

WILKINS WILLIAM JS  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
WILKINS WILLIAM JS

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)  
  
MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES  
INC., 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/14/2009

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

NEW YORK, NY 10174

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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                    | 01/14/2009                           |  | M                              | 700   | A   | 11   | 700                               | D   |                |
| Common Stock                    | 01/14/2009                           |  | F                              | 214   | D   | \$   | 69.92                             | 486 | D              |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 0  | (2)                               | I   | By 401(k) Plan |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| Deferred Restricted Stock Units ("DRSUs")  | (1)  | 01/14/2009                           |  | M                              | 700   | (3) (3)  | Common Stock  | 700   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WILKINS WILLIAM JS<br>MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC.<br>405 LEXINGTON AVENUE<br>NEW YORK, NY 10174 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

Charles E. Malone for William J. S. Wilkins  
Date: 01/16/2009

\_\_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. Wilkins has 0 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information in this report is based on a Plan Statement dated as of January 14, 2009.
- (3) Mr. Wilkins was granted 2100 DRSUs on June 4, 2007, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on June 4, 2008.

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