

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

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/X/ QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD
ENDED MARCH 31, 2002.
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COMMISSION FILE NUMBER: 0-23336

ELECTRIC FUEL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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DELAWARE 95-4302784
(State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer
incorporation or organization) Identification No.)
632 BROADWAY, SUITE 301, NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10012
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
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(212) 529-9200
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former address, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports
required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of
1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the
registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such
filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes /X/ No / /

APPLICABLE ONLY TO CORPORATE ISSUERS:

The number of shares outstanding of the issuer's common stock as of May 10,
2001 was 30,941,697.

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ITEM 1. INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

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	MARCH 31, 2002	DECEMBER 31, 2001
	(UNAUDITED)	(AUDITED)
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ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash and cash equivalents.....	\$12,853,054	\$12,671,754
Trade receivables.....	1,009,623	1,230,259
Other receivables.....	785,330	714,946
Inventories.....	3,542,469	3,472,197
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TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS.....	18,190,476	18,089,156
NOTES RECEIVABLE FROM STOCKHOLDERS.....	250,541	501,288
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SEVERANCE PAY FUND.....	1,066,642	1,078,131
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FIXED ASSETS:		
Cost.....	11,959,610	11,721,611
Less--accumulated depreciation.....	5,187,722	4,981,946
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	6,771,888	6,739,665
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	\$26,279,547	\$26,408,240
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	MARCH 31, 2002	DECEMBER 31, 2001
	(UNAUDITED)	(AUDITED)
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LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Trade payables.....	\$ 1,146,454	\$ 1,824,957
Other payables.....	1,601,229	1,730,799
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TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES.....	2,747,683	3,555,756
LIABILITY FOR EMPLOYEE RIGHTS UPON RETIREMENT.....	3,563,110	3,444,427
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TOTAL LIABILITIES.....	6,310,793	7,000,183
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STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY:		
Common stock--\$0.01 par value		
Authorized--100,000,000 shares		
Issued--29,059,469 shares and 31,497,030 shares as of		
December 31, 2001 and March 31, 2002, respectively		
Outstanding--28,504,136 shares and 30,941,697 shares as of		
December 31, 2001 and March 31, 2002, respectively.....	314,972	290,596
Preferred stock--\$0.01 par value		
Authorized--1,000,000 shares, no shares outstanding....	--	--
Additional paid-in capital.....	108,286,051	104,254,109
Deferred stock compensation.....	(18,000)	(18,000)
Accumulated deficit.....	(84,050,670)	(80,736,461)
Treasury stock, at cost (common stock--555,333		
shares).....	(3,537,106)	(3,537,106)
Notes receivable from stockholders.....	(1,026,493)	(845,081)

TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY.....	19,968,754	19,408,057
	\$26,279,547	\$26,408,240

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ELECTRIC FUEL CORPORATION
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

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	THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31,	
	2002	2001
<S>	<C>	<C>
Revenues.....	\$ 726,680	\$ 725,959
Cost of revenues.....	1,035,961	961,785
Gross loss.....	(309,281)	(235,826)
Research and development expenses, net.....	610,946	769,939
Sales and marketing expenses.....	1,169,590	1,797,888
General and administrative expenses.....	1,288,555	896,180
	3,069,091	3,464,007
Operating loss.....	(3,378,372)	(3,699,833)
Financial income, net.....	64,163	274,869
Loss for the period.....	\$ (3,314,209)	\$ (3,424,964)
Loss per share.....	\$ (0.11)	\$ (0.16)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding.....	30,149,210	21,802,499

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

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TREASURY	COMMON STOCK		ADDITIONAL	DEFERRED	ACCUMULATED	STOCK
	SHARES	AMOUNT	PAID-IN	STOCK	DEFICIT	
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BALANCE AT JANUARY 1, 2002--						
AUDITED.....	29,059,469	\$290,596	\$104,254,109	\$ (18,000)	\$ (80,736,461)	
\$(3,537,106)						
CHANGES DURING THE THREE-MONTH						
PERIOD ENDED MARCH 31, 2002						
Issuance of shares, net.....	2,437,561	24,376	4,031,942			
Loss.....					(3,314,209)	
BALANCE AT MARCH 31, 2002--						
UNAUDITED.....	31,497,030	\$314,972	\$108,286,051	\$ (18,000)	\$ (84,050,670)	
\$(3,537,106)						

