The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries Report and consolidated interim financial statements For the three-month period ended 31 March 2012

Independent Auditor's Report on Review of Interim Financial Information

To the Shareholders of The Post Publishing Public Company Limited

I have reviewed the accompanying consolidated statement of financial position of The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries as at 31 March 2012, the related consolidated statements of comprehensive income, changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows for the three-month periods ended 31 March 2012 and 2011, as well as the condensed notes to the consolidated financial statements, and have also reviewed the separate financial information of The Post Publishing Public Company Limited for the same periods. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim financial information in accordance with Accounting Standard 34 *Interim Financial Reporting.* My responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim financial information based on my reviews.

Scope of review

I conducted my reviews in accordance with Standard on Review Engagements 2410, *Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity.* A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with auditing standards and consequently does not enable me to obtain assurance that I would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, I do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on my reviews, nothing has come to my attention that causes me to believe that the accompanying interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with Accounting Standard 34 *Interim Financial Reporting*.

Statements of financial position as at 31 December 2011 for comparative purposes

I have previously audited the consolidated financial statements of The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries and the separate financial statements of The Post Publishing Public Company Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011 in accordance with auditing standards, and expressed an unqualified opinion on those statements under my report dated 13 February 2012. The consolidated and separate statements of financial position as at 31 December 2011, as presented herein for comparative purposes, formed an integral part of those financial statements. I have not performed any other audit procedures subsequent to the date of the above report.

Narong Puntawong Certified Public Accountant (Thailand) No. 3315

Ernst & Young Office Limited Bangkok: 4 May 2012

Statements of financial position

				(Ur	nit: Thousand Baht)
		Consolidated fin	Consolidated financial statements		ncial statements
	Note	31 March 2012	31 December 2011	31 March 2012	31 December 2011
		(Unaudited	(Audited)	(Unaudited	(Audited)
		but reviewed)		but reviewed)	
Assets					
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents		90,516	64,311	8,115	8,340
Trade and other receivables	3	472,829	457,730	390,956	328,464
Inventories	4	128,878	120,973	125,623	114,457
Prepaid corporate income tax		53,510	46,897	47,664	41,723
Other current assets		27,486	22,297	23,872	17,489
Total current assets		773,219	712,208	596,230	510,473
Non-current assets					
Long-term loans to related parties	2	-	-	6,120	6,120
Investments in subsidiaries	5	-	-	106,017	106,017
Investment in associate	6	-	-	-	-
Other long-term investment		16	16	16	16
Property, plant and equipment	7	909,950	933,803	899,437	923,100
Goodwill		53,769	53,769	-	-
Other intangible assets - computer software	8	106,059	106,190	103,883	104,132
Deferred tax assets	9	55,713	53,532	45,979	43,768
Other non-current assets		8,567	8,537	2,200	2,174
Total non-current assets		1,134,074	1,155,847	1,163,652	1,185,327
Total assets		1,907,293	1,868,055	1,759,882	1,695,800

Statements of financial position (continued)

				(Ur	nit: Thousand Baht)	
		Consolidated fin	ancial statements	Separate financial statements		
	Note	31 March 2012	31 December 2011	31 March 2012	31 December 2011	
		(Unaudited	(Audited)	(Unaudited	(Audited)	
		but reviewed)		but reviewed)		
Liabilities and shareholders' equity						
Current liabilities						
Bank overdrafts and short-term loans from						
financial institutions	10	136,604	50,582	126,604	30,582	
Trade and other payables	11	283,810	300,637	254,650	256,919	
Current portion of long-term loans	12	115,000	122,500	115,000	122,500	
Current portion of liabilities under finance lease agreements		1,134	1,015	1,134	1,015	
Short-term loans from related party	2	-	-	16,000	6,000	
Income tax payable		12,093	10,194	-	-	
Unearned subscription fee		65,418	69,561	59,139	62,497	
Other current liabilities		84,124	87,114	74,424	72,306	
Total current liabilities		698,183	641,603	646,951	551,819	
Non-current liabilities						
Long-term loan from non-controlling interests of the subsidiary	13	5,880	5,880	-	-	
Long-term loans, net of current portion	12	325,000	350,000	325,000	350,000	
Liabilities under finance lease agreements - net of current portion	'n	3,965	3,861	3,965	3,861	
Provision for long-term employee benefits		73,188	71,525	71,629	70,091	
Total non-current liabilities		408,033	431,266	400,594	423,952	
Total liabilities		1,106,216	1,072,869	1,047,545	975,771	

