The Board of Directors of Esprit Holdings Limited (the "Company") is pleased to announce the unaudited interim results for the six months ended 30 June 2001 (the "Interim Results").

### Interim Dividend

The Board of Directors of Esprit Holdings Limited (the "Company") is pleased to announce the unaudited interim dividend of 5.33 cents per share, which will be paid to Shareholders on or about Wednesday, March 13, 2002. The Scrip Dividend Scheme is available to eligible Shareholders.

### Notes to the Financial Statements

The Group operates in over 20 countries and is committed to the internationalization of its business, a commitment which has been reflected in the Group's turnover and profit for the six months ended 30 June 2001. The Group's turnover increased by 16.4% to HK$4,647.8 million, from HK$3,987.7 million for the comparable period in 2000/01. This growth was driven by the Group's successful expansion plans, which include the opening of new stores, the introduction of new product lines, and the expansion of distribution channels. The Group's profit before taxation increased by 11.5% to HK$315.6 million, from HK$279.8 million for the comparable period in 2000/01. This growth was due to the Group's successful expansion plans, which include the opening of new stores, the introduction of new product lines, and the expansion of distribution channels.

### Turnover

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