

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549  
FORM 3  
INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person  
Centennial Fund V,, L.P.  
1428 15th Street  
Denver, CO 80202  
USA

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)  
November 11, 1999

3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

4. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Crown Castle International Corp.  
TWRS

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  
( ) Director (X) 10% Owner ( ) Officer (give title below) ( ) Other  
(specify below)

6. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)  
August 13, 1998

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 Beneficially Owned			
1. Title of Security	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct(D) or Indirect(I)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	3,711,885	D(1)	

Table II -- Derivative Securitites Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Derivative Security	2.Date Exercisable and Expiration Date(Month/Day/Year)		3.Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	4. Conversion or exercise price of derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct(D) or Indirect(I)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
Warrants	10/31/97	10/31/07	Common Stock, par value \$ .01/share	19,400 \$7.50/share	D	

Explanation of Responses:  
(1) Centennial Holdings V, L.P. is the sole general partner of Centennial Fund V, L.P. and, accordingly, Cetnennial Holdings V, L.P. may be deemed to control Centennial Fund V, L.P. and possess indirect beneficial ownership of the securities of the Issuer held by Centennial Fund V, L.P.  
Pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement entered into between the Issuer and each of the stockholders listed in Schedule I thereto (the "Stockholders Agreement"), and pursuant to the Share Exchange Agreement dated as of April 24, 1998 between the Issuer and Castle Transmission Services (Holdings) Ltd ("CTSH"), Telediffusion de France International S.A., Digital Future Investments B.V. and certain shareholders of CTSH (the "Share Exchange Agreement"), Centennial Fund V, L.P. may be deemed to be the beneficial owner (as defined in Rule 16a-1(a)(1) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) of the securities of the Issuer owned by parties to the Stockholdes Agreement, but Centennial Fund V, L.P. disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON  
/s/Jeffrey H. Schutz, General Partner  
DATE  
December 9, 1999