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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(n) of the Investment Company Act of 1940					
1. Name and Address of Reporting reison			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [SON]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
BRADSHAW CHARLES J (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE NORTH SECOND STREET				X	Director	10% Owner		
		· · · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/03/2006		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	idual or Joint/Group Filing	(Check Applicable		
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

L. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	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)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	07/03/2006		A		394.9		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	394.9	\$31.65	4,463.7	D	

Explanation of Responses:

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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.

By: George S. Hartley - Power

of Attorney For: Charles J. 07/05/2006 Bradshaw

** 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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