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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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08/21/2006

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(Print or Type Responses)

			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]					ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
				_	NJ		(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction									
C/O MOPN	IINGSTAR, INC	225	(Month/E 08/21/2	-	r)				_X_ Director _X_ Officer (giv		Owner er (specify	
	CKER DRIVE	., 223	08/21/2	000					below)	below)	. (4)	
WEST WIT	CILLIC DIG V E								Chairman & CEO			
	(Street)					te Origina	ıl		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Moi	iled(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CHICAGO.	. IL 60606								Form filed by More than One Reporting			
									Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if			Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				ed of (D)	Owned Indirect (I) Ow			
							(A)		Reported			
				C 1	T 7	A	or	D.,	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common				Code	V		` '	Price \$				
Stock	08/21/2006			S <u>(1)</u>		200	D	35.54	29,846,900	D		
Common Stock	08/21/2006			S <u>(1)</u>		600	D	\$ 35.57	29,846,300	D		
Common Stock	08/21/2006			S(1)		800	D	\$ 35.55	29,845,500	D		

 $S^{(1)}$

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300

600

29,845,200

29,844,600

D

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Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 35.64	29,844,400	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 35.53	29,844,200	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 35.59	29,843,900	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 35.71	29,843,800	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 35.66	29,843,600	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	181	D	\$ 35.05	29,843,419	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	519	D	\$ 35.06	29,842,900	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	404	D	\$ 35.09	29,842,496	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	396	D	\$ 35.1	29,842,100	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	452	D	\$ 35.11	29,841,648	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	148	D	\$ 35.13	29,841,500	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	540	D	\$ 35.4	29,840,960	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	360	D	\$ 35.44	29,840,600	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	140	D	\$ 35.48	29,840,460	D
Common Stock	08/21/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	460	D	\$ 35.49	29,840,000	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 37.27	29,839,800	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 37.36	29,839,700	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 37.23	29,839,600	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 37.26	29,839,500	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 37.45	29,839,400	D
	08/22/2006	S(1)	100	D		29,839,300	D

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Common Stock					\$ 37.42		
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	900	D	\$ 35.57	29,838,400	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	447	D	\$ 35.58	29,837,953	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 36.58	29,837,653	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 36.69	29,837,053	D

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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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. DrNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Mansueto Joseph D						
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC.	X		Chairman & CEO			
225 WEST WACKER DRIVE	Λ		Chairman & CEO			
CHICAGO, IL 60606						

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Signatures

/s/ Rachel Felsenthal, by power of attorney

08/23/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 9, 2006.

Remarks:

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