LILLY ELI & CO Form 4 May 04, 2006

FORM 4

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

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(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			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	LILLY ELI & CO [LLY] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
2801 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET		N STREET	(Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2006	DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State) (Zi	p) Table I	- Non-Dei	rivative Se	curiti	es Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if		4. Securi or(A) or Di	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially Owned Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	(I) (Instr. 4)	(IIIStr. 1)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
31-Common Stock	05/03/2006		S	1,600	D	\$ 51.88	145,720,804	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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerci	isable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration Da	te	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Y	(ear)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired					Follo
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					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date	Expiration	Title Amount		
							Date	or		
								Number		
								of		
								Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	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.

05/04/2006

**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:

This is the second of two Forms 4 filed by the Reporting Person on same date, May 4, 2006, representing transaction #31 of 3

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