FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
<u>Snider Jeffrey M.</u>				30	SONUS NETWORKS INC [SONS]										Director			10% Owner			
(Look) (First) (Middle)					3 Da	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									X	Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SONUS NETWORKS, INC.					08/15/2013										SVP, Ch Admin Off & Gen Cou						
4 TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE																					
					4. If a	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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WESTFORD MA 01886															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																		
		Tabl	le I - Noi	n-Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Bene	eficia	ally (Dwne	ed .				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				Execution Date			Date,	Code (Instr.						d	Securities Beneficially		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	- 1	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)	
Common Stock 08/15/2					/2013				F		11,796	S ⁽¹⁾ D S		\$3.	47	321,922		D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transacti Code (Ins					6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		str. 3	8. Pri Deriv Secu (Instr	ative rity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	: t (D) direct	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. PAYMENT OF TAX LIABILITY BY DELIVERING SECURITIES TO THE COMPANY INCIDENT TO THE VESTING OF A SECURITY.

Remarks:

Jeffrey M. Snider

08/15/2013

** 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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