FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>TAUREL SIDNEY</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]									heck all a	hip of Reportir pplicable) ector	ng Person(s) to	Issuer Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) LILLY CORPORATE CENTER					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008											icer (give title low) Cha	Othe belov irman	r (specify v)	
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46285 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2009									ne) X Fo	ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,					ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(<i>A</i>	A) or D)	Price	Trai	isaction(s) tr. 3 and 4)		(IIISII. 4)		
Common Stock 12/31/2					/2008	.008		F		41,501 ⁰	[1)	D \$39.67		67	341,806	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. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. This amendment is being filed to correct the number of securities reported as disposed on the original Form 4 filed on 1/5/09; 2,521 shares were inadvertently omitted from the total.

Remarks:

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01/09/2009

** 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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