Statements of financial position (continued)

			(Unit: Thousand Baht)		
	Consolidated fir	ancial statements	Separate financial statements		
	31 March 2012	31 December 2011	31 March 2012	31 December 2011	
	(Unaudited	(Audited)	(Unaudited	(Audited)	
	but reviewed)		but reviewed)		
Shareholders' equity					
Share capital					
Registered					
505,000,000 ordinary shares of Baht 1 each	505,000	505,000	505,000	505,000	
Issued and fully paid up					
500,000,000 ordinary shares of Baht 1 each	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	
Retained earnings					
Appropriated - statutory reserve	50,500	50,500	50,500	50,500	
Unappropriated	246,234	241,210	161,837	169,529	
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	796,734	791,710	712,337	720,029	
Non-controlling interests of the subsidiary	4,343	3,476			
Total shareholders' equity	801,077	795,186	712,337	720,029	
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	1,907,293	1,868,055	1,759,882	1,695,800	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Directors

The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries

Statements of comprehensive income

For the three-month periods ended 31 March 2012 and 2011

		(Unit: Thousand Baht except basic earnings per share expressed in				
		Consolidated fina	ncial statements	Separate financial statements		
	<u>Note</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	
Sales and services income	14	527,240	450,858	453,062	378,140	
Costs of sales and services		(390,457)	(311,238)	(345,180)	(268,278)	
Gross profit		136,783	139,620	107,882	109,862	
Selling expenses		(69,759)	(53,924)	(69,735)	(47,630)	
Administrative expenses		(62,251)	(64,348)	(50,004)	(50,305)	
Profit (loss) from sales and services		4,773	21,348	(11,857)	11,927	
Other income		8,979	8,457	7,894	6,528	
Profit (loss) before finance cost and income tax		13,752	29,805	(3,963)	18,455	
Finance cost		(6,272)	(5,573)	(5,940)	(5,222)	
Profit (loss) before income tax		7,480	24,232	(9,903)	13,233	
Income tax	9	(1,589)	(7,739)	2,211	(4,431)	
Profit (loss) for the period		5,891	16,493	(7,692)	8,802	
Other comprehensive income					-	
Total comprehensive income for the period		5,891	16,493	(7,692)	8,802	
Profit (loss) attributable to:						
Equity holders of the Company		5,024	16,412	(7,692)	8,802	
Non-controlling interests of the subsidiary		867	81			
		5,891	16,493			
Total comprehensive income attributable to:						
Equity holders of the Company		5,024	16,412	(7,692)	8,802	
Non-controlling interests of the subsidiary		867	81	<u> </u>		
		5,891	16,493			
Earnings per share	15					
Basic earnings per share						
Profit (loss) attributable to equity holders of the Company		0.01	0.03	(0.02)	0.02	

Statements of changes in shareholders' equity

For the three-month periods ended 31 March 2012 and 2011

(Unit: Thousand Baht)

