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* <u>Guillemot Philippe</u> |  |  |   |    |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [ SON ] |       |     |  |   |  |  |  |  | Relationship<br>eck all appli<br>X Directo          | cable)<br>or  | g Per              | 10% O  | wner   |
|--|--|--|---|----|---|---|-------|-----|--|---|--|--|--|--|---|---|--------------------|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE NORTH SECOND ST P O BOX 160            |  |  |   |    | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2019 |   |       |     |  |   |  |  |  |  | below)  |   |                    | Other (below)  |  |
|  | RTSVILLE SC 29551-   |  | 29551-016   | 50 | 4. If   | I. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                      |       |     |  |   |  |  | Line   | ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |   |                    |  |  |
| (City)   | (City) (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned                                       |  |   |    |   |   |       |     |  |   |  |  |  |  |   |   |                    |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da         |  |  |   |    | action  | ction 2A. Deemed Execution Da   |       |     | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.                      |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, |  |  | A) or  | 5. Amou<br>Securiti<br>Benefic                      | unt of 6. (ies Fo (D) Following (I)   |                    | n: Direct<br>r Indirect<br>istr. 4)                                      | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                |
|  |  |  |   |    |   |   |       |     | Code   | v | Amount   | (A) or<br>(D)                                    |  | Price  | Transac<br>(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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |    | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8)                     |   | n of  |     | 6. Date Exercisa<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year |   |  | Amount of<br>Securitie<br>Underlyin<br>Derivativ | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactio<br>(Instr. 4) | ly Di<br>or<br>(I) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |  |  |   |    | Code  | v   | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercisabl                                     |   | xpiration<br>ate   | Title  | or<br>Nu<br>of   | nount<br>mber<br>ares  |   |   |                    |  |  |
| Phantom<br>Stock<br>Units  | (1)  | 10/01/2019                                 |   |    | A   |   | 944.1 |     | (2)  |   | (2)  | Common<br>Stock                                  | 94   | 44.1   | \$57.99   | 8,023   |                    | 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.

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Attorney for Philippe

10/02/2019

Guillemot

\*\* 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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