ERGEN CHARLES W

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

DISH Network CORP [DISH]

X Director

9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.

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

01/01/2013

X__ 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

Chairman

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (T) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	d of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.4	01/01/2013		A	60,000		<u>(1)</u>	01/01/2023	Class A Common Stock	60,000
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	01/01/2013		A	30,000		<u>(1)</u>	01/01/2023	Class A Common Stock	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ERGEN CHARLES W							
9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.	X	X	Chairman				
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112							

Signatures

/s/ Charles W. Ergen, by Brandon Ehrhart, his Attorney in
Fact 01/03/2013

**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) 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.
- (2) 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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