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	Consolidated financial statements						
		Equity attributable to the c	owners of the Company				
				Total	Equity		
	Ordinary shares -	Retained e	earnings	equity attributable	attributable to		
	issued and	Appropriated -		to the owners	non-controlling interests	Total	
	fully paid	statutory reserve	Unappropriated	of the Company	of the subsidiary	shareholders' equity	
Balance as at 31 December 2010	500,000	50,500	285,374	835,874	-	835,874	
Cumulative effect of the change in accounting policy for							
employee benefits	-	-	(49,750)	(49,750)	-	(49,750)	
Total comprehensive income for the period		<u> </u>	16,412	16,412	81_	16,493	
Balance as at 31 March 2011	500,000	50,500	252,036	802,536	81	802,617	
Balance as at 31 December 2011	500,000	50,500	241,210	791,710	3,476	795,186	
Total comprehensive income for the period		<u> </u>	5,024	5,024	867	5,891	
Balance as at 31 March 2012	500,000	50,500	246,234	796,734	4,343	801,077	

The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries Statements of changes in shareholders' equity (continued) For the three-month periods ended 31 March 2012 and 2011

(Unit: Thousand Baht)

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	Separate financial statements					
	Ordinary shares -	Retained	Retained earnings			
	issued and	Appropriated -		Total		
	fully paid	statutory reserve	Unappropriated	shareholders' equity		
Balance as at 31 December 2010	500,000	50,500	233,516	784,016		
Cumulative effect of the change in accounting policy for						
employee benefits	-	-	(48,994)	(48,994)		
Total comprehensive income for the period			8,802	8,802		
Balance as at 31 March 2011	500,000	50,500	193,324	743,824		
Balance as at 31 December 2011	500,000	50,500	169,529	720,029		
Total comprehensive income for the period			(7,692)	(7,692)		
Balance as at 31 March 2012	500,000	50,500	161,837	712,337		

The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries

Cash flow statements

For the three-month periods ended 31 March 2012 and 2011

			(Unit:	Thousand Baht)
	Consolidated finar	ncial statements	Separate financia	al statements
	2012	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Cash flows from operating activities				
Profit (loss) before tax	7,480	24,232	(9,903)	13,233
Adjustments to reconcile profit (loss) before tax to				
net cash provided by (paid from) operating activities:				
Allowance for doubtful debts (reversal)	1,081	(752)	552	(964)
Allowance for sales returns (reversal)	896	(1,668)	896	(1,668)
Allowance to reduce cost to net realisable value	4,530	3,447	4,530	3,408
Depreciation and amortisation	34,850	40,378	33,657	31,818
Gain on disposal of equipment	(492)	(92)	(492)	(92)
Reversal of allowance for impairment of computer software	(278)	(275)	(278)	(275)
Provision for long-term employee benefits	1,663	1,638	1,538	1,600
Interest expenses	6,272	5,573	5,940	5,222
Profit from operating activities before changes				
in operating assets and liabilities	56,002	72,481	36,440	52,282
Operating assets (increase) decrease				
Trade and other receivables	(17,076)	60,676	(63,940)	28,922
Inventories	(12,435)	(8,739)	(15,696)	(8,245)
Other current assets	(5,189)	(4,512)	(6,383)	(3,676)
Other non-current assets	(30)	(928)	(26)	(931)
Operating liabilities increase (decrease)				
Trade and other payables	(13,745)	4,914	307	14,261
Other current liabilities	(7,133)	(15,716)	(1,240)	(11,153)
Cash flows from (used in) operating activities	394	108,176	(50,538)	71,460
Cash paid for interest expenses	(6,910)	(5,156)	(5,839)	(5,068)
Cash paid for corporate income tax	(8,484)	(8,105)	(5,941)	(5,931)
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities	(15,000)	94,915	(62,318)	60,461

The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries

Cash flow statements (continued)

