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OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of December 2004/January 2005

Commission File Number: 0-30628

ALVARION LTD.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

21A Habarzel Street, Tel Aviv 69710, Israel

(Address of principal executive office)

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SIGNATURES

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.

ALVARION LTD.

Date: January 11, 2005

By: /s/ Dafna Gruber

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Alvarion's Fourth Quarter and Year End 2004 Earnings Release
and Conference Call Scheduled for February 16, 2005

TEL AVIV, Israel- December 30, 2004--Alvarion Ltd. (NASDAQ: ALVR), the world's leading provider of wireless broadband solutions and a supplier of specialized mobile networks for hard to serve areas, announced today that it will release its fourth quarter and year end 2004 results on February 16th 2005, during pre-market hours. Following the announcement, Alvarion's management will host a conference call at 9:00 a.m. EDT. Please call the following dial in number to participate: USA: (651) 291-5254, International: +1-651-291-5254.

The public is invited to listen to the live webcast of the conference call. For details please visit Alvarion's website at www.alvarion.com. An archive of the on-line broadcast will be available on the

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website.

A replay of the call will be available from 2:15 p.m. EDT on February 16, 2005 through 11:59 p.m. EDT on February 23, 2005. To access the replay, please call USA: (320) 365-3844, International: +1-320-365-3844. To access the replay, users will need to enter the following code: 764459.

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About Alvarion

With more than 2 million units deployed in 130 countries, Alvarion is the worldwide leader in wireless broadband providing systems to carriers, ISPs and private network operators. Leading the WiMAX revolution, Alvarion has the most extensive deployments and proven product portfolio in the industry covering the full range of frequency bands. Alvarion's products enable the delivery of business and residential broadband access, corporate VPNs, toll quality telephony, mobile base station feeding, Hotspot coverage extension, community interconnection, and public safety communications. Alvarion works with several top OEM providers and over 200 local partners to support its diverse global customer base in solving their last-mile challenges.

As a wireless broadband pioneer, Alvarion has been driving and delivering innovations for over 10 years from core technology developments to creating and promoting industry standards. Leveraging its key roles in the IEEE and HiperMAN standards committees and experience deploying OFDM-based systems, the company's prominent work in the WiMAX Forum™ is focused on increasing widespread adoption of standards-based products in the wireless broadband market.

For more information, visit Alvarion's World Wide Web site at www.alvarion.com

This press release contains forward -looking statements within the meaning of the "safe harbor" provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements are based on the current expectations or beliefs of Alvarion's management and are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward -looking statements. The following factors, among others, could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements: inability to further identify, develop and achieve success for new products, services and technologies; increased competition and its effect on pricing, spending, third-party relationships and revenues; as well as the inability to establish and maintain relationships with commerce, advertising, marketing, and technology providers and other risks detailed from time to time in filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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ALVARION ACCELERATES ITS PUSH INTO WiMAX BROADBAND MOBILITY MARKET Targets First Demonstration System within a Year

TEL AVIV, Israel, January 6, 2005 --- Alvarion Ltd. (NASDAQ:ALVR), the world's leading provider of wireless broadband solutions and supplier of specialized mobile networks, today announced the development of a mobile WiMAX solution based on the 802.16e standard with the first demonstration system expected within a year. The target launch in 2006 is intended to coincide with the availability of WiMAX-enabled devices such as laptops and PDAs that utilize chips currently under development.

"We are delighted to see Alvarion moving aggressively to realize the full potential of WiMAX technology," said Sean Maloney, Intel executive vice president and general manager of the Intel Communications Group. "Thanks to the efforts of the global WiMAX community, this standard for both fixed and mobile high-speed broadband connectivity continues to gain momentum."

Mobile WiMAX, as defined in the 802.16e standard, will offer open, scalable and cost-effective mobile data solutions that deliver true broadband services of several Mbps per subscriber or more with full quality of service (QoS) capabilities that enable applications such as VoIP. Once the normal multi-year trial and testing phase is over, the market is expected to quickly become a multi-billion opportunity.

"Mobile broadband is a huge market opportunity for the whole telecom industry, and we have taken several high-profile actions to ensure that we extend our leadership in fixed broadband wireless solutions into that space," said Zvi Slonimsky, CEO of Alvarion. "We have the major building blocks of this solution in-house already, with our many years of experience designing and deploying OFDM systems, our early and long involvement with the WiMAX Forum(TM), and certain core mobile technologies and know-how resulting from our recent acquisition of specialized mobile systems provider interWAVE."

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As part of being a leader in providing broadband mobile solutions, Alvarion also has established a dedicated business unit to focus on defining the Company's

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strategic direction and position in this market. Seven year Alvarion veteran, Zvika Harnik, former Executive Vice President and head of R&D, will lead this new unit as its President and his team will draw on the capabilities of the rest of the organization to speed product development and focus on establishing the necessary relationships with strategic partners and potential customers.

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