

AMERICAN TOWER CORP /MA/  
Form 8-K  
July 20, 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): July 20, 2009**

**AMERICAN TOWER CORPORATION**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-14195**  
**(Commission File Number)**  
  
**116 Huntington Avenue**

**65-0723837**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**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 July 20, 2009, American Tower Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing that it had completed its previously announced redemption of the remaining \$20.8 million principal amount of its 7.50% senior notes due 2012 (the Notes). In accordance with the redemption provisions of the Notes and the Indenture dated as of February 4, 2004 between the Company and The Bank of New York Mellon (formerly known as The Bank of New York), as trustee, the Notes were redeemed at a price equal to 101.875% of the principal amount. In addition, the Company paid accrued and unpaid interest on the Notes up to, but excluding, July 20, 2009.

A copy of the press release announcing the completion of the redemption of the Notes is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press release dated July 20, 2009 (Furnished herewith).

**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: July 20, 2009

By: /s/ THOMAS A. BARTLETT  
Thomas A. Bartlett  
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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