Morningstar, Inc. Form 3 May 02, 2005 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number: January 31, **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF** Expires: 2005 **SECURITIES** Estimated average burden hours per Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, response... 0.5 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Sturm Paul W			2. Date of Event RequiringStatement(Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	05/02/2005	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer(Check all applicable)			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
943 WINDS	SOR STRE	ET						
	(Street)						6. Individual or Joint/Group	
SANTA CRUZ, CA 95062				XDirector10% Ow OfficerOther (give title below) (specify below)		:	r Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - I	Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Na Owne (Instr	1	
Common St	ock		300,000		D	Â		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities b owned directly or indirectly.			ach class of securities benefic	cially S	SEC 1473 (7-02	2)		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	01/09/2008	Common Stock	60,000	\$ 2	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	01/22/2009	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 2.77	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	01/28/2010	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 10.98	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	01/26/2011	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 14.13	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	01/28/2012	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 10.95	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	01/30/2013	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 8.57	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(<u>3)</u>	12/01/2014	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 14.96 <u>(4)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
I O	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Sturm Paul W 943 WINDSOR STREET SANTA CRUZ, CA 95062	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Peter Olson, by power of attorney		05/02/2003	5			

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

Date

- (1) Immediately exercisable.
- (2) The option vests and becomes exercisable over a period of three years in equal annual installments beginning on the initial vesting date of January 30, 2004.
- (3) The option vests and becomes exercisable over a period of three years in equal annual installments beginning on the initial vesting date of January 27, 2005.
- The exercise price is determined by the daily indexing of the fair market value of the shares on the grant date (\$14.70) against the 10-Year
 (4) U.S. Treasury Bond Rate on November 15, 2004, compounded annually. Therefore the exercise price is subject to change throughout the life of the option. On April, 30, 2005, the exercise price was \$14.96.

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