

DISH Network CORP
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Â Schlichting Warren (Last) (First) (Middle) 9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD. (Street) ENGLEWOOD,Â COÂ 80112 (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/11/2015 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DISH Network CORP [DISH] | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) EVP, Ad Sales, Mktg & Program. | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Class A Common Stock | 2,065 ⁽¹⁾ | D | Â |
| Class A Common Stock | 234 | I | I ⁽²⁾ |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (3) | 03/31/2017 | Class A Common Stock | 8,878 | \$ 22.28 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (4) | 09/30/2021 | Class A Common Stock | 16,008 | \$ 22.28 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (5) | 01/01/2023 | Class A Common Stock | 12,000 | \$ (6) | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (5) | 01/01/2023 | Class A Common Stock | 30,000 | \$ 36.4 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Schlichting Warren 9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 | Â | Â | Â EVP, Ad Sales, Mktg & Program. | Â |

Signatures

/s/ Warren Schlichting, by Brandon Ehrhart his Attorney in Fact 12/21/2015

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Includes shares acquired under the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) By 401(k).
- (3) The grant is subject to achievement of certain performance criteria prior to December 31, 2015 and will vest based on achievement of such criteria. The performance criteria are not tied to the market price of the Issuer's securities.
- (4) The shares underlying the option vest at the rate of 20% per year, commencing on September 30, 2012.
- (5) The grant is subject to achievement of certain performance criteria prior to September 30, 2022 and will vest based on achievement of such criteria. The performance criteria are not tied to the market price of the Issuer's securities.
- (6) Each unit converts upon vesting into one share of stock, which will be issued to the reporting person immediately upon vesting.

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