Morningstar, Inc. Form 4 January 03, 2007

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Name and Address of Reporting Persor Mansueto Joseph D	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
	(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225	12/28/2006	X Officer (give title Other (specify			
WEST WACKER DRIVE		below) below) Chairman & CEO			
		Chairman & CEO			
(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			
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Person

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(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 nsaction(A) or Disposed of (D) le (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	12/28/2006		S(1)	600	D	\$ 45.33	29,330,215	D		
Common Stock	12/28/2006		S(1)	4,500	D	\$ 45.18	29,325,715	D		
Common Stock	12/28/2006		S(1)	300	D	\$ 45.19	29,325,415	D		
Common Stock	12/28/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	1,241	D	\$ 45.2	29,324,174	D		
Common Stock	12/28/2006		S(1)	500	D	\$ 45.21	29,323,674	D		

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Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 29,322,974 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	760	D	\$ 45.3 29,322,214 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	2,300	D	\$ 29,319,914 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 29,319,514 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	601	D	\$ 29,318,913 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 29,318,613 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 45.34 29,318,313 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 29,317,813 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	475	D	\$ 29,317,338 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 29,316,738 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 29,316,538 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	416	D	\$ 29,316,122 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 45.4 29,315,322 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 29,314,722 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	320	D	\$ 29,314,402 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 29,314,002 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 29,313,602 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 29,313,402 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 29,313,002 D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$45.5 29,312,902 D
	12/28/2006	S(1)	100	D	29,312,802 D

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Common Stock					\$ 45.26		
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 45.27	29,312,702	D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 45.28	29,312,602	D
Common Stock	12/28/2006	S(1)	5	D	\$ 45.48	29,312,597	D

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. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

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

/s/Rachel Felsenthal, by power of 01/03/2007 attorney

> **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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