MORNINGSTAR, INC.

FORM 4 (Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				*	2. Iss	uer Nam	e and 7	Гіс	cker or T	rae	ding	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Kirscher Eliz	abeth			1	Mor	ningsta	ar, Ind	c.	[MOI	RN	I]						
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)								Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify				
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225					E /1 E /2007								^{below)} Pres., Data Services Business				
WEST WACKER DRIVE (Street)												6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
CHICAGO, IL 60606 (City) (State) (Zip)												X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1.Title of Security 2.			2. Ti Date	rans.	2A.	3. Trans. 4. Securities Code (A) or Dispo			es . pos	s Acquired 5. Amo osed of Followi (Instr. 3		unt of Securities Beneficially Owned ing Reported Transaction(s)		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				5/15	/2007		Code	v	Amount	or D)	Pric	e				(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	Common Stock 5/				15/2007		F		374	D	\$49.4	0	28985		D		
Common Stock (Restricted Stock Units) (1) 5/1				5/15	/2007		A		4585	A	\$0		33570			D	
Tal	ole II - De	rivati	ve Securi	ties B	enefi	icially O	wned (e.	.g., put	, c	alls,	warrant	s, options	, convert	ible secur	ities)	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. 3 Trans. D Date E	3A. Deemed Execution	4. Frans. Code	5. Nu Deriv Secur Acqu Dispo	umber of vative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date				7. Title and Amou Securities Underly Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		nt of ing	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Expiration Exercisable Date		n,		Amount or N Shares	Jumber of		Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	4)		

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Morningstar, Inc. common stock. The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning May 15, 2008.

Reporting Owners

Baparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
Kirscher Elizabeth C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC. 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606			Pres., Data Services Business						

Signatures

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney

5/16/2007

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).

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