# 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):

December 18, 2008

# **Avery Dennison Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-7685	95-1492269
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)
150 North Orange Grove Boulevard, Pasadena, California		91103
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant's telephone number, including area	code:	626-304-2000
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Former na	nme or former address, if changed since last	report
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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

(e) Effective as of December 18, 2008, the Board of Directors ("Board") of the Company ratified the actions of the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee ("Committee") of the Board taken at a meeting of the Committee on that day. In response to, and in order to comply with, Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code, the Committee approved the amended and restated Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan ("SERP") and the amended and restated Letters of Grant to Messrs. Dean A. Scarborough, President and Chief Executive Officer, Robert G. van Schoonenberg, Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer, and Daniel R. O'Bryant, Executive Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer. These individuals are the only current employees who are participants in the SERP.

The terms and conditions of the SERP and Letters of Grant have been amended to comply with Section 409A, which governs "nonqualified deferred compensation" arrangements and imposes new requirements with respect to, among othe r things, deferral elections and the time and form of payments under plans such as the SERP. The foregoing description of the amendments to the SERP and Letters of Grant is not a complete description of the changes made to these arrangements and is qualified by reference to Exhibits 10.11.1 through 10.11.4.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

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10.11.2.1 Letter of Grant to D.A. Scarborough, amended and restated, under the SERP

10.11.3.1 Letter of Grant to R.G. van Schoonenberg, amended and restated, under the SERP

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# **SIGNATURES**

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.

Avery Dennison Corporation

December 23, 2008

By: /s/ D.R. O'Bryant

Name: D.R. O'Bryant

Title: Executive Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

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#### AMENDED AND RESTATED

#### **AVERY DENNISON CORPORATION**

#### SUPPLEMENTAL EXECUTIVE RETIREMENT PLAN

#### ARTICLE I - GENERAL

#### **Section 1.1 Background**

Avery Dennison Corporation (the "Company" and successor to Avery International Corporation), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, by resolution of its Board of Directors dated November 17, 1983, adopted the Avery International Corporation Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan effective as of December 1, 1983, and which by action of the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee of the Board of Directors on April 23, 1998, was amended and restated to be the Avery Dennison Corporation Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan (the "Plan") effective as of April 23, 1998, and which Plan by action of the Committee is further amended and restated effective as of April 22, 2004, as set forth herein. Between January 1, 2005 and December 31, 2008, the Plan was operated in accordance with transition relief established by the Treasury Department and Internal Revenue Service pursuant to Code Section 409A. The Plan is amended and restated effective as of January 1, 2009 to bring the Plan into compliance with Code Section 409A and the Treasury Regulations issued by the Treasury Department on April 10, 2007 and effective January 1, 2009.

The Plan constitutes an unfunded "excess benefit plan" within the meaning of Section 3(36) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA"). The Plan is maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred Compensation for a select group of management or highly compensated employees, within the meaning of ERISA Sections 201(2), 301(a)(3) and 401(a)(1).

The Plan is intended to comply with Code Section 409A and the Treasury Regulations thereunder. Any provision of this document that is contrary to the requirements of Code Section 409A or the Treasury Regulations thereunder shall be null void and of no effect and the Plan shall be interpreted and administered consistent with the requirements of Code Section 409A, which shall govern the administration of the Plan in the event of a conflict between the Plan terms and the requirements of Code Section 409A and the Treasury Regulations thereunder.

#### **Section 1.2 Purpose**

The purpose of the Plan is to provide its participants with (i) additional incentive to further the growth, development and financial success of the Company, and (ii) an inducement to remain in the service of the Company, by offering benefits to supplement other benefits they may be entitled to receive at the time of their retirement.

#### **Section 1.3 Definitions**

Whenever the terms below are used in the Plan with the first letter capitalized, they shall have the meaning specified below. Capitalized terms used in the Plan and not defined below or in a Letter of Grant shall have the meanings attributed to those terms under the BRP.

- (a) "Average Compensation" shall mean base compensation plus annual bonus over the last three years of his employment, subject to any adjustments under a Letter of Grant.
- (b) "BRP" shall mean the Amended and Restated Benefit Restoration Plan of Avery Dennison Corporation.
- (c) "Change in Control" shall mean a Change in Control as defined under the BRP.
- (d) "Committee" shall mean the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company.
- (e) "Company" shall mean Avery Dennison Corporation.
- (f) "Cause" shall mean (a) a Participant's commission of a crime or other act that could materially damage the reputation of the Company; (b) a Participant's theft, misappropriation, or embezzlement of Company property; (c) a Participant's falsification of records maintained by the Company; (d) a Participant's substantial failure to comply with the written policies and procedures of the Company as they may be published or revised from time-to-time; (e) a Participant's misconduct; or (f) a Participant's substantial failure to perform the material duties of Participant's job with the Company, which failure is not cured within 30 days after written notice from the Company specifying the act or acts of non-performance. Determination of Cause shall be made by the Committee or one or more individuals designated by the Committee, in its sole and exclusive discretion.
- (g) "Death Benefit" shall mean the SERP Benefit payable to a surviving spouse in accordance with Article 5.
- (h) "Disability" shall mean, with respect to a Participant, the approval for long term disability under the applicable long term disability plan maintained by the Company or an Affiliate under which the Participant is covered.
- (i) "Good Reason" shall mean (a) a material reduction of job responsibilities; (b) the Participant's total targeted compensation is decreased by more than ten percent in a twelve month period; or (c) a reassignment of the Participant's principal place of work, without consent, to a location more than 50 miles from the Participant's assigned work location at the time of a Change of Control. For a Participant to become vested in his SERP Benefits due to a Good Reason, in addition to other requirements in this Plan the Participant must have provided written notice to the Company of the asserted Good Reason not later than 30 days after the occurrence of the event on which Good Reason is based and at least 30 days prior to Participant's proposed termination date. The written notice must contain reasonably specific detail describing the Good Reason. The Company may take action to cure Participant's stated Good Reason within this 30-day period. If the Company does so, the Participant shall not be eligible to be vested in his SERP Benefits if he or she nevertheless voluntarily terminates employment.

