FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHI

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MASSIMINE KENNETH L					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC  [ MTX ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue (Check all applicable)  Director  Tom Own  X  Officer (give title  Description (Section 10) (Section				ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2009									Senior Vice President					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10174				4. If	Ame	ndmer	it, Date o	of Original	Filed	(Month/Da	6. Lir	ie) <mark>X</mark> F F	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person						
(City)	(St		Zip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Da			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			d Se Be Ov	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	irect direct f direct f . 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Tra	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				msu. 4)	
Common Stock			02/27	27/2009				М		2,234	,234 A			15,458		D			
Common Stock			02/27	02/27/2009				F		770	D	\$30	.3	14,688		D			
Common Stock			03/02	03/02/2009				M		2,333	3 A	(1)		17,021		D			
Common Stock			03/02	/02/2009				F		805	D	\$28.	85	16,216		D			
Common Stock														2,941(2)		I	4	3y 401(k) Plan	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2.		Date,	Date, Transaction		on of E		5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Di or (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Amount or Number of Shares								
Deferred Restricted Stock Units ("DRSUs")	(1)	02/27/2009			М			2,234	(3)		(3)	Common Stock	2,234	(1		13,632		D	
DRSUs	(1)	03/02/2009			M			2,333	(4)		(4)	Common Stock	2,333	(1		11,299		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1.\ Each\ DRSU\ is\ the\ economic\ equivalent\ of\ one\ share\ of\ Minerals\ Technologies\ Inc.\ Common\ Stock.$
- 2. Mr. Massimine has 2,941 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information in this report is based on a Plan Statement dated as of February 27, 2009.
- 3. Mr. Massimine was granted 6,700 DRSUs on February 27, 2008, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2009.
- 4. Mr. Massimine was granted 7,000 DRSUs on February 28, 2007, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 28, 2008.

## Remarks:

Charles E. Malone for Kenneth L. Massimine

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

03/03/2009

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).
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