RAYNER DAVID Form 4

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RAYNER DAVID | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EchoStar CORP [SATS] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | | |
| 100 INVERNESS TERRACE EAST | | | 12/31/2017 | _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, CFO, COO & Treasurer | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | | | |
| ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 | | | | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative : | Secur | ities Acq | quired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficial | lly Owned | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | ion Date 2A. Deemed y/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 12/31/2017 | | M | 6,667 | A | \$ 0 (1) | 13,452 (2) | D | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 12/31/2017 | | F | 2,133 | D | \$ 59.9 | 11,319 | D | | |
| Class A Common | | | | | | | 949 | I | By 401(k) | |

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

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8 | ction 3) | 5. Number out Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. P Der Sec (Ins |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Restricted Stock Unit | \$ 0 (1) | 12/31/2017 | | M | | 6,667 | | (3) | (3) | Class A Common Shares | 6,667 | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAYNER DAVID 100 INVERNESS TERRACE EAST ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

EVP, CFO, COO & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Joseph Turitz, his Attorney-in-Fact 01/03/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Includes 188 shares acquired under the Company's employee stock purchase plan.

On December 31, 2012, the reporting person was granted 33,333 restricted stock units. The shares underlying the restricted stock units vested at a rate of 20% per year, commencing on December 31, 2013. Pursuant to the terms of the reporting person's restricted stock unit agreement, on December 31, 2017, 6,667 of the reporting person's restricted stock units vested and were settled for an equal number of Class A Common Stock.

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