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THIS FORM IS EFFECTIVE FOR THE ACCOUNTING PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2005.
If you are filing for a prior accounting period, contact the Licensing Division for the correct form.



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United States Copyright Office

FILING DEADLINE: The Statement of Account must be filed within 30 days after the last day of the accounting period. The filing deadline is July 30 for the January-June accounting period and January 30 for the July-December accounting period.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT
*for Secondary Transmissions
by Satellite Carriers for Private
Home Viewing and Viewing
in a Commercial Establishment*

General instructions are at the end of this form [pages 1-iv].

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DATE RECEIVED	AMOUNT
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	REMITTANCE NUMBER

FORM SC

Return to:
Copyright Office GC/1&R
Satellite Statement of
Account
P.O. Box 70400
Southwest Station
Washington, DC 20024-0400
(For courier deliveries, see
page 1 of the General
Instructions.)

Space A

ACCOUNTING PERIOD COVERED BY THIS STATEMENT: (Check one box and fill in the year)

January 1-June 30, 2005 July 1-December 31, _____

Space B

LEGAL NAME OF SATELLITE CARRIER: Your file is established under this name. Give the full name of the owner of the satellite carrier. If the owner is a subsidiary of another corporation, give the full corporate title of the subsidiary, not that of the parent corporation.

LEGAL NAME OF OWNER OF SATELLITE CARRIER

DIRECTV, Inc.

BUSINESS NAME OF OWNER, IF DIFFERENT

N/A

MAILING ADDRESS

2230 East Imperial Highway

El Segundo, CA 90245

the legal name as it appears in Space B: DIRECTV, Inc. January 1 - June 30, 2005

NETWORK STATIONS — ANALOG & DIGITAL (PRIVATE HOME VIEWING)							
SUBSCRIBERS FOR EACH MONTH OF THE ACCOUNTING PERIOD							
Call signs	Month 1 (Jan/July)	Month 2 (Feb/Aug)	Month 3 (Mar/Sept)	Month 4 (Apr/Oct)	Month 5 (May/Nov)	Month 6 (June/Dec)	Total
*See Schedule B for a complete list of network stations							
Grand total "Network Stations" subscribers (Private Home Viewing):							

SPACE D, PART 2 • Carriage for Viewing in a Commercial Establishment

NOTE: A Commercial Establishment is defined as an "establishment used for commercial purposes, such as a bar, restaurant, private office, fitness club, oil rig, retail store, bank or other financial institution, supermarket, automobile or boat dealership, or any other establishment with a common business area; and does not include a multi-unit permanent or temporary dwelling where private home viewing occurs, such as a hotel, dormitory, hospital, apartment, condominium, or prison."

- **FIRST:** Under the heading SUPERSTATIONS, enter those stations' call signs and the number of subscribers receiving those stations on the last day of each month of the accounting period. Then, for each station, total the number of subscribers for all six months of the accounting period and enter that figure under the column labeled TOTAL.

NOTE: Do not include those subscribers receiving a superstation retransmitted within that station's "local market" nor those subscribers who reside in a community where that signal is deemed "significantly viewed" by the FCC, provided that those subscribers receive local-into-local service. See pages II-III of the General Instructions for a definition of these terms.

- **NEXT:** Compute the grand total number of subscribers receiving "superstations."

SUPERSTATIONS — ANALOG & DIGITAL (COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS)							
SUBSCRIBERS FOR EACH MONTH OF THE ACCOUNTING PERIOD							
Call signs	Month 1 (Jan/July)	Month 2 (Feb/Aug)	Month 3 (Mar/Sept)	Month 4 (Apr/Oct)	Month 5 (May/Nov)	Month 6 (June/Dec)	Total
WGN	-0-	59,807	61,103	62,495	63,603	64,638	311,646
Grand total "Superstations" subscribers (Commercial Establishments):							311,646

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SPACE D, PART 3 - Computation of the Royalty Fee

1. Enter the grand total "Superstations" for Private Home Viewing subscribers here and multiply by \$0.20 $73,003,168 \times .20 = \$ 14,600,633.60$
2. Enter the grand total "Network" stations for Private Home Viewing subscribers here and multiply by \$0.17 $54,348,378 \times .17 = \$ 9,239,224.26$
3. Enter the grand total "Superstations" for Commercial Establishments subscribers here and multiply by \$0.40 $311,646 \times .40 = \$ 124,658.40$
4. Interest Charge. Enter the amount from line 4, Space E, page 5 \$ _____
5. Add Lines 1-4. This is the satellite carrier's total royalty fee \$ 23,964,516.26

Remit this amount in the form of an electronic payment; or certified check, cashier's check, or money order payable to *Register of Copyrights*. Do not send cash. We recommend electronic payment.

