



# 港燈電力投資

## HK Electric Investments

HK Electric Investments  
and  
HK Electric Investments Limited  
(Stock Code: 2638)



Interim Report **2022**

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
Revenue	HK\$4,893 million	HK\$5,249 million
Distribution amount	HK\$1,408 million	HK\$1,408 million
Interim Distribution per Share Stapled Unit	HK15.94 cents	HK15.94 cents

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## CORPORATE INFORMATION

### **HK Electric Investments Manager Limited (港燈電力投資管理人有限公司)**

(Incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability, the trustee-manager of HK Electric Investments)

and

### **HK Electric Investments Limited (港燈電力投資有限公司)**

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

#### **Board of Directors**

##### **Executive Directors**

FOK Kin Ning, Canning (*Chairman*)  
(WOO Mo Fong, Susan  
(alias CHOW WOO Mo Fong, Susan)  
as his alternate)  
WAN Chi Tin (*Chief Executive Officer*)  
CHAN Loi Shun  
CHEN Daobiao  
(*Resigned on 22 July 2022*)  
CHENG Cho Ying, Francis  
WANG Yuanhang  
(*Appointed on 22 July 2022*)

##### **Non-executive Directors**

LI Tzar Kuoi, Victor (*Deputy Chairman*)  
(Frank John SIXT as his alternate)  
Fahad Hamad A H AL-MOHANNADI  
Ronald Joseph ARCULLI  
DUAN Guangming  
Deven Arvind KARNIK  
ZHU Guangchao

##### **Independent Non-executive Directors**

FONG Chi Wai, Alex  
KOH Poh Wah  
KWAN Kai Cheong  
LEE Lan Yee, Francis  
George Colin MAGNUS  
Donald Jeffrey ROBERTS  
Ralph Raymond SHEA  
(*Retired on 18 May 2022*)

#### **Trustee-Manager Audit Committee**

Donald Jeffrey ROBERTS (*Chairman*)  
Ronald Joseph ARCULLI  
KOH Poh Wah  
LEE Lan Yee, Francis

#### **Company Audit Committee**

Donald Jeffrey ROBERTS (*Chairman*)  
Ronald Joseph ARCULLI  
KOH Poh Wah  
LEE Lan Yee, Francis

#### **Remuneration Committee**

Donald Jeffrey ROBERTS (*Chairman*)  
FOK Kin Ning, Canning  
FONG Chi Wai, Alex

#### **Nomination Committee**

LEE Lan Yee, Francis (*Chairman*)  
KWAN Kai Cheong  
(*Appointed on 18 May 2022*)  
LI Tzar Kuoi, Victor  
Ralph Raymond SHEA  
(*Ceased on 18 May 2022*)

#### **Sustainability Committee**

WAN Chi Tin (*Chairman*)  
CHENG Cho Ying, Francis  
FONG Chi Wai, Alex

#### **Company Secretary**

Alex NG

#### **Principal Bankers**

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking  
Corporation Limited  
Bank of China (Hong Kong) Limited  
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.  
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#### **Auditor**

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## Principal Share Registrar

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## KEY DATES AND SHARE STAPLED UNIT INFORMATION

### Key Dates

<b>Interim Results Announcement</b>	2 August 2022
<b>Ex-distribution Date</b>	16 August 2022
<b>Record Date for Interim Distribution</b>	17 August 2022
<b>Payment of Interim Distribution (HK15.94 cents per Share Stapled Unit)</b>	26 August 2022
<b>Financial Year End</b>	31 December 2022

### Share Stapled Unit Information

<b>Board Lot</b>	500 Share Stapled Units
<b>Market Capitalisation as at 30 June 2022</b>	HK\$63,621 million
<b>Share Stapled Unit to American Depository Share Ratio</b>	10:1
<b>Stock Codes</b>	
The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited	2638
Bloomberg	2638 HK
Refinitiv	2638.HK
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## CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

During the first half of 2022, HKEI and its wholly owned subsidiary, HK Electric, focused primarily on maintaining the right balance between providing affordable, reliable, safe, and clean electricity to the Hong Kong community while working systematically to help attain the city's decarbonisation goals. We moved ahead with the key initiatives under our Development Plan, most notably commissioning a new gas-fired combined-cycle generating unit at Lamma Power Station and planning for an offshore wind farm in Hong Kong waters.

We were not immune to the highly challenging local and international socio-economic conditions. While the fifth wave of the COVID-19 pandemic in Hong Kong has dampened the city's economic recovery, unprecedented fuel scarcities and price surges around the world placed pressure on both our fuel costs and our customers' tariff.

To support the vulnerable during this difficult time, we extended a range of relief measures, including free dining coupons and bill payment deferral for those most affected.

### Half-year Results

For the six months ended 30 June 2022, HKEI's EBITDA amounted to HK\$3,377 million (2021: HK\$3,640 million) and unaudited profit attributable to holders of Share Stapled Units (SSU) was HK\$894 million (2021: HK\$880 million).

### Interim Distribution

Distributable income for the period was HK\$1,408 million (2021: HK\$1,408 million), which will be 100% distributed to SSU holders.

The Board of the Trustee-Manager has declared an interim distribution of HK15.94 cents (2021: HK15.94 cents) per SSU, payable on 26 August 2022 to SSU holders whose names appear on the Share Stapled Units Register on 17 August 2022.

## Strategic Transition to Green Energy

We maintained momentum on our strategic plans to transition to a green energy regime in support of Hong Kong's long-term decarbonisation goals. Our approach to accomplishing these aims is three-pronged: increase the use of natural gas, promote renewable energy, and assist community efforts to decarbonise.

Following its synchronisation into the grid in November 2021, L11, the second of the three new 380-MW gas-fired combined-cycle generating units to be built under the current Development Plan, was put into commercial operation in May 2022. With this new unit in place, our proportion of gas-fired generation will increase further. It has also allowed us to retire an older gas-fired unit (GT57) of lower efficiency.

The construction of L12, the last of the three new gas-fired generating units, remains on track for launch in 2023, having completed concreting and erection of structural steel for the main station building, with equipment erection underway. We also made headway on building a new offshore liquefied natural gas (LNG) terminal using Floating Storage and Regasification Unit technology. Shop fabrication and associated offshore installation of the jetty topside structure and equipment have been accomplished, and hook-up and pre-commissioning of the jetty topside equipment continue. The terminal is targeted to go into commercial operation by the first half of 2023. Once commissioned, the facility will provide us with greater access to natural gas at competitive prices and enhance our LNG supply reliability.

We are revisiting the development of an offshore wind farm located southwest of Lamma Island to promote the wider use of renewable energy in Hong Kong. In May, the Government approved our application for variation of an environmental permit obtained years ago, which will allow us to use more effective wind power generation technologies developed in recent years. We are conducting various technical feasibility studies covering wind data, aviation and marine traffic impacts, and wind turbine models. Once it becomes operational, the wind farm's installed capacity of around 150 MW will be capable of generating about 4% of our total electricity output, saving around 284,000 tonnes of carbon dioxide emissions every year.

In addition, customers are encouraged to install their own renewable energy systems through the Feed-in Tariff (FiT) Scheme. During the first half of the year, we connected about 50 new customer installations to the grid, and approved or processed over 250 more applications. Following the decline in solar photovoltaic system costs, the Government lowered the FiT rates to a range of HK\$2.5 to HK\$4 per kWh beginning on 27 April 2022.

## CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT *(Continued)*

Our Development Plan also details the deployment of smart meters and Advanced Metering Infrastructure, the data from which will empower customers to better manage and control their own electricity consumption via the HK Electric mobile app or corporate website. District-by-district rollout of these meters continued despite COVID-19 restrictions; as a result, 25% of our customer base is now equipped with smart meters. We are on track to install 240,000 meters by the end of 2022.

Other measures we are taking to enable the community to achieve its decarbonisation goals include supporting the electrification of transport and promoting energy efficiency and conservation.

As a long-term advocate and enabler of the electrification of Hong Kong's transport, both private and public, we provided technical consultancy and support to customers seeking to install charging facilities for electric vehicles (EVs) under the Government's EV-charging at Home Subsidy Scheme (EHSS) or using their own resources. We have processed about 400 applications for electricity supply, covering close to 50,000 parking spaces under the EHSS. Apart from the Scheme, we also provided one-stop service to assist other customers to install EV chargers on their premises, covering around 300 parking spaces so far. We also served as EV-charging consultants for the Government's own fleet of vehicles, as well as for public light buses, ferries, and taxis.

The funding and service schemes under the Smart Power Services umbrella successfully assisted our customers interested in cutting their own energy footprints. The Smart Power Building Fund approved 54 applications covering 71 buildings, providing a subsidy total of approximately HK\$18 million for projects that will enhance energy efficiency.

Last year, to help promote green living, we launched a competition under the Happy Green Campaign inviting members of the public to illustrate their vision for a decarbonised future. This year, we used the winning designs from that competition to decorate nine of our roadside pillar boxes, furthering our aim of increasing environmental awareness.



## **Maintaining High Quality and Performance Standards**

Electricity sales in the first half of 2022 were significantly depressed by prevailing social distancing measures and milder weather in May as compared with last year, as well as the increased uptake of energy efficiency and conservation efforts across our customer base. Electricity sales showed a decrease of 6.8% as compared to the same six-month period in 2021.

