APPENDIX 5

FORM OF SHARE BUYBACK REPORT TO THE STOCK EXCHANGE OF HONG KONG LIMITED ("THE EXCHANGE")

FORM G

To: The Head of the Listing Division The Listing Division The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited					Date:1	18 th July,	, 2008
Dear S	Sir,						
Name	of Company:	Allied Group	Limited (373)				
Descr	iption of Securi	ties: Ordinar	y Shares				
A.	Purchase Repo	<u>ort</u>					
We he	ereby report the f	ollowing purch	ases by our company	of the above securi	ties.		
Trading Day/Date		Number of Securities Purchased	Method of Purchase*	Price per Share or Highest Price Paid \$	Lowest Price Paid \$	e Total <u>Paid \$</u>	
18 th July, 2008		2,000 8,000	On the Exchange	HK\$27.60 HK\$28.20	- -	HK\$ HK\$	55,200 225,600
Total		10,000				HK\$	280,800
* Either on the Exchange, on another stock exchange (stating the name of the exchange), by private arrangement or by general offer.							
В.	Additional Info	ormation for c	ompany's whose pri	mary listing is on	the Exchange		
	Number of such securities purchased on the Exchange in the year to date (since ordinary resolution)						0
	2. % of issued share capital at time ordinary resolution passed acquired on the Exchange since date of resolution						
	_(14,00	0 x 100)			

0.005 %

244,160,423

We hereby confirm that the purchases set out in A above which were made on the Exchange were made in accordance with the listing rules of the Exchange entitled "Rules Governing the Listing of Securities" and that there have been no material changes to the particulars contained in the Explanatory Statement dated 29th April, 2008 which has been filed with the Exchange. We also confirm that any purchases set out in A above which were made on another stock exchange were made in accordance with the domestic rules applying to purchases made on that other exchange.

Yours faithfully Edwin Lo King Yau Director for and on behalf of ALLIED GROUP LIMITED