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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SCHROEDER C MIKE Issuer Symbol EchoStar Holding CORP [SATS] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 90 INVERNESS CIRCLE EAST 01/01/2008 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price Class A Common 01/01/2008 V 3,020 A \$0 3,020 D Stock

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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 Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Share
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 36.6	01/02/2008		A(2) V	1,000	(3)	06/30/2012	Class A Common Stock	1,00
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 26	01/02/2008		A(2) V	1,000	(3)	06/30/2011	Class A Common Stock	1,00
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 22.94	01/02/2008		A(2) V	8,000	(3)	12/30/2010	Class A Common Stock	8,00
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 25.45	01/02/2008		A(2) V	1,000	(3)	06/30/2010	Class A Common Stock	1,00
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 26.26	01/02/2008		A(2) V	1,000	(3)	09/30/2009	Class A Common Stock	1,00
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 28.68	01/02/2008		A(2) V	2,000	(3)	12/31/2008	Class A Common Stock	2,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SCHROEDER C MIKE 90 INVERNESS CIRCLE EAST ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112	X					

Signatures

/s/ C. Michael Schroeder, by Brandon Ehrhart, his Attorney in	
Fact	01/04/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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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 shares were received in connection with a spin-off of EchoStar Communications Corporation's ("ECC") technology and certain infrastructure assets effective on January 1, 2008 (the "Spin-Off").
- (2) The option was issued in connection with the Spin-Off. Under the terms of the employee matters agreement executed between the issuer and ECC, the exercise price of the option became calculable on January 2, 2008.
- (3) The shares underlying the option were 100% vested upon the date of grant.

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