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The Secretary
Karachi Stock Exchange
(Guarantee) Ltd.
Stock Exchange Building
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February 4th, 2009

Sub: Financial Results for the Year ended November 30, 2008

Dear Sir,

We have to inform you that the Board of Directors of our Company in their meeting held on Wednesday, February 4, 2009, have recommended the following:

CASH DIVIDEND

Final Cash Dividend for the year ended November 30, 2008, at Rs.3.00/- per share (i.e.30%). This is in addition to Interim Dividend(s) already paid at Rs. 2.00 per share (i.e. 20%).

The financial results of the Company are as follows:-

	FOR THE YEAR ENDED NOV.30,2008	FOR THE YEAR ENDED NOV.30,2007 <u>Restated</u>
	(RS. IN 000'S)	
Sales net	7,059,011	6,546,371
Service fee for toll manufacturing	30,152	38,083
	<u>7,089,163</u>	<u>6,584,454</u>
Cost of goods sold and services	4,991,610	3,856,736
Gross profit	<u>2,097,653</u>	<u>2,727,718</u>
Selling and distribution expenses	1,334,864	850,376
Administrative expenses	256,737	123,478
	<u>607,032</u>	<u>1,753,864</u>
Other operating income	105,645	173,394
Other operating charges	66,061	179,859
	<u>547,626</u>	<u>1,747,389</u>
Finance cost	2,704	3,202
Profit before taxation	<u>644,822</u>	<u>1,744,197</u>
Taxation - net	<u>200,842</u>	<u>559,436</u>
Profit for the year	<u>343,980</u>	<u>1,184,762</u>
	(Rupees)	
Earnings per share - basic/diluted	<u>3.51</u>	<u>12.10</u>

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