FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* COKER JAMES L					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [SON]									(Che	eck all appl V Direct	or	g Per	10% O	vner	
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date			Code (Instr. 5)			A) or , 4 and	5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte	ies For cially (D) Following (I)		n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
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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)	Execution	Date,	1. Fransaction Code (Instr. 3)				6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amount of Securitie Underlyin Derivativ	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly [10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Phantom Stock Units	(1)	12/10/2010			A		90.6		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	90	0.6	\$33.46 ⁽³⁾	10,921.4	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. 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.
- 3. Corrected share price

By: Elizabeth R. Kremer-Power of Attorney for James L. 12/14/2010 Coker IV

** 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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