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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PASQUALE MICHAEL F					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX]								5. Relationship of Reporting Pe (Check all applicable) X Director			on(s) to Issu 10% Ow		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 622 THIRD AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2011								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10017				- 4. li	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)											Persor				
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	Acc	quired, D	ispo	osed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 8 4. Securities Acquired (ADisposed Of (D) (Instr. 3) 5)				Beneficia	es Fally (E Following (I	Form:	: Direct C Indirect E str. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)		Transact (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: y Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable	Ex _I	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	12/15/2011			A		11.059		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	11.059	\$0	12,324.0)22	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Each \ phantom \ stock \ unit \ is \ the \ economic \ equivalent \ of \ one \ share \ of \ Minerals \ Technologies \ Inc. \ Common \ Stock.$
- 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:

Thomas J. Meek for Michael F. 12/16/2011 **Pasquale**

** 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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