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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DEWYZE JOHN R				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [NATR]							[NAT	R]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) PARSONS BEHLE & LATIMER, 333 SOUTH 520 WEST STE 220				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/06/2009								_X_0	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) EVP and VP of Operations				
(Street) LINDON, UT 84042				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								_X_ For	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 Acqui							ırities A	Acquired, D	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Sec (Instr. 3)	curity		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea	r) any	tion	Date, if	Code (Inst		(A) (Ins		sed of (I d 5)	D) Owned Transac	Following	urities Bene g Reported	C F L O (-)	Ownership of orm: Direct (D) Cr Indirect (C)	Beneficial Ownership
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number. 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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	*****	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		of Deriva Securitie Acquired or Dispo of (D)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercis	sable	Date		Title	Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.35	11/06/2009 ⁽¹⁾		A		15,000		09/01	/2012 [©]	09/24/	/2019	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 0	15,000	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
DEWYZE JOHN R PARSONS BEHLE & LATIMER 333 SOUTH 520 WEST STE 220 LINDON, UT 84042			EVP and VP of Operations					

Signatures

/s/ John R. DeWyze	11/10/2009
**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).
- The option grant was approved by Nature's Sunshine's board of directors on September 24, 2009, subject to shareholder approval of the stock option plan under which the option was granted. Nature's Sunshine's shareholders approved the plan on November 6, 2009.
- (2) The options vest on September 1, 2012.

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