FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CH	IANGES	IN RFN	JEFICIAL	OWNER	SHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fyrwald J Erik					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]								(Che	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) LILLY CORPORATE CENTER					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/20/2018									Offic belov	Other (specify below)				
(Street) INDIAN	APOLIS IN		16285 Zip)		4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Inc	Forn	al or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or I	Bene	ficiall	y Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)) Securi Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
								Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		or P	rice	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(11150.4)	
Common Stock 08/20/					2018		A		51 A \$		3105.8	59,401		D					
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Conversion Date Execut Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Instr.		of Expir		Expiration	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Cou		Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	or Numl of Share								

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Bronwen L. Mantlo for J. Erik Fyrwald, authorization on file

08/21/2018

** 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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