SONIC CORP Form 4 December 04, 2015

#### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cummins Carolyn C.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONIC CORP [SONC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
300 JOHNNY BENCH DRIVE	12/02/2015	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/02/2015		M	14,622	A	\$ 10.15	31,225 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2015		S	7,874	D	\$ 29.7597 (2)	23,351 (1)	D	

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

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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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.15	12/02/2015		M	6,748	01/15/2012	01/15/2016	Common Stock	6,74
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.15	12/02/2015		M	7,874	01/15/2012	01/15/2016	Common Stock	7,87

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cummins Carolyn C.

300 JOHNNY BENCH DRIVE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104 Vice President

### **Signatures**

Carolyn C. Cummins 12/03/2015

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) The total number of shares beneficially owned directly includes 1,361 shares held in the Sonic Corp. Stock Purchase Plan as of December 2, 2015.
- (2) This price represents the weighted average sales price. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$29.66 to \$29.83 per share. The reporting person will provide full details regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon the SEC's request.

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