FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>GOLUB STEVEN J</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ MTX ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Check all applicable) $ \begin{array}{ccc} X & \text{Director} & 10\% \text{ Owner} \end{array} $			
(Last) (First) (Middle) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE					Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     01/02/2004  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10174  (City) (State) (Zip)				4.	4. II Alliendinent, Date di Original Filed (World #Day/Teat)							X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				ransactio e onth/Day/\	ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dis		curities Acquired (A) or sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
								Code V	Amoi	ınt (A) or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(III301. 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		oer ive ies ed ed nstr.	6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and of Securitie Underlying Security (In 4)	s Derivative	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Director (I) (In	(D) irect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	on Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
PHANTOM STOCK UNITS	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/02/2004	01/02/2004	A		16.25		(2)	(2)	COMMON STOCK	16.25	\$59.37	8,380.84	1 <sup>(3)</sup>	)	
PHANTOM STOCK UNITS	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/02/2004	01/02/2004	A		46.413		(2)	(2)	COMMON STOCK	46.413	\$59.25	8,427.25	4 <sup>(3)</sup> I	)	

## **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.
- 3. THE REPORTING PERSON ALSO DIRECTLY OWNS EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTIONS (I) TO PURCHASE 143 SHARES OF MTX COMMON STOCK AT \$39.53 PER SHARE WHICH BECAME EXERCISABLE IN THREE EOUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON JANUARY 28, 2000 AND EXPIRING ON JANUARY 28, 2009 AND (II) TO PURCHASE 155 SHARES OF MTX COMMON STOCK AT \$46.625 PER SHARE WHICH BECAME EXERCISABLE IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON JANUARY 24, 2003 AND EXPIRING ON JANUARY 24,

## Remarks:

**VICTORIA LUKAUSKAS** FOR STEVEN J. GOLUB

01/05/2004

\*\* 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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