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SONIC TO PRESENT AT UPCOMING NASDAQ 13TH INVESTOR PROGRAM

OKLAHOMA CITY (November 23, 2004) – Sonic Corp. (NASDAQ/NM: SONC), the nation's largest chain of drive-in restaurants, today announced that its management will participate in the Consumer/Financials Forum of the NASDAQ 13th Investor Program, which takes place December 1-3, 2004, in London, England. Sonic's investor presentation is scheduled at 9:45 a.m. local time (4:45 a.m. Eastern Standard Time) on Friday, December 3, and will be available to investors via a live audio webcast. A link to the webcast can be found at the investor section of the company's website, <u>www.sonicdrivein.com</u>, and the event will be available for replay using that same link for 30 days.

Founded in 1953, Sonic originally started as a hamburger and root beer stand in Shawnee, Oklahoma, called Top Hat Drive-In. The first drive-in to adopt the Sonic name is still serving customers in Stillwater, Oklahoma. Sonic now has approximately 2,900 drive-ins in 29 states and serves more than a million customers every day. For more information about Sonic Corp. and its subsidiaries, visit Sonic on the Internet at <u>www.sonicdrivein.com</u>.

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