

**PROPERTY HOLDINGS INC.**  
**ANNUAL REPORT 2005**



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## NOTICE OF MEETING

The **6th Annual General Meeting** of Property Holdings Inc. (PHI) will be held at Princess Hotel on Tuesday November 17, 2009 at 5:30pm.

### AGENDA

- To receive and consider the Report of the Directors and the Audited Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 2005.
- To transact any other business of an Annual General Meeting.

Only Shareholders or their duly appointed proxies may attend. Please bring this notice to gain entry to the meeting.

Any member entitled to attend and vote is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of him/her. A person exercising a Proxy need not be a member of the Company. The Form of Proxy must be deposited with the Company Secretary at the Registered Office of the Company not less than 48 hours before the time for holding the meeting. A Proxy Form is attached for use.

Any corporation which is a member of the Company may, by resolution of its Board of Directors or other governing body, authorize such person as it thinks fit to act as its representative at the meeting.

### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD



Dursatty Doodnauth  
Company Secretary  
Registered Office  
126 Barrack Street, Kingston  
September 29th, 2009

## **CORPORATE INFORMATION**

### **CHAIRMAN**

Mr. Manniram Prashad

### **DIRECTORS**

Mr. Winston Brassington

Mr. Winfred Fries

### **CORPORATE SECRETARY**

Mr. Winfred Fries

### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

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### **AUDITORS**

Office of the Auditor General (Nizam Ali and Company)

9 Church Street

Lacytown

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### **MANAGEMENT**

Guyana Stores Ltd. managed PHI from incorporation to October 2000, when the major shareholder, National Industrial and Commercial Investments Ltd. (NICIL), under the auspices of the Privatisation Unit assumed management functions. This was due to the privatisation of Guyana Stores Ltd. to a private entity whose new majority owner has no shares in PHI.

# **REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS**

## **INCORPORATION & NATURE OF BUSINESS**

Government and GSL incorporated PHI on 5<sup>th</sup> October 1999 as a fully owned subsidiary of GSL. Shortly after, the GSL shareholders approved the transfer of twenty-four (24) non-core properties of GSL to PHI. These represented all GSL properties except the Universal and Hardware buildings.

The nature of PHI's business is simply to manage or dispose of the non-core GSL properties that were transferred from GSL. A detailed account of all property related transactions, including third party related transactions involving shareholders and members of the Board of Directors, are provided for in the notes accompanying the accounts.

As a consequence of its business, PHI does not have any subsidiaries nor does it engage in other investment projects that carry investment risks nor has it borrowed any money from a licensed financial institution. Any debts of the Company are duly documented in the notes to the financial statements.

## **RESULTS**

Total income amounted to G\$3,728,746 compared to G\$136,226,670 for 2004. This was attributed to the Company not selling any property in 2005 due to a depressed real estate market. As a result of the significant reduction in income, the Company suffered an overall loss in its operations in the sum of (G\$655,897) as compared to G\$113,027,716 for the previous financial year.

Earnings per share amounted to (G\$0.01).

## **DIVIDENDS**

No dividend was declared for the year 2005.

## **RETAINED EARNINGS**

The retained earnings amounted to G\$251,761,157, with shareholders' equity being G\$351,761,157 at the end of 2005.

## **DIRECTORS/OFFICERS**

At incorporation, the Shareholders appointed Mr. Manniram Prashad as Chairman of the Board and Mr. Winfred Fries and Mr. Winston Brassington as Directors. All have continued to serve since inception and throughout the year.

Save and except Mr. Winfred Fries who holds 100,000 shares in PHI, no other director or officer of PHI holds any shares in the company. Any related party transactions that may have occurred over the years involving any member of the Board of Management of PHI is duly documented in the notes to the financial statements.

## **AUDITORS**

PHI, being a company whose majority shareholder is a wholly state-owned company, is required to have its financial statements audited by the Office of the Auditor General. The Auditor General has sub-contracted Nizam Ali & Company to assist in the audit of these financial statements.

