#### SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP

Form 4

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# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** HOBBS RICHARD F			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP [SXT]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	Director 10% Owner			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Officer (give title Other (specification) below)			
777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE			12/06/2007	VP & CFO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	11/08/2007		G	V	700 (1)	D	\$0	86,400 (2)	D		
Common Stock	12/06/2007		A		30,000 (3)	A	\$0	116,400 (2)	D		
Common Stock								8,511.29 (4)	I	ESOP	
Common Stock								11,432.417 (5)	I	Savings Plan	
Common Stock								12,059.796 (6)	I	Supplemental Benefit Plan	

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Number Expiration Date of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.54					12/10/2002	12/10/2011	Common Stock	50,000	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.57					12/01/2006	12/01/2015	Common Stock	25,000	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.4					12/08/2004	12/08/2013	Common Stock	30,000	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22					12/11/2001	12/11/2010	Common Stock	50,000	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22.1875					09/13/2000	09/13/2009	Common Stock	18,250	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23					12/06/2005	12/06/2014	Common Stock	30,000	
	\$ 23.19					12/09/2003	12/09/2012		50,000	

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**Reporting Owners** 

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOBBS RICHARD F 777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

VP & CFO

Stock

**Signatures** 

(Right to

buy)

John L. Hammond, Attorney-In-Fact for Mr.
Hobbs

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person 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).
- (5) Represents shares held in Issuer's Savings Plan as of the most recent statement date.
- (3) Represents grant of restricted stock under Issuer's 1998 Stock Option Plan.
- (6) Represents shares held in Issuer's Suppplemental Benefit Plan as of the most recent statement date.
- (1) Reflects a gift of shares to charitable organizations.
- (4) Represents shares held in Issuer's ESOP as of the most recent statement date.
- (7) Original option grant vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date listed.
- (2) Includes shares of restricted stock held under the Issuer's 2002 and 1998 Stock Option Plans.

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