

# FORM 4

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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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 *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
<b>Phillips Donald James II</b>	<b>Morningstar, Inc. [ MORN ]</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director _____ 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
<b>C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE</b>	<b>3/21/2007</b>	<b>Managing Director</b>
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
<b>CHICAGO, IL 60606</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)		<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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	(A) or (D)			
Common Stock	3/21/2007		M		25000	A	\$2.77	243257	D
Common Stock	3/21/2007		M		6426	A	\$2.00	249683	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. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)			5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)		(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title				
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.77	3/21/2007		M			25000 (1)	(2)	2/15/2009	Common	25000	\$0	172864	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.00	3/21/2007		M			6426 (1)	(3)	6/30/2007	Common	6426	\$0	0	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

- (1) 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.
- (2) The options become exercisable in ten annual installments beginning on February 15, 1999.
- (3) The options became exercisable in five annual installments beginning on June 30, 1998.

#### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
<b>Phillips Donald James II</b> <b>C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC.</b> <b>225 WEST WACKER DRIVE</b> <b>CHICAGO, IL 60606</b>	<b>X</b>		<b>Managing Director</b>	

### Signatures

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney

3/22/2007

\*\* 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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