NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC Form 8-K May 15, 2006

## **UNITED STATES**

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

# FORM 8-K

### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

**Securities Exchange Act of 1934** 

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): May 5, 2006

# Nature s Sunshine Products, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Utah

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

**0-8707** (Commission File Number)

75 East 1700 South Provo, Utah (Address of Principal Executive Offices) **87-0327982** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

> 84606 (Zip Code)

Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code:

(801) 342-4300

#### N/A

(Former name, former address, and formal fiscal year, if changed since last report)

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#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On May 5, 2006, Nature s Sunshine Products, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release, entitled Nature s Sunshine Declares Quarterly Cash Dividend, announcing a quarterly cash dividend of five cents per share of common stock, payable on May 31, 2006. A copy of the press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by this reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release, entitled Nature s Sunshine Declares Quarterly Cash Dividend, issued by Nature s Sunshine Products, Inc. dated May 5, 2006

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#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Nature s Sunshine Products, Inc.

Dated: May 15, 2006

By

/s/ Stephen M. Bunker Chief Financial Officer

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### EXHIBIT INDEX

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