Report of the Trustee on the Administration of the Fund for the year ended 31 August 2013

The Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund (the Fund) is administered in accordance with the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Ordinance (the Ordinance) (Chapter 1110) for the purpose of encouraging education by awarding scholarships to Hong Kong students studying locally or abroad, and of promoting social welfare by providing temporary relief to persons in distress where adequate relief is not available from other sources. The Fund was established with shares in a number of local companies donated by the late Mr Li Po-chun.

2. The Fund is vested in the Secretary for Home Affairs Incorporated as trustee. It is administered, as stipulated in section 5 of the Ordinance, by the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Committee (the Committee). The membership of the Committee during the year under review was as follows –

Secretary for Home Affairs

(Chairman – ex officio)

Mr LI Shiu-tsang, JP

up to 27.12.12

Mr LI Sui-chee, Alwin

as from 28.12.12

Director of Social Welfare/ Assistant Director of Social Welfare (Family & Child Welfare)

Controller, Student Financial Assistance Agency

Ms YU Yuk-ying, Vivian

Ms WONG Kit-lin

- 3. The secretarial and accounting work of the Fund is undertaken by the Trust Funds and Temples Joint Secretariat. The Director of Audit is the auditor of the accounts as provided for in section 11(2) of the Ordinance. The audited Financial Statements of the Fund for the year ended 31 August 2013 is at Appendix I.
- 4. During the year, a total of 171 scholarship awards were granted and details are set out at Appendix II. In addition, a total of HK\$2,266,225 was disbursed through the Director of Social Welfare for social relief payments, with details set out at Appendix III.

(TSANG Tak-sing)

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Secretary for Home Affairs Incorporated

Trustee

Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund 21 February 2014



Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund

Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August 2013

Report of the Director of Audit



Audit Commission

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

Independent Audit Report

To the Legislative Council

I certify that I have audited the financial statements of the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund set out on pages 3 to 16, which comprise the balance sheet as at 31 August 2013, and the income and expenditure account, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Secretary for Home Affairs Incorporated's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The Secretary for Home Affairs is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with section 11(1) of the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Ordinance (Cap. 1110) and Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, and for such internal control as the Secretary for Home Affairs Incorporated determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with section 11(2) of the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Ordinance and the Audit Commission auditing standards. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the

auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Secretary for Home Affairs Incorporated, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund as at 31 August 2013, and of its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards and have been properly prepared in accordance with section 11(1) of the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Ordinance.

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Frederick T C WONG Principal Auditor for Director of Audit

21 February 2014

Audit Commission 26th Floor Immigration Tower 7 Gloucester Road Wanchai, Hong Kong

LI PO CHUN CHARITABLE TRUST FUND BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 2013

| | Note | 2013 HK\$ | 2012 HK\$ |
|-------------------------------------|------|--------------|--|
| NON-CURRENT ASSETS | | | |
| Available-for-sale financial assets | 3 | 71,223,532 | 59,982,765 |
| CURRENT ASSETS | | | |
| Available-for-sale financial assets | 3 | - | 12,184,489 |
| Financial assets at fair value | | | |
| through profit or loss | 4 | 12,206,537 | 11,415,358 |
| Accounts receivable | | 820,120 | 308,531 |
| Prepayments | | 320,000 | 296,000 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 5 | 14,165,399 | 13,015,456 |
| | | 27,512,056 | 37,219,834 |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES | | | |
| Provision for staff gratuity | 6 | (73,326) | (25,000) |
| Provision for untaken leave | | (9,016) | (3,232) |
| Accounts payable | | (322,183) | (617,082) |
| | | (404,525) | (645,314) |
| NET CURRENT ASSETS | | 27,107,531 | 36,574,520 |
| | | 98,331,063 | 96,557,285 |
| ACCUMULATED FUND | | | |
| Capital | | 55,441,378 | 55,441,378 |
| Accumulated surplus | | 47,748,076 | 49,957,130 |
| Investment revaluation reserve | | (4,858,391) | (8,841,223) |
| , | | 98,331,063 | 96,557,285 |
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The accompanying notes 1 to 12 form part of these financial statements.

