### **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): February 28, 2017

### ECHOSTAR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

001-33807 (Commission File Number)

26-1232727 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

100 INVERNESS TERRACE E.

ENGLEWOOD, COLORADO (Address of principal executive offices) 80112

(Zip Code)

(303) 706-4000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

### HUGHES SATELLITE SYSTEMS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

333-179121 (Commission File Number)

45-0897865 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

100 INVERNESS TERRACE E. ENGLEWOOD, COLORADO (Address of principal executive offices)

80112 (Zip Code)

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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#### Item 2.01. Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On February 28, 2017, EchoStar Corporation ("EchoStar") completed the previously announced share exchange (the "Share Exchange") whereby (i) EchoStar has received all of the shares of EchoStar Tracking Stock (defined below) owned by DISH Network L.L.C. ("DNLLC"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of DISH Network Corporation ("DISH"), in exchange for 100% of the equity interests of EchoStar Technologies Holding Corporation ("ET Corp"), formerly a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of EchoStar, which held that portion of the EchoStar Technologies business segment of EchoStar that (a) designed, developed and distributed secure end-to-end video technology solutions including digital set-top boxes and related products and technology, primarily for satellite TV service providers and telecommunications companies, (b) provided TV Anywhere technology through Slingbox® units directly to consumers via retail outlets and online, as well as to the pay-TV operator market, and (c) included EchoStar's over-the-top, Streaming Video on Demand platform business, which includes assets acquired from Sling TV Holding L.L.C. (formerly DISH Digital Holding L.L.C.) and primarily provided support services to DISH's Sling TV<sup>TM</sup> operations, and (ii) EchoStar Broadcasting Holding Parent L.L.C. ("EB LLC"), formerly an indirect subsidiary of EchoStar and a direct wholly owned subsidiary of Hughes Satellite Systems Corporation ("HSS"), received all of the shares of HSS Tracking Stock (defined below) owned by DISH Operating L.L.C. ("DOLLC"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of DISH, in exchange for 100% of the equity interests of EchoStar Broadcasting Holding Corporation ("EB Corp"), formerly a direct wholly owned subsidiary of EB LLC, which held EchoStar's business of providing online video delivery and satellite video delivery for broadcasters and pay-TV operators, including satellite uplinking/downlinking, transmission services, signal processing, conditional access management and other services. The Share Exchange was structured in a manner to be a tax-free exchange for each of EchoStar and DISH and their respective subsidiaries. Subsequent to the Share Exchange, EB LLC merged with and into HSS.

Prior to consummation of the Share Exchange, EchoStar completed steps necessary for the transferring assets and liabilities to be owned by ET Corp and EB Corp and their respective subsidiaries. As part of these steps, HSS issued additional shares of common stock to a subsidiary of EchoStar and such shares were then distributed as a dividend to EchoStar. Certain data center assets were not included in the Share Exchange and remained owned by EB LLC and will be pledged as collateral to support HSS's obligations under its indentures.

In March 2014, EchoStar and its subsidiary HSS each issued shares of preferred stock (the "EchoStar Tracking Stock" and "HSS Tracking Stock," respectively, and together, the "Tracking Stock") to DNLLC and DOLLC, respectively. The Tracking Stock tracked the economic performance of the residential retail satellite broadband business of our Hughes segment, including certain operations, assets and liabilities attributed to such business (collectively, the "Hughes Retail Group" or "HRG"), and represented in the aggregate an 80.0% economic interest in the Hughes Retail Group (the EchoStar Tracking Stock represented a 51.89% economic interest in the Hughes Retail Group and the HSS Tracking Stock represented a 28.11% economic interest in the Hughes Retail Group). As a result of the Share Exchange, the Tracking Stock has been retired and all agreements, arrangements and policy statements with respect to the Tracking Stock have been terminated and are of no further effect.