- (j) "Interest" shall mean, except as otherwise stated in the Letter of Grant from the Company to the Participant, "Interest" as defined under the BRP.
- (k) "**Key Employee**" shall mean an individual determined to be a "Key Employee" under the Company's Key Employee Policy, or any other definition adopted by the Committee with respect to all plans and arrangements subject to Code Section 409A.
- (l) "**Letter of Grant**" shall mean a letter to a Participant describing the SERP Benefit payable to a Participant, and any terms of the Plan that may apply to such Participant. Provisions of a Letter of Grant shall control to the extent inconsistent with the Plan.
- (m) "Lump Sum" shall mean the single sum payment that is Actuarially Equivalent to the SERP Benefit payable as of a specified date.
- (n) "Plan" shall mean the Amended and Restated Avery Dennison Corporation Supplemental Executive Benefit Plan.
- (o) "Participant" shall mean an individual who is described under Article II.
- (p) "**Qualified Plan**" shall mean the Qualified Plan as defined in the BRP. The Qualified Plan is a qualified employer plan as defined under Treasury Regulation

Section 1.409A-1(a)(2).

- (q) "**SERP Benefit**" shall mean the benefit payable under the Plan.
- (r) "2008 Transition Election" shall mean the 2008 Transition Election as defined under the BRP.

#### **Section 1.4 Source of Benefits**

The Plan shall be an unfunded promise of the Company or applicable Company Affiliates to make payments in accordance with its terms. All SERP Benefits payable under the Plan shall be paid from the Company's general assets, and nothing contained in the Plan shall require the Company to set aside or hold in trust any funds for the benefit of a Participant or his Beneficiary, each of whom shall have the status of a general unsecured creditor with respect to the Company's obligation to make payments under the Plan. Any funds of the Company available to pay SERP Benefits under the Plan shall be subject to the claims of general creditors of the Company and may be used for any purpose by the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company, in its sole discretion, shall have the authority to allocate the total liability to pay any SERP Benefit under the Plan to any applicable Employer as it deems appropriate.

#### **Section 1.5 Administration**

Responsibility for the administration of the Plan shall rest exclusively with the Committee.

#### ARTICLE II - ELIGIBILITY

The Participants in the Plan shall be those Employees of the Company or any Company Affiliate who are so designated by the Committee.

#### **ARTICLE III – BENEFITS**

# **Section 3.1 Benefit Formula**

The SERP Benefit payable to a Participant under the Plan, including any preretirement death benefits payable to his Beneficiary, shall be determined by the Committee at the time he is designated as a Participant and shall be set forth in a Letter of Grant. In general terms, the benefit will be based on a designated percentage of his Average Compensation.

### **Section 3.2 Vesting**

A Participant shall be fully vested in his SERP Benefit upon attaining age 65 while an employee of the Company, or upon any such earlier date as the Committee designates with respect to him. Otherwise non-vested SERP Benefits shall vest upon the Participant's death or Disability while an employee of the Company; or upon his involuntary Separation from Service without Cause, which includes an involuntary Separation from Service due to a Change in Control; or upon his Separation from Service for Good Reason; provided, however, the vesting provisions set forth in a Letter of Grant if different shall control.

# ARTICLE IV - TIME AND FORM OF PAYMENT

# **Section 4.1 Form of Payment**

The form in which each Participant's SERP Benefit is paid under the Plan shall be the same form of payment either specified or, if applicable, elected under the terms of the BRP. A Participant who had not received or commenced to receive SERP Benefits as of December 31, 2008, was permitted to make a 2008 Transition Election regarding the form of payment.

#### **Section 4.2 Time of Payment**

- (a) **Benefit Commencement Date**. A Participant's SERP Benefit shall be paid as of the same Benefit Commencement Date determined under the BRP based on the Payment Events described thereunder.
- (b) **6-month Delay**. As provided for in the BRP, to the extent a Participant is a Key Employee and is entitled to a SERP Benefit as a result of a Separation from Service, the Participant's Benefit Commencement Date shall be the first day of the month coincident with or next

following the date that is six months after the Participant's Separation from Service, unless an earlier payment complies with a permissible Code Section 409A exception (*e.g.*, the payment of employment taxes).

- (c) **Interest on Delayed Payments**. At the end of the six-month period described in Section 4.2(b), the Plan shall provide the Participant with a one-time payment equal to the amount the participant would have been entitled to receive if his Benefit Commencement Date had been the first day of the month following his Separation from Service, together with Interest.
- (d) **2008 Transition Election**. A Participant who had not received or commenced to receive SERP Benefits under the Plan as of December 31, 2008, was permitted to make a 2008 Transition Election with respect to a time of payment for the Participant's BRP Benefit and SERP Benefit payable upon Separation from Service, and the Participant's SERP Benefit hereunder shall be paid in accordance with the elected, or deemed elected, time of payment, if he has a Separation from Service except if the Participant is subject to the time of payment restriction described in Section 5.2(c) of BRP (which relates to an election to change the form of payment). On and after January 1, 2009, a Participant will not be permitted to elect a Benefit Commencement Date, except to the extent the election permitted under Section 5.2(c) of the BRP is made, which shall require that the vested SERP Benefit be paid at the same time as the BRP Benefit based on the applicable restrictions for such election.

