#### **Dolby Laboratories Reports Third Quarter Fiscal 2018 Financial Results**

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Dolby Laboratories, Inc. (NYSE:DLB) today announced the Company's financial results for the third quarter (Q3) of fiscal 2018. For the third quarter, Dolby reported total revenue of \$317.4 million, compared to \$305.7 million for the third quarter of fiscal 2017.

"We continue to see progress on several fronts," said Kevin Yeaman, President and CEO, Dolby Laboratories. "Apple adopted Dolby Atmos into Apple TV 4K while Microsoft announced Dolby Vision support for Xbox One. We also now have partners that will be launching Dolby Cinema sites for the first time in England, Germany and Kuwait."

Third quarter GAAP net income was \$83.1 million, or \$0.78 per diluted share, compared to net income of \$76.0 million, or \$0.73 per diluted share, for the third quarter of fiscal 2017. On a non-GAAP basis, third quarter net income was \$98.9 million, or \$0.92 per diluted share, compared to \$89.2 million, or \$0.86 per diluted share, for the third quarter of fiscal 2017. Dolby's non-GAAP measures are described and reconciled to the corresponding GAAP measures at the end of this release.

#### Dividend

Today, Dolby announced a cash dividend of \$0.16 per share of Class A and Class B common stock, payable on August 14, 2018, to stockholders of record as of the close of business on August 6, 2018.

#### **Stock Repurchase Program**

Today, Dolby also announced that its Board of Directors has approved increasing the size of its stock repurchase program by \$350 million, bringing the amount available for future repurchases of the Company's Class A Common Stock to approximately \$412 million. Stock repurchases under this program may be made through open market transactions, negotiated purchases, or otherwise, at times and in such amounts as the Company considers appropriate.

#### **Financial Outlook**

#### O4 Fiscal 2018

Dolby is providing the following estimates for its fourth quarter (Q4) of fiscal 2018:

- Total revenue will range from \$265 million to \$275 million
- · Gross margin percentages will be approximately 86 percent on a GAAP basis and approximately 87 percent on a non-GAAP basis
- Operating expenses will be between \$195 million and \$199 million on a GAAP basis and between \$176 million and \$180 million on a non-GAAP basis
- Diluted earnings per share will be between \$0.25 and \$0.31 on a GAAP basis and between \$0.40 and \$0.46 on a non-GAAP basis
- Effective tax rate will be between 20 percent and 23 percent on both a GAAP and non-GAAP basis

#### Fiscal Year 2018

Dolby is providing the following estimates for its fiscal 2018:

- Total revenue will range from \$1.17 billion to \$1.18 billion
- Gross margin percentages will be approximately 88 percent on a GAAP basis and approximately 89 percent on a non-GAAP basis
- Operating expenses will range from \$744 million to \$748 million on a GAAP basis and from \$670 million to \$674 million on a non-GAAP basis
- The full year tax rate on a GAAP basis will be approximately 67 percent and approximately 20 percent on a non-GAAP basis

#### **Conference Call Information**

Members of Dolby management will lead a conference call open to all interested parties to discuss Q3 fiscal 2018 financial results for Dolby Laboratories at 2:00 p.m. PT (5:00 p.m. ET) on Wednesday, July 25, 2018. Access to the teleconference will be available over the Internet from http://investor.dolby.com/events.cfm or by dialing 1-866-548-4713. International callers can access the conference call at 1-323-794-2093.

A replay of the call will be available from 5:00 p.m. PT on Wednesday, July 25, 2018, until 9:00 p.m. PT on Wednesday, August 1, 2018, by dialing 1-844-512-2921 (international callers can access the replay by dialing 1-412-317-6671) and entering the confirmation code 1349902. An archived version of the teleconference will also be available on the Dolby Laboratories website, http://investor.dolby.com/events.cfm.

