FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Connelly Deirdre P					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]									Check all a Dir		10%)wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) LILLY CORPORATE CENTER						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/17/2007										ow) (wo	give title Other (s below) resident, Lilly USA		
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46285 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person													
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deri\	ative/	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally Own	ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd Secu Bend Own	nount of irities eficially ed Following orted	For (D)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Common Stock				01/17	7/2007				A		20,025	5	A	\$52	.86	37,762		D	
Common Stock																1,816		I	401(k)
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transa Code (6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amo Secu Unde Deriv	Am	str. 3 ount	8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		у	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

<u>James B. Lootens for Deirdre</u> <u>Connelly, authorization on file</u>

01/19/2007

** 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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