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*  MUSCARI JOSEPH C						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC  1								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									X Officer (give title below)			Other (s	specify	
MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE						06/06/2008								Chairman and CEO						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10174					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(Si	ate)	(Zip)												Person					
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curities	s Ac	quired, D	oisp	osed c	of, or Be	nefici	ally	Owned	t				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ar) E	Execution f any	. Deemed ecution Date, any onth/Day/Year)				ities Acquired (A) o d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		and Securiti Benefic		es ally Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	/	Amount	t (A) or (D)		е	Transac	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(11311. 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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date, Transa Code (			of		6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Phantom Stock Units	(1)	06/06/2008			A		1.323		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	1.323		\$0	1,840.71	17	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 Directors and are to be settled in cash upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director.

## Remarks:

<u>Charles Malone For Joseph C.</u> Muscari <u>06/09/2008</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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