#### Section 4.3 Combined Cashout

- (a) **De Minimis Cashout**. Pursuant to the terms of the BRP, if the Actuarially Equivalent Lump Sum present value of all nonaccount balance nonqualified plan benefits is less than the Code Section 402(g) limit as of the Participant's Separation from Service, the Company shall pay the Participant (or Beneficiary) the entire SERP Benefit (or Death Benefit) in a Lump Sum; provided, all of the Participant's nonaccount balance nonqualified plan benefits are also paid in a lump sum as of the same date.
- (b) **Large Cashout**. Pursuant to the terms of the BRP, if the combined Actuarially Equivalent Lump Sum present value of the SERP Benefit and the BRP Benefit is less than or equal to \$50,000 as of the Participant's Benefit Commencement Date, the Company shall pay the Participant (or Beneficiary) the entire SERP Benefit (or Death Benefit) in a Lump Sum; provided, the Participant's BRP benefit is also to be paid at the same time and in the same form.

#### **Section 4.4 Other Permissible Delays or Accelerations**

If the Committee determines that a delay or an acceleration of a benefit is appropriate and complies with the requirements under Code Section 409A (*e.g.*, a delay to comply with Code Section 162(m) or an acceleration to pay employment taxes), the Committee may either delay or accelerate the payment of a Benefit in accordance with the terms of Code Section 409A in its sole discretion as it deems advisable. If any payment is delayed in accordance with this provision, the Company shall pay such delayed payments together with Interest upon the expiration of the period of the delay.

#### ARTICLE V — DEATH BENEFIT

To the extent a vested SERP Benefit is first payable due to the death of the Participant, and the Participant is survived by the spouse to whom he was married on his date of his death, such spouse shall be entitled to a Death Benefit paid at the same time and in the same form as the "death benefit" under the BRP. The Death Benefit payable under the Plan shall be the Actuarial Equivalent amount of the SERP Benefit that would be payable if, before the Participant's date of the death, the Participant attained age 65 (or such other age specified in a Letter of Grant), commenced his SERP Benefit in the form of a Joint and Survivor Annuity (based on a percentage designated by the Committee, which generally shall be 50%), and then died.

If a Participant is not married at the time of his death before his Benefit Commencement Date, then all SERP Benefits with respect to the Participant shall be forfeited. To the extent a Participant dies after another Payment Event has occurred, but before his Benefit Commencement Date, the Benefit shall be accelerated and the amount described under Section 4.5 of the BRP shall be paid to the Beneficiary in a Lump Sum, as permitted under Code Section 409A and the Treasury Regulations thereunder.

# ARTICLE VI — DESIGNATION OF JOINT/CONTINGENT ANNUITANTS

#### **Section 6.1 Designation**

At any time prior to the first payment hereunder a Participant shall have the right to designate, revoke or redesignate a Joint/Contingent Annuitant to receive the survivor portion of any SERP Benefits paid in the form of an Annuity under the Plan in accordance with the Participant's designated form of benefit; provided, that the Joint /Contingent Annuitant shall be the same individual designated by the Participant for an Annuity under the BRP. Designation, revocation and redesignation of Joint/Contingent Annuitant shall be made in writing in accordance with procedures established by the Committee.

#### ARTICLE VII — ADMINISTRATION

# **Section 7.1 Administrative Authority and Actions**

The "Administrator" (the Committee or its delegate), shall conduct the general administration of the Plan and shall have the necessary power and authority to interpret any provisions of the Plan and specifically to determine a person's status as a Participant and the SERP Benefits which he shall receive. In carrying out its responsibilities, the Administrator shall have the power and authority to engage actuaries, attorneys, accountants or other consultants necessary to provide advice and consultation if, in the determination of the Committee, such consultation is required to interpret or implement any provision of the Plan properly and equitably.

# **Section 7.2 Binding Determinations**

All actions taken and all determinations made by the Administrator in good faith shall be final and binding upon all Participants and any person interested in the Plan.

#### ARTICLE VIII — CLAIMS PROCEDURES

#### **Section 8.1 Claims Procedures**

The claims procedures hereunder shall be in accordance with the claims procedures set forth in the Qualified Plan; provided that for purposes of the claims procedures under this Plan, the review official described in the Qualified Plan shall be the Committee.

#### ARTICLE IX — MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

#### **Section 9.1 Payment**

The receipt of any person entitled to payment under the Plan (or payment to such person at the last address on file with the Company) shall be a complete discharge to the Company, its directors and employees, and the Administrator. If the Administrator determines that a person entitled to a payment under the Plan is unable (by reason of physical or mental condition) to give a valid receipt for such payment, payment shall instead be made to such other person found by the Administrator to have assumed the care of such person.

