* *For identification purpose only*

The board of directors (the "Board") of Kingboard Chemical Holdings Limited (the "Company") is pleased to announce the unaudited consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group") for the six months ended 30 June 2011 together with the comparative figures for the corresponding period in 2010 as follows:

Condensed Consolidated Income Statement

		Six months ended 30 June	
		2011	**2010**
	Notes	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited) (Restated)
Revenue	*2*	18,953,859	16,459,971
Cost of sales and services rendered		(15,330,116)	(12,868,795)
Gross profit		3,623,743	3,591,176
Other income	*4*	142,017	89,207
Distribution costs		(447,899)	(429,137)
Administrative costs		(794,703)	(730,081)
Finance costs		(156,431)	(87,999)
Share of results of associates		125,043	90,779
Share of results of jointly controlled entities		(687)	(2,765)
Profit before taxation		2,491,083	2,521,180
Income tax expense	*5*	(264,855)	(200,330)
Profit for the period		2,226,228	2,320,850
Profit for the period attributable to:			
Owners of the Company		1,814,339	1,780,371
Non-controlling interests		411,889	540,479
		2,226,228	2,320,850
Earnings per share	*7*		
Basic		HK$2.128	HK$2.108
Diluted		HK$2.113	HK$2.087

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2011	**2010**
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Profit for the period	2,226,228	2,320,850
Other comprehensive income for the period:		
Cash flow hedge:		
Loss on cash flow hedges	(1,375)	(35,760)
Deferred tax recognised in relation to change in cash flow hedges	(4,680)	5,065
Reclassification adjustment relating to transfer of cash flow hedges	35,952	59,667
Investment revaluation reserve:		
Fair value changes of available-for-sale investments	(26,003)	159,277
Reclassification adjustment relating to disposal of available-for-sale investments	(4,550)	(46,771)
Property revaluation reserve:		
Fair value gain on properties transferred to investment properties	290,548	–
Translation reserve:		
Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations and to presentation currency	523,449	219,904
Other comprehensive income for the period (net of tax)	813,341	361,382
Total comprehensive income for the period	3,039,569	2,682,232
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to:		
Owners of the Company	2,532,144	2,105,722
Non-controlling interests	507,425	576,510
	3,039,569	2,682,232

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

	Notes	30 June 2011 HK$'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2010 HK$'000 (Audited)
Non-current assets			
Investment properties		3,344,808	2,130,210
Properties, plant and equipment	*8*	17,553,721	17,574,362
Prepaid lease payments		966,128	919,313
Goodwill		2,288,149	2,288,149
Investments in associates		581,000	564,447
Available-for-sale investments		2,650,438	2,299,936
Interests in jointly controlled entities		262	1,075
Non-current deposits		1,812,438	1,715,339
Deferred tax assets		20,429	25,549
		29,217,373	27,518,380
Current assets			
Inventories		4,915,318	4,023,228
Properties held for development		6,730,737	4,625,399
Trade and other receivables and prepayments	*9*	9,413,476	7,958,511
Bills receivables	*9*	2,288,801	1,932,724
Prepaid lease payments		25,755	23,617
Taxation recoverable		31,196	41,693
Bank balances and cash		4,853,753	5,143,658
		28,259,036	23,748,830
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	*10*	4,916,952	4,368,885
Bills payables	*10*	964,671	1,163,337
Deposits received from pre-sale of residential units		1,264,071	1,061,578
Derivative financial instruments		7,130	47,070
Taxation payable		545,112	591,764
Bank borrowings		4,979,630	5,241,974
		12,677,566	12,474,608
Net current assets		15,581,470	11,274,222
Total assets less current liabilities		44,798,843	38,792,602

	30 June 2011	31 December 2010
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Non-current liabilities		
Deferred tax liabilities	80,534	73,378
Derivative financial instruments	26,931	50,755
Bank borrowings	11,007,888	7,086,134
	11,115,353	7,210,267
	33,683,490	31,582,335
Capital and reserves		
Share capital	85,467	84,950
Share premium and reserves	27,772,106	25,685,224
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	27,857,573	25,770,174
Non-controlling interests	5,825,917	5,812,161
Total equity	33,683,490	31,582,335

HKFRS 11 replaces HKAS 31 "Interests in joint ventures". HKFRS 11 deals with how a joint arrangement of which two or more parties have joint control should be classified. Under HKFRS 11, there are two types of joint arrangements: joint ventures and joint operations. The classification in HKFRS 11 is based on parties' rights and obligations under the arrangements. In contrast, under HKAS 31, there are three different types of joint arrangements: jointly controlled entities, jointly controlled assets and jointly controlled operations. The application of HKFRS 11 might result in changes in the classification of the Group's joint arrangements and will change the accounting treatments.

