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Shareholders of the Company and potential investors should exercise caution when dealing in the shares of the Company.

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Excluding the net fair value losses, the Group’s fund management business remained robust, with an increase of 26% in its operating profit (before other gains/losses*), which rose to HK$159.2 million for the six months ended 30 June 2014 from HK$126.1 million in the same period last year.
This announcement is only based on a preliminary review of the unaudited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2014, which have not yet been finalized and are subject to the review of the Company and its auditor.

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By Order of the Board
Value Partners Group Limited
TSE Wai Ming, Timothy
Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director

Hong Kong, 21 July 2014

As at the date of this announcement, our Directors are Dato’ Cheah Cheng Hye, Ms. Hung Yeuk Yan Renee, Mr. So Chun Ki Louis and Mr. Tse Wai Ming, Timothy as Executive Directors and Dr. Chen Shih Ta Michael, Mr. Lee Siang Chin and Mr. Nobuo Oyama as Independent Non-executive Directors.

* Other gains/losses mainly include fair value changes and realized gains/losses on disposal of seed capital investments, investments in own funds and other investments; and net foreign exchange gains/losses.