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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DELTA PARTNERS LLC**

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

Director Officer (give title below)

X__ 10% Owner Other (specify

ONE INTERNATIONAL PLACE, SUITE 2401

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

04/10/2006

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

BOSTON, MA 02110

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securitie our Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (Ľ))	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)
Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc.	04/10/2006		P	125,000		\$ 8.7582	1,685,200	I (1)	Footnote (1)
Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc.	04/11/2006		P	85,000	A	\$ 8.9529	1,770,200	I (1)	Footnote (1)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivativ	e		Securities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	3		(Instr. 3 and	14)
	Security				Acquired				
	·				(A) or				
					Disposed				
					of (D)				
					(Instr. 3,				
					4, and 5)				
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						Date	Expiration	or	
						•	Date	Title Num	ber
						LACICISADIC	Date	of	
				Code '	V (A) (D)			Share	es

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
DELTA PARTNERS LLC ONE INTERNATIONAL PLACE SUITE 2401 BOSTON, MA 02110		X			
JOBSON CHARLES E ONE INTERNATIONAL PLACE SUITE 2401 BOSTON, MA 02110		X			

Signatures

Charles E Jobson	04/12/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Charles E Jobson	04/12/2006
**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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
 - Reporting person, Delta Partners, LLC, is the investment manager for three private investment funds and one separately managed account and is deemed to have investment discretion over 1,680,200 shares of the issuer. The four entities are the actual owners of the shares. Charles Jobson, is the sole managing member of Delta Partners, LLC and can also be deemed to have investment discretion. Mr. Jobson
- (1) is also managing member of Tetra Capital Management, LLC, an affiliate of Delta Partners, LLC, and is deemed to have investment discretion over an additional 5,000 shares of the issuer. Tetra Capital Management, LLC is the investment manager for two private investment funds. The two entities are the actual owners of the 5,000 shares. Both reporting persons disclaim beneficial ownership in the shares reported herein except to the extent of their pecuniary interest.

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