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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WELDON LEE G

(First)

(Middle)

1185 LINDA VISTA DRIVE

(Street)

SAN MARCOS, CA 92078

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

NATURAL ALTERNATIVES INTERNATIONAL INC [NAII]

(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2010

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(Zip) (City) (State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A)				` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/25/2010		M	10,000	` /	\$ 2.16 (2)	49,880 (5)	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2010		M	861 (4)	A	\$ 7.722	50,741	D	
Common Stock							17,000 (5)	I	By self and Judith

W. Weldon as trustees of the Weldon Family

Trust

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.16	02/25/2010		M	10,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/28/2010	Common Stock	10,0
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.722	02/25/2010		M	10,000	<u>(3)</u>	04/26/2010	Common Stock	10,0 (4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

WELDON LEE G
1185 LINDA VISTA DRIVE X
SAN MARCOS, CA 92078

Signatures

/s/ Ken Wolf on behalf of Mr. Weldon under a Power of Attorney 03/01/2010

**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) The securities vested 34% on March 1, 2001 and an additional 33% on March 1, 2002 and March 1, 2003.
- (2) This transaction represents an exercise of non-qualified stock options.

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- (3) The securities were fully vested upon issuance on April 27, 2005.
- Stock option exercise was accomplished using a cashless, net exercise method that resulted in the issuance to Mr. Weldon of a number of shares of common stock that was less than the total number of shares exercised pursuant to the option. The remaining shares underlying the option were cancelled as payment for the exercise price based on a fair market value equal to the last reported sale price for the common stock as reported by Nasdaq on February 25, 2010.
- (5) In addition to the transaction reported, the total direct holdings have been adjusted from the amount previously reported to deduct 17,000 shares held indirectly by the Weldon Family Trust but that were previously reported as held by Mr. Weldon directly.

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