Morningstar, Inc. Form 4 December 06, 2006

### FORM 4

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**SECURITIES** 

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Mansueto Joseph D	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
	(Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director10% Owner			
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 225	12/04/2006	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
WEST WACKER DRIVE		Chairman & CEO			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
CHICAGO, IL 60606		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	· / /			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/04/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 45.25	29,484,533	D	
Common Stock	12/04/2006		S(1)	25	D	\$ 45.34	29,484,508	D	
Common Stock	12/04/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 45.07	29,484,208	D	
Common Stock	12/04/2006		S(1)	600	D	\$ 45.15	29,483,608	D	
Common Stock	12/04/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 45.2	29,483,308	D	

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Common Stock	12/04/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 45.27	29,483,208	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.27	29,483,108	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S(1)	400	D	\$ 45.17	29,482,708	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S(1)	300	D	\$ 45.21	29,482,408	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S(1)	41	D	\$ 45.38	29,482,367	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.54	29,482,267	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.58	29,482,167	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.38	29,482,067	D
Common Stock	12/04/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 45.26	29,481,667	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	4	D	\$ 45.78	29,481,663	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	20	D	\$ 45.98	29,481,643	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	41	D	\$ 45.57	29,481,602	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.33	29,481,502	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 45.32	29,481,402	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.36	29,481,302	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.56	29,481,202	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.75	29,481,102	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 45.88	29,481,002	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.83	29,480,902	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S(1)	100	D	\$ 45.91	29,480,802	D
	12/05/2006	S(1)	100	D		29,480,702	D

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Common Stock					\$ 45.94		
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.92	29,480,602	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.96	29,480,502	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 45.98	29,480,402	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 (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 3	etion	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
noporous o where there is a second	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Mansueto Joseph D C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC. 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606	X		Chairman & CEO					
Signatures								

/s/Rachel Felsenthal, by power of

12/06/2006

attorney

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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## **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 9, 2006.

#### **Remarks:**

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