

SONOCO PRODUCTS CO

Form 8-K

February 14, 2019

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 14, 2019

SONOCO PRODUCTS COMPANY

Commission File No. 001-11261

Incorporated under the laws of South Carolina
I.R.S. Employer Identification No.
57-0248420
1 N. Second St.
Hartsville, South Carolina 29550
Telephone: 843/383-7000

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company “

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. “

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Exchange Act
(17 CFR
240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement
communications
[] pursuant to Rule
14d-2(b) under the
Exchange Act (17
CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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communications
[] pursuant to Rule
13e-4(c) under the
Exchange Act (17
CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Section 2 - Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 14, 2019, Sonoco Products Company issued a news release reporting the financial results of the Company for the quarter ended December 31, 2018. A copy of that release is attached as an exhibit hereto.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit 99 - Registrant's 2018 Fourth Quarter Earnings Release

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

SONOCO PRODUCTS
COMPANY

Date:
February
14, 2019

By: /s/ Barry L.
Saunders

Barry L.
Saunders
Senior
Vice
President
and Chief
Financial
Officer