FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CURCIO JOHN B						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX]										ck all applic Director Officer	able)	g Pers	on(s) to Issi 10% Ov Other (s	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2003										below)			below)		
(Street) NEW YO	RK NY		.0174 Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2003									6. Ind Line) X	′					
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Sec	curiti	es A	cqui	ired, D	isp	osed (of, or Be	nefic	ially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		e, 7	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquire d Of (D) (Ins				s Illy ollowing	Form	Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
										Code	,	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pr	ice	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			msa. 4)	
	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,	4. Transact Code (In:				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			of Securities			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	or	ount nber res						
PHANTOM STOCK UNITS	\$0	05/22/2003	05/22/20	03	A		540			(1)		(1)	COMMON STOCK	54	40	\$45.55	4,735.2	64	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. 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.

Remarks:

LINDA A. BUGGELN FOR JOHN CURCIO

06/07/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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