

CIPOLLA MICHAEL  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
CIPOLLA MICHAEL

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)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ 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)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	01/28/2010		M		900 A \$ 4,901	D	
Common Stock	01/28/2010		F		381 D \$ 48.27 4,520	D	
Common Stock					3,039 (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)		
				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	5,000	<u>(3)</u>	01/28/2019	Common Stock	5,000
Deferred Restricted Stock Units ("DRSUs")	<u>(1)</u>	01/28/2009		A	2,700	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,700
DRSUs	<u>(1)</u>	01/28/2010		M	900	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	900

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CIPOLLA MICHAEL 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10174			Vice President	

## Signatures

Thomas Meek for Michael  
Cipolla

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. Cipolla has 3,039 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.

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- (3) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 28, 2010.
- (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. Cipolla was granted 2,700 DRSUs on January 28, 2009, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 28, 2010.

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