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Form 6-K
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a - 16 or 15d -16
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Month of August 2003

B.O.S. BETTER ON-LINE SOLUTIONS, LTD.
(Translation of Registrant's Name into English)

100 BOS ROAD, TERADION 20179, ISRAEL
(Address of Principal Corporate Offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F / Form 40-F /

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes / No /

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): N/A

1. The Registrant has received notice from the Nasdaq Stock Market indicating that for 30 consecutive trading days the Registrant's ordinary shares have not maintained a minimum market value of publicly held shares of \$5,000,000 as required for continued inclusion on the Nasdaq National Market under Marketplace Rule 4450(a)(2), and will be provided until November 26, 2003 to regain compliance. Should the Registrant not regain compliance, the Registrant's securities may be delisted from the Nasdaq National Market, and the Registrant may be eligible to transfer its securities to the Nasdaq SmallCap Market.
2. Attached hereto and incorporated by reference is the following Registrant's press release:

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B.O.S. Better On-line Solutions Ltd. Announces Financial Results of Operations for the Second Quarter of 2003; Dated August 21, 2003.

Signature

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.

B.O.S. Better On-Line Solutions, Ltd.
(Registrant)

By: /S/ ISRAEL GAL

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President and CEO

Dated: September 1, 2003

B.O.S. - BETTER ON-LINE SOLUTIONS LTD.

B.O.S. BETTER ON-LINE SOLUTIONS LTD. ANNOUNCES FINANCIAL RESULTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF 2003

TERADYON, ISRAEL - August 21, 2003 - B.O.S. Better On-line Solutions Ltd. (the "Company" or "BOS") (NASDAQ: BOSC, TASE:BOS) announced today its financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2003.

Revenues for the second quarter of 2003 were \$1.49 million, higher by 5% than the first quarter of 2003 and lower than the second quarter of 2002 by 44%.

Net loss for the second quarter of 2003 from continuing segments was \$969,000 (or \$0.25 per share), compared to a net profit of \$272,000 (or \$0.09 per share) for the second quarter of 2002.

Total cash and investments were \$6.76 million as of June 30, 2003.

The Company reported a \$267,000 in restructuring costs, derived from closing non profitable sales offices as per its cost reduction plan.

As of January 1, 2003 the Company has been preparing consolidated financial statements in accordance with United States Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("U.S. GAAP").

Gross profit margin for the second quarter of 2003 was 69%, compared to 68% for the first quarter of 2003 and 75% for the second quarter of 2002. The software vs. hardware sales breakdown within the Company's Legacy products line was distributed differently this year, with more of the sales being generated from the lower-profit margin hardware products than in previous years. As a result, there was a decrease in the gross margin percentage, compared to 2002.

Operating expenses for the second quarter of 2003, excluding restructuring

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costs, totaled \$1.79 million, compared to \$1.90 million during the first quarter of 2003. Additionally, the Company recognized \$267,000 in closure costs derived from closing non profitable sales offices around the world according to its cost reduction plan, so that total operating expenses for the second quarter of 2003 totaled \$2.06 million.

Net loss from continuing operations for the second quarter of 2003 totaled \$969,000, compared to net loss of \$949,000 for the first quarter of 2003.

ISRAEL (IZZY) GAL, B.O.S.' CEO STATED:

"During the second quarter the Company continued to reduce costs by closing non-profitable operations, adjusting salaries, and reducing the total number of employees.

In order to compensate for the slower-than-expected ramp-up of sales for the new product line, the Company has adjusted its expenses and intends to reach profitability towards the end of the current year.

Based on market acceptance to date, BOS' management is optimistic about the future of the BOSaNOVA Claro product line. We know that we have an excellent concept, manifested in a proven product, with a reasonable probability for business success".

SECOND QUARTER 2003 - DISCONTINUING SEGMENT

During the fourth quarter of 2002, based on the poor economic climate and upon its severe financial situation, the Company initiated a plan to cease the operations of its wholly owned U.S. subsidiary, Pacific Information Systems, Inc. ("Pacinfo") and is trying to reach an arrangement with Pacinfo's creditors. As a result, the financial statements of the Company disclose the financial information related to the Pacinfo in accordance with accounting standards for "discontinued operations".

The net income from the discontinuing segment for the second quarter of 2003 was \$165,000 (or \$0.04 per share) compared to net income of \$1.51 million in the first quarter of 2003 (or \$0.48 per share), and a net loss of \$316,000 for the second quarter of 2002 (or \$0.1 per share).