The Group has already commenced an assessment of the impact of these new and revised standards but is not yet in a position to state whether these new and revised standards would have a material impact on its results of operations and financial position.

2. Segment information

Rental income from property investments is reclassified as part of the principal activities of the Group and as a result, the rental income of HK$100,331,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2011 was reclassified as revenue from other income. The directors of the Company are of the opinion that such reclassification is necessary to give a better understanding of the performance of the Group and the comparative amounts presented have been restated to conform with the revised classification.

HKFRS 8 "Operating Segments" requires operating segments to be identified on the basis of internal reports about components of the Group that are regularly reviewed by the chief operating decision maker ("CODM") in order to allocate resources to segments and to access their performance. Specifically, the Group's operating segments under HKFRS 8 are as follows:

Laminates	–	manufacture and sale of laminates
Printed circuit boards ("PCBs")	–	manufacture and sale of PCBs
Chemicals	–	manufacture and sale of chemicals
Properties	–	property developments and investments
Others	–	manufacture and sale of liquid crystal displays,i2cpnetic products and others

Under HKFRS 8, reported segment information is based on internal management reporting information that is regularly reviewed by the executive directors, being the CODM of the Group. The measurement

Segment revenues and results by reportable segments are presented below:

	Laminates	PCBs	Chemicals	Properties	Others	Eliminations	Consolidated
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*
Six months ended 30 June 2011							
Segment revenue							
External sales	5,825,716	4,021,582	8,625,697	100,331	380,533	–	18,953,859
Inter-segment sales	1,343,156	–	452,726	–	7,269	(1,803,151)	–
Total	7,168,872	4,021,582	9,078,423	100,331	387,802	(1,803,151)	18,953,859
Result							
Segment result	1,089,741	352,511	1,065,515	84,276	15,139		2,607,182
Unallocated corporate income							75,988
Unallocated corporate expenses							(160,012)
Finance costs							(156,431)
Share of results of associates							125,043
Share of results of jointly controlled entities							(687)
Profit before taxation							2,491,083
Income tax expense							(264,855)
Profit for the period							2,226,228

Inter-segment sales are charged by reference to market prices.

	Laminates	PCBs	Chemicals	Properties	Others	Eliminations	Consolidated
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*	*HK$'000*
Six months ended 30 June 2010 (Restated)							
Segment revenue							
External sales	5,283,197	4,538,290	6,208,530	58,249	371,705	–	16,459,971
Inter-segment sales	1,570,565	–	369,393	–	6,459	(1,946,417)	–
Total	6,-1. 393 265.4159 Tm.025 40.0 0 96,459,971						

3. Depreciation

During the reporting period, depreciation of approximately HK$1,065.9 million (1 January 2010 to 30 June 2010: HK$1,023.3 million) was charged in respect of the Group's properties, plant and equipment.

4. Other income

6. Interim dividend

The Directors have resolved to declare an interim dividend for the six months ended 30 June 2011 of HK40 cents (2010: HK50 cents) per share to the shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on Monday, 19 September 2011. The dividend warrants will be dispatched on or around Friday, 23 September 2011.

7. Earnings per share

The calculations of the basic and diluted earnings per share attributable to the owners of the Company are based on the following data:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2011	**2010**
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Earnings for the purpose of calculating basic and diluted earnings per share	1,814,339	1,780,371

	Number of shares	
	30 June 2011	**30 June 2010**
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of calculating basic earnings per share	852,566,187	844,739,534
Add: Effect of dilutive potential ordinary shares relating to:		
– outstanding share options issued by the Company	1,762,901	8,177,686
– outstanding warrants issued by the Company	4,243,159	–
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share	858,572,247	852,917,220

8. Additions to properties, plant and equipment

During the reporting period, the Group spent approximately HK$1,143 million (1 January 2010 to 30 June 2010: HK$780 million) on acquisition of properties, plant and equipment.

9. Trade and other receivables and prepayments and bills receivables

	30 June 2011	31 December 2010
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Trade receivables	6,056,310	5,159,244
Advance to suppliers	1,025,524	947,077
Other receivables and prepayments	2,331,642	1,852,190
	9,413,476	7,958,511

The Group allows credit periods of up to 120 days, depending on the products sold, to its trade customers. The following is an aged analysis of the trade receivables at the end of the reporting period:

	30 June 2011	31 December 2010
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
0 – 90 days	4,891,214	4,190,710
91 – 180 days	1,108,451	907,357
Over 180 days	56,645	61,177
	6,056,310	5,159,244

Included in trade receivables are receivables for sales to a substantial shareholder of the Company of approximately HK$203,623,000 (31.12.2010: HK$19,008,000).

