## 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 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LEDFORD MICHAEL S				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SIRIUS SATELLITE RADIO INC [(SIRI)]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1221 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2003						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  EVP, Engineering						
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10020				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City	)	(State)	(Zip)		Т	able I	- Non	-De	rivative S	Securiti	ies Acqı	iired, Disp	osed of, or l	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, it any (Month/Day/Year		Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqui (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia	ant of Securities ally Owned Following d Transaction(s) and 4)		Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				(11011111111111111111111111111111111111	, 1 001,	Со	de	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		09/19/2003			S	S		12,500 (1)	D	\$ 1.971	6 25,000			D	
Common Stock											6,127		I	By 401(k) Plan		
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line f		Derivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quire	Pers con the	sons wh tained ir form dis	o resp n this f plays	form ar a curre eneficia	e not requently valid	OMB con	formation spond unle trol numbe	ess	1474 (9-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year) Ex	on 3A. Deemed Execution Da (Year) any	A. Deemed 4. xecution Date, if Transact		5.		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. T Am Und Sec	Fitle and acount of derlying purities str. 3 and		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Owners Form o Derivat Security Direct ( or Indir	Benefici Ownersl (Instr. 4)	
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### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEDFORD MICHAEL S 1221 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10020			EVP, Engineering				

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Ledford, Michael S.	09/16/2003
**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) Represents vesting of 12,500 shares of Mr. Ledford's restricted stock award. Remaining shares of restricted stock vest as follows: 12,500 9/17/04 and 12,500 9/17/05.

#### Remarks:

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