FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* SOREL JOHN A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC									5. Relationship of Reporti (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below)			son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s below)	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2009									Senior Vice President					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10174					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					n	
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curiti	es Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	of, or B	enefi	cially	Owned	i				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F Reporte	es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pr	ice	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)		
Common Stock				02/27/2009					М		2,000) A		(1)	16,551			D		
Common Stock				02/27/2009					F		676	D	\$	30.3	15,875			D		
Common Stock				03/02/2009					M		1,833	3 A		(1)	17,708		D			
Common Stock				03/02/2009					F		619	D	\$	28.85	17,089			D		
Common Stock															3,339(2)			Ι .	By 401(k) Plan	
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transact Code (In:			of Deri Sec Acq (A) Disp of (I	oosed D) tr. 3, 4	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	Amount o		of es ng re Secu	9	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sha	ber						
Deferred Restricted Stock Units ("DRSUs")	(1)	02/27/2009			М			2,000	(3)		(3)	Commor Stock	2,0	00	(1)	11,066	6	D		
DRSUs	(1)	03/02/2009			M			1,833	(4)		(4)	Commor Stock	1,8	33	(1)	9,233	3	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Each\ DRSU\ is\ the\ economic\ equivalent\ of\ one\ share\ of\ Minerals\ Technologies\ Inc.\ Common\ Stock.$
- 2. Mr. Sorel has 3,339 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information in this report is based on a Plan Statement dated as of February 27, 2009.
- 3. Mr. Sorel was granted 6,000 DRSUs on February 27, 2008, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2009.
- 4. Mr. Sorel was granted 5,500 DRSUs on February 28, 2007, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 28, 2008.

Charles E. Malone for John A. **Sorel**

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/03/2009

Date

Remarks:

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

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