In connection with the Share Exchange, EchoStar and DISH and certain of their subsidiaries (i) have entered into certain customary agreements covering, among other things, matters relating to taxes, employees, intellectual property and the provision of transitional services, (ii) terminated certain previously existing agreements, and (iii) entered into agreements for new transactions pursuant to which EchoStar and DISH will obtain certain products, services and rights from each other.

A substantial majority of the voting power of EchoStar and DISH is owned beneficially by Charles W. Ergen, EchoStar's Chairman, and by certain trusts established by Mr. Ergen for the benefit of his family. In addition, EchoStar and DISH and their subsidiaries are parties to certain agreements pursuant to which they obtain certain products, services and rights from each other. For more information, see Note 19 to the consolidated financial statements in EchoStar's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016.

### Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On March 1, 2017, EchoStar filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Nevada, a Certificate of Withdrawal of Certificate of Designation with respect to the EchoStar Tracking Stock. The Certificate of Withdrawal, which was effective upon filing, eliminated from the Articles of Incorporation of EchoStar all matters set forth in EchoStar's

Certificate of Designation with respect to the EchoStar Tracking Stock. The information set forth under "Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets" is incorporated herein by reference. A copy of the Certificate of Withdrawal of Certificate of Designation is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

On March 1, 2017, HSS filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Colorado, Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation, effective upon filing, cancelling the designation of the HSS Tracking Stock and all matters set forth in HSS's Articles of Incorporation with respect to the HSS Tracking Stock. The information set forth under "Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets" is incorporated herein by reference. A copy of the Articles of Amendment is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.2 and incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

### (b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

The following unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial information of EchoStar prepared in accordance with Article 11 of Regulation S-X is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference:

- The unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated statements of operations of EchoStar for the years ended December 31, 2016, 2015 and 2014;
- The unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated balance sheet of EchoStar as of December 31, 2016; and
- Notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements.

### (d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
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Exhibit 3.2	Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of Hughes Satellite Systems Corporation
Exhibit 99.1	Unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements of EchoStar Corporation

Safe Harbor Statement under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995

This document and the exhibits thereto may contain statements that are forward looking, as that term is defined by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements are based on management's beliefs, as well as assumptions made by, and information currently available to, management. When used in this report, the words "believe," "anticipate," "estimate," "expect," "intend," "project," "plans," and similar expressions and the use of future dates are intended to identify forward looking statements. Although management believes that the expectations reflected in these forward looking statements are reasonable, it can give no assurance that these expectations will prove to have been correct. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date made. These statements are subject to certain risks, uncertainties, and assumptions. See "Risk Factors" in EchoStar's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and in the other documents EchoStar files with the SEC from time to time. The forward-looking statements speak only as of the date made, and EchoStar expressly disclaims any obligation to update these forward-looking statements.

### **SIGNATURES**

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

ECHOSTAR CORPORATION

HUGHES SATELLITE SYSTEMS CORPORATION

Date: March 6, 2017 By: /s/ Dean A. Manson

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and

Secretary

### **Exhibit Index**

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### Certificate of Withdrawal of Certificate of Designation

(PURSUANT TO NRS 78.1955(6))

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Certificate of Withdrawal of Certificate of Designation for Nevada Profit Corporations (Pursuant to NRS 78.1955(6))

1. Name of corporation:

**EchoStar Corporation** 

2. Following is the resolution by the board of directors authorizing the withdrawal of Certificate of Designation establishing the classes or series of stock:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that, pursuant to NRS 78.1955(6), the Board of Directors hereby authorizes, approves and adopts the filing of a Certificate of Withdrawal of Certificate of Designation of Hughes Retail Preferred Tracking Stock with the Nevada Secretary of State.

