MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** KROMBERG WILLIAM A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) MINERALS TINC., 405 LE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2008	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President		
NEW YORK,	(Street) NY 10174		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

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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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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	(D)	Price	(Ilisti. 5 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/28/2008		M	567	A	<u>(3)</u>	1,877	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2008		F	191	D	\$ 60.35	1,686	D	
Common							1 260 (1)	Ť	By 401(k)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	e (A) ed of	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)	\$ 64.16	02/27/2008		A	2,800		<u>(2)</u>	02/27/2018	Common Stock	2,800
Deferred Restricted Stock Units ("DRSUs")	(3)	02/27/2008		A	1,700		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,700
DRSUs	<u>(3)</u>	02/28/2008		M		567	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	567

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KROMBERG WILLIAM A MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10174

Vice President

Signatures

Laszlo Serester for William A. Wromberg 02/29/2008

**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).

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Mr. Kromberg has 1,368 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information contained in this report is based on a Plan Statement dated as of February 22, 2008.

- (2) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2009.
- (3) Each DRSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock.
- (4) DRSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2009. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon vesting.
- Mr. Kromberg was granted 1,700 DRSUs on February 28, 2007, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 28, 2008

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