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## **Trading Buy**

Wheelock Properties Singapore

## **Updates and Results**

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## Prime privatisation candidate

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#### **Company Background**

- Principal activities are property investment and property development with a focus on luxury developments
- 76.2% subsidiary of Wheelock and Company (BB code: 20 HK)
- 4 ongoing property development projects (Singapore: 3, China: 1)
- 2 investment properties in Orchard Road, Wheelock Place and Scotts Square - almost fully occupied as at 1Q17
- Owns a 22.6% stake in Hotel Properties Limited (BB Code: HPL SP)

## Case for privatisation remains unchanged



#### Wheelock Company HK privatisation transaction could reenact for WPSG

- Wheelock Properties HK (74% owned) was privatised by parent, Wheelock and Co (BB Code: HK 20), for HK\$13 apiece in July 2010 at 0.98X PB.
- Low liquidity, significant discount of its shares and to bearing ongoing listing fees among reasons behind move.
- Could adopt similar move for WPSG as shares are thinly traded and trading at a significant discount to its NAV (40%).
- Additionally, the Group has not sought for funds from the equity market for more than 11 years since 2006.

### Case for privatisation remains unchanged



#### No major developments since the passing of late CEO

- Has not appointed another CEO, and is currently helmed by two executive directors.
- According to AR16, it does not require a separate CEO and considers its current leadership structure efficient while taking into account of the company needs.
- Given that the Group has not elected a new CEO since 2012, we view that it is unlikely for operations to have a meaningful expansion.
- The Group has only engaged one property development project since CY13.



#### 1) All outstanding debt settled

- Unusual move for developer with all debt paid in 4Q16.
- Net cash could soar to S\$830 million from S\$459 million by 3Q17 with the recognition of revenue from sales in The Panorama.

#### Even more cash to be booked in

- S\$830 million cash pile for WPSG is a bear case scenario-Assumes that there will be no further sales of unsold units from existing development projects.
- Unsold units from Singapore projects have a combined GDV of c.S\$170m (5.4% of total GAV).
- Expected recovery in CCR market segment; Unlikely for these high quality units to stay unsold.

### **CCR** segment on track to recover



Unit at OUE Twin Peaks sold for high of \$3,260 psf

Units in District 10 fetch million-dollar profits

Penthouse at One Balmoral sold for \$4.48 mil

Spike in sales at Gramercy Park in April

# high-end condo segment

Property consultants and developers are optimistic in view of the diminishing inventory and a pickup in transactions in the prime districts.

Source: The Edge Singapore

We re-iterate our view that CCR market segment is on track to recover

#### **CCR** segment on track to recover



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RiverGate	9	1,894	May 16	2,006	April 17, 2009	1,330	1,280,980	29	1	20.1
D'Grove Villas	10	2,702	May 11	1,666	April 3,1997	1,295	1,000,000		10	HJ
Hollandswood Court	10	2,131	May 11	704	April 7, 2006	246	975,000	186	5	106
Park Infinia at Wee Nam	11	1,464	May 14	1,708	Oct 3, 2006	1,047	967,885	63	6	183
Hollandswood Court	10	2,131	May 12	676	Jan 21, 1999	235	940,000	188	9	11.4
Peace Centre/mansions	9	2,605	May 11	587	Dec 16, 2005	230	928,888	155	7	14.8
Hillcrest Arcadia	11	1,798	May 15	784	Aug 14, 2002	278	910,000	182	7	12.2
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Source: The Edge Singapore

## Potentially translates to higher demand for WPSG's unsold units which are primarily in CCR



#### 3) Less cash for more cash

 Even a conservative offer premium of 20% to current market cap means HK parent only need to shell out S\$648 million to gain full access to c.S\$830 million cash.

# 4) Existing assets could be inserted as part of sister company's new listing

- Wharf Holdings (62% owned by Wheelock & Co), announced in March 2017 that they are exploring a possible separate listing of its investment properties.
- Delist WLSG and insert the two Singapore investment as part of the new listing.
- Negotiate for higher valuations by not being a direct comparable to other listed land lords in Hong Kong.



