Teleflex Chairman Lennox K. Black Speaks At Deutsche Banc Alex. Brown Conference in New York

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PLYMOUTH MEETING, Pa.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Nov. 30, 2000--Teleflex Incorporated (NYSE: TFX) Chairman Lennox K. Black told investors today that the company expects to report its 26th consecutive year of increased revenues and earnings in 2000. Black made his remarks at the Deutsche Banc Alex. Brown Basic Industries Conference in New York.

"We have achieved solid growth in the first nine months of this year, with net income and earnings per share up 15%. We expect the full year earnings will be between $2.80 to $2.85 per share, which is the range of analysts' estimates," said Mr. Black. "Teleflex has excellent cash flow, and a healthy balance sheet."

Black also described how the company is organizing to attack global markets, with increased communication among divisions through shared services and more low-cost manufacturing. Teleflex has more than 80 business units worldwide that focus on providing innovative solutions for customers.

Black said that acquisitions continue to play an important role in the company's growth and that year-to-date Teleflex had acquired businesses with more than $100 million in combined annual sales. Recently the company agreed to acquire Morse Controls, an industrial and marine products company with $150 million in sales.

That acquisition is expected to close in January 2001, and to be accretive to full year 2001 earnings. "We will continue to pursue both small and large acquisitions aggressively to supplement our core growth," said Mr. Black, "as we seek to enhance our technologies and extend our global reach."

"We are confident about our prospect for continued growth in 2001," said Mr. Black. "We expect a pick up in aerospace markets and a steady performance in medical. Teleflex also has a number of new products in the automotive and industrial/marine markets which will provide incremental sales to help offset the anticipated slowdown in automotive production. We are organizing to stay agile, entrepreneurial, innovative and responsive to our customers needs in each of our niche markets."

The Teleflex presentation will be available on the company's Web site, www.teleflex.com.

Teleflex At A Glance:

Teleflex is a diversified industrial company with annual sales of more than $1.6 billion. The company designs, manufactures and distributes quality engineered products and services for the automotive, marine, industrial, medical and aerospace markets worldwide.

Teleflex employs more than 14,000 people in over 80 units around the world. Additional information about Teleflex can be obtained from the company's Web site on the Internet at www.teleflex.com.

Forward-looking information:

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