126 Barrack Street  
Kingston, Georgetown

By Order of the Board



Company Secretary



**PROPERTY HOLDINGS INC.**  
**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**For the year ended  
December 31, 2005**





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23 May 2008

**REPORT OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL**  
**TO THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF**  
**THE PROPERTY HOLDINGS INC.**  
**ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2005**

I have audited the financial statements of the Property Holdings Inc. for the year ended 31 December 2005, as set out on pages 13 to 28. These statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets and the accounting policies as set out on page 17.

### **Respective Responsibilities of Management and Auditors**

The preparation of the financial statements, including assertions relating to their completeness, accuracy, validity and compliance with applicable laws, regulations and contractual obligation, is the responsibility of the management of the Property Holdings Inc. My responsibility is to express an independent opinion on the statements based on these assertions and to report my opinion to you.

### **Basis of Opinion**

I conducted my audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, including those of the International Organisation of Supreme Audit Institutions (INTOSAI) and the International Federation of Accountants (IFAC). Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on the test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by Management as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

### **Opinion**

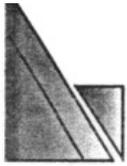
In my opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Property Holdings Inc. as at 31 December 2005, its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Without qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to the following matters:

- a)  
As stated in note 7 to the financial statements, the Company requested approval from the Commissioner General, Guyana Revenue Authority to use a revised valuation for the purpose of calculating property and capital gains tax. The Commissioner General has agreed to consider that the Company use a revised valuation that meets his requirements; however, to date the Company has not provided the valuation to the Commissioner General. The Company has recalculated its property and capital gains tax on the basis of nominal values used in transferring the property from Guyana Stores Limited in 1999. This resulted in a reversal of tax provision for the years 1999 to 2002 in the amount of sixty-five million and forty-seven thousand, two hundred and twenty-seven dollars (\$65,047,227).
  
- b)  
Note 2(a) of the financial statements indicates that the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. The Company has elected to account for investment properties at cost in accordance with IAS 40 *investment properties*. Under IAS 40, disclosure of the fair value of all investment properties is required, regardless of the measurement model used. The Company did not undertake a recent valuation of investment properties. Consequently, the information relating to the fair value of investment properties was not disclosed in these financial statements.



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**REPORT OF CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS  
NIZAM ALI & COMPANY  
TO THE AUDITOR GENERAL  
ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF  
PROPERTY HOLDINGS INC.  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Property Holdings Inc., which comprise the balance sheet as at December 31, 2005 and the statement of net income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes.

**Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. This responsibility includes: designing, implementing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

**Auditors' Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Audit Office of Guyana Auditing Standards and International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgement, 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 auditors consider internal controls relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 Management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

## **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2005 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

## **Emphasis of matter**

Without qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to the following matters:

- a) As stated in note 7 to the financial statements, the Company requested approval from the Commissioner General, Guyana Revenue Authority to use a revised valuation for the purpose of calculating property and capital gains tax. The Commissioner General has agreed to consider that the Company use a revised valuation that meets his requirements; however, to date the Company has not provided the valuation to the Commissioner General. The Company has recalculated its property and capital gains tax on the bases of nominal values used in transferring the properties from Guyana Stores Limited in 1999. This resulted in a reversal of tax provision for the years 1999 to 2002 in the amount of sixty-five million and forty-seven thousand, two hundred and twenty-seven dollars (\$65,047,227).
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*Nizam Ali & Company*

Chartered Accountants

Georgetown, Guyana

May 15, 2008

## Balance Sheet

As at December 31, 2005 with comparative figures for 2004  
(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

