FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| STATEMENT | OF CHANGES | S IN BENEFICIAL | OWNERSHIP |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* REID JOHN T | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX] | | | | | | | [X] Ch | elationship o eck all applic | able) | g Pers | on(s) to Issu | |
|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|------|--|------------|--|--------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | ` | NOLOGIES INC | (Middle) | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2007 | | | | | | | _ | (give title | | Other (s | | |
| (Street) NEW YO | ORK N | Y | 10174 (Zip) | 4. | . If Ame | endment, [| Oate o | of Original F | Filed (| (Month/Da | ay/Year) | Line | X Form fi | led by One led by Mor | e Repo | (Check App rting Person One Report | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date | | Transaction te onth/Day/ | Execution Date, | | Code (Instr. | | | | Beneficia Owned Fo | Form (D) o ollowing (I) (In | Direct Indirect Estr. 4) | . Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership | | | | | |
| | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) o | r Price | Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a | on(s) | | | Instr. 4) | | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Derivative Conversion Date Executive Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if an | | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year | Date, Transaction Code (Instr. | | 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 Amoun 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) | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisabl | | xpiration ate | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | (Instr. 4) | ion(s) | | |
| Phantom Stock Units | (1) | 04/02/2007 | | A | | 171.043 | | (2) | | (2) | Common Stock | 171.043 | \$0 | 7,568.8 | 359 | 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>Laszlo Serester For John T.</u> <u>Reid</u>

04/03/2007

** 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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