

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

In Re SONUS NETWORKS, INC.
SECURITIES LITIGATION - II

Civil Action No. 06-CV-10040 (MLW)

PROOF OF CLAIM

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: **JULY 5, 2009**. IF YOU PURCHASED SONUS NETWORKS, INC. ("SONUS") COMMON STOCK DURING THE PERIOD FROM DECEMBER 11, 2000 THROUGH JANUARY 16, 2002, INCLUSIVE, (THE "SETTLEMENT CLASS PERIOD") AND WERE DAMAGED THEREBY, YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A PAYMENT FROM THE CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT.

Excluded from the Settlement Class are Defendants; members of the immediate family of any Individual Defendant; the affiliates and subsidiaries of Sonus and the officers and directors of Sonus and its affiliates and subsidiaries; any entity in which any excluded Person has a controlling interest; and the legal representatives, heirs, controlling Persons, successors, or assigns of any excluded Person. Also excluded from the Settlement Class are any Persons and/or entities who provide notice to the Parties of their determination to exclude themselves from the Settlement Class by filing a request for exclusion in response to, and in accordance with the requirements set forth in, the Notice of Settlement and whose requests for exclusion are granted by the Court.

I. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- A. To recover as a Settlement Class Member based upon your claims in the above-captioned action, In re Sonus Networks, Inc. Securities Litigation - II, No. 1:06-CV-10040-MLW (the "Action"), you must complete and, on page 4 of the Proof of Claim, sign this Proof of Claim. If you fail to file a properly addressed Proof of Claim (as set forth below in paragraph C), your claim may be rejected and you may be precluded from any recovery from the Settlement Fund created in connection with the proposed Settlement of the Action.
- B. Settlement Class Members who do not file acceptable Proofs of Claim will not share in the settlement proceeds, but will nevertheless be bound by the Settlement and the Judgment of the Court.
- C. YOU MUST MAIL YOUR COMPLETED AND SIGNED PROOF OF CLAIM **POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN JULY 5, 2009**, ADDRESSED AS FOLLOWS:

Sonus Networks, Inc. Securities Litigation - II
c/o Complete Claim Solutions, LLC
P.O. Box 24673
West Palm Beach, FL 33416

YOU WILL BEAR ALL RISKS OF DELAY OR NON-DELIVERY OF YOUR CLAIM.

- D. If you are NOT a Settlement Class Member, as defined in the "Notice of Pendency and Proposed Settlement of Class Action, Application for Attorney's Fees and Expenses, and Fairness Hearing" ("Notice"), DO NOT submit a Proof of Claim.
- E. If you are a Settlement Class Member and you do not timely request exclusion in connection with the proposed Settlement, you are bound by the terms of any judgment entered in the Action, including the releases provided therein, **REGARDLESS OF WHETHER YOU SUBMIT A PROOF OF CLAIM.**

II. CLAIMANT IDENTIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS

- A. If you purchased Sonus common stock ("Sonus Shares") and held the certificate(s) in your name, you are the beneficial owner as well as the record owner. If, however, you purchased Sonus Shares and the certificate(s) were registered in the name of a third party, such as a nominee or brokerage firm, you are the beneficial owner and the third party is the record owner.
- B. Use Section IV of this form entitled "Claimant Identification" to identify each owner of record, if different from the beneficial owner of Sonus Shares which forms the basis of this claim. **THIS CLAIM MUST BE FILED BY THE ACTUAL BENEFICIAL OWNER(S), OR THE LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF SUCH OWNER(S), OF THE SONUS SHARES UPON WHICH THIS CLAIM IS BASED.**

- C. All joint owners must sign this claim. Executors, administrators, guardians, conservators, and trustees must complete and sign this claim on behalf of persons represented by them, proof of their authority must accompany this claim, and their titles or capacities must be stated.
- D. The Social Security or Taxpayer Identification Number and telephone number of the beneficial owner may be used in verifying the claim. Failure to provide the foregoing information could delay verification of your claim and/or result in claim rejection.
- E. The e-mail address of the person or entity filing this claim is required for future communications and will only be used for purposes of this Settlement.

