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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addres | ss of Reporting Perso <u> MELA LEWIS</u> | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SONOCO PRODUCTS CO</u> [SON] | | tionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director | rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner | |
|----------------------------------|---|---------------------|--|------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| (Last) ONE NORTH S | (First) ECOND STREET | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/30/2007 | | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | |
| (Street) HARTSVILLE (City) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabl Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
| | Ta | able I - Non-Deriva | ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi | icially | Owned | | |

| Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transa Code (8) | ction | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--------------------------|---|------------------------------|-------|---|---------------|-------|---|---|---|
| | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150.4) |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (| ction | 5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. 3 | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ed ed | | Expiration Date Amount of (Month/Day/Year) Securities | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------|-------|---|---|-----|--|-----------------|---|--|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| Phantom Stock Units | (1) | 03/30/2007 | | A | | 382.5 | | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 382.5 | \$37.58 | 2,314.4 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Sonoco Products Company common stock.

2. The phantom stock units were accrued under the Sonoco Products Company directors deferred compensation plan and are to be settled in cash or Sonoco Products Company common stock upon the reporting person's retirement.

By: George S. Hartley - Power

of Attorney For: Pamela Lewis 04/02/2007

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

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