FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICE	AL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CLARK ROBERT L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC MTX									k all applic Directo	r		10% Ov	vner
(Last) 622 THI	(Fi	*	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2012							Oπicer below)	(give title		Other (s	specify		
(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	Y	10017		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				n		
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 3, 4) Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)					es Form ally (D) o following (I) (Ir		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
						Code V Amount (A) or (D)				Pri	ce	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)			
	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/Yet)					ransaction Code (Instr.		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		1	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Share	ber					
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	01/03/2012			A		27.141		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	27.1	41	\$0	2,189.47	75	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Each \ phantom \ stock \ unit \ is \ the \ economic \ equivalent \ of \ one \ share \ of \ Minerals \ Technologies \ Inc. \ Common \ Stock.$
- 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:

Thomas J. Meek for Robert L. 01/05/2012 Clark

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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