## FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Reaves, John  (Last) (First) (Middle)		Date of Event Requiring Statement Month/Day/Year  10/22/2002	4. Issuer Name andTicke Natural Alternatives Int	6. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)					
1185 Linda Vista Suite 200 San Marcos, C	(Street) (Street) (State)	(Zip)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  _ Director10% Owner X Officer (give title below) _ Other (specify below)  Description VP - Finance		7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned									
1. Title of Securit (Instr. 4)	у		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr.4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)	Title and Amount of     Underlying Securities     (Instr. 4)  Title / Amount or Number of Shares	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.5)					
Common Stock Options	6/1/2003 / 6/1/2007	Options / 30,000	\$2.07	D						

Explanation of Responses:

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<u>/s/ John Reaves</u>
\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

10/22/2002

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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