STATEDMENT 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 *
   Desmond Bevin
   C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 22 WEST WASHINGTON STREET
   CHICAGO, IL 60602

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
   Morningstar, Inc. [ MORN ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)
   7/31/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   (Check all applicable)
   ___ Director
   ___ 10% Owner
   ___ Officer (give title below)
   ______ President, Int'l Division

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
   _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
   ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Title of Security</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
<th>Deemed Execution Date, if any</th>
<th>Code</th>
<th>Amount (A) or Disposed of (D)</th>
<th>Price</th>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock (Restricted Stock Units)</td>
<td>7/31/2012</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>23 (1)</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>$0</td>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock (Restricted Stock Units)</td>
<td>7/31/2012</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>2 (2)</td>
<td>A</td>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Explanation of Responses:
(1) Includes 23,343 restricted stock units acquired on July 31, 2012 pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the Morningstar, Inc. 2011 Stock Incentive Plan.
(2) Includes 2,221 restricted stock units acquired on July 31, 2012 pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the Morningstar, Inc. 2011 Stock Incentive Plan.

Reporting Owners

Desmond Bevin
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC.
22 WEST WASHINGTON STREET
CHICAGO, IL 60602
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).


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