III. TRANSACTION SCHEDULE INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Use Section V of this form entitled "Schedule of Transactions in Sonus Shares" to supply all required details of your transaction(s) in Sonus Shares. If you need more space, attach separate, numbered sheets giving all of the required information in substantially the same format. Print your name and Social Security or Tax Identification Number at the top of each page.
- B. On the schedules, provide all requested information with respect to **all** of your purchases and sales of Sonus Shares that took place at any time during the Settlement Class Period whether such transactions resulted in a profit or a loss. Failure to report all such transactions may result in rejection of your claim.
- C. List each transaction in the Settlement Class Period separately and in chronological order, by trade date, beginning with the earliest. The date of purchase or sale of Sonus Shares is the "contract" or "trade" date, as distinguished from the "settlement" date. You must accurately provide the month, day and year of each transaction you list.
- D. The price per share, paid or received, shall be before all commissions, taxes, fees and other charges.
- E. The date of covering a "short sale" is deemed to be the purchase date of Sonus Shares. The date of a "short sale" is deemed to be the sale date of Sonus Shares.
- F. You must attach to your claim form **copies** of brokerage confirmations or monthly statements supporting your trading activity in Sonus Shares in order for your claim to be valid. If such documents are not available, a complete list of acceptable supporting documentation can be found on the Claims Administrator's website: www.SonusIISecuritiesSettlement.com. Failure to provide this documentation could delay verification of your claim and/or result in claim rejection.
- G. If your trading activity during the Settlement Class Period exceeds 50 transactions, you must provide, in an electronic file, all purchases and sales information required in the Schedule of Transactions. For a copy of instructions and parameters concerning such a submission, contact the Claims Administrator by phone: 1-800-760-6769.

Reminder Checklist:

- 1. Please sign the release and certification on page 4 of the Proof of Claim.
- 2. Remember to attach only **copies** of acceptable supporting documentation, a complete list of which can be found at the website below.
- 3. Do not send original or copies of stock certificates.
- 4. Keep a copy of the completed claim form and documentation for your records.
- 5. If you do not receive an acknowledgement postcard of receipt of your Claim Form within forty (40) days of your mailing the Proof of Claim, then please call the Claim Administrator, toll-free, at 1-800-760-6769.
- 6. If your address changes in the future, or if these documents were sent to an old or incorrect address, please send us **written** notification of your new address.
- 7. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your claim, please contact the Claims Administrator at:

Sonus Networks, Inc. Securities Litigation - II
c/o Complete Claim Solutions, LLC
P.O. Box 24673
West Palm Beach, FL 33416
Toll-free: 1-800-760-6769
E-mail: info@SonusIISecuritiesSettlement.com
www.SonusIISecuritiesSettlement.com

ACCURATE CLAIMS PROCESSING TAKES A SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF TIME. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE.

Must be received by the
Claims Administrator postmarked
no later than
July 5, 2009

**IN RE SONUS NETWORKS, INC.
SECURITIES LITIGATION - II**

OFFICE USE ONLY

PROOF OF CLAIM

IV. CLAIMANT IDENTIFICATION - Complete either Section A or B - Please type or Print.

A. Complete this Section ONLY if the Beneficial Owner is an individual, joint, or IRA account. Otherwise, proceed to B.

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| Last Name (Beneficial Owner) | First Name (Beneficial Owner) |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| Last Name (Joint Beneficial Owner, if applicable) | First Name (Joint Beneficial Owner) |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| Name of IRA Custodian, if applicable | |
| <input type="text"/> | |
| If this account is an IRA, and if you would like any check that you MAY be eligible to receive made payable to the IRA account, please include "IRA" in the "Last Name" box above (e.g. Jones IRA). | |

B. Complete this Section ONLY if the Beneficial Owner is an Entity; i.e., corporation, trust, estate, etc. Then, proceed to C.

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|---|
| Entity Name |
| <input type="text"/> |
| Name of Representative, if applicable (Executor, administrator, trustee, c/o, etc.) |
| <input type="text"/> |

C. Account/Mailing Information:

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| Specify one of the following: | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation | <input type="checkbox"/> UGMA Custodian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IRA | <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership | <input type="checkbox"/> Estate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trust | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="text"/> | |
| Number and Street or P.O. Box | | |
| <input type="text"/> | | |
| City | State | Zip Code |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| Foreign Province and Postal Code | Foreign Country | |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | |
| Telephone Number (Day) | Telephone Number (Evening) | |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | |
| E-mail Address | | |
| <input type="text"/> | | |
| Enter Taxpayer Identification Number below for the Beneficial Owner(s). | | |
| Social Security No. (for individuals) | or | Taxpayer Identification No. |
| <input type="text"/> | | <input type="text"/> |

V. SCHEDULE OF TRANSACTIONS IN SONUS SHARES

BEGINNING BALANCE

A. At the close of trading on December 10, 2000, I owned the following number of Sonus Shares.
 (If none, write "zero" or "0") (If other than zero, must be documented).

