FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SCHUBERT SCOTT E</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONUS NETWORKS INC [SONS]											ip of Reporting Poplicable) ctor		on(s) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SONUS NETWORKS, INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2016											Office	er (give title v)	Other (specify below)		
4 TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE (Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
WESTFORD MA 01886																Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	tate) (Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally C	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					h/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, If any (Month/Day/Year)				Disposed	curities Acquired (A) osed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Sec Ber Ow		curities F neficially (nership Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	. [7	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)
Common Stock 06/15/						5/2016					17,046	7,046 ⁽¹⁾ A		\$)	54,685			D	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv Secul Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	of E		on Dat Day/Ye		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. : and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		wnership orm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Scott E. Schubert

06/16/2016

** 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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^{1.} These are restricted shares of Common Stock that vest on June 15, 2017; provided, however, if the Issuer's 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "2017 Annual Meeting") occurs prior to June 15, 2017; and, at such 2017 Annual Meeting, the Reporting Person either chooses not to stand for re-election to the Issuer's Board of Directors or, after standing for re-election, is not re-elected, then these restricted shares of Common Stock will vest on the date of the 2017 Annual Meeting.