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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *  Phillips Donald James II			2. Issu	ıer Name	and T	Гіс	cker or	Гrа	ding Sy	mbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Phillips Donal	d James	II	Mor	ningsta	r, In	c.	[ MO	RN	<b>1</b> ]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Dat	te of Earl	iest Tr	an	saction	(MI	M/DD/YY	YYY)	X Director	10% (			
											X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
C/O MORNIN		•			12/	2(	0/2007				Managing Director				
WEST WACK		VE													
	(Street)			Amendmo	ent, Da	ite	Origin	al F	iled		6. Individual or Joint/Group (Applicable Line)	Filing (Che	eck		
CHICAGO, II	60606			,											
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	7	Table I - Non-I				_		_	•		Beneficially Owned	T .	1=		
			2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Trans Code		(A) or Disposed of F			ount of Securities Beneficially Owned ing Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
(			(Instr. 8		)	(Instr. 3			3 and 4)						
				any				(A)		ĺ		or Indirect (I) (Instr.			
					Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price			4)			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		M		17500	A	\$2.77		324036	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		198	D	\$74.16		323838	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		600	D	\$74.32		323238	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		102	D	\$74.40		323136	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		200	D	\$74.43		322936	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.47		322636	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.49		322336	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.54		322036	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.58		321736	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.60		321436	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		100	D	\$74.65		321336	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		400	D	\$74.71		320936	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.72		320636	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		500	D	\$74.73		320136	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		200	D	\$74.74		319936	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		688	D	\$74.75		319248	D			
Common Stock			12/20/2007		S (1)		412	D	\$74.76		318836	D			
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		Table I	- Non-D	)eriva	ıtiv	e Securi	ties A	cqı	uired, l	Dist	osed (	of, o	or Beneficially	Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2	2. Trans. Date		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Trans. Code					1 5. A	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership
				any	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock				12/20/2	007		S (1)		800	D	\$74.79		318	8036		D	
Common Stock			:	12/20/2	007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.80		317	736		D	
Common Stock			:	12/20/2	007		S (1)		408	D	\$74.81		317	/328		D	
Common Stock				12/20/2	007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.82		317	317028			
Common Stock			:	12/20/2	007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.83		316	316728			
Common Stock			:	12/20/2	007		S (1)		500	D	\$74.84		316	5228		D	
Common Stock				12/20/2	007		S (1)		392	D	\$74.85		315	315836		D	
Common Stock				12/20/2	007		S (1)		200	D	\$74.86		315636		D		
Common Stock				12/20/2	007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.88		315336		D		
Common Stock				12/20/2	007		S (1) 100 D \$74.90 315236			D							
Common Stock				12/20/2007			S (1)		200	200 D \$74.91			315036		D		
Common Stock				12/20/2	007		S (1)		500	D	\$74.92		314	1536		D	
Common Stock	Common Stock			12/20/2	007		S (1)		300	D	\$74.96		314	1236		D	
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans.	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans	. ]	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)	of 6. I and A) of of and	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Tir Secu Deriv (Instr	tle and rities vative r. 3 an	d Amount of Underlying e Security nd 4) Amount or		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Employee Stock				Code	v	· / · /	Exe		sable Dat	e	Title		Number of Shares		(-1011 1)		
Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.77	12/20/2007		M		(2)	, 	(3)	2/1	5/200	)9   Com	mon	17500	\$0	90210	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- (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.
- (2) Pursuant to the terms of a Deferred Compensation Agreement entered into between Morningstar, Inc. and the reporting person, upon the exercise of these options Morningstar, Inc. will pay to the reporting person \$2.69 per share in the form of cash.
- (3) The options became immediately exercisable on the grant date, February 15, 1999.

## Remarks:

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**Reporting Owners** 

Keporting Owners										
Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships									
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other						
Phillips Donald James II C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC. 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606	X		Managing Director							

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney

12/26/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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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