FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Villare Susan M.						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Sonus, Inc. [ SONS ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner			
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(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/27/2017									Interim CFO			
C/O SONUS NETWORKS, INC.						10/2//201/												
4 TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE																		
					, 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable			
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(City) (State) (Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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Common Stock 10/27/2					//2017	2017			F		16,246(1)		D	\$8	.36	96,515	D	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. PAYMENT OF TAX LIABILITY BY DELIVERING SECURITIES TO THE ISSUER INCIDENT TO THE VESTING OF A SECURITY.
- 2. Reflects disposition pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of May 23, 2017, by and among the Issuer (formerly Sonus Networks, Inc.), (i) Sonus Networks, Inc. (formerly Solstice Sapphire Investments, Inc.) ("Sonus Networks") and its wholly-owned subsidiaries and (ii) GENBAND Holdings Company ("GENBAND") and its two related holding companies such that, following the consummation of a series of merger transactions (collectively, the "Mergers"), both the Issuer and GENBAND became wholly-owned subsidiaries of Sonus Networks. In the Mergers, each share of Issuer Common Stock was exchanged for one share of common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Sonus Networks ("New Common Stock").
- 3. The closing price of a share of Issuer Common Stock on October 27, 2017 (the last trading day prior to the effectiveness of the Mergers) was \$8.14, and the closing price of a share of New Common Stock on October 30, 2017 (the first trading day following the effectiveness of the Mergers) was \$8.39

## Remarks:

Susan M. Villare 10/31/2017

\*\* 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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