HUGHES KRISTINE F

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **HUGHES EUGENE L** Issuer Symbol NATURES SUNSHINE (Check all applicable) PRODUCTS INC [NATR] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH. 12/17/2010 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting PROVO, UT 84606 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/17/2010		S	5,001	D		87,072 (1)	I	By 401(K)
Common Stock	01/13/2011		S	5,000	D	\$ 8.6183 (3)	1,029,664	I	By Trusts
Common Stock							16,335	D	
Common Stock							61,330	I	By Spouse (5)

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 Owne	d							
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	it of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HUGHES EUGENE L 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO, UT 84606	X						
HUGHES KRISTINE F 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO UTAH, UT 84606	X						

Signatures

/s/ Stephen M. Bunker as attorney-in-fact for Eugene L. 01/18/2011 Hughes

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Stephen M. Bunker as attorney-in-fact for Kristine F. 01/18/2011 Hughes

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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The transaction reported on this Form 4 was made by the 401(k) plan custodian in order to satisfy federal income minimum distribution rules which require that a person who has attained age 70 1/2 or older receive a minimum distribution from the 401(k) plan each year.

- (2) Represents shares allocated to Mr. Hughes' 401(k) plan account, which is indirectly beneficially owned by Eugene L. Hughes and his spouse, Kristine F. Hughes.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.58 to \$8.79, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc., any security holder of Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, on request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.
- (4) The transaction reported on this Form 4 Report was made pursuant to a trading plan meeting the requirements of Rule 10b5-1 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- (5) Represents shares which are directly beneficially owned by Kristine F. Hughes and indirectly beneficially owned by Mrs. Hughes' spouse, Eugene L. Hughes.

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