

DISH Network CORP  
Form SC 13D/A  
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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
SCHEDULE 13D/A  
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. 3)\*  
DISH NETWORK CORPORATION**

(Name of Issuer)  
CLASS A COMMON STOCK, \$0.01 PAR VALUE PER SHARE

(Title of Class of Securities)  
278762109

(CUSIP Number)  
R. Stanton Dodge  
Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary  
DISH Network Corporation  
9601 S. Meridian Blvd.  
Englewood, Colorado 80112  
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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person  
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)  
November 10, 2008

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 278762109

NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

1

David K. Moskowitz

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP:

2

(a)

(b)

SEC USE ONLY

3

SOURCE OF FUNDS

4

OO

CHECK IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e)

5

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

6

U.S.A.

SOLE VOTING POWER

7

NUMBER OF

9,436,970 VOTING SHARES (1)  
680,000 SIXTY DAY SHARES (2)

SHARES  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY

8

SHARED VOTING POWER

EACH

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

9

REPORTING

PERSON 9,436,970 VOTING SHARES (1)  
680,000 SIXTY DAY SHARES (2)

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
**10**

**11** AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON  
10,116,970

**12** CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*  
o

**13** PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)  
Approximately 4.6% (3)

**14** TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  
IN

(1) Voting Shares include all shares of Class A Common Stock ( Class A Common Stock ) and Class B Common Stock ( Class B Common Stock ) of DISH Network Corporation ( DISH Network ) of which Mr. Moskowitz is the beneficial owner. The shares of Class B Common Stock are convertible

into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis at any time. The Voting Shares represent:

- (i) 127,779 shares of Class A Common Stock owned beneficially directly by Mr. Moskowitz;
- (ii) 17,840 shares of Class A Common Stock owned beneficially indirectly by Mr. Moskowitz in EchoStar's 401(k) Employee Savings Plan;
- (iii) 1,328 shares of Class A Common Stock owned beneficially by Mr. Moskowitz as custodian for his minor children;
- (iv) 8,184 shares of Class A Common Stock owned beneficially as trustee for Mr. Charles W. Ergen's children;
- (v) 30,000 shares of Class A Common Stock owned beneficially by a charitable foundation for which Mr. Moskowitz is a member of the

Board of  
Directors; and  
(vi) 9,251,839  
shares of Class B  
Common Stock  
owned  
beneficially by  
Mr. Moskowitz  
solely by virtue  
of his position as  
a trustee (with  
sole voting and  
dispositive  
power) of: (1) the  
Ergen Five-Year  
GRAT dated  
November 9,  
2005; and (2) the  
Ergen Four-Year  
GRAT dated  
November 9,  
2005.

(2) Sixty Day Shares  
are shares of  
Class A Common  
Stock deemed to  
be owned  
beneficially  
under  
Rule 13d-3(d)(1)  
because  
Mr. Moskowitz  
has the right to  
acquire beneficial  
ownership of  
such shares  
within 60 days of  
the date hereof.  
Upon acquisition  
by  
Mr. Moskowitz,  
these shares will  
become Voting  
Shares.

(3) Based on  
208,744,347  
shares of Class A  
Common Stock  
outstanding on

November 10, 2008 and assuming conversion of the shares of Class B Common Stock held by the Reporting Person into Class A Common Stock. Because such Class B Common Stock is convertible on a one-for-one basis into Class A Common Stock, assuming conversion of all shares of outstanding Class B Common Stock into Class A Common Stock, the percentage of the Class A Common Stock that the Reporting Person may be deemed to own beneficially would be approximately 2.3%. Because each share of Class B Common Stock is entitled to 10 votes per share, the Reporting Person owns beneficially equity securities of the Company representing approximately 3.6% of the voting power of the Company (assuming no conversion of the

Class B Common  
Stock and based  
on 238,435,208  
shares of Class B  
common stock  
outstanding on  
November 10,  
2008).

CUSIP No. 278762109

NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

1

Ergen Three-Year GRAT dated November 9, 2005

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP:

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(a)

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SOURCE OF FUNDS

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U.S.A.

SOLE VOTING POWER

7

NUMBER OF 0 SHARES

SHARED VOTING POWER

SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 8

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

EACH REPORTING 9



PERSON 0 SHARES

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
10

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON  
0 SHARES

12 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*  
o

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)  
0%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  
OO

CUSIP No. 278762109

NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

1

Ergen Four-Year GRAT dated November 9, 2005

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP:

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(a)

(b)

SEC USE ONLY

3

SOURCE OF FUNDS

4

OO

CHECK IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e)

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CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

6

U.S.A.

SOLE VOTING POWER

7

NUMBER OF 3,466,857 SHARES (1)

SHARED VOTING POWER

SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 8

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

EACH REPORTING 9

PERSON 3,466,857 SHARES (1)

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
10

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

3,466,857 SHARES (1)

12 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

o

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

Approximately 1.6% (2)

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

OO

(1) All of the shares beneficially held by the Ergen Four-Year GRAT dated November 9, 2005 are shares of Class B Common Stock. The shares of Class B Common Stock are convertible into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis at any time.