# 5) Most existing development projects are at tail-end with no major CAPEX

- Most development projects from the company have already been mostly sold.
- Fuyang project is about 23% launched and sold where it is expected to be fully complete by CY20.
- Value is relatively small (about 25% of company's development properties).
- Sales registered in Phase 1 and 2A of Fuyang Project will be able to fund the remaining project construction cost involved in the project.



# 6) Wait for opportune time to clear remaining units and redevelopment of investment properties

- A privatisation gives time to sell the remaining units in Scotts Square Residences and Fuyang Project without having the need to answer to other shareholders.
- Its existing portfolio of Investment Properties (including HPL) in West Orchard sector offers significant redevelopment potential.

#### 7) Muted land banking activities since 2013

- Last successful land tender took place in January 2013 for The Panorama (99.5% sold as at 1Q17).
- WPSG has not participated in other land tenders under the Government Land Sale programme.

#### **Property development projects**



	Property	/ devel	opment	projects
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Name	Туре	Location	Completion	Total units	Number of	Sale Status
			date		units sold	(%)
		Singapore				
Ardmore Three	Freehold condominium	Orchard	2014	84	64	76
Scotts Square	Freehold condominium in a mixed devt	Orchard	2010	338 (48 earmarked for	279	97
				lease)		
The Panorama	99 year leasehold condominium	Ang Mo Kio	2017	698	692	99
		China				
雍景山	Development with villas, townhouses,	Fuyang	2020	3000 (723 launched so	691	96
	duplexes and apartments on a 3.2m sqft site	district		far)		
	area	(Hangzhou)				

Source: Company

Took a S\$187m diminution for The Panorama and Fuyang City project

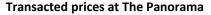
Reversed S\$27m; Likely to continue amid recovery

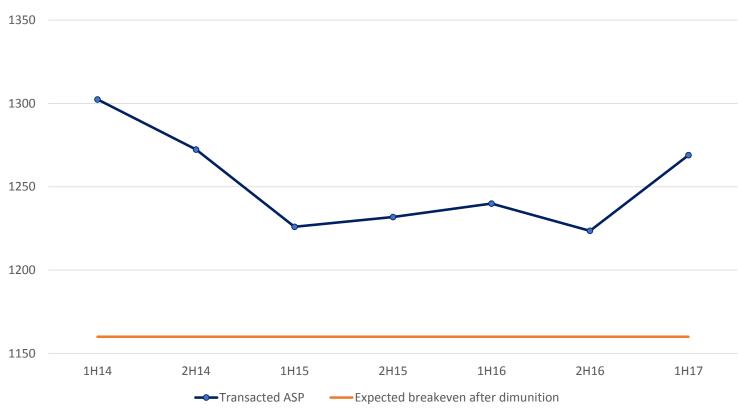
A continued recovery in CCR market segment will continue to push up demand and Fuyang project is gaining healthy traction

Book value of devt properties (\$\$786m) likely to grow

#### The Panorama







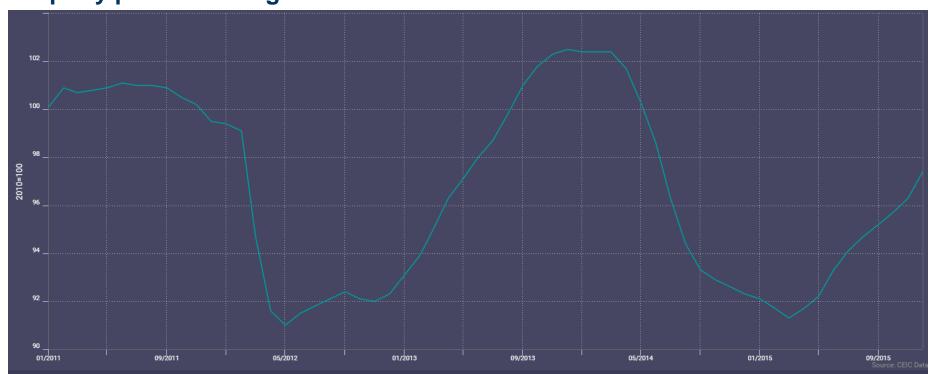
Source: REALIS, Phillip Securities Research (Singapore)

