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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Tiede Robert C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [ SON ]	(Check	tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director Officer (give title	on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) ONE NORTH S P O BOX 160	(First) ECOND ST	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2016	X	below) SVP-GLOB Consum	below) onsumer Pkg&Svc	
(Street) HARTSVILLE (City)	SC (State)	29551-0160 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More than Person	orting Person	

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction 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)		(1130.14)

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 ( 8)		5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquin (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	tive ties red sed 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative derivative Security Securities	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Dividend Equivalents on Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/31/2016		F			4	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	4	\$39.9	3,299.8	D	
Dividend Equivalents on Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/31/2016		F			6	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	6	\$32.36	3,293.8	D	
Dividend Equivalents on Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/31/2016		F			8	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	8	\$31.19	3,285.8	D	
Dividend Equivalents on Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/31/2016		F			10	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10	\$40.06	3,275.8	D	
Dividend Equivalents on Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/31/2016		F			16	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	16	\$48.87	3,259.8	D	
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(3)</sup>	03/31/2016		A		143.6		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	143.6	\$48.57	13,014.1	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each share of Dividend equivalents on Restricted Stock units is the economic equivalent of one share of Sonoco Products Company common stock

2. Each share of Dividend Equivalents on Restricted Stock Unit is the equivalent of one share of Sonoco Products Company common stock. The shares were cashed out to account for withholding taxes.

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

4. The phantom stock units were accrued under the Sonoco Products Company Officers Deferred compensation plan and will be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service.

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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).

\*\* 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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