

## Ameron International Corporation

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Employees:	2,900
Revenues:	\$ 551,400,000
Net Income:	\$ 27,700,000
Assets:	\$ 485,100,000
Liabilities:	\$ 280,900,000
Number of Asbestos Claims:	4,093
As of	November 30, 2001

Description: Ameron International makes steel pipe, fiberglass-composite pipe, and reinforced concrete pipe for a variety of industrial uses, including chemical and petrochemical processing, water transmission, and sewage collection. It also makes protective coatings and finishes and pipe products for petrochemical, marine, and industrial applications. Ameron supplies ready-mix concrete and aggregates, box culverts, and dune sand (mainly to projects in Hawaii) and manufactures various construction products (concrete light poles) for infrastructure projects. It has international joint ventures in Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Egypt, Mexico, and the US.

### Asbestos Discussion from SEC filings:

From the Company's Form 10-K for the period ending November 30, 2002 at

<http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000104746903006580/a2103723z10-k.htm>

Filed On: February 25, 2003

The Company is one of numerous defendants in various pending lawsuits involving, as of November 30, 2002, some 8,382 individuals or their representatives alleging personal injury from exposure to asbestos-containing products. None of such lawsuits specifies any dollar amount sought as damages by such individuals or their representatives, and at this time the Company is not aware of the extent of

injuries allegedly suffered by the individuals or the facts supporting the claim that such injuries were caused by the Company's products. Based upon the information available to it at this time, the Company is not in a position to evaluate its potential exposure, if any, as a result of these claims. The Company intends to vigorously defend all asbestos-related lawsuits.

### Asbestos Discussion from SEC filings:

From the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended February 28, 2003

[http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073003000001/ameron\\_10q103.htm](http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073003000001/ameron_10q103.htm)

Filed On: April 2, 2003

The Company is one of numerous defendants in various pending lawsuits involving 13,135 individuals or their representatives alleging personal injury from exposure to asbestos-containing

products. None of such lawsuits specifies any dollar amount sought as damages by such individuals or their representatives, and at this time the Company is not aware of the extent of

injuries allegedly suffered by the individuals or the facts supporting the claim that such injuries were caused by the Company's products. Based upon the information available to it at this time, the

Company is not in a position to evaluate its potential exposure, if any, as a result of these claims. The Company intends to vigorously defend all asbestos-related lawsuits.

**Asbestos Discussion from SEC filings:**

From the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended August 31, 2002

[http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073002000005/ameron\\_10q302.htm](http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073002000005/ameron_10q302.htm)

Filed On: September 27, 2002

The Company is one of numerous defendants in various pending lawsuits involving 4,093 individuals or their representatives alleging personal injury from exposure to asbestos-containing products. None of such lawsuits specifies any dollar amount sought as damages by such individuals or their representatives, and at this time the Company is not aware of the extent of injuries allegedly suffered by

the individuals or the facts supporting the claim that such injuries were caused by the Company's products. Based upon the information available to it at this time, the Company is not in a position to evaluate its potential exposure, if any, as a result of these claims. The Company intends to vigorously defend all asbestos-related lawsuits.

**Asbestos Discussion from SEC filings:**

From the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended May 31, 2002

[http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073002000004/ameron\\_10q202.htm](http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073002000004/ameron_10q202.htm)

Filed On: June 20, 2002

The Company is one of numerous defendants in various pending lawsuits involving 1,588 individuals or their representatives alleging personal injury from exposure to asbestos-containing products. None of such lawsuits specifies any dollar amount sought as damages by such individuals or their representatives, and at this time the Company is not aware of the extent of injuries allegedly suffered by

the individuals or the facts supporting the claim that such injuries were caused by the Company's products. Based upon the information available to it at this time, the Company is not in a position to evaluate its potential exposure, if any, as a result of these claims. The Company intends to vigorously defend all asbestos-related lawsuits.

**Asbestos Discussion from SEC filings:**

From the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended February 28, 2002

[http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073002000002/ameron\\_10q102.htm](http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/790730/000079073002000002/ameron_10q102.htm)

Filed On: March 25, 2002

The Company is one of numerous defendants in various pending lawsuits brought in the State of Mississippi in the past several months involving 315

individuals alleging personal injury from exposure to asbestos-containing products. None of such lawsuits specifies any dollar amount

sought as damages by such individuals, and at this time the Company is not aware of the extent of injuries allegedly suffered by the individuals or the facts supporting the claim that such injuries were caused by the Company's products. Based upon the

information available to it at this time, the Company is not in a position to evaluate its potential exposure, if any, as a result of these claims. The Company intends to vigorously defend all asbestos-related lawsuits.

**Asbestos-Related News:**

[Faces Various 4,093 Asbestos Related Lawsuits \(Published September 06, 2002\)](#)