Gas-fired electricity comprised about 50% of the total output from Lamma Power Station. Proactive network maintenance and state-of-the-art IT systems helped us achieve a world-leading electricity supply reliability rating of over 99.9999% with unplanned power interruption of less than 0.5 minute per customer on average. We launched a new Security Operations Centre to protect our critical information and utilities assets from cyber-attacks. During the fifth wave of the COVID-19 pandemic, we optimised the call centre system to enable our call centre agents to handle customer telephone enquiries at home when required.

We froze the basic tariff for 2022 and offered a special rebate of one cent per unit of electricity to alleviate the tariff impact on our customers under the current economic climate. We also support the new round of electricity charges subsidy from the Government, which offers a total of HK\$1,000 to each eligible residential account from June 2022.

Unprecedented upward volatility in fuel prices and scarcity of fuel supply played a critical role in our operating performance during the period. Ongoing geopolitical tensions, combined with a ban on coal exports from Indonesia in the beginning of the year, drove international coal and natural gas prices to record-high levels, creating enormous fuel cost pressure for HK Electric. Although these circumstances were beyond our control, they necessitated the frequent adjustments of the fuel clause charge mechanism to reflect changes in actual fuel costs in a timely and transparent manner. As with most utilities around the world, our net tariff had to increase; the net tariff in June was about 15% higher than that in January of this year.

## **Community and staff support during fifth wave**

The COVID-19 pandemic continued to wreak havoc on lives and livelihoods during the period under review. To help small catering establishments and underprivileged families, we issued a third round of "Care and Share" dining coupons worth a total of HK\$10 million. Fifty thousand low-consumption or concessionary-tariff residential customers can use these coupons at more than 200 eateries. About 500 small caterers also benefitted from a concession that allowed them to defer for two months the payment of their electricity bills between March and May of this year.

## CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT *(Continued)*

We continued to engage with single elderly individuals via social media and online channels under the "CAREnJOY Non-stop" initiative. Limited community and volunteer services resumed on a smaller scale in May, incorporating stringent social distancing measures.

The fifth wave of the pandemic has been characterised by its quick spread; more than 400 HK Electric employees were affected, but the overall high vaccination rate of over 99% meant that most only had mild symptoms. Thanks to a host of precautionary and contingency measures, the infections have not impacted our electricity supply or services to customers.

### Outlook

We are cautiously optimistic for a gradual return to normalcy for businesses and the community in the second half of the year, as the Government begins to relax social distancing measures and local vaccination rates continue to increase. Our foremost priority remains supplying reliable energy while maintaining the momentum of our decarbonisation journey. We are working hard to ensure the commissioning of the offshore LNG terminal and L12, roll out smart meters, support EVs, and develop the offshore wind farm.

However, uncertainties in the pace of economic recovery and an interest rate hike will continue to pose challenges in the immediate future. Volatility in global fuel prices, which we expect will persist for the rest of the year, remains a particular concern. We will closely monitor market changes and stay poised to secure the fuels essential to providing a stable and reliable power supply to Hong Kong.

To close, I would like to acknowledge the commitment of the Board and every one of our talented employees. All our successes and achievements are due to their efforts.

**Fok Kin Ning, Canning**

*Chairman*

Hong Kong, 2 August 2022

# FINANCIAL REVIEW

## Financial Performance

The Trust Group's revenue and unaudited consolidated profit for the period ended 30 June 2022 were HK\$4,893 million (2021: HK\$5,249 million) and HK\$894 million (2021: HK\$880 million) respectively.

## Distribution

The Trustee-Manager Board has declared an interim distribution of HK15.94 cents (2021: HK15.94 cents) per SSU for the six months ended 30 June 2022. In order to enable the Trust to pay that distribution, the Company Board has declared the payment of a first interim dividend in respect of the Company's ordinary shares held by the Trustee-Manager of HK15.94 cents (2021: HK15.94 cents) per ordinary share in respect of the same period.

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022 HK\$ million	2021 HK\$ million
Consolidated profit attributable to SSU holders for the period	894	880
After:		
(i) eliminating the effects of the Adjustments (see note (a) below)	2,616	2,915
(ii) (deducting)/adding		
– movement in Fuel Clause Recovery Account	(756)	(281)
– changes in working capital	(209)	(404)
– adjustment for employee retirement benefit schemes	5	10
– taxes paid	(544)	(448)
	(1,504)	(1,123)
(iii) capital expenditure payment	(3,031)	(2,312)
(iv) net finance costs	(449)	(440)
Distributable income for the period	(1,474)	(80)
(v) adding discretionary amount as determined by the Company Board pursuant to clause 14.1(c) of the Trust Deed	2,882	1,488
Distributable income for the period after adjustment of the discretionary amount	<u>1,408</u>	<u>1,408</u>
Distribution amount for the period	<u>1,408</u>	<u>1,408</u>
Interim distribution amount per SSU	<u>HK15.94 cents</u>	<u>HK15.94 cents</u>

## FINANCIAL REVIEW *(Continued)*

In determining the distribution amount, the Company Board has taken into account the Group's financial performance achieved during the period under review and its stable cashflow from operations, and consider it appropriate to adjust the distributable income for the six months ended 30 June 2022, as calculated pursuant to the Trust Deed, by the above discretionary amount, pursuant to clause 14.1(c) of the Trust Deed.

Note:

- (a) Pursuant to clause 1.1 of the Trust Deed, "Adjustments" includes, but not limited to (i) transfers to/from the Tariff Stabilisation Fund and the Rate Reduction Reserve under the Scheme of Control; (ii) unrealised revaluation gains/losses, including impairment provisions and reversals of impairment provisions; (iii) impairment of goodwill/recognition of negative goodwill; (iv) material non-cash gains/losses; (v) costs of any public offering of Share Stapled Units that are expensed through the consolidated statement of profit or loss but are funded by proceeds from the issuance of such Share Stapled Units; (vi) depreciation and amortisation; (vii) tax charges as shown in the consolidated statement of profit or loss; and (viii) net finance income/costs as shown in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.
- (b) The Trustee-Manager Board has confirmed, in accordance with the Trust Deed, that (i) the auditors of the Trust Group have reviewed and verified the Trustee-Manager's calculation of the above distribution entitlement per SSU and (ii) having made all reasonable enquiries, immediately after making the above distribution to the registered unit holders of the Trust, the Trustee-Manager will be able to fulfill, from the Trust Property (as defined in the Trust Deed), the liabilities of the Trust as they fall due.

### Capital Expenditure, Liquidity and Financial Resources

Capital expenditure (excluding right-of-use assets but including the Trust Group's capital expenditure in the offshore LNG terminal developed by a joint venture) during the period amounted to HK\$2,159 million (2021: HK\$1,812 million), which was funded by cash from operations and external borrowings. Total external borrowings outstanding at 30 June 2022 were HK\$49,688 million (31 December 2021: HK\$46,626 million), comprising unsecured bank loans and debt securities in issue. In addition, the Trust Group at 30 June 2022 had undrawn committed bank facilities of HK\$1,900 million (31 December 2021: HK\$6,250 million) and bank deposits and cash of HK\$55 million (31 December 2021: HK\$34 million).

### Treasury Policy, Financing Activities, Capital and Debt Structure

The Trust Group manages its financial risks in accordance with guidelines laid down in its treasury policy which is designed to manage the Trust Group's currency, interest rate and counterparty risks. Surplus funds, which arise mainly from provision for capital expenditure to be incurred and from electricity bill collection, are placed on short-term deposits denominated in Hong Kong dollars. The Trust Group aims to ensure that adequate financial resources are available for refinancing and business growth whilst maintaining a prudent capital structure.

As at 30 June 2022, the net debt of the Trust Group was HK\$49,633 million (31 December 2021: HK\$46,592 million) with a net debt-to-net total capital ratio of 50% (31 December 2021: 49%). The Trust Group's financial profile remained strong during the period. On 10 March 2022, Standard & Poor's reaffirmed the "A-" long-term credit rating and "Stable" outlook for the Company and HK Electric which had remained unchanged since September 2015 and since January 2014, respectively.

The profile of the Trust Group's external borrowings as at 30 June 2022, after taking into account forward foreign exchange contracts, cross currency and interest rate swaps, was as follows:

- (1) 100% were in Hong Kong dollars;
- (2) 45% were bank loans and 55% were capital market instruments;
- (3) 5% were repayable within 1 year, 54% were repayable after 1 year but within 5 years and 41% were repayable after 5 years; and
- (4) 75% were in fixed rate and 25% were in floating rate.

The Trust Group's policy is to maintain a portion of its debt at fixed interest rates taking into consideration business and operational needs. Interest rate risk is managed by either securing fixed rate borrowings or by using interest rate derivatives.

Currency and interest rate risks are actively managed in accordance with the Trust Group's treasury policy. Derivative financial instruments are used primarily for managing interest rate and foreign currency risks and not for speculative purposes. Treasury transactions are only executed with counterparties with acceptable credit ratings to control counterparty risk exposure.

## FINANCIAL REVIEW *(Continued)*

The Trust Group's principal foreign currency transaction exposures arise from the import of fuel and capital equipment. Foreign currency transaction exposure is managed mainly through forward foreign exchange contracts. As at 30 June 2022, over 90% of the Trust Group's transaction exposure from the import of fuel and capital equipment was either denominated in United States dollars or hedged into Hong Kong or United States dollars. The Trust Group is also exposed to foreign currency fluctuation arising from the foreign currency borrowings. Such exposures are, where appropriate, mitigated by the use of either forward foreign exchange contracts or cross currency swaps.