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NOTES	
RECEIVABLE	
FROM	
SHAREHOLDERS	TOTAL
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BALANCE AT JANUARY 1, 2002--	

AUDITED.....	\$ (845,081)	\$19,408,057
CHANGES DURING THE THREE-MONTH PERIOD ENDED MARCH 31, 2002		
Issuance of shares, net.....	(181,412)	3,874,906
Loss.....		(3,314,209)
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BALANCE AT MARCH 31, 2002--		
UNAUDITED.....	\$ (1,026,493)	\$19,968,754
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ELECTRIC FUEL CORPORATION
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

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	THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31,	
	2002	2001
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CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Loss for the period.....	\$ (3,314,209)	\$ (3,424,964)
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Adjustments required to reconcile loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Depreciation.....	245,000	275,000
Expenses due to options granted to suppliers.....	185,450	84,295
Amortization of deferred stock compensation.....	--	3,955
Capital gain from sale of property and equipment.....	(4,257)	--
Write-down of notes receivable from stockholders.....	255,275	--
Interest accrued on notes from stockholders.....	--	(152,465)
Liability for employee rights upon retirement, net.....	130,173	142,084
Changes in operating asset and liability items:		
Decrease in accounts receivable.....	150,252	2,054,246
Increase in inventories.....	(70,272)	(2,500,202)
Increase (Decrease) in accounts payable and accruals....	(768,738)	1,270
	-----	-----
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES.....	(3,191,326)	(3,516,781)
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CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Purchase of fixed assets.....	(316,559)	(393,604)
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment.....	4,257	(227,230)
Loans granted to shareholders.....	(4,528)	--
	-----	-----
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES.....	(316,830)	(620,834)
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FORWARD.....	\$ (3,508,156)	(4,137,615)
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	THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31,	
	2002	2001
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<S>	<C>	<C>
FORWARD.....	\$ (3,508,156)	\$ (4,137,615)
	-----	-----
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Proceeds from issuance of share capital, net.....	3,624,698	(40,294)
Proceeds from exercise of options and warrants.....	64,758	325,225
	-----	-----
NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES.....	3,689,456	284,931
	-----	-----
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS.....	181,300	(3,852,684)
BALANCE OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD.....	12,671,754	11,596,225
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BALANCE OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD.....	\$12,853,054	\$ 7,743,541

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION ON ACTIVITIES NOT INVOLVING CASH FLOW:		
Issuance of share capital (including additional paid-in capital) upon notes receivable.....	\$ 144,875	\$ --
Exercise of options and warrants against notes receivable.....	\$ 79,845	--
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION--CASH (PAID) RECEIVED DURING THE PERIOD FOR:		
Interest.....	\$ 73,492	\$ 103,554
Advances to income tax authorities.....	\$ (3,300)	\$ (3,659)

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NOTE TO INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

GENERAL

The interim consolidated financial statements of Electric Fuel Corporation reflect all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring accruals, which are, in the opinion of our management, necessary for a fair statement of results for the periods presented. Operating revenues and expenses for any interim period are not necessarily indicative of results for a full year.

For the purpose of these interim consolidated financial statements, certain information and disclosures normally included in financial statements have been condensed or omitted. These unaudited statements should be read in conjunction with our audited consolidated financial statements and notes thereto for the year ended December 31, 2001.

