## 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 Add	ress of Re	porting l	Person *	2	. Iss	suer Nan	ne an	d T	icker	or	Tradi	ng Symb	5. Relation (Check all			Person(s)	to Issuer
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CHICAGO, I	L 60606	)															
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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$14.13	5/14/2007		М		1000	0		(1)	5/1	/2010	Common Stock	1000	\$0	47500	D	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) The options became exercisable in four equal installments on May 1, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004.
- (2) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 22, 2007.
- (3) The shares were sold in 7 transactions on the date reported at an average price of \$48.478 per share, with prices ranging from \$48.40 to \$48.55.

**Reporting Owners** 

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Rekenthaler John A							

C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC.		
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CHICAGO, IL 60606		

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
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