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## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Slowey Patrick			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  1220 AUGUSTA DRIVE, SUITE 500			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/13/2012	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (special below) SVP & Chief Commercial Officer			
HOUSTON, T	(Street)		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) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or 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 Value	06/13/2012		S	8,100	D	\$ 56.99 (2)	102,630	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	06/14/2012		S	19,311	D	\$ 57.316 (3)	83,319	D	
Common Stock,							328 (1)	I	By daughter

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S	ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	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

Slowey Patrick 1220 AUGUSTA DRIVE, SUITE 500 HOUSTON, TX 77057

**SVP & Chief Commercial Officer** 

#### **Signatures**

\*\*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).
- (1) 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.
- (2) Represents the weighted average price of sales transacted June 13, 2012; such sales were conducted through various transactions at sales prices ranging from \$56.95 to \$57.10 per share.

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Represents the weighted average price of sales transacted June 14, 2012; such sales were conducted through various transactions at sales prices ranging from \$56.95 to \$57.68 per share.

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