



January

Ports and Related Services

Hutchison Port Holdings announces that Karachi International Container Terminal has entered into an agreement with the Karachi Port Trust for the development of its Phase III project at West Wharf of Karachi Port.

February

Telecommunications

Hutchison Telecommunications (Vietnam) S.à r.l. receives an investment licence to co-operate with Hanoi Telecommunication Joint Stock Company to build, operate and develop a mobile telecommunications network in Vietnam.

Property and Hotels

Hutchison Whampoa Properties acquires a site at a prime location in Changsha, the Mainland, for the development of a large-scale luxurious residential estate.



March

Retail

A S Watson Group announces its entry into Turkey with the acquisition of Cosmo Shop, a local health and beauty retail chain.



Ports and Related Services

Hutchison Port Holdings announces agreements with a consortium led by the Alexandria Port Authority for the construction, operation and management of two terminals at Alexandria Port and El Dekheila Port, Egypt.

April

Ports and Related Services

Hutchison Port Holdings and Savi Technology form a new joint-venture company to build and operate an active Radio Frequency Identification based information network to track and manage containerised ocean cargo more efficiently.

May

Property and Hotels

Hutchison Whampoa Properties acquires a site of over two million square metres in Guangzhou for a low-density premium residential development.



June

Retail

Watson's Personal Care Stores Sdn Bhd acquires Apex Pharmacy Sdn Bhd from Apex Healthcare Bhd, a Bursa Malaysia main board-listed company.

Energy, Infrastructure, Finance & Investments and Others

Cheung Kong Infrastructure Holdings Limited and Hongkong Electric Holdings Limited complete the acquisition of Northern Gas Networks in the UK.

July

Telecommunications

3 Ireland commences offering services, with an unprecedented level of value and service to Irish consumers, as well as access to the most advanced 3G network in the country.

Hutchison Telecommunications International Limited completes the acquisition of 60% of the issued capital of PT Hutchison CP Telecommunications (formerly known as "PT Cyber Access Communications") in Indonesia.



August

Retail

A S Watson Group completes its acquisition of Merchant Retail Group, which owns the 120-store The Perfume Shop chain.

September

Retail

A S Watson Group becomes the world's largest health and beauty chain, in terms of the number of stores, following the completion of the full acquisition of Marionnaud Parfumeries SA in Europe.



October

Telecommunications

The Group's global 3G customer base exceeds 10 million.

November

Telecommunications

3 Italia acquires Channel 7 and becomes the first mobile media company in Europe to own a national digital television licence.

Hutchison Telecommunications International India subsidiary enters into agreements to acquire BPL Mobile Cellular, BPL Mobile Communications and Essar Spacetel, leading to a pan-India footprint when completed.

Ports and Related Services

Hutchison Port Holdings and Shenzhen Yantian Port Group sign a joint-venture contract with a total investment of over RMB10 billion to develop the Yantian Port Expansion Project.



Property and Hotels

Hutchison Whampoa Properties acquires a site on Century Avenue in Shanghai Pudong New District for commercial development.

December

Energy, Infrastructure, Finance & Investments and Others

Husky Energy Inc delivers the first shipment of about 600,000 barrels of crude oil from the White Rose field to Irving Oil's New Brunswick refinery for processing and distribution through its regional retail network.

Ports and Related Services

Hutchison Port Holdings enters into a joint-venture agreement with Shanghai International Port (Group) Company Limited, APM Terminals, COSCO and China Shipping Group to jointly develop the Yangshan Deep-water Port Phase II Project.

