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FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2008

MAGAL SECURITY SYSTEMS LTD. (Name of Registrant)

P.O. Box 70, Industrial Zone, Yahud 56100 Israel (Address of Principal Executive Office)

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 Press Release re Magal Security Systems Ltd. Announces Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2007 Financial Results dated March 6, 2008.

ITEM 1

PRESS RELEASE

Source: Magal Security Systems Ltd

MAGAL SECURITY SYSTEMS LTD. ANNOUNCES FOURTH QUARTER AND FULL YEAR 2007 FINANCIAL RESULTS

Thursday March 6, 7:06 am ET

RECORD ANNUAL REVENUES, UP 14% OVER 2006

YAHUD, Israel, March 6 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ - Magal Security Systems Ltd. (Nasdaq: MAGS - NEWS; TASE: MAGS) today announced its consolidated financial results for the three and twelve month periods ended December 31, 2007.

Effective September 1, 2007, Magal's financial statements include the consolidation of its recently acquired European integration subsidiary. Furthermore, following the sale of Magal's U.S. based video monitoring business operated by Smart Interactive Systems Inc., the results of this business, for the fourth quarter and the years ended December 31, 2006 and 2007, were reclassified as discontinued operations.

Fourth Quarter Results

Revenues for the fourth quarter of 2007 increased 7.0 percent over the fourth quarter 2006, reaching US\$23.2 million.

Gross profit for the fourth quarter of 2007 increased 4.1 percent over the fourth quarter of 2006, reaching US\$8.3 million, or 35.9 percent of revenues. Gross margin for the quarter was negatively affected by a strategic and prestigious project performed for the Israeli government. The majority of this project was completed by the end of 2007.

Operating income in the fourth quarter of 2007, reached US\$826,000 compared with US\$877,000 for the fourth quarter of 2006.

Net income from continuing operations in the fourth quarter of 2007 increased 157 percent over the fourth quarter of 2006, reaching US\$857,000.

Net income in the fourth quarter of 2007, reached US\$2.9 million, compared with a net loss of US\$231,000 in the fourth quarter of 2006.

Net income for the quarter includes the discontinued operations of Magal's U.S. based video monitoring business operated by Smart Interactive Systems Inc., which business was sold in the fourth quarter 2007 to iVerify US, Inc. for \$8.5 million. The sale follows Magal's strategy to focus on its core business of perimeter security projects and products.

Diluted earnings per share from continuing operations for the fourth quarter of 2007 was US\$0.08, compared with US\$0.03 in the same period last year. Diluted net earnings per share for the fourth quarter of 2007 was US\$0.28, compared with diluted loss per share of US\$0.02 in the same period last year.

Full Year Results

Revenues for the year ended December 31, 2007 increased 13.8 percent compared with 2006, reaching US\$72.4 million.

Gross profit for the year ended December 31, 2007 increased 9.5 percent, reaching US\$28.9 million, or 39.9 percent of revenues, compared with US\$26.4

million for 2006, or 41.5 percent of revenue.

Operating income for the year ended December 31, 2007, including a one-time charge of \$904,000, totalled US\$2.8 million, compared with US\$3.8 million for 2006. The one-time charge relates to contractual post employment benefits for the Company's founder and former chairman who retired at the end of the fourth quarter of 2007.

Financial expenses for the full year of 2007 totalled US\$2.3 million and includes approximately US\$1.5 million of foreign exchange losses resulting from the devaluation of the US dollar against both the new Israeli Shekel and the Canadian dollar.

Net income from continuing operations for 2007 totalled US\$196,000 compared with \$2 million in 2006. Net income for the year totalled US\$1.9 million, compared to US\$0.8 million for full year 2006.

Diluted earnings per share from continuing operations for the year ended December 31, 2007 was US0.02, compared with diluted earnings per share of US0.20 in the year 2006.

Diluted net earnings per share for the year ended December 31, 2007 was US\$0.18, compared with diluted earnings per share of US\$0.08 in the year 2006.

Commenting on the results, Mr. Izhar Dekel, CEO of Magal, said, "2007 was very much a year of meeting strategic milestones. This included targeting larger scale integration projects, expanding our global presence and acquiring complementary businesses. During the year we acquired a European integrator, offering us access to new markets, while expanding our capabilities to target larger projects."

Mr. Dekel added, "We are pleased that we had another year of revenue growth in 2007. During the fourth quarter we continued to focus our efforts and resources to maximize our synergies and the integration of the capabilities of our recent and accretive European acquisition. Furthermore, we continued to focus on our core competencies, and, as such, sold our US-based video monitoring systems' business. Looking ahead, and based on the significant new orders that we received in recent months, we believe that Magal will generate increased revenues and improved results in 2008."

The Company will be hosting its quarterly conference call at 10:00am EST today. Management will review and discuss the fourth quarter 2007 results. They will then be available to answer questions.

To participate, you may call one of the teleconferencing numbers that follows. Please place your calls 5-10 minutes before the conference call commences. If you are unable to connect using one of the toll-free numbers, please try the international dial-in number.

