LILLY ELI & CO Form 4

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FORM 4

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See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Zulueta Alfonso G			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)	Director 10% Owner			
LILLY CORPORATE CENTER (Street)			11/20/2015	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP& Pres., Emerging Markets			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitin(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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	11/20/2015		M	12,048	A	\$ 56.18	64,740	D	
Common Stock	11/20/2015		F	9,674	D	\$ 83.72	55,066	D	
Common Stock							4,146	I	401(k)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	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	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee stock option 2/06 (right to buy)	\$ 56.18	11/20/2015		M		12,048	02/10/2009	02/09/2016	Common Stock	12,048

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Zulueta Alfonso G LILLY CORPORATE CENTER INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

SVP& Pres., Emerging Markets

Signatures

Tiffany R. Benjamin for Alfonso G. Zulueta, authorization on file

11/23/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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