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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Pric
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriva
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Securi
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired			(Instr.

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	Derivative Security				(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)						
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	10/01/2008	А		543.8		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	543.8	\$ 29

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	ector 10% Owner		Other				
FORT CALEB C ONE NORTH SECOND STREET HARTSVILLE, SC 29550	Х							
Signatures								
By: George S. Hartley - Power of A Fort	ttorney F	or: Caleb C.		10/03/2008				
**Signature of Reporting F		Date						

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Sonoco Products Company common stock.
- (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.
- (3) Includes 34.6 shares acquired on June 10, 2008 dividend payment on Sonoco Products Company's directors' deferred compensation plan.

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