Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT	<b>OF CHANGES</b>	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LILLY ENDOWMENT INC</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ELI LILLY & Co [ LLY ]											tionship all app Direc	,	ng Pe X	( )	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2021										belov			below)	
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46208-0068 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	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						
		Table	1 - 1	Non-Deriva	tive	Secui	rities	Ac	quir	ed, D	isposed	of, c	or B	Benefic	ially	Own	ed			
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear) i	2A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y		n Date, Tr		action (Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		(A) or . 3, 4 and !	nd 5) Securi Benef		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code V		Amount	(A) (D)	A) or D) Price			Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(		(	
Common Stock				03/08/202	1				S		64,410	D	)	\$209.2	9 <sup>(1)</sup>	110,	110,422,933		D	
Common Stock			03/08/202	:1				S		60,874	D	)	\$210.11	0.118(2)		110,362,059		D		
		Tal	ble	II - Derivati (e.g., pu							posed o					Owne	d			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Instr. (Month/Day/Year) 8)			5. Num of Deriv Secun Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5	ative rities ired osed	Exp	Date Exe piration pnth/Day			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Der Sec	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	/ O F- D oi (!)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisabl	Expiration		itle	Amount or Number of Shares							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

## Remarks:

/s/Diane M. Stenson, Vice President & Treasurer, on behalf of Lilly Endowment

03/09/2021

Inc.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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<sup>2.</sup> The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$209.8037 to \$210.7578, inclusive.