MESDAG WILLEM

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

MESDAG WILLEM

Symbol NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [NATR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/08/2013

X_ Director Officer (give title

X 10% Owner _ Other (specify

10100 SANTA MONICA **BOULEVARD, SUITE 925**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > (Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(State)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

Common 2.879 $A^{(1)}$ 05/08/2013 \$0 $5,955 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$ (2) Stock

See

footnote 3 Common 2,407,801 I and Stock

Remarks below (3)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	5. 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	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.35					11/06/2009	09/24/2019	Common Stock	25,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Funite / Funitess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MESDAG WILLEM 10100 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 925 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067	X	X				
RED MOUNTAIN CAPITAL PARTNERS LLC 10100 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 925 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067		X				
RMCP GP LLC 10100 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 925 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067		X				
RED MOUNTAIN PARTNERS, L.P. 10100 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 925 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067		X				
RED MOUNTAIN CAPITAL MANAGEMENT INC 10100 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD		X				

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Signatures

/s/ Willem Mesdag (on behalf of himself and the other reporting persons hereunder)

05/10/2013

**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) On May 8, 2013, Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc. ("NATR") issued 2,879 restricted stock units ("RSUs") to Willem Mesdag in connection with his service on NATR's board of directors.
- (2) These shares are in the form of RSUs. Each RSU represents the right to receive one share of NATR common stock.
- (3) These shares are held directly by Red Mountain Partners, L.P. ("RMP").

Remarks:

This Form 4 is jointly filed by (i) RMP, (ii) RMCP GP LLC ("RMCP GP"), (iii) Red Mountain Capital Partners LLC ("RMCP Management, Inc. ("RMCM"), and (v) Mr. Mesdag. RMCP GP is the general partner of each of RMP. RMCP LLC is the man

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