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## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Sturm Paul W Issuer Symbol Morningstar, Inc. [MORN] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner \_ Other (specify Officer (give title C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225 05/02/2008 below) WEST WACKER DRIVE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

CHICAGO, IL 60606

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(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Ac Transaction(A) or Disposed Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5 (Instr. 8)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	05/02/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	53	D	\$ 70.56	132,893	D		
Common Stock	05/02/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	52	D	\$ 70.64	132,841	D		
Common Stock	05/02/2008		S(1)	53	D	\$ 70.67	132,788	D		
Common Stock	05/02/2008		S(1)	316	D	\$ 70.69	132,472	D		
Common Stock	05/02/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	53	D	\$ 70.7	132,419	D		

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Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	52	D	\$ 70.71	132,367	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	684	D	\$ 70.75	131,683	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	106	D	\$ 70.76	131,577	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	105	D	\$ 70.77	131,472	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	316	D	\$ 70.78	131,156	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	789	D	\$ 70.86	130,367	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	52	D	\$ 70.87	130,315	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	105	D	\$ 70.89	130,210	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	53	D	\$ 70.93	130,157	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	105	D	\$ 70.97	130,052	D
Common Stock	05/02/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	53	D	\$ 70.98	129,999	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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
			Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sturm Paul W
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC.
225 WEST WACKER DRIVE

# **Signatures**

CHICAGO, IL 60606

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney

05/06/2008

\*\*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 in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 12, 2008.

#### **Remarks:**

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