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ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

THE FOLLOWING MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS CONTAINS FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS THAT INVOLVE INHERENT RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES. WHEN USED IN THIS DISCUSSION, THE WORDS "BELIEVES," "ANTICIPATED," "EXPECTS" AND SIMILAR EXPRESSIONS ARE INTENDED TO IDENTIFY SUCH FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS. SUCH STATEMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CERTAIN RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES THAT COULD CAUSE ACTUAL RESULTS TO DIFFER MATERIALLY FROM THOSE PROJECTED. READERS ARE CAUTIONED NOT TO PLACE UNDUE RELIANCE ON THESE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS, WHICH SPEAK ONLY AS OF THE DATE HEREOF. WE UNDERTAKE NO OBLIGATION TO PUBLICLY RELEASE THE RESULT OF ANY REVISIONS TO THESE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS THAT MAY BE MADE TO REFLECT EVENTS OR CIRCUMSTANCES AFTER THE DATE HEREOF OR TO REFLECT THE OCCURRENCE OF UNANTICIPATED EVENTS. OUR ACTUAL RESULTS COULD DIFFER MATERIALLY FROM THOSE ANTICIPATED IN THESE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS AS A RESULT OF CERTAIN FACTORS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THOSE SET FORTH ELSEWHERE IN THIS REPORT. PLEASE SEE "IMPORTANT FACTORS REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS," FILED AS PART OF "ITEM 7: MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS" IN OUR ANNUAL REPORT ON FORM 10-K FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001 AND INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE.

ELECTRIC FUEL-REGISTERED TRADEMARK- IS A REGISTERED TRADEMARK OF ELECTRIC FUEL CORPORATION. INSTANT POWER-TM-, POWERCARTRIDGE-TM- AND SMARTCORD-TM- ARE TRADEMARKS OF ELECTRIC FUEL CORPORATION. ALL COMPANY AND PRODUCT NAMES MENTIONED MAY BE TRADEMARKS OR REGISTERED TRADEMARKS OF THEIR RESPECTIVE HOLDERS.

The following discussion and analysis should be read in conjunction with the interim financial statements and notes thereto appearing elsewhere in this Quarterly Report. We have rounded amounts reported here to the nearest thousand, unless such amounts are more than 1.0 million, in which event we have rounded such amounts to the nearest hundred thousand.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The preparation of financial statements requires us to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. On an ongoing basis, we evaluate our estimates and judgments, including those related to arrangements with extended payment terms, product returns, bad debts, income tax provisions and legal contingencies. We base our estimates and judgments on

historical experience and on various other factors that we believe to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Under different assumptions or conditions, actual results may differ from these estimates.

We believe the following critical accounting policies, among others, affect our more significant judgments and estimates used in the preparation of our consolidated financial statements.

REVENUE RECOGNITION AND BAD DEBT

We recognize revenues from long-term research and development agreements subcontracted for the U.S. government when services are rendered. We recognize revenues in respect of products when, among other things, we have delivered the goods being purchased and we believe collectibility to be reasonably assured. Our provision for returns is based on our past experience. We perform ongoing credit evaluations of our customers' financial condition and we require collateral as deemed necessary. An allowance for doubtful accounts is determined with respect to those accounts that we have determined to be doubtful of collection. If the financial condition of our customers were to deteriorate,

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resulting in an impairment of their ability to make payments, additional allowances would be required, and this might cause a revision of recognized revenues.

INVENTORIES

We state our inventories at the lower of cost or market value. Inventory write-offs and write-down provisions are provided to cover risks arising from slow-moving items or technological obsolescence. Our reserves for excess and obsolete inventory are primarily based upon forecasted demand for our products, and any change to the reserves arising from forecast revisions would be reflected in cost of sales in the period the revision is made.

GENERAL

During this past quarter, we accelerated our efforts to further develop, commercialize and market our disposable Instant Power Zinc-Air batteries and chargers for cellular phones and PDAs. These products use the proprietary high-rate primary zinc-air technology that we developed in the last three years for use in portable electronic devices. We also focused during the past quarter on expanding the distribution channels for our products, in order to continue the transition from a research and development company to a global consumer goods company, and on expanding the range of products that we offer.

Our line of existing products now includes batteries for Nokia 5100/6100/7100 phones, various models of SONY, Nikon Coolpix, Olympus and Kodak digital cameras, and various models of Sony Handycam and JVC camcorders; and chargers with SmartCords for various series and models of Nokia, Motorola, Ericsson, Panasonic, Siemens, Samsung, Audiovox, Nextel, Mitsubishi, Sagem and Philips cellphones, models of PocketPC, Palm, Handspring, Sony, HP, Casio and Compaq PDAs and Novatel wireless modems.

