

AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES INC  
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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 20549

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**FORM 10-QSB**

**Quarterly Report Under Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2003

Commission File No. 000-24575

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**AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES INC.**

(Exact name of small business issuer as specified in its charter)

Florida  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

59-3410234  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

6670 Spring Lake Road, Keystone Heights, Florida 32656

(Address of principal executive offices)

(352) 473-6673

(Issuer's telephone number)

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Check whether the Issuer (1) filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act during the past 12 months (or for such shorter period that the Issuer was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to the filing requirements for the past 90 days:  
YES  NO

The number of shares of AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES INC. Common Stock (Par Value \$0.001) outstanding at October 28, 2003 was 6,143,129.

Transitional Small Business Disclosure Format YES  NO

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## AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

Unaudited

	September 30, 2003	December 31, 2002
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<b><u>ASSETS</u></b>		
Current Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 219,075	\$ 503,336
Investment securities	409,174	400,227
Accounts receivable, net of allowance of \$72,000 and \$238,000, respectively	965,371	979,325
Stock subscription receivable	50,000	
Notes receivable, directors and stockholders, including accrued interest		193,711
Note receivable, other, net of allowance of \$361,562		
Inventories	996,294	975,669
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	41,977	82,866
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Total current assets	2,681,891	3,135,134
Property, Plant and Equipment	2,885,468	3,048,480
Intangible Assets	164,527	208,344
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Total assets	\$ 5,731,886	\$ 6,391,958
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<b><u>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</u></b>		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 328,412	\$ 135,572
Accrued expenses	178,144	81,102
Deferred revenue		154,400
Obligation resulting from product rights acquisition	9,448	100,000
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Total current liabilities	516,004	471,074
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Commitments, Contingencies, Other Matters and Subsequent Events		
Stockholders' Equity:		
Common stock, \$.001 par value; authorized 30,000,000 shares; issued and outstanding 6,133,129 and 5,843,612 shares, respectively	6,133	5,844
Additional paid-in capital	14,022,930	13,702,322
Deficit	(8,676,631)	(7,787,012)
Stock subscription receivable	(100,000)	
Deferred stock-based compensation	(36,550)	
Stock subscription receivable, net of allowance of approximately \$2,712,000		(270)
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Total stockholders' equity	5,215,882	5,920,884
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Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 5,731,886	\$ 6,391,958
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See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

## AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

Unaudited

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2003	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2002	Three Months Ended September 30, 2003	Three Months Ended September 30, 2002
<b>Net Sales</b>				
Zone cabling termination cabinet	\$ 1,421,672	\$ 1,318,607	\$ 431,664	\$ 513,740
Formed metal	2,647,815	2,275,160	948,079	727,641
	<u>4,069,487</u>	<u>3,593,767</u>	<u>1,379,743</u>	<u>1,241,381</u>
<b>Costs and Expenses:</b>				
Cost of sales	3,269,912	2,670,394	1,140,249	939,624
Selling, general, and administrative	690,984	1,035,704	195,802	415,394
Compensation and related benefits	1,033,596	831,168	279,234	266,870
Stock-based compensation	34,618	98,011	4,324	20,776
	<u>5,029,110</u>	<u>4,635,277</u>	<u>1,619,609</u>	<u>1,642,664</u>
Loss Before Other Income (Expense)	<u>(959,623)</u>	<u>(1,041,510)</u>	<u>(239,866)</u>	<u>(401,283)</u>
<b>Other Income (Expense):</b>				
Interest income	17,024	35,672	3,057	12,899
Other income	52,979	23,862	16,313	4,494
Realized and unrealized loss on investments		(51,728)		(50,274)
	<u>70,003</u>	<u>7,806</u>	<u>19,370</u>	<u>(32,881)</u>
Net Loss	<u>\$ (889,620)</u>	<u>\$ (1,033,704)</u>	<u>\$ (220,496)</u>	<u>\$ (434,164)</u>
Basic Net Loss Per Common Share	<u>\$ (.15)</u>	<u>\$ (.18)</u>	<u>\$ (.04)</u>	<u>\$ (.07)</u>

