Sonoco to Present at Longbow Research Paper & Packaging Conference

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HARTSVILLE, S.C.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Nov. 5, 2007--Sonoco (NYSE: SON) Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer Harris E. DeLoach, Jr., and Staff Vice President and Corporate Controller Barry Saunders will make a presentation at the Longbow Research Paper & Packaging Conference at 2:40 p.m. Central Time, on November 6, 2007, at the ADA Conference Center, 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Ill. The presentation will be webcast and can be accessed via the Internet at http://www.sonoco.com, under the "Latest News" section or by accessing the Longbow Research conference Web site at http://www.shareholder.com/long/MediaRegister.cfm?MediaID=28106.

Those unable to listen to the live webcast, may hear a replay that will be available through Sonoco's Web site for six months after the date of the conference.

About Sonoco

Sonoco, founded in 1899, is a $3.7 billion global manufacturer of consumer and industrial packaging products and provider of packaging services, with more than 330 operations in 35 countries serving customers in some 85 nations. For more information on Sonoco, visit our Web site at http://www.sonoco.com.

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