## Took a S\$110m dimunition on The Panorama in FY14; Expect some more reversals as transacted ASP grew

### **Fuyang Project**



#### **Property prices in Hangzhou**



Took a S\$75m dimunition on Fuyang project in FY14; Expect some more reversals as property prices continue to recover in Hangzhou

Fuyang City became a district of Hangzhou in 2015 where Hangzhou is a capital city of Zhejiang Province; Rail connectivity to improve with Rail No. 6 construction

#### Potential upside even without a privatisation



#### 1) Current valuation is still depressed compared to peers

- Wheelock and Company acquired 4.5 million more WPSG' shares (0.4% of total outstanding shares) in September 2016 at S\$1.455.
- The previous share acquisition was in end-2011 when the company acquired
   5.2m WPSG shares at S\$1.50 apiece.
- The acquisition price on two occasions suggests that price has somewhat already hit the floor.
- While the current share price of WPSG is about 15% 20% higher, translating to a valuation of 0.7X PB which is still relatively low when compared to a peer average of 0.9X.

#### 2) Current discount to book should narrow with more cash to be booked in

- Out of its total assets as at 1Q17, more than 30% of this value is made up of liquid assets such as cash and marketable securities (including a 22.6% stake in HPL SP).
- Proportion is expected to grow to 50% as more cash will be booked in after The Panorama obtains TOP status in 3Q17, and a catalyst for the discount to narrow.

#### Potential upside even without a privatisation

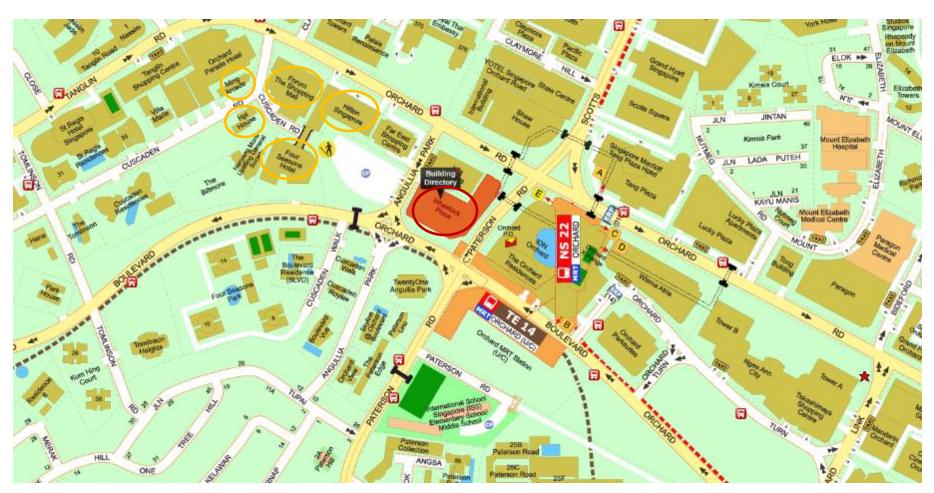


### 3) BVPS expected to gain another 10 S'cents by FY18

- Expected to gain another 10 S'cents in BVPS in FY18 by booking in S\$100m of deferred income.
- From completion and hand over of units sold in Phase 2A of Fuyang Project.
- 4) WPSG shares is an opportunity to enter HPL at a discount
- WPSG is trading at a 0.7X PB means that each share acquired in WPSG is an opportunity to enter HPL SP shares at a discount which are trading at 1.1X PB.
- WPSG owns a 22.6% stake in HPL SP shares via its associate company, 68 Holdings Pte Ltd.

#### Properties can potentially be redeveloped in Western Sector of Orchard Belt





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# Privatisation thesis is still valid but what's different this time round?

- In self-liquidation mode with all debt cleared as at 4Q16.
- Wharf Holdings (BB Code: 4 HK) is exploring the option to spin off investment properties, HK parent could take this opportunity to privatise WPSG.
- Cash position poised to double by 3Q17 (c.S\$830m) upon recognition of revenue from The Panorama project.