See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

## AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

Unaudited

	<u>Nine Months Ended</u> <u>September 30, 2003</u>	<u>Nine Months Ended</u> <u>September 30, 2002</u>
<b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities:</b>		
Net loss	\$ (889,620)	\$ (1,033,704)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	326,072	428,997
Warrants and stock issued for services	34,618	98,011
Compensation to directors and stockholders applied to notes receivable, directors and stockholders	155,000	
Realized and unrealized loss on investments		41,809
Loss on abandonment of leasehold equipment		14,433
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
(Increase) decrease in:		
Accounts receivable	13,954	55,649
Accrued interest receivable	38,711	(11,625)
Inventories	(20,625)	(14,114)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	40,889	(17,926)
Increase (decrease) in:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	289,881	(15,366)
Deferred revenue	(154,400)	
	<u>(165,520)</u>	<u>(453,836)</u>
<b>Cash Flows from Investing Activities:</b>		
Proceeds from sale of investments		1,501,665
Increase in investments	(8,947)	
Acquisition of property and equipment	(110,886)	(534,805)
Acquisition of product line		(50,000)
Decrease in other assets		11,355
Increase in patent costs	(8,356)	(5,953)
	<u>(128,189)</u>	<u>922,262</u>
<b>Cash Flows from Financing Activities:</b>		
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	100,000	
Payment on obligation resulting from product rights acquisition	(90,552)	
Acquisition of treasury stock		(25,101)
	<u>9,448</u>	<u>(25,101)</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(284,261)	443,325
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning	503,336	348,757
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Ending	\$ 219,075	\$ 792,082

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<b>Non-Cash Investing and Financing Activities:</b>		
Common stock obligation issued as partial consideration for product line acquisition	\$	\$ 500,000
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Accounts receivable exchanges as partial consideration for product line acquisition	\$	\$ 133,439
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Exchange of stock of subsidiary for iBid America, Inc. common stock	\$	\$ 40,931
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See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

## AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

September 30, 2003 Unaudited

**1. Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying unaudited consolidated condensed financial statements at September 30, 2003 have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States for interim financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-QSB and reflect all adjustments which, in the opinion of management, are necessary for a fair presentation of financial position as of September 30, 2003 and results of operations for nine and three months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002. All adjustments are of a normal recurring nature. The results of operations for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for a full year. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in the financial statements prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles have been condensed or omitted. The statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto for the year ended December 31, 2002 included in the Company's Form 10-KSB. Certain amounts in prior year financial statements have been reclassified for comparative purposes to conform with the presentation in the current year financial statements. Commencing with the first quarter 2003, certain amounts have been reclassified to cost of goods sold from selling, general and administrative costs and the comparable amounts have been reclassified to/from the prior year.

**2. Net Loss Per Common Share**

The Company follows Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 128, *Earnings per Share* which requires the presentation of both basic and diluted earnings (loss) per share.

Basic net loss per common share has been computed based upon the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the periods. Diluted loss per share has not been presented, as it would be anti-dilutive. The computation of net loss per share is reflected in the following schedule:

Computation of Net Loss Per Common Share	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2003	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2002	Three Months Ended September 30, 2003	Three Months Ended September 30, 2002
Net Income (Loss)	\$ (889,620)	\$ (1,033,704)	\$ (220,496)	\$ (434,164)
Total Weighted Average Number of Common Shares and Equivalents	5,949,064	5,860,012	6,088,129	5,848,612
Net Loss per Common Share	\$ (0.15)	\$ (0.18)	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.07)



### **3. Stock-Based Compensation**

#### **Common Stock**

The Company issued 45,000 shares of stock to an employee pursuant to an early retirement agreement in September 2003. The Company paid 2,500 shares of Company common stock on acceptance of the agreement and 42,500 shares of Company common stock in consideration of consulting services for the period October 14, 2003 through April 14, 2004. Stock-based compensation related to the 42,500 shares has been recorded as deferred compensation and is being amortized over the life of the service agreement.

#### **Stock Options and Warrants**

##### *Consultants*

There were no stock options or warrants issued or granted in the third quarter of 2003 to consultants.

The granting of stock options or warrants to consultants resulted in a charge to stock based compensation in the amount of \$2,174 in the third quarter 2003 representing the fair value of the 40,000 warrants issued in the third quarter of 2002, which are being amortized and expensed in 2002-2003 and 30,000 warrants issued in the fourth quarter of 2002, which are being amortized and expensed in 2002-2003 and 20,000 warrants issued in the first quarter of 2003, which are being amortized and expensed in 2003.

