

SOREL JOHN A
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SOREL JOHN A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC
[MTX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
405 LEXINGTON AVENUE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/28/2009

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

NEW YORK, NY 10174

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	01/28/2010		M	3,234	A	11	20,323	D
Common Stock	01/28/2010		F	1,271	D	\$ 48.27	19,052	D
Common Stock							3,341 (2)	I

By 401(k) Plan

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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/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.71	01/28/2009		A	16,700	(3) 01/28/2019	Common Stock 16,700
Deferred Restricted Stock Units (DRSUs)	(1)	01/28/2009		A	9,700	(4) (4)	Common Stock 9,700
DRSUs	(1)	01/28/2010		M	3,234	(5) (5)	Common Stock 3,234

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SOREL JOHN A 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10174			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Thomas Meek for John A.
Sorel
02/01/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

(1) Each DRSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock.

(2) Mr. Sorel has 3,341 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information contained in this report is based on a Plan Statement dated as of January 28, 2010.

(3) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 28, 2010.

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(4) DRSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 28, 2010. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vesting.

(5) Mr. Sorel was granted 9,700 DRSUs on January 28, 2009, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 28, 2010.

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