AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/

Form 4

August 13, 2014

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

TAICLET JAMES D JR

			AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/ [AMT]				MA/	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	()			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2014				X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman, President and CEO		
	(Street)			endment, Da nth/Day/Year	_	l		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by	oint/Group Filir	ng(Check
BOSTON,						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/11/2014			M	40,000	A	\$ 37.52	76,497	D	
Common Stock	08/11/2014			S(1)	39,300	D	\$ 98.95 (2)	37,197	D	
Common Stock	08/11/2014			S <u>(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 99.52 (3)	36,497	D	
Common Stock								1,630	I	By minor children

Common Stock 100,041 I By GRAT

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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 37.52	08/11/2014		M	40,000	<u>(5)</u>	03/15/2017	Common Stock	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TAICLET JAMES D JR			Chairman,				
116 HUNTINGTON AVENUE	X		President and				
BOSTON, MA 02116			CEO				

Signatures

/s/ Mneesha O. Nahata, as attorney-in-fact 08/13/2014

**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 sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 13, 2014.
- (2) Represents the weighted average price of shares sold in multiple same-day transactions at prices ranging from \$98.50 to \$99.49 per share.
- (3) Represents the weighted average price of shares sold in multiple same-day transactions at prices ranging from \$99.50 to \$99.53 per share.

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- (4) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in shares owned by minor children.
- (5) This option was granted pursuant to the 1997 Stock Option Plan, as amended, and is exercisable in 25% cumulative annual increments beginning March 15, 2008.

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