SONO TEK CORP Form 8-K

December 05, 2012

**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): December 4, 2012

## **Sono-Tek Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 0-16035

New York 14-1568099

(State of Incorporation) (I.R.S. Employer ID No.)

2012 Route 9W, Milton, New York 12547 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (845) 795-2020

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act(17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

## Item 4.01 Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant

On December 4, 2012, Sono-Tek Corporation (the "Company") dismissed Sherb & Co., LLP ("Sherb") from serving as the Company's independent accountants and engaged Liggett, Vogt & Webb, P.A. ("Liggett") as its new independent accountants. The Company's Board of Directors unanimously recommended that the Company change audit firms, directed the process of review of candidate firms to replace Sherb and made the final decision to engage Liggett.

The reports of Sherb on the financial statements of the Company for the years ended February 29, 2012 and February 28, 2011 contained no adverse opinion or disclaimer of opinion and were not qualified or modified as to uncertainty, audit scope or accounting principle. In connection with its audits of the years ended February 29, 2012 and February 28, 2011 and reviews of the Company's financial statements through August 31, 2012, there were no disagreements with Sherb on any matter of accounting principles or practices, financial statement disclosure, or auditing scope or procedure, which disagreements, if not resolved to the satisfaction of Sherb, would have caused them to make reference thereto in their report on the financial statements for such years.

The Company has furnished to Sherb the statements made in this Item 4.01. Attached as Exhibit 16.1 to this Form 8-K, is Sherb's letter to the Commission, dated December 4, 2012 regarding these statements.

During the two most recent fiscal years and through December 4, 2012, the Company has not consulted with Liggett on any matter that (i) involved the application of accounting principles to a specified transaction, either completed or proposed, or the type of audit opinion that might be rendered on the Company's financial statements, in each case where a written report was provided or oral advice was provided that Liggett concluded was an important factor considered by the Company in reaching a decision as to the accounting, auditing or financial reporting issue; or (ii) was either the subject of a disagreement, as that term is defined in Item 304(a)(1)(iv) of Regulation S-K and the related instructions to Item 304 of Regulation S-K, or a reportable event, as that term is defined in Item 304(a)(1)(v) of Regulation S-K.

#### **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

## Exhibit

### No. Description

Letter, dated December 4, 2012 from Sherb & Co., LLP to the Securities and Exchange Commission, regarding change in certifying accountant of the Company.

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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.

## SONO-TEK CORPORATION

By: /s/ Stephen J. Bagley

Stephen J. Bagley

Chief Financial Officer

December 5, 2012