## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MARTIN J LANDIS |   |                         |                  |                               | <u>CF</u>  | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL  CORP [ CCI ] |   |       |                   |                             |                         |  |               |              | 5. Relationship of (Check all applical X Director |  | olicable)<br>ctor  | ng Per  | 10% C   | wner   |  |
|---|---|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------|--|---|-------|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--|---------------|--------------|---|--|--|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) 1220 AU SUITE 50                                   | GUSTA   | First)                  | (Middle)         |                               |            | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2010                                  |   |       |                   |                             |                         |  |               |              |   | Offic<br>belov   | er (give title<br>w)   |   | Other below)  | (specify   |  |
| (Street) HOUSTON TX 77057 (City) (State) (Zip)            |   |                         |                  |                               | _   4. If  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                     |   |       |                   |                             |                         |  |               |              | 6. Indi<br>Line)<br>X                             | dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica<br>Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting<br>Person |  |   |   | on   |  |
|   |   | Ta                      | able I - No      | n-Deriv                       | ative      | Se   | curiti  | es Ac | quired,           | Dis                         | posed o                 | f, oı  | Ben           | efic         | ially   | Owne   | ed   |   |   |  |  |
| Date  |   |                         |                  | 2. Transa<br>Date<br>(Month/D |            | r) E   | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |       |                   |                             | Disposed                | urities Acquired (A) c<br>ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4   |               |              |   |  | ies<br>cially<br>Following   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) |   | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)  |  |
|   |   |                         |                  |                               |            |  |   |       | Code              | v                           | Amount                  |  | (A) or<br>(D) | Pric         | ce  | Transa   | ction(s)<br>3 and 4)   |   |   | (111511.4)   |  |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value                            |   |                         |                  |                               | 03/11/2010 |  |   |       | G                 | V                           | 99,000 <sup>(1)</sup> D |  | D             | 5            | \$ <mark>0</mark>                                 | 211,370  |  |   | D   |  |  |
| Common  | Stock, \$0  | 0.01 Par Value 50,500 I |                  |                               |            |  |   |       | By GRAT<br>2008-1 |                             |                         |  |               |              |   |  |  |   |   |  |  |
| Common  | Stock, \$0  | .01 Par Value           |                  |                               |            |  |   |       |                   |                             |                         |  |               |              |   | 50   | 0,500  | I By GRAT 2008-2  |   |  |  |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value                            |   |                         |                  |                               |            |  |   |       |                   |                             |                         |  |               |              |   | 2,000  |  |   | I   | By<br>Children's<br>Trust  |  |
|   |   |                         | Table II -       |                               |            |  |   |       |                   |                             | sed of,<br>onvertib     |  |               |              |   | wned   |  |   |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)       | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | e (Month/Day/Year       | Execution if any | Execution Date,<br>if any     |            | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8)  |   | n of  |                   | Exercis<br>on Dat<br>Day/Ye |                         | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instrand 4) |               | ount         | Der Sec (Ins                                      | rivative<br>curity   | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(<br>(Instr. 4) | , E   | LO.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|   |   |                         |                  |                               | Code       | v  | (A)   | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisa  |                             | Expiration<br>Date      | Title  | of            | nber<br>ıres |   |  |  |   |   |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents a gift of such shares to a charity pursuant to Rule 16b-5.

/s/ J. Landis Martin

03/15/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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