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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Collins Robert Sean</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI] | | | | | | | | | k all ap _l Dire | olicable) | | Issuer Owner r (specify | |
|--|---|--|----------|---------|---|--|--|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|-------------------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 1220 AUGUSTA DRIVE SUITE 600 | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2019 | | | | | | | | | belo | | | v)` | |
| (Street) HOUSTON TX 77057 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| | | Tabl | e I - No | n-Deriv | ative | Sec | curitie | s Ac | quired, | Dis | posed o | f, or l | 3enef | icially | Own | ed | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day | | | | | Execution Date, | | | 3. Transa Code (1 8) | | 4. Securiti Disposed | | l and 5) Secu Bene Owne | | icially d Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | | ice | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value 08/16/2 | | | | | 2019 | 2019 | | | S | | 1,000 | D \$1 | | 143.34 | | 616 | D | | |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 175 ⁽¹⁾ | I | By 401(K) Plan | |
| 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 | Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Instr. e of ivative | | | 5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5 | rities iired r osed) : 3, 4 | 6. Date Expiration (Month/E | on Dai | e Amount of | | nt er | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares previously acquired in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

Remarks:

/s/ Robert Sean Collins 08/16/2019

** 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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