Morningstar, Inc.
Form 8-K
July 11, 2007

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **July 10, 2007**

MORNINGSTAR, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Illinois	**000-51280**	**36-3297908**
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

225 West Wacker Drive **Chicago, Illinois**	**60606**
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

(312) 696-6000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

o   Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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o   Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

o   Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On July 10, 2007, Morningstar, Inc. issued a press release announcing the appointment of Kunal Kapoor as President of Morningstar Investment Services, Inc. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

(d)   Exhibits:

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release dated July 10, 2007.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MORNINGSTAR, INC.

Date: July 11, 2007	By:	/s/ Martha Dustin Boudos
	Name:	Martha Dustin Boudos
	Title:	Chief Financial Officer

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