

San Pedro Claudia
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 San Pedro Claudia

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)
 300 JOHNNY BENCH DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 04/29/2010

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Vice President and Treasurer

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
			Code	V				
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.21	04/29/2010	D ⁽¹⁾		10,683	01/31/2010	01/31/2014	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.2	04/29/2010	A ⁽¹⁾		5,478	04/29/2011	01/31/2014	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.54	04/29/2010	D ⁽¹⁾		59	04/05/2010	04/05/2014	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.54	04/29/2010	D ⁽¹⁾		2,781	04/05/2010	04/05/2014	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.2	04/29/2010	A ⁽¹⁾		1,352	04/29/2011	04/05/2014	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.24	04/29/2010	D ⁽¹⁾		6,660	⁽²⁾	01/10/2015	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.24	04/29/2010	D ⁽¹⁾		3,330	⁽²⁾	01/10/2015	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.2	04/29/2010	A ⁽¹⁾		5,123	⁽³⁾	01/10/2015	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
San Pedro Claudia 300 JOHNNY BENCH DRIVE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104			Vice President and Treasurer	

Signatures

Carolyn C. Cummins for Claudia San Pedro 05/11/2010

 **Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).

On April 29, 2010, the issuer canceled, pursuant to the issuer's voluntary stock option exchange program, an option previously granted to

- (1) the reporting person. In exchange for the option canceled, the reporting person received a fewer number of options to purchase common stock.
- (2) One-third of the total number of options granted vest on each of the first three anniversary dates following the grant date.
- (3) Two-thirds of the options granted will vest on April 29, 2011, and one-third of the options granted will vest on January 10, 2012.

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