

DISH Network CORP
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ERGEN CHARLES W

(Last) (First) (Middle)
9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.
(Street)

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DISH Network CORP [DISH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/30/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock				(A) or (D)	Amount (D) Price		
					498,785	D	
Class A Common Stock					19,743	I	I (1)
Class A Common Stock					235	I	I (2)
Class A Common					2,183	I	I (3)

Stock

Class A
Common
Stock 8,425 I I ⁽⁴⁾

Class A
Common
Stock 2,167,705 I I ⁽⁵⁾

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Class B Common Stock	(6)	05/30/2017		G ⁽⁷⁾	V 17,106,320	(6)	(6)	Class A Common Stock
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

ERGEN CHARLES W
 9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD. X X Chairman and CEO
 ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

ERGEN CANTEY
 9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD. X X
 ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

Signatures

/s/ Charles W. Ergen, by Brandon Ehrhart, his Attorney in
 Fact 06/01/2017
 __Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Cantey M. Ergen, by Brandon Ehrhart, her Attorney in
 Fact 06/01/2017
 __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) Held by Mr. Charles W. Ergen in a 401(k) account.
- (2) Held by Mrs. Cantey M. Ergen.
- (3) Held by Mrs. Cantey M. Ergen in a 401(k) account.
- (4) The shares are owned beneficially by the reporting persons' child. The reporting persons disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares, except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
 The shares are held by a charitable foundation. The reporting persons are officers of the charitable foundation and share investment control and voting power for the foundation. The reporting persons disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares, except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
- (6) The holders of Class B shares may elect to convert any or all of their Class B shares into an equal number of Class A shares at any time for no additional consideration.
- (7) Pursuant to the terms of the Ergen Three-Year 2014 DISH GRAT, 17,106,320 Class B shares were distributed as an annuity to Mr. Ergen on May 30, 2017. Following this distribution, the Ergen Three-Year 2014 DISH GRAT expired in accordance with its terms.
- (8) On May 30, 2017, Mr. Charles W. Ergen established the Ergen Three-Year 2017 DISH GRAT and contributed 40,000,000 Class B shares, resulting in the transfer of a total of 40,000,000 Class B shares.
- (9) The Ergen Three-Year 2015 DISH GRAT holds 22,051,161 Class B shares and expires in accordance with its terms on November 30, 2018.

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