# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM 8-K

# CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 21, 2021

# Sonim Technologies, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-38907 (Commission File Number) 94-3336783 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

6836 Bee Cave Road Building 1, Suite 279 Austin, TX 78746

(Address of principal executive offices and Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (650) 378-8100

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2 below):			
	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
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	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))		
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))		

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

	Trading	Name of each exchange
Title of each class	Symbol(s)	on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	SONM	The Nasdag Stock Market LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934(§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ⊠

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act:

### Item 3.01 Notice of Delisting or Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule or Standard; Transfer of Listing.

As previously reported, on July 22, 2020 Sonim Technologies, Inc. (the "Company") received a deficiency letter from the Listing Qualifications Department (the "Staff") of the Nasdaq Stock Market ("Nasdaq") notifying the Company that, for the last 30 consecutive business days, the bid price for the Company's common stock had closed below the minimum \$1.00 per share requirement for continued inclusion on the Nasdaq Global Market pursuant to Nasdaq Listing Rule 5450(a)(1) (the "Bid Price Rule"). In accordance with Nasdaq Listing Rule 5810(c)(3)(A) (the "Compliance Period Rule"), the Company was provided an initial period of 180 calendar days, or until January 18, 2021, to regain compliance with the Bid Price Rule.

On January 5, 2021, the Company applied to transfer the listing of its stock from the Nasdaq Global Market to the Nasdaq Capital Market. The Nasdaq Capital Market is a continuous trading market that operates in substantially the same manner as the Nasdaq Global Market and listed companies must meet certain financial requirements and comply with Nasdaq's corporate governance requirements.

On January 20, 2021, Nasdaq approved the Company's transfer application. This transfer will be effective at the opening of business on January 22, 2021. The Company's common stock will continue to trade under the symbol "SONM." Nasdaq has advised the Company that following the effectiveness of transfer of its listing, the Company will be granted an additional 180-day period, or until July 19, 2021 (the "Compliance Date"), to regain compliance with Bid Price Rule. If, at any time before the Compliance Date, the bid price for the Company's common stock closes at \$1.00 or more for a minimum of 10 consecutive business days as required under the Compliance Period Rule, the Staff will provide written notification to the Company that it complies with the Bid Price Rule, unless the Staff exercises its discretion to extend this 10 day period pursuant to Nasdaq Listing Rule 5810(c)(3)(F).

If the Company does not regain compliance with the Bid Price Rule by the Compliance Date, the Staff will provide written notification to the Company that its common stock may be delisted. At that time, the Company may appeal the Staff's delisting determination to a Hearings Panel ("Panel"). The Company expects that its stock would remain listed pending the Panel's decision. There can be no assurance, if the Company does appeal a delisting determination to the Panel, that such appeal would be successful. The Company has provided written notice of its intention to regain compliance with the Bid Price Rule prior to the Compliance Date by carrying out a reverse stock split, if necessary.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated January 20, 2021

# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Sonim Technologies, Inc.

(Registrant)

Date: January 21, 2021 By: /s/ Robert Tirva

Robert Tirva Chief Financial Officer



## **Sonim Receives Nasdaq Extension**

AUSTIN, TX – January 20, 2021 – Sonim Technologies, Inc. (Nasdaq: SONM), today announced the company has received an extension of 180 days, until July 19, 2021 to regain compliance with the Nasdaq minimum bid price requirement for continued listing. The company previously had until January 18, 2021 to regain compliance, and received its extension notice on January 20, 2021.

"We remain confident in our turnaround plans at Sonim, including the significant restructuring we have previously undertaken to lower our operating expenses and improve margins long term, the benefits of which are already starting to be seen in our reported results. We also recently announced transfer of our Shenzhen manufacturing operations to Unicair, and a new software development relationship with Coforge, both of which are expected to further streamline our cost structure in 2021," said Tom Wilkinson, Chief Executive Officer. "In addition to our operating model improvements, we have deepened our relationship with major carriers over the past year, including updating our existing mobile devices to meet specific carrier needs and extend the life of these devices, plus advancing plans for the launch of new carrier supported mobile devices incorporating user requested feature enhancements. Additionally, our first new SmartScanner handheld computer with integrated barcode scanner, as well as the company's first tablet device, also with integrated scanner, are expected to begin shipping in Q1 2021, opening a new worldwide addressable market opportunity estimated at approximately \$2 billion in size."

The Company intends to monitor the closing bid price of its Common Stock and has given written notice to Nasdaq that it will, if necessary, implement available options to regain compliance with the minimum bid price requirement, including a reverse stock split within the range previously approved by stockholders. Nasdaq has also approved the company's application to transfer its stock from the Nasdaq Global Market to the Nasdaq Capital Market.

#### About Sonim Technologies, Inc.

Sonim Technologies is a leading U.S. provider of ultra-rugged mobility solutions designed specifically for task workers physically engaged in their work environments, often in mission-critical roles. The Sonim solution includes ultra-rugged mobile phones, a suite of industrial-grade accessories, and data and workflow applications which are collectively designed to increase worker productivity, communication and safety on the job site. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.sonimtech.com">www.sonimtech.com</a>.

### **Important Cautions Regarding Forward-Looking Statements**

This release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements relate to, among other things, the results of our turnaround plans, cost savings, performance and results of the agreements with Unicair and Coforge, expansion of our global reach, and future growth. These forward-looking statements are based on Sonim's current expectations, estimates and projections about its business and industry, management's beliefs and certain assumptions made by the Company, all of which are subject to change. Forward-looking statements generally can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as, "future", "believe," "expect," "may," "will," "intend," "estimate," "continue," or similar expressions or the negative of those terms or expressions. Such statements involve risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to vary materially from those expressed in or indicated by the forward-looking statements. Factors that may cause actual results to differ materially include Sonim's ability to continue to generate positive cash flow, and ability to be profitable; anticipated trends, such as the use of and demand for its products; its ability to attract and retain customers to purchase and use its products; its ability to attract wireless carriers as customers for its products; the evolution of technology affecting its products and markets; its ability to successfully address the technical issues identified with respect to its products; its ability to introduce new products and enhance existing products, as well as the other potential factors described under "Risk Factors" included in Sonim's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the three months ended March 31, 2020, the Form10-Q for the three months ended June 30, 2020, and the Form 10-Q for the three months ended September 30, filed November 12, 2020, and other documents on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (available at www.sec.gov). Sonim cautions you not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements, which reflect an analysis only and speak only as of the date hereof. Sonim assumes no obligation to update any forward-looking statements in order to reflect events or circumstances that may arise after the date of this release, except as required by law.

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