

Tapiero Jacques
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Tapiero Jacques		(Month/Day/Year)	LILLY ELI & CO [LLY]	
(Last)	(First)	01/01/2010		
LILLY CORPORATE CENTER			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
INDIANAPOLIS,Â INÂ 46285			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			SVP&Pres.-Emerging Markets	
			BU	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	6,212	D	Â
Common Stock	10,590	I ⁽¹⁾	by wife
Common Stock	1,591	I	401(k)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Employee stock option 10/01 (right to buy)	10/03/2003	10/04/2011	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 79.28	D	Â
Employee stock option 2/01 (right to buy)	02/20/2004	02/18/2011	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 73.98	D	Â
Employee stock option 2/02 (right to buy)	02/18/2005	02/17/2012	Common Stock	14,000	\$ 75.92	D	Â
Employee stock option 2/03 (right to buy)	02/16/2006	02/15/2013	Common Stock	11,000	\$ 57.85	D	Â
Employee stock option 2/04 (right to buy)	02/15/2007	02/16/2015	Common Stock	14,000	\$ 73.11	D	Â
Employee stock option 2/05 (right to buy)	02/11/2008	02/10/2015	Common Stock	21,302	\$ 55.65	D	Â
Employee stock option 2/06 (right to buy)	02/10/2009	02/09/2016	Common Stock	19,578	\$ 56.18	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	10/01/2012	10/01/2012	Common Stock	12,500	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	10/01/2011	10/01/2011	Common Stock	12,500	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Tapiero Jacques LILLY CORPORATE CENTER INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285	Â	Â	Â SVP&Pres.-Emerging Markets BU	Â

Signatures

Jacques Tapiero 01/11/2010

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Eli Lilly and Company common stock.

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