



NEWS RELEASE

Second Quarter Financial Results

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CAMARILLO, CA, September 18, 2001-- California Amplifier, Inc. (Nasdaq: CAMP) announced today that it will provide a live audio webcast of its quarterly conference call to be held on Thursday, September 20, 2001 at 1:30 p.m., pacific time. Results for the Company's FY2002 second quarter ended September 1, 2001, will be released after close of market on September 20, 2001. The Company's financial results and current outlook will be discussed during the conference call.

The conference call can be accessed on both the Company's web site, www.calamp.com, and on the web site www.streetfusion.com. Both links require listeners to install either RealPlayer or Windows Media player to access the event. A replay of the audio broadcast will be available for one week after the call's completion.

Investors will also have the option to join the Company's conference call September 20, 2001 by calling 952-556-2835. Telephone lines will be available to callers on a first-come, first-served basis. A telephone replay of the call will be available for 24 hours after the conference call by calling 703-326-3020, pass code 5530400.

California Amplifier designs, markets and manufactures a broad line of integrated microwave fixed point solutions used primarily in conjunction with satellite video and terrestrial broadband applications. The Company's wireless access business unit designs and markets integrated reception and two-way transmission fixed wireless solutions for video, voice, data, telephony and networking applications. The satellite business unit designs and markets reception components for the worldwide DBS television market as well as a full line of consumer and commercial products for video and data reception. California Amplifier is an ISO 9001 certified company. For additional information, visit California Amplifier's web site at www.calamp.com.

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