Brown Jay A. Form 4 February 21, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

obligations may continue. See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

(First)

1220 AUGUSTA DRIVE, SUITE

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CROWN CASTLE

INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI]

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

02/19/2013

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Sr. VP, CFO & Treasurer

10% Owner Other (specify

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Applicable Line)

Director

_X__ Officer (give title

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Issuer

below)

HOUSTON, TX 77057

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	posed and 5	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	02/19/2013		F	25,315 (1)	D	\$ 67.9	199,582	D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value							7,965 (2)	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.		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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 02/21/2013

**Signature of 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).
- Represents shares withheld by the issurer to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of certain shares of restricted stock previously granted to the Reporting Person. Such withholding is exempt from Section 16 (b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e).
- (2) Represents shares previously acquired in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

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