MAGAL SECURITY SYSTEMS LTD Form 6-K July 31, 2006

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of July 2006

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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Magal Security Systems Ltd.

6-K Items

 Press Release re Magal Security Systems Ltd. Announces Second Quarter 2006 Results dated July 31, 2006.

ITEM 1

Press Release Source: Magal Security Systems Ltd

Magal Security Systems Ltd. Announces Second Quarter 2006 Results

Monday July 31, 6:59 am ET

Revenues for the Second Quarter Increased 12.4% YOY

YAHUD, Israel, July 31 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Magal Security Systems Ltd. (NasdaqGM:MAGS; TASE:MAGS) today announced its consolidated financial results for the second quarter and six-month period ended June 30, 2006.

Revenues for the second quarter of 2006 reached US\$14.9 million, an increase of 12.4 percent compared with the second quarter of 2005 and an increase of 10.4 percent over the first quarter of 2006.

Gross profit for the second quarter of 2006 reached US\$6.2 million (41.8 percent of revenues), an increase of 42.1 percent over the second quarter of 2005 and an increase of 8.8 percent compared with first quarter of 2006.

Operating and net income in the second quarter of 2006, reached US\$645,000 and US\$269,000, respectively, compared with an operating and net loss of US\$1.7 million and US\$1.6 million, respectively, for the second quarter of 2005.

Diluted earnings per share for the second quarter were US\$0.03, compared with diluted loss per share of US\$0.15 in the same period last year.

Revenues for the first six months of 2006 reached US\$28.3 million, an increase of 5.1 percent compared with the same period in 2005. Operating and net income for the six-month period, reached US\$1.1 million and US\$418,000, respectively, compared with an operating and net loss of US\$709,000 and US\$1.3 million, respectively, for the first six months of 2005.

Diluted earnings per share for the six-month period were US\$0.04, compared with a diluted loss per share of US\$0.13 in the same period of last year.

Commenting on the results, Mr. Jacob Even-Ezra, Chairman of Magal and CEO, said: "Our 2005 quarterly financial information includes the reversal of revenues and a corresponding increase in expenses as a result of a subsequent to 2005 year end cancellation of a turnkey project by a customer in Eastern Europe. We decided to reconsider the revenue recognition of this project in our financial results for 2005 and believe that it is appropriate not to record the revenues from this project in 2005 and to reduce income accordingly."

Mr. Even-Ezra concluded: Management believes that the second half of the year will be better than the first half, both in revenues, as well as in operating and net income."

The Company will be hosting its quarterly conference call at 10:00am EST today. On the call, Mr. Jacob Even-Ezra, Chairman of the Board & CEO, and Ms. Raya Asher, V.P. Finance & CFO, will review and discuss the second quarter 2006 results. They will then be available to answer questions.

To participate, you may listen to the webcast by accessing the link from Magal's web-site at: www.magal-ssl.com. Alternatively, 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 or the webcast.

US Dial-in Number: 1-866-860-9642 Canada Dial-in Number: 1-866-485-2399 ISRAEL Dial-in Number: 03-918-0610

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At:

10:00am Eastern Time 7:00am Pacific Time 5:00pm Israel Time

About Magal Security Systems, Ltd.:

Magal Security Systems Ltd. (Magal) is engaged in the development, manufacturing and marketing of computerized security systems, which automatically detect, locate and identify the nature of unauthorized intrusions. Magal also supplies video monitoring services through Smart Interactive Systems, Inc., a subsidiary in the U.S. 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. Israeli-based Magal has subsidiaries in the U.S., Canada, the U.K., Germany, Romania, Mexico and an office in China.

Magal trades under the symbol MAGS in the U.S. on the Nasdaq National Market since 1993 and in Israel 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.

