



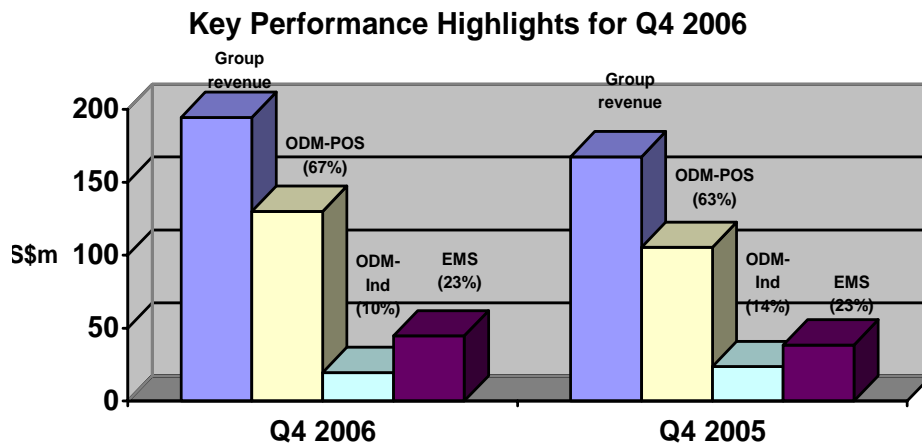
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GES REPORTS 36% GROWTH FOR 4th QUARTER PROFITS

- Group revenue for Q4 2006 grew 16% to \$194.4m
- Profit after tax for Q4 2006 increased 36% to \$18.3m
- ODM-POS turnover grew 23% to \$130m
- EMS turnover increased 16% to \$45m

Singapore, 3 August 2006 – Mainboard-listed GES International Limited (“GES” or the “Group”), today reported a profit after tax of \$18.3m for the 4th quarter of the financial year ended 30 June 2006, a 36% increase from the \$13.5m reported for the previous corresponding period.

Group revenue for the three months ended 30 June 2006 increased 16% to \$194.4m, compared to \$167.4m achieved in the 4th quarter of the last financial year.



For the 4th financial quarter, turnover in the ODM-POS segment increased 23% from the previous corresponding period. As the main contributor to the Group’s growth, ODM-POS activities now contribute 67% to the Group’s revenue. The Group launched a new supply chain logistic management device for a new ODM-Industrial Product customer in the 4th quarter. However, its contribution was offset by the business decline of certain ODM – Industrial Product customer. As a result, the Group reported a 17% decline in revenue from the ODM – Industrial Product

segment. ODM-Industrial Product activities now contribute 10% to the Group's revenue.

The Group's EMS segment also registered growth, with revenue for the 4th financial quarter rising 16% to \$44.7m. The EMS segment contributed 23% to the Group's revenue in the 4th financial quarter.

For the year ended 30 June 2006, the Group's revenue increased 11% to \$692.0m from the \$624.3m reported in the previous financial year. The Group's profit after tax for the same period grew 30% to \$58.2m.

The Group has cash and cash equivalent of \$91.3m as at 30 June 2006.

On its outlook, the Group expects the business environment in which the Group operates to continue to remain competitive.

As announced by the Company (together with Venture Corporation Limited ("Venture")) in the joint announcement dated 26 July 2006, the Company entered into an implementation agreement with Venture relating to the proposed acquisition by Venture of all the issued shares of GES which it and its concert parties do not already own by way of a scheme of arrangement under Section 210 of the Companies Act, Chapter 50 of Singapore and the Singapore Code on Take-overs and Mergers. Shareholders are to refer to the joint announcement for details of the transaction.

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About GES International Limited

GES International Limited is a home-grown original designer and manufacturer of Point-of-Sales ("POS") systems and other industrial applications such as metering products, industrial controllers and medical test equipments as well as an original equipment manufacturer of electronic products. Established in 1975, the Company is listed on the Singapore Exchange. The Company has manufacturing facilities in Singapore, Malaysia, China and the United States of America.

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