DEWYZE JOHN R

Form 4

November 17, 2004

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DEWYZE JOHN R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [natr]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

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C/O NATURE'S SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, INC., 75 EAST 1700

(Street)

(State)

11/15/2004

SOUNTH

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

11/15/2004

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

PROVO, UT 84606

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) or (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount 7,000 M

9,150

 $D^{(1)}$

Common 11/15/2004 Stock

S 7,000 2,150

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ction of Derivative Securities 3) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option - Right to buy	\$ 7.75	11/15/2004		M		7,000	10/19/2002	10/19/2005	Common Stock	7,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DEWYZE JOHN R C/O NATURE'S SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, INC. 75 EAST 1700 SOUNTH PROVO, UT 84606

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Signatures

/s/John R.
DeWyze
11/17/2004

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 held in the reporting person's 401(k) plan account and 600 shares held in the reporting person's wife's IRA, to which the reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership.

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