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FCC APPLICATION FOR SPACE AND EARTH STATION:MOD OR AMD – MAIN FORM	FCC Use Only
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# APPLICANT INFORMATION

Enter a description of this application to identify it on the main menu:

Modification of E980005 to add EchoStar 15 at 44.9 W.L. and EchoStar/DISH DBS satellites as Points of Communication

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City:	Englewood	State:	CO
<b>Country:</b>	USA	Zipcode:	80112 –

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Attention: Relationship: Legal Counsel

#### **CLASSIFICATION OF FILING**

17. Choose the button next to the classification that applies to this filing for both questions a. and b. Choose only one for 17a and only one for 17b.

a1. Earth Station

a2. Space Station

(N/A) b1. Application for License of New Station

(N/A) b2. Application for Registration of New Domestic Receive-Only Station

**b**3. Amendment to a Pending Application

**b**4. Modification of License or Registration

b5. Assignment of License or Registration

b6. Transfer of Control of License or Registration

**b**7. Notification of Minor Modification

(N/A) b8. Application for License of New Receive-Only Station Using Non-U.S. Licensed Satellite

(N/A) b9. Letter of Intent to Use Non-U.S. Licensed Satellite to Provide Service in the United States

(N/A) b10. Other (Please specify)

(N/A) b11. Application for Earth Station to Access a Non–U.S.satellite Not Currently Authorized to Provide the Proposed Service in the Proposed Frequencies in the United States

(N/A) b12. Application for Database Entry

b13. Amendment to a Pending Database Entry Application

b14. Modification of Database Entry

<ul> <li>17c. Is a fee submitted with this application</li> <li>If Yes, complete and attach FCC Form</li> <li>Governmental Entity</li> <li>Other(please explain):</li> </ul>	159. If No, indicate reason for fee exemption (se	re 47 C.F.R.Section 1.1114).			
Fee Classification CGX – Fixed Satellite Transmit/Receive Earth Station					
<ul><li>18. If this filing is in reference to an existing station, enter:</li><li>(a) Call sign of station: E980005</li></ul>	19. If this filing is an amendment to a pending apmodification please enter only the file number:  (a) Date pending application was filed:	oplication enter both fields, if this filing is a  (b) File number:  SESMFS2012031500270			

# TYPE OF SERVICE

20. NATURE OF SERVICE: This filing is for an authorization to provide	e or use the following type(s) of service(s): Select all that apply:
a. Fixed Satellite	
b. Mobile Satellite	
c. Radiodetermination Satellite	
d. Earth Exploration Satellite	
e. Direct to Home Fixed Satellite	
f. Digital Audio Radio Service	
g. Other (please specify)  DBS; Feeder Link for DBS in	n FSS; BSS
21. STATUS: Choose the button next to the applicable status. Choose	22. If earth station applicant, check all that apply.
only one.	Using U.S. licensed satellites
Common Carrier Non–Common Carrier	Using Non–U.S. licensed satellites
23. If applicant is providing INTERNATIONAL COMMON CARRIER s facilities:	service, see instructions regarding Sec. 214 filings. Choose one. Are these
Connected to a Public Switched Network Not connected to a	Public Switched Network N/A
24. FREQUENCY BAND(S): Place an 'X' in the box(es) next to all a	pplicable frequency band(s).
a. C–Band (4/6 GHz) b. Ku–Band (12/14 GHz)	
c.Other (Please specify upper and lower frequencies in MHz.)	
Frequency Lower: 12200 Frequency Upper: 17800	(Please specify additional frequencies in an attachment)

# TYPE OF STATION

25. CLASS OF STATION: Choose the button next to the class of station that applies. Choose only one.	
a. Fixed Earth Station	
• b. Temporary–Fixed Earth Station	
c. 12/14 GHz VSAT Network	
d. Mobile Earth Station	
e. Geostationary Space Station	
f. Non–Geostationary Space Station	
g. Other (please specify)	
26. TYPE OF EARTH STATION FACILITY:	
Transmit/Receive Transmit-Only Receive-Only N/A	
"For Space Station applications, select N/A."	

# PURPOSE OF MODIFICATION

27. The purpose of this proposed modification is to: (Place an 'X' in the box(es) next to all that apply.)					
a — authorization to add new emission designator and related service					
b — authorization to change emission designator and related service					
c — authorization to increase EIRP and EIRP density					
d — authorization to replace antenna					
e — authorization to add antenna					
f — authorization to relocate fixed station					
g — authorization to change frequency(ies)					
h — authorization to add frequency					
i — authorization to add Points of Communication (satellites & mp; countries)					
j — authorization to change Points of Communication (satellites & Double of Communication (satellites & Doub					
k — authorization for facilities for which environmental assessment and					
radiation hazard reporting is required					
1 — authorization to change orbit location					
m — authorization to perform fleet management					
n — authorization to extend milestones					
o — Other (Please specify)					

