LILLY ELI & CO Form 4 July 28, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LILLY ENDOWMENT INC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director Officer (give title

_X__ 10% Owner Other (specify

2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET

(Middle)

07/27/2005

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46208-0068

(Street)

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(City)	(State) (Zi	p) Table I	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Ov							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
31-Common Stock	07/27/2005		S	100	D	\$ 54.75	150,211,604	D		
32-Common Stock	07/27/2005		S	1,100	D	\$ 54.74	150,210,504	D		
33-Common Stock	07/27/2005		S	1,700	D	\$ 54.73	150,208,804	D		
34-Common Stock	07/27/2005		S	800	D	\$ 54.72	150,208,004	D		
35-Common Stock	07/27/2005		S	500	D	\$ 54.71	150,207,504	D		
	07/27/2005		S	700	D	\$ 54.7	150,206,804	D		

36-Common Stock							
37-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	1,900	D	\$ 54.69	150,204,904	D
38-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	2,800	D	\$ 54.68	150,202,104	D
39-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	100	D	\$ 54.66	150,202,004	D
40-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	2,700	D	\$ 54.65	150,199,304	D
41-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	700	D	\$ 54.64	150,198,604	D
42-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	400	D	\$ 54.63	150,198,204	D
43-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	2,200	D	\$ 54.62	150,196,004	D
44-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	5,300	D	\$ 54.61	150,190,704	D
45-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	7,900	D	\$ 54.6	150,182,804	D
46-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	4,900	D	\$ 54.59	150,177,904	D
47-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 54.58	150,175,304	D
48-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	1,700	D	\$ 54.57	150,173,604	D
49-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	3,000	D	\$ 54.56	150,170,604	D
50-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	4,600	D	\$ 54.55	150,166,004	D
51-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	2,400	D	\$ 54.54	150,163,604	D
52-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	5,000	D	\$ 54.53	150,158,604	D
53-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	4,500	D	\$ 54.52	150,154,104	D
54-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	2,900	D	\$ 54.51	150,151,204	D
55-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	400	D	\$ 54.5	150,150,804	D
	07/27/2005	S	200	D		150,150,604	D

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56-Common Stock					\$ 54.48		
57-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	400	D	\$ 54.47	150,150,204	D
58-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	1,500	D	\$ 54.46	150,148,704	D
59-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	1,200		¢.		
60-Common Stock	07/27/2005	S	800	D	\$ 54.44	150,146,704	D

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

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LILLY ENDOWMENT INC 2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46208-0068		X						

Signatures

by:/s/David D. Biber, Secretary and Treasurer on behalf of Lilly Endowment, Inc. 07/28/2005

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

Remarks:

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