

CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 07, 2010

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 6, 2010**

**Crown Castle International Corp.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Delaware</b> (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	<b>001-16441</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>76-0470458</b> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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<b>1220 Augusta Drive</b> <b>Suite 500</b> <b>Houston, TX</b> (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	<b>77057</b> (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(713) 570-3000**

(Former name or former address if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS**

On January 6, 2010, the Company issued a press release announcing that certain of its indirect subsidiaries have commenced a private offering of up to \$1.9 billion of Senior Secured Tower Revenue Notes. The January 6 press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(c) Exhibits

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release dated January 6, 2010

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP.**

Date: January 6, 2010

By: /s/ E. Blake Hawk  
Name: E. Blake Hawk  
Title: Executive Vice President  
and General Counsel

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