DZIKI THOMAS A

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DZIKI THOMAS A			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) 313 IRON HO	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2011	Director 10% Owner Specify below) Other (specify below) CHRSO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
PROVIDENCE, RI 02908				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securitie Transactiom Disposed Code (Instr. 3, 4 (Instr. 8)			D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/14/2011		M	2,500	(D)	\$ 18.655	7,885	D		
Common Stock	01/14/2011		M	12,500	A	\$ 28.14	20,385	D		
Common Stock	01/14/2011		M	3,000	A	\$ 25.37	23,385	D		
Common Stock	01/14/2011		S	14,687	D	\$ 36.5812 (3)	8,698	D		
Common Stock							2,264	I	See footnote	

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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. Transactic 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Share
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.655	01/14/2011		M		2,500	(2)	12/03/2013(2)	Common Stock	2,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.14	01/14/2011		M		12,500	(2)	12/01/2014(2)	Common Stock	12,50
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 25.37	01/14/2011		M		3,000	(2)	12/08/2015 <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	3,000

Reporting Owners

buy)

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DZIKI THOMAS A							
313 IRON HORSE WAY			CHRSO				
PROVIDENCE, RI 02908							

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Signatures

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

01/18/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- Includes 2,243 shares of common stock allocated to Mr. Dziki under the United Natural Foods, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan and (1) 21 shares of common stock allocated to Mr. Dziki under the United Natural Foods, Inc. 401(k) Plan's UNFI Stock Fund as of January 17, 2011.
- (2) The employee stock options vest and become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant, and expire on the tenth anniversary of the date of grant.
- (3) The transaction price listed is a weighted average. Actual sale prices for these dispositions ranged from \$36.57 to \$36.71.

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