FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Tradir	ng Symbol	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
Pasquale Michael F.	Minerals Technologies I	nc. (MTX)	X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) Minerals Technologies Inc. 405 Lexington Avenue	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 1/2/03	Officer (give Other (specify title below) below)						
(Street)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
New York, NY 10174		(Month/Day/Year)	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)	Ta	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
	action Date Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, (Instr. 8) (Month/Day/Year)	Code 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 4) 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) Direct						
	Code	V Amount (A) or (D)	Price						

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
Instr.3		Execution Code I Date, (Instr. 8) f any (Month/Day/		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Securities Beneficially	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Year)	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owned at End of Month (Instr. 4)	(11150. 4)
Phantom Stock Units	1 for 1	12/18/02		J		2.409		*	*	Common Stock	2.409	43.40		D	
Phantom Stock Units	1 for 1	1/02/03		J		16.250		*	*	Common Stock	16.250	44.25	3546.228	D	

S. Garrett Gray for Michael F. Pasquale	January 3, 2003
Michael F. Pasquale **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 Instructions 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Explanation of Responses:

* 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.