R F INDUSTRIES LTD Form 8-K June 07, 2004 RF INDUSTRIES, LTD. RF Connectors/Neulink Investor Contact: Neil Berkman Associates (310) 277 - 5162 info@berkmanassociates.com

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RF Industries' Second Quarter Sales Increase 30%; Net Income is \$0.10 Per Share Vs \$0.02 Per Share

SAN DIEGO, CA., -- June 7, 2004 -- RF INDUSTRIES, LTD., (NASDAQ:RFIL) announced today that net income for the three months ended April 30, 2004 increased 344% to \$351,000, or \$0.10 per diluted share, compared to \$79,000, or \$0.02 per diluted share, in the same quarter last year. Net sales increased 30% to a second quarter record \$2,821,000, compared to \$2,166,000 in the same period last year.

For the first six months ended April 30, 2004, net income increased 174% to \$585,000, or \$0.16 per diluted share, compared to \$214,000, or \$.06 per diluted share, in the first half of fiscal 2003. Net sales for the first half increased 17% to \$5,271,000 compared to \$4,493,000, in the same period year.

Howard Hill, president and CEO of RF Industries, said, "Record second quarter sales reflect a 30% sales increase in coaxial connectors and cable assembly products, driven by the continuing recovery of the telecom industry, rapidly expanding Wi-Fi applications and increased penetration of military and defense markets."

"Operating expenses continued to decline, in-line with tighter cost controls and reduced overhead expenses associated with the Bioconnect cable products. Consequently, operating income for the second quarter and first half of fiscal 2004 increased 344% and 179%, respectively. We believe that increased sales of coaxial connectors and cables, combined with Bioconnect's new products and expanded distribution, will lead to improved sales and profitability in the second half of fiscal 2004."

At April 30, 2004, RFI reported cash and cash equivalents \$4,348,000, working capital of \$9,081,000, a 11 to 1 current ratio, no long-term debt and stockholders' equity of \$9,541,000, or \$3.23 per share.

RF Industries' Connector division designs and distributes radio frequency (RF) coaxial connectors and cable assemblies used for Wi-Fi, PCS, radio, test instruments, computer networks and antenna devices. Neulink designs and markets wireless digital data transmission products for industrial monitoring, wide area networks, GPS tracking and locations systems. Bioconnect designs, manufactures and distributes specialized electrical cabling and interconnect products to the medical monitoring market.

The statements contained in this release which are not historical facts may be deemed to contain forward-looking statements with respect to events, the occurrence of which involve risks and uncertainties, including, without limitation, a decline in the demand for wireless products, increased competition, the loss of any major clients, a disruption in the Company's

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manufacturing and supply arrangements, or other uncertainties detailed in the Company's Securities and Exchange Commission filings.

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RF INDUSTRIES, LTD. Condensed Statements of Income (in thousands except share and per share amounts)(unaudited)

		Three Months Ended April 30,				Six Months End April 30,		
				2003		2004		
Net sales Cost of sales		2,821 1,396		2,166 1,072		5,271 2,601	\$ 4 	
Gross profit		1,425					2	
Operating expenses:								
Engineering Selling and general		102 726		188 772		217 1,486	1	
Total expenses		828		960		1,703		
Operating income		597	134					
Interest income		1		5		7		
Income before provision for income tax Provision for state & federal income tax		598 247		139 60		974 389		
Net income	\$	351	\$	79	\$	585	\$	
Earnings per share -Basic	\$	0.12	\$	0.02	\$	0.21	==== \$	
Earnings per share - Diluted	\$	0.10	\$	0.02	\$	0.16	==== \$ ====	
Weighted average shares outstanding - Basic	2,8	882,408 3,398,014		2,8	2,815,294 3,			
Weighted average shares outstanding - Diluted	3,6	56,887	3,7	09,455	3,5	95 , 492	3,680	

Summary Balance Sheet

	April 30, 2004	October 31, 2003
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Cash and Cash Equivalents Trade Accounts Receivable, Net	1,528,813	\$ 2,683,896 1,701,618
Inventories, net	3,780,701	3,455,018

Other Current Assets	330,010	305,679
Total Current Assets	9,990,745	8,146,211
Property, Plant & Equipment, Net Other Assets	389,032 110,901	328,124 133,755
Total Assets	\$10,490,678	\$ 8,608,090 ======
Total Current Liabilities Other Liabilities	\$ 909,402 40,000	\$ 509,992 40,000
Total Liabilities	949,402	549,992
Total Stockholders' Equity	9,541,276	8,058,098
Total Liabilities & Stockholders' Equity	\$10,490,678	\$ 8,608,090

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