# Section 9.2 Amendment, Termination or Suspension of the Plan

- (a) The Plan may be amended or terminated by the Committee at any time. Such amendment or termination may modify or eliminate any benefit hereunder other than a benefit or a portion of a benefit that is vested. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Committee may not amend or terminate the Plan in a manner that violates the applicable provisions of Code Section 409A and the Treasury Regulations thereunder, including, but not limited to, the applicable time and form of payment requirements set forth in Treasury Regulations Section 1.409A-2(b), the applicable prohibitions on accelerations set forth in Treasury Regulations Section 1.409A-3(j)(4)(ix).
- (b) If the Committee determines that payments under the Plan would jeopardize the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.409A-3(d), the Committee may suspend payments under the Plan temporarily for such time as in its sole discretion it deems advisable; provided, the payments shall resume no later than the first taxable year in which the Company determines that making such payments would not jeopardize the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern. The Company shall pay such suspended payments immediately upon the expiration of the period of suspension together with Interest.
- (c) The Plan is intended to provide benefits for a "select group of management or highly compensated employees" within the meaning of Sections 201, 301 and 401 of ERISA, and therefore to be exempt from the provisions of Parts 2, 3 and 4 of Title I of ERISA. Accordingly, the Plan shall terminate and, except for benefits or portions of benefits that have vested, no further benefits shall be paid hereunder in the event it is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction or by an opinion of the Company's regular outside employee benefits counsel that the Plan constitutes an employee pension benefit plan within the meaning of Section 3(2) of ERISA which is not so exempt.

# Section 9.3 Limitation on Rights of Employees

The Plan is strictly a voluntary undertaking on the part of the Company and shall not constitute a contract between the Company and any Employee, or consideration for, or an inducement or condition of, the employment of an Employee. Nothing contained in the Plan shall give any Employee the right to be retained in the service of the Company or to interfere with or restrict the right of the Company, which is hereby expressly reserved, to discharge or retire any Employee, except as provided by law, at any time without notice and with or without cause. Inclusion under the Plan will not give any Employee any right or claim to any benefit hereunder except to the extent such right has specifically become fixed under the terms of the Plan and there are funds available therefore in the hands of the Company. The doctrine of substantial performance shall have no application to Employees, Participants or any other persons entitled to payments under the Plan. Each condition and provision, including numerical items, has been carefully considered and constitutes the minimum limit on performance, which will give rise to the applicable right.

# Section 9.4 Plan Binding in Event of Consolidation or Merger; Adoption of Plan by Other Companies

- (a) In the event of the consolidation or merger of a Company with or into any other corporation, this Plan shall be binding on such new corporation.
- (b) Any Company Affiliate may, with the approval of the Committee, adopt the Plan as a whole company or as to any one or more divisions by resolution of its own board of directors or agreement of its partners in order to become an Employer. Such Company Affiliate shall give written notice of such adoption to the Committee by its duly authorized officers.

# Section 9.5 Assignments, etc. Prohibited

- (a) Except for the withholding of any tax under the laws of the United States or any state or locality, no part of a Participant's Benefit hereunder shall be liable for the debts, contracts or engagements of any Participant, his beneficiaries, contingent annuitants, or successors in interest, or be taken in execution by levy, attachment or garnishment or by any other legal or equitable proceeding prior to distribution, nor shall any such person have any rights to alienate, anticipate, commute, pledge, encumber or assign any Benefits or payments hereunder in any manner whatsoever except to designate a beneficiary or contingent annuitant as provided in the Plan.
- (b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, payment may be made from a Participant's SERP Benefit under the Plan to an alternate payee pursuant to an approved domestic relations order as permitted under Treasury Regulations Sections 1.409A-2(b)(4) and 1.409A-3(j)(4)(ii).
  - (i) The Committee shall establish reasonable procedures for reviewing court orders made, pursuant to state domestic relations law (including a community property law), relating to child support, alimony payments, or marital property rights of a spouse, former spouse, child, or other dependent of a Participant and for notifying Participants and alternate payees of the receipt of such orders and

- of the Plan's procedures for determining if the orders are approved domestic relations orders and for administering distributions under approved domestic relations orders.
- (ii) Except as may otherwise be required by applicable law, such domestic relations orders may not require a retroactive transfer of all or part of a Participant's SERP Benefit.

#### **Section 9.6 Errors and Misstatements**

Only to the extent permitted under Code Section 409A and any correction program that may be issued thereunder, in the event of any misstatement or omission of fact by a Participant to the Committee or any clerical error resulting in payment of SERP Benefits in an incorrect amount, the Committee shall promptly cause the amount of future payments to be corrected upon discovery of the facts and shall cause the Company to pay the Participant or any other person entitled to payment under the Plan any underpayment in cash in a Lump Sum or to recoup any overpayment from future payments to the Participant or any other person entitled to payment under the Plan in such amounts as the Committee shall direct or to proceed against the Participant or any other person entitled to payment under the Plan for recovery of any such overpayment.

# Section 9.7 Payment on Behalf of Minor, Etc.

In the event any amount becomes payable under the Plan to a minor or a person who, in the sole judgment of the Committee is considered by reason of physical or mental condition to be unable to give a valid receipt therefore, the Committee may direct that such payment be made to any person found by the Committee in its sole judgment, to have assumed the care of such minor or other person. Any payment made pursuant to such determination shall constitute a full release and discharge of the Company, the Board, the Committee and their officers, directors and employees.

# **Section 9.8 Governing Law**

This Plan shall be construed, administered and governed in all respects under and by applicable federal laws and, where, state law is applicable, the laws of the State of California.

# **Section 9.9 Pronouns and Plurality**

The masculine pronoun shall include the feminine pronoun, and the singular the plural where the context so indicates.

#### **Section 9.10 Titles**

Titles are provided herein for convenience only and are not to serve as a basis for interpretation or construction of the Plan.

#### **Section 9.11 References**

Unless the context clearly indicates to the contrary, a reference to a statute, regulation or document shall be construed as referring to any subsequently enacted, adopted or executed statute, regulation or document.

#### **Section 9.12 Effective Date**

The Plan was approved by the Committee and ratified by the Board of Directors on December 18, 2008, and the Plan, as amended and restated, is effective as of that date.

