

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or  
Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

[ ] Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5  
obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*  
S.A.C. Capital Associates, LLC  
-----  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
72 Cummings Point Road  
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(Street)  
Stamford CT 06902  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Sonus Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("SNUS")

3. IRS Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Day/Year  
11/18/2002

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)

6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)  
[ ] Director [X] 10% Owner  
[ ] Officer (give title below) [ ] Other (specify below)

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line)  
[X] Form filed by one Reporting Person  
[ ] Form filed by more than one Reporting Person

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of,  
or Beneficially Owned

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Owner- Form: Direct or Indirect 1. Indirect Ownership (Instr. 3) (Instr.4) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Amount or Price (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. ship (D) (I)
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Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	2. Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans- action (Month/ Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/Year)	4. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8) ----- Code V	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ----- (A) (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ----- Date Expira- tion Date
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8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Follow- ing Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

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/s/ Peter Nussbaum

November 18, 2002

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Peter Nussbaum  
Authorized Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed.  
If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.