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DATE:	OCTOBER 27, 2017
SUBJECT:	SONUS NETWORKS, INC CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT OPTION SYMBOL: SONS NEW SYMBOL: SONS1 DATE: 10/30/17
Contract Adjustment	
DATE:	October 30, 2017
OPTION SYMBOL:	SONS changes to SONS1
STRIKE DIVISOR:	1
CONTRACTS MULTIPLIER:	1
NEW MULTIPLIER:	100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 8 yields \$800.00)
NEW DELIVERABLE PER CONTRACT:	<ol> <li>Approximately 100 (New) Sonus Networks, Inc. (SONS) Common Shares</li> <li>Cash in lieu of fractional SONS shares, if any</li> </ol>
CUSIP:	(New) SONS: 83570V107

## <u>PRICING</u>

Until the final exchange ratio and cash in lieu amount, if any, are determined, the underlying price for SONS1 will be determined as follows:

SONS1 = SONS

## **DELAYED SETTLEMENT**

OCC will delay settlement of the SONS component and cash portion of the SONS1 deliverable until the final exchange ratio and cash in lieu of fractional SONS shares, if any, are determined. Upon determination of the final exchange ratio and cash in lieu amount, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate number of SONS shares and the appropriate cash amount, if any.

## BACKGROUND

On October 26, 2017, Shareholders of Sonus Networks, Inc. (SONS) voted concerning the proposed merger with GENBAND Holdings Company to form a new company named **(New) Sonus Networks, Inc.** The

merger was approved and subsequently consummated on October 27, 2017. As a result, each existing SONS Common Share will be converted into the right to receive approximately 1.0 (New) Sonus Networks, Inc. Common Share. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional Sonus Networks, Inc. shares, if any.

(New) Sonus Networks, Inc. Common Shares will trade on the NASDAQ Stock Market under the symbol "SONS".

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