

AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/  
Form 8-K  
December 29, 2009

**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): December 29, 2009**

**AMERICAN TOWER CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

**001-14195**  
(Commission

File Number)

**65-0723837**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**116 Huntington Avenue**

**Boston, Massachusetts 02116**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**

**(617) 375-7500**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

**Not Applicable**

**(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- ..  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 December 29, 2009, American Tower Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing the commencement of its offer to exchange any and all of its outstanding \$600,000,000 4.625% Senior Notes due 2015, originally issued on October 20, 2009, for new 4.625% Senior Notes due 2015 that have been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The Company's press release, dated December 29, 2009, is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**(d) Exhibits**

**Exhibit**

| <b>No.</b> | <b>Description</b>                      |
|------------|---|
| 99.1       | Press release, dated December 29, 2009. |

**SIGNATURE**

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.

AMERICAN TOWER CORPORATION

**(Registrant)**

Date: December 29, 2009

By: */s/* EDMUND DiSANTO  
**Edmund DiSanto**  
  
**Executive Vice President,**  
  
**Chief Administrative Officer,**  
  
**General Counsel and Secretary**

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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