MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 4 June 09, 2008

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

MUSCARI JOSEPH C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC

[MTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/06/2008

MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC., 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

Issuer

below)

_X__ Director

X_ Officer (give title

NEW YORK, NY 10174

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(State)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities 3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

10% Owner

Other (specify

Estimated average

burden hours per

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Conversion

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price Underlying Securities Deriva

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Securi (Instr.
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	06/06/2008		A	1.323		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1.323	\$

Chairman and CEO

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MUSCARI JOSEPH C
MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC.
405 LEXINGTON AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY 10174

Signatures

Charles Malone For Joseph C.
Muscari
06/09/2008

**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).
- Each phantom stock unit, when redeemed, will have the value of one share of the Company's common stock on the first business day of the month in which payment is made.
- (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.

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