FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * $\underline{MARRAM\;ELLEN\;R}$							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) Check all applicable) X Director 10			S Issuer	
(Last) (First) (Middle) LILLY CORPORATE CENTER						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2012									Offic below	er (give title w)	Oth bel	er (specify ow)	
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46285 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line) K Forn Forn	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or I	3ene	ficial	y Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution D			Code (Inst					Secur Benef Owne	ities F icially (I d Following (I	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
						Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)) or)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)				
Common	Stock	/2012	2012		A		3,083		A	\$47.0	3 3	35,167	D						
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Inst				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		Amount Securiti Underly Derivati Security and 4)		nt of ities lying itive ity (Ins	tr. 3	B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(: (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Num of Shar	ber					

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

<u>Jamie Haney for Ellen R.</u> <u>Marram, authorization on file</u>

12/03/2012

** 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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Ellen R. Marram Lilly Corporate Center Indianapolis, Indiana 46285

Securities and Exchange Commission Washington, D.C. 20549

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 covering my transactions and holdings in the common stock and other equity securities of Eli Lilly and Company as required by Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder:

Michael J. Harrington, Lilly Corporate Center, Indianapolis, Indiana

 $\,$ James B. Lootens, Lilly Corporate Center, Indianapolis, Indiana $\,$

Jamie E. Haney, 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.

October 15, 2012

/s/ Ellen R. Marram