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>Istavridis Eleni</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [ SON ]									itionship of all applic	able)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE NORTH SECOND ST P O BOX 160			01/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2021								L. di	below)		Fills of	Other (s below)			
(Street) HARTSVILLE SC 29551- (City) (State) (Zip)			29551-016 Zip)	50	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne)	′				
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	isp	osed c	of, or Be	nefici	ally	Owned	i			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					ar) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (In:	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		4 and Securiti Benefic Owned		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	,	Amount	nount (A) or (D)		•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		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)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of E		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v			Date Exercisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	per					
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	01/04/2021			Α		556.5		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	556.5		\$58.4	556.5		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 -

01/05/2021 Power of Attorney for Eleni

Istavridis

\*\* 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).
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