The contractual notional amounts of derivative financial instruments outstanding at 30 June 2022 amounted to HK\$45,076 million (31 December 2021: HK\$46,730 million).

### Charge on Assets

As at 30 June 2022, no assets of the Trust Group were pledged to secure its loans and banking facilities (31 December 2021: Nil).

### Contingent Liabilities

As at 30 June 2022, the Trust Group had no guarantee or indemnity to external parties (31 December 2021: Nil).

### Employees

The Trust Group maintains a policy of pay-for-performance and the pay levels are monitored to ensure competitiveness is maintained. The Trust Group's total remuneration costs for the six months ended 30 June 2022, excluding directors' emoluments, amounted to HK\$599 million (2021: HK\$589 million). As at 30 June 2022, the Trust Group employed 1,682 (31 December 2021: 1,699) permanent employees. No share option scheme is in operation.

## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS OF THE TRUST AND OF THE COMPANY

For the six months ended 30 June 2022

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2022 \$ million	2021 \$ million
<b>Revenue</b>	6	4,893	5,249
Direct costs		<u>(2,549)</u>	<u>(2,606)</u>
		2,344	2,643
Other revenue and other net income		39	25
Other operating costs	8	<u>(502)</u>	<u>(520)</u>
<b>Operating profit</b>		1,881	2,148
Finance costs		<u>(399)</u>	<u>(400)</u>
<b>Profit before taxation</b>	9	1,482	1,748
Income tax:	10		
Current		<u>(81)</u>	<u>(193)</u>
Deferred		<u>(188)</u>	<u>(122)</u>
		<u>(269)</u>	<u>(315)</u>
<b>Profit after taxation</b>		1,213	1,433
Scheme of Control transfers	11	<u>(319)</u>	<u>(553)</u>
<b>Profit for the period attributable to the holders of Share Stapled Units/ shares of the Company</b>		<u><u>894</u></u>	<u><u>880</u></u>
<b>Earnings per Share Stapled Unit/ share of the Company</b>			
Basic and diluted	12	<u><u>10.12 cents</u></u>	<u><u>9.96 cents</u></u>

The notes on pages 18 to 32 form part of these unaudited consolidated interim financial statements.

As explained in note 3, the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust and the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Company are presented together.

Details of distributions/dividends payable to holders of Share Stapled Units/shares of the Company attributable to the profit for the period are set out in note 23.

## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME OF THE TRUST AND OF THE COMPANY

For the six months ended 30 June 2022

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	2022 \$ million	2021 \$ million
Profit for the period attributable to the holders of Share Stapled Units/shares of the Company	894	880
Other comprehensive income for the period, after tax and reclassification adjustments		
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss		
Cash flow hedges:		
Effective portion of changes in fair value of hedging instruments and cost of hedging recognised during the period	(13)	(33)
Net deferred tax credited to other comprehensive income	2	5
	(11)	(28)
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss		
Cash flow hedges:		
Effective portion of changes in fair value of hedging instruments and cost of hedging recognised during the period	1,098	30
Reclassification adjustments for amounts transferred to profit or loss	35	39
Net deferred tax (charged)/credited to other comprehensive income	(131)	8
	1,002	77
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to the holders of Share Stapled Units/shares of the Company	1,885	929

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## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE TRUST AND OF THE COMPANY

At 30 June 2022

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	(Unaudited) 30 June 2022 \$ million	(Audited) 31 December 2021 \$ million
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment		71,834	71,316
Interests in leasehold land held for own use		5,326	5,424
	13	77,160	76,740
Goodwill		33,623	33,623
Interest in a joint venture	14	717	477
Derivative financial instruments	19	1,634	596
Employee retirement benefit scheme assets		1,043	1,045
		114,177	112,481
<b>Current assets</b>			
Inventories		1,774	904
Trade and other receivables	15	1,762	1,157
Fuel Clause Recovery Account		1,008	252
Bank deposits and cash	16(a)	55	34
		4,599	2,347
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Trade and other payables and contract liabilities	17	(4,417)	(4,078)
Current portion of bank loans and other interest-bearing borrowings	18	(2,336)	(1,233)
Current tax payable		(43)	(506)
		(6,796)	(5,817)
<b>Net current liabilities</b>			
		(2,197)	(3,470)
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>			
		111,980	109,011
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Bank loans and other interest-bearing borrowings	18	(47,352)	(45,393)
Derivative financial instruments	19	(61)	(197)
Customers' deposits		(2,338)	(2,317)
Deferred tax liabilities		(10,299)	(9,982)
Employee retirement benefit scheme liabilities		(353)	(350)
Other non-current liabilities		(1,388)	(1,314)
		(61,791)	(59,553)
<b>Scheme of Control Fund and Reserve</b>			
	20	(1,332)	(1,065)
<b>Net assets</b>			
		48,857	48,393
<b>Capital and reserves</b>			
Share capital	21	8	8
Reserves		48,849	48,385
<b>Total equity</b>			
		48,857	48,393

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## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY OF THE TRUST AND OF THE COMPANY

For the six months ended 30 June 2022

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

\$ million	Attributable to holders of Share Stapled Units/shares of the Company					Total
	Share capital	Share premium	Hedging reserve	Revenue reserve	Proposed/ declared distribution/ dividend	
Balance at 1 January 2021	8	47,472	(379)	(780)	1,422	47,743
Changes in equity for the six months ended 30 June 2021:						
Profit for the period	-	-	-	880	-	880
Other comprehensive income	-	-	49	-	-	49
Total comprehensive income	-	-	49	880	-	929
Amounts transferred to the initial carrying amount of hedged items	-	-	1	-	-	1
Final distribution/second interim dividend in respect of previous year approved and paid	-	-	-	-	(1,422)	(1,422)
Interim distribution/first interim dividend (see note 23)	-	-	-	(1,408)	1,408	-
Balance at 30 June 2021	<u>8</u>	<u>47,472</u>	<u>(329)</u>	<u>(1,308)</u>	<u>1,408</u>	<u>47,251</u>
<b>Balance at 1 January 2022</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>47,472</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>(513)</b>	<b>1,422</b>	<b>48,393</b>
Changes in equity for the six months ended 30 June 2022:						
Profit for the period	-	-	-	894	-	894
Other comprehensive income	-	-	991	-	-	991
Total comprehensive income	-	-	991	894	-	1,885
Amounts transferred to the initial carrying amount of hedged items	-	-	1	-	-	1
Final distribution/second interim dividend in respect of previous year approved and paid	-	-	-	-	(1,422)	(1,422)
Interim distribution/first interim dividend (see note 23)	-	-	-	(1,408)	1,408	-
Balance at 30 June 2022	<u>8</u>	<u>47,472</u>	<u>996</u>	<u>(1,027)</u>	<u>1,408</u>	<u>48,857</u>

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As explained in note 3, the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust and the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Company are presented together.

## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT OF THE TRUST AND OF THE COMPANY

For the six months ended 30 June 2022

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2022 \$ million	2021 \$ million
<b>Operating activities</b>			
Cash generated from operations	16(b)	2,494	3,107
Interest paid		(349)	(345)
Interest received		12	6
Hong Kong Profits Tax paid		(544)	(448)
<b>Net cash generated from operating activities</b>		<b>1,613</b>	<b>2,320</b>
<b>Investing activities</b>			
Payment for the purchase of property, plant and equipment and capital stock		(2,791)	(2,275)
Capitalised interest paid		(112)	(101)
New loan to a joint venture		(240)	(37)
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>		<b>(3,143)</b>	<b>(2,413)</b>
<b>Financing activities</b>			
Proceeds from bank loans		4,698	16,169
Repayment of bank loans		(1,746)	(14,682)
Payment of lease liabilities		(1)	(1)
New customers' deposits		135	157
Repayment of customers' deposits		(114)	(132)
Distributions/dividends paid		(1,422)	(1,422)
<b>Net cash generated from financing activities</b>		<b>1,550</b>	<b>89</b>
<b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>		<b>20</b>	<b>(4)</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		34	52
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes		1	1
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 30 June</b>		<b>55</b>	<b>49</b>

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# NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THE TRUST AND OF THE COMPANY

*(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)*

## 1. Review of unaudited interim financial statements

These unaudited consolidated interim financial statements have been reviewed by the Audit Committees.

## 2. General information

HK Electric Investments Limited (the "Company") was incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 23 September 2013 as an exempted company with limited liability under the Companies Law 2011 (as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands.

On 1 January 2014, HK Electric Investments (the "Trust") was constituted by a Hong Kong law governed Trust Deed entered into between HK Electric Investments Manager Limited (the "Trustee-Manager", in its capacity as the trustee-manager of the Trust) and the Company. The scope of activity of the Trust as provided in the Trust Deed is limited to investing in the Company.

## 3. Basis of presentation

Pursuant to the Trust Deed, the Trust and the Company are each required to prepare their own sets of interim financial statements on a consolidated basis. The unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust for the period ended 30 June 2022 comprise the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust, the Company and its subsidiaries (together the "Trust Group") and the Trust Group's interest in a joint venture. The unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Company for the period ended 30 June 2022 comprise the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (together the "Group") and the Group's interest in a joint venture.

