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**Global Engineered Solutions**

**KAYDON CORPORATION ANNOUNCES FIRST QUARTER DIVIDEND**

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Kaydon Corporation (NYSE: KDN) today announced that its Board of Directors declared a regular quarterly dividend of \$.19 per common share. The dividend is payable on April 4, 2011 to stockholders of record as of the close of business on March 14, 2011.

Kaydon Corporation is a leading designer and manufacturer of custom engineered, performance-critical products, supplying a broad and diverse group of alternative energy, industrial, aerospace, medical and electronic equipment, and aftermarket customers.

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