TAUREL SIDNEY

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TAUREL SIDNEY			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 application)			
LILLY CORP	ORATE CI	ENTER	(Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2005	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman, President and CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ble I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	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)
Common Stock	01/14/2005	01/14/2005	A 28,000 A \$ 56.79	562,361	D	
Common Stock				14,908	I	401(k) Plan
Common Stock				1,290	I	by child, A. Taurel
Common Stock				1,290	I	by child, O. Taurel
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Common Stock	95,623	I (1)	Family Limited Partnership (1)			
Common Stock	20,500	I (2)	Family Limited Partnership (2)			
Common Stock	31,261	I (3)	GRAT 2002-4			
Common Stock	14,976	I (3)	S. Taurel Family Invest. GRAT			
Common Stock	148,465	I	S. Taurel Waterfield GRAT			
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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivativ	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	S		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
							Date			
									of	
				Code '	V (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
	X		Chairman, President and CEO				

Reporting Owners 2 TAUREL SIDNEY LILLY CORPORATE CENTER INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

Signatures

Bronwen Mantlo for Sidney Taurel, authorization on file

01/18/2005

**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).
- Held by Family Limited Partnership 1 in which reporting person is sole general partner. Reporting person's wife and children own limited (1) partnership interests, and reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in the shares held by the partnership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Held by Family Limited Partnership 2 in which an LLC controlled by the reporting person is the sole general partner and the reporting person is the sole limited partner. Reporting person's wife and children own limited partnership interests in Family Limited Partnership 1, and reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in the shares held by the partnership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Grantor retained annuity trust established by reporting person. Reporting person is trustee.

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