The Trust controls the Company and the sole activity of the Trust during the six months period ended 30 June 2022 was investing in the Company. Therefore, the consolidated results and financial position that would be presented in the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust are identical to the consolidated financial results and financial position of the Company with the only differences being disclosures of share capital of the Company. The Directors of the Trustee-Manager and Directors of the Company believe that it is clearer to present the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust and of the Company together. The unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust and the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Company are presented together to the extent they are identical and are hereinafter referred as the "unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust and of the Company".

The Trust Group and the Group are referred as the "Groups".

## 4. Basis of preparation

The unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust and of the Company have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard (“HKAS”) 34, *Interim financial reporting* issued by the HKICPA and comply with the applicable disclosure provisions of the Listing Rules.

The interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the same accounting policies adopted in and should be read in conjunction with the 2021 annual financial statements, except for the accounting policy changes that are expected to be reflected in the 2022 annual financial statements. Details of these changes in accounting policies are set out in note 5.

The preparation of the interim financial statements in conformity with HKAS 34 requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses on a year to date basis. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The interim financial statements and selected explanatory notes thereon do not include all of the information required for full set of financial statements prepared in accordance with HKFRSs.

## 5. Changes in accounting policies

The HKICPA has issued a number of amendments to HKFRSs that are first effective for the current accounting period of the Groups. Of these, the following development is relevant to the Trust's and the Company's unaudited consolidated interim financial statements:

- Amendments to HKAS 16, *Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use*
- Annual improvements to HKFRSs 2018-2020 Cycle

The adoption of these amendments does not have a material impact on the Groups' results and financial positions for the current or prior periods. The Groups have not applied any new standard, amendment or interpretation that is not effective for the current accounting period.

## 6. Revenue

The principal activity of the Groups is the generation and supply of electricity to Hong Kong Island and Lamma Island. Disaggregation of revenue by type of output and services is analysed as follows:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	\$ million	\$ million
Sales of electricity	4,831	5,236
Less: Concessionary discount on sales of electricity	(3)	(2)
	4,828	5,234
Electricity-related income	65	15
	<u>4,893</u>	<u>5,249</u>

## 7. Segment reporting

The Groups have one reporting segment which is the generation and supply of electricity to Hong Kong Island and Lamma Island. All segment assets are located in Hong Kong. The Groups' chief operating decision-maker reviews the consolidated results of the Groups for the purposes of resource allocation and performance assessment. Therefore, no additional reportable segment and geographical information has been presented.

## 8. Other operating costs

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	\$ million	\$ million
Administrative expenses, government rent and rates	168	156
Staff costs in relation to corporate and administrative supports	120	120
Provisions for asset decommissioning obligation	74	92
Portion of depreciation and amortisation of leasehold land included in other operating costs	95	96
Net loss on disposal and written off of property, plant and equipment	45	56
	<u>502</u>	<u>520</u>

## 9. Profit before taxation

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	\$ million	\$ million
Profit before taxation is arrived at after charging/(crediting):		
Finance costs		
Interest on borrowings and other finance costs	557	535
Less: Interest expense and other finance costs capitalised to assets under construction	(144)	(128)
Interest expense transferred to fuel costs	(14)	(7)
	<u>399</u>	<u>400</u>
Depreciation		
Depreciation charges for the period	1,454	1,444
Less: Depreciation capitalised to assets under construction	(44)	(44)
	<u>1,410</u>	<u>1,400</u>
Amortisation of leasehold land	<u>98</u>	<u>98</u>

## 10. Income tax

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	\$ million	\$ million
<b>Current tax</b>		
Provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax for the period	81	193
<b>Deferred tax</b>		
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	<u>188</u>	<u>122</u>
	<u>269</u>	<u>315</u>

The provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax for the six months ended 30 June 2022 is calculated at 16.5% (2021: 16.5%) of the estimated assessable profits, except for one subsidiary of the Groups which is a qualifying corporation under the two-tiered Profits Tax rate regime.

For this subsidiary, the first \$2 million of assessable profits are taxed at 8.25% and the remaining assessable profits are taxed at 16.5%. The provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax for this subsidiary was calculated at the same basis in 2021.

Pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Cayman Islands and the British Virgin Islands, the Groups are exempt from any income tax in these jurisdictions.

## 11. Scheme of Control transfers

The Scheme of Control transfers are mid-year notional transfers. The actual Scheme of Control transfers can only be determined in accordance with the Scheme of Control at the year end. Notional Scheme of Control transfers during the period represent transfer to the following:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	\$ million	\$ million
Tariff Stabilisation Fund	318	552
Rate Reduction Reserve	1	1
	<u>319</u>	<u>553</u>

## 12. Earnings per Share Stapled Unit/share of the Company

The calculation of basic and diluted earnings per Share Stapled Unit/share of the Company are based on the profit attributable to the holders of Share Stapled Units/shares of the Company of \$894 million for the six months ended 30 June 2022 (2021: \$880 million) and the weighted average of 8,836,200,000 Shares Stapled Units/ordinary shares of the Company (2021: 8,836,200,000 Shares Stapled Units/ordinary shares of the Company) in issue throughout the period.

## 13. Property, plant and equipment and interests in leasehold land

\$ million	Site formation and buildings	Properties leased for own use	Plant, machinery and equipment	Fixtures, fittings and motor vehicles	Assets under construction	Sub-total	Interests in leasehold land held for own use	Total
Net book value at 1 January 2022	14,565	1	44,307	518	11,925	71,316	5,424	76,740
Additions	-	-	15	2	2,013	2,030	-	2,030
Transfers between categories	1,823	-	2,658	(10)	(4,471)	-	-	-
Disposals	(2)	-	(56)	-	-	(58)	-	(58)
Depreciation/amortisation	(272)	-	(1,125)	(57)	-	(1,454)	(98)	(1,552)
Net book value at 30 June 2022	<u>16,114</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>45,799</u>	<u>453</u>	<u>9,467</u>	<u>71,834</u>	<u>5,326</u>	<u>77,160</u>
Cost	20,440	2	62,805	1,146	9,467	93,860	6,960	100,820
Accumulated depreciation and amortisation	(4,326)	(1)	(17,006)	(693)	-	(22,026)	(1,634)	(23,660)
Net book value at 30 June 2022	<u>16,114</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>45,799</u>	<u>453</u>	<u>9,467</u>	<u>71,834</u>	<u>5,326</u>	<u>77,160</u>



## 14. Interest in a joint venture

	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
Groups' share of net assets	–	–
Loan to joint venture (see note below)	717	477
	<u>717</u>	<u>477</u>
	<u><u>717</u></u>	<u><u>477</u></u>

HK Electric entered into a Shareholder Loan Facility Agreement (“SLFA”) in 2019 with its joint venture, Hong Kong LNG Terminal Limited (“HKLTL”), under which two tranches of loan facilities totalling \$699 million are provided by HK Electric to finance HKLTL’s obtaining the land lease and construction of the jetty for a liquefied natural gas (“LNG”) terminal. Both tranches of loans are unsecured and interest-bearing with the rates benchmarked with market rates. In 2022, HK Electric and HKLTL further entered into an Amendment Agreement to the SLFA to increase the two tranches of loan facilities to \$920 million.

## 15. Trade and other receivables

The ageing analysis of trade debtors based on invoice date, which are neither individually nor collectively considered to be impaired, is as follows:

	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
Current and within 1 month	859	580
1 to 3 months	35	30
More than 3 months but less than 12 months	1	1
	<u>895</u>	<u>611</u>
Trade debtors	895	611
Other receivables	767	457
	<u>1,662</u>	<u>1,068</u>
Derivative financial instruments (see note 19)	1	4
Deposits and prepayments	99	85
	<u>1,762</u>	<u>1,157</u>
	<u><u>1,762</u></u>	<u><u>1,157</u></u>

Electricity bills issued to residential, small industrial, commercial and miscellaneous customers for electricity supplies are due upon presentation whereas maximum demand customers are allowed a credit period of 16 working days. If settlements by maximum demand customers are received after the credit period, a surcharge of 5% can be added to the electricity bills.

