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HAMMOND MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED announces financial results for the first quarter ended March 30, 2012:

	Three months ending:	
	March 30, 2012	April 1, 2011
Net Sales	\$23,714,000	\$21,731,000
Earnings from operating activities(*)	803,000	1,558,000
Income for Period	520,000	972,000
Earnings per share		
Basic	\$0.05	\$0.09
Diluted	\$0.05	\$0.09

(*) Earnings from operations is before interest, foreign exchange, equity interest, other income and taxes
NOTE: The interim financial results have not been reviewed by an auditor

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To all employees and shareholders:

Sales growth continues with pressures from a high Canadian dollar and a large volume of low margin work.

Hammond Manufacturing Company Limited manufactures a broad range of products for the electronic and electrical products industry, including metallic and non-metallic enclosures, racks, small cases, outlet strips, surge suppressors and electronic transformers.

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