FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kavanagh Michael Joseph</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP [CCI] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) | | | | | | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) 8020 KATY FREEWAY | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2022 | | | | | | | | | | EVP & Chief Commercial Officer | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | 7702 | 4 | 4. If <i>i</i> | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Indiv Line) X | ' | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (St | | Zip) | | <u> </u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Table | · I - I | Non-Deriva | tive \$ | Secui | rities | Acq | uir | ed, D | isposed | of, or | Benefi | cially | Own | ed | | | | | | |
| Date | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye | Execution ear) if any | | | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar | | | nd 5) Securities Beneficially Owned Followir | | ities icially d Following | | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | C | ode | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | saction(s) r. 3 and 4) | | tr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | | | |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value 04/29/202 | | | | | 2 | | | | S | | 3,850 | D | \$190.9 | 931(1) | 7 | 74,820 | | D | | | | |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value 04/29/202 | | | | 2 | | | | S | П | 1,150 | D | \$191. | 327(2) | 7 | 73,670 | | D | | | | | |
| Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1, | ,206(3) | | | By 401(K) | | | |
| | | Та | ble | II - Derivati (e.g., pu | | | | | | | sposed o | | | | Owne | d | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | rsion Crise (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 8) Sect Acquire (A) or Disp of (D (Instr. 8) | | | | Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5) | tive ties ed | Exp (Mo | oiration onth/Da | y/Year) | Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4) Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 nd 4) | | t r | | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | , | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents the weighted average per share price of sales transacted on April 29, 2022; such sales were conducted through various transactions at per share sale prices ranging from \$190.270 to \$191.120, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the aforementioned range.
- 2. Represents the weighted average per share price of sales transacted on April 29, 2022; such sales were conducted through two transactions at per share sale prices of \$191.305 to \$191.305, respectively. The reporting person undertakes to provide the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the aforementioned range.
- 3. Represents shares previously acquired in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c)

Remarks:

05/02/2022 /s/ Michael Joseph Kavanagh

** 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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