All bills receivables of the Group are aged within 90 days at the end of the reporting period.

10. Trade and other payables and bills payables

The following is an aged analysis of the trade payables at the end of the reporting period:

	30 June 2011	31 December 2010
	HK$'000	*HK$'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
0 – 90 days	1,688,713	1,658,076
91 – 180 days	343,432	347,702
Over 180 days	232,981	191,247
	2,265,126	2,197,025

Included in trade payables are payables for purchases from a substantial shareholder of the Company of approximately HK$108,753,000 (31.12.2010: HK$34,485,000).

All bills payables of the Group are aged within 90 days at the end of the reporting period.

PERFORMANCE

In the first quarter of 2011 ("Q1 2011"), demand for laminate products rebounded from the levels seen in the last quarter of 2010. Average selling price ("ASP") for laminate products, especially glass epoxy laminates, showed an uptrend in Q1 2011 due to higher copper price compared with Q1 2010. In Q2 2011, the global electronics supply chain was impacted badly by the unprecedented earthquake in Japan. Shortage of certain key electronics components caused across-the-board inventory adjustments by our end-customers which in turn dampened the demand for laminates. The consequent lower utilisation rate of our production facilities compared with the corresponding period last year, coupled with raw material and operating cost increases, squeezed the division's margins. Overall laminate shipment volume was down 8%, with an average monthly shipment of 8.8 million square metres. However, despite signs of slowdown in the global economy, the China domestic market remained buoyant. Laminate division strategically expanded its business presence in China, and Renminbi ("RMB") revenue contribution jumped to 42% in the current period from 39% last year. Overall laminate division revenue (including inter-segment sales) was HK$7,168.9 million, with EBITDA at HK$1,487.5 million.

Similar to the laminate division, performance of the PCB division was also affected by weaker demand for PCB products especially conventional PCBs due to the disruption of the electronics supply chain in Q2 2011. Nevertheless, underpinned by stringent cost control initiatives and ongoing product mix upgrade, the Group was able to mitigate cost pressure from labour and raw material cost increases as well as RMB appreciation. Demand for high density interconnects ("HDI") PCBs remained strong, driven by a surge in the production of high-end electronics products, such as smartphones. The Group focused on expanding HDI business with support from the two dedicated HDI plants in Kaiping, Guangdong province and Kunshan, Jiangsu province, which enabled the division to seize the thriving HDI market opportunity. HDI PCB turnover contribution surged to 16% of PCB sales in 1H 2011 from 10% in 1H 2010. Turnover of the PCB division reached HK$4,021.6 million while EBITDA was HK$621.7 million.

Chemical division posted remarkable results, with increases in chemicals shipment volume and ASP against the same period last year. Boosted by robust demand and the strong ASP for phenol/acetone in 1H 2011, our phenol/acetone plant in Huizhou, Guangdong province, mical divi

The Group's key investment properties in eastern and southern China continued to generate stable rental income. Shanghai Kingboard Modern Plaza and Guangzhou Zhan Wang Digital Plaza have consistently made a steady earnings contribution. Renovation of Guangzhou Dong Zhao Building was completed in March of this year. Leasing activities of this building have commenced with the occupancy rate recently reaching 50% of lettable area. Rental income

HUMAN RESOURCES

As at 30 June 2011, the Group had a global workforce of approximately 49,300 (31 December 2010 – 47,300). The increase in headcount was in line with the expanded business activities. In addition to offering a competitive salary package, the Group grants share options and discretionary bonuses to eligible employees based on our overall financial achievement and individual performance.

PROSPECTS

Looking ahead to the second half of 2011 ("2H 2011"), the outlook for the global economy remains uncertain owing to concerns about the ongoing eurozone debt crisis and a slowdown in the US economy. Benefitting from solid business fundamentals and a seasoned management team, the Group is confident that it can face any headwinds that may occur. Meanwhile, with continued accelerating urbanisation and industrialisation in the PRC, demand for electronics and chemical products is expected to maintain a positive growth momentum. Our well diversified business portfolio has always effectively mitigated risk exposure for the Group during different economic cycles, and we will continue to invest in our core businesses so as to deliver attractive returns for our shareholders in future.

