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| Name and Address of Reporting Person' Baicker Katherine | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY] | | | | | | | | | hip of Reporting Pe pplicable) Director | erson(s) to Iss | suer 10% Owi | ner |
| (Last) LILLY CORPORATE | (First) CENTER | (M | iddle) | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2018 | | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title | below) | Other (sp | ecify below) |
| (Street) INDIANAPOLIS (City) | 4. If Amer | 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 | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | | | 2. Transact Date | Execu | Execution Date, | | 3. Transaction 4. Securi Code (Instr. 8) 3, 4 and | | rities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D d 5) | | | Beneficially Owned Fol | | ollowing Dir | Ownership Form: ect (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficia |
| | | | | (Month/Day | | | | Code V | | Amount (A) or (D) Price | | Price | Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (s) (Ins | str. 4) | Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 11/19/2 | 018 | | A | | 1 | ,511 | A | \$115.8 | 1 | 16,797 | | D | |
| | | | | Table | | | rities Acq , warrants | | | | | ially Own | ed | | | | | |
| Title of Derivative Securi 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | action Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Expirati | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following | f 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | Security | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | | | Expiration Date | | | | or of Shares | | Reported Transaction(| n(s) | |

Remarks:

Crystal T. Williams for Katherine Baicker,

11/20/2018

authorization on file
** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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Authorization Regarding Reporting Forms

I hereby authorize and designate the following persons to sign and file with the Commission on my behalf Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including any amendments thereto) covering Michael J. Harrington, Lilly Corporate Center, Indianapolis, Indiana

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Crystal T. Williams, Lilly Corporate Center, Indianapolis, Indiana

This authorization and designation shall remain in effect until a written revocation is signed by me and provided to the Commission.

Date: May 7, 2018

/s/ Katherine Baicker