For the three-month periods ended 31 March 2012 and 2011

			(Unit: Thousand Baht)		
	Consolidated finance	cial statements	Separate financia	I statements	
	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	
Cash flows from investing activities					
Proceeds from sales of equipment	492	92	492	92	
Cash paid for purchase of right to use equipment	-	(2,268)	-	-	
Cash paid for purchase of equipment	(8,860)	(6,429)	(8,231)	(5,373)	
Cash paid for purchase of computer software	(3,591)	(6,736)	(3,332)	(6,736)	
Net cash flows used in investing activities	(11,959)	(15,341)	(11,071)	(12,017)	
Cash flows from financing activities					
Increase in short-term loans from financial institutions	86,022	-	96,022	-	
Repayment of long-term loans from banks	(32,500)	(32,500)	(32,500)	(32,500)	
Repayment of liabilities under finance lease agreements	(358)	-	(358)	-	
Increase in loans from subsidiary			10,000	-	
Net cash flows from (used in) financing activities	53,164	(32,500)	73,164	(32,500)	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	26,205	47,074	(225)	15,944	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	64,311	60,514	8,340	6,745	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	90,516	107,588	8,115	22,689	
	-		-		
Supplemental cash flows information:					
Non-cash items					
Purchase of deferred right to use equipment					
for which cash has not been paid	-	7,540	-	-	
Purchase of equipment and computer software					
for which cash has not been paid	4,681	1,787	4,265	1,268	
Purchase of vehicles under finance lease agreements	498	-	498	-	

The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries Notes to interim consolidated financial statements For the three-month period ended 31 March 2012

1. General information

1.1 Corporate information

The Post Publishing Public Company Limited ("the Company") is a public company under Thai laws and is domiciled in Thailand. The Company is principally engaged in the publishing and distribution of newspapers, magazines and books and its registered address is 136 Sunthorn Kosa Road, Kwang Klong Toey, Khet Klong Toey, Bangkok.

1.2 Basis for the preparation of interim financial statements

These interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with Accounting Standard No. 34 (revised 2009) "Interim Financial Reporting", with the Company choosing to present condensed interim financial statements. However, the Company has presented the statements of financial position, comprehensive income, changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows in the same format as that used for the annual financial statements.

The interim financial statements are intended to provide information additional to that included in the latest annual financial statements. Accordingly, they focus on new activities, events and circumstances so as not to duplicate information previously reported. These interim financial statements should therefore be read in conjunction with the latest annual financial statements.

The interim financial statements in Thai language are the official statutory financial statements of the Company. The interim financial statements in English language have been translated from the Thai language financial statements.

1.3 Basis of consolidation

These consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of The Post Publishing Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries and have been prepared on the same basis as that applied for the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011.

1.4 Application of new accounting standards

During the current period, the Federation of Accounting Professions issued new Financial Reporting Standards No. 8 "Operating Segments" that is effective for fiscal years beginning on or after 1 January 2013.

The management of the Company and its subsidiaries believe that the above accounting standard will not has any significant impact on the financial statements for the year when it is initially applied.

1.5 Significant accounting policies

The interim financial statements are prepared using the same accounting policies and methods of computation as were used for the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011.

2. Related party transactions

During the periods, the Company and its subsidiaries had significant business transactions with related parties. Such transactions, which are summarised below, arose in the ordinary course of business and were concluded on commercial terms and bases agreed upon between the Company and those related parties.

(Unit: Million Baht)

	For the the	ree-month pe				
	Consolidated		Separate		Transfer pricing	
	financial s	tatements	financial statements		policy	
	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>		
Transactions with subsidiaries						
(eliminated from the consolidated financial						
statements)						
Purchase of goods	-	-	10	7	Market price	
Rental income	-	-	1	2	Market price	
Advertising income	-	-	11	4	Market price	
Television production service income	-	-	14	15	Contract price	
Advertising expenses	-	-	10	4	Market price	
Rental expenses of television air time	-	-	2	-	Market price	
Transactions with jointly controlled entity						
(eliminated from the consolidated financial						
statements at the Company's proportionate						
interest)						
Purchase of goods	5	4	9	8	Market price	

The balances of the accounts as at 31 March 2012 and 31 December 2011 between the Company and those related companies are as follows:

