

Ortolf Tom A  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Ortolf Tom A

(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)  
03/22/2012

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)

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

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Class A Common Stock	03/22/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000	A	\$ 25.28
Class A Common Stock	03/22/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000	A	\$ 32.05
Class A Common Stock	03/22/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>		10,000	D	\$ 35
Class A Common Stock							61,000
						I	I <sup>(2)</sup>

Class A  
Common  
Stock 200 I I <sup>(3)</sup>

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 25.28	03/22/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>	5,000	<sup>(4)</sup> 06/30/2013	Class A Common Stock	5,000
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 32.05	03/22/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>	5,000	<sup>(4)</sup> 06/30/2012	Class A Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ortolf Tom A 9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112			X	

## Signatures

/s/ Tom A. Ortolf, by Brandon Ehrhart, his Attorney in Fact 03/26/2012

\*\*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.
- (2) By partnership. The reporting person is a partner of the partnership that owns the reported securities.
- (3) The shares are held by the reporting person's son who has sole voting and investment control over the shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares.
- (4) The shares underlying the option were 100% vested upon the date of grant.

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