# LETTER OF GRANT as of January 1, 2009

Mr. Dean A. Scarborough President and Chief Executive Officer Avery Dennison Corporation 150 North Orange Grove Boulevard Pasadena, California 91103

Dear Mr. Scarborough:

Avery Dennison Corporation ("Company") is adopting an amended and restated Avery Dennison Corporation Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan ("Plan") effective as of January 1, 2009. The amended and restated Plan contains the necessary provisions to bring the Plan into compliance with Internal Revenue Code Section 409A ("Section 409A"). By complying with the requirements of Section 409A, the benefits provided under such nonqualified deferred compensation plan may continue to be tax deferred. This letter is written to advise you of the changes that the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company has made to the Plan in order to comply with Section 409A.

<u>Calculation of SERP Benefit</u>. As an inducement for you to remain in the service of the Company, and to provide you with additional incentive to further the growth, development and financial success of the Company, the Company will continue to provide you with a SERP Benefit that is determined in accordance with the provisions below and subject to the terms of the Plan.

Your "SERP Benefit" is equal to the annual payment of a straight life annuity commencing the first day of the month following the month in which you attain age 65 (or the month in which a Payment Event occurs, if later) with each annual payment equal to sixty-two and one-half percent (62.5%) of your Average Compensation. To the extent your Benefit Commencement Date is before the date you attain age 65, you will receive a SERP Benefit that is Actuarially Equivalent to the SERP Benefit payable to you on the first day of the month following the date you attain age 65.

Finally, your SERP Benefit will be further reduced by the Specified Formula Reductions.

<u>Time and Form of Payment</u>. Your SERP Benefit will be paid on the Benefit Commencement Date determined under the Amended and Restated Benefit Restoration Plan of Avery Dennison Corporation ("BRP") and in accordance with the form of payment specified or, if applicable, elected under the BRP.

Key Employee Delay. If you are a Key Employee, as determined under the Avery Dennison Corporation Key Employee Policy or by the Committee for all nonqualified plan in accordance with the requirements of Code Section 409A, and your SERP Benefit is payable due to your Separation from Service, as described under the BRP, your Benefit Commencement Date will be no earlier than the first day of the month that is coincident with or next following the date that is six months after your Separation from Service, unless an earlier payment complies with a permissible Section 409A exception (*e.g.*, the payment of employment taxes). To the extent your status as a Key Employee results in a delayed payment, then, following the end of such six-month period, the Plan will provide you with a one-time payment equal to the amount you would have been entitled to receive if your Benefit Commencement Date had not been delayed due to your status as a Key Employee, together with Interest.

<u>Vesting</u>. You will become vested in your SERP Benefit upon the earliest of the following dates provided, in the event of (1), (2), or (3), you are an Employee on that date:

- (1) The date you attain age 65;
- (2) The date you suffer a Disability;
- (3) The date of your death;
- (4) The date you have an involuntary Separation from Service from the Company without Cause, including an involuntary Separation from Service on account of a Change in Control; and
- (5) The date of your Separation from Service for Good Reason.

<u>Forfeiture</u>. In the event you are terminated by the Company for Cause before you attain age 65, you will forfeit your entire SERP Benefit under the Plan.

<u>Death Benefit</u>. Upon your death, a Death Benefit will be paid only to the spouse to whom you were married on the date of your death; payment will be made in a Lump Sum (which is the form in which the "death benefit" under the BRP is paid) at the same time as the "death benefit" under the BRP, provided such spouse is then living.

The amount of the Lump Sum Death Benefit payable to your spouse will be Actuarially Equivalent to the amount that would have been payable to your spouse as a survivor benefit hereunder if before your date of death you attained age 65 (or your actual age, if you are older), commenced benefits in the form of a 50% Joint and Survivor Annuity, and then died.

No Death Benefit will be payable hereunder or under the Plan if you die while unmarried before any scheduled Benefit Commencement Date.

<u>Definitions</u>. For purposes of determining your rights hereunder and under the Plan, the terms:

- (1) Cause, Disability, Good Reason, Lump Sum and SERP Benefit will have the meanings set forth in the Plan;
- (2) Actuarial Equivalent and/or Actuarially Equivalent, Average Compensation, and Specified Formula Reductions will have the meanings set forth in Appendix A hereto; and
- (3) Benefit Commencement Date, Change in Control, Employee, Interest (except for purposes of the definition of Actuarial Equivalent in Appendix A), Joint and Survivor Annuity, Key Employee, Qualified Plan, Payment Event, and Separation from Service will have the meanings set forth in the BRP.

Neither future amendments nor termination of the Plan will adversely affect the SERP Benefit to be provided hereunder or under the Plan without your prior written consent. The rights provided hereunder and under the Plan may not be sold, pledged, assigned or transferred in any manner other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution, or in accordance with a domestic relations order as described in the Plan.

Please acknowledge your receipt and acceptance of this Letter of Grant, and your agreement to be bound by all of the terms hereof and of the Plan, by countersigning and dating the enclosed copy of this letter in the space provided below and returning the same to me.

Very truly yours,

By:\_\_

Plan.

#### AVERY DENNISON CORPORATION

Chairman of the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee

I hereby acknowledge having received, read and understood this Letter of Grant and the Plan, and agree to be bound by the terms hereof and of the

Dean A. Scarborough

#### APPENDIX A

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  - (a) Mortality the Applicable Mortality Table defined in Internal Revenue Code Section 417(e)(3)(B) in effect each September, for adjustments made during the one-year period beginning the subsequent December 1.
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- 2. "Average Compensation" shall mean the annual average of (a) and (b) below:
  - (a) Your salary for the three highest twelve month periods out of your last sixty months of employment with the Company as President and Chief Executive Officer; plus
  - (b) Your three highest earned annual bonuses during your last sixty months of employment with the Company as President and Chief Executive Officer.

