Morningstar, Inc. Form 8-K November 03, 2015

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

FORM 8-K

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

**CURRENT REPORT** 

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 2, 2015

## MORNINGSTAR, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Illinois** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**000-51280** (Commission File Number)

**36-3297908** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

22 West Washington Street Chicago, Illinois (Address of principal executive offices)

**60602** (Zip Code)

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(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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

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

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On November 2, 2015, Morningstar, Inc., an Illinois corporation, issued a press release announcing that it had completed its previously announced acquisition of Total Rebalance Expert (tRx), an automated, tax-efficient investment portfolio rebalancing platform for financial advisors, from FNA, LLC. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Include the following information:

(d) Exhibits:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release issued November 2, 2015.

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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: November 3, 2015 By: /s/ Stéphane Biehler

Name: Stéphane Biehler Title: Chief Financial Officer

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