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#### **Assets:**

- 1) Cash S\$458.2m (After payment of dividends)
- 2) Development properties S\$786m
- 3) AFS financial assets S\$225m
- 4) HPL stake S\$574.6m
- 5) Investment properties S\$1.1b

#### **Liabilities:**

- About half of total liabilities are from deferred income that will be recognised in FY18
- Market cap of S\$2b means that investment properties (Wheelock Place & Scotts Square Mall: 98% and 95% occupied) are for free

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L	31 Mar 2017	31 Dec 2016
	\$'000	\$'000
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	1,925	1,966
Investment properties	1,092,000	1,092,000
Amounts due from subsidiaries	0	0
Interests in subsidiaries	0	0
Interests in associates	574,603	575,577
Investments	224,813	204,135
Deferred tax assets	403	0
Other non-current assets	540	540
	1,894,284	1,874,218
Current assets		
Development properties	786,045	809,109
Trade and accrued receivables	12,652	32,936
Amounts due from subsidiaries	0	0
Amounts due from related		
corporations	61	43
Other receivables	10,263	12,124
Cash and cash equivalents	530,645	471,946
·	1,339,666	1,326,158
Total assets	3,233,950	3,200,376
Equity attributable to owners		
of the Company		
Share capital	1,055,901	1,055,901
Reserves	1,962,285	1,933,385
Total equity	3,018,186	2,989,286
Non-current liability		
Deferred tax liabilities	12,144	12,533
	12,144	12,533
Current liabilities	·	
Trade payables	55,919	72,850
Deferred income and other	,	,,,,,,
payables	133,442	110,074
Amounts due to subsidiaries	0	0
Current tax liabilities	14,259	15,633
	203,620	198,557
Total liabilities	215,764	211,090
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#### **Valuations**

RNAV		
	<u>RNAV</u>	<u>Per share</u>
	<u>(S\$'m)</u>	<u>(S\$)</u>
Development properties	786	0.66
Singapore resi surplus	100	0.08
China resi surplus	56	0.05
Investment properties		
Wheelock Place	876	0.73
Scotts Square Retail	216	0.18
Listed / unlisted entities		
Hotel Properties Limited (22.6%)	474	0.40
AFS financial assets	225	0.19
GAV	2,732	2.28
Add: Net cash (as at 1Q17 and after dividend payment)	472	0.39
RNAV (S\$'m)	3,204	
RNAV/share (S\$)	2.68	
Discount to RNAV (%)	15%	
Fair value (S\$)	2.28	

<sup>\*</sup>Assume 48 units earmarked for lease at Scotts Square Residences will remain unsold

Source: Phillip Securities Research (Singapore)

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#### **Peer Comparison**

Name	Mkt Cap (S\$)	Last Px (S\$)	PSR RATING	PSR TARGET PRICE	P/E (X)	ROE (%)	ROA (%)	Dividend Yield (%)	P/B (X)	Gearing (%)
WHEELOCK PROPERTIES (S) LTD	2,070	1.73	TRADING BUY	2.23	36	3.3	2.9	3.5	0.69	0.0
CAPITALAND LTD	15,035	3.54	ACCUMULATE	4.19	11	5.7	2.2	2.8	0.85	32.5
GLOBAL LOGISTIC PROPERTIES L	13,686	2.92	NEUTRAL	2.87	13	2.2	0.9	2.1	1.14	25.7
CITY DEVELOPMENTS LTD	9,639	10.60	ACCUMULATE	11.07	16	5.9	2.7	1.5	1.07	29.0
UOL GROUP LTD	5,619	6.98	ACCUMULATE	7.64	19	3.8	2.7	2.1	0.68	20.8
HO BEE LAND LTD	1,551	2.33	ACCUMULATE	2.64	6	5.7	3.7	2.6	0.55	30.6
FRASERS CENTREPOINT LTD	5,304	1.83			8	7.8	2.1	4.7	0.78	40.5
UNITED INDUSTRIAL CORP LTD	4,414	3.11			15	4.7	3.3	1.0	0.70	14.4
YANLORD LAND GROUP LTD	3,641	1.88			5	14.9	3.5	2.3	0.88	24.3
GUOCOLAND LTD	2,160	1.83			13	3.7	1.5	4.9	0.62	48.4
OXLEY HOLDINGS LTD	1,609	0.55			6	26.5	4.7	1.9	1.73	56.1
BUKIT SEMBAWANG ESTATES LTD	1,590	6.14			22	6.0	5.5	5.4	1.25	0.0
WING TAI HOLDINGS LTD	1,470	1.90			118	0.3	0.2	3.2	0.47	27.7
FRAGRANCE GROUP LTD	1,128	0.17			149	0.9	0.4	0.6	1.07	43.6
AVERAGE					31	6.8	2.6	2.7	0.91	30.3