### **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**

impact as defined by 47 CFR 1.1307? If YES, submit the statement as required by Sections 1.1308 and 1.1311 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. 1.1308 and 1.1311, as an exhibit to this application. A Radiation Hazard Study must accompany all applications for new transmitting facilities, major modifications, or major amendments.	•		~			
ALIEN OWNERSHIP Earth station applicants not proposing to provide broadcast, common carrier, aeron aeronautical fixed radio station services are not required to respond to Items 30–34.	autic	al en	ı rou	ite or		
29. Is the applicant a foreign government or the representative of any foreign government?	0	Yes	•	No		
30. Is the applicant an alien or the representative of an alien?	0	Yes	0	No	•	N/A
31. Is the applicant a corporation organized under the laws of any foreign government?	0	Yes	0	No	•	N/A
32. Is the applicant a corporation of which more than one—fifth of the capital stock is owned of record or voted by aliens or their representatives or by a foreign government or representative thereof or by any corporation organized under the laws of a foreign country?	0	Yes	0	No	•	N/A

 $lackbox{ Yes } lackbox{ No}$ 

28. Would a Commission grant of any proposal in this application or amendment have a significant environmental

33. Is the applicant a corporation directly or indirectly controlled by any other corporation of which more than one–fourth of the capital stock is owned of record or voted by aliens, their representatives, or by a foreign government or representative thereof or by any corporation organized under the laws of a foreign country?	٥	Yes	) <sup>1</sup>	10 <b>©</b>	N/A
34. If any answer to questions 29, 30, 31, 32 and/or 33 is Yes, attach as an exhibit an identification of the aliens or foreign entities, their nationality, their relationship to the applicant, and the percentage of stock they own or vote.					
BASIC QUALIFICATIONS					
35. Does the Applicant request any waivers or exemptions from any of the Commission's Rules? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, copies of the requests for waivers or exceptions with supporting documents.		O Ye	S	<b>●</b> 1	No
36. Has the applicant or any party to this application or amendment had any FCC station authorization or license revoked or had any application for an initial, modification or renewal of FCC station authorization, license, or construction permit denied by the Commission? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, an explination of circumstances.		● Ye	s	0 1	No
	EBC	C Q36			

37. Has the applicant, or any party to this application or amendment, or any party directly or indirectly controlling the applicant ever been convicted of a felony by any state or federal court? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, an explination of circumstances.	○ Yes	No
38. Has any court finally adjudged the applicant, or any person directly or indirectly controlling the applicant, guilty of unlawfully monopolizing or attemptiing unlawfully to monopolize radio communication, directly or indirectly, through control of manufacture or sale of radio apparatus, exclusive traffic arrangement or any other means or unfair methods of competition? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, an explanation of circumstances	O Yes	No
39. Is the applicant, or any person directly or indirectly controlling the applicant, currently a party in any pending matter referred to in the preceding two items? If yes, attach as an exhinit, an explanation of the circumstances.	O Yes	No
40. If the applicant is a corporation and is applying for a space station license, attach as an exhibit the names, address, and citizenship of those stockholders owning a record and/or voting 10 percent or more of the Filer's voting stock and the percentages so held. In the case of fiduciary control, indicate the beneficiary(ies) or class of beneficiaries. Also list the names and addresses of the officers and directors of the Filer.	EBC Q40	

41. By checking Yes, the undersigned certifies, that neither applicant nor any other party to the application is subject to a denial of Federal benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti–Drug Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. Section 862, because of a conviction for possession or distribution of a controlled substance. See 47 CFR 1.2002(b) for the meaning of "party to the application" for these purposes.	<b>⊚</b> Yes	O No
42a. Does the applicant intend to use a non–U.S. licensed satellite to provide service in the United States? If Yes, answer 42b and attach an exhibit providing the information specified in 47 C.F.R. 25.137, as appropriate. If No, proceed to question 43.	O Yes	<b>⊚</b> No
42b. What administration has licensed or is in the process of licensing the space station? If no license will be issued, v coordinated or is in the process of coordinating the space station?	vhat administr	ration has

43. Description. (Summarize the nature of the application and the services to be provided). (If the complete description does not appear in this box, please go to the end of the form to view it in its entirety.)

EchoStar Broadcasting Corporation seeks a modification of its tranmit/receive earth station license, E980005 to add EchoStar 15 at 44.9 W.L. and EchoStar/DISH DBS satellites at 61.5 WL, 110 WL, and 119 WL as points of communication.

