Sonoco to Host Fourth Quarter 2006 Investor Conference Call

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HARTSVILLE, S.C., Jan. 11 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Sonoco (NYSE: SON) will host its regular quarterly investor conference call on Wednesday, February 7, 2007, at 2 p.m. Eastern Time, to review its financial results for the fourth quarter and full year of 2006. Participants from Sonoco will include Harris E. DeLoach, Jr., chairman, president and CEO, Charles J. Hupfer, senior vice president and chief financial officer, and Allan V. Cecil, vice president, Investor Relations and Corporate Affairs.

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The live conference call can be accessed via the Internet at http://www.sonoco.com, under the "Latest News" section. Those planning to participate should plan to connect to the live webcast at least five minutes prior to the start. Those interested in participating in the live interactive call, should contact Sonoco Corporate Communications at +843/383-7794 to register. A telephonic replay of the call will be available after 4:30 p.m. Eastern time on February 7 through February 17, 2007, to U.S. callers at 888/286-8010, and for international callers at +617/801-6888. The access code for both replays is 77736586. The call also will be archived on the Investor Information section of the Sonoco Web site for 30 days.

About Sonoco

Sonoco, founded in 1899, is a $3.5 billion manufacturer of industrial and consumer packaging products and provider of packaging services, with approximately 300 operations in 35 countries serving customers in 85 nations. For more information on the Company, visit http://www.sonoco.com.

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