FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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|---|---|--|---|--|------------|---|-----------------|----------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|-------------------------|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE LP | | | | 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 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 450 SEVENTH AVENUE, SUITE 509 | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/12/2015 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | 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 | | | | | |
| NEW YO | ORK, NY | (State) | (Zip) | | | | 6 | | | | | | | |
| | | | ı | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu | | | | | <u> </u> | | | | | |
| (Instr. 3) Date | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | any | Code (Instr. 8) | | tion 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | of (D) | Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | | Following | Form: | 7. Nature of Indirect 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 | 1 Stock | | 06/12/2015 | | P | | 6,445 | A | \$ 12.46 (6) | 626,737 | | | D (1) (4) (5) | |
| Common Stock | | 06/12/2015 | | P | | 10,776 | A | \$ 12.46 (6) | 942,181 | | I | See footnote (2) | | |
| Common Stock | | 06/12/2015 | | Р | | 4,063 | A | \$ 12.46 (6) | 402,065 | | I | See footnote (3) | | |
| Reminder: | Report on a s | separate line f | or each class of secu | rities beneficially o | wned direc | Per | sons wh | o resp | orm are | e not requ | ction of inf uired to res OMB cont | spond unle | ess | 1474 (9-02) |
| | | | | Derivative Securi | | | | | | lly Owned | | | | |
| | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/ | on 3A. Deemed Execution Day (Year) any | (e.g., puts, calls, w 4. te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8) | 5. | and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) A U Sie es d (I d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d | | 7. T Ame Und Seco | ritle and ount of lerlying urities tr. 3 and | | 9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Owners Form o Derivat Securit Direct (or India | f Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4) D) ect | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | te ercisable | Expirat Date | ion Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Reporting Owners

| | Relationships | | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE LP 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | | X | | | |

| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE LP I 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | X | |
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| WYNNEFIELD SMALL CAP VALUE OFFSHORE FUND LTD 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | X | |
| Wynnefield Capital, Inc. Profit Sharing Plan 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | X | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | X | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL INC 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | X | |
| OBUS NELSON 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | X | |
| LANDES JOSHUA 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | X | |

Signatures

| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE, L.P., By: Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, General Partner, /s/ Nelson Obus, Managing Member | 06/16/2015 | | | | |
|--|------------|--|--|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE, L.P. I, By: Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, General Partner, /s/ Nelson Obus, Managing Member | | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD SMALL CAP VALUE OFFSHORE FUND, LTD., By: Wynnefield Capital, Inc., /s/ Nelson Obus, President | 06/16/2015 | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL, INC. PROFIT SHARING PLAN, /s/ Nelson Obus, Authorized Signatory | 06/16/2015 | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC, /s/ Nelson Obus, Managing Member | 06/16/2015 | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL, INC., /s/ Nelson Obus, President | | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| /s/ Nelson Obus, Individually | 06/16/2015 | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| /s/ Joshua Landes, Individually | 06/16/2015 | | | | |
| **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).
 - Wynnefield Partners Small Cap Value, L.P. (the "Reporting Person") directly beneficially owns 626,737 shares of common stock, no par value per share ("Common Stock") of Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc. Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC ("WCM"), as the sole general partner of the Reporting Person, has an indirect beneficial
- (1) ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that the reporting Person directly beneficially owns. WCM, located at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this Form jointly with the Reporting Person. Nelson Obus and Joshua Landes as co-managing members of WCM have an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that the Reporting Person directly beneficially owns. Mr. Obus and Mr. Landes, each located at the same address as the Reporting Person, are filing this Form jointly with the Reporting person (see footnote 4).
 - The Reporting Person has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in 942,181 shares of Common Stock, which are directly beneficially owned by Wynnefield Partners Small Cap Value, L.P. I ("WPSCVI"), as members of a group (a "13D Group") under Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act").
- (2) WPSCVI, which maintains offices at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this Form jointly with the Reporting Person. WCM, as the sole general partner of WPSCVI, has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that WPSCVI directly beneficially owns. Mr. Obus and Mr. Landes, as co-managing members of Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, have an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that WPSCVI directly beneficially owns.
 - The Reporting Person has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in 402,065 shares of Common Stock, which are directly beneficially owned by Wynnefield Small Cap Value Offshore Fund, Ltd. ("Offshore"), as members of a 13D Group. Offshore, located at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this Form jointly with the
- (3) Reporting Person. Wynnefield Capital, Inc. ("WCI"), as the sole investment manager of Offshore, has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that Offshore directly beneficially owns. WCI, located at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this Form jointly with the Reporting Person. Mr. Obus and Mr. Landes, as principal executive officers of WCI have an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that Offshore directly beneficially owns.
 - The Reporting Person has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in 45,311 shares of Common Stock, which are directly beneficially owned by Wynnefield Capital, Inc. Profit Sharing Plan (the "Plan"), as members of a 13D Group. The Plan, located at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this Form jointly with the Reporting
- (4) Person. WCI, as the sole investment manager of the Plan, has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that the Plan directly beneficially owns. WCI, located at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this Form jointly with the Reporting Person. Mr. Obus and Mr. Landes, as principal executive officers of WCI have an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that the Plan beneficially owns.
- Mr. Obus and Mr. Landes disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities described in this statement, except to the extent of their individual pecuniary interest in such (5) securities. The filing of this statement shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Obus and Mr. Landes are, for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act or otherwise, the beneficial owner of any securities specified in this statement.
- These transactions were executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$12.45 to \$12.50. The price reported above reflects the weighted average purchase price. The (6) Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.

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