

NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC
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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 *
 FRANCIS PAULINE HUGHES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [NATR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/30/2005

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

NATURE'S SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, INC., 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH

(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
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PROVO, UT 84606

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price		
Common Stock	03/30/2005		G	V	3,810	D	\$ 0	1,138,482	I ⁽¹⁾	by trust
Common Stock	08/10/2005		G	V	925	D	\$ 0	1,137,557	I ⁽¹⁾	by trust
Common Stock	09/08/2005		D ⁽²⁾		51,781	D	\$ 21.75	826,658	I ⁽³⁾	by family limited partnership

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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FRANCIS PAULINE HUGHES NATURE'S SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, INC. 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO, UT 84606	X	X		

Signatures

/s/Pauline Hughes
Francis 09/09/2005

**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).
 - (1) Represents shares owned by a family trust of which the reporting person is trustee and a beneficiary. The reporting person is also the indirect beneficial owner of the shares owned by a family limited partnership in which the reporting person is a general partner. See Footnote (3) below.
 - (2) Represents shares purchased by Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc. in its Dutch Auction tender offer.
 - (3) Represents shares owned by a family limited partnership in which the reporting person is a general partner. The reporting person is also the indirect beneficial owner of the shares owned by a family trust of which the reporting person is trustee and a beneficiary. See Footnote (1) above.

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