For this purpose your salary and bonus will include any such compensation that is deferred by you under any Company deferred compensation plan or arrangement.

3. "Specified Formula Reductions" means the specific reductions to the Plan formula attributable to Company-provided retirement benefits under plans and arrangements other than the Plan and certain other amounts determined before January 1, 2009. Said reduction will equal the sum of the amounts listed in the Specified Formula Reductions Schedule in Appendix B. To the extent necessary, each amount will be converted to an Actuarially Equivalent straight life annuity commencing on your Benefit Commencement Date.

#### APPENDIX B

# Specified Formula Reduction Schedule

The Specified Formula Reduction Schedule is the schedule of amounts attributable to Company-provided benefits and contributions for or in respect of you and certain other amounts determined before January 1, 2009, which are taken into account in determining the Specified Formula Reduction. The amounts are described below and such reduction will be applied as of your applicable Benefit Commencement Date, Accordingly, to the extent necessary, each such amount will be converted to an Actuarially Equivalent straight life annuity commencing on your Benefit Commencement Date before such reduction is applied.

- (1) The Actuarial Equivalent amount payable to or in respect of you under the Qualified Plan (without regard to any offsets thereunder) and any successor qualified defined benefit retirement plan offered by the Company; provided such amounts satisfies the requirements of Treasury regulation section 1.409A-1(a)(2).
- (2) The Actuarial Equivalent amount payable to or in respect of you under the BRP at the same time and in the same form as your SERP Benefit.
- (3) The Actuarial Equivalent of the Lump Sum amount of your "Company Contributions Account" and your "Prior Account" under the Avery Dennison Employee Savings Plan and any successor qualified defined contribution retirement plan offered by the Company; provided such amount satisfies the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(a)(2).
- (4) The Actuarial Equivalent of the fixed Lump Sum amounts shown in the following table, where such fixed amounts equal the Company contributions (plus interest) in your account as of December 31, 2008 under the Avery Dennison Corporation Executive Deferred Retirement Plan, and the Avery Dennison Corporation Executive Variable Deferred Retirement Plan projected with fixed assumed contributions with earnings (as specified in the table) as follows:

# **Projected Account Balance as of December 31**

Year-End	Age	<b>Company Contributions</b>	Earnings	Account Balance
2008	53	<u>-</u>		actual balance*
2009	54	53,110	5.86%	
2010	55	55,200	5.86%	
2011	56	57,550	5.86%	
2012	57	59,870	5.86%	
2013	58	62,320	5.86%	
2014	59	64,820	7.35%	
2015	60	67,470	7.35%	
2016	61	70,210	7.35%	
2017	62	73,100	7.35%	
2018	63	75,990	7.35%	
2019	64	79,120	7.35%	
2020	65	82,700	7.35%	

<sup>\*</sup>Actual balance to be determined at the end of 2008

For Benefit Commencement Dates between the dates in the table above, earnings (under the table) for the applicable year to be applied to the Reduction Amount for the immediately preceding year will be computed by multiplying the applicable amount of earnings for the year shown in the table by a fraction the numerator of which equals the number of whole calendar months after the preceding date shown in the table, and the denominator of which is 12. The contribution amount shown in the table will not be added to the Reduction Amount or adjusted for earnings (under the table) until the last day of the applicable year. These amounts are not subject to any additional changes on and after January 1, 2009.

(5) The Actuarial Equivalent of the fixed Lump Sum amounts shown in the following table (representing the estimated lump sum value, determined as of December 31, 2008, of 12 times your estimated monthly Primary Social Security Benefit as of the first day of the month next following the date you attain age 65).

Date	Value
December 31, 2008\$168,000	
December 31, 2009\$179,000	
December 31, 2010	\$192,000
December 31, 2011	\$205,000
December 31, 2012	\$220,000
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December 31, 2014	\$253,000
December 31, 2015	\$272,000
December 31, 2016	\$294,000
December 31, 2017	\$318,000
December 31, 2018	\$344,000
December 31, 2019	\$371,000
December 31, 2020	\$401,000

For Benefit Commencement Dates between the dates in the table above, an interpolated amount will be computed by multiplying the difference between the values shown in the table at the most recent and the next succeeding dates by a fraction the numerator of which equals the number of whole calendar months after the most recent date shown in the table, and the denominator of which is 12. These amounts will not be subject to any additional changes on and after January 1, 2009.

# LETTER OF GRANT as of December 31, 2008

Mr. Robert G. van Schoonenberg Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary Avery Dennison Corporation 150 North Orange Grove Boulevard Pasadena, California 91103

Dear Mr. van Schoonenberg:

Avery Dennison Corporation ("Company") is adopting an amended and restated Avery Dennison Corporation Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan ("Plan") effective as of January 1, 2009. The amended and restated Plan contains the necessary provisions to bring the Plan into compliance with Internal Revenue Code Section 409A ("Section 409A"). By complying with the requirements of Section 409A, the benefits provided under such nonqualified deferred compensation plan may continue to be tax deferred. This letter is written to advise you of the changes that the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company has made to the Plan in order to comply with Section 409A.

<u>Calculation of SERP Benefit</u>. Your SERP Benefit will be determined in accordance with the provisions below and subject to the terms of the Plan.

