FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  DUNHAM DUANE                  |  |            |                |        | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC  MTX |   |   |   |   |            |                                 |   |   |                        | ck all applic<br>Directo   | able)<br>r  | 10% Owne  |  | vner                                  |
|---|--|------------|----------------|--------|--|---|---|---|---|------------|---------------------------------|---|---|------------------------|--|---|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE |  |            |                | 01/    | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2004                        |   |   |   |   |            |                                 |   |   |                        | below)   | (give title   |   | Other (s<br>below)   |                                       |
| (Street)  NEW YORK  NY  10174  (City) (State) (Zip)                     |  |            |                | 4.     | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                           |   |   |   |   |            |                                 |   |   | Line)                  | ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |   |  |                                       |
|   |  | Tab        | le I - Non-Dei | ivativ | e Sec  | curiti  | es A  | cqui                                    | ired, D   | isp        | osed (                          | of, or Bei  | nefi  | cially                 | / Owned  |   |   |  |                                       |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da              |  |            |                |        | Execution Date   |   |   | e, Transaction Dispo<br>Code (Instr. 5) |   | Dispose    | ities Acquire<br>d Of (D) (Inst |   | 5. Amour<br>Securitie<br>Beneficia<br>Owned F | s Formally (D) (I) (I) |  | : Direct Indirect Istr. 4)  | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |                                       |
|   |  |            |                |        |  |   |   | [                                       | Code V  | e V Amount |                                 | t (A) or Price  |   | rice                   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)   |   |   |  |                                       |
|   | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |            |                |        |  |   |   |   |   |            |                                 |   |   |                        |  |   |   |  |                                       |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                     | erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any   |            |                |        | action<br>(Instr.  | of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) o<br>Dispo | vative<br>prities<br>priced<br>or<br>osed<br>)<br>r. 3, 4 | Expi                                    | 5. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>Month/Day/Year) |            |                                 | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   |                        | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)  | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s<br>(Instr. 4) |   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|   |  |            |                | Code   | v  | (A)   | (D)   | Date<br>Exer                            | e<br>rcisable   | Ex<br>Da   | piration<br>te                  | Title   | or<br>Nu<br>of                                | mber                   |  |   |   |  |                                       |
| PHANTOM<br>STOCK<br>UNITS   | \$0 <sup>(1)</sup>   | 01/21/2004 | 01/21/2004     | A      |  | 30  |   |   | (2)   |            | (2)                             | COMMON<br>STOCK   |   | 30                     | \$57.23  | 1,439.0   | 38  | D  |                                       |

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. EACH PHANTOM STOCK UNIT, WHEN REDEEMED, WILL HAVE THE VALUE OF ONE SHARE OF THE COMPANY'S COMMON STOCK ON THE FIRST BUSINESS DAY OF THE MONTH IN WHICH PAYMENT IS MADE.
- 2. 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.

## Remarks:

VICTORIA LUKAUSKAS FOR DUANE R. DUNHAM

01/22/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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