FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CRABTREE HOWARD R</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX]							eck all applic Directo	able)	Person(s) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/05/2003								below)	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10174 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. li	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D.					Execution Date,		3. Transacti Code (Ins	4. Secu Dispose	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) Amount (A) or (D)		5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 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	Date Execution I (Month/Day/Year) if any	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: y Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
DEFERRED STOCK ⁽¹⁾	(2)	11/05/2003	11/05/2003	A		2,000		07/01/2004	07/01/2008	COMMON STOCK	2,000	\$0 ⁽²⁾	2,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. DEFERRED STOCK ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE COMPANY'S 2001 STOCK AWARD AND INCENTIVE PLAN. DEFERRED STOCK VESTS FIVE YEARS FROM DATE OF DATE OF REPORTING PARTY'S RECEIPT OF NOTIFICATION.

2. ONE-FOR-ONE

Remarks:

<u>VICTORIA LUKAUSKAS</u> <u>FOR HOWARD R.</u>

11/07/2003

<u>CRABTREE</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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