During the first quarter of 2002, we continued to increase our marketing development with respect to our Instant Power line, receiving orders from Tesco PLC, British Airways, and a top-tier wireless carrier in the United States. As of the end of the quarter, our products were being carried by retailers in the U.S., the U.K., Australia, Canada, Germany, Italy, Spain and Israel.

While we have successfully marketed our products to retailers, certain of our customers have indicated to us in response to a dramatic slowdown in sales of cellular phone accessories (particularly aggravated since September 11th), as well as in retail in general, that we would benefit from educating consumers and retail sales personnel as to the advantages of disposable chargers and batteries for cellphones, PDAs, digital cameras and camcorders. We have begun addressing this need, both on our own and in cooperative programs with certain of our retailers, through a merchandizing campaign, as well as through in-store merchandizing and training programs.

Furthermore, and in light of the difficult retail market, we have begun to place more emphasis on seeking additional markets for our patented zinc-air fuel cell technology. In this connection, we have begun to explore various additional opportunities for the exploitation of our technology in industrial, OEM and defense-related applications for our technology, and we believe that these efforts will yield additional revenues.

Our Zinc-Air cells are produced using a custom-designed, high-capacity automatic line designed, engineered and custom-built for our needs.

As of March 31, 2002, we had 33 unexpired U.S. patents and 15 corresponding

European patents issued covering general aspects and various applications of our zinc-air technology. We also have more

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than 50 new applications filed, focusing specifically on Instant Power batteries and chargers for consumer electronic devices and cellphones.

Our Electric Vehicle Division is continuing its American all-electric transit bus development project, subcontracted by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA). We successfully completed phase I of the FTA program in June 2000, and are now engaged in Phase II of the program, which focuses on conducting evaluation of the system and vehicle performance, including track testing and limited on-road demonstrations, enhancing the all-electric propulsion system developed in Phase I, including incorporating ultracapacitors and associated interface controls, and testing and evaluating the zinc-air fuel cell system.

In August 2001, we announced that we had successfully completed the performance testing of our zinc-air electric bus. In the final performance test, the bus was driven a record-breaking total of 110 miles, more than 100 of them under the rigorous stop-and-go driving conditions of the Society of Automotive Engineers' Central Business District (CBD) cycle, and with a load simulating 150% of the passenger payload for which the bus was designed. The bus was designed to be driven for 95 miles on the CBD cycle with a 50% passenger load. The most recent testing took place at Rome, New York, on a taxiway of the former Griffiss Air Force Base, and included evaluation of constant-speed driving and acceleration tests. We conducted the first public on-road demonstration drives of our zinc-air electric bus on the streets of Las Vegas, Nevada on November 27, 2001 to conclude the first milestone of our Phase 2 agreement with the FTA to demonstrate and evaluate the all-electric zinc-air transit bus. Additionally, during the first quarter of 2002, we demonstrated our zinc-air electric bus in a public demonstration in Washington, D.C., on Capitol Hill, with the participation of certain members of the United States Senate.

Our Defense and Security Products Division is continuing with the production of zinc-air fuel cell packs for the U.S. Army's Communications Electronics Command (CECOM). The 12/24 volt, 800 watt-hour battery pack for battlefield power, which is based on our zinc-air fuel cell technology, is approximately the size and weight of a notebook computer. The battery is based on a new generation of lightweight, 30 ampere-hours cells developed by us for both military and future commercial products with high energy requirements. Additionally, the Defense and Security Products Division is continuing with the introduction of the new emergency lights for the marine life jackets market.

