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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MULLIN JOHN H III					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO SON								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)								
WOLLIN JOHN II III														X D	recto	or		10% O	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2007									fficer elow)	(give title		Other (s	specify		
ONE NORTH SECOND STREET																					
						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street)															Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(\$	State)	(Zip)																		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of S	Security (Ins	str. 3)		2. Transa	action	7	2A. Deem	ed	3.		4. Secur	ities Acquir	ed (A) or	5. /	mou	ınt of	6. Ov	wnership	7. Nature		
Date) Jav/Ve:	Execution Da			r, Transaction Disposed Of (D) Code (Instr. 5)		d Of (D) (Ins	str. 3, 4 aı		Securities Beneficially		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect		of Indirect Beneficial				
(Monthly)						(Month/Day/Yea								Ow	ned I	Following (i) (I		nstr. 4)	Ownership		
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	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				4. Transa Code (1 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5)				10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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Phantom Stock Units	(1)	07/02/2007			A		335.8		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	335.8	\$42.	1	5,805		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: John H. 07/03/2007

Mullin, III

** Signature of Reporting 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).

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