## FORM 4

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

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(Print or Ty	pe Responses	3)																
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* 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						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NATURE'S SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, INC., 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/28/2005							ĺ	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  EVP, VP - Operations						
PROVO, UT 84606				4. If Amendment, Date 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 - No	n-Dei	rivative	Securitie	es Acqui	red, Dis	sposed o	of, or Benef	icially Owne	·d	
(Instr. 3) Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)		(	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)							Ownership Form:	Beneficial	
						Co	de	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	(IIII. 3 and 4)			Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock		07/28/2005			M	1		6,420	A	\$ 9	8,570		D (1)				
Common Stock 0°			07/28/2005			N	ſ		31,760	A	\$ 7.688	40,330		D				
Common	Common Stock 07/28/2005					S			38,180	D	\$ 20	2,150		D				
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Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Transaction of De Code Secur (Instr. 8) Acqui or Dis of (D) (Instr.		Securi	ivative Expiratio (Month/D) posed 3, 4,		ation	xercisable and n Date lay/Year)		of Und Securi	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct ( or Indirects)	Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)  D) ect
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable		oiration e	Title	0 N 0	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4	)
Option - right to buy	\$ 9	07/28/2005		M		6	5,420	02/2	3/200	03 02	/23/2006	Comi	- 1 (	6,420	\$ 0	0	D	
Option - right to buy	\$ 7.688	07/28/2005		M		3	1,760	02/0	6/200	04 02	/06/2007	Comi	13	31,760	\$ 0	0	D	

### **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			EVP, VP - Operations				

# **Signatures**

/s/John DeWyze	08/01/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- $\star$  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 1,870 shares held in the reporting person's 401(k) plan account and 600 shares held in the reporting person's wife's IRA, to which he disclaims beneficial ownership.

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