AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/

Form 4

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FORM 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

response...

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

TAICLET JAMES D JR

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			Symbol AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/ [AMT]				MA/	(Check all applicable)			
(I				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
116 HUNT	INGTON AVE	NUE	08/13/2	007				Chairman, President and CEO			
BOSTON,	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tobl	Person					ed, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	ate 2A. Dee r) Execution		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	ies Acsposed 4 and 3	equired I of (D) 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 Indirect	
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007			Code V M	Amount 22,193	(D)	Price \$ 3.6	30,193	D		
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007			M	17,807	A	\$ 4.7	48,000	D		
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007			S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 40.34	47,900	D		
Class A Common	08/13/2007			S(1)	100	D	\$ 40.35	47,800	D		

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Stock						
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 40.37 47,600	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 40.38 47,500	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S(1)	500	D	\$ 40.39 47,000	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S(1)	600	D	\$ 40.4 46,400	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 40.41 45,900	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 40.42 45,200	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 40.43 45,100	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 40.44 44,700	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 40.45 44,100	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,200	D	\$ 40.46 42,900	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,300	D	\$ 40.47 41,600	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	2,700	D	\$ 40.48 38,900	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	3,400	D	\$ 40.49 35,500	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 40.5 34,900	D

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Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 40.51	34,100	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,200	D	\$ 40.52	32,900	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 40.53	32,800	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S(1)	700	D	\$ 40.54	32,100	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 40.55	31,900	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 40.56	31,400	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 40.57	31,200	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S(1)	300	D	\$ 40.58	30,900	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,400	D	\$ 40.59	29,500	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 40.6	28,800	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S(1)	400	D	\$ 40.61	28,400	D
Class A Common Stock	08/13/2007	S(1)	800	D	\$ 40.62	27,600	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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		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 Class A Common Stock	\$ 3.6	08/13/2007		M	22,193	<u>(2)</u>	12/09/2012	Class A Common Stock	22,193
Option to purchase Class A Common Stock	\$ 4.7	08/13/2007		M	17,807	(3)	10/04/2012	Class A Common Stock	17,807

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ Nathaniel B. Sisitsky, as attorney-in-fact 08/14/2007

**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.
- This option was granted pursuant to the 1997 Stock Option Plan, as amended, and is exercisable in 25% cumulative annual increments beginning December 9, 2003.
- (3) This option was granted pursuant to the 1997 Stock Option Plan, as amended, and is exercisable in 25% cumulative annual increments beginning October 4, 2003.

Remarks:

This Form 4 is the first of four being filed to report sales of an aggregate of 40,000 shares of Class A Common Stock on Augu Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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