Mansueto Joseph D Form 4 August 23, 2006

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Mansueto Joseph D			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CHICAGO,	IL 60606		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zin)				

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ansaction Date 2A. Deemed  hth/Day/Year)  Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/22/2006		Code V S <u>(1)</u>	Amount 112	(A) or (D)	Price \$ 36.64	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 29,836,941	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	900	D	\$ 36.67	29,836,041	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2006		S(1)	188	D	\$ 36.69	29,835,853	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2006		S(1)	500	D	\$ 36.91	29,835,353	D	
Common Stock	08/22/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 37.28	29,835,153	D	

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Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	175	D	\$ 37.3	29,834,978	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	194	D	\$ 37.38	29,834,784	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	130	D	\$ 37.52	29,834,654	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 37.53	29,834,454	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 37.44	29,834,354	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	70	D	\$ 37.54	29,834,284	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	1	D	\$ 35.25	29,834,283	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	99	D	\$ 35.27	29,834,184	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 37.4	29,834,084	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	153	D	\$ 35.61	29,833,931	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	10	D	\$ 36.83	29,833,921	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	90	D	\$ 36.78	29,833,831	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 37.08	29,833,731	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 36.59	29,833,631	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	6	D	\$ 37.39	29,833,625	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	25	D	\$ 37.29	29,833,600	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 35.6	29,833,500	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 35.55	29,833,400	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 37.18	29,833,300	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 37.43	29,833,000	D
	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D		29,832,800	D

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Common Stock					\$ 37.22		
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 35.54	29,832,700	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 35.52	29,832,600	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 35.5	29,832,500	D
Common Stock	08/22/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 35.31	29,832,300	D

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. DrNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Mansueto Joseph D						
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC.	X		Chairman & CEO			
225 WEST WACKER DRIVE	Λ		Chairman & CEO			
CHICAGO, IL 60606						

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Rachel Felsenthal, by power of attorney

08/23/2006

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 9, 2006.

#### **Remarks:**

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