Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Harris Kathleen A.  (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O SONUS NETWORKS, INC.  7 TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE				3. D	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONUS NETWORKS INC [ SONS ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2010									Director Officer below)	tor 10% Owner er (give title Other (specify			ner	
(Street) WESTFORD MA 01886  (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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Date (Month/				/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction D Code (Instr. 5)			. Securities Acquired (A) pisposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 )			5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	es Fo ally (D Following (I)		n: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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			08/16	6/2010		A		30,000	)(1)	A	\$0	60,687			D				
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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Date, T	Code (Instr		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	s Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option (Right to	\$2.97	08/16/2010			A		90,000		(2)	0	8/16/2020	Comm		90,000	\$0	90,000	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. These are restricted shares of Common Stock that vest, subject to continued employment, over a four-year period as follows: 25% will vest on August 16, 2011. The remaining 75% of the shares shall vest in
- 2. 25% of the shares underlying this option vests on August 16, 2011. The remaining 75% of the shares underlying this option will then vest in equal monthly increments for the following 36 months.

## Remarks:

Buy)

Kathleen A. Harris

08/17/2010

\*\* 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).
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