LILLY ELI & CO

Form 4

February 03, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rice Derica W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicate)
LILLY CORPORATE CENTER			(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2017	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP-Global Services and CFO
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
DIDLLANAD	or to the	C207	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative :	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/01/2017		M	19,463	A	\$ 0	58,443	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2017		F	8,989	D	\$ 77.03	49,454	D	
Common Stock	02/02/2017		S <u>(1)</u>	7,270	D	\$ 76.97	42,184	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2017		S(1)	3,892	D	\$ 77.47	38,292	D	
Common Stock							7,394	I	401(k)

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Common Stock	365,659	I (2)	by wife
Common Stock	1,905	I (2)	401(k) - by wife

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

		(e.g., pu	its, calls, warrants, o	options, co	nvertit	ole securit	ties)			
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)	Code Securities (Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Securities (Month/D Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(3)</u>	02/01/2017		M		19,463	02/01/2017	02/01/2017	Common Stock	19,463

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Rice Derica W LILLY CORPORATE CENTER INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

EVP-Global Services and CFO

Signatures

Tiffany R. Benjamin for Derica W. Rice, authorization on file

02/03/2017

**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).
- (1) The transaction reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on February 8, 2016.

(2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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(3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Eli Lilly and Company common stock.

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