

Flux Power Announces Record Quarterly Revenue of \$6.5M for Second Quarter of FY 2021; Increase of 79% YOY

Investor Conference Call at 4:30 PM ET

VISTA, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Flux Power Holdings, Inc. (NASDAQ: <u>FLUX</u>), a developer of advanced <u>lithium-ion industrial batteries</u> for commercial and industrial equipment, today reported financial results for its second guarter of fiscal year 2021 (Q2'21).

Financial Highlights:

- **Q2'21 revenue** grew 79% to a record **\$6.5M** compared to Q2'20 revenue of \$3.6M.
- Q2'21 gross margin increased to 23.0% compared to 9.0% in Q2'20.

Strategic Highlights:

- Received initial orders from a global food producer.
- Continued business expansion with Beam Global by supplying battery packs for solar energy storage in their mobile EV charging stations.
- Executed cost reductions and design related actions to improve gross margins.
- Announced three patents pending for advanced lithium-ion battery technology.
- Developed the next generation LiFT Pack M24 for Class III end riders and center riders, to be launched at the ProMat DX material handling tradeshow.
- Received UL Listing for battery packs for narrow aisle walkies and end riders.

"The Flux Power team worked hard last quarter to deliver record revenue despite the COVID-19 pandemic," said Flux Power CEO Ron Dutt. "Our expanded UL Listings and three patents pending support our goal to lead the adoption of lithium-ion solutions for Fortune 500 customers."

Q2'21 Financial Results

Revenue: Q2'21 revenue increased by 79% to \$6.5M compared to \$3.6M in Q2'20, driven by sales of larger LiFT Packs and stationary power applications.

Gross Profit: Q2'21 gross profit improved to \$1.5M compared to a gross profit of \$326K in Q2'20 principally reflecting higher sales volumes and gross margin improvements.

Selling & Administrative: Expenses increased to \$3.1M in Q2'21 from \$2.2M in Q2'20, reflecting expense for our \$50M shelf registration and "At-The-Market" offering, D&O insurance increases, increased sales commissions, and increased customer support expense from over 8,000 battery packs in the field.

Research & Development: Expenses increased to \$1.6M in Q2'21, compared to \$1.0M in Q2'20 reflecting our continued rollout of new product models, third party expense for added UL Listing certification, UN38.3 certification for transportation, and further development of our telemetry products.

Net Loss: Q2'21 net loss increased slightly to \$3.4M from a net loss of \$3.3M in Q2'20, principally reflecting higher operating costs offsetting gross profit increases and lower interest expense from debt conversions of \$2.2M.

Fiscal Year 2021 Outlook

Our business momentum continues on track, with our seasonally slower quarter which ended September 30 behind us. While the COVID-19 pandemic created caution with lockdowns and increased infection rates in the quarter ended December, logistic and material handling needs were not significantly impacted.

Despite restrictions from the COVID-19 environment, we made progress on acquiring new customers, with initial orders from several Fortune 500 companies.

Our product expansion plans are on track with new models, added UL listings and OEM support; these developments expand our product platform for large fleets.

CEO Ron Dutt added, "The strong activity in the electrification sector during Q2'21 provides clear signals on sustained interest in renewable energy and environmentally clean sources of power for equipment. Flux Power is well positioned to serve this growing demand."

Conference Call

Management will hold a conference call today starting at 4:30 PM ET. Investors and analysts interested in joining the call are invited to dial (833) 428-8374 or (270) 240-0543. The conference ID is **2178397**. A recording of the conference call will be uploaded to the Flux Power website once it is available.

About Flux Power Holdings, Inc. (<u>www.fluxpower.com</u>)

Flux Power designs, develops, manufactures, and sells advanced lithium-ion energy storage solutions for lift trucks, airport ground support equipment (GSE), stationary energy storage, and other industrial and commercial applications. Flux Power's "LiFT Pack" battery packs, including its proprietary battery management system (BMS), provide its customers with a better performing, higher value, and more environmentally friendly alternative as compared to traditional lead acid and propane-based solutions.

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FLUX POWER HOLDINGS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

December

	<u>(L</u>	31, 2020 Jnaudited)	 June 30, 2020
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash	\$	4,653,000	\$ 726,000
Accounts receivable		4,462,000	3,069,000
Inventories		6,588,000	5,256,000
Other current assets		696,000	787,000
Total current assets		16,399,000	9,838,000
Right of use asset		3,238,000	3,435,000
Other assets		132,000	174,000
Property, plant and equipment, net		818,000	528,000
Total assets	\$	20,587,000	\$ 13,975,000

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT)

Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	4,715,000	\$	4,648,000
Accrued expenses		1,795,000		1,400,000
Deferred revenue		38,000		4,000
Customer deposits		13,000		1,563,000
Due to Factor		-		469,000
Short-term loans – related party		-		2,057,000
Line of credit - related party		2,403,000		5,290,000
Paycheck Protection Program loan payable		1,297,000		-
Financing lease payable		8,000		28,000
Office lease payable, current portion		404,000		288,000
Accrued interest		202,000		50,000
Total current liabilities		10,875,000		15,797,000
Long term liabilities:				
Paycheck Protection Program loan payable		-		1,297,000
Office lease payable, less current portion		3,089,000		3,301,000
Total liabilities		13,964,000		20,395,000
Stockholders' equity (deficit):				
Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value; 500,000 shares authorized;				
none issued and outstanding		-		-
Common stock, \$0.001 par value; 30,000,000 shares				
authorized; 12,193,110 and 7,420,487 shares issued and				
outstanding at December 31, 2020 and June 30, 2020,				
respectively		12,000		7,000
Additional paid-in capital		67,371,000		46,985,000
Accumulated deficit	(60,760,000)	_(53,412,000)
Total stockholders' equity (deficit)	_	6,623,000		(6,420,000)
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity (deficit)	\$	20,587,000	\$	13,975,000

FLUX POWER HOLDINGS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited)

		Three months ended December 31,		Six months ended December 31,		
	2020	2019	2020	2019		
Net revenue	\$ 6,469,000	\$ 3,615,000	\$10,968,000	\$ 5,534,000		
Cost of sales	4,980,000	3,289,000	8,606,000	5,091,000		

Gross profit	1,489,000	326,000	2,362,000	443,000
Operating expenses:				
Selling and administrative				
expenses	3,135,000	2,229,000	6,055,000	4,492,000
Research and development	1,594,000	1,021,000	3,101,000	2,361,000
Total operating expenses	4,729,000	3,250,000	9,156,000	6,853,000
Operating loss	(3,240,000)	(2,924,000)	(6,794,000)	(6,410,000)
Interest expense	(124,000)	(383,000)	(554,000)	(711,000)
Net loss	\$ (3,364,000)	\$(3,307,000)	\$ (7,348,000)	\$(7,121,000)
Net loss per share - basic and				
diluted	\$ (0.29)	\$ (0.65)	\$ (0.69)	\$ (1.39)
Weighted average number of				
common shares outstanding - basic	44 000 700	E 400 704	40.047.404	E 40E 004
and diluted	11,633,793	5,106,781	10,647,181	5,105,061

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