

BEAUDRY MICHAEL
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BEAUDRY MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
UNITED NATURAL FOODS INC
[UNFI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
313 IRON HORSE WAY
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/06/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP, National Distrib.

PROVIDENCE, RI 02908

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/06/2009 | | M | 1,800 A \$ 0 | 9,021 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/06/2009 | | F | 616 D (4) \$ 27.12 | 8,405 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 10,369 | I | See footnote (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Pr Deriv Secur (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| | | | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | | |
| Restricted Stock Unit | \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ | 12/06/2009 | | M | 1,800 | ⁽²⁾ | ⁽²⁾ | Common Stock | 1,800 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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313 IRON HORSE WAY
PROVIDENCE, RI 02908

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Signatures

Lisa N'Chonon, Power-of-Attorney,
in fact

12/08/2009

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of United Natural Foods, Inc. common stock upon vesting in accordance with the terms of Mr. Beaudry's restricted unit award agreement.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning on December 6, 2008, the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (3) Includes 3,252 shares of common stock allocated to Mr. Beaudry under the United Natural Foods, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan and 7,117 shares of common stock allocated to Mr. Beaudry under the United Natural Foods, Inc. 401(k) Plan's UNFI Stock Fund as of December 8, 2009.
- (4) On December 6, 2009, 1,800 shares of United Natural Foods, Inc. (the "Company") restricted stock units vested. In connection with the vesting of those shares, the Company retained 616 shares on December 6, 2009 to satisfy the related tax withholding obligations.

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