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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FERENBACH CARL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP CCI							all applicabl Director	e)	rting Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BERKSHIRE PARTNERS LLC ONE BOSTON PLACE, SUITE 3300						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/15/2003								Officer (gi below)	ve title	Other below	(specify)
(Street) BOSTON MA 02108				_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indiv	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
			Table I - N	lon-D	eriva	tive	Sec	urities /	Acquire	d, D	isposed o	f, or Be	neficially O	wned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed C		s Acquired (A) or of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount o Securities Beneficially Owned Folio Reported	Forr (D) (wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
12 3/4% Senior Exchangeable Preferred Stock 09/16/2					16/20	2003		S		1,596.79	4) D	\$1,088.23	7.7594 ⁽⁴⁾		I	By affiliated investment entities ⁽¹⁾	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	tive Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security Date (Month/Day/Year) Month/Day/Year Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Security Secur		Transa Code (l	nsaction Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indir (I) (Insti	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)				
			Code	v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	5)			
6.25% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock	\$36.875	09/15/2003			S			250,000	09/15/2003	3 ⁽²⁾	09/15/2003 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock	338,983.05	\$36.97	329,000	I	By affiliated investment entities ⁽¹⁾
6.25% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock	\$36.875	09/15/2003			S			329,000	09/15/2003	3(2)	09/15/2003 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock	446,101.69	\$35.875	0	I	By affiliated investment entitites ⁽¹⁾

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The shares are beneficially owned by or through certain affiliated investment entities. The Reporting Person disclaims any beneficial ownership of any shares in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.
- 2. The 6.25% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock is exercisable immediately.
- 3. The 6.25% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock does not have an expiration date.
- 4. Includes shares of 12 3/4% Senior Exchangeable Preferred Stock that were received as fractional shares in connection with dividends paid on the 12 3/4% Senior Exchangeable Preferred Stock.

/s/ Carl Ferenbach

09/17/2003

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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