Number of Shares

PURCHASES

B. I made the following purchases of Sonus Shares between December 11, 2000 and January 16, 2002, inclusive
 (must be documented):

| Check this Box if Shares Were Not Purchased on the Open Market | Trade Date(s) of Purchase <i>(list chronologically)</i> Month/Day/Year | Number of Shares Purchased | Purchase Price Per Share | Amount Paid <i>(net of commissions, taxes & fees)</i> |
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SALES

C. I made the following sales of Sonus Shares between December 11, 2000 and January 16, 2002, inclusive (must be documented):

| Trade Date(s) of Sale <i>(list chronologically)</i> Month/Day/Year | Number of Shares Sold | Sale Price Per Share | Amount Received <i>(including commissions, taxes & fees)</i> |
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ENDING BALANCE

D. At the close of trading on January 16, 2002, I owned the following number of Sonus Shares.
 (If none, write "zero" or "0")

Number of Shares

IF YOU NEED ADDITIONAL SPACE TO LIST YOUR TRANSACTIONS PHOTOCOPY THIS PAGE



VI. SUBMISSION TO JURISDICTION OF COURT AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

- A. By submitting this Proof of Claim, I state that I believe in good faith that I am a Settlement Class Member as defined above and in the Notice of Pendency and Proposed Settlement of Class Action, Application for Attorneys' Fees and Expenses, and Fairness Hearing (the "Settlement Notice"), or am acting for such person; that I am not a Defendant in the Action or anyone otherwise excluded from the Settlement Class; that I have read and understand the Settlement Notice; that I believe that I am entitled to receive a share of the Net Settlement Fund; that I elect to participate in the proposed Settlement described in the Settlement Notice; and that I have not previously submitted a request for exclusion. (If you are acting in a representative capacity on behalf of a Settlement Class Member (e.g., as an executor, administrator, trustee, or other representative), you must submit evidence of your current authority to act on behalf of that Settlement Class Member. Such evidence would include, for example, letters testamentary, letters of administration, or a copy of the trust documents.)
- B. I consent to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts with respect to all questions concerning the validity of this Proof of Claim. I understand and agree that my claim may be subject to investigation and discovery under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, provided that such investigation and discovery shall be limited to my status as a Settlement Class Member and the validity and amount of my claim. No discovery shall be allowed on the merits of the Action or Settlement in connection with processing of the Proofs of Claim.
- C. I have set forth where requested above all relevant information with respect to each purchase of Sonus Shares during the Settlement Class Period, and each sale, if any, of such security. I agree to furnish additional information to the Claims Administrator to support this claim if requested to do so.
- D. I have enclosed photocopies of the stockbroker's confirmation slips, stockbroker's statements, or other documents evidencing each purchase, sale or retention of Sonus Shares listed below in support of my claim. (IF ANY SUCH DOCUMENTS ARE NOT IN YOUR POSSESSION, PLEASE OBTAIN A COPY OR EQUIVALENT DOCUMENTS FROM YOUR BROKER BECAUSE THESE DOCUMENTS ARE NECESSARY TO PROVE AND PROCESS YOUR CLAIM.)
- E. I understand that the information contained in this Proof of Claim is subject to such verification as the Claims Administrator may request or as the Court may direct, and I agree to cooperate in any such verification. (The information requested herein is designed to provide the minimum amount of information necessary to process most simple claims. The Claims Administrator may request additional information as required to efficiently and reliably calculate your Recognized Loss. In some cases the Claims Administrator may condition acceptance of the claim based upon the production of additional information.)

VII. RELEASE

- A. I hereby acknowledge that, as a Settlement Class Member, I (or the person or entity for whom or which I am executing this Proof of Claim) will be bound by the terms of the Stipulation of Settlement and the Final Order and Judgment in this action and, to the full extent set forth in the Stipulation of Settlement, upon the Effective Date will have granted a release of all "Settled Claims" to all "Released Parties" on behalf of myself (or on behalf of the Settlement Class Member for whom or which I submit this Proof of Claim) and my (or such Settlement Class Member's) affiliates, heirs, agents, executors, attorneys, administrators, beneficiaries, predecessors, successors and assigns.
- B. I hereby acknowledge full and complete satisfaction of, and do hereby fully, finally, and forever settle, release, and discharge from the Settled Claims each and all of the Released Parties.
- C. "Settled Claims" means any and all direct, individual, representative, or class claims, debts, demands, rights or causes of action or liabilities whatsoever (including, but not limited to, any claims for compensatory damages, punitive damages, interest, attorneys' fees (except as provided in paragraph 8 in the Stipulation of Settlement), expert or consulting fees (except as provided in paragraph 8 of the Stipulation of Settlement), and any other costs, expenses, amounts, or liability or relief, monetary, injunctive, or otherwise), whether based on federal, state, local, statutory or common law, foreign, international or any other law, rule or regulation, whether fixed or contingent, accrued or un-accrued, liquidated or un-liquidated, at law or in equity, matured or un-matured, whether class or individual in nature, direct or derivative, including both known claims and Unknown Claims (as defined below) (i) that have been asserted in the Action against any of the Released Parties; (ii) that could have been, were, or could in the future be asserted in the Action or in any forum by the Lead Plaintiff, Settlement Class Members or any of them, or by their heirs, agents, executors, administrators, beneficiaries, predecessors, successors or assigns (in their capacities as such), against any of the Released Parties, which are in connection with, arise out of, are based upon, or are related in any way to the subject matters, claims, allegations, acts, transactions, facts, agreements, negotiations, events, matters or occurrences, disclosures, representations, or omissions, including any public statement by any Defendant during the Settlement Class Period, involved, described, set forth, or referred to in the Complaint; (iii) that are in connection with, arise out of, are based upon, or are related in any way to the subject matters, claims, allegations, acts, transactions, facts, events, matters or occurrences, disclosures, representations or omissions involved, described,



