KELLY JOHN P

Form 4

February 18, 2009

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

KELLY JOHN P

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1220 AUGUSTA, SUITE 500			(Month/Da	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2009				X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Executive Vice Chairman			
(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77057				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) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene-								of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execution	emed ion Date, if n/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 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, \$0.01 Par Value							25,000 (1)	I (1)	By GRAT 2009-1	
	Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value							25,000 (2)	I (2)	By GRAT 2009-2	

Common

Stock, $405 \frac{(3)}{}$ I By 401(K) Plan

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)

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					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

KELLY JOHN P

1220 AUGUSTA
SUITE 500

X Executive Vice Chairman

HOUSTON, TX 77057

Signatures

/s/ John P. Kelly 02/17/2009

**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).
- (1) Since the reporting person's last report, 25,000 shares previously owned directly have been contributed, in an exempt transaction under Rule 16a-13, to a grantor retained annuity trust, with respect to which the reporting person is the trustee. The reporting person is filing

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this report to reflect such change in form of ownership.

- Since the reporting person's last report, an additional 25,000 shares previously owned directly have been contributed, in an exempt (2) transaction under Rule 16a-13, to a grantor retained annuity trust, with respect to which the reporting person's spouse is the trustee. The reporting person is filing this report to reflect such change in form of ownership.
- (3) Represents shares previously acquired in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

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