We have experienced significant fluctuations in the sources and amounts of our revenues and expenses, and we believe that the following comparisons of results of operations for the periods presented do not necessarily provide a meaningful indication of our development. During these periods, we have received periodic lump-sum payments relating to licensing and other revenues from our strategic partners, which have been based on the achievement of certain milestones, rather than ratably over time. Our expenses have been based upon meeting the contractual requirements under our agreements with various strategic partners and, therefore, have also varied according to the timing of activities, such as the need to provide prototype products and to establish and engineer refueling and regeneration facilities. Our research and development expenses have been offset, to a limited extent, by the periodic receipt of research grants from Israel's Office of the Chief Scientist. We expect that, because of these and other factors, including general economic conditions and delays due to legislation and regulatory and other processes and the development of competing technologies, future results of operations may not necessarily be meaningfully compared with those of current and prior periods. Thus, we believe that period-to-period comparisons of its past results of operations should not necessarily be relied upon as indications of future performance.

We incurred significant operating losses for the years ended December 31, 1999, 2000 and 2001 and the first three months of 2002. While we expect to continue to derive revenues from the sale of

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chargers and batteries for portable electronic devices, components of the Electric Fuel Electric Vehicle System, including refueling and Electric Fuel services and defense and security products that we manufacture, as well as from licensing rights to our technology to third parties, there can be no assurance that we will ever derive such revenues or achieve profitability.

FUNCTIONAL CURRENCY

We consider the United States dollar to be the currency of the primary economic environment in which we and our Israeli subsidiary, Electric Fuel

(E.F.L) Ltd. ("EFL") operate. Further, we believe that the operations of EFL's subsidiaries are an integral part of the Israeli operations. EFL has therefore adopted and is using the United States dollar as its functional currency. Transactions and balances originally denominated in U.S. dollars are presented at the original amounts. Gains and losses arising from non-dollar transactions and balances are included in net income.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2002, COMPARED TO THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2001.

REVENUES. Revenues for the first quarter of 2002 totaled \$727,000, compared to \$726,000 in the comparable period in 2001, an increase of \$1,000.

During the first quarter of 2002, we recognized revenues from the sale of consumer batteries, lifejacket lights and portable high-power zinc-air fuel cell packs for military use. We also recognized revenues from subcontracting fees received in connection with the United States Department of Transportation (DOT) program which began in 1998 and, after we completed Phase I in July of 2000, was extended in the fourth quarter of 2000. We participate in this program as a member of a consortium seeking to demonstrate the ability of the Electric Fuel battery system to power a full-size, all-electric transit bus. The total program cost of Phase II is approximately \$2.7 million, 50% of which will be covered by the DOT subcontracting fees. Subcontracting fees cover less than all of the expenses and expenditures associated with our participation in the program.

During the first quarter of 2002, revenues were \$156,000 for the Instant Power division (compared to \$221,000 in the comparable period in 2001, a decrease of \$65,000, or 29%), \$205,000 for the Electric Vehicle division (compared to \$197,000 in the comparable period in 2001, an increase of \$8,000, or 4%) and \$365,000 for the Defense and Security Products division (compared to \$306,000 in the comparable period in 2001, an increase of \$59,000, or 19%).

COST OF REVENUES AND GROSS LOSS. Cost of revenues totaled \$1.0 million during the first quarter of 2002, compared to \$962,000 in the comparable period in 2001, an increase of \$74,000, or 8%. Gross loss was \$309,000 during the first quarter of 2002 (compared to \$236,000 in the comparable period in 2001, an increase of \$73,000, or 31%).

Direct expenses for our three divisions during the first quarter of 2002 were \$2.2 million in the Instant Power division (compared to \$2.9 million during the first quarter of 2001, a decrease of \$690,000, or 24%), \$194,000 in the Electric Vehicle division (compared to \$210,000 during the first quarter of 2001, a decrease of \$16,000, or 8%), and \$295,000 in the Defense and Security Products division (compared to \$247,000 during the first quarter of 2001, an increase of \$48,000, or 19%).

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES, NET. Research and development expenses less royalty-bearing grants for the first quarter of 2002 were \$611,000, compared to \$770,000 during the first quarter of 2001, a decrease of \$159,000, or 21%. This decrease was a result of cost-cutting measures implemented by management.

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Our 2002 grant applications have not yet been approved by the Research Committee of the Office of the Chief Scientist of the Ministry of Industry and Trade. As a result, no royalty-bearing grants were recognized in the first quarter of 2002 (compared to \$186,000 in the first quarter of 2001).

