



July 15, 2015

EchoStar Corporation  
100 Inverness Terrace East  
Englewood, CO 80112

Securities and Exchange Commission  
Division of Corporation Finance  
100 F Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20549-4628  
Attention: Larry Spigel

**Re: EchoStar Corporation  
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2014  
File No. 1-33807  
Staff Comment Letter Dated July 2, 2015  
Request for Extension**

Dear Mr. Spigel:

EchoStar Corporation (the "Company") hereby respectfully requests an extension to July 31, 2015 for the date by which the Company must provide its response to the comments contained in your letter dated July 2, 2015. The extension is needed to provide additional time to gather and review information in connection with the Staff's letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (301) 428-2825 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cleo Belmonte

Cleo V. Belmonte

Vice President, Associate General Counsel and Assistant Secretary

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