Your "SERP Benefit" is equal to the annual payment of a straight life annuity commencing the first day of the month following the month in which you attain age 65 (or the month in which a Payment Event occurs, if later) with each annual payment equal to fifty-seven and one-half percent (57.5%) of your Average Compensation. If payment of your SERP Benefit commences before you attain age 65, the Actuarial Reduction will reduce your SERP Benefit for early commencement.

Finally, your SERP Benefit will be further reduced by the Specified Formula Reductions.

<u>Time and Form of Payment</u>. Your SERP Benefit will be paid on the Benefit Commencement Date determined under the Amended and Restated Benefit Restoration Plan of Avery Dennison Corporation ("BRP") and in accordance with the form of payment specified under the BRP.

<u>Key Employee Delay.</u> As a Key Employee, as determined under the Avery Dennison Corporation Key Employee Policy, your Benefit Commencement Date will be no earlier than the first day of the month that is coincident with or next following the date that is six months after your Separation from Service, unless an earlier payment complies with a permissible Section 409A exception (*e.g.*, the payment of employment taxes). To the extent your status as a Key Employee results in a delayed payment, then, following the end of such six-month period, the Plan will provide you with a one-time payment equal to the amount you would have been entitled to receive if your Benefit Commencement Date had not been delayed due to your status as a Key Employee, together with Interest.

<u>Vesting</u>. You will become vested in your SERP Benefit upon the earliest of the following dates provided, in the event of (1), (2), or (3), you are an Employee on that date:

- (1) The date you attain age 62;
- (2) The date you suffer a Disability;
- (3) The date of your death;
- (4) The date you have an involuntary Separation from Service from the Company without Cause, including an involuntary Separation from Service on account of a Change in Control; and
- (5) The date of your Separation from Service for Good Reason.

<u>Death Benefit</u>. Upon your death, a Death Benefit will be paid only to the spouse to whom you were married on the date of your death; payment will be made in a Lump Sum (which is the form in which the "death benefit" under the BRP is paid) at the same time as the "death benefit" under the BRP, provided such spouse is then living.

The amount of the Lump Sum Death Benefit payable to your spouse will be Actuarially Equivalent to the amount that would have been payable to your spouse as a survivor benefit hereunder if before your date of death you attained age 62 (or your actual age, if you are older), commenced benefits in the form of a 50% Joint and Survivor Annuity, and then died.

No Death Benefit will be payable hereunder or under the Plan if you die while unmarried before any scheduled Benefit Commencement Date.

<u>Definitions</u>. For purposes of determining your rights hereunder and under the Plan, the terms:

- (1) Cause, Disability, Good Reason, Lump Sum and SERP Benefit will have the meanings set forth in the Plan;
- (2) Actuarial Equivalent and/or Actuarially Equivalent, Actuarial Reduction, Average Compensation, and Specified Formula Reductions will have the meanings set forth in Appendix A hereto; and
- (3) Benefit Commencement Date, Change in Control, Employee, Interest (except for purposes of the definition of Actuarial Equivalent in Appendix A), Joint and Survivor Annuity, Key Employee, Qualified Plan, Payment Event, and Separation from Service will have the

meanings set forth in the BRP.

Neither future amendments nor termination of the Plan will adversely affect the SERP Benefit to be provided hereunder or under the Plan without your prior written consent. The rights provided hereunder and under the Plan may not be sold, pledged, assigned or transferred in any manner other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution, or in accordance with a domestic relations order as described in the Plan.

Please acknowledge your receipt and acceptance of this Letter of Grant, and your agreement to be bound by all of the terms hereof and of the Plan, by countersigning and dating the enclosed copy of this letter in the space provided below and returning the same to me.

Very truly yours,

#### AVERY DENNISON CORPORATION

D<sub>W</sub>.

Chairman of the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee

I hereby acknowledge having received, read and understood this Letter of Grant and the Plan, and agree to be bound by the terms hereof and of the Plan.

Robert G. van Schoonenberg

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- 1. "Actuarial Equivalent" or "Actuarially Equivalent" shall mean the equivalent of a given amount (or series of amounts) payable in another manner or by another means in accordance with actuarial principles, methods and assumptions as approved for this purpose by the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company and which will include the following:
  - (a) Mortality the Applicable Mortality Table defined in Internal Revenue Code Section 417(e)(3)(B) in effect each September, for adjustments made during the one-year period beginning the subsequent December 1.
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- 2. "Actuarial Reduction" shall mean a 10 percent reduction in the gross benefit prior to applying any offsets. The Actuarial Reduction will be applied if you (or your spouse) commence receipt of a SERP Benefit (or a Death Benefit) prior to your reaching age 65.
- 3. "Average Compensation" shall mean the annual average of (a) and (b) below:
  - (a) Your salary for the three highest twelve month periods out of your last sixty months of employment with the Company as Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary; plus
  - (b) Your three highest earned annual bonuses during your last sixty months of employment with the Company as Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary.

For this purpose your salary and bonus will include any such compensation that is deferred by you under any Company deferred compensation plan or arrangement.

4. "Specified Formula Reductions" means the specific reductions to the Plan formula attributable to Company-provided retirement benefits under plans and arrangements other than the Plan and certain other amounts determined as of December 31, 2008. Said reduction will equal the sum of the amounts listed in the Specified Formula Reductions Schedule in Appendix B. To the extent necessary, each amount will be converted to an Actuarially Equivalent straight life annuity commencing on your Benefit Commencement Date.

