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SONIC TO BROADCAST ITS SECOND QUARTER 2006 CONFERENCE CALL LIVE ON THE INTERNET

OKLAHOMA CITY (March 7, 2006) – Sonic Corp. (NASDAQ/NM:SONC), the nation's largest chain of drive-in restaurants, today announced that it will provide an online Web simulcast of its second quarter fiscal 2006 earnings release conference call on Tuesday, March 21, 2006. During that call, management will comment on Sonic's financial and operational results for the second quarter and six months ended February 28, 2006, which will be released following the market's close on March 20, 2006, and review the company's earnings outlook for the third quarter of fiscal 2006.

The live broadcast of Sonic's conference call will begin at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time on March 21, 2006. An online replay will be available approximately two hours following the conclusion of the live broadcast and will continue through April 21, 2006. Links to these events may be found at the investor section of the company's website, www.sonicdrivein.com.

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.

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