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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)											
1. Name and Address of R DEWYZE JOHN R	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [NATR]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner XOfficer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
(Last) C/O NATURE'S SUN INC., 75 EAST 1700	NICOTO	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2004						Exec.VP, VP - Oper	ations		
(Street) PROVO, UT 84606			4. If Amendment, D	ate Original	Filed	(Month/Day	/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						ied		
1.Title of Security     2. Transaction       [Instr. 3)     Date       (Month/Day/Yea			Execution Date, if any	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial
			(Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock		11/01/2004		М		1,650	А	\$ 8.333	3,800	D (1)	
Common Stock		11/01/2004		S 1,650 D \$15.03		2,150	D				

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	ion	n of		Expiration Date		of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code				(Month/Day/Year)		Securities		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	)	Sec	Securities			(Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 5)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					Acq	Acquired				Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)		
	Security					(A)	(A) or					Following	Direct (D)		
						Dis	posed					Reported	or Indirect		
						of (	•					Transaction(s)	(I)		
						(Instr. 3, 4,					(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
					and 5)		5)								
											Amount				
											or				
									Expiration	Title	Number				
								Exercisable	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				
Option -															
right to	\$ 8.333	11/01/2004		М			1 650	02/15/1997	02/15/2005	Common	1,650	\$ 0	0	D	
	\$ 0.555	11/01/2004		11/1			1,050	02/13/1997	02/15/2005	Stock	1,050	φU	0	D	
buy															

# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DEWYZE JOHN R C/O NATURE'S SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, INC. 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO, UT 84606			Exec.VP, VP - Operations				

### Signatures

/s/John DeWyze	11/03/2004
**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).
- (1) The reporting person is also the indirect beneficial owner of 1,793 shares of Common Stock owned by the reporting person's 401(k) plan account and 600 shares of Common Stock held in the reporting person's wife's IRA, to which he disclaims beneficial ownership.

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