

BEAUDRY MICHAEL  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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)  
260 LAKE ROAD  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/09/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Eastern Region President

DAYVILLE, CT 06241

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

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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)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/09/2006		M		1,250	A	\$ 14.35	8,450	D	
Common Stock	10/09/2006		S		900	D	\$ 32.32	7,550	D	
Common Stock	10/09/2006		S		100	D	\$ 32.33	7,450	D	
Common Stock	10/09/2006		S		250	D	\$ 32.36	7,200 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock								6,275	I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.35	10/09/2006		M	1,250	08/01/2006 08/01/2013	Common Stock	1,250

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BEAUDRY MICHAEL 260 LAKE ROAD DAYVILLE, CT 06241			Eastern Region President	

**Signatures**

Mark Shamber (Power of Attorney, in fact) 10/12/2006  
 \*\*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) Represents shares of restricted stock vesting in four equal installments beginning on December 8, 2006.  
Includes 2,065 shares of common stock allocated to Mr. Beaudry under the United Natural Foods, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan as of October 9, 2006 and 4,210 shares of common stock allocated to Mr. Beaudry under the United Natural Foods, Inc. 401(k) plan's UNFI Unitized Stock Fund. The price is based on the closing price of UNFI common stock on The Nasdaq National Market on October 9, 2006.

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