WHAT! HOW DARE YOU!

One has to ponder whether or not senior management of Orient Rise Ltd has ever heard the name of Mr Albert Yeung Sau Shing, the man behind the operations of the Emperor Group of Companies, 4 of their number, being publicly listed on The Stock Exchange of Hongkong Ltd.

One must assume the ignorance of senior management of Orient Rise Ltd when it issued Writ Number 700 in the District Court of the Hongkong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) of the People's Republic of China (PRC), just last week, because Mr Albert Yeung, as he is more popularly known, is one of the richest men in the territory – as well as being one of the most feared men when he gets more than a little angry.

Orient Rise Ltd sued French Trade Marketing Ltd for \$HK390,367.88 in respect of goods sold and delivered to this company on December 31, 2004.

Being the last day of 2004, it is quite likely that Mr Albert Yeung was celebrating in his usual style, complete with alcohol and luscious lovelies, the end of the year when the goods were allegedly delivered.

But there is no question in anybody's mind that a sum of money, aggregating \$HK390,367.88, would be little more than one night out for this great man.

French Trade Marketing, according to the database of **TOLFIN** (The Computerised Online Financial Intelligence Service and Web-Based, Credit-Checking Provider), has its Registered Office on the 28th Floor of Emperor Group Centre in Wanchai, the HKSAR.

Which is where Mr Albert Yeung hangs his hat, when he is wearing one, that is.

The company was engaged in trading in apparel and was, at one time, part of publicly listed Matsunichi Communication Holdings Ltd (Code: 283, Main Board, The Stock Exchange of Hongkong Ltd).

Up until March 2003, Emperor International Holdings Ltd (Code: 163, Main Board, The Stock Exchange of Hongkong Ltd) controlled Matsunichi Communication through its holding of 34.94 percent of the Issued and Fully Paid-Up Share Capital.

A privately owned Emperor company must, today, be controlling French Trade Marketing Ltd because its Registered Office continues to be in Mr Albert Yeung's Wanchai building, while the Directors of the company include Ms Vanessa Fan Man Seung and Ms Ivy Mok Fung Lin.

These 2 ladies are both known to be special to Mr Albert Yeung, who trusts them, implicitly, due to their known business skills and their long history, standing at the side of this powerful mogul, assisting him in his many business ventures.

Getting back to Mr Albert Yeung, he is a known insider trader in the HKSAR and was banned from being a director of a publicly listed company in the territory.

He was fined \$HK10 million for his actions, back in 1993, during the time that Mr Albert Yeung held 71 percent of the Issued and Fully Paid-Up Share Capital of Emperor (China Concept) Investments Ltd (Code: 296, Main Board, The Stock Exchange of Hongkong Ltd).

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