##### *Fair Value Disclosures*

##### *Employees/Officers/Directors*

There were 82,500 stock options with a strike price of \$1.25 granted in the third quarter of 2003 to new employees. In addition, on August 1, 2003, the Company's stockholders approved previous grants made by the Board of Directors to certain employees, officers and directors of the Company for a total of 1,470,000 stock options, thereby establishing a measurement date for the compensation calculation. No charge to earnings has been recorded in the accompanying financial statements as these options had \$0 intrinsic value.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2003, had the compensation cost for 82,500 stock options issued to employees in the third quarter 2003, the 650,000 stock options issued to officers/directors in the second quarter 2002 and the 820,000 stock options granted to employees/officers/directors in the third quarter 2002, been determined based on the fair value at

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the grant date consistent with SFAS No. 123, the Company's net loss and loss per share would have been as follows:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2003	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2002	Three Months Ended September 30, 2003	Three Months Ended September 30, 2002
<b>Net Loss:</b>				
As reported	\$ (889,620)	\$ (1,033,704)	\$ (220,496)	\$ (434,164)
Pro forma	\$ (1,121,997)	\$ (1,252,461)	\$ (295,798)	\$ (530,659)
<b>Loss Per Share:</b>				
<b>Basic:</b>				
As reported	\$ (0.15)	\$ (0.18)	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.07)
Pro forma	\$ (0.19)	\$ (0.21)	\$ (0.05)	\$ (0.09)

The Company used the Black-Scholes option pricing model to determine the fair value of grants made in the nine and three months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002, respectively. The following assumptions were applied in determining the pro forma compensation cost:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2003	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2002	Three Months Ended September 30, 2003	Three Months Ended September 30, 2002
RiskFree Interest Rate	4.99%	4.99-5.5%	4.99%	4.99-5.5%
Expected Dividend Yield				
Expected Option Life	.75-1.25 years	1.25-2.5 years	1.25 years	1.25-2.5 years
Expected Stock Price Volatility	88.5 - 131%	122-131%	88.5%	122-131%

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

The following discussion should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and notes thereto included elsewhere in this Form 10-QSB and our Form 10-KSB for

the year ended December 31, 2002. Historical results and percentage relationships set forth in the statement of operations, including trends that might appear, are not necessarily indicative of future operations.

#### Forward-Looking Statements

Except for historical and factual information, this document contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements include statements that address activities, events or developments that we expect, believe or anticipate will or may occur in the future, such as predictions of future financial performance. All forward-looking statements are based on assumptions made by us based on our experience and perception of historical trends, current conditions, expected future developments and other factors we believe are appropriate under the circumstances. These statements are subject to numerous risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our control, including our ability to maintain key products sales or effectively react to other risks described from time to time in our SEC filings. No forward-looking statement can be guaranteed, and actual results may differ materially from those projected. We undertake no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

#### **BUSINESS**

American Access Technologies, Inc. designs and manufactures patented zone cabling and wireless enclosures for the telecommunications industry, enabling businesses, universities, schools and government entities to Move, Add, and Change copper and fiber optic cabling to keep pace with advances in high-speed communications networks. Our ceiling and raised floor cabinets, our systems furniture panels, and our wireless solution can save up to 65% of the cost to reconfigure office and school data centers and networks by eliminating excessive wiring and rewiring in traditional home run arrangements.

The zone cabling enclosures house and distribute telecommunications wiring and cabling in buildings. We currently hold a number of patents for these enclosures that may be installed above the ceiling, on or in the wall or in the floor structure. The ceiling unit fits into the suspended ceiling, providing easy access to the brain of the telecommunications system. The floor unit provides the same solution in a floor installation. We also designed a system that provides the same solution in modular office furniture and in 2002 we developed our wall mount solution.

Our wholly-owned subsidiary, Omega Metals, Inc., which has been in business over 20 years, is a precision sheet metal fabrication operation. Omega continues to manufacture our zone cabling enclosures along with other metal fabricating jobs, ensuring quality and cost control. We shear, mold, punch, stamp, design and manufacture metal-formed products for customers. In addition, we have extensive powder coat capability at our facility.

We have entered into private labeling agreements with several top manufacturers in the communications industry, for which we design products to their specifications, serving as an Original Equipment Manufacturer, or private label our standard and modified products to suit these customers' needs. Our wireless solution, added to our product line in 2001, continues to generate great interest in the commercial marketplace.

On May 9, 2003, we announced a marketing and manufacturing agreement with Chatsworth Products Inc. (CPI). The agreement established a five-year strategic alliance for the sale and manufacture of innovative Zone Cabling and Wireless products developed by American Access Technologies. Under the terms of the agreement, AATK and CPI will co-market and co-manufacture the products and incorporate the brand names and patents of both companies. In connection with the alliance, CPI agreed to purchase 215,517 shares of American Access Common Stock in a private placement at \$1.16 per share.