Space E — Worksheet for Computing Interest

You must complete this worksheet for those royalty fee payments submitted as a result of a late payment or underpayment. For an explanation of interest assessment, see page (iv) of the General Instructions.

1. Enter the amount of late payment or underpayment \$ _____
 x _____ %
2. Multiply line 1 by the interest rate* and enter the sum here _____
 x _____ days
3. Multiply line 2 by the number of days late _____
 x .00274
4. Multiply line 3 by .00274**. Enter the amount here (unless \$5.00 or less) and on line 4, part 3, space D, (page 5) \$ _____
 (interest charge)

*Contact the Licensing Division at (202) 707-8150 for the interest rate for the accounting period in which the late payment or underpayment occurred.

**This is the decimal equivalent of $\frac{1}{365}$, which is the interest assessment for one day late.

NOTE: If you are filing this worksheet covering a Statement of Account already submitted to the Copyright Office, please list below the Owner, Address, and Accounting Period as given in the original filing.

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Space F — Contact Information

Identify an individual to whom we can write or call about this Statement of Account:

NAME Michael Thornton

MAILING ADDRESS 2230 East Imperial Highway
El Segundo, CA 90245

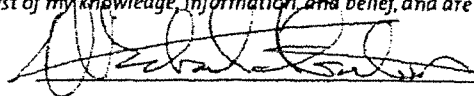
TELEPHONE NUMBER (INCLUDE AREA CODE) (310) 964-4359

EMAIL (OPTIONAL) _____

Space G — Signature

The Statement of Account must be signed in accordance with Copyright Office regulations.

I, the undersigned Owner or Agent of the Satellite Carrier, or Officer or Partner, if the Satellite Carrier is a corporation or partnership, have examined this Statement of Account and hereby declare under penalty of law that all statements of fact contained herein are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, and are made in good faith. [18 U.S.C., Section 1001 (1986)]

SIGNATURE 

TYPED/PRINTED NAME Michael Thornton

TITLE/CAPACITY Senior Vice President Programming Acquisitions

DATE _____

**DIRECTV, INC.
SCHEDULE A**

**Details for Form SC, Page 2, SPACE C - PRIMARY TRANSMITTERS: TELEVISION
For The Accounting Period From January 1 to June 30, 2005**

1. Call Sign	2. Channel Number	3. Station Type (S or N)	4. Location of Station
WGN	9	S	Chicago
KWGN	2	S	Denver
WABC	7	N	New York
WCBS	2	N	New York
WNBC	4	N	New York
WNYW	5	N	New York
KABC	7	N	Los Angeles
KCBS	2	N	Los Angeles
KNBC	4	N	Los Angeles
KTTV	11	N	Los Angeles
KBEJ	2	N	San Antonio
WJAN	41	N	West Palm Beach
WFDC	14	N	Washington DC
KFTR	46	N	Los Angeles
WAMI	69	N	Miami
WXFT	60	N	Chicago
KTNC	42	N	San Francisco
WBOC	25	N	Cincinnati
KDF	47	N	Corpus Christi
WLBT	7	N	Jackson
KGO	7	N	San Francisco
WTIC	61	N	Hartford
WAU	21	N	Orlando
KMSG	55	N	Fresno
WBZL	39	N	Miami - Fort Lauderdale
KSWB	69	N	San Diego
WABC1	7-1	N	New York
WCBS1	2-1	N	New York
WNBC1	4-1	N	New York
WNYW1	5-1	N	New York
KABC1	7-1	N	Los Angeles
KCBS1	2-1	N	Los Angeles
KNBC1	4-1	N	Los Angeles
KTTV1	11-1	N	Los Angeles

