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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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Instruction 1(b) or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* (Check all applicable) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC MTX **REID JOHN T** Director Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2012 **622 THIRD AVENUE** 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) (Street) **NEW YORK** 10017 Form filed by One Reporting Person NY Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (Zip) (State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 2. Transaction 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Transaction Securities Beneficially (Month/Day/Year (D) or Indirect if any Code (Instr. (Month/Day/Year) 8) Owned Following (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Reported (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code v Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4)

	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Numb of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (II 3, 4 and	ive ies ed ed nstr.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount 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) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Title

Commo

Stock

Expiration

(2)

Date

Explanation of Responses:

Conversion or Exercise Price of

Derivative Security

- 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.

Date

Exercisable

(2)

(D)

Remarks:

Phantom

Stock

Units

1. Title of Derivative

Security (Instr. 3)

> Thomas J. Meek for John T. 03/16/2012 Reid

** Signature of Reporting Person

or Number

Shares

13.848

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Date

18,051.587

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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).

03/15/2012

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Code

(A)

13.848

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