MORNINGSTAR, INC.

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Industry Computer Services

Sector Technology

Fiscal Year 12/31



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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 *					. Iss	uer Name	and Ti	ck	er or T	radi	ng Sym		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Boruff Christ	opher P)		N	Ior	ningsta	r, Inc	. [MOR	N]]						
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)								Director 10% Owner XOfficer (give title below) Other (specify				
												X Office below)	cer (give titl	e below)	Othe	r (specify	
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225							5/22	2/2	2006			,	President, Advisor Business				
WEST WACKER DRIVE																	
(Street)													6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
CHICAGO, IL 60606													_ X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)												Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Table l	I - Non-I	Deriv	ativ	ve Securit	ies Acc	Įui	red, Di	ispo	sed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned	l			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)		Acquire Dispose	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of ((Instr. 3, 4 and			ving Reported Transaction(s) 3 and 4) Ownership of Indirect Form: Beneficia		Beneficial Ownership		
						any	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)					or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				5/22/	/2006		М		3333	A	\$2.00	8426			D		
Tab	ole II - De	rivative	Securitie	es Be	nef	icially Ov	vned (a	e.g.	. , puts	, cal	lls, war	rants, options	, convert	ible secur	ities)		
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. II S	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of D) Instr. 3, 4 and	6. Date Expira	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial	
				Code	V	A) (D)	Date Exerci	sab	Expira Date	tion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	4)		
Empoyee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.00	5/22/2006		M (1)		3333	(2	2)	12/31/	2007	Commo Stock	n 3333	\$0	26667	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 March 26, 2006.
- (2) The options became exercisable in five equal installments on December 31, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002.

Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Boruff Christopher P C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC. 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606			President, Advisor Business					

Signatures

/s/ Rachel Felsenthal, by power of attorney

5/23/2006

** 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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the

undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Joe Mansueto, Martha Dustin Boudos, Rachel Felsenthal, Heidi Miller, Richard Robbins, and D. Scott Schilling, signing singly, the undersigneds true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- 1. Execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigneds capacity as an officer and/or director of Morningstar, Inc. (Morningstar), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder;
- 2. Do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any national quotation system, national securities exchange, stock exchange or similar authority; and
- 3. Take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of or legally required by the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-facts discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such

attorney-in-fact substitute or

substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the

foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the

undersigned, are not assuming, nor is

Morningstar assuming, any of the

undersigneds responsibilities to comply

with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigneds holdings of and transactions in securities issued by Morningstar, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 22nd day of May, 2006.

/s/ Christopher P. Boruff Signature

Christopher P. Boruff Print Name