Our shared vision of quality products and excellence in customer service made the decision to enter into the alliance a simple matter. This transaction underscores our commitment to zone cabling and wireless products as well as our belief that they will continue to achieve superior growth as word of their benefits in telecommunications environments gains momentum. The products will now be marketed by CPI's national sales network and our existing AATK sales and marketing staff. This will increase the level of visibility for the products within the industry as well as among our customers.

The Company is a member of the Telecommunications Industry Association, and we have committed to working on its subcommittees that study zone cabling solutions. The TIA sets telecommunications industry standards.

## **CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

We have adopted various accounting policies that govern the application of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America in the preparation of our financial statements. Our significant accounting policies are described in the footnotes to the consolidated financial statements at December 31, 2002. Certain accounting policies involve significant judgments and assumptions by us which have a material impact on the carrying value of certain assets and liabilities. We do not have off-balance sheet arrangements, financings, or other relationships with unconsolidated entities or other persons, also known as special purpose entities (SPEs).

### ***Revenue Recognition***

The Company recognizes revenue from product sales at the time the product is shipped to the customer.

*Use of Estimates*

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Although these estimates are based on management's knowledge of current events and actions it may undertake in the future, they may ultimately differ from actual results. Those estimates subject to potential change in the near term include allowances for doubtful accounts and notes receivable. Based on our historical collection experience, we currently feel our allowance for doubtful accounts is adequate.

*Stock-Based Compensation*

Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123, *Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation* ( SFAS No. 123 ), encourages, but does not require companies to record stock-based compensation plans using a fair value based method for grants to employees and directors. The Company has chosen to continue to account for stock-based compensation, granted to employees and directors, using the intrinsic value based method prescribed in Accounting Principles Board Opinion No. 25, *Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees*. Accordingly, compensation cost for stock options granted to employees and directors is measured as the excess, if any, of the quoted market price of the Company's common stock at the date of the grant over the amount an employee must pay to acquire the stock. Grants of stock-based compensation to non-employees are accounted for following SFAS No. 123 utilizing the fair value method. SFAS No. 123 requires that fair value of the investment granted be measured, which the company does using an option pricing model.

**THE NINE MONTHS AND THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2003 COMPARED WITH THE NINE MONTHS AND THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2002**

**REVENUES**

This overall increase in revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 is the result of a continued strengthening of the economy, increasing sales in formed metal products and an increasing acceptance of our patented zone cabling enclosures. We recognize that our zone cabling and wireless products have a longer sales cycle that depends on our products being incorporated into a larger project. Therefore, quarterly sales of these products are not always consistent. We anticipate that subsequent quarters will see positive results from the relationships that our AATK sales efforts have nurtured with Original Equipment Manufacturers ( OEM ) and the newly formed relationships that are being established by the CPI sales force for these products.

	Nine Months Ended			Three Months Ended		
	September 30,			September 30,		
	2003	2002	% change	2003	2002	% change
Zone cabling	\$ 1,421,672	\$ 1,318,607	7.8%	\$ 431,664	\$ 513,740	-16.0%
Formed metal	\$ 2,647,815	\$ 2,275,160	16.4%	\$ 948,079	\$ 727,641	30.3%
Total	\$ 4,069,487	\$ 3,593,767	13.2%	\$ 1,379,743	\$ 1,241,381	11.2%

## COSTS AND EXPENSES

Direct costs represent costs incurred by the Company to have its products manufactured and assembled. These costs represent 82.6% of revenues for the three months ended September 30, 2003 and 75.7% of revenues for the three months ended September 30, 2002. Direct costs represent 80.4% of revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 and 74.3 % of revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 2002. The overall increase in direct costs are related to the mix of products during the period. We fully expect to produce more products with better margins in the future. The increase for the three months ended September 30, 2003 over the same period last year was due primarily to an increase in materials and contract services (approximately \$45,000), direct labor (approximately \$92,000), utilities (approximately \$15,000) and shop supplies and small tools (approximately \$36,000). The increase for the first nine months ended September 30, 2003 over the same period last year was due primarily to an increase in materials and contract services (approximately \$146,000), direct labor (approximately \$250,000), utilities (approximately \$43,000) and shop supplies and small tools (approximately \$125,000).

