FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* JACKSON MARK W					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EchoStar CORP [SATS]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specifications)			wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) L					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2008						below)	.0	below)	·	
(Street) ENGLEWOOD CO 80112			4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City) (State)		State)	(Zip)								Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da				ate	Execution Date,		Code (Instr.			5. Amour Securities Beneficia Owned For Reported	s F lly (I ollowing (I	. Ownership orm: Direct D) or Indirect) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code V	Amoun	(A) o	r Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)		(Instr. 4)	
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	rcise (Month/Day/Year) of tive	Execution Date,	4. Transa Code (r) 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	i(s)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$29.54	03/31/2008		A		200,000		(1)	03/31/2018	Class A Common Stock	200,000	\$0	200,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares underlying the option vest at the rate of 20% per year, commencing on March 31, 2009.

Remarks:

/s/ Mark W. Jackson, by

04/02/2008 Brandon Ehrhart, his Attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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