

Ackerman Robert Carl
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Ackerman Robert Carl

2. Issuer Name and 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 600

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/19/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP-COO-Towers and Small Cell

(Street)
 HOUSTON, TX 77057

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | | | | |
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price | |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | 02/19/2018 | | M | | 7,614 | A | \$ 0 7,713 | D |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | 02/19/2018 | | M | | 901 | A | \$ 0 8,614 | D |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par | 02/19/2018 | | M | | 945 | A | \$ 0 9,559 | D |

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| Value | | | | | | | | |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | 02/19/2018 | M | 925 | A | \$ 0 | 10,484 | D | |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | 02/19/2018 | F | <u>3,168</u> ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 109.12 | 7,316 | D | |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | | | | | | 199 ⁽²⁾ | I | As custodian for child 1 under UTMA |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | | | | | | 199 ⁽²⁾ | I | As custodian for child 2 under UTMA |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | | | | | | 199 ⁽²⁾ | I | As custodian for child 3 under UTMA |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | | | | | | 199 ⁽²⁾ | I | As custodian for child 4 under UTMA |

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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. D S (I) |
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These Time RSUs were previously granted on February 16, 2017. 33 1/3% of the original grant amount of these Time RSUs vest on February 19 of each of 2018, 2019 and 2020.

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