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2014 Interim Results Announcement

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## Agenda

■ Hong Kong \& China Retail Markets Key Highlight

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■ 2014 Update \& Outlook

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## Hong Kong \& China Retail Markets Key Highlight

## Hong Kong Retail Market




## China Retail Market



Consumer Price Index


## Key Highlight of the Hong Kong \& Southern China Markets

## Hong Kong Market

- Soft consumer demand

■ High lease renewal at historically high increase despite shop vacancies
■ Difficult to hire and retain frontline staff

- Newspaper and magazine volume decreasing

Southern China Market
■ Stable consumer demand

- Austerity measures affecting gift-giving market

■ Labour cost continues uptrend
■ Online retailing disrupting hypermarkets and department stores

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## ■ Value Zone



## New Products and Re-inventing

■ Ice Cream Zone


## O2O Development



Initiation

## www.FingerShopping.com Website



## New Products and Re-inventing



## New Products and Re－inventing



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## New Products and Re－inventing



## 2014 First Half Financial Results Highlight

## Number of Stores

|  | $\mathbf{1 H 2 0 1 3}$ | End of <br> 2013 | Opened | Closed | $\mathbf{1 H 2 0 1 4}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Circle K Hong Kong | 335 | 335 | 11 | $(10)$ | 336 |
| Circle K Southern China | 81 | 80 | 2 | $(2)$ | 80 |
| $\quad$ Guangzhou (owned) | 70 | 68 | 2 | $(1)$ | 69 |
| $\quad$ Guangzhou (franchised) | 10 | 11 | - | - | 11 |
| Shenzhen | 1 | 1 | - | $(1)$ | - |
| Circle K Macau (franchised) | 24 | 25 | 1 | $(1)$ | 25 |
| Circle K Zhuhai (franchised) | 12 | 11 | 1 | - | 12 |
| Saint Honore HK \& Macau | 98 | 97 | 6 | $(4)$ | 99 |
| Saint Honore Southern China | 44 | 44 | 2 | $(3)$ | 43 |
| CRA Group Total | 594 | 592 | 23 | $(20)$ | 595 |

## Group Turnover



* Less inter-group sales: HK\$36.5M in 1H2O13 and HK\$35.0M in 1H2O14


## Gross Profit \& Other Income



## Group Store Operating Expenses



## Group Net Profit



- FingerShopping Loss

■ Interest Income \& Exchange Gain/Loss

## Net Profit by Market

| (HK\$ Million) | 1H2013 | 1H2014 | Change |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hong Kong \& Macau Markets | 74.2 | 74.8 | $+0.8 \%$ |
| China Market | $(19.7)$ | $(19.8)$ | $-0.5 \%$ |
| FingerShopping | $(1.6)$ | $(5.5)$ | $-2 x$ |
| Interest Income \& Exchange Gain/(Loss) | 7.2 | $(0.8)$ | $-1 x$ |
| CRA Group Net Profit | $\mathbf{6 0 . 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 8 . 7}$ | $\mathbf{- 1 9 . 0 \%}$ |

## Group Net Profit as \% of Turnover

■ Net Profit: -0.6\%


## Basic Earnings Per Share



## 1H2014 Financial Results Highlight

|  | 1H2013 | 1H2014 | Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number of Stores | 594 | 595 | +1 store |
| Group Turnover (HK\$M) | 2,171.6 | 2,238.6 | +3.1\% |
| Group Net Profit (HK\$M) <br> - Excluding FingerShopping and Interest Income \& Exchange Gain/(Loss) | $\begin{aligned} & 60.1 \\ & 54.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 48.7 \\ 55.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} -19.0 \% \\ +0.9 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| Group Net Profit as \% of Turnover <br> Excluding FingerShopping and Interest Income \& Exchange Gain/(Loss) | $\begin{aligned} & 2.8 \\ & 2.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.2 \\ & 2.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.6 \% \\ & -0.1 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| Basic Earnings Per Share (HK cents) <br> - Excluding FingerShopping and Interest Income \& Exchange Gain/(Loss) | $\begin{aligned} & 8.12 \\ & 7.33 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.53 \\ & 7.32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} -19.6 \% \\ -0.1 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| Dividends: <br> - Interim Dividend (HK cents) <br> - Special Dividend (HK cents) | $\begin{gathered} 3.8 \\ 40.0 \end{gathered}$ | 3.1 | $\begin{gathered} -18.4 \% \\ \text { N/A } \end{gathered}$ |

## 2014 Update \& Outlook

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■ Hong Kong market will likely be more challenging than $1^{\text {st }}$ Half
> Political disputes
> Weak consumer sentiment to spend
> High operating costs to continue
■ China market's growth continues to improve but at slow pace
$>$ Austerity measures to continue
> No major stimulus booster
> Impact of online retailing on traditional retailing escalating

Thank You!