	Notes	2005 G\$	2004 G\$
<b>Investment properties</b>	3	89,218,900	89,218,900
<b>Current assets</b>			
Due from related company (NICIL)	9	170,099,104	232,556,490
Receivables	4	3,000,000	820,000
Taxes recoverable		46,491,353	46,491,353
Cash on hand and at bank		<u>82,801,235</u>	<u>121,430,108</u>
		<u>302,391,692</u>	<u>401,297,951</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<b><u>391,610,592</u></b>	<b><u>490,516,851</u></b>
<b>Liability and shareholders equity</b>			
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Due to related companies	10	-	577,325
Payables	11	12,681,168	11,674,228
Taxation		<u>27,168,267</u>	<u>25,848,244</u>
		<u>39,849,435</u>	<u>38,099,797</u>
<b>Shareholders' equity</b>			
Share capital	5	100,000,000	100,000,000
Retained earning		<u>251,761,157</u>	<u>352,417,054</u>
Shareholders' equity		<u>351,761,157</u>	<u>452,417,054</u>
<b>Total liability and shareholders' equity</b>		<b><u>391,610,592</u></b>	<b><u>490,516,851</u></b>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on May 15, 2008 and signed on its behalf by:

Director Winston Brandyk ..... Director R. Soekran .....

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

**Profit and Loss Account**  
For the year ended December 31, 2005 with comparative figures for 2004  
(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

	<u>Notes</u>	2005 <u>G\$</u>	2004 <u>G\$</u>
Income	6	3,728,746	136,226,670
<b>Administrative Expenses</b>			
Legal and professional		403,392	3,438,875
Rates and taxes		1,206,940	13,298,703
Insurance premiums		1,379,043	937,761
Security		-	628,030
Advertising		-	132,860
Survey fees		-	183,028
Directors fees		-	50,000
Bank charges		1,800	1,200
Miscellaneous		2,630	585
Audit fees		70,815	100,000
Loss on disposal of plant & equipment		-	40,996
		<u>3,064,620</u>	<u>18,812,038</u>
Selling costs		-	1,050,000
Profit before taxation		<u>664,126</u>	<u>116,364,632</u>
Taxation	7	<u>(1,320,023)</u>	<u>(3,336,916)</u>
(Loss) profit for the year		<u>(655,897)</u>	<u>113,027,716</u>
(Loss) earnings per share in Guyana dollars		<u>(0.01)</u>	<u>1.13</u>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

**Statement of Changes in Equity**  
For the year ended December 31, 2005  
(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

	<b>Share Capital <u>G\$</u></b>	<b>Retained Earnings <u>G\$</u></b>	<b>Total <u>G\$</u></b>
Balance as at January 1, 2004	100,000,000	239,389,338	339,389,338
Net profit for the year	<u>-</u>	<u>113,027,716</u>	<u>113,027,716</u>
Balance at 31 December, 2004	100,000,000	352,417,054	452,417,054
Net profit for the year	-	(655,897)	(655,897)
Dividend paid	<u>-</u>	<u>(100,000,000)</u>	<u>(100,000,000)</u>
Balance as at December 31, 2005	<u>100,000,000</u>	<u>251,761,157</u>	<u>351,761,157</u>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

**Cash Flow Statement**  
For the year ended December 31, 2005 with comparative figures for 2004  
(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
	<b>G\$</b>	<b>G\$</b>
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>		
Profit before taxation	664,126	116,364,632
Adjustment for:		
Gain on disposal of investment properties	-	(134,925,800)
Loss on disposal of plant and equipment	-	40,996
Operating profit (loss) before working capital changes	<u>664,126</u>	<u>(18,520,172)</u>
Increase (decrease) in due from related companies	62,457,386	(123,279,455)
(Increase) decrease in receivables	(2,180,000)	93,800,000
Decrease in due to related companies	(577,325)	(351,815)
Increase in payables	1,006,940	9,054,003
Taxes paid	<u>-</u>	<u>(50,000,000)</u>
Net cash from (used in) operating activities	<u>61,371,127</u>	<u>(89,297,439)</u>
<b>Cash flow from investing activities</b>		
Proceeds from sale of investment properties	<u>-</u>	<u>139,750,000</u>
Net cash from investing activities	<u>-</u>	<u>139,750,000</u>
<b>Cash flow from financing activities</b>		
Dividends paid	<u>(100,000,000)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net cash used in financing activities	<u>(100,000,000)</u>	<u>-</u>
(Decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(38,628,873)	50,452,561
Cash and cash equivalent at the beginning of year	<u>121,430,108</u>	<u>70,977,547</u>
Cash and cash equivalent at the end of year	<u><u>82,801,235</u></u>	<u><u>121,430,108</u></u>
<b>Cash and cash equivalent comprise:</b>		
Cash on hand and at bank	<u><u>82,801,235</u></u>	<u><u>121,430,108</u></u>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

## Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

### 1. Incorporation and activities

Property Holdings Inc. (PHI) was incorporated on October 5, 1999 as a wholly owned subsidiary of Guyana Stores Limited (GSL).

Prior to the privatisation of GSL, which occurred on September 30, 2000, certain properties owned by GSL with a nominal value of \$100,000,000 were transferred by vesting order to PHI and this was used as a consideration for acquiring all PHI's shares. GSL during 1999 declared a dividend and distributed its shareholdings acquired in PHI as payment for this dividend. This resulted in a shareholding in PHI that mirrored the GSL Shareholdings.

The Government of Guyana through the National Industrial and Commercial Investments Ltd. owns 73.33% of PHI and minority shareholders hold collectively 26.77% of the issued share capital.

### 2. Significant accounting policies

#### (a) Accounting Convention

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and under historical cost basis except for properties vested in the company on October 5, 1999 which is valued at nominal values agreed at the time of vesting.

#### (b) Revenue recognition

In relation to sale of property, gain/loss is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of these properties have been transferred to the buyer. Significant risks and rewards of ownership are transferred to the buyer upon signing of a agreement of sale.

Interest and other income is recognised as it accrues unless the ability to collect is in doubt.

#### (c) Investment property

Investment properties are properties held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation or both. Investment properties are measured at cost.

#### (d) Foreign currency

Foreign currency transactions completed during the year are translated at the Republic Bank (Guyana) Ltd. cambio rate of exchange at the date of each transaction. At the balance sheet date all monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the Republic Bank (Guyana) Ltd. cambio rate of exchange ruling at that date or at rates agreed by the Bank of Guyana.

**Notes to Financial Statements**  
**December 31, 2005**  
**(Expressed in Guyana dollars)**

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**2. Significant accounting policies, continued**

Gains and losses arising from the translation of foreign currencies are included in the profit and loss account for the year.

**(e) Cash and cash equivalents**

For the purpose of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand and deposits held on call with the banks.

**(f) Dividend on ordinary shares**

Dividends on ordinary shares are recognised in equity in the period in which they are declared.

**(g) Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation can be made.

**(h) Use of estimates**

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) requires Management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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 and in any future periods affected.

**(i) Receivables**

Trade accounts receivable are recorded at the invoiced amount and do not bear interest. The Company reviews the trade accounts receivable and determines the necessity and amount of an allowance for doubtful accounts as their best estimate of probable credit losses in existing accounts receivable. The Company does not have any off-balance sheet credit exposure related to its customers.

## Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

### 3. Investment properties

(a)	2005 <u>G\$</u>	2004 <u>G\$</u>
<b>Transfer from property, plant and equipment</b>		
Cost at January 1, 2005	89,218,900	94,043,100
Disposal	<u>-</u>	<u>(4,824,200)</u>
Cost at December 31, 2005	<u>89,218,900</u>	<u>89,218,900</u>

- (b) Subsequent to incorporation, the following assets were vested to the Company from Guyana Stores Limited, by Vesting Order number 36 of 1999 dated October 13, 1999.

As at December 31, 2005, items numbered (1), (3), (6), (8), (9), (10), (11), (12), (13), (21) and (22) below were disposed of.

