

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
 Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
 Schutz, Jeffrey H.
 1428 15th Street
 Denver, CO 80202
 USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Crown Castle International Corp.
 TWRS
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
 February 1999
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 (X) Director () 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) () Other
 (specify below)
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
 () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Transaction Date	3. Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month A/D Price	6. Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date	4. Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date A/Exercise Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities Title and Number of Shares	8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	10. Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$20.9375	1/14/99	A	5,000	1/14/99 - 1/14/09	Common Stock	5,000	5,000	I	(1)

Explanation of Responses:
 (1) The Reporting Person is one of five general partners of Centennial Holdings V, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership, which in turn is the sole general partner of Centennial Fund V, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Fund V"). The Reporting Person is also one of the five general partners of Centennial Holdings IV, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership, which is, in turn, the sole general partner of Centennial Fund IV, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Fund IV"). Options are held by the Reporting Person for the economic benefit of Fund V and Fund IV pursuant to conditions of Fund IV and Fund V's limited partnership agreements, as amended. As such, the Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of such options other than to the extent of his indirect proportionate interest in Fund IV and Fund V.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
 Jeffrey H. Schutz
 DATE
 March 8, 1999