FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BOND RITCHIE L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [SON]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify						
	ast) (First) (Middle) NE NORTH SECOND ST O BOX 160							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2012								below)		эрсспу		
(Street) HARTSVILLE SC 29551-0160 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2012									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	e Se	curiti	es Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	of, or B	eneficia	lly Own	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D.						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			d Secui Bene Owne	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 02/07/							2012		М		79	A	\$0	1)	79		D			
Common Stock 02/07/							2012		F		79	D	\$32	61 (1 0.0000		D			
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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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Date, Transact Code (In				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		e s ully	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership tt (Instr. 4)		
				Cod	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Phantom Stock	(2)	02/07/2012			М			79 ⁽³⁾	(4)		(4)	Common	79	\$32.96	8,363	3	D			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 32.96
- 2. Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Sonoco Products Company common stock.
- 3. Tax calculation correction
- 4. Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Sonoco Products Company common stock. The shares were cashed out to account for withholding taxes.

By: Elizabeth R. Kremer -

Power of Attorney for Ritchie 03/13/2012

L. Bond

** 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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