(TSANG Tak-sing)

Secretary for Home Affairs Incorporated

Trustee

Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund 21 February 2014

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2013

| | Note | 2013 HK\$ | 2012 HK\$ |
|--|------|--------------|--------------|
| INCOME | | | |
| Dividend | | 2,504,824 | 3,265,778 |
| Interest | 7 | 394,651 | 340,357 |
| Gains on disposal of available-for-sale financial assets | | 1,481,452 | - |
| Gains on disposal of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | 161,151 | 21,339 |
| Unrealised gains on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | 461,730 | - |
| Exchange gains | | 158,345 | - |
| Other income | | 58,084 | 220,522 |
| | | 5,220,237 | 3,847,996 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | |
| Scholarship awards | | (3,969,729) | (3,023,262) |
| Training and conference grants | | (453,108) | (262,994) |
| Social relief grants | | (2,266,225) | (2,591,015) |
| Unrealised losses on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | - | (19,851) |
| Exchange losses | | - | (74,394) |
| Staff costs | | (573,298) | (529,556) |
| Investment management fees and charges | | (124,676) | (117,173) |
| Miscellaneous | | (42,255) | (42,754) |
| | | (7,429,291) | (6,660,999) |
| DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR | | (2,209,054) | (2,813,003) |

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2013

| | 2013 HK\$ | 2012 HK\$ |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR | (2,209,054) | (2,813,003) |
| OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME | | |
| Items that may be reclassified subsequently to surplus or deficit: | | |
| Available-for-sale financial assets | | |
| Net gains /(losses) on revaluation | 4,810,237 | (2,319,053) |
| Reclassification adjustments released from investment revaluation reserve upon disposal | (827,405) | - |
| | 3,982,832 | (2,319,053) |
| | | |
| TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME/(EXPENSE) FOR THE YEAR | 1,773,778 | (5,132,056) |
| | ======= | ====== |

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2013

| | Capital HK\$ | Accumulated Surplus HK\$ | Investment Revaluation Reserve HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|---|-----------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Balance at 1 September 2011 | 55,441,378 | 52,770,133 | (6,522,170) | 101,689,341 |
| Total comprehensive expense for 2011-12 | - | (2,813,003) | (2,319,053) | (5,132,056) |
| Balance at 1 September 2012 | 55,441,378 | 49,957,130 | (8,841,223) | 96,557,285 |
| Total comprehensive income for 2012-13 | - | (2,209,054) | 3,982,832 | 1,773,778 |
| Balance at 31 August 2013 | 55,441,378 | 47,748,076 ====== | (4,858,391) ====== | 98,331,063 |

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2013

| | Note | 2013 HK\$ | 2012 HK\$ |
|---|--------|--------------|--------------|
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Deficit for the year | | (2,209,054) | (2,813,003) |
| Dividend income | | (2,504,824) | (3,265,778) |
| Interest income | | (394,651) | (340,357) |
| Gains on disposal of financial assets at fair value through | | | |
| profit or loss | | (161,151) | (21,339) |
| Unrealised (gains)/losses on financial assets at fair value through | | | |
| profit or loss | | (461,730) | 19,851 |
| Gains on disposal of available-for-sale financial assets | | (1,481,452) | - |
| Exchange (gains)/losses | | (120,030) | 74,394 |
| Increase in accounts receivable | | (422,753) | (387) |
| (Increase)/Decrease in prepayments | | (24,000) | 505,708 |
| Increase/(Decrease) in provision for staff gratuity | | 48,326 | (11,029) |
| Increase/(Decrease) in provision for untaken leave | | 5,784 | (2,401) |
| Decrease in accounts payable | | (294,899) | (70,669) |
| NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES | - - | (8,020,434) | (5,925,010) |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Purchase of available-for-sale financial assets | | (11,677,586) | (8,544,501) |
| Purchase of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | (3,438,511) | (538,702) |
| Proceeds from disposal of available-for-sale financial assets | | 17,842,956 | - |
| Proceeds from disposal of financial assets at fair value through | | , , | |
| profit or loss | | 3,270,213 | 425,062 |
| Dividend received | | 2,382,605 | 3,424,892 |
| Interest received | | 693,765 | 562,185 |
| NET CASH FROM/(USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES | - | 9,073,442 | (4,671,064) |
| NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH | | 1 052 000 | (10.506.074) |
| EQUIVALENTS | | 1,053,008 | (10,596,074) |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR | | 13,015,456 | 23,661,963 |
| Effect of foreign exchange rate changes | | 96,935 | (50,433) |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR | 5 | 14,165,399 | 13,015,456 |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. GENERAL

The Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund (the Fund) provides assistance for:

- (a) educational purposes, including the establishment or endowment of educational institutions in Hong Kong; and
- (b) the relief of distress in cases for which no adequate assistance is available from other sources,

in accordance with section 6(1) of the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Ordinance (Cap. 1110).

The address of the Fund's principal place of business is 34th Floor, Wu Chung House, 213 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai, Hong Kong.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Statement of compliance

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with section 11(1) of the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Ordinance and all applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards (HKFRSs) issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

(b) Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on an accrual basis and under the historical cost convention except that available-for-sale financial assets and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are stated at fair value as explained in the accounting policies set out in notes 2(d) and 2(e) below.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with HKFRSs requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenditure. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgements about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

There are no critical accounting judgements involved in the application of the Fund's accounting policies. There are neither key assumptions concerning the future nor other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the balance sheet date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the next year.

(c) Adoption of new/revised HKFRSs

The Fund has adopted the following amendments to HKFRS for the first time which are applicable to the Fund and effective for the current accounting period:

- Amendments to HKAS 1 (Revised) "Presentation of Financial Statements - Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income"

The adoption of the amendments to HKFRS has had no significant impact on the reported results and the financial position of the Fund.

The Fund has not early adopted any amendments, new standards and interpretations which are not yet effective for the current accounting period. The Fund is in the process of making an assessment of what the impact of these amendments, new standards and interpretations is expected to be in the period of initial adoption. So far, it has concluded that the adoption of them is unlikely to have a significant impact on the Fund's result of operations and financial position.

(d) Available-for-sale financial assets

The Fund's available-for-sale financial assets are classified as non-current assets unless the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Committee (the Committee) intends to dispose of the investments within 12 months of the balance sheet date.

Purchases and sales of investments are recognised on trade-date on which the Fund is committed to the transactions. Available-for-sale financial assets are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs. At each balance sheet date, the fair value is re-measured and any unrealised holding gain or loss arising from the change in fair value is recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated separately in the investment revaluation reserve.

When available-for-sale financial assets are sold, gains or losses on disposal include the difference between the net sale proceeds and the carrying amount, as well as the accumulated fair value adjustments released from the investment revaluation reserve to the income and expenditure account.

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current bid-prices.

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The Fund assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset is impaired. The cumulative loss – measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in the income and expenditure account – is removed from the investment revaluation reserve and recognised in the income and expenditure account. Impairment losses in respect of available-for-sale debt securities are reversed if the subsequent increase in fair value can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised. Reversals of impairment losses for debt securities are recognised in the income and expenditure account. Impairment losses for equity securities are not reversed through the income and expenditure account. Any subsequent increase in the fair value of such assets is recognised in other comprehensive income.

(e) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets classified as held for trading are included in the category "financial assets at fair value through profit or loss". Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of sale in the near term. Financial assets under this category are carried at fair value by reference to their market prices at the balance sheet date. Changes in the fair value are included in the income and expenditure account in the period in which they arise. Upon disposal, the difference between the net sale proceeds and the carrying value is also recognised in the income and expenditure account.

(f) Foreign currency translation

Hong Kong dollar is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Fund operates. Foreign currency transactions during the year are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date. Exchange gains and losses are dealt with in the income and expenditure account.