3. No shares of the class or series of stock being withdrawn are outstanding.

4. Signature: (required)

Signature of Officer

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### Articles of Amendment

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# CANCELLATION OF DESIGNATION OF HUGHES RETAIL PREFERRED TRACKING STOCK

By resolution of the Board of Directors of Hughes Satellite Systems Corporation (the "Corporation"), duly adopted pursuant to the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation and pursuant to § 7-106-102 and § 7-106-302 of the Colorado Revised Statutes, the Corporation hereby rescinds, cancels and terminates the designation of rights, preferences and privileges with respect to all three hundred (300) shares of the Corporation's Hughes Retail Preferred Tracking Stock, established by Articles of Amendment filed on February 28, 2014. This Cancellation of Designation eliminates from the Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation all matters set forth in the Certificate of Designation with respect to the Corporation's Hughes Retail Preferred Tracking Stock that had been previously filed with the Colorado Secretary of State on February 28, 2014.

## ECHOSTAR CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

On February 28, 2017, EchoStar Corporation and certain subsidiaries of EchoStar (the "Company" or "EchoStar") completed the previously announced Share Exchange with DISH Network Corporation and certain of its subsidiaries ("DISH Network").

Pursuant to the Share Exchange Agreement, among other things EchoStar received all of the shares of EchoStar Tracking Stock and HSS Tracking Stock in exchange for 100% of the equity interests of certain subsidiaries which held substantially all of the EchoStar Technologies business segment and certain other assets (the "Share Exchange"). The Share Exchange was structured in a manner to be a tax-free exchange for each of EchoStar and DISH Network.

The following unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated statements of operations for the years ended December 31, 2016, 2015 and 2014 assume that the transaction occurred on January 1, 2014. The following unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2016 assumes that the transaction occurred on that date. Beginning in the first quarter of 2017, the historical financial results of the exchanged subsidiaries will be presented as discontinued operations in EchoStar's condensed consolidated financial statements.

The unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements are presented based on information currently available, are intended for information purposes only, and are not intended to represent what EchoStar's financial condition and results of operations would have been had the transaction referenced above occurred on the dates indicated above. In addition, the unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements are not necessarily indicative of EchoStar's future financial condition or results of operations.

The unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements and the accompanying notes should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" included in EchoStar's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016.

The pro forma adjustments are based on available information and assumptions that EchoStar's management believes are reasonable, factually supportable, reflect the impacts of events directly attributable to the transaction referenced above and for purposes of the statements of operations, are expected to have a continuing impact on the Company. The pro forma adjustments do not reflect future events that may occur after the Share Exchange, including expected selling, general and administrative dis-synergies and potential cost synergies. Refer to the *Notes to the Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Financial Statements* for more information.

# ECHOSTAR CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

For the Year Ended December 31, 2016

Historical Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Entities Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Exchanged (1) Adjustments Revenue: Services and other revenue - DISH Network \$ 888,603 \$ (425,523) \$ 4,039 (2) 467,119 Services and other revenue - other 1,109,597 (8,770)1,100,827 Equipment revenue - DISH Network 711,289 (702,449)8,840 Equipment revenue - other 347,241 (109,885)237,356 Total revenue 4,039 3,056,730 (1,246,627)1,814,142 Costs and Expenses: Cost of sales - services and other (exclusive of depreciation and amortization) 844 498 (327.043)6,340 (3) 523.795 Cost of sales - equipment (exclusive of depreciation and amortization) 203,966 891,108 (687,142)Selling, general and administrative expenses 385,634 (1,566) (4)336,224 (47.844)Research and development expenses 76,024 (44,854)31,170 Depreciation and amortization 495,068 (62, 165)432,903 Total costs and expenses 2,692,332 (1,169,048)4,774 1,528,058 Operating income (loss) 364,398 286,084 (77,579)(735)Other Income (Expense): Interest income 21,249 (5) 21,244 (123,630)Interest expense, net of amounts capitalized 911 (122,719)Gains (losses) on marketable investment securities, net 9,767 9,767 Equity in earnings (losses) of unconsolidated affiliates, net (2,508)13.310 10.802 Other, net 381 1,750 2,131 Total other expense, net (77,554) (1,221)(78,775) Income (loss) before income taxes 286,844 (735) (78.800)207,309 Income tax (provision) benefit, net (106,152)5,654 (75,042)25,456 (5) 180,692 24,721 132,267 (73,146)Less: Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interest in HSS Tracking Stock (944)944 (6) Less: Net income attributable to other noncontrolling interests 1,706 1,706 Net income (loss) attributable to EchoStar 23,777 179,930 130,561 (73,146)Less: Net loss attributable to Hughes Retail Preferred Tracking Stock (1,743)1,743 (7) Net income (loss) attributable to EchoStar common stock 181,673 \$ 22,034 130,561 (73,146) \$ \$ \$ Weighted-average common shares outstanding - Class A and B common stock: Basic 93,795 93,795 94,410 Diluted 94,410 Earnings per share - Class A and B common stock: 1.94 1.39 1.92 1.38 Diluted

