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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Mahony Susan	n*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LILLY ELI & CO</u> [LLY]	(Check	tionship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director Officer (give title	on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) LILLY CORPORATE CENTER	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2016		below) SVP & Pres., Lilly	below)	
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN (City) (State)	46285 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person	orting Person	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	02/01/2016		М		9,843	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	91,524	D				
Common Stock	02/01/2016		F		4,629	D	\$79.1	86,895	D				
Common Stock								1,637	I	401(k)			
Common Stock								1,627	I ⁽¹⁾	401(k) - by husband			
Common Stock								9,533	I(1)	by husband			

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. Transa Code (iction	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Expiration Date Amount of (Month/Day/Year) Securities		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				
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	02/01/2016		М			9,843	02/01/2016	02/01/2016	Common Stock	9,843	\$ 0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

2. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Eli Lilly and Company common stock.

Remarks:

Tiffany R. Benjamin for Susan Mahony, authorization on file

02/02/2016

** 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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