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#### Specified Formula Reduction Schedule

The Specified Formula Reduction Schedule is the schedule of amounts attributable to Company-provided benefits and contributions for or in respect of you and certain other amounts determined as of December 31, 2008, which are taken into account in determining the Specified Formula Reduction. The amounts are described below and such reduction will be applied as of your applicable Benefit Commencement Date, Accordingly, to the extent necessary, each such amount will be converted to an Actuarially Equivalent straight life annuity commencing on your Benefit Commencement Date before such reduction is applied.

(1) The Actuarial Equivalent amount payable to or in respect of you under the Qualified Plan (without regard to any offsets thereunder) and any successor qualified defined benefit retirement plan offered by the Company; provided such amount satisfies the requirements of Treasury regulation section 1.409A-1(a)(2).

- (2) The Actuarial Equivalent amount payable to or in respect of you under the BRP at the same time and in the same form as your SERP Benefit.
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- (4) The Actuarial Equivalent of the Company contributions (plus interest) in your account as of December 31, 2008 under the Avery Dennison Corporation Executive Variable Deferred Compensation Plan, the Avery Dennison Corporation Executive Deferred Retirement Plan and the Avery Dennison Corporation Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (5) \$22,017 (representing your estimated annual Primary Social Security Benefit as of the first day of the month next following the date you attain age 65).

# LETTER OF GRANT as of January 1, 2009

Mr. Daniel R. O'Bryant Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Avery Dennison Corporation 150 North Orange Grove Boulevard Pasadena, California 91103

Dear Mr. O'Bryant:

Avery Dennison Corporation ("Company") is adopting an amended and restated Avery Dennison Corporation Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan ("Plan") effective as of January 1, 2009. The amended and restated Plan contains the necessary provisions to bring the Plan into compliance with Internal Revenue Code Section 409A ("Section 409A"). By complying with the requirements of Section 409A, the benefits provided under such nonqualified deferred compensation plan may continue to be tax deferred. This letter is written to advise you of the changes that the Compensation and Executive Personnel Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company has made to the Plan in order to comply with Section 409A.

<u>Calculation of SERP Benefit</u>. As an inducement for you to remain in the service of the Company, and to provide you with additional incentive to further the growth, development and financial success of the Company, the Company will continue to provide you with a SERP Benefit that is determined in accordance with the provisions below and subject to the terms of the Plan.

Your "SERP Benefit" is equal to the annual payment of a straight life annuity commencing the first day of the month following the month in which you attain age 65 (or the month in which a Payment Event occurs, if later) with each annual payment equal to fifty-two and one-half percent (52.5%) of your Average Compensation. The amount determined in the preceding sentence will be reduced for early commencement:

- (1) In the same manner as provided in the Qualified Plan to the extent your Benefit Commencement Date is on or after the date you attain age 55. In addition, a 10 percent reduction to the gross benefit (before offsets) will apply to retirement commencing between the ages 62 to 65; and,
- (2) To the extent your Benefit Commencement Date is before the date you attain age 55 and your SERP Benefit is payable to you in a Lump Sum, then the Lump Sum SERP Benefit will be Actuarially Equivalent to the SERP Benefit payable to you on the first day of the month following the date you attain age 55, taking into account the applicable early commencement factors that would be applied under the Qualified Plan as of such date.

Finally, your SERP Benefit will be further reduced by the Specified Formula Reductions.

<u>Time and Form of Payment</u>. Your SERP Benefit will be paid on the Benefit Commencement Date determined under the Amended and Restated Benefit Restoration Plan of Avery Dennison Corporation ("BRP") and in accordance with the form of payment specified or, if applicable, elected under the BRP.

Key Employee Delay. If you are a Key Employee, as determined under the Avery Dennison Corporation Key Employee Policy or by the Committee for all nonqualified plan in accordance with the requirements of Code Section 409A, and your SERP Benefit is payable due to your Separation from Service, as described under the BRP, your Benefit Commencement Date will be no earlier than the first day of the month that is coincident with or next following the date that is six months after your Separation from Service, unless an earlier payment complies with a permissible Section 409A exception (*e.g.*, the payment of employment taxes). To the extent your status as a Key Employee results in a delayed payment, then, following the end of such six-month period, the Plan will provide you with a one-time payment equal to the amount you would have been entitled to receive if your Benefit Commencement Date had not been delayed due to your status as a Key Employee, together with Interest.

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<u>Forfeiture</u>. In the event you are terminated by the Company for Cause before you attain age 65, you will forfeit your entire SERP Benefit under the Plan.

<u>Death Benefit</u>. Upon your death, a Death Benefit will be paid only to the spouse to whom you were married on the date of your death; payment will be made in a Lump Sum (which is the form in which the "death benefit" under the BRP is paid) at the same time as the "death benefit" under the BRP, provided such spouse is then living.

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- (4) The Actuarial Equivalent of the fixed Lump Sum amounts shown in the following table, where such fixed amounts equal the Company contributions (plus interest) in your account as of December 31, 2008 under the Avery Dennison Corporation Executive Variable Deferred Retirement Plan, excluding the 'EVDRPSU1 2005' sub-account, projected with fixed assumed contributions with earnings (as specified in the table) as follows:

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Year-End	Age	<b>Company Contributions</b>	Earnings	Account Balance
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Actual balance to be determined at the end of 2008

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(5) The Actuarial Equivalent of the fixed Lump Sum amounts shown in the following table (representing the estimated lump sum value, determined as of December 31, 2008, of 12 times your estimated monthly Primary Social Security Benefit as of the first day of the month next following the date you attain age 65).

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December 31, 2021 \$397,000 December 31, 2022 \$430,000

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