LECHLEITER JOHN C

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LECHLEITER JOHN C			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 an applicable)		
LILLY CORP	ORATE CE	NTER	(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2012	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman, President, and CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
INDIANAPOI	LIS, IN 4628	35	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed o	f, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities oner Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (D))	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	02/01/2012		M	219,812	A	\$0	457,676	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2012		F	91,157	D	\$ 39.74	366,519	D	
Common Stock							22,589	I	by family limited partnership (1)
Common Stock							54,242	I	by wife (2)

17,989

401(k)

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Common Stock

Common Stock $18,195 \qquad I \qquad \begin{array}{c} \text{John C.} \\ \text{Lechleiter} \\ 2010.3-2 \\ \text{GRAT} \end{array}$

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)	ctionDerivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	02/01/2012		M		219,812	02/01/2012	02/01/2012	Common Stock	219,8

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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LILLY CORPORATE CENTER X Chairman, President, and CEO INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

Signatures

Bronwen Mantlo, for John C. Lechleiter, authorization on file 02/02/2012

**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) Family limited partnership of which reporting person and his wife are the general partners. Reporting person disclaim beneficial ownership of shares held by family limited partnership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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(3) Grantor retained annuity trust established by reporting person. Reporting person is trustee.

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