FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fuller Rodger D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SONOCO PRODUCTS CO [ SON ]							5. 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) 06/10/2005							X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VICE PRESIDENT RPP-NA/PHOENIX					
(Street) HARTSVILLE SC 29550 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tab	le I - Non-	-Deriva	ative \$	Sec	urities	Acc	quired, Di	sposed o	of, or Ber	neficial	y Owned				
1. Title of S	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4					es ally 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 Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		(Instr. 4)		
		7	able II - D						ıired, Dis <sub>l</sub> options,				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	ate, T	ransact code (In:		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				c	Code V	,	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Dividend Equivalents on Restricted Stock Units	(1)	06/10/2005			A		85.4		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	85.4	\$27.14	160.3	D		
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	06/10/2005			A		11.969		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	11.969	\$27.14	1,449.147	74 D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. 1-for-1
- $2. \ Acquired \ on \ quarterly \ dividend. \ The \ rights \ become \ exercisable \ proportion at ely \ with \ the \ options \ to \ which \ they \ relate.$
- 3. Acquired on quarterly dividend on the Sonoco Products Company excess benefit plan and are to be settled in cash upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service.

By: George S. Hartley - Power of Attorney For: Rodger D. 06/14/2005
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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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