(2) Based on 208,744,347 shares of

Class A  
Common Stock  
outstanding on  
November 10,  
2008 and  
assuming  
conversion of  
the shares of  
Class B  
Common Stock  
held by the  
Reporting  
Person into  
Class A  
Common Stock.  
Because such  
Class B  
Common Stock  
is convertible on  
a one-for-one  
basis into  
Class A  
Common Stock,  
assuming  
conversion of  
all shares of  
outstanding  
Class B  
Common Stock  
into Class A  
Common Stock,  
the percentage  
of the Class A  
Common Stock  
that the  
Reporting  
Person may be  
deemed to own  
beneficially  
would be  
approximately  
0.8%. Because  
each share of  
Class B  
Common Stock  
is entitled to 10  
votes per share,  
the Reporting  
Person owns  
beneficially  
equity securities

of the Company  
representing  
approximately  
1.3% of the  
voting power of  
the Company  
(assuming no  
conversion of  
the Class B  
Common Stock  
and based on  
238,435,208  
shares of  
Class B  
common stock  
outstanding on  
November 10,  
2008).

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CUSIP No. 278762109

NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

1

Ergen Five-Year GRAT dated November 9, 2005

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP:

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(a)

(b)

SEC USE ONLY

3

SOURCE OF FUNDS

4

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CHECK IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e)

5

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

6

U.S.A.

SOLE VOTING POWER

7

NUMBER OF 5,784,982 SHARES (1)

SHARED VOTING POWER

SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 8

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

EACH REPORTING 9

PERSON 5,784,982 SHARES (1)

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
10

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

5,784,982 SHARES (1)

12 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

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13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

Approximately 2.7% (2)

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

OO

(1) All of the shares beneficially held by the Ergen Five-Year GRAT dated November 9, 2005 are shares of Class B Common Stock. The shares of Class B Common Stock are convertible into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis at any time.

(2) Based on 208,744,347 shares of

Class A  
Common Stock  
outstanding on  
November 10,  
2008 and  
assuming  
conversion of  
the shares of  
Class B  
Common Stock  
held by the  
Reporting  
Person into  
Class A  
Common Stock.  
Because such  
Class B  
Common Stock  
is convertible on  
a one-for-one  
basis into  
Class A  
Common Stock,  
assuming  
conversion of  
all shares of  
outstanding  
Class B  
Common Stock  
into Class A  
Common Stock,  
the percentage  
of the Class A  
Common Stock  
that the  
Reporting  
Person may be  
deemed to own  
beneficially  
would be  
approximately  
1.3%. Because  
each share of  
Class B  
Common Stock  
is entitled to 10  
votes per share,  
the Reporting  
Person owns  
beneficially  
equity securities



of the Company  
representing  
approximately  
2.2% of the  
voting power of  
the Company  
(assuming no  
conversion of  
the Class B  
Common Stock  
and based on  
238,435,208  
shares of  
Class B  
common stock  
outstanding on  
November 10,  
2008).

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**ITEM 4. Purpose of Transaction.**

Item 4 is hereby amended and supplemented as follows:

During the fourth quarter of each year, Mr. Ergen receives an annuity amount from each of the GRATs under the trust agreements governing the GRATs, assuming that the particular GRAT has not yet expired. The number of shares of Class B Common Stock to be distributed as an annuity payment is based in part on the price of the Class A Common Stock on the distribution date and therefore cannot be calculated until the date of distribution. On November 10, 2008, GRAT #2 distributed all 7,371,275 shares of Class B Common Stock held by GRAT #2 to Mr. Ergen as an annuity payment. GRAT #2 expired in accordance with its terms on November 10, 2008. On November 10, 2008, GRAT #3 distributed 5,453,667 shares of Class B Common Stock to Mr. Ergen as an annuity payment. On November 10, 2008, GRAT #4 distributed 4,054,122 shares of Class B Common Stock to Mr. Ergen as an annuity payment.

**ITEM 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.**

Item 5 is amended and restated in its entirety as follows:

(a) and (b). This filing is for the cumulative share holdings of an affiliated group as of the close of business on November 10, 2008. The Reporting Persons named in this Schedule 13D directly or indirectly collectively owned, as of such date, 185,131 outstanding shares of Class A Common Stock and 9,251,839 outstanding shares of Class B Common Stock of the Company. As of November 10, 2008, there were 680,000 options exercisable by members of the affiliated group within 60 days. There is no formal agreement to vote or dispose of the shares of the Company in a particular manner. The dispositive and voting power of the shares held by each of the GRATs and Mr. Moskowitz is made independent of each other, except to the extent that Mr. Moskowitz is a trustee of each of the GRATs and in that respect is able to control the disposition and voting of the shares of Class B Common Stock owned by each such GRAT.

(c) The Reporting Persons have not effected any transactions in the Class A Common Stock of the Company in the last sixty days (on or prior to November 10, 2008) other than: (i) a transaction pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan entered into on May 30, 2008 whereby: (a) Mr. Moskowitz exercised options to purchase 120,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$4.99 per share on November 5, 2008; and (b) Mr. Moskowitz then sold such 120,000 shares in a same-day transaction at prices ranging between \$15.66 and \$16.00 and a weighted average price of \$15.81 per share (information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be made available upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, DISH Network, or a security holder of DISH Network); and (ii) Mr. Moskowitz's acquisition from the Company of 226 shares of Class A Common Stock on September 30, 2008, through the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

(d) Not applicable.

(e) On November 10, 2008, the Reporting Persons ceased to be the beneficial owner of five percent or more of the Class A Common Stock of the Company.

**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

DAVID K. MOSKOWITZ

Dated: November 11, 2008

/s/ David K. Moskowitz

David K. Moskowitz

GRAT #2

Dated: November 11, 2008

/s/ David K. Moskowitz

David K. Moskowitz, Trustee

GRAT #3

Dated: November 11, 2008

/s/ David K. Moskowitz

David K. Moskowitz, Trustee

GRAT #4

Dated: November 11, 2008

/s/ David K. Moskowitz

David K. Moskowitz, Trustee

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