FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* STIVERS WILLIAM C				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ MTX ]							[ ] (Ch	elationship of ack all applic X Directo	able) r	Pers	10% Ov	wner		
		OLOGIES INC	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2006							Officer below)	(give title		Other (s	specify	
405 LEXINGTON AVENUE  (Street)  NEW YORK NY 10174  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2006						Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  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																	
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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 D if any (Month/Day)	Date, T	I. Fransa Code (I		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Deriv Security (Instr. 3 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	is Ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
PHANTOM STOCK UNITS	(1)	01/03/2006			A		64.015		(2)		(2)	COMMON STOCK	64.015	\$58.58	2,440.43	7 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. EACH PHANTOM STOCK UNIT, WHEN REDEEMED, WILL HAVE THE VALUE OF ONE SHARE OF THE COMPANY'S COMMON STOCK ON THE FIRST BUSINESS DAY OF THE MONTH IN WHICH PAYMENT IS MADE.
- 2. THE PHANTOM STOCK UNITS WERE ACCRUED UNDER THE MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. NON-FUNDED DEFERRED COMPENSATION AND UNIT AWARD PLAN FOR NON-EMPLOYEE DIRECTOR'S AND ARE TO BE SETTLED IN CASH UPON THE REPORTING PERSON'S RETIREMENT.

 $3. \ ON \ JANUARY \ 4, 2006, THE \ REPORTING PERSON \ MISTAKENLY \ REPORTED \ THE \ AWARD \ OF 170.707 \ PHANTOM \ STOCK \ UNITS \ WHEN IN FACT, THE REPORTING PERSON WAS AWARDED$ ONLY 64.015 PHANTOM STOCK UNITS. AS OF JANUARY 4, 2006, THE REPORTING PERSON HAS BEEN AWARDED A TOTAL OF ONLY 2,440.437 PHANTOM STOCK UNITS.

## Remarks:

VICTORIA LUKAUSKAS FOR WILLIAM C. STIVERS

05/26/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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