FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Carmino Bryco D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
<u>Carmine Bryce D.</u>										-				1	Dire	ctor	10%	Owner		
(Con) (Cinn) (Middle)					3. D	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							1	X Office below	er (give title w)	Othe belo	er (specify w)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) LILLY CORPORATE CENTER				05/	05/11/2011								EV	EVP and Pres, Lilly Bio-Meds		1 eds				
LILLY CORPORATE CENTER																				
(Street)					- 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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,					-										Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)												Pers	son				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acqui Disposed Of (D) (Instr. B)				Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership							
							Code	v	Amount	t (A) or Pric		се	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 05/11/20					/2011	011		S ⁽¹⁾		5,700		\$3	8.21	(2)	92,007	D				
Common Stock															6,586	I	401(k)			
		Та	ıble II -	Deriva	tive S	ecur	ities	Acau	ired. I	Disp	osed of,	or Be	nefici	allv	Owned					
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Derivative Conversion Date Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if		if any	on Date, IDay/Year)					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		S (B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)		Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)				
	Code V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er										

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ The transaction reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 10, 2011.$
- 2. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$38.18 to \$38.27. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

Remarks:

Bronwen Mantlo for Bryce D. Carmine, authorization on file

05/13/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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