FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Akhavan Hamid					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>EchoStar CORP</u> [SATS]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2024							X Officer (give title Other (specify below) PRESIDENT AND CEO					
9001 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) ENGLEWOOD CO 80112													X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)		☐ Ch	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruct affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.							nstruction or v	struction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transplate (Month/L		te	action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)		(A) or 3, 4 and 5)	and 5) Securities Beneficiall Owned Fol		Form:	Direct I Indirect E tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership						
					Code			v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
			Table II - De							sed of, o			wned					
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 (action	5. Number of Operivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and Ar of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		d Amount es 3 Security	nount 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		er of re es ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Expiration Nu		Amount or Number of Shares	Reporte Transac (Instr. 4		tion(s)					
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$25.21	04/01/2024		D ⁽¹⁾			700,000	(2)		04/01/2032	Class A Common Stock	700,000	\$0	0		D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$14.04	04/01/2024		A ⁽¹⁾		408,333		(3)		04/01/2034	Class A Common Stock	408,333	\$0	408,333		D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$14.04	04/01/2024		A ⁽¹⁾		81,667		(4)		04/01/2034	Class A Common Stock	81,667	\$0	81,60	67	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The transactions reported herein reflect the exchange of "underwater" options to acquire shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in the Issuer's Offer to Exchange Eligible Stock Options dated March 4, 2024, which expired on April 1, 2024 (the "Exchange"). Effective April 1, 2024, the Issuer cancelled the options the Reporting Person elected to exchange and granted to the Reporting Person new options with, among other new terms, a new exercise price, a different vesting schedule and in certain cases a different number of options, for options that are not subject to achievement of certain performance criteria. The new exercise price is \$14.04, which is the closing price of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock on April 1, 2024.
- 2. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on December 31, 2024.
- 3. 40% of the shares underlying these options vested immediately upon the grant date. The remaining 60% of the shares underlying these options vest 30% per year on each of April 1, 2025 and April 1, 2026.
- 4. The shares underlying these options vest 25% per year on each of April 1, 2025, April 1, 2026, April 1, 2027 and April 1, 2028.

/s/ Hamid Akhavan, by Dean A. 04/03/2024 Manson, Attorney-in-Fact

** 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).
- ** 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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