## 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*  KROMBERG WILLIAM A  (Last) (First) (Middle)  405 LEXINGTON AVENUE					3. Da	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ MTX ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2010									X (Ch	Relationship of Reporting neck all applicable)  Director  X Officer (give title below)  Vice Pre			10% Ov Other (s below)	vner	
(Street) NEW Y(		tate)	10174 (Zip)		-	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Lin	Form t						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trai			2. Trans	saction	action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Se Transaction Dispo		4. Securi	curities Acquired (A) sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		I (A) or	5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned I Reporte	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Co	de \	/	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s) and 4)				
Common Stock															41	L7 <sup>(1)</sup>		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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. 5. Number Transaction Code (Instr. Derivative			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)						8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	1	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$49.12	01/27/2010			A		3,640		(2	()	01/	/27/2020	Comr Stoo		3,640	\$0	22,962	2	D		
Deferred Restricted Stock Units (DRSUs)	(3)	01/27/2010			A		2,130		(4	1)		(4)	Comr		2,130	\$0	6,729	)	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Mr. Kromberg has 417 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information contained in this report is based on a Plan Statement dated as of January 28,
- 2. The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 27, 2011.
- 3. Each DRSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock.
- 4. DRSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 27, 2011. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vesting.

## Remarks:

Thomas Meek for William A. **Kromberg** 

02/02/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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