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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup><br>Carmine Bryce D. |  | erson*        | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>LILLY ELI &amp; CO</u> [ LLY ] | (Check                 | tionship of Reporting Persi<br>all applicable)<br>Director<br>Officer (give title          | on(s) to Issuer<br>10% Owner<br>Other (specify |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|---------------|---|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)<br>LILLY CORP   | (First)<br>ORATE CENTE   | (Middle)<br>R | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>10/15/2010                          | X                      | below)<br>EVP and Pres, Lilly  | below)   |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>INDIANAPOLIS IN 46285<br>(City) (State) (Zip)                |  |               | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                | 6. Indiv<br>Line)<br>X | idual or Joint/Group Filing<br>Form filed by One Repo<br>Form filed by More than<br>Person | rting Person                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |               |   |                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code ( |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and<br>5) |                    |         | Securities                 | Form: Direct   | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------|---|---|--------------------|---------|----------------------------|----------------|--|
|                                 | (montalizay) (cal)                         |   | 8)                     | v | Amount  | (A) or             | Price   |                            | (I) (Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                |
| Common Stock                    | 10/15/2010                                 |   | S <sup>(1)</sup>       |   | 3,100   | (A) or<br>(D)<br>D | \$37.65 | (Instr. 3 and 4)<br>66,440 | D              |  |
| Common Stock                    |  |   |                        |   |   |                    |         | 5,997                      | I              | 401(k)                                 |

## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Acqu<br>(A) or<br>Dispo<br>of (D) | f Expiration Date<br>erviative<br>ecurities<br>cquired<br>A) or<br>isposed<br>f (D)<br>nstr. 3, 4 |                     | 7. Title<br>Amour<br>Securi<br>Underl<br>Deriva<br>Securi<br>and 4) | nt of<br>ties<br>ying<br>tive<br>ty (Instr. 3 | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|---|---|---------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)   | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |  |  |  |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

1. The transaction reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 1, 2010.

**Remarks:** 

Bronwen Mantlo for Bryce D. Carmine, authorization on file Date

10/19/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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