Morningstar, Inc. Form 4/A July 26, 2007

## FORM 4

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

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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may continue.

See Instruction

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Williams David W Issuer Symbol Morningstar, Inc. [MORN] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225 07/19/2007 below) below) WEST WACKER DRIVE Managing Director, Design (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 07/23/2007 Form filed by More than One Reporting CHICAGO, IL 60606 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8) Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 07/19/2007 D M 1,715 Α 20.2621 27,183 Stock (3)(4)Common  $S^{(1)}$ 700 D 07/19/2007 D \$ 48.77 26,483 Stock Common 07/19/2007  $S^{(1)}$ 915 D \$ 50.01 25,568 D Stock Common 07/19/2007  $S^{(1)}$ 100 D D \$ 50.06 25,468 Stock

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.2621 (3) (4)	07/19/2007		М	1,715	(2)	05/02/2015	Common Stock	1,715

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Williams David W C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC. 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE

Managing Director, Design

CHICAGO, IL 60606

Signatures

/s/ D. Scott Schilling, by power of attorney 07/26/2007

\*\*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 March 21, 2007.
- (2) The options became exercisable in four equal installments on May 2, 2006, 2007, 2008, and 2009.

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The exercise price increases over the term of the option at a rate equal to the 10-year Treasury bond yield as of the date of grant (\$18.50). On July 19, 2007, the exercise price was \$20.2621.

(4) This amendment is being filed to adjust the exercise price of the option. The exercise price was inadvertently listed as the initial grant price.

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