## FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Abery, Peter G.	Reporting Per	rson*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	Statement for Month/Day/Year	6. Relationsh	o of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 510 Bering Drive Suite 500	(First)	(Middle)	Crown Castle International Corp.	01/07/2003	_ Director _ X Officer (giv	e title below) _ Other (specify below)			
Houston, TX 77057	(Street)		I.R.S. Identification     Number of Reporting     Person, if an entity     (voluntary)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	P	- Crown Castle UK Limited			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
						by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting Person			

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2.Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(A) or Disposed Of (E	0)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	٧	Amount	A/D	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	01/07/2003		А		200,000(1)	А		200,000	D				

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	4. Transac Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr.5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.4)	10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4)
				Code	v	А	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			(Instr.4)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

(1) The stock is restricted stock issued pursuant to the Company's 2001 Stock Incentive Plan and vests in the largest aggregate number of shares pursuant to either (i) Time Vesting or (ii) Performance Vesting. The restricted stock vests over time at 10%, 15%, 20%, 25% and 30%, respectively, on each November 14 for the years 2003 through 2007 ("Time Vesting"). If and when the Company's common stock closes at or above per share target prices of \$5.54, \$8.30 and \$12.45 for 20 consecutive trading days, 33% of the restricted stock performance vests ("Performance Vesting").

By:

/s/ Peter G. Abery

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

01/07/2003

Date

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

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\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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