## 16. Bank deposits and cash and other cash flow information

(a) Bank deposits and cash comprise:

	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
Cash at bank and in hand	<u>55</u>	<u>34</u>

(b) Reconciliation of profit before taxation to cash generated from operations:

	Note	Six months ended 30 June 2022 \$ million	2021 \$ million
Profit before taxation		1,482	1,748
Adjustments for:			
Interest income		(12)	(6)
Finance costs	9	399	400
Interest expense transferred to fuel costs	9	14	7
Depreciation	9	1,410	1,400
Amortisation of leasehold land	9	98	98
Net loss on disposal and written off of property, plant and equipment	8	45	56
Increase in provisions for asset decommissioning obligation	8	74	92
Net financial instrument revaluation and exchange gains		(5)	(1)
Changes in working capital:			
Increase in inventories		(869)	(15)
Increase in trade and other receivables		(608)	(615)
Movements in Fuel Clause Recovery Account		(756)	(281)
Increase in trade and other payables and contract liabilities		1,269	227
Increase/decrease in net employee retirement benefit assets/liabilities		5	10
Smart Power Care Fund disbursement		(7)	(13)
Special rebates		(45)	-
Cash generated from operations		<u>2,494</u>	<u>3,107</u>

## 17. Trade and other payables and contract liabilities

	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
Due within 1 month or on demand	2,710	2,020
Due after 1 month but within 3 months	512	770
Due after 3 months but within 12 months	1,133	1,180
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Creditors measured at amortised cost	4,355	3,970
Lease liabilities	1	1
Derivative financial instruments (see note 19)	39	29
Contract liabilities	22	78
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	<b>4,417</b>	<b>4,078</b>
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## 18. Bank loans and other interest-bearing borrowings

	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
Bank loans	22,569	19,612
Current portion	(2,336)	(1,233)
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	20,233	18,379
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Hong Kong dollar medium term notes		
Fixed rate notes	8,954	8,952
Zero coupon notes	792	779
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	9,746	9,731
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United States dollar medium term notes		
Fixed rate notes	13,557	13,549
Zero coupon notes	3,816	3,734
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	17,373	17,283
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Non-current portion	<b>47,352</b>	<b>45,393</b>
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## 19. Derivative financial instruments

	30 June 2022		31 December 2021	
	Assets \$ million	Liabilities \$ million	Assets \$ million	Liabilities \$ million
Derivative financial instruments used for hedging:				
Cash flow hedges:				
– Cross currency swaps	65	–	–	(37)
– Interest rate swaps	684	(60)	15	(150)
– Forward foreign exchange contracts	886	(18)	585	(9)
Fair value hedges:				
– Forward foreign exchange contracts	–	(22)	–	(30)
	<u>1,635</u>	<u>(100)</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>(226)</u>
Analysed as:				
Current	1	(39)	4	(29)
Non-current	<u>1,634</u>	<u>(61)</u>	<u>596</u>	<u>(197)</u>
	<u>1,635</u>	<u>(100)</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>(226)</u>

## 20. Scheme of Control Fund and Reserve

The Tariff Stabilisation Fund, Rate Reduction Reserve and Smart Power Care Fund of the Groups' major subsidiary, HK Electric, are collectively referred to as Scheme of Control Fund and Reserve. The respective balances at the end of the period/year are:

	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
Tariff Stabilisation Fund	1,324	1,050
Rate Reduction Reserve	1	1
Smart Power Care Fund	<u>7</u>	<u>14</u>
	<u>1,332</u>	<u>1,065</u>

## 21. Share capital

### The Company

		30 June 2022	31 December 2021
	Number of shares	Nominal value \$	Nominal value \$
<b>Authorised:</b>			
Ordinary shares of \$0.0005 each	<u>20,000,000,000</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>
Preference shares of \$0.0005 each	<u>20,000,000,000</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>
<b>Issued and fully paid:</b>			
Ordinary shares of \$0.0005 each	<u>8,836,200,000</u>	<u>4,418,100</u>	<u>4,418,100</u>
Preference shares of \$0.0005 each	<u>8,836,200,000</u>	<u>4,418,100</u>	<u>4,418,100</u>

There were no movements in the share capital of the Company during the period.

## 22. Fair value measurement

The following table presents the fair value of the Groups' financial instruments measured at the end of the reporting period on a recurring basis, categorised into the three-level fair value hierarchy as defined in HKFRS 13: *Fair value measurement*. The level into which a fair value measurement is classified is determined with reference to the observability and significance of the inputs used in the valuation technique as follows:

- Level 1 valuations: Fair value measured using only Level 1 inputs i.e. unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical financial assets or liabilities at the measurement date
- Level 2 valuations: Fair value measured using Level 2 inputs i.e. observable inputs which fail to meet Level 1, and not using significant unobservable inputs. Unobservable inputs are inputs for which market data is not available
- Level 3 valuations: Fair values measured using significant unobservable inputs

## 22. Fair value measurement (Continued)

### (a) Recurring fair value measurements

	Level 2	
	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
<b>Financial assets</b>		
Derivative financial instruments:		
– Cross currency swaps	65	–
– Interest rate swaps	684	15
– Forward foreign exchange contracts	886	585
	<u>1,635</u>	<u>600</u>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>		
Derivative financial instruments:		
– Cross currency swaps	–	37
– Interest rate swaps	60	150
– Forward foreign exchange contracts	40	39
	<u>100</u>	<u>226</u>

### (b) Fair values of financial assets and liabilities carried at other than fair value

Trade and other receivables, trade and other payables and contract liabilities and external borrowings are carried at cost or amortised cost which are not materially different from their fair values as at 30 June 2022 and 31 December 2021.

### (c) Valuation techniques and inputs in Level 2 fair value measurements

The fair values of forward foreign exchange contracts are determined using forward exchange market rates at the end of the reporting period. The fair values of cross currency swaps and interest rate swaps are determined by discounting the future cash flows of the contracts at the current market interest rates.

## 23. Interim distribution/dividend

The distributable income for the period was as follows:

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	\$ million	\$ million
Consolidated profit attributable to the holders of Share Stapled Units for the period	894	880
After:		
(i) eliminating the effects of the Adjustments (see note (a) below)	2,616	2,915
(ii) (deducting)/adding		
– movement in Fuel Clause Recovery Account	(756)	(281)
– changes in working capital	(209)	(404)
– adjustment for employee retirement benefit schemes	5	10
– taxes paid	(544)	(448)
	(1,504)	(1,123)
(iii) capital expenditure payment	(3,031)	(2,312)
(iv) net finance costs	(449)	(440)
Distributable income for the period	(1,474)	(80)
(v) adding discretionary amount as determined by the Company Board pursuant to clause 14.1(c) of the Trust Deed (see note (d) below)	2,882	1,488
Distributable income for the period after adjustment of discretionary amount	<u>1,408</u>	<u>1,408</u>
Distribution amount for the period	<u>1,408</u>	<u>1,408</u>
Number of Share Stapled Units/ordinary shares of the Company	<u>8,836,200,000</u>	<u>8,836,200,000</u>
Interim distribution per Share Stapled Unit/first interim dividend per ordinary share of the Company (see note (e) below)	<u>15.94 cents</u>	<u>15.94 cents</u>

## 23. Interim distribution/dividend *(Continued)*

- (a) Pursuant to clause 1.1 of the Trust Deed, "Adjustments" includes, but not limited to (i) transfers to/from the Tariff Stabilisation Fund and the Rate Reduction Reserve under the Scheme of Control; (ii) unrealised revaluation gains/losses, including impairment provisions and reversals of impairment provisions; (iii) impairment of goodwill/recognition of negative goodwill; (iv) material non-cash gains/losses; (v) costs of any public offering of Share Stapled Units that are expensed through the consolidated statement of profit or loss but are funded by proceeds from the issuance of such Share Stapled Units; (vi) depreciation and amortisation; (vii) tax charges as shown in the consolidated statement of profit or loss; and (viii) net finance income/costs as shown in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.
- (b) The Trust Deed requires the Trustee-Manager (on behalf of the Trust) to distribute 100% of the dividends, distributions and other amounts received by the Trustee-Manager in respect of the ordinary shares from the Company, after deduction of all amounts permitted to be deducted or paid under the Trust Deed.
- (c) The distributions received by the Trustee-Manager from the Company will be derived from the Group Distributable Income which is referred as audited consolidated profit attributable to the holders of Share Stapled Units for the relevant financial year or distribution period, after making adjustments in respect of items as set out in the Trust Deed.
- (d) In determining the distribution amount, the Company Board has taken into account the Group's financial performance achieved during the period under review and its stable cashflow from operations, and consider it appropriate to adjust the distributable income for the six months ended 30 June 2022, as calculated pursuant to the Trust Deed, by the above discretionary amount, pursuant to clause 14.1(c) of the Trust Deed.
- (e) Interim distribution per Share Stapled Unit/first interim dividend per ordinary share of the Company of 15.94 cents (2021: 15.94 cents) is calculated based on the interim distribution of \$1,408 million for the six months ended 30 June 2022 (2021: \$1,408 million) and the number of Shares Stapled Units/ordinary shares of the Company of 8,836,200,000 in issue as at 30 June 2022 (2021: 8,836,200,000).



## 24. Commitments

- (a) The Groups' outstanding capital commitments not provided for in the financial statements were as follows:

	30 June 2022 \$ million	31 December 2021 \$ million
Capital expenditure for property, plant and equipment authorised and contracted for	<u>8,160</u>	<u>5,840</u>
Capital expenditure for property, plant and equipment authorised but not contracted for	<u>9,067</u>	<u>13,111</u>

- (b) At 30 June 2022, the Groups' share of capital commitments of a joint venture was \$96 million (31 December 2021: \$141 million).

At 30 June 2022, the Groups' share of the lease and other commitments of a joint venture approximated to \$1,628 million (31 December 2021: \$1,628 million).

## 25. Material related party transactions

The Groups had the following material transactions with related parties during the period:

- (a) Holder of Share Stapled Units

### *Support service charge recovered from Power Assets group*

Other operating costs included support service charge recovered from Power Assets group amounting to \$21 million (2021: \$20 million) for provision of the support services and office facilities to Power Assets group. The support service charge was based on the total costs incurred in the provision or procurement of the provision of the services and facilities and allocated to Power Assets group on a fair and equitable basis, taking into account the time spent by the relevant personnel when providing such services.

