

AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 CLARK STEPHEN H /NC/

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/
 [AMT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 116 HUNTINGTON AVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 09/12/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

BOSTON, MA 02116
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005		M ⁽¹⁾	402,187	A \$ 4.18	402,187	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	19,900	D \$ 24.46	382,287	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	36,187	D \$ 24.5	346,100	D
Class A Common	09/12/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	1,600	D \$ 24.51	344,500	D

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Stock							
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	1,500	D	\$ 24.52	343,000	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	800	D	\$ 24.53	342,200	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	13,600	D	\$ 24.54	328,600	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	24,800	D	\$ 24.55	303,800	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	9,700	D	\$ 24.56	294,100	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	23,000	D	\$ 24.57	271,100	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	9,000	D	\$ 24.58	262,100	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	8,300	D	\$ 24.59	253,800	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	41,300	D	\$ 24.6	212,500	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	1,400	D	\$ 24.61	211,100	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	8,000	D	\$ 24.62	203,100	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	1,200	D	\$ 24.63	201,900	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	6,800	D	\$ 24.64	195,100	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	11,800	D	\$ 24.65	183,300	D

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Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	1,000	D	\$ 24.67	182,300	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	3,300	D	\$ 24.68	179,000	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	1,000	D	\$ 24.69	178,000	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	31,300	D	\$ 24.7	146,700	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	11,700	D	\$ 24.71	135,000	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	4,000	D	\$ 24.73	131,000	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	1,000	D	\$ 24.74	130,000	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	1,100	D	\$ 24.76	128,900	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	4,000	D	\$ 24.77	124,900	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	700	D	\$ 24.78	124,200	D
Class A Common Stock	09/12/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	4,200	D	\$ 24.79	120,000	D
Class A Common Stock	09/13/2005	<u>S⁽¹⁾</u>	3,700	D	\$ 24.82	116,300	D

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Option to Purchase Class A Common Stock ⁽²⁾	\$ 4.18	09/12/2005		M ⁽¹⁾	402,187	⁽²⁾ 03/12/2013	Class A Common Stock 402,187

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CLARK STEPHEN H /NC/ 116 HUNTINGTON AVE BOSTON, MA 02116	X			

Signatures

/s/ Nathaniel B. Sisitsky, as attorney-in-fact 09/14/2005

⁽¹⁾Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The option exercise and sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on October 10, 2003, as amended August 4, 2005.
- This option was originally granted on March 12, 2003 to the reporting person by SpectraSite, Inc. ("SpectraSite"). Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated May 3, 2005, by and among American Tower Corporation (the "Company"), Asteroid Merger Sub, LLC, and SpectraSite, all options to purchase SpectraSite common stock were automatically converted into options to purchase 3.575 shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock in the merger. Upon the closing of the merger on August 8, 2005, all unvested portions of this option became exercisable in full.

Remarks:

This is the first of two (1 of 2) Forms 4 being filed by the reporting person on the same date (09/14/05).

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