FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			
	ss of Reporting Perso		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [ LLY ]	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)  2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET  (Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46208-0068  (City) (State) (Zip)		,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/25/2005	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN	46208-0068					Line)	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State)	(Zip)											
,	Date (Month/Day/Y				Disposed Of	(D) (Instr	3, 4 and	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111511.4)		
31-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		800	D	\$51.38	144,434,204	D			
32-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,000	D	\$51.37	144,433,204	D			
33-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		300	D	\$51.36	144,432,904	D			
34-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,400	D	\$51.35	144,430,504	D			
35-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		800	D	\$51.34	144,429,704	D			
36-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		700	D	\$51.33	144,429,004	D			
37-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,800	D	\$51.32	144,427,204	D			
38-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,300	D	\$51.31	144,424,904	D			
39-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		3,200	D	\$51.3	144,421,704	D			
40-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,100	D	\$51.29	144,419,604	D			
41-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,100	D	\$51.28	144,418,504	D			
42-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,200	D	\$51.27	144,417,304	D			
43-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,500	D	\$51.26	144,415,804	D			
44-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,800	D	\$51.25	144,413,004	D			
45-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,700	D	\$51.24	144,410,304	D			
46-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		900	D	\$51.23	144,409,404	D			
47-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,600	D	\$51.22	144,407,804	D			
48-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		400	D	\$51.21	144,407,404	D			
49-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,500	D	\$51.2	144,404,904	D			
50-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		100	D	\$51.19	144,404,804	D			
51-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		3,400	D	\$51.18	144,401,404	D			
52-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		700	D	\$51.17	144,400,704	D			
53-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,500	D	\$51.16	144,399,204	D			
54-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		700	D	\$51.15	144,398,504	D			
55-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,400	D	\$51.14	144,397,104	D			
56-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,500	D	\$51.13	144,394,604	D			
57-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		2,500	D	\$51.12	144,392,104	D			
58-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,100	D	\$51.11	144,391,004	D			
59-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,900	D	\$51.1	144,389,104	D			
60-Common Stock	05/25/200	06	S		1,500	D	\$51.09	144,387,604	D			

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
Derivative Conversion Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	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:** 

## Remarks:

This is the second of three Forms 4 filed by the Reporting Person on same date, May 26, 2006, representing transactions #31 through #60 of 75 total transactions.

by:/s/N. Clay Robbins,
President on behalf of Lilly
Endowment, Inc.

05/26/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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