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements.

# ECHOSTAR CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

For the Year Ended December 31, 2015 Historical Pro Forma Condensed Entities Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Exchanged (1) Adjustments Consolidated Revenue: Services and other revenue - DISH Network \$ 918.301 \$ 3,879 (2) \$ 536.031 (386,149) \$ Services and other revenue - other 1,103,928 (10,254)1,093,674 Equipment revenue - DISH Network 763,184 (752,432)10,752 Equipment revenue - other 358,301 (146,346)211,955 Total revenue 3,143,714 (1,295,181)3,879 1,852,412 **Costs and Expenses:** Cost of sales - services and other (exclusive of depreciation and amortization) 856,065 6,311 (3) 579,651 (282,725)Cost of sales - equipment (exclusive of depreciation and amortization) 948,655 195,783 (752,872)Selling, general and administrative expenses 374,116 322,366 (50,751)(999) (4) Research and development expenses 78,287 (51,910)26,377 Depreciation and amortization 528,158 (67,223)460,935 Impairment of long-lived assets 2,400 (2,400)Total costs and expenses 2,787,681 (1,207,881)5,312 1,585,112 Operating income (loss) 356,033 (87,300)(1,433)267,300 Other Income (Expense): Interest income 10,429 (3) 10,426 Interest expense, net of amounts capitalized (122,066)831 (121,235)Loss from partial redemption of debt (5,044)(5,044)Gains (losses) on marketable investment securities, net (6,443)(6,443)Other-than-temporary impairment loss on available-for-sale securities (11,226)(11,226)Equity in earnings (losses) of unconsolidated affiliates, net 1,895 (4,372)(2,477)Other, net (2,006)1,038 (968)Total other expense, net (134,461)(2,506)(136,967)Income (loss) before income taxes 221,572 (89,806)(1,433)130,333 Income tax (provision) benefit, net 24,439 (5) (72,201)(3,735)(51,497)Net income 149,371 (93,541)23,006 78,836 Less: Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interest in HSS Tracking Stock (5,603)5,603 (6) Less: Net income attributable to other noncontrolling interests 1,617 1,617 Net income (loss) attributable to EchoStar 77,219 17.403 153,357 (93,541)Less: Net loss attributable to Hughes Retail Preferred Tracking Stock (10,343)10,343 (7) Net income (loss) attributable to EchoStar common stock 163,700 (93,541) \$ 7,060 \$ 77,219 Weighted-average common shares outstanding - Class A and B common stock: Basic 92,397 92,397 Diluted 93,466 93,466 Earnings per share - Class A and B common stock: 1.77 0.84 Basic 1.75 0.83 Diluted

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements.

