FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHAI	NGES IN BE	NEFICIAL (DWNERSHIP

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

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ERGEN CHARLES W						DISH Network CORP [DISH]								X Directo		X	10% Ov	ner
(Last) 9601 S. I	ast) (First) (Middle) 501 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/24/2012								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman					
Street) ENGLEWOOD CO 80112				4.	If Am	endme	ent, Date o	of Original	Filed	(Month/Da	Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	y) (State) (Zip)											Person						
		Та	ble I - No						quired	, Dis	1			1				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		Beneficia	s ally following	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	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			
Class A C	Common S	tock		04/2	4/24/2012				M		80,00	0 A	\$20.0	1 871	,502	D		
Class A C	Common S	tock		04/2	04/24/2012				M		400,00	00 A	\$21.5	6 1,27	1,271,502		D	
	Common S				04/24/2012				M		500,00		\$23.6		1,771,502)2 D	
Class A Common Stock		04/2	04/24/2012				M		400,00	00 A	\$24.7	_	71,502		D			
Class A Common Stock								-						320	I		(1)	
Class A Common Stock								_						235			(2)	
Class A Common Stock								+		-	+	-		19,370 1,669			[(3)	
Class A Common Stock											 				[(4) [(5)			
Class A Common Stock			- 41	in Committee Access			<u> </u>	osed of, or Benef		- - : - : - : : .		27,000		I	(5)			
											converti			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	ate, T	Code (Instr.		n Derivative E		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 derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				C	Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$20.01	04/24/2012			M			80,000	(6)		03/31/2013	Class A Common Stock	80,000	\$0	0		D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$21.56	04/24/2012			M			400,000	(7)		06/30/2014	Class A Common Stock	400,000	\$0	0		D	
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$23.64	04/24/2012			M			500,000	(8)		12/31/2014	Class A Common Stock	500,000	\$0	0		D	
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$24.73	04/24/2012			М			400,000	(9)		03/31/2018	Class A Common Stock	400,000	\$0	100,00	00	D	
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- 1. The shares are held by a custodian for the reporting person's children. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares, except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
- 2. Held by Ms. Cantey Ergen.
- 3. Held by Mr. Charlie Ergen in a 401(k) account.
- 4. Held by Ms. Cantey Ergen in a 401(k) account.
- 5. The shares are held by a charitable foundation. The reporting person is an officer of the charitable foundation and has both investment control and voting power for the foundation. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares, except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
- $6. \ The \ shares \ underlying \ the \ option \ vest \ at \ the \ rate \ of \ 20\% \ per \ year, \ commencing \ on \ March \ 31, \ 2004.$
- 7. The shares underlying the option vest at the rate of 20% per year, commencing on June 30, 2005.

8. The shares underlying the option vest at the rate of 20% per year, commencing on December 31, 2005.

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

Remarks:

/s/ Charles W. Ergen, by
Brandon Ehrhart, his Attorney 04/26/2012
in Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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