NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC Form 8-K August 07, 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): August 1, 2006

Nature s Sunshine Products, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

0-8707

(Commission

Utah

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

n) File Number)
75 East 1700 South

Provo, Utah (Address of Principal Executive Offices) Identification No.)

87-0327982

(IRS Employer

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 August 1, 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 August 29, 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 August 1, 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: August 3, 2006

/s/ Stephen M. Bunker Chief Financial Officer

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