FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CHOLMONDELEY PAULA H | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC MTX | | | | | | | | | Check all ap X Dire Offi | oplicable) ector cer (give title | g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2005 | | | | | | | | | bel | ow) | bel | ow) | |
| (Street) NEW YC | | | 10174 (Zip) | | _ 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | ine) X For For | , | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - No | n-Deriv | /ative | Se | curitie | s Acc | quired, | Dis | posed o | f, o | r Ben | efici | ally Owr | ed | | | |
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| 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 | n Date, | 4. Transa Code (8) | (Instr. | | | 6. Date Expiration (Month/L | on Dat | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4) Amoun or Numboof Title Share: | | ount nber | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4) | |

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

VICTORIA LUKAUSKAS FOR PAULA H. J. **CHOLMONDELEY**

11/03/2005

** 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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