COOK J MICHAEL Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COOK J MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

LILLY CORPORATE CENTER

(Street)

(State)

08/31/2005

(Month/Day/Year)

below) 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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8) (A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

08/31/2005

Code Amount (D) Price 100 A 53.27

2,668

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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I S	. Title of Derivative Security Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	of	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr	
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
COOK J MICHAEL							
LILLY CORPORATE CENTER	X						
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285							

Signatures

Bronwen Mantlo for J. Michael Cook, authorization on file 09/02/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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