FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	<b>OF CHANGES</b>	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MAHONEY KEVIN P					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [ SON ]							Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE NORTH SECOND STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2005							X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VICE PRESIDENT-CORP. PLANNING					
(Street) HARTSV			29550		1. If Ame	endment, I	Date o	of Original Fi	led (Moi	nth/Da <u>y</u>	y/Year)	Line	X Form fi	led by One I	Filing (Check Reporting Pe than One Re	rson	
(City) (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
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				Cod	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	06/30/2005		A	T	27.045		(2)	(2	2)	Common Stock	27.045	\$26.5	731.4706	5 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

07/01/2005 of Attorney For: Kevin P.

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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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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