FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Haley John R</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [SON]									ationship k all appli Directo	cable)	g Per	son(s) to Iss	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE NORTH SECOND ST P O BOX 160					07/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/03/2017										(give title		Other (s below)	
(Street) HARTSVILLE SC (City) (State)		tate)	29551-0160 (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Perform filed by More than One Represon										orting Perso	n		
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	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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		D S (I	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	y O' Fo Oi (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amo or Num of Share	ber					
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	07/03/2017			A		533.3		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	533	.3	\$51.57	16,002.	6	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 Sonoco Products Company common stock 6 months after the reporting person's retirement.

By: Elizabeth R. Kremer -

Power of Attorney for John R. 07/07/2017

<u>Haley</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).
- ** 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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