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* <u>CHOLMONDELEY PAULA H</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX]						【] (Cl	Relationship of the contract o	able) r	g Perso	10% Ow	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/03/2005							Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify		
405 LEXINGTON AVENUE				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Date)			Date	Execution Date,		Code (Instr.				5) Securitie Beneficia	Beneficially Owned Following		Direct I Indirect I str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	Co	Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivative		Expiration Date of Securit (Month/Day/Year) Underlyin		7. Title and of Securitie Underlying Security (In 4)	s Derivativ	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	e s ally g	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	de V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		opiration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
PHANTOM STOCK UNITS	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	10/03/2005		А		65.732	!	(2)		(2)	COMMON STOCK	65.732	\$57.05	1,175.1	195	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.

Remarks:

VICTORIA LUKAUSKAS FOR PAULA H. J. 10/05/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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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