NATCO GROUP INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Farnsworth Bradley P

Symbol NATCO GROUP INC [NTG]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

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

C/O NATCO GROUP INC., 2950 N.

(State)

06/06/2007

below)

LOOP WEST, SUITE 700

SVP & Chief Financial Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

HOUSTON, TX 77092

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) or

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common

stock (1)

stock -06/06/2007 restricted

Code V Amount (D)

3,160 A

\$ 12,394 (2)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$ 44.7	06/06/2007		A	6,430	(3)	06/06/2014	Common stock	6,430

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Directors 10% Occurry Officers

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Farnsworth Bradley P C/O NATCO GROUP INC. 2950 N. LOOP WEST, SUITE 700 HOUSTON, TX 77092

SVP & Chief Financial Officer

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Signatures

Bradley P.

Farnsworth 06/08/2007

**Signature of Person

Date

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).

Restrictions on this grant of restricted stock lapse as to all of the shares on (a) June 6, 2010 provided that the recipient has continuously served as an employee from the date of the award until such date or, (b) if earlier, pursuant to tha applicable incentive plan or upon the

- (1) occurrence of a Corporate Change as defined in such plan, provided, in either case, that the recipient has been continuously employed by the Company or a subsidiary on such date or the date of such Corporate Change. The shares are subject to forfeiture upon termination of employment prior to the time the restrictions lapse.
- Direct ownership includes (a) an aggregate of 1,234 shares purchased through a partipant-directed defined contribution employee benefit (2) plan and (b) an aggregate of 11,160 shares of restricted stock subject to restriction and risk of forfeiture, including the shares reported in this transaction.
- (3) The options vest in 1/3 increments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant, subject to continued employment by the company or a subsidiary on the applicable date. The first third will vest on June 6, 2008.

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