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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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See Instruction 1(b).

SECURITIES

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

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

(First)

1220 AUGUSTA DR, SUITE 600

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI]

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

06/01/2018

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

President and CEO

10% Owner

_ Other (specify

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Applicable Line)

X Director

_X__ Officer (give title

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Person

Issuer

below)

HOUSTON, TX 77057

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired action(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 8) (A) or		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	06/01/2018		Code V M	Amount 4,772	(D)	Price	167,298	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	06/01/2018		F	1,878 (1)	D	\$ 104.15	165,420	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value							2,000 (2)	I	by Spouse

Common Stock,

\$0.01 Par

Value

9,883 (3)

I by 401(K)

Plan

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Time RSUs	<u>(4)</u>	06/01/2018		M	4,772	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	4,772	\$ (

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Ketationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		

nicetor 10 % Owner Officer

Other

Brown Jay A.

1220 AUGUSTA DR SUITE 600

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President and CEO

HOUSTON, TX 77057

Signatures

/s/ Jay A. Brown 06/04/2018

**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).

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Reporting Owners 2

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Represents shares withheld by the issuer to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of certain Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") previously granted to the Reporting Person. Such withholding is exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e).

- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) Represents shares previously acquired in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).
 - Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") is issued pursuant to the Company's 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan and represents a contingent
- (4) right to receive one share of common stock and vesting (i.e., forfeiture restriction termination) generally is subject to (i) the reporting person remaining an employee or director of the Company or its affiliates and (ii) the other criteria described in the footnote below.
- (5) 33 1/3% of the Time RSUs vest on June 1 of each of 2016, 2017 and 2018.

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