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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SPO ADVISORY CORP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

CROWN CASTLE

06/16/2008

INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

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

Director Officer (give title below)

_X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify

591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, **SUITE 3215**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 3 (A) or	of (D)	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)		
Common Stock	06/17/2008		S	1,800	D	\$ 42.69	36,633,573 (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	I	See footnotes		
Common Stock	06/17/2008		S	14,862	D	\$ 42.7	36,618,711	I	See footnotes		
Common Stock	06/17/2008		S	4,539	D	\$ 42.71	36,614,172	I	See footnotes		
Common Stock	06/17/2008		S	4,100	D	\$ 42.72	36,610,072	I	See footnotes		
Common Stock	06/17/2008		S	2,713	D	\$ 42.73	36,607,359	I	See footnotes		

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Common Stock	06/17/2008	S	5,000	D	\$ 42.74	36,602,359	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/17/2008	S	2,796	D	\$ 42.75	36,599,563	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/17/2008	S	800	D	\$ 42.76	36,598,763	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/17/2008	S	800	D	\$ 42.77	36,597,963	I	See footnotes
Common Stock	06/17/2008	S	200	D	\$ 42.78	36,597,763	I	See footnotes

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	Ç
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr	. 3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or]
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	 .	or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SPO ADVISORY CORP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941		X					
SPO ADVISORY PARTNERS LP 591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 MILL VALLEY, CA 94941		X					
		X					

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SF ADVISORY PARTNERS LP
591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215
MILL VALLEY, CA 94941
SPO PARTNERS II LP
591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215
X MILL VALLEY, CA 94941
SAN FRANCISCO PARTNERS II LP
591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215
X MILL VALLEY, CA 94941
SCULLY JOHN H
591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215
X MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

OBERNDORF WILLIAM E

591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 X

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

PATTERSON WILLIAM J

591 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE 3215 X

MILL VALLEY, CA 94941

Signatures

Kim M. Silva, Attorney-in-fact

06/18/2008

**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) The entity disposing of these shares is San Francisco Partners II, L.P. ("SF Partners"), which sold 257,000 shares.
 - As a result of the sales causing this filing, 35,237,663 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by SPO Partners II, L.P. ("SPO Partners"), and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by (i)SPO Advisory Partners, L.P ("SPO Advisory"), the sole general partner of SPO Partners, (ii)SPO Advisory Corp. ("SPO Corp."), the sole general partner of SPO Advisory, and (iii) John H.
- (2) Scully ("JHS"), William E. Oberndorf ("WEO") and William J. Patterson ("WJP"), the three controlling persons of SPO Corp. Additionally, 1,360,100 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by SF Partners, and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by (i)SF Advisory Partners, L.P. ("SF Advisory"), the sole general partner of SF Partners, (ii)SPO Corp., the sole general partner of SF Advisory, and (iii) JHS, WEO & WJP, the three controlling persons of SPO Corp.
 - Additionally, 289,200 shares of the issuer's common stock are held in the ("JHS") Individual Retirement Account (Rollover), which is self-directed. Additionally, JHS may be deemed to indirectly beneficially own 339,800 shares of the issuer's common stock solely in his capacity as the trustee for the John H. Scully Living Trust dated October 1, 2003 ("JHS Trust"), the general partner of Cranberry
- (3) Lake Partners, L.P. ("CLP") Additionally, 662,400 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by the JHS Trust and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by JHS, solely in his capacity as sole trustee for the JHS Trust. Additionally, 230,800 shares of the issuer's common stock may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by JHS solely in his capacity as the trustee for the JHS Trust, a general partner of Netcong Newton Partners, L.P. ("Netcong").
- Additionally, WEO beneficially owns 1,025,000 shares of the issuer's common stock held in the WEO individual retirement account, which is self-directed, and may be deemed to indirectly beneficially own (i) 350,000 shares of the issuer's common stock solely in his capacity as sole general partner of Oberndorf Family Partners, (ii) 50,000 shares of the issuer's common stock solely in his capacity as father of children who share his household, and (iii) 450,000 shares of the issuer's common stock solely in his capacity as a trustee for the William E. & Susan C. Oberndorf Trust ("WEO Trust"), a trust for the benefit of himself and his wife.
- (5) Additionally, as a result of the sales causing this filing, 13,500 shares of the issuer's common stock are owned directly by WJP in his individual retirement account, which is self-directed.

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The persons listed in the Notes above (each a "Reporting Person") may be deemed to form a "group", as such term is defined in Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.