JINDAL STAINLESS

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Kind Attn. Listing Section

Sub.: Unaudited financial results for the 1st quarter ended 30th June, 2012

Dear Sir,

Pursuant to clause 41 of the listing agreement, we are forwarding herewith copy of unaudited financial results for the 1st quarter ended 30th June, 2012 approved by the Board of Directors of the Company in its meeting held today.

You are requested to kindly take the same on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
for **Jindal Stainless Limited**
(formerly JSL Stainless Ltd.)

(Jitendra Kumar)
Company Secretary

Encl. As above

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STATEMENT OF STANDALONE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 2012

(Rs in crores, except per share data)

	Particulars	Unaudited for the quarter ended			Audited for the year ended
		30th June, 2012	31st March, 2012	30th June, 2011	31st March, 2012
1	**Income from Operation:**				
	Gross Sales / Income from Operations	2,403.05	2,324.95	2,126.70	8,471.23
	Less: Excise Duty on sales	196.36	171.04	153.87	607.28
	(a) Net Sales / Income from Operations	2,206.69	2,153.91	1,972.83	7,863.95
	(b) Other Operating Income	10.21	12.55	4.10	27.10
	Total Income from Operations (net) [1 (a)+1 (b)]	2,216.90	2,166.46	1,976.93	7,891.05
2	**Expenses**				
	(a) Cost of Material Consumed	1,680.74	1,784.32	1,256.09	5,653.64
	(b) Purchase of Stock in Trade	15.21	10.61	60.83	96.90
	(c) Changes in Inventories of finished goods, work in progress and stock in trade	(237.44)	(274.80)	(26.46)	(435.34)
	(d) Employee benefits expense	59.94	36.61	44.89	169.83
	(e) Depreciation and amortisation expense	170.13	115.72	89.11	408.61
	(f) Stores and Spares consumed	109.50	95.55	83.78	374.07
	(g) Power & Fuel	217.88	177.92	148.18	646.29
	(h) Other expenditure	139.69	147.58	108.12	481.61
	Total Expenses	2,155.65	2,093.51	1,764.54	7,395.61
3	**Profit from Operations before other Income, Finance Cost and Exceptional Items (1-2)**	61.25	72.95	212.39	495.44
4	Other Income	14.70	21.83	14.06	75.31
5	**Profit from Ordinary Activities before finance cost and exceptional items (3+4)**	75.95	94.78	226.45	570.75
6	Finance cost	207.11	150.31	116.43	516.80
7	**Profit / (loss) from Ordinary Activities after finance cost but before exceptional items (5-6)**	(131.16)	(55.53)	110.02	53.95
8	Exceptional items - Gain / (Loss) - *Refer note no 3 (i)*	(209.13)	82.20	17.13	(207.76)
9	**Profit /(loss) from Ordinary Activities before tax (7+8)**	(340.29)	26.67	127.15	(153.81)
10	Tax expense	(108.88)	8.12	41.36	(49.91)
11	**Net profit / (loss) from Ordinary Activities after tax (9-10)**	(231.41)	18.55	85.79	(103.90)
12	Extraordinary items	-	-	-	-
13	**Net profit / (loss) for the period (11-12)**	(231.41)	18.55	85.79	(103.90)
14	Paid-up Equity Share Capital (face value of Rs. 2/- each)	37.96	37.90	37.61	37.90
15	Reserves excluding revaluation reserve as per balance sheet of previous accounting year				2,144.23
16	Earning per share (EPS) (of Rs 2/-each)				
	a) - Basic	(12.21)	0.99	4.58	(5.52)
	b) - Diluted	(12.21)	0.79	4.51	(5.52)
	(EPS for the quarter not annualised)				
A	**PARTICULARS OF SHAREHOLDING**				
1	Public Shareholding				
	- Number of Shares	97,726,019	97,434,041	95,975,373	97,434,041
	- Percentage of Shareholding	56.75	56.68	56.31	56.68
2	**Promoters and promoter group shareholding**				
	(a) Pledged / Encumbered :				
	Number of shares#	65,306,625	65,306,625	65,306,625	65,306,625
	% of shares (as a % of the total shareholding of promoter and promoter group)	87.70	87.70	87.70	87.70
	% of shares (as a % of the total share capital* of the company)	34.41	34.46	34.73	34.46
	(b) Non -encumbered:				
	Number of shares	9,160,625	9,160,625	9,159,405	9,160,625
	% of shares (as a % of the total shareholding of promoter and promoter group)	12.30	12.30	12.30	12.30
	% of shares (as a % of the total share capital* of the company)	4.83	4.83	4.87	4.83

#This includes 22,465,480 equity shares placed under lodgement/negative lien. *Total share capital includes 17,604,334 shares represented by 88,02,167 GDS.

	Particulars	3 months ended (30th June 2012)
B	INVESTOR COMPLAINTS	
	Pending at the beginning of the quarter	NIL
	Received during the quarter	NIL
	Disposed of during the quarter	NIL
	Remaining unresolved at the end of the quarter	NIL

Notes:

1 The financial results of the Company for the quarter ended 30th June 2012 have been reviewed by the Audit committee and approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on 09th August 2012 and the limited review of the same has been carried out by the statutory auditors of the company.

2 The company is in process of seeking approval from its lenders to rework on its debt obligations including overdue financial obligations. Once approved, the reworking scheme would entail increase in interest cost w.e.f. 1st April 2012. Pending necessary approval & signing of fresh agreement/documents, presently interest cost has been provided at prevailing contracted rates.

3 Results have been adversely impacted during the quarter ended 30th June 12 on account of:
i) Exchange fluctuation arising on account of sharp depreciation of Indian Rupee, as shown under the head of Exceptional items,
ii) Lower margin due to increase in Power & Fuel costs, subdued global economic sentiments and surge in imports of stainless steel flat products into India.
iii) Stainless steel production facility at Odisha under ramp up.

4 Upon receipt of FCCB conversion notices dated 8th June, 2012 , the Company has allotted 2,91,978 fresh equity shares of Rs 2/- each at a fixed exchange rate of Rs 43.75, at a conversion price of Rs 119.872 per share. Consequently, as on 30th June 2012 the paid up share capital of the company stood at Rs 37,95,95,206/- divided into 18,97,97,603 equity shares of Rs 2/- each.

5 On 28th July, 2012, the Company has vested 5,34,771 Stock Options to the eligible employees of the Company, its subsidiaries and independent Directors (excluding Nominee Directors) in terms of approved ESOP scheme 2010. Further, in terms of above ESOP scheme 2010, a fresh Grant of 1,50,000 ESOPs was made to eligible employees of the Company on 28th July, 2012.

6 As the company's business activity falls within a single primary business segment viz. 'stainless steel', the disclosure requirement of Accounting Standard (AS-17) on "Segment Reporting" is not applicable.

7 The previous quarter/year figures have been regrouped wherever necessary.

Place: New Delhi
Date: 9th August, 2012

RATAN JINDAL
Vice Chairman and Managing Director