Net loss from continuing and discontinuing operations for the second quarter of 2003 was \$804,000 (or \$0.21 per share) compared to net income of \$558,000 in the first quarter of 2003 (or \$0.16 per share) and a net loss of 44,000 (or \$0.01 per share) for the second quarter of 2002.

ABOUT B.O.S.

Through its wholly owned subsidiary, BOScom, the Company develops, produces and markets multi-functional, cross-enterprise communication and networking products. Marketed under the BOSaNOVA brand, these products are renowned for their simplicity of use, quality, and reliability.

The IP Telephony line (www.boscom.com) offers innovative convergence migration solutions that leverage a corporation's existing equipment infrastructure.

The legacy line (www.bosweb.com) provides solutions for IBM midrange-to-PC and

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LAN connectivity and GUI emulation, and printing solutions that are operating system-independent.

B.O.S. (www.boscorporate.com) was established in 1990 and became a public company traded on the Nasdaq National Market in 1996 (Nasdaq:BOSC), and on the Tel Aviv Stock Market in 2002 (TASE:BOS).

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THE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS CONTAINED HEREIN REFLECT MANAGEMENT'S CURRENT VIEWS WITH RESPECT TO FUTURE EVENTS AND FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE. THESE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CERTAIN RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES THAT COULD CAUSE THE ACTUAL RESULTS TO DIFFER MATERIALLY FROM THOSE IN THE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS, ALL OF WHICH ARE DIFFICULT TO PREDICT AND MANY OF WHICH ARE BEYOND THE CONTROL OF BOS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THOSE RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES DETAILED IN BOS' PERIODIC REPORTS AND REGISTRATION STATEMENTS FILED WITH THE U.S. SECURITIES EXCHANGE COMMISSION.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

U.S. DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE AND PER SHARE DATA

	JUNE 30	
	2003	2002
	UNAUDITED	
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,650	\$ 1,195
Restricted cash	-	-
Short-term bank deposits	-	5,007
Short-term marketable securities	614	-
Trade receivables	981	1,853
Other accounts receivable and prepaid expenses	327	444
Inventories	1,171	461
	6,743	8,960
LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS:		
Long term marketable securities	2,497	2,879
Long term prepaid expenses	15	17
Severance pay funds	684	507
Other investment	3,952	2,042
	7,991	5,445

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TOTAL LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS	7,148	5,445
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PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET	821	1,188
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OTHER ASSETS, NET	741	737
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ASSETS RELATED TO DISCONTINUING SEGMENT	117	7,262
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 15,570	\$ 23,592
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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Trade payables	\$ 957	\$ 997
Accrued and other liabilities	2,425	2,711
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TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	3,382	3,708
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ACCRUED SEVERANCE PAY	932	740
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LIABILITIES RELATED TO DISCONTINUING SEGMENT	1,170	7,386
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SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY:		
Share capital	4,227	3,632
Additional paid-in capital	42,162	41,037
Deferred stock compensation	80	59
Accumulated deficit	(36,383)	(32,970)
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TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	10,086	11,758
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$ 15,570	\$ 23,592
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

U.S. DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE AND PER SHARE DATA

	THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30,		SIX MONTH JUNE	
	----- 2003 ----	----- 2002 ----	----- 2003 ----	----- 2003 ----
Revenues	\$ 1,487	\$ 2,640	\$ 2,897	\$

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Cost of revenues	464	667	918	
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Gross profit	1,023	1,973	1,979	
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Operating expenses:				
Research and development, net	656	493	1,263	
Selling and marketing	843	938	1,725	
General and administrative	294	468	705	
Restructuring and related costs	267	-	267	
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Total operating expenses	2,060	1,899	3,960	
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Operating loss	(1,037)	74	(1,981)	
Financial income)expenses(, net	18	198	13	
Other income (expenses)	50	-	50	
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Net loss from continuing segments	(969)	272	(1,918)	
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Net income (loss) related to discontinuing segment	165	(316)	1,672	
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Net income (loss)	\$ (804)	\$ (44)	\$ (246)	\$
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Basic and diluted net earning (loss) per share from continuing segment	\$ (0.25)	\$ 0.09	\$ (0.55)	\$
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Basic and diluted net earnings (loss) per share from discontinuing segment	\$ 0.04	\$ (0.1)	\$ 0.48	\$
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Basic and diluted net earnings (loss) per share	\$ (0.21)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.07)	\$
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Weighted average number of shares used in computing basic and diluted loss per share	3,804,156	3,100,631	3,488,019	
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