			(Unit: Thousand Baht)		
	Consolidated		Separate		
	financial	statements	financial	statements	
	31 March	31 December	31 March	31 December	
	2012	2011	2012	2011	
		(Audited)		(Audited)	
Trade and other receivables - related parties (Note 3)					
Subsidiaries	-	-	28,468	18,375	
Jointly controlled entity	3	3	6	6	
Associate	2	-	2	-	
Total trade and other receivables - related parties	5	3	28,476	18,381	
Long-term loans to related parties					
Subsidiary	-	-	6,120	6,120	
Associate	600	600	600	600	
Less: Allowance for loss from loan	(600)	(600)	(600)	(600)	
Total long-term loans to related parties - net		-	6,120	6,120	
Trade and other payables - related parties (Note 11)					
Subsidiaries	-	-	18,956	12,726	
Jointly controlled entity	4,699	3,103	9,565	6,333	
Associate	-	5		5	
Total trade and other payables - related parties	4,699	3,108	28,521	19,064	
Short-term loans from related party					
Subsidiary		-	16,000	6,000	
Total short-term loans from related party			16,000	6,000	

The above short-term loans are repayable on demand and subject to interest at the rate reference to the 12-month fixed deposit of a local commercial bank.

During the three-month period ended 31 March 2012, the movement of the above short-term loans to related party are as follows:

	(Unit: Thousand Baht)					
	Separate financial statements					
	Balance as at	During the period		Balance as at		
	1 January 2012	Increase	Decrease	31 March 2012		
Post International Media Co., Ltd.	6,000	10,000	-	16,000		

Management's remunerations

During the three-month period ended 31 March 2012, the Company and its subsidiaries had employee benefits payable to their directors and management recognised as expenses totaling Baht 24 million (Separate financial statements: Baht 15 million) (2011: Baht 19 million (Separate financial statements: Baht 13 million)).

Guarantee obligation with related party

The Company has outstanding guarantee obligation with a subsidiary, as described in Note 17.4 (a) to the financial statements.

3. Trade and other receivables

			(Unit: Thousand Bał		
	Conso	lidated	Separate		
	financial s	tatements	financial s	tatements	
	31 March	31 December	31 March	31 December	
	2012	2011	2012	2011	
		(Audited)		(Audited)	
Trade receivables - related party					
Age on the basis of due dates					
Not yet due	-	-	10,804	4,667	
Past due					
Up to 3 months	-	-	13,161	13,161	
3 - 6 months			4,387	-	
Total trade receivables - related party	-	-	28,352	17,828	
Trade receivables - unrelated parties					
Age on the basis of due dates					
Not yet due	248,420	222,899	181,522	156,886	
Past due					
Up to 3 months	207,123	211,537	167,273	133,571	
3 - 6 months	16,351	17,996	13,858	16,818	
6 - 12 months	4,606	8,655	4,339	6,961	
Over 12 months	13,739	12,800	10,988	9,899	
Total	490,239	473,887	377,980	324,135	
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	(13,900)	(14,450)	(10,184)	(9,632)	
Allowance for sales returns	(5,316)	(4,420)	(5,316)	(4,420)	
Total trade receivables - unrelated					
parties, net	471,023	455,017	362,480	310,083	
Total trade receivables - net	471,023	455,017	390,832	327,911	
Other receivables					
Amounts due from related parties	5	3	124	553	
Other receivables	1,801	2,710	-	-	
Total other receivables	1,806	2,713	124	553	
Trade and other receivables - net	472,829	457,730	390,956	328,464	

4. Allowance to reduce cost to net realisable value

Movements in the allowance to reduce cost to net realisable value account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2012 are summarised below.

