FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FISHER GEORGE M C				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]									ck all app	olicable)	g Person(s) to I	ssuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) LILLY CORPORATE CENTER				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2006									Offic below	er (give title w)	Other below	(specify)			
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46285 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Ind Line)	Forn Forn	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - Non	-Deriva	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, or E	3ene	ficially	/ Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da				Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)				Secur Benef Owne	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership						
									Code	v	Amount (/) or)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 10/31/.					/2006	2006		A		101		A	\$57.54	21,371		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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber					

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Bronwen Mantlo for George

M.C. Fisher, authorization on 10/31/2006

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** 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).
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