Certain amounts in prior year financial statements have been reclassified for comparative purposes to conform to the presentation in the current year financial statements. Commencing with the first quarter 2003, certain amounts have been reclassified to cost of goods sold from selling, general and administrative costs and the comparable amounts have been reclassified to/from the prior year.

	Nine Months Ended			Three Months Ended		
	September 30,			September 30,		
	2003	2002	% change	2003	2002	% change
Cost of sales	\$ 3,269,912	\$ 2,670,394	22.5%	\$ 1,140,249	\$ 939,624	21.4%

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All other expenses for the third quarter 2003 decreased by 31.8% and decreased 10.5% for the nine months ended September 30, 2003.

The decrease in selling, general and administrative expenses for the three months ended September 30, 2003 is primarily the result of the reduction in the bad debt expense (approximately \$118,000), the partial recovery of a bad debt (\$52,000) and the decrease in amortization costs that are attributable to the reduction of the acquisition costs of the ultraviolet light products rights (approximately \$41,000). For the nine months ended September 30, 2003 selling, general and administrative decreased due to the amortization cost reduction (\$113,000), the reduction in the bad debt expense (approximately \$106,000), the partial recovery of a bad debt (\$52,000), the rental elimination (approximately \$100,000) partially offset by increase in freight (approximately \$27,000).

The increase in compensation and related benefits for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 was the result of a one-time decision by the Board to treat the outstanding loans and interest to the two officers as compensation. The total amounts were approximately \$110,260 and \$91,200, respectively, of which \$155,000 was principal and \$46,460 was interest, collectively.

We have decreased stock-based compensation by granting less warrants/options to outside consultants during this period.

	Nine Months Ended			Three Months Ended		
	September 30,			September 30,		
	2003	2002	% change	2003	2002	% change
Selling, General & Administrative	\$ 690,984	\$ 1,035,704	-33.3%	\$ 195,802	\$ 415,394	-52.9%
Compensation & related benefits	\$ 1,033,596	\$ 831,168	24.4%	\$ 279,234	\$ 266,870	4.6%
Stock based compensation	\$ 34,618	\$ 98,011	-64.7%	\$ 4,324	\$ 20,776	-79.2%
	\$ 1,759,198	\$ 1,964,883	-10.5%	\$ 479,360	\$ 703,040	-31.8%

The decrease in net loss for both the three and nine month period is primarily due to the increase in Sales and the decrease in Selling, General & Administrative expenses as noted above.

	Nine Months Ended			Three Months Ended		
	September 30,			September 30,		
	2003	2002	% change	2003	2002	% change
Loss before other income	(\$ 959,623)	(\$ 1,041,510)	-7.9%	(\$ 239,866)	(\$ 401,283)	-40.2%
Net loss	(\$ 889,620)	(\$ 1,033,704)	-13.9%	(\$ 220,496)	(\$ 434,164)	-49.2%

### LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

The Company's operating activities utilized cash of \$165,520 and \$453,836 during the nine months ended September 30, 2003 and September 30, 2002, respectively. Net cash used by operating activities during the nine months ended September 30, 2003 consisted primarily of net losses, an increase in inventory and a decrease in deferred revenue offset by depreciation and amortization, warrants and stock issued for services, compensation to directors and stockholders applied to notes receivable, decreases in accounts receivable and interest receivable, a decrease in prepaid expenses and other current assets and an increase in accounts payable and accrued expenses. Net cash used by operating activities during the nine months ended September 30, 2002 consisted primarily of net losses, increases in accrued interest receivable, inventories, prepaid expenses and other current assets, and a decrease in accounts payable, offset by depreciation and amortization, warrants and stock issued for services, realized and unrealized loss on investments, loss on abandonment of leasehold equipment and a decrease in accounts receivable.

Net cash used from investing activities for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 was \$128,189. The company increased investments by \$8,947, patent costs by \$8,356 and purchased assets for \$110,886. For the nine months ended September 30, 2002 net cash provided by investing activities was \$922,262. Monies were received from the sale of investments, which was partially used to purchase assets.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2003 the net cash provided from financing activities was \$9,448. The company received \$100,000 from the sale of stock and paid \$90,552 for a product rights acquisition liability. For the nine months ended September 30, 2002 net cash used was \$25,101 for treasury stock acquisition.

We believe that we can acquire additional working capital, if required, through the sale of additional securities, including the potential exercise of outstanding options and warrants, a



private placement, or borrowings, including bank borrowing and private equity lines. Since our 67,500 sq. ft. plant is unencumbered, we also have the potential to mortgage it to raise capital.