		(Unit: Thousand Baht)	
	Consolidated	ed Separate	
	financial statements	financial statements	
Balance as at 1 January 2012	24,924	12,582	
Add: Allowance increase during the period	4,530	4,530	
Balance as at 31 March 2012	29,454	17,112	

5. Investments in subsidiaries

(Unit: Thousand Baht)

	Separate financial statements		
Company's name	Carrying amount based on cost method		
	31 March 2012 31 December 20		
	(Audited)		
Job Job Co., Ltd.	25	25	
Post-IM Plus Co., Ltd.	2	2	
(Another 51% owned by Post International			
Media Co., Ltd.)			
Post International Media Co., Ltd.	100,890	100,890	
Post News Co., Ltd.	5,100	5,100	
Total	106,017	106,017	

6. Investment in associate

			(Unit: Thousand Baht)	
			Carrying amo	ount based on
Company's name	Cost - net		equity method - net	
	31 March	31 December	31 March	31 December
	2012	2011	2012	2011
		(Audited)		(Audited)
Flash News Co., Ltd.	10,000	10,000	2,704	2,704
Less: Allowance for loss from investment	(10,000)	(10,000)	(2,704)	(2,704)
Net		-	-	-

7. Property, plant and equipment

Movements of the property, plant and equipment account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2012 are summarised below.

	(Unit: Thousand Baht)		
	Consolidated	Separate	
	financial statements	financial statements	
Net book value as at 1 January 2012	933,803	923,100	
Acquisitions during period - at cost	6,382	5,520	
Depreciation for period	(30,235)	(29,183)	
Net book value as at 31 March 2012	909,950	899,437	

8. Computer software

Movements of the computer software account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2012 are summarised below.

	(Unit: Thousand Baht)	
	Consolidated	Separate	
	financial statements	financial statements	
Net book value as at 1 January 2012	106,190	104,132	
Acquisitions during period - at cost	4,206	3,947	
Amortisation for the period	(4,615)	(4,474)	
Reversal of allowance for impairment	278	278	
Net book value as at 31 March 2012	106,059	103,883	

9. Deferred tax assets/Income tax

Income tax expense (income) for the three-month periods ended 31 March 2012 and 2011 consists of the following:

		(Unit: Thousand Baht)	
Consolidated		Separate	
financial sta	tements	financial sta	tements
<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
3,770	3,760	-	-
3,770	3,760	-	-
(1,488)	101	(1,518)	669
(693)	3,878	(693)	3,762
(2,181)	3,979	(2,211)	4,431
1,589	7,739	(2,211)	4,431
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Current income tax was calculated on profit (loss) before income tax, after adding back disallowable expenses and deducting income which is exempted for tax computation purposes, using the estimated effective tax rate for the year.

10. Bank overdrafts and short-term loans from financial institutions

				(Unit:	Thousand Baht)
		Consolidate	ed financial	Sepa	arate
	Interest rate	stater	nents	financial s	tatements
	(percent per	31 March	31 December	31 March	31 December
	annum)	2012	2011	2012	2011
			(Audited)		(Audited)
Bank overdrafts	MOR	3,604	2,582	3,604	2,582
Short-term loans from					
financial institutions	MMR	133,000	48,000	123,000	28,000
Total		136,604	50,582	126,604	30,582

The short-term loans from financial institution of the subsidiary are guaranteed by the Company and the non-controlling interest shareholders of the subsidiary.

11. Trade and other payables

			(Unit: T	Thousand Baht)
	Consolidated financial		Separate financial	
	statements		state	ments
	31 March 31 December		31 March	31 December
	2012	2011	2012	2011
		(Audited)		(Audited)
Trade payables - related parties	4,687	3,103	26,525	17,207
Trade payables - unrelated parties	125,865	158,950	82,286	112,838
Amount due to related parties	12	5	1,996	1,857
Accrued expenses	95,310	78,848	89,934	71,048
Other payables	57,936	59,731	53,909	53,969
Total trade and other payables	283,810	300,637	254,650	256,919

12. Long-term loans

Movements in the long-term loans account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2012 are summarised below.

	(Unit: Thousand Baht)
	Consolidated financial statements /
	Separate financial statements
Balance as at 1 January 2012	472,500
Less: Repayment	(32,500)
Balance as at 31 March 2012	440,000
Less: Current portion	(115,000)
Long-term loans - net of current portion	325,000

The long-term loan agreements contain certain covenant pertaining to the maintenance of financial ratio.