set forth, or referred to in the Action and/or the Complaint; or (iv) that arise out of or relate in any way to the defense or settlement of the Action (except for claims to enforce the Settlement).

D. "Unknown Claims" means any and all Settled Claims which Lead Plaintiff or any Settlement Class Member does not know or suspect to exist in his, her or its favor at the time of the release of the Released Parties, and any Settled Defendants' Claims which any Defendant does not know or suspect to exist in his, her or its favor, which if known by him, her or it might have affected his, her or its decision(s) with respect to the Settlement. With respect to any and all Settled Claims and Settled Defendants' Claims, the Parties stipulate and agree that upon the Effective Date, the Lead Plaintiff and the Defendants shall expressly waive, and each Settlement Class Member shall be deemed to have waived, and by operation of the Order and Final Judgment shall have expressly waived, any and all provisions, rights and benefits conferred by any law of any state or territory of the United States, or principle of common law, which is similar, comparable, or equivalent to Cal. Civ. Code § 1542, which provides:

A general release does not extend to claims which the creditor does not know or suspect to exist in his or her favor at the time of executing the release, which if known by him or her must have materially affected his or her settlement with the debtor.

Lead Plaintiff and Defendants acknowledge, and Settlement Class Members by operation of law shall be deemed to have acknowledged, that the inclusion of "Unknown Claims" in the definition of Settled Claims and Settled Defendants' Claims was separately bargained for and was a material element of the Settlement.

E. "Released Parties" means any and all Defendants, their past or present subsidiaries, parents, affiliates, successors and predecessors, and the past and present officers, directors, agents, employees, attorneys, auditors, accountants, insurers and re-insurers, legal representatives, heirs, executors, administrators, successors-in-interest or assigns of any of the foregoing.

F. This release shall be of no force or effect unless and until the Court approves the Settlement and the Settlement becomes effective on the Effective Date (as defined in the Stipulation).

G. I hereby warrant and represent that I/we have not assigned or transferred or purported to assign or transfer, voluntarily or involuntarily, any matter released pursuant to this release or any other part or portion thereof.

H. I hereby warrant and represent that I have included information about all of my purchases in Sonus Shares that occurred during the Settlement Class Period (including total shares purchased between December 11, 2000 and January 16, 2002), all of my sales during the period December 11, 2000 and January 16, 2002, inclusive as well as the amount of Sonus Shares held by me at the close of trading on January 16, 2002.

VIII. CERTIFICATION

UNDER THE PENALTY OF PERJURY, I/WE CERTIFY THAT:

I am/we are NOT subject to backup withholding under the provisions of Section 3406(a)(1)(C) of the Internal Revenue Code.

NOTE: If you have been notified by the Internal Revenue Service that you are subject to backup withholding, you must cross out the word "NOT" in the statement above.

I/We declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that the foregoing information supplied by the undersigned and the supporting documents attached hereto, and the acknowledgments, representations and warranties made herein are true, correct and complete to the best of my/our knowledge, information and belief, and that this Proof of Claim form was executed this

_____ day of _____, 2009 in _____, _____.
(City) (State/Country)

[Redacted Signature Box]

Signature of Claimant

[Redacted Name Box]

(Print your name here)

[Redacted Signature Box]

Signature of Joint Claimant, if any

[Redacted Name Box]

(Print your name here)

[Redacted Signature Box]

Signature of person signing on behalf of Claimant

[Redacted Name Box]

(Print your name here)

[Redacted Capacity Box]

Capacity of person signing on behalf of Claimant, if other than an individual (e.g., Executor, President, Custodian, etc.)

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