#### **Non-GAAP Financial Information**

To supplement Dolby's financial statements presented on a GAAP basis, Dolby provides certain non-GAAP financial measures to provide investors with an additional tool to evaluate Dolby's operating results in a manner that focuses on what Dolby's management believes to be its ongoing business operations. Specifically, we exclude the following as adjustments from one or more of our non-GAAP financial measures:

Stock-based compensation expense: Stock-based compensation, unlike cash-based compensation, utilizes subjective and complex assumptions in the methodologies used to value the various stock-based award types that we grant. These assumptions may differ from those used by other companies. To facilitate more meaningful comparisons between our underlying operating results and those of other companies, we exclude stock-based compensation expense.

Amortization of acquisition-related intangibles: We amortize intangible assets acquired in connection with acquisitions. These intangible assets consist of patents and technology, customer relationships, and other intangibles. We record amortization charges relating to these intangible assets in our GAAP financial statements, and we view these charges as items arising from pre-acquisition activities that are determined by the timing and valuation of our acquisitions. As these amortization charges do not directly correlate to our operations during any particular period, and often remain unchanged between reporting periods, we exclude these charges to facilitate an evaluation of our current operating results and comparisons to our past operating performance.

Restructuring charges: Restructuring charges are costs associated with a formal restructuring plan and primarily relate to employee severance benefits and asset impairments. We exclude restructuring costs, including any adjustments to charges recorded in prior periods, as we believe that these costs are not representative of our normal operating activities and therefore, excluding these amounts enables a more effective comparison to our past operating performance.

*Income tax adjustments*: We believe that excluding the income tax effect of the aforementioned non-GAAP adjustments provides a more accurate view of our underlying operating results to management and investors.

Impact from U.S Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (Tax Reform): The enactment of Tax Reform requires estimates based on Dolby's current understanding of the new tax laws. These charges are the result of a discrete and infrequent event that are not representative of current operating results and therefore, excluding these amounts enables a more effective comparison to our past operating performance.

Using the aforementioned adjustments, Dolby provides various non-GAAP financial measures including, but not limited to: non-GAAP net income, non-GAAP diluted earnings per share, non-GAAP gross margin, non-GAAP operating expenses, non-GAAP operating margin, and non-GAAP effective tax rate. Dolby's management believes it is useful for itself and investors to review both GAAP and non-GAAP measures to assess the performance of Dolby's business. Dolby's management does not itself, nor does it suggest that investors should, consider non-GAAP financial measures in isolation from, or as a substitute for, financial information prepared in accordance with GAAP. Whenever Dolby uses non-GAAP financial measures, it provides a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures to the most closely applicable GAAP financial measures. Investors are encouraged to review the related GAAP financial measures and the reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable GAAP financial measures as detailed above. Investors are also encouraged to review Dolby's GAAP financial statements as reported in its US Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) filings. A reconciliation between GAAP and non-GAAP financial measures is provided at the end of this press release and on the Dolby Laboratories investor relations website, http://investor.dolby.com.

#### Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements in this press release, including, but not limited to, statements relating to Dolby's expected financial results for Q4 fiscal 2018 and fiscal 2018, our ability to advance our long-term objectives and future dividend payments are "forward-looking statements" that are subject to risks and uncertainties. These forward-looking statements are based on management's current expectations, and as a result of certain risks and uncertainties, actual results may differ materially from those projected. The following important factors, without limitation, could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements: risks associated with trends in the markets in which Dolby operates. including the Broadcast, PC, Consumer Electronics, Mobile, Cinema, and Other Markets; the loss of, or reduction in sales by, a key customer or licensee; pricing pressures; risks associated with the rate at which OEMs include optical disc playback in Windows® devices and the rate of consumer adoption of Windows operating systems; risks that a shift from disc-based media to online media content could result in fewer devices with Dolby® technologies; risks associated with the effects of macroeconomic conditions, including trends in consumer spending; risks relating to the expiration of patents; the timing of Dolby's receipt of royalty reports and payments from its licensees, including back payments; the impact of Tax Reform; the impact of changes in revenue recognition standards; timing of revenue recognition under licensing agreements and other contractual arrangements; Dolby's ability to develop, maintain, and strengthen relationships with industry participants; Dolby's ability to develop and deliver innovative technologies in response to new and growing markets; competitive risks; risks associated with conducting business in China and other countries that have historically limited recognition and enforcement of intellectual property and contractual rights; risks associated with the health of the motion picture industry generally, Dolby's ability to increase its revenue streams and to expand its business generally, and to expand its business beyond audio technologies to other technologies; risks associated with acquiring and successfully integrating businesses or technologies; and other risks detailed in Dolby's SEC filings and reports, including the risks identified under the section captioned "Risk Factors" in its most recent annual report on Form 10-K. Dolby disclaims any obligation to update information contained in these forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

