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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 [*] MICALI JAMES M					er Name and Ticke					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
,									Director		Owner				
(Last)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2007							Officer (give title below)	below	(specify /)				
ONE NORTH S	ECOND ST	REET	L												
				4. If An 10/02/	nendment, Date of (Origina	al Filed	(Month/Day/Ye	ear)	6. Indi Line)	vidual or Joint/Grou	p Filing (Check A	Applicable		
(Street) HARTSVILLE SC 29550				10/02/2007							X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)													
		Table I - No	n-Derivati	ive S	ecurities Acqu	uired	, Disp	posed of, c	r Ben	eficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transacti Date (Month/Day		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction		4. Securities Disposed Of 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)		
						Codo		Amount	(A) or	Drico	Transaction(s)		[````'		

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

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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 Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Sed 3, 4		Amount of		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)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	10/01/2007		A		884.9		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	884.9	\$30.37	4,536.5	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

(A) or (D)

Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

of Attorney For: James M. 01/09/2008 <u>Micali</u>

** 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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