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

	Six Mont	hs Ended	June 30,	Quarter	Ended Jur	ne 30,
Powonuog	2006 28,346	2005	change 5.1			change
Revenues	20,340	26,964	3.1	14,874	13,238	12.4
Cost of revenues	16,424	16,324	0.6	8 , 661	8,865	(2.3)
Gross profit	11,922	10,640	12.0	6,213	4,373	42.1
Operating expe Research and development, net	nses: 2,650	2,432	9.0	1,450	1,276	13.6
Selling and marketing	5,285	6,066	(12.9)	2,702	3,340	(19.1)
General and administrative	2,863	2,851	0.4	1,416	1,438	(1.5)
Total operating expenses	10,798	11,349	(4.9)	5 , 568	6,054	(8.0)
Operating	1,124	(709)		645	(1,681)	
income (loss) Financial expense, net	380	366	3.8	226	37	510.8
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	744	(1,075)		419	(1,718)	
Income tax (tax benefit)	271	148	83.1	118	(170)	
Net Income (loss) from continuing operations	473	(1,223)		301	(1,548)	
Loss on discontinued operations, net	55	55	_	32	24	33.3
Net income (loss)	418	(1,278)		269	(1,572)	
Basic net earnings (losses) per s	0.04 hare	(0.14)		0.03	(0.16)	

Weighted average number outstanding used in computing	of shares				
basic net 10,377 earnings per share	9,382	10,379	10,092		
Diluted net 0.04 earnings (losses) per share	(0.13)	0.03	(0.15)		
Weighted average number of shares outstanding used in computing					
diluted net 10,453 earnings per share	9,525	10,443	10,374		

FINANCIAL RATIOS

Six		Ended 2005	June 30,	Quarter E 2006	Ended June 30, 2005
Gross margin					33.0
Research and	9.3	9.0		9.7	9.6
development, net as a % of revenues					
Selling and	18.6	22.5		18.2	25.2
Marketing as a % of revenues					
General and	10.1	10.6		9.5	10.9
administrative as a % of revenues					
Operating margin	4.0	(2.6)		4.3	(12.7)
Net income	1.5	(4.7)		1.8	(11.9)
margin (after discontinued operation)					
Total bank debt to total capitalization	*0.46	**0.41		*0.46	**0.41
Current ratio	*1.96	**1.86		*1.96	**1.86

^{*} As of June 30, 2006

^{**} As of December 31, 2005

	Three month Jun. 30,	
	As	As
	previously	adjusted
	reported	
Consolidated Statement of		
Income Data:		
Revenues	\$17 , 138	\$13,238
Cost of revenues	9,705	8,865
Gross profit	7,433	4,373
Operating expenses:		
Research and development,		
net	1,276	1,276
Selling and marketing, net	3,882	3,340
General and administrative	1,438	1,438
Total operating expenses	6 , 596	6,054
Operating income (loss)	837	(1,681)
Financial expenses, net	37	37
Income (loss) before income		
taxes	800	(1,718)
<pre>Income taxes (tax benefit)</pre>	294	(170)
Income (loss) from		
continuing operations	506	(1,548)
Loss from discontinued		
operations, net	24	24
Net income (loss)	482	(1,572)

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

	June 30, 2006	December 31, 2005
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash and cash equivalents	5 , 390	10,099
Short term bank deposits	19,808	17,053
Trade receivables	13,511	24,012
Unbilled accounts receivable	15,446	8,596
Other accounts receivable	4,799	4,455
Deferred income taxes	1,300	1,187
Inventories	13,326	11,110
Total current assets	73 , 580	76,512
Long term investments and trade receivables:		
Long-term trade receivables	290	290
Long-term bank deposits and structure notes	1,800	•
Severance pay fund	2,200	•
Total long term investments and trade receivables	4,290	4,160
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET	15,931	15,587
OTHER ASSETS, NET	5,850	5,583

Total assets	99,651	101,842
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Short-term bank credit	21,413	18,068
Current maturities of long-term bank loans	3,647	3,647
Trade payables	3,728	6,360
Other accounts payable and accrued expenses	8,840	12,983
Total current liabilities	37 , 628	41,058
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES:		
Long-term bank loans	1,581	1,653
Accrued severance pay	2,318	2,131
Long-term liability in respect of forward contracts	-	50
Total long terms liabilities	3,899	3,834
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	58,124	56,950
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	99,651	101,842

SIGNATURES

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/Jacob Even-Ezra
-----Jacob Even-Ezra
Chairman of the Board and
Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 31, 2006