US Dial-in Number: 1-888-668-9141 Canada Dial-in Number: 1-800-917-9141 ISRAEL Dial-in Number: 03-918-0609 INTERNATIONAL Dial-in Number: +972-3-918-0609

At: 10:00am Eastern Time; 7:00am Pacific Time; 5:00pm Israel Time About Magal Security Systems, Ltd.:

Magal Security Systems Ltd. is engaged in the development, manufacturing and

marketing of computerized security systems, which automatically detect, locate and identify the nature of unauthorized intrusions. The Company's products are currently used in more than 70 countries worldwide to protect national borders, airports, correctional facilities, nuclear power stations and other sensitive facilities from terrorism, theft and other threats. Magal trades under the symbol MAGS on the Nasdaq since 1993 and on the Tel-Aviv Stock Exchange (TASE) since July 2001.

This press release contains forward-looking statements, which are subject to risks and uncertainties. Such statements are based on assumptions and expectations which may not be realized and are inherently subject to risks and uncertainties, many of which cannot be predicted with accuracy and some of which might not even be anticipated. Future events and actual results, financial and otherwise, may differ from the results discussed in the forward-looking statements. A number of these risks and other factors that might cause differences, some of which could be material, along with additional discussion of forward-looking statements, are set forth in the Company's Annual Report on Form 20-F filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (All numbers except EPS expressed in thousands of US\$)

	Year Ended December 31,			Quart
	2007	2006 (*	change	2007
Revenues	72,375	63,600	13.8	23,155
Revenues	12,313	03,000	13.0	23,100
Cost of revenues	43,510	37,236	16.8	14,837
Gross profit	28,865	26,364	9.5	8,318
Operating expenses: Research and development, net	5,764	5,378	7.2	1,879
Selling and marketing	13,029	•	12.3	3,498
General and administrative	6,399	5,547	15.4	2,171
Special post employment benefit	904	-	15 0	(56)
Total operating Expenses	26,096	22,528	15.8	7,492
Operating income	2,769	3,836	(27.8)	826
Financial expenses, net	2,259	864	161.5	832
Income (loss) from continuing				
operations before income taxes	510	2,972	(82.8)	(6)
Income tax (tax benefit)	314	943	(66.7)	(863)
Net Income from continuing operations	196	2,029	(90.3)	857
Net Income (loss) from discontinued operations	1,686	(1,219)		2,022
Net income (loss)	1,882	810	132.3	2,879
Basic net earnings per share from				
continuing operations Basic net earnings (loss) per share	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.20		\$ 0.08
from discontinued operations	\$ 0.16	\$ (0.12)		\$ 0.20
Basic net earnings (loss) per share	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.08		\$ 0.28

Weighted average number of shares outstanding used in computing basic net earnings per share (in thousands)	10,395	10,384	10,397
Diluted net earnings per share from			
continuing operations	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.08
Diluted net loss per share from			
discontinued operations	\$ 0.16	\$ (0.12)	\$ 0.20
Diluted net earnings (loss) per share	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.28
Weighted average number of shares			
outstanding used in computing diluted net			
earnings per share (in thousands)	10,431	10,442	10,398

(* Reclassified

FINANCIAL RATIOS

	Year ended December 31		Qua De
	2007	2006 (*	2007
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Gross margin	39.9%	41.5%	35.9%
Research and development, net as a % of revenues	8.0%	8.5%	8.1%
Selling and Marketing as a % of revenues	18.0%	18.2%	15.1%
General and administrative as a % of revenues	8.8%	8.7%	9.4%
Operating income margin	3.8%	6.0%	3.6%
Net income margin (before discontinued operation)	0.3%	3.2%	3.7%
Net income (loss) margin (after discontinued operation)	2.6%	1.3%	12.4%
Total bank debt to total Capitalization	* 0.36	** 0.43	* 0.36
Current ratio	* 1.75	** 2.15	* 1.75

* As of December 31, 2007

** As of December 31, 2006

(* Reclassified

MAGAL SECURITY SYSTEMS LTD. UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (All numbers expressed in thousands of US\$)

December 31, December 31, 2007 2006 (*

CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 9,814	\$ 4,908
Marketable securities	9,464	3,067
Short term bank deposits	11,220	14,186
Trade receivables	26,623	27,754
Unbilled accounts receivable	4,003	5,389
Other accounts receivable and prepaid expenses	6,976	3,821
Deferred income taxes	1,847	1,604
Inventories	23,816	13,971
Total current assets	93,763	74,700
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Long term investments and receivables:		
Long-term trade receivables	2,019	40
Long-term loans	808	622
Long-term bank deposits	1,846	4,800
Escrow deposit	4,442	-
Severance pay fund	2,765	2,401
Total long-term investments and receivables	11,880	7,863
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET	8,429	7,707
OTHER ASSETS, NET	13,755	6,002
ASSETS ATTRIBUTED TO DISCONTINUED OPERATION	244	7,409
Total assets	\$128,071	\$103,681
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Short-term bank credit	\$ 16,434	\$ 17,026
Current maturities of long-term bank debt	4,303	795
Trade payables	7,344	5,954
Deferred income taxes	687	-
Other accounts payable, accrued expenses and	007	
customer advances	24,791	11,041
Total current liabilities	53,559	34,816
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES:		
Long-term bank debt	3,095	7,399
Long-term accounts payable	_	178
Deferred income taxes	1,218	-
Accrued severance pay	3,873	2,524
Total long-term liabilities	8,186	10,101
LIABILITIES ATTRIBUTED TO DISCONTINUED OPERATION	849	614
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	65,477	58,150
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$128,071	\$103,681

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

MAGAL SECURITY SYSTEMS LTD. (Registrant)

By: /s/ Izhar Dekel

Izhar Dekel Chief Executive Officer

Date: March 6, 2008