## FORM 4

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     CECIL ALLAN V					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [ SON ]									eck all appli Directo	tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue all applicable)  Director 10% Ow  Officer (give title Other (st			vner
(Last) ONE NORT	(First	,	liddle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/03/2006										Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP-INVESTOR RELATIONS			
(Street) HARTSVIL	LLE SC	29	29550				ment	, Date of	f Origina	al Filed	l (Month/Day/	6. I Lin	e) X Form	Form filed by Mars than One Reporting				
(City)	(State	e) (Zi	ip)												Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			Date (Month/Da		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Date,	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		3, 4 and 5)	Securiti Benefic	es ally Following	Form	Direct Indirect str. 4)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111341. 4)		
Common Stock			02/03/2	2006				M		13,000	A	\$19.6875		000		D		
Common Stock			02/03/2006				M	Ш	15,000	A	\$21.15 28,		,000	000				
Common Stock			02/03/2006				S	Ш	3,000	D	\$32.9		25,000		D			
Common Stock			02/03/2	02/03/2006				S		5,000	D	\$32.9008 20,		,000	)00			
Common Stock			02/03/2	02/03/2006				S		5,000	D	\$32.90	\$32.9016		000			
Common Stock			02/03/2	02/03/2006				S	Ш	5,000	D	\$32.90		0,000		D		
Common Stock			02/03/2					S		4,600	D		\$32.907 5,400		) D			
Common Stock			02/03/2	03/2006				S		5,000	D	\$32.9518 400		100		D		
Common Stock			02/03/2	2006				S		400	D	\$33		0		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execut urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any							6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securities Underlying		Derivative Security		re es ally ng d tion(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	1				
Non-Qual. Stock Option(right to buy)w/tandem tax w/h right	\$19.6875	02/03/2006			M			13,000	02/02	2/2001	02/02/2010	Common Stock	13,000	\$0	0		D	
Non-Qual. Stock Option(right to buy)w/tandem tax w/h right	\$21.15	02/03/2006			М			15,000	02/05	5/2004	02/05/2013	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	0		D	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

By: George S. Hartley - Power of Attorney For: Allan V. Cecil

02/07/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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