# ECHOSTAR CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

For the Year Ended December 31, 2014 Historical Pro Forma Condensed Entities Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Consolidated Exchanged (1) Adjustments Revenue: Services and other revenue - DISH Network \$ 828.612 \$ 505.737 (326,642) \$ 3,767 (2) \$ Services and other revenue - other 1,096,938 (23,259)1,073,679 Equipment revenue - DISH Network 1,145,979 (1,114,036)31,943 Equipment revenue - other 374,049 (161,824)212,225 Total revenue 3,445,578 (1,625,761)3,767 1,823,584 **Costs and Expenses:** Cost of sales - services and other (exclusive of depreciation and amortization) 838.918 598.610 (246,437)6,129 (3) Cost of sales - equipment (exclusive of depreciation and amortization) 1,288,998 (1,080,486)208,512 Selling, general and administrative expenses 372,010 (57,232)313,602 (1,176) (4)Research and development expenses 60,886 (40,695)20,191 Depreciation and amortization 556,676 (70,781)485,895 Total costs and expenses 3,117,488 4,953 1,626,810 (1,495,631)Operating income (loss) 328,090 (130, 130)(1,186)196,774 Other Income (Expense): Interest income 9,102 9,084 (18)Interest expense, net of amounts capitalized (171,349)3,002 (168,347)Gains (losses) on marketable investment securities, net 41 Equity in earnings (losses) of unconsolidated affiliates, net 8,198 4,389 12,587 Other, net 4.251 (1.089)3.162 Total other expense, net 6,284 (143,473) (149,757)Income (loss) before income taxes 178,333 (123,846)(1,186)53,301 Income tax (provision) benefit, net 11,805 16,484 (5) (30,784)(2,495)Net income 147,549 (112,041)15,298 50,806 Less: Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interest in HSS Tracking Stock (6,714)6,714 (6) Less: Net income attributable to other noncontrolling interests 1,389 1,389 Net income (loss) attributable to EchoStar 152,874 (112,041)8,584 49,417 Less: Net loss attributable to Hughes Retail Preferred Tracking Stock (12,394)12,394 (7) Net income (loss) attributable to EchoStar common stock 165,268 (112,041) \$ (3,810)49,417 \$ \$ Weighted-average common shares outstanding - Class A and B common stock: 91,190 91,190 Basic 92,616 92,616 Diluted Earnings per share - Class A and B common stock: 1.81 0.54 Basic 1.78 0.53 Diluted

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements.

# ECHOSTAR CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In thousands, except share amounts)

		As of December 31, 2016					
		Historical Condensed Consolidated	Entities Exchanged (1)	Pro Forma Adjustments		Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated	
Assets							
Current Assets:							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	2,571,143	\$ (778) \$		\$	2,570,365	
Marketable investment securities, at fair value		522,516	_	_		522,516	
Trade accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts		209,788	(27,261)	_		182,527	
Trade accounts receivable - DISH Network, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of zero		278,615	(259,198)	_		19,417	
Inventory		72,444	(9,824)	_		62,620	
Prepaids and deposits		57,919	(14,463)	_		43,456	
Other current assets		10,862	_	_		10,862	
Total current assets		3,723,287	(311,524)		_	3,411,763	
Noncurrent Assets:		3,723,207	(311,321)			5, 111,7 65	
Restricted cash and marketable investment securities		12,926				12,926	
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation			(271 107)	_		, i	
Regulatory authorizations, net		3,669,303	(271,107)	_		3,398,196	
Goodwill		544,633	_			544,633	
Other intangible assets, net		510,630	(6,457)	_		504,173	
Investments in unconsolidated entities		88,454	(7,720)	_		80,734	
Other receivable - DISH Network		197,219	(26,203)	_		171,016	
Other noncurrent assets, net		90,586	(2,334)	_		88,252	
Total noncurrent assets	<u> </u>	171,821	(5,436)		_	166,385	
	<u> </u>	5,285,572	(319,257)		_	4,966,315	
Total assets	\$	9,008,859	\$ (630,781)	<u> </u>	\$	8,378,078	
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity							
Current Liabilities:							
Trade accounts payable	\$	189,815	\$ (61,318) \$	· —	\$	128,497	
Trade accounts payable - DISH Network		5,032	(3,960)	_		1,072	
Current portion of long-term debt and capital lease obligations		37,307	(4,323)	_		32,984	
Deferred revenue and prepayments		62,956	(2,967)	_		59,989	
Accrued compensation		58,106	(4,652)	_		53,454	
Accrued royalties		23,199	(23,199)	_		_	
Accrued interest		46,504	_	_		46,504	
Accrued expenses and other		108,519	(80,703)	_		27,816	
Total current liabilities		531,438	(181,122)	_		350,316	
Noncurrent Liabilities:							
Long-term debt and capital lease obligations, net of unamortized debt issuance costs		3,622,879	(416)	_		3,622,463	
Deferred tax liabilities, net		754,020	(13,465)	(9,584)	(8)	730,971	
Other noncurrent liabilities		93,717	(18,127)	(5,551)	(0)	75,590	
Total noncurrent liabilities	_	4,470,616	(32,008)	(9,584)	_	4,429,024	
Total liabilities	<u> </u>	5,002,054			_	4,779,340	
Commitments and Contingencies	_	3,002,034	(213,130)	(9,584)	_	4,779,340	
Stockholders' Equity:							
Preferred Stock:							
Hughes Retail Preferred Tracking Stock							
Common stock:		6	_	(6)	(9)	_	
Class A common stock							
Class B common stock		52	_	_		52	
		48	_	_		48	
Class C common stock		_	_	_		_	
Class D common stock		_	_	_		_	
Additional paid-in capital		3,828,677	(406,708)	34,203	(9)	3,456,172	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(124,803)	3,594	_		(121,209)	
Accumulated earnings (deficit)		314,247	(14,537)	49,297	(9)	349,007	