Description of property	Nominal Value	
	Land G\$	Building G\$
(1) 43 and 44 Water Street, Robbstown, Georgetown with all building and erections thereon	588,500	1,208,800
(2) Tract 'Z' being portion of East 1/2 of Lots A 13 and 14 South Cummingsburg District, Georgetown with all building and erections	1,353,600	82,218,280
(3) Sublot lettered 'B' being parts of lot numbered 49, 50, 51 and 52 Water Street, Robbstown, Georgetown with building and erections thereon.	-	4,824,200
(4) Lot 8 New Amsterdam with building, wharf railing, hardwood railing and erections thereon and lot 8 New Amsterdam.	474,300	2,806,900
(5) Lot "N" and area 'B' Plantation Lima, Essequibo with building and erections thereon.	2,900	80,500
Balance carried forward	<u>2,419,300</u>	<u>91,138,680</u>

**Notes to Financial Statements**  
**December 31, 2005**  
**(Expressed in Guyana dollars)**

**3. Investment properties, continued**

Balance brought forward	2,419,300	91,138,680
(6) Lots 248, 250 and 252 being portions of Section 'K' Part of parcel 'A' part of Lot 43 Linden with building and erection thereon.	54,000	2,509,000
(7) South 1/2 of Lot A8 Water Street, South C/burg with buildings and erections thereon	-	287,000
(8) 1 Bel Air Gardens, Georgetown with buildings and erections thereon.	94,500	162,500
(9) 3 Bel Air Gardens, Georgetown with buildings and erections thereon.	113,500	186,000
(10) 12 Bel Air Gardens, Georgetown with buildings and erections thereon.	59,500	142,600
(11) 13 Bel Air Gardens, Georgetown with building and erection thereon.	60,600	150,600
(12) 16 Bel Air Gardens, Georgetown with building and erection thereon.	72,300	163,700
(13) 43 Bel Air Gardens, Georgetown with building and erection thereon.	53,600	144,500
(14) Lot 18 Queenstown, Georgetown with building and erection thereon.	72,700	225,500
(15) Lot 304 and South 1/2 of Lot 305 Cummingsburg District, Georgetown with building and erections thereon.	161,600	310,800
(16) Lots 205, 206 and 207, North Cummingsburg Georgetown with building and erections thereon.	95,500	331,000
Balance carried forward	<u>3,257,100</u>	<u>95,751,880</u>

## Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

### 3. Investment properties, continued

Balance brought forward	3,257,100	95,751,880
(17) East 1/2 of Lot 27 South C/bug District with building and erections thereon.	-	380,000
(18) Lot 18 and South 1/2 of Lot 19 Werk-en-Rust, Georgetown with building and erections thereon.	-	184,000
(19) East 1/2 of South 2/3 of West 3/4 of lot 3 Section 'A', Golden Grove, East Coast Demerara with building and erections thereon.	13,000	82,125
(20) Zone E.B.D. Block XXX Parcels 1864 and 1865 Ruimveldt, Georgetown with building and erections thereon.	10,933	128,262
(21) Area 'E' being a portion of Block 'G' and Area 'F' La Penitence with building and erections thereon.	-	7,500
(22) Guystac Trade (II)	-	185,300
<b>Total</b>	<u>3,281,033</u>	<u>96,719,067</u>

## Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

### 3. Investment properties, continued

- (c) Pursuant to Schedule J of the Share Sale and Purchase Agreement between National Industrial and Commercial Investments Limited and Royal Investment Inc., Guyana Stores Limited (GSL) has the option to buy the following properties which are being occupied by them rent free for varying periods up to three years commencing October 5, 2000. GSL pays all cost associated with these properties such as security costs and rates and taxes. The rent free occupation period of these properties has expired; however, GSL continues to occupy these properties rent free with the exception of (1) below which was sold in 2004. The Company has commenced legal proceedings against GSL for the illegal occupation of these properties.

