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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Rothschild Tricia
Symbol
Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/15/2018

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title ____ Other (specify

Chief Product Officer

below)

Person

MORNINGSTAR, INC., 22 WEST WASHINGTON STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

CHICAGO, IL 60602

(City)	(State) (Z	Table Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (Restricted Stock Units)	05/15/2018		Code V	Amount 1,782	(D)	Price	11,122	D	
Common Stock	05/15/2018		F	299	D	\$ 112.22	10,823	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number onof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr. Deriv Secu (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Market Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/15/2018	A	901	(2)	05/15/2021	Common Stock	901	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Rothschild Tricia MORNINGSTAR, INC. 22 WEST WASHINGTON STREET CHICAGO, IL 60602			Chief Product Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorne 05/17/2018

**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) 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, 2019.
- (2) The market stock units earned will be based on the company's cumulative total shareholder return for the three year performance period ending May 14, 2021.

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