#### **About Dolby Laboratories**

Dolby Laboratories (NYSE:DLB) is based in San Francisco with offices in over 20 countries around the globe. Dolby transforms the science of sight and sound into spectacular experiences. Through innovative research and engineering, we create breakthrough experiences for billions of people worldwide through a collaborative ecosystem spanning artists, businesses, and consumers. The experiences people have - in Dolby Vision, Dolby Atmos, Dolby Cinema, Dolby Voice, and Dolby Audio - revolutionize entertainment and communications at the cinema, on the go, in the home, and at work.

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# DOLBY LABORATORIES, INC. INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (in thousands, except per share amounts; unaudited)

		Fiscal Quarter Ended			Fiscal Year-To-Date Ended		
		June 29, 2018	June 30, 2017		June 29, 2018	June 30, 2017	
Revenue:							
Licensing	\$	286,325	\$ 278,106	\$	817,484 \$	752,422	
Products		26,265	22,569		73,863	71,493	
Services	_	4,857	4,990		15,252	15,491	
Total revenue	_	317,447	305,665		906,599	839,406	
Cost of revenue:							
Cost of licensing		12,111	12,711		31,980	29,628	
Cost of products		17,213	14,910		49,851	46,618	
Cost of services		5,141	4,504		14,469	12,823	
Total cost of revenue		34,465	32,125		96,300	89,069	
Gross margin	_	282,982	273,540		810,299	750,337	
Operating expenses:							
Research and development		60,357	59,631		176,294	175,490	
Sales and marketing		79,834	73,480		224,002	220,275	
General and administrative		48,081	44,497		147,113	129,290	
Restructuring credits	_	(82)			(446)		
Total operating expenses	_	188,190	177,608		546,963	525,055	
Operating income	_	94,792	95,932	_	263,336	225,282	
Other income/expense:							
Interest income		5,488	2,511		13,161	6,511	
Interest expense		(87)	(31)		(151)	(94)	
Other income/(expense), net		(3,603)	(2,109)		(5,439)	(1,546)	
Total other income		1,798	371		7,571	4,871	
Income before income taxes		96,590	96,303		270,907	230,153	
Provision for income taxes		(13,302)	(20,117)		(198,332)	(49,666)	
Net income including controlling interest		83,288	76,186		72,575	180,487	
Less: net (income) attributable to controlling interest		(143)	(143)		(421)	(480)	
Net income attributable to Dolby Laboratories, Inc.	\$	83,145	\$ 76,043	\$	72,154 \$	180,007	
Net income per share:							
Basic	\$	0.80	\$ 0.75	\$	0.70 \$	1.77	
Diluted	\$	0.78	\$ 0.73	\$	0.67 \$	1.73	
Weighted-average shares outstanding:							
Basic		103,836	101,905		103,386	101,725	
Diluted		106,950	104,222		106,943	103,986	

# DOLBY LABORATORIES, INC. INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in thousands; unaudited)

	June 29, 2018		September 29, 2017
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 829,6	21 \$	627,017
Restricted cash	7,8	42	7,351
Short-term investments	195,2	84	247,757
Accounts receivable, net	149,5	82	73,750
Inventories	23,9	32	25,051
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	32,6	72	30,508
Total current assets	1,238,9	33	1,011,434
Long-term investments	243,1	79	314,364
Property, plant and equipment, net	502,0	41	485,275
Intangible assets, net	185,1	40	189,648
Goodwill	314,3	17	311,087
Deferred taxes	143,9	49	190,915
Other non-current assets	42,2	60	30,831
Total assets	\$ 2,669,8	19 \$	2,533,554
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable		70 \$	14,373
Accrued liabilities	197,0		207,034
Income taxes payable	4,8		1,216
Deferred revenue	21,4	36	23,150
Total current liabilities	240,3		245,773
Long-term deferred revenue	37,7	75	36,425
Other non-current liabilities	203,8	13	107,514
Total liabilities	481,9	000	389,712
Stockholders' equity:			
Class A common stock		60	58
Class B common stock		43	43
Additional paid-in capital	89,0		61,331
Retained earnings	2,105,6	21	2,083,063
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss)	(13,3	01)	(7,753)
Total stockholders' equity - Dolby Laboratories, Inc.	2,181,5	00	2,136,742
Controlling interest	6,4		7,100
Total stockholders' equity	2,187,9	19	2,143,842
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 2,669,8	19 \$	2,533,554

