time, the Group will continue to proactively tap business opportunities to provide financial advisory and capital raising services to PRC Mainland enterprises, strengthen our traditional stockbroking business and maintain high liquidity to respond to opportunities which may arise at any time. Further, we will continue to work closely with our parent company, SWSC, in co-marketing efforts on various aspects, in order to strengthen the existing institutional brokerage business of the Group and the parent

company as well as establish new institutional brokerage business. The Group will continue to recruit sales professionals to maintain our market share and increase operating revenue amidst the on-going keen competition in the industry.

Capital Structure

During the period, there was no change to the share capital of the Company. As at 30 June 2006, the total number of the issued ordinary shares was 530,759,126 shares and total equity attributable to shareholders was HK\$754 million.

Liquidity, Financial Resources and Gearing Ratio

As at 30 June 2006, the Group had a cash holding of HK\$93.4 million and short-term marketable securities of HK\$11.9 million. As at 30 June 2006, the Group's total unutilised banking facilities amounted to HK\$515 million, of which HK\$100 million could be drawn down without the need of notice nor completion of condition precedent.

As at 30 June 2006, the Group had no outstanding borrowings and the liquidity ratio (current assets to current liabilities) was 1.45.

The Group has sufficient financial resources for its day to day operations as well as spare capacity to take advantage of any investment opportunities when they arise.

Significant Investment Held, Material Acquisition and Disposal

During the period, the Group continued to derive a stable earnings stream from its 26.19% interest in The New China Hong Kong Highway Limited ("NCHK"), which in turn held a 60% interest in Sichuan Chengmian Expressway Co., Ltd. ("SCECL"). In accordance with the terms of the joint venture agreement, from 22 December 2003 to 21 December 2008, NCHK is entitled to 60% of the net profit generated by SCECL which are derived from the financial statements of SCECL. The interests in associates had a carrying value of HK\$104.2 million as at 30 June 2006.

At the balance sheet date, the Group held 2,651,472,241 convertible non-voting redeemable preference shares of Century City International Holdings Limited ("CCIH") ("the Preference Shares"). The Preference Shares may be converted into fully paid CCIH ordinary shares on the basis of one CCIH ordinary share for one Preference Share. The Preference Shares can be converted into fully paid CCIH ordinary shares, in stages starting from 15 December 2006, up to 15 December 2009. CCIH has the right to redeem all or part of the Preference Shares at the rate of HK\$0.15 for every Preference Share. The Preference Shares are stated at the fair value of HK\$176.3 million as at 30 June 2006.

During the period, the Group did not have any material acquisition and disposal.

Charges on the Group's Asset

The Group's interest in associates has been pledged to a bank as security for a stand-by short-term loan facility. As at 30 June 2006, the Group did not utilise this stand-by loan facility.

Risk Management

The Group has properly put in place credit management policies which cover the examination of the approval of clients' trading and credit limits, regular reviews of facilities granted, monitoring of credit exposures and the follow up of credit risks associated with overdue debts. The policies are reviewed and updated regularly.

The management closely monitors the market condition so that precautionary measures will be taken to minimise any risk that the Group may encounter. As at 30 June 2006, the advances to customers included direct loans of HK\$0.03 million (31 December 2005: HK\$0.03 million) and margin financing of HK\$254.21 million (31 December 2005: HK\$146.99 million). All direct loans were advanced to individual borrowers. In respect of margin financing, 10% (31 December 2005: 13%) was attributable to corporate borrowers with the remaining attributable to individual borrowers.

Exposure to Fluctuations in Exchange Rates and Any Related Hedges

The Group's exposure to fluctuations in exchange rates arises from its dealings in overseas share markets. Such dealings are entered into on behalf of clients of the Group and accounted for a small portion of the Group's revenue. A material portion of such overseas transactions is denominated in United States dollars. The pegged exchange rate between USD and HKD kept the Group's exchange risk exposure to a minimum and thus, no hedging was required. Exchange gains and/or losses are dealt with in the income statement. The Group closely monitors its foreign currency positions and takes necessary measures if the situations so justify.

Contingent Liabilities

There were no material contingent liabilities as at 30 June 2006.

Future Plans for Material Investments or Capital Assets

Except the future plans as disclosed in the paragraph of "Looking Ahead", the Group had no other future plans for material investments or capital assets as at 30 June 2006.

Employees and Training

As at 30 June 2006, the total number of full-time employees was 122. The total staff costs for the period (excluding directors' fees) amounted to approximately HK\$30.96 million.

The Group is committed to professional training for its employees. In compliance with the relevant requirement of the Securities & Futures Commission, the Group will organise a Continuous Professional Training seminar in September 2006 for all licensed staff members.

PURCHASE, REDEMPTION AND SALE OF LISTED SHARES

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased, redeemed or sold any of the Company's listed shares during the period.

CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Group continued to achieve high standard of corporate governance which it believes is crucial to the development of the Group and to safeguard the interests of the Company's shareholders.

The Company has complied with all the code provisions stipulated in the Code on Corporate Governance Practices contained in Appendix 14 of Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") throughout the accounting period for the six months ended 30 June 2006, except for the following deviations:-

Code Provision A.4.1 stipulates that non-executive directors should be appointed for a specific term, subject to re-election.

Code Provision A.4.2 stipulates that all directors appointed to fill a casual vacancy should retire and be subject to election by shareholders at the first general meeting after their appointment. Every director, including those appointed for a specific term, should be subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years.

At the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on 19th May 2006, a special resolution was passed to amend the relevant Articles of Association of the Company so that every director appointed by the Board during the year shall retire at the next general meeting. Also, every director shall be subject to retirement at least once every three years.

Code Provisions A.4.1 and A.4.2 have been fully complied with since 19th May, 2006.

MODEL CODE FOR SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted the Model Code as the Company's code of conduct for dealings in securities of the Company by the directors. Based on replies from the Company's directors on specific enquiry, all the directors have complied with required standard set out in the Model Code throughout the accounting period covered by the interim report.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company has an audit committee which was established in compliance with Rule 3.21 of the Listing Rules, for the purpose of reviewing and providing supervision over the Group's financial reporting process and internal controls. The audit committee comprises the three independent non-executive directors of the Company.

PUBLICATION OF RESULTS ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE WEBSITE

The Company's interim report containing all the information required by paragraph 46(1) to 46(9) of Appendix 16 of the Listing Rules will be published on the website of the Stock Exchange in due course.

DIRECTORS

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors comprises of Executive Directors, Mr. Feng Guorong, Mr. Lu Wenqing, Mr. Lee Man Chun Tony, Mr. Guo Chun, Mr. Ying Niankang, Non-executive Directors, Mr. Chang Pen Tsao and Mr. Huang Gang, and Independent Non-executive Directors, Mr. Ng Wing Hang Patrick, Mr. Kwok Lam Kwong Larry and Mr. Zhuo Fumin.

By Order of the Board Feng Guorong Chairman

Hong Kong, 8 September 2006

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