13. Long-term loan from non-controlling interests of subsidiary

As at 31 March 2012 and 31 December 2011, a subsidiary had a short-term Baht loan from its non-controlling interests shareholders of subsidiary, which carries interest at the rates with reference to Minimum Loan Rate a commercial bank charges to its prime customers, and repayable on demand. However, the non-controlling interests shareholders of subsidiary confirmed not to call for repayment of this loan within the next twelve months. The subsidiary therefore classified the loan as a long-term loan.

14. Sales and services income

Sales and services income for the three-month period ended 31 March 2012 included the revenues from sales of goods and advertising arising from exchanges of dissimilar goods or services with other companies totaling approximately Baht 12 million (Separate financial statements: Baht 23 million) (2011: Baht 13 million (Separate financial statements: Baht 12 million)).

15. Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing profit (loss) for the year attributable to equity holders of the Company (excluding other comprehensive income) by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period.

16. Segment information

The Company and its subsidiaries' significant business operations involve the publishing and distribution of newspapers, magazines and books, and production of television programming. The business operations are carried on only in Thailand. However, during the periods, the Company and its subsidiaries did not have significant business transactions relating to the segment of television programming. Therefore, there are no presentation of financial information by segment pertain to the aforementioned industry segment and geographic area.

17. Commitments and contingent liabilities

17.1 Capital and long-term service commitments

As at 31 March 2012 and 31 December 2011, the Company had commitments relating to the acquisition of equipment and the developing and maintaining of computer systems as follows:

	(Unit: Million Baht)
31 March 2012	31 December 2011
43	30
42	54
	43

17.2 Purchase newsprint commitment

As at 31 March 2012, the Company has outstanding commitment in respect of the purchase of newsprint amounting to USD 1.4 million or equivalent to Baht 44 million (As at 31 December 2011, the Company had no outstanding commitment in respect of purchase of newsprint).

The subsidiaries have outstanding commitments, payable within one year, in respect of the purchase of paper for magazine printing at the rate and quantities stipulated in the agreement.

17.3 Long-term service commitments

The subsidiaries and jointly controlled entity have entered into trademark agreements under which foreign companies granted their permission to use their trademarks. The subsidiaries and jointly controlled entity are obliged to pay the counterparties service fees, which are calculated in accordance with the conditions and at rates stipulated in the agreements. The agreements period can be summarised below.

<u>Agreement</u>

Agreement period

- 1 From 1 March 2007
- 2 7 years from 1 January 2008 and can be renewed for another 7 years under the stipulated conditions
- 3 From May 2009 to December 2014 and can be renewed for another 5 years under the stipulated conditions
- 4 From June 2011 to December 2015
- 5 10 years from 1 January 2012 and can be renewed for every other 10 years under the stipulated conditions

17.4 Guarantees

- (a) As at 31 March 2012, the Company has guaranteed a bank credit facility of a subsidiary amounting to Baht 10 million. (31 December 2011: Baht 10 million).
- (b) As at 31 March 2012, there are outstanding bank guarantees of approximately Baht 25 million (31 December 2011: Baht 20 million) issued in the normal course of business of the Company.

17.5 Litigation

The Company has been named a defendant in two labor suits arising in the ordinary course of its business. Although the final outcome of the suits cannot be determined at this stage, it is the management's opinion that the resolution of these matters will not have any material adverse effect on the Company's financial statements as a whole.

17.6 Significant agreement

A government agency selected the Company as a co-producer of daily television news programming. The Company agreed to compensate the government agency in terms of cash, and through provision of equipment, news production staff and advertising service, in accordance with the conditions and amounts specified in the agreement. The contract is expiring in April 2013.

18. Event after the reporting period

The 2011 Annual General Meeting of the shareholders held on 25 April 2012 approved the appropriation of a final dividend of Baht 0.1 per share, a total of Baht 50 million. The dividend will be recorded in the second quarter of 2012.

19. Approval of interim financial statements

These interim financial statements were approved for issue by the Company's authorised directors on 4 May 2012.