HONEY RICK Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **HONEY RICK** Issuer Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC (Check all applicable) [MTX] 10% Owner (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES 11/30/2004 VICE PRESIDENT INC., 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10174 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial Direct (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price **COMMON** 11/30/2004 D 11/30/2004 M 1.432 Α 1,432 30.625 **STOCK COMMON** 11/30/2004 11/30/2004 S 1,432 \$ 66.84 0 D D **STOCK** BY**COMMON** $1,800^{(1)}$ I 401(K) **STOCK 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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	\$ 30.625	11/30/2004	11/30/2004	M	1,432	(2)	(2)	COMMON STOCK	1,432

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HONEY RICK MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE

VICE PRESIDENT

Signatures

NEW YORK, NY 10174

LINDA A. BUGGELN FOR RICK HONEY 12/02/2004

**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).
- (1) MR. HONEY HAS 1,800. 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 SEPTEMBER 30, 2004.
- (2) THE OPTION VESTED IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON 1/25/97.
- (3) ONE-FOR-ONE

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