

SONIC CORP  
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**FORM 5**

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**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
HUDSON J CLIFFORD

(Last) (First) (Middle)

300 JOHNNY BENCH DRIVE

(Street)

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SONIC CORP [SONC]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
08/31/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(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)	(A) or (D)	Amount or Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	10,143 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	9,855	I	Trustee of son's trust
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	105,000	I	By family limited liability company <sup>(2)</sup>

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Common Stock	12/11/2013	Â	G	200	D	\$ 0	147,709	I	by self as trustee of trust
Common Stock	05/13/2014	Â	G	7,300	D	\$ 0	147,709	I	by self as trustee of trust
Common Stock	05/27/2014	Â	G	3,600	D	\$ 0	147,709	I	by self as trustee of trust
Common Stock	05/28/2014	Â	G	25,000	D	\$ 0	147,709	I	by self as trustee of trust
Common Stock	06/05/2014	Â	G	250	D	\$ 0	147,709	I	by self as trustee of trust
Common Stock	06/30/2014	Â	G	185	D	\$ 0	147,709	I	by self as trustee of trust
Common Stock	09/16/2013	Â	G	2,785	D	\$ 0	264,077	I	by spouse as trustee of trust
Common Stock	03/31/2014	Â	G	4,840	D	\$ 0	264,077	I	by spouse as trustee of trust
Common Stock	05/28/2014	Â	G	25,000	D	\$ 0	264,077	I	by spouse as trustee of trust

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D Se B O E Is Fi (I
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUDSON J CLIFFORD 300 JOHNNY BENCH DRIVE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73104	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

Paige S. Bass for J. Clifford  
Hudson 10/01/2014

\_\_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) The total number of shares beneficially owned directly includes 10,143 shares held in the 1991 Sonic Corp. Stock Purchase Plan as of August 31, 2014.
  - (2) The reporting person owns 21% of the family limited liability company and disclaims beneficial ownership of the issuer's shares held by the family limited liability company except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

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