<b>Description of property</b>	<b><u>Duration of rent Free occupation</u></b>
(1) The building at sublots lettered 'B' being parts of lots numbered 49, 50, 51 and 52 Water Street, Robbstown Georgetown together with right title and interest in sublots lettered 'B'	1 year
(2) East 1/2 of Lot 27 South C/burg District, Georgetown with building and erections thereon	1 year
(3) Tract 'Z' being portion of East 1/2 of A 13 and A 14 South C/burg District, Georgetown with all building and erections thereon.	1 year
(4) Parcel of land known as lot 'N' Plantation Lima, Essequibo with the building thereon.	3 years
(5) Area 'B' being part of the land of Plantation Lima, Essequibo no buildings thereon.	3 years
(6) Parcel of land at Lot 9 New Amsterdam with buildings, wharf railing hardwood railing and erections thereon.	3 years
(7) Parcel of land at Lot 8 Smythtown, New Amsterdam, Berbice	3 years

## Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

### 3. Investment properties, continued

- (d) Included in the vesting order is property located at east half of Lot 109 Kingston. This property was not owned by GSL. The inclusion of this property in the vesting order was based on the assumption that the building commonly known as the Sports Club was located at the Lot 109 Kingston. It has since been discovered that the Sports Club is not at this location but is on land owned by the state.

Considering the above, the property at 109 Kingston was excluded from PHI's fixed assets. The Privatisation Board has agreed to compensate PHI for the Sports Club building and erections. An independent valuation was performed by Rodrigues Architects Ltd. which showed a value of \$13,225,000 for the Sports Club building and erections. This amount was paid to the Company in 2003.

	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
	<b><u>G\$</u></b>	<b><u>G\$</u></b>
<b>4. Receivables</b>		
Creation Craft	1,600,000	400,000
Guysuco	<u>1,400,000</u>	<u>420,000</u>
	<u>3,000,000</u>	<u>820,000</u>
<b>5. Share Capital</b>		
<b>Authorised</b>		
100,000,000 ordinary shares of no par value		
<b>Issued and Fully paid shares</b>		
100,000,000 ordinary shares stated value	<u>100,000,000</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>
<b>6. Income</b>		
49-52 Water Street	-	135,311,736
Interest	128,746	140,870
Rental	<u>3,600,000</u>	<u>1,160,000</u>
	<u>3,728,746</u>	<u>136,612,606</u>

## Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

(Expressed in Guyana dollars)

	2005	2004
	<u>G\$</u>	<u>G\$</u>
<b>7. Taxation</b>		
Property Tax	<u>1,320,023</u>	<u>3,336,916</u>
	<u>1,320,023</u>	<u>3,336,916</u>

The Company previously provided for property tax on the bases of a valuation done by the Chief Valuation Officer, Ministry of Finance. However, during 2005 the Company requested approval from the Commissioner General to use a revised valuation for the purpose of calculating property tax after being advised by the Commissioner General that the 25 Years Rule will apply for the purpose of computing capital gains tax (CGT). Properties transferred from Guyana Stores Limited (GSL) were deemed to be owned by the Company for the period that GSL owned those properties. Under the 25 Years Rule, capital gains on disposals of property that has been owned for a period of 25 years or more are exempt from CGT.

The Company has not provided the Commissioner General with a revised valuation; however, during 2003 the Company recomputed its property tax and CGT obligation on the basis of the nominal value of assets transferred from GSL. This resulted in a reversal of provisions previously made for taxes amounting to \$65,047,227. Tax for 2003, 2004 and the current year has also been computed on the basis of these nominal values.