(g) Revenue recognition

Interest income is recognised as it accrues using the effective interest method. The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and of allocating the interest income over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset or, when appropriate, a shorter period to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

Dividend income is recognised when the Fund's right to receive payment is established.

(h) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand, demand deposits and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, having been within three months of maturity when acquired.

| 3. | AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS | 2013 | 2012 |
|----|--|----------------------|----------------------|
| | | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| | Self-managed investments | | |
| | Equity securities – at fair value | | |
| | Listed in Hong Kong | 59,944,895 | 59,982,765 |
| | Bonds – at fair value | | |
| | Listed outside Hong Kong | 11,278,637 | 12,184,489 |
| | | 71,223,532 | 72,167,254 |
| | Classified as: | | |
| | Non-current assets | 71,223,532 | 59,982,765 |
| | Current assets | - | 12,184,489 |
| | | 71,223,532 | 72,167,254 |
| | | ====== | ======= |
| 4. | FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS | | |
| | | 2013 HK\$ | 2012 HK\$ |
| | Investments by fund manager | | |
| | Equity funds – at fair value Unlisted | 6 509 229 | 6 100 062 |
| | Bond funds – at fair value | 6,598,338 | 6,199,962 |
| | Unlisted | 5,608,199 | 5,215,396 |
| | | 12,206,537 | 11,415,358 |
| _ | | | |
| 5. | CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | 2013 | 2012 |
| | | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| | Time deposits with original maturity within three months | 9,045,808 | 9,815,214 |
| | Call deposit | 116,955 | 395,657 |
| | Cash at banks | 5,002,636 | 2,804,585 |
| | | 14,165,399 ====== | 13,015,456 ====== |

6. PROVISION FOR STAFF GRATUITY

| 0. | PROVISION FOR STAFF GRATUITY | | |
|------------|--|--------------|--------------|
| | | 2013 HK\$ | 2012 HK\$ |
| | Balance at beginning of year | 25,000 | 36,029 |
| | Provision for the year | 49,084 | 35,004 |
| | Payment for the year | (758) | (46,033) |
| | Balance at end of year | 73,326 | 25,000 |
| | | ===== | ===== |
| 7. | INTEREST | | |
| , . | | 2013 HK\$ | 2012 HK\$ |
| | (a) Interest on self-managed investments: | | |
| | Interest on time deposits and savings accounts | 144,422 | 131,113 |
| | Interest on bonds | 249,853 | 208,169 |
| | | 394,275 | 339,282 |
| | (b) Interest on investments by fund manager: | | |
| | Interest on call deposit | 376 | 1,075 |
| | | 394,651 | 340,357 |

8. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

(a) The Fund's major financial instruments include available-for-sale financial assets, financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and bank deposits. The major risks associated with these financial instruments are set out below.

(I) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation and cause the other party to incur a financial loss.

The maximum exposure to credit risk as at the balance sheet date in relation to each class of financial assets is the carrying amount of those assets as stated in the balance sheet.

To minimise the credit risks arising from bank deposits, all time deposits are placed with reputable licensed banks in Hong Kong. To minimise credit risks arising from available-for-sale financial assets and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, only those classified under the investment grade by Moody's or Standard & Poor's are considered. At the balance sheet date, the credit quality of investments in bonds and bond funds analysed by the lower of ratings designated by Moody's or Standard & Poor's was as follows:

| | 2013 | 2012 |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| | HK\$ | HK\$ |
| Bonds by credit rating | | |
| Aa1 to Aa3/AA+ to AA- | - | 4,620,480 |
| A1 to A3/A+ to A- | 11,278,637 | 7,564,009 |
| | 11,278,637 | 12,184,489 |
| | | |
| Bond funds by credit rating | | |
| Aa1 to Aa3/AA+ to AA- | 3,034,834 | 3,156,277 |
| A1 to A3/A+ to A- | - | 488,794 |
| Baa1 to Baa3/BBB+ to BBB- | 2,573,365 | 1,570,325 |
| | 5,608,199 | 5,215,396 |
| | 16,886,836 | 17,399,885 |

For other receivables, the Fund considers that adequate provision has been made, where necessary, for amounts which are expected to be irrecoverable.

