LILLY ELI & CO Form 4

August 11, 2005

FORM 4

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

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obligations may continue. See Instruction STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LILLY ENDOWMENT INC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2005

2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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_X__ 10% Owner Director Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46208-0068

(City)	(State) (Zi	p) Table l	I - Non-Dei	ivative Se	ecuriti	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	(A)	d 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)
61-Common Stock	08/10/2005		S	1,700	D	\$ 53.77	149,161,504	D	
62-Common Stock	08/10/2005		S	1,700	D	\$ 53.74	149,159,804	D	
63-Common Stock	08/10/2005		S	900	D	\$ 53.73	149,158,904	D	
64-Common Stock	08/10/2005		S	1,700	D	\$ 53.72	149,157,204	D	
65-Common Stock	08/10/2005		S	1,400	D	\$ 53.71	149,155,804	D	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration	Titla			
						Exercisable	Date				
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)		*	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

LILLY ENDOWMENT INC
2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46208-0068

X

Signatures

by:/s/David D. Biber, Secretary and Treasurer on behalf of Lilly Endowment, Inc.

08/11/2005

**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).

Remarks:

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