TAUREL SIDNEY

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(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	,			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
LILLY CORPORATE CENTER			02/01/2008	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
				Chairman and CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ble 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/01/2008		F	37,949	D	\$ 51.52	697,494	D			
Common Stock							16,982	I	401(k)		
Common Stock							19,950	I	by child, O. Taurel		
Common Stock							100,000	I (1)	by wife, K. Taurel		
Common Stock							95,623	I (2)	Family Limited Partnership		

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Common Stock	6,801	I (3)	ST Family Investment GRAT II U/A DTD 11/22/05
Common Stock	73,192	I (3)	S. Taurel Waterfield 2005 GRAT
Common Stock	80,000	I (3)	S. Taurel 2007-2 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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transact	5. iorNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Tit		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable Date	11110	of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TAUREL SIDNEY							
LILLY CORPORATE CENTER	X		Chairman and CEO				
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285							

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Bronwen Mantlo for Sidney Taurel, authorization 02/05/2008 on file

**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) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
 - Held by Family Limited Partnership 1 in which reporting person is sole general partner. Reporting person, his wife, children, and a trust
- (2) for the benefit of his grandchildren have limited interests, 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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