At 30 June 2022, the total outstanding balance receivable from Power Assets group was \$3 million (31 December 2021: \$4 million).

## 25. Material related party transactions *(Continued)*

### (b) Joint Venture

- (i) The details of Shareholder Loan Facility provided to HKLTL by the Groups and the outstanding loan balance as at 30 June 2022 are disclosed in note 14.
- (ii) Interest income received/receivable from HKLTL in respect of the Shareholder Loan Facility amounted to \$12 million (2021: \$6 million) for the six months ended 30 June 2022.
- (iii) Under a Joint Development Agreement entered into between HK Electric, Castle Peak Power Company Limited (“CAPCO”) and HKLTL for the development of LNG terminal, HK Electric and CAPCO will perform project management and provide supports to HKLTL in the development and construction of the LNG terminal. During the six months ended 30 June 2022, HKLTL reimbursed related costs of \$5 million (2021: \$4 million) to HK Electric.

## UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME OF HK ELECTRIC INVESTMENTS MANAGER LIMITED

For the six months ended 30 June 2022

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

		2022	2021
	Note	\$	\$
Revenue		–	–
Administrative expenses		–	–
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Profit before taxation	6	–	–
Income tax	7	–	–
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Profit and total comprehensive income for the period		–	–
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The notes on pages 37 to 39 form part of these unaudited interim financial statements.

## UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION OF HK ELECTRIC INVESTMENTS MANAGER LIMITED

At 30 June 2022

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

		(Unaudited) 30 June 2022 \$	(Audited) 31 December 2021 \$
	<i>Note</i>		
<b>Current assets</b>			
Amount due from immediate holding company		1	1
<b>Net assets</b>		1	1
<b>Capital and reserves</b>			
Share capital	8	1	1
Reserves		–	–
<b>Total equity</b>		1	1

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## UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY OF HK ELECTRIC INVESTMENTS MANAGER LIMITED

*For the six months ended 30 June 2022*

*(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)*

\$	Share capital	Reserves	Total
Balance at 1 January 2021	1	–	1
Changes in equity for the six months ended 30 June 2021:			
Profit and total comprehensive income for the period	–	–	–
Balance at 30 June 2021	<u>1</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>1</u>
<b>Balance at 1 January 2022</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>1</b>
Changes in equity for the six months ended 30 June 2022:			
Profit and total comprehensive income for the period	–	–	–
<b>Balance at 30 June 2022</b>	<b><u>1</u></b>	<b><u>–</u></b>	<b><u>1</u></b>

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## UNAUDITED CASH FLOW STATEMENT OF HK ELECTRIC INVESTMENTS MANAGER LIMITED

*For the six months ended 30 June 2022*

*(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)*

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
<b>Operating activities</b>		
Net cash generated from operating activities	—	—
<b>Investing activities</b>		
Net cash used in investing activities	—	—
<b>Financing activities</b>		
Net cash used in financing activities	—	—
<b>Net change in cash and cash equivalents</b>	—	—
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	—	—
Cash and cash equivalents at 30 June	—	—

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# NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF HK ELECTRIC INVESTMENTS MANAGER LIMITED

*(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)*

## **1. Review of unaudited interim financial statements**

These unaudited interim financial statements have been reviewed by the Audit Committee.

## **2. General information**

HK Electric Investments Manager Limited (the “Company”) was incorporated in Hong Kong under the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance on 25 September 2013 and is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Power Assets.

The principal activity of the Company is administering HK Electric Investments (the “Trust”), in its capacity as trustee-manager of the Trust. The costs and expenses of administering the Trust may be deducted from all property and rights of any kind whatsoever which are held on trust for the registered holders of units of the Trust but, commensurate with its specific and limited role, the Company will not receive any fee for administering the Trust.

## **3. Basis of presentation**

The Trust Deed requires the Company (on behalf of the Trust) to distribute 100% of the dividends, distributions and other amounts received in respect of the ordinary shares from HK Electric Investments Limited, after deduction of all amounts permitted to be deducted or paid under the Trust Deed.

In accordance with the Trust Deed, a distributions statement shall be included in the financial statements of the Company. As the details of the distribution has already been presented in note 23 to the unaudited consolidated interim financial statements of the Trust and of HK Electric Investments Limited on pages 29 and 30, no distributions statement is therefore presented in these unaudited interim financial statements.

## 4. Basis of preparation

These unaudited interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard (“HKAS”) 34, *Interim financial reporting* issued by the HKICPA and comply with the applicable disclosure provisions of the Listing Rules.

The interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the same accounting policies adopted in and should be read in conjunction with the 2021 annual financial statements, except for the accounting policy changes that are expected to be reflected in the 2022 annual financial statements. Details of these changes in accounting policies are set out in note 5.

The preparation of the interim financial statements in conformity with HKAS 34 requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses on a year to date basis. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The interim financial statements and selected explanatory notes thereon do not include all of the information required for full set of financial statements prepared in accordance with HKFRSs.

The financial information relating to the financial year ended 31 December 2021 that is included in the interim financial statements as comparative information does not constitute the Company’s statutory financial statements for that financial year but is derived from those financial statements. Further information relating to these statutory financial statements disclosed in accordance with section 436 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance is as follows:

The Company’s financial statements together with the consolidated financial statements of the Trust and of HK Electric Investments Limited for the year ended 31 December 2021 will be delivered to the Registrar of Companies in due course.

The Company’s auditor has reported on the financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2021. The auditor’s report was unqualified; did not include a reference to any matters to which the auditor drew attention by way of emphasis without qualifying its report; and did not contain a statement under sections 406(2), 407(2) or (3) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.



## 5. Changes in accounting policies

The HKICPA has issued a number of amendments to HKFRSs that are first effective for the current accounting period of the Company. The adoption of these amendments to HKFRSs has no material impact on the Company's result and financial position for the current or prior periods. The Company has not applied any new standard, amendment or interpretation that is not effective for the current accounting period.

## 6. Profit before taxation

All expenses of the Company which were incurred for the administering of the Trust of \$363,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2022 (2021: \$206,000) have been borne by HK Electric Investments Limited, which has waived its right of recovery thereof.

Except for the above, the Company did not incur any administrative expenses during the current and prior periods.

## 7. Income tax

No provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax has been made in the financial statements as the Company did not have any assessable profits during the current and prior periods.

## 8. Share capital

	30 June 2022		31 December 2021	
	Number of shares	\$	Number of shares	\$
Ordinary shares, issued and fully paid	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>

In accordance with section 135 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, the ordinary shares of the Company do not have a par value.

There were no movements in the share capital of the Company during the period.

## 9. Material related party transactions

Except for the transactions and balances disclosed elsewhere in the financial statements, the Company did not enter into material related party transactions.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

## Corporate Governance Practices

The Boards are committed to maintaining high standards of corporate governance, and recognise that sound and effective corporate governance practices are fundamental to the smooth, effective and transparent operation of the Trustee-Manager and the Trust Group, and the ability to attract investment, protect the rights of Holders of Share Stapled Units and other stakeholders, and enhance the value of the Share Stapled Units. The corporate governance practices of the Trustee-Manager and the Trust Group are designed to achieve these objectives and are maintained through a framework of processes, policies and guidelines.

The Trust, managed by the Trustee-Manager, and the Company are both listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange, and are subject to the provisions of the Listing Rules. Pursuant to the Trust Deed, each of the Trustee-Manager and the Company is responsible for its compliance with the Listing Rules and other relevant laws and regulations, and will co-operate with each other to ensure compliance of the Listing Rules obligations and co-ordinate disclosure to the Stock Exchange.

The Trust and the Company have complied with the applicable code provisions in the Corporate Governance Code throughout the six months ended 30 June 2022, except as stated and explained hereunder.

The Trustee-Manager does not have a remuneration committee as the Directors of the Trustee-Manager, in such capacity, are not entitled to any remuneration. In addition, the Trustee-Manager does not have a nomination committee as the Trust Deed and the Trustee-Manager's articles of association require the directors of the Company and the Trustee-Manager comprise the same individuals, and the requirement to establish a nomination committee is hence considered irrelevant to the Trustee-Manager.

The Trust Group is committed to achieving and maintaining standards of openness, probity and accountability. In line with this commitment and in compliance with the Corporate Governance Code, the Audit Committees have reviewed the procedures for reporting possible improprieties in financial reporting, internal control or other matters. In addition, the Trustee-Manager and the Company have established the Policy on Inside Information and Securities Dealing for compliance by all employees of the Group.

## **Boards of Directors**

Each of the Trustee-Manager Board and the Company Board, led by the Chairman and comprising the same individuals, is collectively responsible for the management and operations of the Trustee-Manager and the Company respectively. Their responsibilities include approval and monitoring of strategies and policies, approval of annual budgets and business plans, evaluation of the performance, and oversight of the management. Management, led by the Chief Executive Officer, is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Group. The senior management of the Trust Group, comprising the Executive Directors, is accountable to the Boards, and ultimately to the Holders of Share Stapled Units.

As at 30 June 2022, each of the Boards consisted of a total of seventeen Directors, comprising five Executive Directors, six Non-executive Directors and six Independent Non-executive Directors. More than one-third of the Board are Independent Non-executive Directors, among which more than one of them have appropriate professional qualifications or accounting or related financial management expertise as required by the Listing Rules. All Directors are required to retire from office by rotation and are subject to re-election at the annual general meeting once every three years pursuant to the Trust Deed and the articles of association of the Company.

