Reinkemeyer Patrick J Form 4 October 12, 2010

## FORM 4

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

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

10/12/2010

(Print or Type Responses)

(Time of Type Responses)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Reinkemeyer Patrick J				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 all applicable)			
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 22 WEST WASHINGTON STREET				(Month/Day/Year) 10/08/2010					Director 10% Owner Section Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  President, Morningstar Assocs.			
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
CHICAGO, IL 60602				Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq					quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	ecurity (Month/Day/Year) Execution (Month/Day/Year) any			ned 3. 4. Securities Acquired n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
	Common Stock	10/08/2010			M	200	A	\$ 14.13	66,917	D		
	Common Stock	10/08/2010			S(1)	200	D	\$ 45.75	66,717	D		
	Common Stock	10/11/2010			M	200	A	\$ 14.13	66,917	D		
	Common Stock	10/11/2010			S(1)	200	D	\$ 46.29	66,717	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 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction of Code Derical (Instr. 8) Section (A) Dispose of (I		ivative urities uired or posed D) tr. 3, 4,	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)	\$ 14.13	10/08/2010		M		200	(2)	03/05/2011	Common Stock	200
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.13	10/11/2010		M		200	<u>(2)</u>	03/05/2011	Common Stock	200
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.13	10/12/2010		M		200	<u>(2)</u>	03/05/2011	Common Stock	200

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer

President, Morningstar Assocs.

Other

Reinkemeyer Patrick J C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC.

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22 WEST WASHINGTON STREET CHICAGO, IL 60602

## **Signatures**

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney

10/12/2010

\*\*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 13, 2010.
- (2) The options became exercisable in four equal installments on March 5, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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