1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Chen Peng
(C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225 W. WACKER DRIVE)
CHICAGO, IL 60606
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)
11/15/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Direct or Indirect)

- Director
- 10% Owner
- Officer (give title below)

Pres. & CIO, Ibbotson Assoc.

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

- 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

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<th>Title of Security</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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<th>Title of Derivate Security</th>
<th>Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
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<th>Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>Date Exercisable and Expiration Date</th>
<th>Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)</th>
<th>Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
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Explanation of Responses:

Reporting Owners

Chen Peng
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CHICAGO, IL 60606

Signatures

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney 11/18/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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