## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol						Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer     (Check all applicable)						
Pasquale	Michael	F.		Minerals Technologies Inc. (MTX)							Director	10% Ov				
(Last) (First) (Middle)  Minerals Technologies Inc. 405 Lexington Avenue				3. I.R.S. Identification of Reporting Person entity (voluntary)		4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 10/17/02				Officer (give Other (specify title below) below)						
(Street)				5. If Amendment, Date of Original						7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X. Form filed by One Reporting Person						
New York,	NY	10174				(Month/Day/Year)					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Т	able I - Nor	n-Derivative S	ecurities /	ed, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
Title of Security (Instr. 3)	/		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction (Instr. 8)	n Code  4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					5. Amount of So Beneficially Ow Reported Trans (Instr. 3 and 4)	ned Following		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	е						
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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	Date (Month/Day/	Execution	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of 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)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Phantom Stock Units	1 for 1	10/1/02	-	J		16.250		*	*	Common Stock	16.250	39.35	-	D	-
Phantom Stock Units	1 for 1	10/17/02		J		25.000		*	*	Common Stock	25.000	41.57	3502.569	D	

S. Garrett Gray for Michael F. Pasquale	October 18, 2002					
Michael F. Pasquale	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 Instructions 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Explanation of Responses:

\*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.