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

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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 Reporting Person ⁺ HUGHES KRISTINE F	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [NATR]								ow)	
(Last) (First) NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCT 1700 SOUTH		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/24/2005								
(Street) PROVO, UT 84606		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	on-De	erivative	Securiti	es Acqui	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own	ed	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	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)			Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/24/2005		М		10,000	А	\$ 7.75	10,000	D (1) (2)	
Common Stock	08/24/2005		S		10,000	D	\$ 21.60	0	D ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	
Common Stock	08/25/2005		М		6,831	А	\$ 7.75	6,831	D ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	
Common Stock	08/25/2005		S		2,890	D	\$ 21.20	3,941	D ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	
Common Stock	08/25/2005		S		2,110	D	\$ 21.30	1,831	D (1) (2)	
Common Stock	08/25/2005		S		531	D	\$ 21.33	1,300	D (1) (2)	
Common Stock	08/25/2005		S		1,300	D	\$ 21.43	0	D (1) (2)	

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)	Conversion		· · · · ·	Code	tion)	of E Sect Acq or E of (1	Derivative urities urities urities (A) Disposed D) tr. 3, 4,	er 6. Date Exercisable and titve Expiration Date s (Month/Day/Year) sed		of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Following Reported Transaction(s)		Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Option - Right to buy	\$ 7.75	08/24/2005		М			10,000	10/19/2002	10/19/2005	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 0	51,095	D (2)	
Option - Right to buy	\$ 7.75	08/25/2005		М			6,831	10/19/2002	10/19/2005	Common Stock	6,831	\$ 0	44,264	D (2)	

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUGHES KRISTINE F NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO, UT 84606	Х	Х		
HUGHES EUGENE L NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO, UT 84606	Х	х		

Signatures

/s/Kristine F. Hughes	08/26/2005
Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/Eugene L. Hughes	08/26/2005
**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).

Kristine F. Hughes and Eugene L. Hughes are the indirect beneficial owners of 1,284,317 shares held by the revocable family trusts for the benefit of the reporting persons and their
(1) children, of which the reporting persons are trustees. Kristine F. Hughes and Eugene L. Hughes are also the indirect beneficial owners of 101,568 shares allocated to Mr. Hughes' 401(k) plan account. In addition, Mr. Hughes is the direct beneficial owner, and Mr. Hughes' spouse, Kristine F. Hughes, is the indirect beneficial owner, of 16,335 shares.

(2) Owned directly by Kristine F. Hughes and indirectly by Eugene L. Hughes, Mrs. Hughes' spouse.

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