FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>MOSKOWITZ DAVID K</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ECHOSTAR COMMUNICATIONS CORP</u> [dish]		tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director	10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/03/2003	Х	Officer (give title below) SVP, GC and Sec	Other (specify below) retary	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
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					Person		

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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			Securities Beneficially		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Class A Common Stock	06/03/2003		G	v	150	D	0	37,124 ⁽¹⁾	Ι	I ⁽²⁾

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. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	7. Title Amouri Securi Under Deriva Securi and 4)	nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3	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. In addition, the reporting person holds (i) 436,265 shares directly, (ii) 17,009 shares indirectly through the EchoStar Communication Corporation 401(k) Employees Savings Plan (for which the reporting person has dispositive but not voting power), (iii) 8,184 shares in trust for the benefit of the minor children of Charles W. Ergen, the CEO of EchoStar Communications Corporation (the reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares), and (iv) 1,328 shares as custodian for his own minor children.

2. The shares were contributed by the reporting person to a charitable foundation. The reporting person is a member of the board of directors of the charitable foundation and has both investment control and voting power for the foundation. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares.

David K. Moskowitz

** Signature of Reporting Person

06/04/2003

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 \ast 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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