FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Gouger William R		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DISH Network CORP [DISH]									
(Last) (First) (Middle) 400 INVERNESS PARKWAY, SUITE 250	09/05/2008		Relationship of Reporting Perso Check all applicable) Director X	n(s) to Issue		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
			Officer (give title below)	Other (spe		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) 80112			below)	bciowy		X		y One Reporting Person			
ENGLEWOOD CO 60112							Form filed by Reporting Po	y More than One erson			
(City) (State) (Zip)											
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)						
Class A Common Stock			140	D							
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	3. Title and Amount of Securit Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conver or Exer Price o	cise	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivat Securit	ive	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Held by Mr. William R. Gouger in a 401(k) account.

Remarks

The Reporting Person is filing this Form 3 as a 10% owner because of the 79,245,151 shares owned beneficially by Mr. Gouger solely by virtue of his position as trustee of certain trusts established by Mr. Charles W. Ergen, as described in the Schedule 13D filed by the Reporting Person on September 15, 2008.

/s/ William R. Gouger, by

Brandon E. Ehrhart, his

09/15/2008

Attorney 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 5 (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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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of R. Stanton Dodge, Robert F. Rehg, Brandon Ehrhart, James Gorman, Eric Lentell, Tobin Sykes and Tracy Strickland signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's

substitute or substitutes shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the issuer assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 5th day of September, 2008.

By: /s/ William R. Gouger

Printed Name: William R. Gouger