With regard to the laminate division, the Group will focus on expanding the domestic market business in China to gain additional market share. Laminates order book and ASP have shown an uptrend at the beginning of the third quarter of 2011. New monthly capacities of 400,000 sheets of composite epoxy material ("CEM") and glass epoxy laminates from our plant in Jiangyin, Jiangsu province already went into mass production in Q2 2011. Additional monthly capacities of 400,000 sheets of CEM and glass epoxy laminates are expected to commence trial production early next year. Meanwhile, the Group also plans to increase its capacity of high performance laminates at its Jiangmen plant in Guangdong province in order to meet buoyant laminate demand for multilayer and HDI PCBs. Furthermore, plans for a new glass fabric and glass yarn plants in Changzhou, Jiangsu province, are also underway. Trial production schedule will be fixed in due course in accordance with market demand.

High-end communication devices and high technology electronics products are set to become the next major growth driver in the market. The Group will therefore continue to expand HDI PCB capacity to meet customer demand. Two dedicated HDI plants in Kaiping and Kunshan will progressively ramp up HDI capacity in line with the Group's strategy. In addition, phase I of the new PCB base in Yangzhou, Jiangsu province, is expected to start trial production by end of this year.

In order to increase our market share in the domestic chemical market, the Group will allocate more resources to the chemical division. The new Yangzhou phenol/acetone plant is expected to commence trial production by the end of 2011, with an annual capacity of 300,000 tonnes. Resource sharing with the Yangzhou chemical refinery plant at the same site will help to secure the supply of feedstock for the phenol/acetone plant. This project is expected to become another strong growth impetus for the chemical division next year. Meanwhile, our capacity enhancement plan for the existing phenol/acetone plant in Huizhou is currently in the pipeline so as to further improve operating efficiency.

Earnings in connection with the Group's residential development project in Shanghai Xu Garden in Kunshan will be recognized in 2H 2011. In addition, pre-sale for another residential project in Kunshan Qiandeng Yu Garden is also expected to commence in 2H 2011. With this new income stream, the property division is expected to gain momentum in the coming year.

CLOSURE OF REGISTER OF MEMBERS AND REGISTER OF WARRANTHOLDERS

For the purpose of determining the entitlement of the Shareholders to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting to be held on 30 June 2011, the register of members of the Company will be closed from Friday, 24 June 2011 to Thursday, 30 June 2011, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be effected. In order to be eligible to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, all transfer documents accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office, Tricor Secretaries Limited, at 26th Floor, Tesbury Centre, 28 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong not later than 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 22 June 2011.

APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Board, I would like to express our sincere appreciation to our shareholders, business partners and bankers for their support to the Group. I would also like to thank our management team and staff members for their dedication and contribution to the Group.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF COMPANY'S LISTED SECURITIES

During the six months ended 30 June 2011, neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities, including sale of treasury shares (as defined in the Listing Rules).

COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

In the opinion of the Directors, the Company has complied with the code provisions of the Code on Corporate Governance Practices (the "Code") as set out in Appendix 14 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules") throughout the six months ended 30 June 2011, save for the deviation that the non-executive Director and independent non-executive Directors are not appointed for specific terms pursuant to paragraph A.4.1 of the Code. Notwithstanding the aforesaid deviation, all the Directors (including the non-executive Director and independent non-executive Directors) are subject to retirement by rotation and re-election at the Company's annual general meeting in compliance with the Company's Articles of Association. As such, the Company considers that sufficient measures have been taken to ensure that the Company's corporate governance practices are no less exacting than those in the Code.

The Company has adopted a code of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors on terms no less exacting than the required standard set out in the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules (the "Model Code"). Following a specific enquiry, each Director has confirmed that he or she has complied with the required standard set out in the Model Code and the code of conduct regarding securities transactions by Directors adopted by the Company throughout the six months ended 30 June 2011.

By Order of the Board
Kingboard Chemical Holdings Limited
Cheung Kwok Wing
Chairman

Hong Kong, 29 August 2011

As at the date of this announcement, the Board consists of Messrs. Cheung Kwok Wing, Cheung Kwong Kwan, Chang Wing Yiu, Ho Yin Sang, Cheung Wai Lin, Stephanie, Mok Cham Hung, Chadwick, and Chen Maosheng, being the executive Directors, Mr. Chan Wing Kwan, being the non-executive Director, and Messrs. Cheng Wai Chee, Christopher, Henry Tan, Lai Chung Wing, Robert and Tse Kam Hung, being the independent non-executive Directors.