Treasury stock, at cost	(98,162)	_	_	(98,162)
Total EchoStar stockholders' equity	3,920,065	(417,651)	83,494	3,585,908
Noncontrolling interest in HSS Tracking Stock	73,910	_	(73,910) (9)	_
Other noncontrolling interests	 12,830	_	_	12,830
Total stockholders' equity	4,006,805	(417,651)	9,584	3,598,738
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 9,008,859 \$	(630,781) \$		\$ 8,378,078

 $The \ accompanying \ notes \ are \ an \ integral \ part \ of \ these \ unaudited \ pro \ forma \ condensed \ consolidated \ financial \ statements.$ 

### NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Adjustments to the pro forma condensed consolidated statements of operations:

- (1) The adjustments set forth in the "Entities Exchanged" column represent the actual results of the subsidiaries of EchoStar that were exchanged in the Share Exchange with no further pro forma adjustments.
- (2) Adjustments related to a new leasing arrangements with DISH Network related to certain Data Center services and certain office space. These are primarily real estate leases ranging from three to fifteen years and are subject to renewal terms.
- (3) Adjustments for expenses related to new leasing arrangements with DISH Network related to certain Data Center services, satellite related services and certain office space. These leases range in term from three to fifteen years and are subject to renewal terms.
- (4) Adjustments for expenses related to new leasing arrangements with DISH Network related to Data Center services, the elimination of nonrecurring transaction costs incurred during the year ended December 31, 2016 that are directly related to the Share Exchange and employee compensation for those terminated as result of the Share Exchange.
- (5) Represents the tax impact associated with the pro forma adjustments at the applicable statutory income tax rates in effect in the respective tax jurisdictions during the periods presented.
- (6) Reflects the removal of the noncontrolling interests portion of the HSSC Tracking Stock to EchoStar as a result of the retirement of the HSSC Tracking Stock.
- (7) Represents the reversal of the 80% economic interest of the operating results of the Hughes Retail Group as a result of the retirement of the EchoStar Tracking Stock and HSSC Tracking Stock.

Adjustments to the pro forma condensed consolidated balance sheet:

- (8) The adjustments to our deferred tax liabilities are to reflect the new value of these liabilities subsequent to the Share Exchange.
- (9) Stockholders' equity was adjusted for the retirement of the EchoStar Tracking Stock and HSSC Tracking Stock on March 1, 2017.