## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT	OF CHA	NGES IN	<b>BENEFICIAL</b>	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Haley John R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO SON								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)								
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	RTH SEC		(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2017								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify	
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D			Execution Date,			Code	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 2) Code (Instr. 5)				4 and Securitie Benefici		es Forn ially (D) o Following (I) (II		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Pr	ice	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(instr. 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.			ate, Ti	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of l		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		E	B. Price of Derivative Gecurity 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)		
				С	code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numl of Share	ber					
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	12/08/2017			A		118.9		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	118	.9	\$54.67	16,789.1	1	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Sonoco Products Company common stock.
- 2. Acquired on quarterly dividend on Sonoco Products Company's directors' deferred compensation plan and will be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service.

By: Elizabeth R. Kremer -

Power of Attorney for John R. 12/12/2017

**Haley** 

\*\* 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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