

EHOSTAR COMMUNICATIONS CORP  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 EHOSTAR COMMUNICATIONS CORP [DISH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 9601 S. MERIDIAN BLVD.  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/09/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Executive Vice President

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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	04/19/2006		G <sup>(1)</sup>	V 775 D \$ 0	4,762,752	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006		M	48,000 A \$ 2.125	4,810,752	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006		M	120,000 A \$ 6	4,930,752	D	
Class A Common	11/09/2006		S	400 D \$ 36.4	4,930,352	D	

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## Stock

Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	2,600	D	\$ 36.41	4,927,752	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	3,300	D	\$ 36.42	4,924,452	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	1,600	D	\$ 36.43	4,922,852	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	7,376	D	\$ 36.44	4,915,476	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	29,187	D	\$ 36.45	4,886,289	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	18,487	D	\$ 36.46	4,867,802	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	10,899	D	\$ 36.47	4,856,903	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	10,438	D	\$ 36.48	4,846,465	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	6,712	D	\$ 36.49	4,839,753	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	15,000	D	\$ 36.5	4,824,753	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	12,498	D	\$ 36.51	4,812,255	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	5,403	D	\$ 36.52	4,806,852	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	2,500	D	\$ 36.53	4,804,352	D
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	2,934	D	\$ 36.54	4,801,418	D

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Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	14,362	D	\$ 36.55	4,787,056	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	5,597	D	\$ 36.56	4,781,459	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	2,806	D	\$ 36.57	4,778,653	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	4,565	D	\$ 36.58	4,774,088	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	3,936	D	\$ 36.59	4,770,152	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	3,349	D	\$ 36.6	4,766,803	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	897	D	\$ 36.61	4,765,906	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	1,800	D	\$ 36.62	4,764,106	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	654	D	\$ 36.63	4,763,452	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/09/2006	S	700	D	\$ 36.64	4,762,752	D	
Class A Common Stock						8,183	I	I <u>(2)</u> <u>(6)</u>
Class A Common Stock						50,000	I	I <u>(3)</u>

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)



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