

MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC
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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 *
 SAUERACKER PAUL R

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)

NEW YORK, NY 10174

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/04/2004

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 CHAIRMAN, PRESIDENT AND CEO

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

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
COMMON STOCK	11/04/2004	11/04/2004	M		12,000	A	\$ 30.63	35,960	D
COMMON STOCK	11/04/2004	11/04/2004	S		12,000	D	\$ 59.48	23,960	D
COMMON STOCK	11/04/2004	11/04/2004	M		1,500	A	\$ 39.53	25,460	D
COMMON STOCK	06/30/2004		J ⁽¹⁾		156.5	A	\$ 58	2,943.2	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 30.63	11/04/2004	11/04/2004	M	12,000	(2) (2)	COMMON STOCK	12,000
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 39.53	11/04/2004	11/04/2004	M	1,500	(3) (3)	COMMON STOCK	1,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SAUERACKER PAUL R MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10174	X		CHAIRMAN, PRESIDENT AND CEO	

Signatures

LINDA A. BUGGELN FOR PAUL R. SAUERACKER
Date: 11/08/2004

__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).

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MR. SAUERACKER HAS 2,943.2 SHARES OF MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. STOCK UNDER THE COMPANY'S 401(K) PLAN. THE INFORMATION IN THIS REPORT IS BASED ON A PLAN STATEMENT DATED AS OF JUNE 30, 2004.

- (2) THIS OPTION VESTED IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON 1/25/97.
- (3) THIS OPTION VESTED IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON 1/28/00.
- (4) ONE-FOR-ONE.

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