The Trustee-Manager Board and the Company Board hold meetings on a combined basis. There are four regular meetings each year at approximately quarterly intervals and additional meetings will be held when warranted. Directors also consider and approve matters by way of written resolutions, which are circulated to Directors together with explanatory briefings from the Chief Executive Officer or the Company Secretary as required.

## **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE** *(Continued)*

The positions of the Chairman and the Chief Executive Officer of the Company are held by separate individuals. The Trustee-Manager does not appoint a Chief Executive Officer due to its specific and limited role to administer the Trust. The Chairman is responsible for providing leadership to, and overseeing the functioning and effective running of, the Boards to ensure that each Board acts in the best interests of the Trust and the Group, as appropriate. In addition to board meetings, the Chairman schedules meetings annually with Independent Non-executive Directors, without the presence of other Directors. The Chief Executive Officer is responsible for managing the businesses of the Group, attending to the formulation and successful implementation of Group policies and assuming full accountability to the Company Board for all Group operations.

The Company Secretary of the Trustee-Manager and the Company supports the Boards by ensuring good information flow within the Boards and that board policy and procedures are followed. The Company Secretary is responsible for ensuring that the Boards are briefed on all legislative, regulatory and corporate governance developments and that the Boards have regard to them when making decisions. He is also directly responsible for the Trustee-Manager's and the Trust Group's compliance with all obligations of the Listing Rules, Codes on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs, Companies Ordinance, SFO and other related laws, rules and regulations.

### **Directors' Securities Transactions**

The Boards have adopted the Model Code as their code of conduct regulating directors' securities transactions. In addition, senior managers, and other nominated managers and staff who, because of their respective positions in the Company, are likely to be in possession of inside information regarding the Trust Group and its securities, are also required to comply with the Model Code.

All Directors have confirmed, following specific enquiry, that they have complied with the Model Code throughout the six months ended 30 June 2022.

## Changes in Information of Directors

The changes in the information of Directors since the publication of the annual report 2021 (or, where applicable, subsequent announcement relating to appointment of Director) and up to 9 August 2022 (the latest practicable date prior to the printing of this interim report) is set out below pursuant to Rule 13.51B(1) of the Listing Rules:

### Name of Director

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Li Tzar Kuoi, Victor	Ceased to be a member of the Chief Executive's Council of Advisers on Innovation and Strategic Development of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
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Awarded the title of Grand Officer of the Order of the Star of Italy

Wan Chi Tin	Ceased to be a member of the Audit Committee of The University of Hong Kong
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Save for the information disclosed above, there is no other information required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 13.51B(1) of the Listing Rules.

## Audit Committees

Each of the Trustee-Manager Audit Committee and the Company Audit Committee comprises three Independent Non-executive Directors and one Non-executive Director. They are chaired by Mr. Donald Jeffrey Roberts (an Independent Non-executive Director), and the other members are Mr. Ronald Joseph Arculli (a Non-executive Director), Ms. Koh Poh Wah (an Independent Non-executive Director) and Mr. Lee Lan Yee, Francis (an Independent Non-executive Director).

The Audit Committees report directly to the Trustee-Manager Board and the Company Board, as appropriate, and act as the key representative body for overseeing relations with the external auditor. Their principal responsibilities are to assist the Boards in fulfilling their duties through the review and supervision of financial reporting, the review of financial information, the consideration of issues relating to external auditor and their appointment, the review and the development of corporate governance functions and risk management and internal control systems. The Company Audit Committee also oversees the Company's whistleblowing procedure. The Audit Committees meet regularly with the external auditor to discuss the audit process and various accounting matters.

## **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE** *(Continued)*

The unaudited consolidated financial statements of the Trust and of the Company and the unaudited financial statements of the Trustee-Manager for the six months ended 30 June 2022 have been reviewed by the Audit Committees.

The terms of reference of the Audit Committees are published on the Company's website and HKEX's website.

### **Nomination Committee**

The Nomination Committee of the Company comprises three members, a majority of which are Independent Non-executive Directors. It is chaired by Mr. Lee Lan Yee, Francis (an Independent Non-executive Director), and the other members are Mr. Kwan Kai Cheong (an Independent Non-executive Director and appointed to the committee with effect from the conclusion of the annual general meeting of the Trust and the Company held on 18 May 2022 following the retirement of Mr. Ralph Raymond Shea as an Independent Non-executive Director and his cessation as a member of the committee) and Mr. Victor T K Li (a Non-executive Director).

The Nomination Committee reports directly to the Company Board. Its principal responsibilities are to review the structure, size, diversity profile and skills matrix of the Company Board, to facilitate the selection and nomination process, to assess the independence of Independent Non-executive Directors having regard to the criteria under the Listing Rules, and to make recommendations to the Company Board on the appointment or re-appointment of Directors and succession planning for Directors, as guided by the process and criteria in Director Nomination Policy and Board Diversity Policy. The terms of reference of the Nomination Committee are published on the Company's website and HKEX's website.

### **Remuneration Committee**

The Remuneration Committee of the Company comprises three members, a majority of which are Independent Non-executive Directors. It is chaired by Mr. Donald Jeffrey Roberts (an Independent Non-executive Director), and the other members are Mr. Fok Kin Ning, Canning (the Chairman of the Company Board) and Dr. Fong Chi Wai, Alex (an Independent Non-executive Director).

The Remuneration Committee reports directly to the Company Board. Its principal responsibilities include the review and consideration of the Company's policy for remuneration of Directors and management team, and the determination of their individual remuneration packages. The terms of reference of the Remuneration Committee are published on the Company's website and HKEX's website.

## **Sustainability Committee**

The Sustainability Committee of the Company comprised three members. It is chaired by Mr. Wan Chi Tin (the Chief Executive Officer), and the other members are Mr. Cheng Cho Ying, Francis (an Executive Director) and Dr. Fong Chi Wai, Alex (an Independent Non-executive Director).

The Sustainability Committee reports directly to the Company Board. Its principal responsibilities are to oversee management of, and advise the Company Board on, the development and implementation of the sustainability initiatives of the Group, review the related policies and practices, and assess and make recommendations on matters concerning the Group's sustainability development and risks. The terms of reference of the Sustainability Committee are published on the Company's website and HKEX's website.

## **Risk Management and Internal Control**

The Boards have overall responsibility for evaluating and determining the nature and extent of the risks they are willing to take in achieving the corporate strategic objectives, and overseeing the risk management and internal control systems. The Audit Committees assist the Boards in reviewing the effectiveness of the risk management and internal control systems to ensure that appropriate and effective systems are in place.

The Internal Audit Department, reporting to an Executive Director and the Audit Committees, provides independent assurance as to the existence and effectiveness of the risk management activities and internal controls in business operations. Staff members of the department are from a wide range of disciplines including accounting, engineering and information technology. Using risk assessment methodology and taking into account the scope and nature of the Group's activities and changes in operating environment, the Internal Audit Department prepares its yearly audit plan which is reviewed and approved by the Audit Committees. Its internal audit reports on the Group's operations are also reviewed and considered by the Audit Committees. The scope of work performed includes financial, operations and information technology review, recurring and ad hoc audit, fraud investigation, productivity efficiency review and laws and regulations compliance review. The Internal Audit Department follows up audit recommendations on implementation by operating units and the progress is reported to the Audit Committees regularly.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE *(Continued)*

The Audit Committees have reviewed the effectiveness of the risk management and internal control systems of the Trust, the Company and the Trustee-Manager for the six months ended 30 June 2022, and considered the systems effective and adequate.

### **Communications with Holders of Share Stapled Units**

The Trustee-Manager and the Company have established the Holder of Share Stapled Units Communication Policy, which is published on the website of the Company, to lay down the framework and put in place a range of communication channels between themselves and Holders of Share Stapled Units and investors to promote effective communication. These include the annual general meeting and other general meetings, the annual and interim reports, sustainability reports, notices, announcements and circulars, press releases, the Company's corporate website at [www.hkei.hk](http://www.hkei.hk), and meetings and roadshows with investors and analysts from time to time as appropriate. All Holders of Share Stapled Units may put enquiries to the Boards at general meetings, and at other times by writing to the Company.

Holders of Share Stapled Units may at any time notify the Company by mail or email of any change in their choice of language (English or Chinese or both) or means of receiving (printed version or access through the Company's website) corporate communications.

The Trustee-Manager and the Company handle registration matters relating to Share Stapled Units through Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, the Share Stapled Units Registrar.

