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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 Reporting Person* RAYNER DAVID	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol ECHOSTAR COMMUNICATIONS CORP [DISH]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

| (Last) (First) (Middle) 9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2007 | |

Director   10% Owner

X   Officer (give title below)   Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

(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-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		100	D	$48.22	9,635	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		900	D	$48.23	8,735	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		200	D	$48.24	8,535	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		1,930	D	$48.25	6,605	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		200	D	$48.27	6,405	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		500	D	$48.28	5,905	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		700	D	$48.29	5,205	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		200	D	$48.33	5,005	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		500	D	$48.35	4,505	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		100	D	$48.36	4,405	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		1,000	D	$48.48	3,405	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		1,500	D	$48.72	1,905	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		1,500	D	$48.79	405	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/19/2007		S		400	D	$48.95	5	D	
Class A Common Stock								252	I	I[1]

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. By 401(k).

Remarks:

/s/ David Rayner, by Brandon Ehrhart, his Attorney in Fact   11/21/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person   Date