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(CSL) Carlisle Companies Declares Regular Quarterly Dividend

CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA, May 1, 2003...The Board of Directors of Carlisle Companies Incorporated (NYSE:CSL) declared a regular quarterly dividend of \$.215 per share, payable on June 1, 2003 to shareowners of record at the close of business on May 16, 2003.

Carlisle is a diversified global manufacturing company serving the transportation, construction, commercial roofing, automotive, pharmaceutical, foodservice, data transmission, and specialty tire and wheel industries.

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