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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lindberg Randle		ting Person *	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) C/O UNITED INC., 260 LA		(Middle) L FOODS,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/25/2009	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Former Western Region Pres.		
DAYVILLE,	(Street) CT 06241		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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of	or Beneficially Owned
Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of	, or beneficially Owned

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired			5. Amount of	6.	Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)				Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	e (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	06/29/2009		M	2,250	A	\$ 24.54	14 875	D	
Stock	0012912009		1 V1	2,230	А	ψ 24.34	14,673	D	
									See
Common	06/25/2009		D	614	D	\$ 0 (1)	0	I	footnote
Stock	00/23/2009		D	014	<u>(1)</u>	Φ U <u>~</u>	U	1	(1)
									(1)
Common	06/29/2009		S	100	D	¢ 26 27	14 475	D	
Stock	00/29/2009		3	100	D	\$ 26.27	14,473	D	
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Common	06/29/2009		S	300	D	\$ 26.28	14,575	D	
Stock									
	06/29/2009		S	1,750	D		12,625	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 26.251		
Common Stock	06/25/2009	M	7,500	A	\$ 0	15,308	D
Common Stock	06/29/2009	S	100	D	\$ 26.26	14,375	D
Common Stock	06/25/2009	F	2,683	D (3)	\$ 25.53	12,625	D

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)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D)	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	O)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.54	06/29/2009		M	2,2	250	06/25/2009	08/30/2009	Common Stock	2,250
Restricted Stock	\$ 0	06/25/2009		M	7,5	500	06/25/2009(2)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

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

Lindberg Randle C/O UNITED NATURAL FOODS, INC. 260 LAKE RD DAYVILLE, CT 06241

Former Western Region Pres.

2 Reporting Owners

Signatures

Mark Shamber (Power of Attorney, 07/07/2009 in fact)

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Date

- (1) Represents the forfeiture of unvested shares of common stock previously allocated to Mr. Lindberg under the United Natural Foods, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan.
- (2) Share vesting was accelerated based on the terms of the Separation Agreement between United Natural Foods, Inc. and Randle Lindberg.
- On June 25, 2009, an aggregate of 7,500 shares of United Natural Foods, Inc. (the "Company") restricted common stock and restricted stock units vested. On June 25, 2009, the Company retained 2,683 shares to satisfy certain tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of such shares.

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