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## Economic momentum rolling over

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#### Remain Neutral, STI Target: 3270

- Stalling economic momentum namely industrial production and exports
- Make-up of STI lacks technology and Internet stocks

#### **Key picks**

- Yield: AsianPayTV, Croesus REIT, Keppel DC REIT and avoiding domestic REITs
- Momentum: High end Singapore residential CDL, CapitaLand
- Indonesian proxy: Sinarmas Land

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#### **Event to watch and 1Q17 results summary**

- Fed meeting pricing 90% hike
- Results review: banks and electronics better than expected, Indonesia a source of growth



## The Phillip 20

## May Monthly Review

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## Realized P&L for May 17



	The Phillip 20 Portfolio – Realized P&L for May 2017									
Company Name	Ticker	L	<b>Entry Date</b>	Entry price	Exit date	Exit Price	P&L			
Food Empire	F03	Long	12-Apr-17	0.610	<u>16-May-17</u>	0.695	13.93%			
Moya Asia	5WE	Long	<u>17-Mar-17</u>	0.074	<u>5-May-17</u>	0.085	14.86%			
SUNRIGHT	S71	Long	22-Mar-17	0.445	<u>26-May-17</u>	0.540	21.35%			
UMS	558	Long	<u>2-Mar-17</u>	0.680	<u>19-May-17</u>	1.050	54.41%			
CWG INTL	ACW	Long	31-Mar-17	0.178	<u>5-May-17</u>	0.166	-6.74%			
GEO ENERGY RES	RE4	Long	<u>13-Mar-17</u>	0.285	<u>16-May-17</u>	0.260	-8.77%			
JUMBO	42R	Long	<u>6-Apr-17</u>	0.720	<u>16-May-17</u>	0.630	-12.50%			
SUTL ENTERPRISE	BHU	Long	10-Apr-17	0.875	<u>18-May-17</u>	0.795	-9.14%			
*Average gain is calculate each trade	d based on		Realized Average Gain:	3.37%						

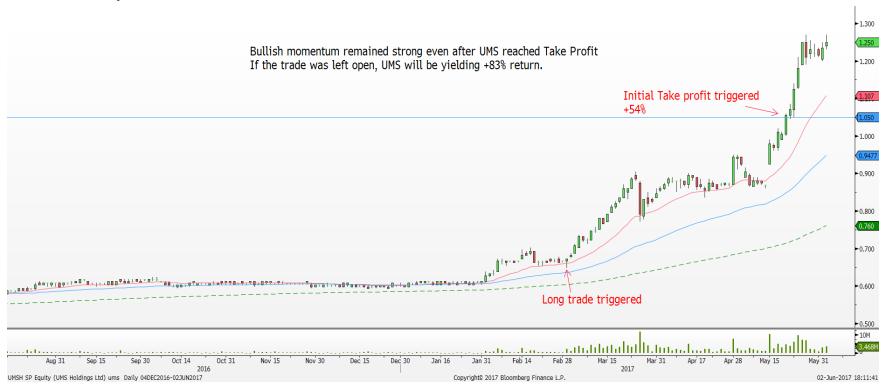
Cumulative Gain: 67.40%

Source: Bloomberg, PSR

## UMS – Take Profit early



#### **UMS** Daily chart



Source: Bloomberg, PSR

#### Watchlist



- China Sunsine
- Sunningdale Tech
- Civmec
- Valuetronics
- Hi-P
- HMI
- Moya Asia
- Sinostar Pec
- Fischer Tech
- Asian Pay TV
- Food Empire
- Avi-Tech

