

PAUL STEVEN M
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FORM 4

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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 *
PAUL STEVEN M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

LILLY CORPORATE CENTER

(Street)

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/13/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Science and Technology

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/26/2005		G		86	D	\$ 0
Common Stock	07/28/2005		G		87	D	\$ 0
Common Stock	10/13/2005		M ⁽¹⁾		4,272	A	\$ 23.4075
Common Stock	10/14/2005		M ⁽¹⁾		19,728	A	\$ 23.4075
Common Stock	10/14/2005		F ⁽¹⁾		12,165	D	\$ 52.54

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Common Stock	10/14/2005	G	48,257	A	\$ 0	76,919	D	
Common Stock	10/14/2005	G	48,257	D	\$ 0	2,049	I ⁽²⁾	by wife
Common Stock						2,548	I	401(k)
Common Stock						579	I ⁽²⁾	by daughter
Common Stock						589	I ⁽²⁾	by wife as custodian for son

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Employee stock option 10/95 (right to buy)	\$ 23.4075	10/13/2005		M	4,272	10/16/1998	10/15/2005	Common Stock	4,272
Employee stock option 10/95 (right to buy)	\$ 23.4075	10/14/2005		M	19,728	10/16/1998	10/15/2005	Common Stock	19,728

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PAUL STEVEN M LILLY CORPORATE CENTER INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285			EVP, Science and Technology	

Signatures

James B. Lootens for Steven M. Paul, authorization
on file 10/17/2005

__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 transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 15, 2005.
 - (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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