

DISH Network CORP  
Form 4  
December 01, 2014

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**DEFRANCO JAMES**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.

(Street)

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

**DISH Network CORP [DISH]**

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

11/26/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 11/26/2014                              |                                                             | M <sup>(1)</sup>                     | 50,000 A                                                                | \$ 6.32 1,183,529                                                                                                  | D                                                                    |                                                                   |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 11/26/2014                              |                                                             | S <sup>(1)</sup>                     | 50,000 D                                                                | \$ 77.4 1,133,529                                                                                                  | D                                                                    |                                                                   |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock            | 11/28/2014                              |                                                             | M <sup>(1)</sup>                     | 50,000 A                                                                | \$ 6.32 1,183,529                                                                                                  | D                                                                    |                                                                   |
| Class A<br>Common                     | 11/28/2014                              |                                                             | S <sup>(1)</sup>                     | 50,000 D                                                                | \$ 78.42 1,133,529                                                                                                 | D                                                                    |                                                                   |

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| Stock                      | (2)       |   |       |
|----------------------------|-----------|---|-------|
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 1,250,000 | I | I (3) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 1,905,059 | I | I (4) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 50,000    | I | I (5) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12,160    | I | I (6) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 19,549    | I | I (7) |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |     | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                    |                            |                                     |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                                                            | (A)                                                            | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                                                 | Expiration<br>Date | Title                      | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)    | \$ 6.32                                                            | 11/26/2014                              |                                                             | M <u>(1)</u>                         |                                                                                                              | 50,000                                                         |     | <u>(8)</u>                                                          | 03/31/2017         | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 50,000                              |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)    | \$ 6.32                                                            | 11/28/2014                              |                                                             | M <u>(1)</u>                         |                                                                                                              | 50,000                                                         |     | <u>(8)</u>                                                          | 03/31/2017         | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 50,000                              |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |                          |       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
|                                                                 | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                  | Other |
| DEFRANCO JAMES<br>9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.<br>ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 | X             |           | Executive Vice President |       |

## Signatures

/s/ James DeFranco, by Brandon Ehrhart his Attorney  
in Fact

12/01/2014

\_\_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 transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10B5-1 trading plan.  
Based upon a weighted average sale price. The shares reported in this transaction were sold at prices ranging between \$78.40 and \$78.43.
- (2) 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, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.
- (3) The shares are held by the reporting person as a general partner of a limited partnership.
- (4) The shares are held by the reporting person as a general partner of a different limited partnership.
- (5) The shares are held by the reporting person in an irrevocable trust for the benefit of the reporting person's children and grandchildren. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares.
- (6) The shares are being held by the reporting person as custodian for his children.
- (7) By 401(k).
- (8) 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.

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