Teleflex Increases Dividend 14 Percent; Twenty-Eight Consecutive Years of Increases

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LIMERICK, Pa.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--April 29, 2005--Teleflex Incorporated (NYSE:TFX) announced today that its Board of Directors declared a quarterly cash dividend of 25 cents ($0.25) per share of common stock. This dividend represents a 14% increase over the dividend of 22 cents ($0.22) per share that was paid for the prior quarter. The dividend is payable June 15, 2005 to shareholders of record at the close of business on May 25, 2005.

Teleflex is a diversified industrial company with annual revenues of more than $2.4 billion. Its businesses serve the automotive, marine, industrial, medical and aerospace markets. Teleflex has increased its cash dividend to shareholders in each of the 28 years since it began paying dividends in 1977. The company offers a Dividend Reinvestment & Direct Stock Purchase and Sale Plan. For information about the Plan, call 1-877-842-1572 (toll free), or log on to www.amstock.com to make an initial purchase. Additional information about Teleflex can be obtained from the company's website on the Internet at www.teleflex.com.

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