(II) Market risk

The Fund's investments and bank deposits are exposed to market risk due to changes in market variables such as interest rates, equity prices and exchange rates. To manage the risk, the Committee regularly reviews the investment portfolio and the investment guidelines for monitoring the investment activities of the Fund.

(i) Equity price risk

The Fund maintains a diversified portfolio of investments. The Committee monitors the performance of the portfolio and regularly reviews the investment strategy of the Fund in order to manage the equity price risk. It is estimated that if the market prices of the respective equity securities had been 10% (2012: 15%) higher/lower, the total balance of the accumulated surplus and investment revaluation reserve of the Fund would have increased/decreased by about HK\$6,654,000 (2012: about HK\$9,927,000). The sensitivity analysis was based on the carrying amounts of the Fund's equity securities and equity funds as at the balance sheet date and on the assumption that all other variables were held constant.

(ii) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk of loss arising from changes in market interest rates. This can be further classified into fair value interest rate risk and cash flow interest rate risk.

Fair value interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates.

Since all the Fund's deposits with banks bear interest at fixed rates, their fair values will fall when market interest rates increase. However, as they are all stated at amortised cost, changes in market interest rates will not affect their carrying amounts and the Fund's deficit and equity.

Cash flow interest rate risk is the risk that future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Fund's exposure to cash flow interest rate risk is small as it has no major floating-rate investments.

For the Fund's investments in bonds and bond funds, their fair values will generally fall when market interest rates increase. It is estimated that, as at 31 August 2013, a general increase/decrease of 25 basis points (2012: 25 basis points) in interest rates, with all other variables held constant, would decrease/increase the investment revaluation reserve by HK\$66,000 (2012: HK\$25,000) and increase/decrease the deficit of the Fund for the year by about HK\$76,000 (2012: HK\$44,000). The sensitivity analysis was determined assuming that the change in interest rates had occurred at the balance sheet date and had been applied to bonds and bond funds in existence at that date. The 25 basis points increase/decrease represents the Fund's assessment of a reasonably possible change in interest rates over the period until the next balance sheet date.

(iii) Foreign currency risk

(a) Exposure to currency risk

The Fund maintained net financial instruments denominated in United States dollars and Renminbi at a total of USD803,290 (2012: USD2,286,410) and CNY13,340,767 (2012: CNY5,857,226) respectively at the balance sheet date. As Hong Kong dollar is pegged to the United States dollars within a narrow range, it is considered that the Fund had no significant exposure to foreign exchange risk relating to this currency. Since no foreign currency rate hedging is made by the Fund, the carrying amounts of the financial instruments in Renminbi represent the maximum exposure of the Fund to foreign currency risk in respect of Renminbi.

(b) Sensitivity analysis

It was estimated that as at 31 August 2013, should the Renminbi strengthen/weaken by 5% (2012: 5%) against the Hong Kong dollar, with all other variables being held constant, the deficit of the Fund would decrease/increase by HK\$845,000 (2012: HK\$358,000).

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The sensitivity analysis above has been determined assuming that the change in foreign exchange rate had occurred at the year end and for financial instruments in existence at that date. The 5% (2012: 5%) strengthening/weakening in Renminbi represents the assessment by the Fund of a reasonably possible change in foreign exchange rate over the period until the end of next year.

(III) Liquidity risk

In the management of liquidity risk, the Fund maintains a level of cash and cash equivalents that is considered adequate to finance its operations and mitigate the effects of fluctuations in cash flows.