Management's plans include the following:

The increase in sales in the third quarter over the second quarter 2003 marks the fourth time in the last five quarters where our sales have demonstrated growth over the previous quarter. Our 9-month 2003 sales of over \$4,000,000 keep the Company on a sales pace ahead of the prior 5 years, which would establish 2003 as our best sales year ever. We are pleased that our sales have grown this year throughout a difficult economic environment.

We believe it is important to maintain an infrastructure in our plants that will enable us to rapidly respond to substantial increases in our sales. In the third quarter of 2003, we began the process required to achieve ISO 9000 certification at our Keystone Heights facility. ISO 9000 is an international quality standard that recognizes a company's capability for reliable delivery of high quality products and services.

Our management focus has remained steadfast throughout 2003. We believe the proactive initiatives we have put in place will enable us to compete effectively during these challenging market conditions, and gain a stronger financial position going forward. Our strategic plan continues to focus our efforts to increase our revenues, control our expenses and continue our march to profitability.

Our sales initiatives include enhancing our service levels to our customers by reducing our lead times, focusing our efforts in research and development of new products and refining our current ones and continuing to look for growth opportunities on a worldwide basis with our partners.

Building strong sales requires a solid foundation, and we consider our agreement with Chatsworth Products, Inc. (CPI) to be an extension of our strategy of which began with our private label partnerships and line up of national distributors. We continue our expectation to benefit in the future from an expanding economy and positive results from our alliance with CPI that was announced in May 2003.

## **RISK FACTORS**

The Company continues to be subject to a number of risk factors, including the fluctuations in demand for its product line due to economic conditions, the need for additional funds, competition, technological obsolescence and the difficulties faced by young companies in general.

An additional risk factor is the Company's ability to maintain its Nasdaq listing. On September 24, 2003, staff of the NASD notified the Company that the bid price of its common stock had

closed at less than \$1.00 per share over the previous 30 consecutive trading days, and, as a result, did not comply with Marketplace Rule 4310(c)(4) (the Rule ). Therefore, in accordance with Marketplace Rule 4310(c)(8)(D), the Company was provided 180 calendar days, or until March 24, 2004, to regain compliance with the Rule.

If compliance with this Rule cannot be demonstrated by March 24, 2004, and the Company continues to meet the initial listing requirements for the Nasdaq SmallCap Market under Marketplace Rule 4310(c)(2)(A), specifically, if the Company meets the \$5 million stockholders equity requirement, the Company will be provided an additional 180 calendar days to regain compliance. Further, if the Company has not been deemed in compliance with the second 180 day compliance period, it may be afforded an additional 90 day compliance period.

If at any time before March 24, 2004, the bid price of the Company s common stock closes at \$1.00 per share or more for a minimum of 10 consecutive trading days, staff of the NASD will provide written notification that the Company complies with the Rule.

## **PART II. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS**

We are involved in legal proceedings of various types in the ordinary course of business. While any such litigation to which we are a party contains an element of uncertainty, we presently believe that the outcome of each such proceeding or claim which is pending or known to be threatened, or all of them combined, will not have a material adverse effect on our consolidated financial position or results of operations.

### **ITEM 3. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES**

(a) Under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, we conducted an evaluation of our disclosure controls and procedures, as such term is defined under Rule 13a-14(c) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the *Exchange Act* ), as of September 30, 2003. Based on their evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer concluded that the Company s disclosure controls and procedures are effective.

(b) There have been no significant changes (including corrective actions with regard to significant deficiencies or material weaknesses) in our internal controls or in other factors that could significantly affect these controls subsequent to the date of the evaluation referenced in paragraph (a) above.

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

(a) Exhibits:

- 31 Section 302 Certifications of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer
- 32.1 Section 1350 Certification of the Chief Executive Officer
- 32.2 Section 1350 Certification of the Chief Financial Officer

(b) Reports on Form 8-k:

The following reports on Form 8-K were filed during the quarterly period ended September 30, 2003.

July 14, 2003	Press release announcing Sales for the Quarter ended June 30, 2003.
August 11, 2003	Press release announcing Financial Results for the Quarter ended June 30, 2003.

**SIGNATURES**

In accordance with the requirements of the Exchange Act, the registrant caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 30, 2003

AMERICAN ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By:                      /s/ JOHN E. PRESLEY

**John E. Presley**

**President & Chief Executive Officer**

By:                      /s/ JOSEPH F. MCGUIRE

**Joseph F. McGuire**  
**Chief Financial Officer**

**Treasurer & Secretary**