

SONUS NETWORKS INC

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FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Symbol SONS

SIC Code 7373 - Computer Integrated Systems Design

Industry Communications & Networking

Sector Technology

Fiscal Year 12/31





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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. I	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
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(Last)	(First) (M	(Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							Director10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
C/O SONUS NETWORKS, INC., 4 TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE								2/17	7/20	17		Interim CFO	•		(4)	, ,	
(Street)					4. I	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)							Y) 6. Individual of	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
WESTFORD, MA 01886 (City) (State) (Zip)													X_Form filed by	_ X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
			Table	I - N	on-Der	ivati	ive Secu	rities Acc	quire	ed, Dis	posed o	f, or E	Seneficially Owne	ed			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			ns. Date	Exec	Deemed cution e, if any 3. Trans. Co (Instr. 8)		or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Ownership Form: of Indirect Beneficia	Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price				(I) (Instr. 4)	(msu. 4)
Common Stock 2/17/201				/2017	7		F		314 (1	D	\$6.08	75102		D			
	Tabl	le II - Der	ivative	Secu	rities I	Bene	ficially	Owned (e.g. ,	puts,	calls, wa	arrant	s, options, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Date	Execution			Acc Dis		wative Securities pired (A) or posed of (D) (C. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			and Amount of ies Underlying ive Security 3 and 4)	Derivative Security	Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	Beneficial
	Security				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable I	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) PAYMENT OF TAX LIABILITY BY DELIVERING SECURITIES TO THE ISSUER INCIDENT TO THE VESTING OF A SECURITY.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships									
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other						
Villare Susan M.										
C/O SONUS NETWORKS, INC.			Interim CFO							
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WESTFORD, MA 01886										

Signatures

Susan M. Villare

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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