

**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): **October 22, 2022**

**SONDER HOLDINGS INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-39907**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**85-2097088**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**101 15th Street**  
**San Francisco, California**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**94103**  
(Zip Code)

**(617) 300-0956**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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:

- Written communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencements 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:

Title of each class	Trading Symbols	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	SOND	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
Warrants, each whole warrant exercisable for one share of Common Stock at an exercise price of \$11.50 per share	SONDW	The Nasdaq 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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

***Appointment of Sean Aggarwal to the Board of Directors***

On October 22, 2022, the Board of Directors (the “**Board**”) of Sonder Holdings Inc. (the “**Company**”) appointed Sean Aggarwal to serve as a Class I director of the Board to fill a vacancy on the Board. Mr. Aggarwal will serve as a director until the Company’s 2025 annual meeting of stockholders, and until his successor has been duly elected and qualified, or until his earlier death, resignation or removal. Mr. Aggarwal has also been appointed as a member of the Compensation Committee of the Board and the Nominating, Corporate Governance, and Social Responsibility Committee of the Board. The Board has affirmatively determined that Mr. Aggarwal qualifies as an “independent director” under the applicable Nasdaq Stock Market rules for Board and committee assignments.

Mr. Aggarwal served as the Chief Financial Officer at Trulia, Inc., an online real estate company, from November 2011 to February 2015. Prior to Trulia, Mr. Aggarwal held executive and senior finance positions at PayPal, Inc., eBay Inc., Amazon.com, Inc., PepsiCo, Inc., and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated. Mr. Aggarwal currently serves as a member of the board of directors of Lyft, Inc. a transportation company, where he also serves as board chair, and Arlo Technologies, Inc., a home security company. In addition, in the past five years, he served on the board of directors of Yatra Online, Inc., an online travel company. Mr. Aggarwal holds an MBA from Northwestern University, Kellogg School of Management and a Bachelor of Arts from the College of Wooster.

Mr. Aggarwal will be entitled to receive cash and equity compensation for his service on the Board and committees thereof in the standard amounts previously approved by the Board and as set forth in the Company Outside Director Compensation Policy, as described in the Company’s 2022 Proxy Statement.

Mr. Aggarwal also entered into the Company’s standard form of indemnification agreement, the form of which is filed as Exhibit 10.28 to the Company’s Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-39907), filed with the SEC on January 24, 2022.

There are no arrangements or understandings between Mr. Aggarwal and any other persons, pursuant to which he was appointed as a member of the Board. There are no family relationships between Mr. Aggarwal and any of the Company’s directors or executive officers. Mr. Aggarwal is not a party to any current or proposed transaction with the Company for which disclosure is required under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On October 24, 2022, the Company issued a press release announcing the appointment of Mr. Aggarwal to the Board. A copy of the Company’s press release announcing the appointments is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The information in this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “**Exchange Act**”), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**(d) Exhibits**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	<a href="#">Press Release Issued October 24, 2022</a>
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

Sonder Holdings Inc.

Date: October 24, 2022

By:         /s/ Phil Rothenberg        

Name: Phil Rothenberg

Title: General Counsel and Secretary

## Press Release

### Sonder Holdings Inc. Announces Seasoned Tech Industry Finance Executive Sean Aggarwal Appointed to Board of Directors

**SAN FRANCISCO, October 24, 2022** - Sonder Holdings Inc. (“Sonder”; NASDAQ: SOND), a leading next-generation hospitality company that is redefining the guest experience through technology and design, announced today that Sean Aggarwal has joined Sonder’s Board of Directors, effective immediately.

“We’re really excited to have Sean join our Board. His deep understanding of the real estate and technology sectors and his experience advising future-forward companies make him a great addition to our Board,” said Francis Davidson, Co-Founder and CEO of Sonder. “With his appointment, we have a really impressive bench of incredibly knowledgeable and experienced Board members supporting our Cash Flow Positive plan and future journey.”

“Joining Sonder is an amazing opportunity to help redefine the legacy hospitality sector. I’m a strong believer in companies that innovate across many different verticals. Sonder does this across its operations and cultivates a strong innovation culture within its walls. It’s companies like Sonder that help us all think and expect better,” said Aggarwal.

Aggarwal is currently the Chair of the Board of Directors at Lyft, Inc., as well as a board member at Arlo Technologies, Inc., Thumbtack, Inc. and HomeLight, Inc. He is the former Chief Financial Officer of Trulia which he helped take public in 2012. In 2015, he played a key role in orchestrating Trulia’s sale to Zillow for five times the IPO valuation. Prior to Trulia, Mr. Aggarwal held executive and senior finance positions at PayPal, eBay, Amazon, PepsiCo, and Merrill Lynch. He earned an MBA from Northwestern University’s Kellogg School of Management and a Bachelor of Arts from the College of Wooster.

#### **About Sonder Holdings Inc.**

Sonder (NASDAQ: SOND) is revolutionizing hospitality through innovative, tech-enabled service and inspiring, thoughtfully designed accommodations combined into one seamless experience. Launched in 2014 and headquartered in San Francisco, Sonder provides a variety of accommodation options — from spacious rooms to fully-equipped suites and apartments — found in over 40 markets spanning ten countries and three continents. The Sonder app gives guests full control over their stay. Complete with self-service features, simple check-in and 24/7 on-the-ground support, amenities and services at Sonder are just a tap away, making a world of better stays open to all.

To learn more, visit [www.sonder.com](http://www.sonder.com) or follow Sonder on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram. Download the Sonder app on Apple or Google Play.

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