Brown Jay A. Form 4 April 04, 2011

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Brown Jay A.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI]

Director

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

1220 AUGUSTA DRIVE, SUITE

(Street)

500

03/31/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Sr. VP, CFO & Treasurer

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting

HOUSTON, TX 77057

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(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	Γable I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu				uired, 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. 4. Securities A Transaction(A) or Dispos Code (Instr. 3, 4 an (Instr. 8)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct (D) or Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	03/31/2011		Code V S(1)	Amount 25,000 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 42.5	293,885	D		
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value							8,151 <u>(2)</u>	I	by 401(K) Plan	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par							2,000	I	by Spouse	

Value

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (Instr.	ectio	5. anNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	le and ant of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Brown Jay A. 1220 AUGUSTA DRIVE SUITE 500 HOUSTON, TX 77057

Sr. VP, CFO & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Jay A. Brown 04/01/2011 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- The transactions reported pursuant to this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan previously adopted by the reporting person.
- (2) Represents shares previously acquired in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

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