(b) Fair value hierarchy of financial instruments

The following table presents the carrying value of financial instruments measured at fair value at the balance sheet date according to the fair value hierarchy defined in HKFRS 7, Financial Instruments: Disclosures, with the fair value of each financial instrument categorised in its entirety based on the lowest level of input that is significant to that fair value measurement.

| | Level 1 HK\$ | 2013 Level 2 HK\$ | Total HK\$ | Level 1 HK\$ | 2012 Level 2 HK\$ | Total HK\$ |
|--|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| Available-for-sale financial assets | | | | | | |
| Equity securities - listed | 59,944,895 | - | 59,944,895 | 59,982,765 | - | 59,982,765 |
| Bonds - listed | 11,278,637 | - | 11,278,637 | 12,184,489 | - | 12,184,489 |
| | 71,223,532 | - | 71,223,532 | 72,167,254 | - | 72,167,254 |
| Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | | | | | |
| Equity funds - unlisted | - | 6,598,338 | 6,598,338 | - | 6,199,962 | 6,199,962 |
| Bond funds - unlisted | - | 5,608,199 | 5,608,199 | - | 5,215,396 | 5,215,396 |
| | - | 12,206,537 | 12,206,537 | - | 11,415,358 | 11,415,358 |
| | 71,223,532 | 12,206,537 | 83,430,069 | 72,167,254 | 11,415,358 | 83,582,612 |

No financial assets were classified under Level 3. During the year, there were no significant transfers between instruments in Level 1 and Level 2.

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are:

Level 1 (highest level): fair values measured using quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical financial instruments.

Level 2: fair values measured using quoted prices in active markets for similar financial instruments, or using valuation techniques in which all significant inputs are directly or indirectly based on observable market data.

Level 3 (lowest level): fair values measured using valuation techniques in which any significant input is not based on observable market data.

9. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The capital structure of the Fund consists of the capital, accumulated surplus and investment revaluation reserve. The Fund's objectives when managing capital are:

- to comply with the Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund Ordinance; and
- to maintain a strong capital base for carrying out the purpose of the Fund as stated in note 1 above.

The Fund manages capital to ensure that its level is sufficient to fund future awards, grants and expenditure, taking into account projected cash flow requirements, future financial obligations and commitments.

10. COMMITMENTS

As at 31 August 2013, the financial commitments for approved scholarship awards pending payment were HK\$1,367,050 (2012: HK\$238,450).

11. FAIR VALUES OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

All financial instruments are stated in the balance sheet at amounts equal to or not materially different from their fair values.

12. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Certain comparative figures have been restated to conform with the current year's presentation.

List of Awards for the year ended 31.8.2013 under Section 6(1)(a)(i) of Cap. 1110

| | <u>Categories</u> | Amount HK\$ |
|------|---|----------------|
| I. | Overseas Postgraduate Studies and Professional Training Scholarships (Para. 2 of the Schedule) | 536,000 |
| II. | Anglo-Chinese Secondary Schools Scholarships (Para. 3(2) of the Schedule) | 148,960 |
| III. | Undergraduate Scholarships (Para. 3(4) of the Schedule) | 1,816,500 |
| IV. | Local Postgraduate Scholarships (Para. 4 of the Schedule) | 352,450 |
| V. | United World Colleges (Para. 4 of the Schedule) | 1,068,319 |
| VI. | Vocational Training Council (Para. 4 of the Schedule) | 47,500 |
| VII. | Training & Conference Grants (Para. 4 of the Schedule) | 453,108 |
| | | 4,422,837 |
| | | |

Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund

Grants through the Social Welfare Department for the relief of persons in distress under Section 6(1)(a)(ii) of Cap. 1110

| <u>Description</u> | Amount HK\$ |
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| Removal & reaccommodation grants | 406,921.00 |
| Grants for rents and other related requirements | 780,297.20 |
| Grants for the welfare of the applicant in coping with special needs arising from crisis or unexpected circumstances | 546,847.80 |
| Grants for medical treatment and assessment | 16,450.00 |
| Burial grants for needy non-natural disaster victims | 211,930.00 |
| Grants for purchase of spectacles, dentures and medical/rehabilitation appliances on medical recommendations and repair services of the same | 27,753.00 |
| Grants for purchase of necessary items for needy cases under special circumstances | 137,198.50 |
| Special grants which the Director of Social Welfare considers appropriate | 38,828.00 |
| Grants to the Samaritan Fund | 100,000.00 |
| | 2,266,225.50 |