FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
<u>CAMPBELL BERNARD W</u>				150	SOMOCO PRODUCTS CO [SOM]							Direc	tor		10% Ow	/ner			
(Last)	/E	irst)	(Middle)		3. [Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							X Offic below	er (give title v)		Other (s below)	pecify		
` '	•	•	(iviluule)		03/	03/31/2006							VP & CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER						
ONE NORTH SECOND STREET																			
(Street)					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	AC	quired, D	isposed (of, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	d					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					ar) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) o d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		Benefi Owned	ties cially Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code V	Amount (A		Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Ir				6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	and 7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivativ Security		ive ies cially ng ed ction(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	Amoun or Numbe of Shares							
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	03/31/2006			A		22.784		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	22.78	\$33.87	3,752.2	337	D			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 1-for-1
- 2. The reported phantom stock units were acquired under Sonoco Products Company's excess benefit plan and will be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service.

By: George S. Hartley - Power

of Attorney For: Bernard W.

<u>Campbell</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

04/04/2006

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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