HATFIELD DALE N

Form 4

December 17, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (N	(Mont	e of Earliest T h/Day/Year) h/2012	ransaction		_	_X Director Officer (give to pelow)		Owner er (specify	
HOUSTON	(Street) J, TX 77057		mendment, D Month/Day/Yea	Č	1	- -	5. Individual or Joi Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by Oo Form filed by Mo Person	ne Reporting Pe	rson	
(City)	(State)	(Zip) T	able I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	4. Securit corr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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 \$0.01 Par	12/14/2012		S	15,000	D D	\$ 71.191	19,790	D		

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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	Amount of Underlying Securities	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HATFIELD DALE N 1220 AUGUSTA SUITE 500 HOUSTON, TX 77057	X					

Signatures

/s/ Dale N.
Hatfield 12/17/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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 the weighted average price of sales transacted on December 14, 2012; such sales were conducted through various transactions at sales prices ranging from \$71.16 to \$71.245 per share.

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