- Frencken
- Micro-Mechanics
- Breadtalk
- YZJ Shipbldg SGD
- MM2
- Ellipsiz
- Miyoshi
- Innotek
- Venture
- 800 Super
- UMS
- Sunright

#### **Current Portfolio**



					Stop		
Company Name	Ticker	L	<b>Entry Date</b>	Entry price	Loss	Last price	Current gain/loss (%)
CHINA AVIATION	G92	Long	29-Mar-17	1.520	1.555	1.715	12.83%
COGENT	KJ9	Long	22-Mar-17	0.780	0.725	0.800	2.56%
F&N	F99	Long	24-Mar-17	2.220	2.220	2.380	7.21%
GENTING SING	G13	Long	<u>16-Feb-17</u>	1.000	0.970	1.175	17.50%
METRO	M01	Long	9-Mar-17	1.105	1.060	1.175	6.33%
SHENG SIONG	OV8	Long	5-Apr-17	0.985	0.895	0.990	0.51%
SINGAPORE O&G	41X	Long	7-Apr-17	0.665	0.600	0.680	2.26%
SINGMEDICAL	5OT	Long	<u>6-Dec-16</u>	0.445	0.495	0.605	35.96%
SUNPOWER	5GD	Long	30-Mar-17	0.825	0.595	0.745	-9.70%
THAIBEV	Y92	Long	14-Mar-17	0.955	0.825	0.885	-7.33%
UNITED ENGINEERS	U04	Long	31-Mar-17	2.870	2.610	2.830	-1.39%
UPP HOLDINGS LTD	UO9	Long	24-Mar-17	0.300	0.250	0.270	-10.00%
*Average gain is calculated each trade	*Average gain is calculated based on equal weight placed on						6.21%
						Cumulative Gain:	56.73%

Monthly Phillip 20 realized performance:	
May 17 performance	3.37%

Source: Bloomberg, PSR



## Old Chang Kee

## Hit by one-off non-cash item; Execution as planned

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## Old Chang Kee

(Buy, TP:S\$0.98, Last:S\$0.83)



S\$ mn	FY17	FY16	YoY (%)	Comments	art
Revenue	78.3	73.9	6.1%	Contributions from new outlets mitigated lower revenue	
				from existing outlets and temporary closure of outlets	
				due to mall revamps	
Gross profit	49.6	46.6	6.4%	Improved factory efficiency	
				Gross Margin +0.2pp YoY to 63.3%	
EBITDA	10.3	10.4	-1.6%	Higher operating expenses	
				EBITDA Margin -1.0pp YoY to 13.1%	
Net profit	1.7	5.0	-64.9%	S\$3.0mn revaluation deficit for SG and MY factory	
				buildings	
Net profit, adj.	4.9	5.0	-1.7%	Exclude one-off non-cash item and FX impact	
DPS (cents)	3.00	6.00		Unchange (FY16 includes 3.0 cents Special dividend)	

Source: Company

#### New outlets and new products lifted demand; Three new outlets by FY18

Sales from retail outlets +5.9% YoY: (i) 6 new stores and (ii) Puff sales +6.7%

#### **Expect further margin expansion post-integration**

- Reconstruction work in 2 Woodlands Terrace on track for TOP in 1Q FY18;
   Expect full integration and operations by 3QFY18
- Better efficiency should sustain FY18e gross margin at c.63% despite higher operating expenses

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(Buy, TP:S\$0.98, Last:S\$0.83)

#### **Updates on overseas businesses**



- 1. Revenue from MY grew by 7.5 times and turned profitable for the first time since its inception 6 years ago (op. profit margin at 32.2%)
- Stepped up product innovations with new factory in Iskandar MY, and growing B2B sales (engaged some hotel chains in MY)
- 2. First foray outside APAC an outlet in central London by this year
- From its 60:40 Joint Venture with 13 Wonders; will be funded from its initial paidup share capital of GBP500,000 (S\$873,000)
- No direct competitor; Position as a curry puff specialist with Hainanese touch;
   Key target market will be the affluent hip and young working adults
- Expect similar gross margin, i.e. at c.63%
- Same operating model as its foreign outlets in AU and MY Curry pastes and key dough ingredients from SG
- Scalable; envisage to replicate the model across London

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