### DOLBY LABORATORIES, INC. INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(in thousands; unaudited)

	Fiscal Year-To-D	ate Ended
	June 29, 2018	June 30, 2017
Operating activities:		
Net income including controlling interest	\$ 72,575 \$	180,487
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	61,398	64,543
Stock-based compensation	53,476	48,940
Amortization of premium on investments	2,046	2,077
Provision for doubtful accounts	2,653	1,167
Deferred income taxes	47,145	(11,446)
Other non-cash items affecting net income	5,147	2,547
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Accounts receivable	(78,480)	(7,576)
Inventories	(508)	(6,840)
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(13,719)	(10,657)
Accounts payable and other liabilities	(12,781)	14,877
Income taxes, net	102,422	19,033
Deferred revenue	(366)	(560)
Other non-current liabilities	(537)	773
Net cash provided by operating activities	 240,471	297,365
Investing activities:		
Purchases of investment securities	(151,585)	(204,447)
Proceeds from sales of investment securities	72,090	36,579
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Purchases of PP&E	(54,869)	(81,668)
Payments for business acquisitions, net of cash acquired	(6,563)	
Purchase of intangible assets	(12,543)	(5,250)
Change in restricted cash	(491)	(2,542)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	 40,077	(131,129)
Financing activities:		
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	85,941	47,765
Repurchase of common stock	(90,480)	(74,994)
Payment of cash dividend	(49,596)	(42,768)
Distribution to controlling interest	(1,022)	(2,094)
Shares repurchased for tax withholdings on vesting of restricted stock	 (21,189)	(16,875)
Net cash used in financing activities	 (76,346)	(88,966)
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	 (1,598)	(766)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	 202,604	76,504
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	627,017	516,112
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 829,621 \$	592,616

#### **GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations**

(in millions, except per share data); unaudited

Fiscal Quarter Ended

Q4 2018

\$

0.25

0.17

0.02

(0.04)

0.40

107

High

0.31

0.17

0.02

(0.04)

0.46

107

Low

The following tables present Dolby's GAAP financial measures reconciled to the non-GAAP financial measures included in this release for the third quarter of fiscal 2018 and 2017:

Net income:

Diluted earnings per share:

Stock-based compensation

Income tax adjustments

GAAP diluted earnings per share

Non-GAAP diluted earnings per share

Amortization of acquisition-related intangibles

Shares used in computing diluted earnings per share

	June 29, 2018	June 30, 2017		
GAAP net income	\$ 83.1	\$ 76.0		
Stock-based compensation	17.1	15.7		
Amortization of acquisition-related intangibles	2.0	2.6		
Restructuring credits, net	(0.1)	_		
Income tax adjustments	(3.2)	(5.1)		
Non-GAAP net income	\$ 98.9	\$ 89.2		
Diluted earnings per share:	Fiscal Quarter Ended			
	June 29, 2018	June 30, 2017		
GAAP diluted earnings per share	\$ 0.78	\$ 0.73		
Stock-based compensation	0.15	0.16		
Amortization of acquisition-related intangibles	0.02	0.02		
Restructuring charges, net	_	_		
Income tax adjustments	(0.03)	(0.05)		
Non-GAAP diluted earnings per share	\$ 0.92	\$ 0.86		
Shares used in computing diluted earnings per share	107	104		
	107	101		
The following tables present a reconciliation between GAAP and non-GAA fiscal 2018 and fiscal year 2018 included in this release:				
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