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(Print or Type	Responses)										
	Address of Reporting Person * ITZ DAVID K	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> T Symbol	_	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer							
		ECHOSTAR COM CORP [DISH]	IMUNICATIONS	(Check all applicable)							
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Tran	saction	X Director X Officer (give		Owner r (specify					
0601 SOUTH MEDIDIAN 02/10/2005 below)						below) n Counsel and Sec.					
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person								
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112  ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person											
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-De	rivative Securities Ac	equired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any	on Date, if Transaction( Code ( /Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price	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	02/10/2005	M 4	\$ \$ 2.12	5 509,970	D						
Class A Common Stock				32,984	I	I (1)					
Class A Common Stock				17,333	I	I (2)					

I (3)

8,184

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Common Stock

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Common 1,328 I Stock

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.125	02/10/2005		M	48,000	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Class A Common Stock	48,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MOSKOWITZ DAVID K
9601 SOUTH MERIDIAN BOULEVARD X EVP, Gen Counsel and Sec.
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

**Signatures** 

/s/ David K.
Moskowitz
02/14/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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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).
  - The shares were contributed by the reporting person to a charitable foundation. The reporting person is a member of the Board of
- (1) Directors for the charitable foundation and has both investment control and voting power for the foundation. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares.
- (2) By 401(k).
- (3) The shares held by the reporting person in trust for the benefit of the children of Charles W. Ergen, the Chief Executive Officer of the Company. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares.
- (4) The shares are held by the reporting person as custodian for his minor children.
- (5) The shares underlying the option vested at the rate of 20% per year, commencing on March 31, 1998.
- (6) Each portion of the option expires five years from the date on which that portion of the option first becomes available.

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