

## **ECHOSTAR TAKES ACTION UPON DO-NOT-CALL VIOLATORS**

**ENGLEWOOD, Colo.**--December 7, 2006--EchoStar Communications Corporation (NASDAQ: DISH) and its DISH Network™ satellite TV service today announced the termination of independent EchoStar retailer Atlas Assets of Irvine, CA. Following up on consumer complaints alleging violations of telemarketing laws, EchoStar's investigation resulted in the termination of its relationship with this retailer. This termination follows the recent termination of EchoStar retailer United Satellite of Aliso Viejo, CA as a result of a similar investigation of consumer telemarketing complaints. EchoStar has alerted state attorneys general of the results of its investigation.

EchoStar fully supports the FTC's national Do-Not-Call Registry and all telemarketing laws and regulations. EchoStar policies prohibit unlawful telemarketing calls to existing and potential DISH Network customers, and require retailers to be fully knowledgeable of applicable law as a condition to any telemarketing activities. EchoStar will continue to investigate the practices of retailers and marketing lead generators who violate telemarketing laws and will take appropriate actions as necessary.

"EchoStar takes violations of telemarketing laws very seriously," said Erik Carlson, senior vice president of Retail Services and Sales for EchoStar. "EchoStar will continue to expend significant resources and work with law enforcement agencies in pursuit of improper solicitations by parties who hide behind EchoStar's DISH Network trademark."

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### **About EchoStar Communications Corporation**

EchoStar Communications Corporation (NASDAQ: DISH) serves more than 12.755 million satellite TV customers through its DISH Network™, and is a leading U.S. provider of advanced digital television services. DISH Network's services include hundreds of video and audio channels, Interactive TV, HDTV, sports and international programming, together with professional installation and 24-hour customer service. EchoStar has been a leader for more than 25 years in satellite TV equipment sales and support worldwide. EchoStar is included in the Nasdaq-100 Index (NDX) and is a Fortune 500 company. Visit EchoStar's Web site at [www.echostar.com](http://www.echostar.com) or call 1-800-333-DISH (3474).

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EchoStar terminated its relationship with this retailer as a result of EchoStar’s internal investigation of consumer complaints alleging violations of telemarketing laws and City of St. Louis Circuit Court Judge Lisa Van Amburg’s recent issuance of a Temporary Restraining Order prohibiting JSR Satellite Enterprises, Inc. from making telephone solicitations to consumers in the state of Missouri. The TRO was issued on the application of Missouri Attorney General, Jay Nixon, against JSR and other entities that are not EchoStar retailers. According to the Missouri Attorney General’s press release, JSR Satellite Enterprises requested a copy of Missouri’s No Call database but was cited in multiple complaints after receiving the list.

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