	2005	2004
	<u>G\$</u>	<u>G\$</u>
<b>8. Profit/loss for the year</b>	<u>(655,897)</u>	<u>113,027,716</u>
After charging auditor's remuneration	<u>100,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>

### 9. Due from related companies (NICIL)

Kara Kara Linden (Call Center)	96,000,000	96,000,000
49-52 Water Street	72,697,069	135,154,455
Bel- Air Properties	<u>1,402,035</u>	<u>1,402,035</u>
	<u>170,099,104</u>	<u>232,556,490</u>

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	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
	<b><u>G\$</u></b>	<b><u>G\$</u></b>
<b>10. Due to related companies (NICIL)</b>		
RK's Security Service - Security PHI Young St	-	148,000
Guyenterprise - Real estate - Advertisements	-	91,400
RK's Security Service - Security PHI Young St	-	163,200
Guyenterprise - Real estate - Advertisements	-	16,800
Rodrigues Architects Ltd - Survey for PHI 304,305 East Street	-	157,925
MP Insurance - Premium Paid	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>577,325</u>
<b>11. Payables</b>		
Accrued rates and taxes	10,160,943	8,954,003
Administration costs (GSL)	119,681	119,681
Auditor fees	200,000	400,000
Security Linden	<u>2,200,544</u>	<u>2,200,544</u>
	<u>12,681,168</u>	<u>11,674,228</u>

**12. Financial Instruments**
**(i) Credit risk**

The Company's cash holdings are with substantial financial institutions. Credit risk on trade receivables are shown net of provision for bad debts. Management believes that there is no additional risk beyond amounts provided for collection losses.

**(ii) Fair values**

The fair value of cash and bank balances, receivables and payables balances are not materially different from their carrying amounts.

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**13. Related Party**

The Company considers related party transactions to be those with Directors, the Government, and persons and entities affiliated and Government.

**(a) Transactions with State Owned Entities:**

- (i) On privatisation of Guyana Stores Ltd, the administrative functions of PHI were moved to the office of the National Industrial and Commercial Investments Ltd. No management fee has been charged or paid.
- (ii) Property located at lot 18 Lamaha Street has been rented to Guyana Sugar Corporation for an annual rental of \$280,000. This is the continuation of a rental arrangement that existed between Guyana Stores Limited and Guyana Sugar Corporation prior to the incorporation of PHI. The terms of the rental agreement provided that Guyana Sugar Corporation shall pay the cost of maintenance and rates and taxes during the period of occupancy of the property.

**(b) Transaction with Government of Guyana:**

- (i) 304-305 East Street: This property has been occupied by the Ministry of Health prior to the privatisation of Guyana Stores Limited and transfer of non-core properties to PHI. Ministry of Health has been paying all outgoings for the building in lieu of rent, save and except insurance and rates and taxes.
- (ii) 205-207 Camp Street: Occupation of the Colgrain Pool and Colgrain Flat (located next to the pool) was granted to the Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sport on the basis that the Ministry would be responsible for the payment of all outgoings in lieu of rent.
- (ii) 205 Camp Street (Colgrain House): This property has been occupied by the CARICOM free of rent. Management is currently negotiating an appropriate compensation from the Government.

**(c) Other Transactions:**

- (i) Prior to incorporation of PHI and transfer of non-core properties from Guyana Stores Ltd. to PHI, M.P. Insurance Brokers & Consultants, a company affiliated with one of its Directors has performed the services of brokers for Guyana Stores Ltd. This relationship continues to date without influence being exercised by the related Director. No service fees are paid by PHI to the insurance broker. During the year, the Company paid insurance premiums amounting to \$514,920.



## FORM OF PROXY

The Secretary  
Property Holdings Inc.  
126 Barrack Street,  
Kingston, Guyana

I/We \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_

A Member/Members of Property Holdings Inc. hereby appoint \_\_\_\_\_

or in his/her absence \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_

as my/our Proxy to vote in my/our name (s) and on my/our behalf upon any matter proposed at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Property Holdings Inc. to be held on Tuesday November 17, 2009 or any adjournment thereof in such manner as such Proxy may think proper.

As witness my hand this ----- day of ----- 2009.

Signed by the Said -----

(Name of Member/s)

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(Signature of Member/s)

**Note: To be valid, this form must be completed and deposited with the Secretary at least 48 hours before the time appointed for the meeting or adjourned meeting.**