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## POSITIVE PROFIT ALERT

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The Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Company wishes to inform shareholders of the Company ("Shareholders") and potential investors that the Group is expected to record a profit for the year ended 30 June 2015 as compared to a loss of approximately HK\$96.1 million recorded for the year ended 30 June 2014. The turnaround of the Group's results is mainly attributable to (i) an interest income on promissory note receivable from a joint venture of approximately HK\$10.9 million (non-cash item); (ii) an estimated increase in fair value of investment properties of approximately HK\$33.1 million (non-cash item); and (iii) a decrease in administrative expenses of approximately HK\$14.2 million recorded for the year ended 30 June 2015 as compared to (i) an impairment loss (net estimated imputed interest expenses) on promissory note receivable from a joint venture of approximately HK\$22.9 million (non-cash item) and (ii) a decrease in fair values of investment properties of approximately HK\$32.1 million (non-cash item) recorded for the year ended 30 June 2014.

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as well as operational data available which have not been audited or reviewed by the Company's auditor. Shareholders and potential investors are advised to refer to details in the annual results announcement of the Company for the year ended 30 June 2015 which is expected to be released in late September 2015.

Shareholders and potential investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.

Made by the order of the Board, the directors of which collectively and individually accept responsibility for the accuracy of this announcement.

By order of the Board **Applied Development Holdings Limited**Wang Jingyu

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Hong Kong, 27 August 2015

As at the date of this announcement, the Executive Directors are Ms. Wang Jingyu, Ms. Ng Kit Ling, Mr. Tsao Hoi Ho and Mr. Meng Song; the Independent Non-executive Directors are Mr. Su Ru Jia, Mr. Lo Yun Tai and Mr. Chan Ming Fai, Terence.

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