SPH: Staying on Top of the Game

Being the leading newspaper and magazine publisher in Singapore, SPH draws on its competencies in journalism, marketing and distribution to develop a comprehensive and diverse spectrum of synergistic media channels in print, online, outdoor, and mobile. Through constant product innovation, development and reinvention, SPH continues to build on its core strengths while at the same time, differentiates itself from the competition and maintains its dominance as a top-performing multi-media organisation.

Enhancing Shareholders’ Value

To enhance shareholders’ value, SPH will continue to assess opportunities of returning excess cash generated from operations that is surplus to the Company’s requirements. The level of capital return, in the form of share buy back, dividend and capital distribution, will be determined to allow the Company to maintain adequate capital reserves to finance its business, with the flexibility of pursuing appropriate business opportunities.

SPH has a track record of returning the bulk of its recurring earnings to shareholders in the past five years. With the sell-out of the condominium project, Sky@eleven, profits accruing to this project will be recognised as part of the recurring earnings over the duration of the project. This would be in accordance with the progress of the condominium construction.

Engaging Investors and Shareholders

SPH is committed to cultivating and maintaining a strong rapport with the investment community. Frequent interactions in the form of investor meetings, investment forums, conference calls, and analyst sessions enable the Company to openly communicate its strategic and growth initiatives, while at the same time, seek invaluable feedback and insights.

SPH shares are widely held by both global and local institutional funds and private investors. SPH recognises the importance of communicating and sharing timely updates with shareholders. During the year, SPH met more than 200 institutional investors at one-on-one meetings and investment conferences.

Shareholders are encouraged to access our corporate website, www.sph.com.sg for corporate information and the latest updates on the Company. Queries can be posted via our investor relations email address, sphir@sph.com.sg.