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to Section 16.	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BEN Filed pursuant to Section 16 Exchange Act of 1934, S Public Utility Holding Com ection 30(f) of the Investme	(a) of the Securities Section 17(a) of the Spany Act of 1935 or
(Print or Type Responses)		
1. Name and Address of Repo	rting Person*	
Dodge	Steven	В.
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)
116 Huntington Avenue		
(Street)		
Boston	Massachusetts	02116
(City)	(State)	(Zip)
2. Issuer Name and Ticker	or Trading Symbol	
American Tower Corp	oration (NYSE: AMT)	
3. IRS Identification Numb	er of Reporting Person, if an	Entity (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Yea May 2002		
5. If Amendment, Date of O	riginal (Month/Year)	

6.	Relationsh	ip of Reportin	g Person to Issuer	(Check all ap	plicable)		
[X]	Director		[_] 1 itle below)	.0% Owner	[_] Other (specify	below)	
	Chief l	Executive Offi	cer and Chairman				
	[X] Form f	iled by One Re filed by More	Piling (Check approporting Person than One Reporting	ng Person			
Tabl Bene	le I Non-l eficially Own	Derivative Sec ned	curities Acquired,	Disposed of, o			
1. 7	Title of	2. Trans- action	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti or Dispo	sed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficiall Owned At Er
			Code V		(A) or (D)		
	ss A Common ck (1)		Р		A		
Stoc	ss A Common	5/3/02			А		
Clas		5/3/02	Р		A		
Clas	ss A Common ck (1)	5/3/02	Р	10,000	А	\$4.90	
Clas	ss A Common ck (1)		P		А		
Stoc	ss A Common ck (1)		P		A		
Clas	ss A Common ck (1)	5/3/02	P	5,200	А	\$5.00	
Clas	ss A Common	5/3/02	P	4,800	А	\$5.03	
Clas	ss A Common ck (1)		Р		A		

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	action Date		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,4 and 5			Securities Beneficiall
	(11011011)	Code V				Owned At Er of Month (Instr. 3 a
Class A Common Stock (1)		P		A		
Class A Common Stock (1)		Р		А		
Class A Common Stock (1)		Р	2,200	A	\$4.87	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/6/02	Р		A	\$4.88	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/6/02	Р	8,900	А	\$4.90	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/6/02	P		А	\$4.91	
Class A Common Stock (1)		P	2,000	А	\$4.92	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/6/02	P	900	А	\$4.95	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	P	100	А	\$4.53	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	P	1,000	А	\$4.54	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	P	1,000	А	\$4.55	
Class A Common Stock (1)		P		A		
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02		1,000	А	\$4.59	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	P	100	А	\$4.60	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02		2,900	А	\$4.64	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	P	3,000	А	\$4.65	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02		2,000	А	\$4.66	
		P		А		

Class A Common	5/7/02	P	1,200	А	\$4.70
Stock (1)					

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	action Date	Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,4 and 5			5. Amount of Securities Beneficiall
	(Month/ Day/ Year)	Code V	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)		Owned At En of Month (Instr. 3 a
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	Р	1,400	А	\$4.74	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	Р		A		
Class A Common Stock (1)		P		A		
Class A Common Stock (1)		P	1,000	Α	\$4.85	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/7/02	Р	1,000	А	\$4.90	
Class A Common Stock (1)		Р	1,100	A	\$3.85	
Class A Common Stock (1)		Р	900	A	\$3.86	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/17/02	Р	1,600	A	\$3.89	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/17/02	Р	14,400	A	\$3.90	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/17/02	P	5,000	A	\$3.91	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/17/02	P	8,000	А	\$3.92	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/17/02	Р		А	\$3.93	
Class A Common Stock (1)	5/17/02	Р	1,000	А	\$3.94	
Class A Common Stock (1)			6,000	A		
Class A Common Stock (1)		P		A		

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Class A Common Stock (1)		P	3,000	A		
Class A Common Stock (1)	3/17/02	Р		А	\$4.00	849,530
						37,227
						5,000
Reminder: Report	on a separa	ate line for eac	h class of secu	rities benefic	ially	
owned directly operson, see Inst	_		m is filed by m	ore than one r	eporting	
				(Over SEC 147) 4 (3-99)	
FORM 4 (continue	ed)					
(e.g.,	ivative Secuputs, calls,	urities Acquired warrants, opti	, Disposed of, ons, convertibl	or Beneficiall e securities)	y Owned	
1. Title of Der Security (In		2. Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	action Date (Month/ Day/	4. Transaction Cod	e D 8) S A D	fumber of erivative ecurities cquired (A) or isposed f (D)
				Code V		
(e.g., puts,	calls, warra	urities Acquirec	, Disposed of, onvertible secu	or Beneficiall rities) con	y Owned tinued	
6. Date Exercisa and Expiration Date (Month/	on A	Citle and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5	e Securi Owned	of Derivat ties Benefi at End of M	cially

Day/ Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Date	Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number (

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) This Form 4 is being filed to report Mr. Dodge's purchase of an aggregate of 150,000 shares of Class A Common Stock on the open market in May, 2002.
- (2) The information set forth in column 5, "Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month" includes information, as of May 17, 2002, only with respect to Mr. Dodge's beneficial ownership of Class A Common Stock. It does not include information about Mr. Dodge's beneficial ownership of shares of Class B Common Stock (which are convertible into Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis) and stock options to purchase Class A and Class B Common Stock because Mr. Dodge had no reportable transactions in these other classes of securities during the period for which this report is filed.
- (3) Mr. Dodge disclaims any beneficial ownership in shares owned by the trusts or his spouse.
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/s/	Steven B.	Dodge	May	17,	2002

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