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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			of Section So(n) of the investment Company Act of 1940					
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*]			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SONOCO PRODUCTS CO</u> [SON]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
MICALI JAMES M				X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last) ONE NORTH		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2012	1	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
P O BOX 160			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 04/04/2012	6. Indiv Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filin			
(Street) HARTSVILLE	SC	29551-0160	_		Form filed by One Re Form filed by More the Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11150.4)		

 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	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		(Instr. 4)		
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	04/02/2012		A		1,169 ⁽²⁾		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	1,169	\$33.49	22,584.1	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 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.

2. Amount correction

By: Elizabeth R. Kremer-

Power of Attorney for James M. Micali 04/25/2012

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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