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## SONIC TO PRESENT AT THREE INVESTOR CONFERENCES IN MARCH

OKLAHOMA CITY (March 7, 2006) – Sonic Corp. (NASDAQ/NM: SONC), the nation's largest chain of drive-in restaurants, today announced the company will participate in three additional investor conferences during March.

The first will be the Stephens Inc. 2006 Consumer Conference, which takes place in New York City on March 13-14. The investor presentation by Sonic's management is scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m. ET on Tuesday, March 14.

The second conference, the Bank of America 2006 Consumer Conference, also takes place in New York City on March 14-16. The investor presentation by Sonic's management is scheduled to begin at 9:40 a.m. ET on Wednesday, March 15.

The third, the JPMorgan Gaming, Lodging & Restaurants Conference, takes place in Las Vegas on March 20-22. The investor presentation by Sonic's management is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m. PT on Wednesday, March 22.

Each of the company's conference appearances 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, <a href="www.sonicdrivein.com">www.sonicdrivein.com</a>, and these events generally will be available for replay using that same link for 30 days.

Sonic, America's Drive-In, originally started as a hamburger and root beer stand in 1953 in Shawnee, Okla., called Top Hat Drive-In, and then changed its name to Sonic in 1959. The first drive-in to adopt the Sonic name is still serving customers in Stillwater, Okla. Sonic has over 3,000 drive-ins coast to coast and in Mexico, where more than a million customers eat every day. For more information about Sonic Corp. and its subsidiaries, visit Sonic at www.sonicdrivein.com.