## 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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* VALLES JEAN PAUL				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
	<u>LAN IAUL</u>									X	Director	10%	Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 24/2003						Officer (give title below)	Other below	(specify /)		
(Street)			4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. Indi X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
Date			2. Transacti Date (Month/Day		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities A Disposed Of (			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)		
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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		e	of Securities		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
PHANTOM STOCK UNITS	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	07/24/2003	07/24/2003	A		39.116		08/08/1988 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/08/1988 <sup>(2)</sup>	COMMON STOCK	39.116	<b>\$</b> 51.13	3,366.97 <sup>(3)</sup>	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.

3. THE REPORTING PERSON ALSO DIRECTLY OWNS EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTIONS (I) TO PURCHASE 303,174 SHARES OF MTX COMMON STOCK AT \$39.53 PER SHARE WHICH BECAME EXERCISABLE IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON JANUARY 28, 2000 AND EXPIRING ON JANUARY 28, 2009 AND (II) TO PURCHASE 136 SHARES OF MTX COMMON STOCK AT \$46,625 PER SHARE WHICH BECAME EXERCISABLE IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON JANUARY 24, 2003 AND EXPIRING ON JANUARY 24, 2012.

LINDA A. BUGGELN FOR	
JEAN-PAUL VALLES	

07/25/2003

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

 $^{\ast}$  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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