FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Rep ERGEN CHARLES	0	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>EchoStar CORP</u> [SATS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 INVERNESS TERRACE EAST		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2013	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman
(Street) ENGLEWOOD CO	80112	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City) (State)	(Zip)		
	Table I - Non-Deri	vative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi	cially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securities / Disposed Of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(1130.4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

	(eigh pare) value, valuante, optione, convertible cocurrice)														
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. Transa Code (8)		5. Number Derivativ Securitie Acquired or Dispos of (D) (In 3, 4 and 5	e s I (A) sed str.	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	ate	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 Transaction(s)	10. 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		(Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$38.38	04/01/2013		A		700,000		(1)	04/01/2023	Class A Common Stock	700,000	\$0	700,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares underlying the option vest at the rate of 20% per year, commencing on April 1, 2014.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Katherine M. Hanna, his</u> Attorney-in-Fact

04/03/2013

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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