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Washington, D.C. 20549

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE LP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [NATR]

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

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

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

450 SEVENTH AVENUE, SUITE 509

03/14/2019

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 Person

NEW YORK, NY 10123

| (City) | (State) | 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) | | sed of 4 and (A) or | | 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, no par value per share | 03/14/2019 | | P | | ` ′ | \$ 10.4351 | 690,239 | D (1) | |
| Common Stock, no par value per share | 03/14/2019 | | P | 1,129 | A | \$ 10.4351 | 1,529,136 | I | See Footnotes (2) (3) (4) |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 5. iorNumber | 6. Date Exerc Expiration D | ate | Amou | le and unt of | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu Deriv |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------|--|------------------------|---|
| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 5 | Year) | Secur | rlying ities . 3 and 4) | Security (Instr. 5) | Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | Code V | 7 (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| reporting o water runter runters | | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE LP 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | | X | | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE LP I 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | | X | | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD SMALL CAP VALUE OFFSHORE FUND LTD 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | | X | | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | | X | | | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL INC 450 SEVENTH AVENUE SUITE 509 NEW YORK, NY 10123 | | X | | | | | |

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Signatures

| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE, L.P., By: Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, General Partner, By: /s/ Nelson Obus, Managing Member | | | | |
|--|------------|--|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD PARTNERS SMALL CAP VALUE, L.P. I, By: Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, General Partner, By: /s/ Nelson Obus, Managing Member | 03/18/2019 | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD SMALL CAP VALUE OFFSHORE FUND, LTD., By: Wynnefield Capital, Inc., By: /s/ Nelson Obus, President | 03/18/2019 | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL, INC. PROFIT SHARING PLAN, By: /s/ Nelson Obus, Co-Trustee | 03/18/2019 | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC, By: /s/ Nelson Obus, Managing Member | 03/18/2019 | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |
| WYNNEFIELD CAPITAL, INC., By: /s/ Nelson Obus, President | 03/18/2019 | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |
| /s/ Nelson Obus, individually | 03/18/2019 | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |
| /s/ Joshua Landes, individually | 03/18/2019 | | | |
| **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 Reporting Person directly beneficially owns 690,239 shares of common stock, no par value per share ("Common Stock") of Nature's Sunshine Products Inc. (the "Issuer"). Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, as the sole general partner of the Reporting
- (1) Person, has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that the Reporting Person directly beneficially owns. Nelson Obus and Joshua Landes, as co-managing members of Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, have an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that the Reporting Person directly beneficially owns.

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The Reporting Person has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in 1,041,362 shares of Common Stock, which are directly beneficially owned by Wynnefield Partners Small Cap Value, L.P. I, as members of a group under Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). Wynnefield Partners Small Cap Value, L.P. I, which maintains offices at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this statement jointly with the Reporting Person. Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, as the sole general partner of Wynnefield Partners Small Cap Value, L.P. I, has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that Wynnefield Partners Small Cap Value L.P. I directly beneficially owns. Nelson Obus and Joshua Landes, as co-managing members of Wynnefield Capital Management, LLC, have an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that Wynnefield Partners Small Cap Value, L.P. I directly beneficially owns.

The Reporting Person has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in 436,045 shares of Common Stock, which are directly beneficially owned by Wynnefield Small Cap Value Offshore Fund, Ltd., as members of a group under Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Wynnefield Small Cap Value Offshore Fund, Ltd., which maintains offices at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this statement jointly with the Reporting Person. Wynnefield Capital, Inc. as the sole investment manager of Wynnefield Small Cap Value Offshore Fund, Ltd., has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that Wynnefield Small Cap Value Offshore Fund, Ltd. directly beneficially owns. Nelson Obus and Joshua Landes, as principal executive officers of Wynnefield Capital, Inc., have an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that Wynnefield Small Cap Value Offshore Fund, Ltd. directly beneficially owns.

(4) The Reporting Person has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in 51,729 shares of Common Stock, which are directly beneficially owned by Wynnefield Capital, Inc. Profit Sharing Plan, as members of a group under Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act. Wynnefield Capital, Inc. Profit Sharing Plan, which maintains offices at the same address as the Reporting Person, is filing this Form jointly with the Reporting Person. Mr. Obus and Mr. Landes, as co-trustees, has the power to vote and dispose of Wynnefield Capital, Inc. Profit Sharing Plan's investments in securities and has an indirect beneficial ownership interest in the shares of Common Stock that Wynnefield Capital, Inc. Profit Sharing Plan directly beneficially owns.

Remarks:

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Each of the Reporting Owners identified in this statement disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities described in this statement. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.