43a. Geographic Service Rule Certification By selecting A, the undersigned certifies that the applicant is not subject to the geographic service or geographic coverage requirements specified in 47 C.F.R. Part 25.	<b>●</b> A
By selecting B, the undersigned certifies that the applicant is subject to the geographic service or geographic coverage requirements specified in 47 C.F.R. Part 25 and will comply with such requirements.	O B
By selecting C, the undersigned certifies that the applicant is subject to the geographic service or geographic coverage requirements specified in 47 C.F.R. Part 25 and will not comply with such requirements because it is not feasible as a technical matter to do so, or that, while technically feasible, such services would require so many compromises in satellite design and operation as to make it economically unreasonable. A narrative description and technical analysis demonstrating this claim are attached.	<b>o</b> c

### **CERTIFICATION**

The Applicant waives any claim to the use of any particular frequency or of the electromagnetic spectrum as against the regulatory power of the United States because of the previous use of the same, whether by license or otherwise, and requests an authorization in accordance with this application. The applicant certifies that grant of this application would not cause the applicant to be in violation of the spectrum aggregation limit in 47 CFR Part 20. All statements made in exhibits are a material part hereof and are incorporated herein as if set out in full in this application. The undersigned, individually and for the applicant, hereby certifies that all statements made in this application and in all attached exhibits are true, complete and correct to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

44. Applicant is a (an): (Choose the button next to app	licable response.)						
Individual							
O Unincorporated Association							
• Partnership							
Corporation							
Governmental Entity							
Other (please specify)							
45. Name of Person Signing	46. Title of Person Signing						
Alison Minea	Corporate Counsel						
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(U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1	E ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND / OR IMPRISON 001), AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION 2(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 503).						

## SATELLITE EARTH STATION AUTHORIZATIONS FCC Form 312 – Schedule B:(Technical and Operational Description) FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Location of Earth St	ation Site					
E1: Site Identifier:	1	E5. Call Sign:	E980005			
E2: Contact Name	Silas Cole	E6. Phone Number:	307-633-5225			
E3. Street:	530 EchoStar Drive	E7. City:	Cheyenne			
		E8. County:	Laramie			
E4. State	WY	E9. Zip Code	82007			
E10. Area of Operation:		CONUS				
E11. Latitude:	41 °7 '56.4 "N					
E12. Longitude:	104 °44 '10.4 "W					
E13. Lat/Lon Coordinates are:		NAD-27	<b>○</b> NAD-83	O N/A		
E14. Site Elevation (AMSL):		1808.9 meters				

E15. If the proposed antenna(s) operate in the Fixed Satellite Service (FSS) with geostationary satellites, do(es) the proposed antenna(s) comply with the antenna gain patterns specified in Section 25.209(a) and (b) as demonstrated by the manufacturer's qualification measurement? If NO, provide as a technical analysis showing compliance with two–degree spacing policy.

E16. If the proposed antenna(s) do not operate in the Fixed Satellite Ser Satellite Service (FSS) with non–geostationary satellites, do(es) the propagain patterns specified in Section 25.209(a2) and (b) as demonstrated by measurements?	posed antenna(s) comply with the antenna	<b>●</b> Yes	O No	O N/A
E17. Is the facility operated by remote control? If YES, provide the locat point.	tion and telephone number of the control	O Yes	•	No
E18. Is frequency coordination required? If YES, attach a frequency coordination	rdination report as	O Yes	•	No
E19. Is coordination with another country required? If YES, attach the national contours as	O Yes	•	No	
E20. FAA Notification – (See 47 CFR Part 17 and 47 CFR part 25.11 have you attached a copy of a completed FCC Form 854 and/or the FAA the structure to aviation?  FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH 47 CFR PARTS 17 AND 25 WILL FAPPLICATION.	O Yes	•	No	
POINTS OF COMMUNICATION		•		
Satellite Name: ECHOSTAR/DISH   EchostarDish DBS(US)   If you	selected OTHER, please enter the following	g:		
E21. Common Name:				
E23. Orbit Location:				
Satellite Name: OTHER   OTHER   If you selected OTHER, please er	nter the following:			

E21. Common Name: ECHOSTAR 15					E22. ITU Name: ECHOSTAR 15						
E23. Orbit Location: 44.9 W.L.					E24. Country: USA						
POINTS OF C	COMMUNICATI	ON (Destination	Points)		•						
E25. Site Identifi	er:										
E26. Common Name:					E27. Country:						
ANTENNA					•						
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E28. Antenna Id	E33/34. Diameter Minor/Major (meters)  E35. Above Ground Level Level(m		neters) Height Above Ground Level		E38. Total Input Power at antenna flange (Watts)		E39. Maximur Antenna Heigl Above Roofton (meters)	nt EIRP for al			
FREQUENCY E28. Antenna Id	/   E43/44.	E45.	<u> </u>	E46. Anto	enna	F47 F	Emission	F48	. Maximum	E49. Maximum	
120. Antenia Iu	Frequency Back (MHz)			Polarizat L,R)		Design			P per Carrier	ERIP Density per Carrier (dBW/4kHz)	
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FREQUENCY E28. Antenna Id	COORDINATES COORDI	E52/53. Frequency Limits(MHz)	E54/55. Range of Satellite Arc Eastern/West ern Limit	E56. Earth Station Azimuth Angle Eastern Limit	E57. Antenna Elevation Angle Eastern Limit	E58. Earth Station Azimuth Angle Western Limit	E59. Antenna Elevation Angle Western Limit	E60. Maximum EIRP Density toward the Horizon (dBW/4kHz)
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E63. City			E68. County	/		E67/68. State/Country		64. Zip Code

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