FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* STIVERS WILLIAM C (Last) (First) (Middle)					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC MTX								(Che	eck all appli	or (give title	g Per	son(s) to Is: 10% O' Other (below)	wner	
MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE			09/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2008															
(Street) NEW YO			L0174 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	Y Form t	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check App Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Report Person			on	
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
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Phantom Stock Units	(1)	09/17/2008			A		3.984		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	3.9	984	\$0	4,843.20	06	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each phantom stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of the Company's 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:

<u>Charles Malone for William C.</u> <u>Stivers</u> <u>09/19/2008</u>

** 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 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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