FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person LILLY ENDOWMENT INC | 2. Issuer Name and ELI LILLY & | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) | | | | | | | |
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| (Last) (First) (| 3. Date of Earliest Tr 02/16/2024 | ransacti | on (M | onth/Day/Yea | | | | | | | | | |
| 2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET | 4. If Amendment, Da | te of Or | riginal | Filed (Month | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | | |
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| Table | I - Non-Derivat | ive Securities A | cquir | ed, l | Disposed | of, or | Beneficially | Owned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Disposed Of | | ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (| (our i) | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 1,100 | D | \$764.288 ⁽¹⁾ | 99,067,394 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 2,817 | D | \$765.427 ⁽²⁾ | 99,064,577 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 3,473 | D | \$766.313 ⁽³⁾ | 99,061,104 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 5,934 | D | \$767.141 ⁽⁴⁾ | 99,055,170 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 4,709 | D | \$768.409 ⁽⁵⁾ | 99,050,461 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 1,200 | D | \$769.196 ⁽⁶⁾ | 99,049,261 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 16,800 | D | \$770.054 ⁽⁷⁾ | 99,032,461 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 1,800 | D | \$771.259 ⁽⁸⁾ | 99,030,661 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 1,500 | D | \$772.475 ⁽⁹⁾ | 99,029,161 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 2,000 | D | \$773.593 ⁽¹⁰⁾ | 99,027,161 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 3,945 | D | \$774 .554 ⁽¹¹⁾ | 99,023,216 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 3,205 | D | \$775.405 ⁽¹²⁾ | 99,020,011 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 2,035 | D | \$776 .553 ⁽¹³⁾ | 99,017,976 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 1,700 | D | \$777.4 59 ⁽¹⁴⁾ | 99,016,276 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 900 | D | \$778.76 ⁽¹⁵⁾ | 99,015,376 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 1,178 | D | \$780.148(16) | 99,014,198 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 2,122 | D | \$ 781.177 ⁽¹⁷⁾ | 99,012,076 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 15,436 | D | \$782.136 ⁽¹⁸⁾ | 98,996,640 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 9,150 | D | \$783.398(19) | 98,987,490 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 12,275 | D | \$784.283 ⁽²⁰⁾ | 98,975,215 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 25,134 | D | \$ 785.246 ⁽²¹⁾ | 98,950,081 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 8,710 | D | \$786.265(22) | 98,941,371 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 12,775 | D | \$787.425 ⁽²³⁾ | 98,928,596 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 13,487 | D | \$788.286(24) | 98,915,109 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 10,110 | D | \$789.291(25) | 98,904,999 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 3,603 | D | \$790.231(26) | 98,901,396 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 1,386 | D | \$791.192 ⁽²⁷⁾ | 98,900,010 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 600 | D | \$792.053(28) | 98,899,410 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2024 | | S | | 600 | D | \$793.078(29) | 98,898,810 | D | | | | |

| | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|---|---|---|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$763.68 to \$764.65, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Eli Lilly & Company, any security holder of Eli Lilly & Company, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), (11), (12), (13), (14), (15), (16), (17), (18), (19), (20), (21), (22), (23), (24), (25), (26), (27), (28), and (29) to this Form 4.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$764.74 to \$765.73, inclusive.
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$765.77 to \$766.74, inclusive.
- 4. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$766.81 to \$767.47, inclusive.
- 5. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$767.9878 to \$768.96, inclusive.
- 6. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$768.99 to \$769.72, inclusive.
- 7. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$770.00 to \$770.85, inclusive. 8. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$771.00 to \$771.73, inclusive.
- 9. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$772.00 to \$777.75, inclusive.
- 10. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$772.00 to \$772.93, inclusive.
- 11. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$774.045 to \$774.99, inclusive.
- 12. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$775.055 to \$776.05, inclusive.
- 13. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$776.07 to \$777.06, inclusive.
- 13. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple danisactions at prices ranging from \$777.00, inclusive
- 14. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$777.28 to \$778.00, inclusive.

 15. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$778.50 to \$779.15, inclusive.
- 13. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in indulpie transactions at prices ranging from \$778.30 to \$777.13, inclusive
- 16. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$779.645 to \$780.64, inclusive.
- 17. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$780.69 to \$781.67, inclusive.
- 18. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$781.71 to \$782.66, inclusive.
- 19. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$782.80 to \$783.7881, inclusive.
- 20. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$783.80 to \$784.77, inclusive.
- 21. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$784.81 to \$785.8003, inclusive.

 22. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$785.82 to \$786.815, inclusive.
- 23. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$785.82 to \$780.815, inclusive.
- 24. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$787.85 to \$788.8494, inclusive.
- 25. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$788.85 to \$789.84, inclusive.
- 26. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$789.85 to \$790.8252, inclusive.
- 27. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$790.88 to \$791.70, inclusive.
 28. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$791.90 to \$792.59, inclusive.
- 29. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$792.99 to \$793.245, inclusive.

/s/ Diane M. Stenson, Vice President & Treasurer, on behalf of Lilly Endowment

02/20/2024

Date

Inc.

** Signature of Reporting Person

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