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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A PENA FEDI	•	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			SONIC CORP [SONC]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
300 JOHNN	Y BENCH	DRIVE	12/18/2013	Officer (give titleOther (specify below)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
				X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104				Form filed by More than One Reporting		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition Dispose (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	12/18/2013		M	10,125	A	\$ 14.89	11,286	D	
Common Stock	12/18/2013		S	10,125	D	\$ 20.5603	1,161	D	
Common Stock							64,617	I	In trust for self

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-qualified stock option (right to buy)	\$ 14.89	12/18/2013		M		10,125	01/21/2007	01/21/2014	common stock	10,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PENA FEDERICO F 300 JOHNNY BENCH DRIVE X OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104

Signatures

Paige S. Bass for Federico
F. Pena
12/19/2013

**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).
- (1) This price represents the weighted average sales price. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$20.34 to \$20.76 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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