FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Print or Type Responses)

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Johnson Kristina M.				Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Minerals Technologies Inc. (MTX)						Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner							
(Last) (First) (Middle) Minerals Technologies Inc. 405 Lexington Avenue				3. I.R.S. Identification of Reporting Person entity (voluntary)		Statement for Month/Day/Year 4/1/03				Officer (give Other (specify title below) below)							
(Street) New York, NY 10174			5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)					<u>x</u>	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City)	(State)		(Zip)		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquir						red, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
Title of Security (Instr. 3)	/			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction) (Instr. 3 and 4) 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			Ownership			
						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)															
Title of Derivative Security (Instr.3)	or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/ Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	(Instr. 8)		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)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Owned at End	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	of Month (Instr. 4)	
Phantom Stock Units	1 for 1	4/1/03		A		16.250		*	*	Common Stock	16.250	37.81	2163.254	D	-

Linda A. Buggeln for Kristina M. Johnson	April 2, 2003
Kristina M. Johnson **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.