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*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [SON]										ship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer applicable)				
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Explanation of Responses:

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1. 1-for-1

Phantom

Stock Units

2. 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.

(D)

Date Exercisable

(2)

Date

(2)

By: George S. Hartley - Power of Attorney For: James L.

or Number

of Shares

371.6

Coker, IV

Title

Common

Stock

\$33.64

1,580.8

10/03/2006

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** 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).

10/02/2006

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