CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP Form 8-K July 30, 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): July 30, 2010

Crown Castle International Corp.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-16441 76-0470458

(State or other Jurisdiction of (Commission File Number)

Incorporation)

1220 Augusta Drive

Suite 500

Houston, TX(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

77057

(Zip Code)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (713) 570-3000

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

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- o 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 July 30, 2010, the Company issued a press release announcing that the previously announced private offering by certain of its indirect subsidiaries of \$1.55 billion of Senior Secured Tower Revenue Notes had been priced. The July 30 press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated July 30, 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.

By: /s/ E. Blake Hawk

Name: E. Blake Hawk

Title: Executive Vice President and General

Counsel

Date: July 30, 2010

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