

MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC

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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 *
FORREST KIRK G

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)
01/28/2008

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
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) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	01/28/2008		M	300 A	\$ 2,421	D	
Common Stock	01/29/2008		F	133 D	\$ 54.89 2,288	D	
Common Stock					460 ⁽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)	01/28/2008		M	300	(3) (3)	Common Stock	300 \$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FORREST KIRK G MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10174			VICE PRESIDENT	

Signatures

Laszlo Serester for Kirk G. Forrest
Date: 01/29/2008
Signature of Reporting Person

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. Forrest has 460 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 28, 2008.
- (3) Mr. Forrest was granted 900 DRSUs on January 25, 2006, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 25, 2007.

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