SALES AND MARKETING EXPENSES. Sales and marketing expenses for the first quarter of 2002 were \$1.2 million, compared to \$1.8 million in the first quarter of 2001, a decrease of \$628,000, or 35%, primarily attributable to cost-cutting measures implemented by management.

GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES. General and administrative expenses for the first quarter of 2002 were \$1.3 million, compared to \$896,000 in the first quarter of 2001, an increase of \$393,000, or 44%. This increase was primarily attributable to a non-cash write-down of notes receivable from certain stockholders reflecting a diminution in the market value of securities collateralizing such notes, and certain non-cash expenses attributable to options granted to suppliers.

FINANCIAL INCOME, NET. Financial income, net of interest expenses and exchange differentials, totaled approximately \$64,000 in the first quarter of 2002, compared to \$275,000 financial income in the same quarter in 2001, a decrease of \$211,000, due primarily to lower interest income resulting from changes in notes receivable from certain stockholders.

INCOME TAXES. We and our Israeli subsidiary EFL incurred net operating losses or had earnings arising from tax-exempt income during the quarters ended March 31, 2002 and 2001 and, accordingly, we were not required to make any

provision for income taxes. Taxes in these entities incurred in 2002 and 2001 are primarily composed of United States federal alternative minimum taxes.

NET LOSS. Due to the factors cited above, we reported a net loss of \$3.3 million in the first quarter of 2002, compared to a net loss of \$3.4 million in the first quarter of 2001, a decrease of \$111,000, or 3%.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As of March 31, 2002, we had cash and cash equivalents of approximately \$12.8 million, compared to \$7.7 million as of March 31, 2001.

We used available funds in the first three months of 2002 primarily for sales and marketing, continued research and development expenditures, and other working capital needs. We increased our investment in fixed assets by \$277,000 during the quarter ended March 31, 2002, primarily in the Instant Power Division. Our fixed assets amounted to \$6.8 million at quarter end.

Our Israeli subsidiary EFL presently has a line of credit with the First International Bank of Israel Ltd. (FIBI) of up to \$750,000, secured by such security as we and the bank shall agree upon from time to time. This credit facility imposes financial and other covenants on EFC and EFL. As of March 31, 2002, there were no letters of credit or bank guarantees issued by the bank.

We believe that our present cash position and cash flows from operations will be sufficient to satisfy our estimated cash requirements through the next year. We may seek additional funding, including through the issuance of equity or debt securities. However, there can be no assurance that we will obtain any such additional funding. If additional funding is not secured, we intend to further modify, reduce, defer or eliminate certain of our anticipated future commitments and/or programs, in order to continue future operations.

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ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK.

We are exposed to the impact of interest rate changes and foreign currency fluctuations due to our international sales, production and funding requirements.

Our research, development and production activities are primarily carried out by our wholly-owned subsidiary EFL, at its facility in Beit Shemesh, Israel, and we market some of our products in Israel; accordingly we have sales and expenses in New Israeli Shekels. However, the majority of our sales are made outside Israel in U.S. dollars, and a substantial portion of our costs are incurred in U.S. dollars or in New Israeli Shekels linked to the U.S. dollar. Therefore, our functional currency is the U.S. dollar. Although we have a line of credit that may be affected by interest rate changes, given our level of borrowing, we do not believe the market risk from interest rate changes is material.

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ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K.

(b) The following reports on Form 8-K were filed during the first quarter of 2002:

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January 15, 2002.....	Sale of shares of our common stock to Grenville Finance Ltd.
January 23, 2002.....	Sale of shares of our common stock to Special Situations Private Equity Fund, L.P., Special Situations Fund III, L.P., Special Situations Technology Fund, L.P. and Special Situations Cayman Fund, L.P.
February 15, 2002.....	Issuance of shares of our common stock to one of our European distributors.

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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.

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By: /s/ ROBERT S. EHRlich

Name: Robert S. Ehrlich
Title: Chairman and Chief Financial
Officer

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Dated: May 13, 2002