Morningstar, Inc. Form 4 November 16, 2007

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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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

may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Common

Stock

11/15/2007

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Kaplan Steven N			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Dat (Mont			3. Date of (Month/E) 11/15/2	•	ansaction	-		(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
				ndment, Da nth/Day/Year	_	ıl		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	11/15/2007			S(1)	104	D	\$ 70.62	70,548	D		
Common Stock	11/15/2007			S <u>(1)</u>	104	D	\$ 70.63	70,444	D		
Common Stock	11/15/2007			S <u>(1)</u>	104	D	\$ 70.64	70,340	D		
Common Stock	11/15/2007			S <u>(1)</u>	209	D	\$ 70.65	70,131	D		

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Common Stock	11/15/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	216	D	\$ 70.71	69,811	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	171	D	\$ 70.73	69,640	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S(1)	177	D	\$ 70.74	69,463	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S(1)	104	D	\$ 70.77	69,359	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	104	D	\$ 70.78	69,255	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	104	D	\$ 70.81	69,151	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	104	D	\$ 70.83	69,047	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S(1)	209	D	\$ 70.92	68,838	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S(1)	35	D	\$ 70.97	68,803	D
Common Stock	11/15/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	104	D	\$ 71.24	68,699	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

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. Transa Code (Instr.		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	le and ant of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kaplan Steven N C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC. 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606



Signatures

/s/ Heidi Miller, by power of attorney

11/16/2007

**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 June 25, 2007.

Remarks:

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