### **Directors' Interests and Short Positions in Share Stapled Units, Underlying Share Stapled Units and Debentures**

As at 30 June 2022, the interests or short positions of the Directors and chief executives of the Trustee-Manager and the Company in the SSUs, underlying SSUs and debentures of the Trust and the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which were notified to the Trustee-Manager, the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests and short positions which the Directors and the chief executives of the Trustee-Manager and the Company were deemed or taken to have under such provisions of the SFO), or which were recorded in the register required to be kept pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Trustee-Manager, the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code were as follows:



## Long Positions in Share Stapled Units

Name of Director	Capacity	Nature of Interests	Number of SSUs Held	Approximate % of Issued SSUs
Li Tzar Kuoi, Victor	Interest of controlled corporations	Corporate	7,870,000 (Note 1)	0.08%
Fok Kin Ning, Canning	Interest of controlled corporation	Corporate	2,000,000 (Note 2)	0.02%
Donald Jeffrey Roberts	Interests held jointly	Other	1,398,000 (Note 3)	0.02%
Ronald Joseph Arculli	Interest of controlled corporation	Corporate	502	≈0%

Notes:

(1) Such SSUs comprise:

(a) 2,700,000 SSUs held by a wholly-owned subsidiary of Li Ka Shing (Global) Foundation ("LKSGF"). By virtue of the terms of the constituent documents of LKSGF, Mr. Victor T K Li may be regarded as having the ability to exercise or control the exercise of one-third or more of the voting power at general meetings of LKSGF; and

(b) 5,170,000 SSUs held by Li Ka Shing Foundation Limited ("LKSF"). By virtue of the terms of the constituent documents of LKSF, Mr. Victor T K Li may be regarded as having the ability to exercise or control the exercise of one-third or more of the voting power at general meetings of LKSF.

(2) Such SSUs are held by a company which is equally owned by Mr. Fok Kin Ning, Canning and his wife.

(3) Such SSUs are jointly held by Mr. Donald Jeffrey Roberts and his wife.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2022, none of the Directors or chief executives of the Trustee-Manager and the Company had any interests or short positions in the SSUs, underlying SSUs or debentures of the Trust and the Company or any of its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Trustee-Manager, the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE *(Continued)*

### Interests and Short Positions of Holders of Share Stapled Units

As at 30 June 2022, Holders of Share Stapled Units (other than Directors or chief executives of the Trustee-Manager and the Company) who had interests or short positions in the SSUs or underlying SSUs of the Trust and the Company which would fall to be disclosed under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or which were recorded in the register required to be kept under section 336 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Trustee-Manager, the Company and the Stock Exchange were as follows:

### Substantial Holders of Share Stapled Units

#### Long Positions in Share Stapled Units

Name	Capacity	Number of SSUs Held	Approximate % of Issued SSUs
Power Assets Holdings Limited	Interest of controlled corporation	2,948,966,418 <i>(Note 1)</i>	33.37%
Hyford Limited	Interest of controlled corporations	2,948,966,418 <i>(Notes 1 and 2)</i>	33.37%
Cheung Kong Infrastructure (BVI) Limited	Interest of controlled corporations	2,948,966,418 <i>(Note 2)</i>	33.37%
CK Infrastructure Holdings Limited	Interest of controlled corporations	2,948,966,418 <i>(Note 2)</i>	33.37%
Hutchison Infrastructure Holdings Limited	Interest of controlled corporations	2,948,966,418 <i>(Note 3)</i>	33.37%
CK Hutchison Global Investments Limited	Interest of controlled corporations	2,948,966,418 <i>(Note 3)</i>	33.37%
CK Hutchison Holdings Limited	Interest of controlled corporations	2,948,966,418 <i>(Note 3)</i>	33.37%
State Grid Corporation of China	Interest of controlled corporations	1,855,602,000 <i>(Note 4)</i>	21.00%
State Grid International Development Co., Limited	Interest of controlled corporation	1,855,602,000 <i>(Note 4)</i>	21.00%
State Grid International Development Limited	Beneficial owner	1,855,602,000 <i>(Note 4)</i>	21.00%
Qatar Investment Authority	Interest of controlled corporation	1,758,403,800	19.90%

Notes:

- (1) *Power Assets is deemed to be interested in 2,948,966,418 SSUs which are beneficially owned by its direct wholly-owned subsidiary, Quickview Limited. Hyford Limited is deemed to be interested in 2,948,966,418 SSUs which interests are duplicated in the 2,948,966,418 SSUs in which Power Assets is interested, as Hyford Limited is entitled to exercise or control the exercise of more than one-third of the issued shares of Power Assets through its direct and indirect wholly-owned subsidiaries.*
- (2) *CKI is deemed to be interested in the 2,948,966,418 SSUs as referred to in Note (1) above as it holds more than one-third of the issued share capital of Cheung Kong Infrastructure (BVI) Limited, which holds more than one-third of the issued share capital of Hyford Limited. Its interests are duplicated in the interest of CK Hutchison in HKEI described in Note (3) below.*
- (3) *CK Hutchison is deemed to be interested in the 2,948,966,418 SSUs as referred to in Note (2) above as it holds more than one-third of the issued voting shares of CK Hutchison Global Investments Limited ("CKHGI"). Certain subsidiaries of CKHGI hold more than one-third of the issued voting shares of Hutchison Infrastructure Holdings Limited which in turn holds more than one-third of the issued share capital of CKI.*
- (4) *State Grid International Development Limited is a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of State Grid International Development Co., Limited and an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of State Grid Corporation of China ("State Grid"), and the interests of State Grid International Development Limited and State Grid International Development Co., Limited of 1,855,602,000 SSUs each are duplicated in the 1,855,602,000 SSUs held by State Grid.*

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2022, there was no other person (other than Directors or chief executives of the Trustee-Manager and the Company) who had interests or short positions in the SSUs or underlying SSUs of the Trust and the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 336 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Trustee-Manager, the Company and the Stock Exchange.

## OTHER INFORMATION

### **Interim Distribution**

The Trustee-Manager Board has declared an interim distribution by the Trust for 2022 of HK15.94 cents per Share Stapled Unit. The distribution will be payable on Friday, 26 August 2022 to Holders of Share Stapled Units whose names appear in the Share Stapled Units Register at the close of business on Wednesday, 17 August 2022, being the record date for determination of entitlement to the interim distribution. To qualify for the interim distribution, all transfers accompanied by the relevant Share Stapled Unit certificates should be lodged with the Share Stapled Units Registrar, Computershare Hong Kong Investor Services Limited, Shops 1712-1716, 17th Floor, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong, no later than 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 17 August 2022.

### **Purchase, Sale or Redemption of Share Stapled Units**

Pursuant to the Trust Deed, the Holders of Share Stapled Units have no right to demand for repurchase or redemption of their Share Stapled Units. Unless and until expressly permitted to do so by the relevant codes and guidelines issued by the Securities and Futures Commission from time to time, the Trustee-Manager shall not repurchase or redeem any Share Stapled Units on behalf of the Trust.

None of the Trust, the Trustee-Manager, the Company nor any of their subsidiaries purchased, sold or redeemed any of issued Share Stapled Units during the six months ended 30 June 2022.

## GLOSSARY

In this interim report, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

Term(s)	Definition
"Boards" or "Boards of Directors"	Trustee-Manager Board and Company Board
"CK Hutchison"	CK Hutchison Holdings Limited, an exempted company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 1)
"CKI"	CK Infrastructure Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 1038)
"Company"	HK Electric Investments Limited, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands as an exempted company with limited liability on 23 September 2013
"Company Audit Committee"	Audit committee of the Company
"Company Board"	Board of directors of the Company
"Corporate Governance Code"	Corporate Governance Code set out in Appendix 14 of the Listing Rules
"Government"	HKSAR Government
"Group"	The Company and its subsidiaries
"HK Electric"	The Hongkong Electric Company, Limited, a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability on 24 January 1889 and an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company

## GLOSSARY *(Continued)*

Term(s)	Definition
"HKASs"	Hong Kong Accounting Standards
"HKEI"	The Trust and the Company
"HKEX"	Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited
"HKFRSs"	A collective term includes all applicable individual Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, HKASs and Interpretations issued by the HKICPA
"HKICPA"	Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants
"Holder(s) of Share Stapled Units" or "SSU holder(s)"	Person(s) who holds Share Stapled Units issued by HKEI
"Listing Rules"	Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange, as amended or supplemented from time to time
"Model Code"	Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules
"Power Assets"	Power Assets Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability, the shares of which are listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 6)
"SFO"	Securities and Futures Ordinance (Chapter 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong), as amended or supplemented from time to time

Term(s)	Definition
"Share Stapled Unit(s)" or "SSU(s)"	<p>Share Stapled Unit(s) jointly issued by the Trust and the Company, with each Share Stapled Unit being the combination of the following securities or interests in securities which, subject to the provisions in the Trust Deed, can only be dealt with together and may not be dealt with individually or one without the others:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a unit in the Trust;</li> <li>(b) the beneficial interest in a specifically identified ordinary share of the Company linked to the unit and held by the Trustee-Manager as legal owner (in its capacity as trustee-manager of the Trust); and</li> <li>(c) a specifically identified preference share of the Company stapled to the unit.</li> </ul>
"Share Stapled Units Register"	The register of registered Holders of Share Stapled Units
"Stock Exchange"	The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited
"Trust"	HK Electric Investments, as constituted pursuant to the Trust Deed under the Laws of Hong Kong
"Trust Deed"	The trust deed dated 1 January 2014 constituting the Trust, entered into between the Trustee-Manager and the Company and as amended by the deed of amendment dated 13 May 2020
"Trust Group"	The Trust and the Group

## GLOSSARY *(Continued)*

Term(s)	Definition
"Trustee-Manager"	HK Electric Investments Manager Limited, a company incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability on 25 September 2013 and an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Power Assets, in its capacity as trustee-manager of the Trust
"Trustee-Manager Audit Committee"	Audit committee of the Trustee-Manager
"Trustee-Manager Board"	Board of directors of the Trustee-Manager