FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Fyrwald J Erik</u>   |  |         |               | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ELI LILLY & Co [ LLY ] |         |   |  |     |                 |  |                    |   | ationship<br>k all app<br>Direc           | ,   |                                    |   |                                       |                    |            |  |
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| (Last)   | (Fir   | st) (M  | Middle)       |  |         | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/18/2023 |  |     |                 |  |                    |   |   |   | Office                             | er (give title<br>/)  |                                       | Other (s<br>below) | specify    |  |
| LILLY CORPORATE CENTER   |  |         |               |  | 4. If A | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)    |  |     |                 |  |                    |   |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |                                    |   |                                       |                    |            |  |
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|  |  | Table   | I - No        | n-Deriva   | tive S  | Secui   | rities   | Acc | uired           | , Dis  | posed of           | , or B  | Benefi                                    | cially  | Own                                | ed  |                                       |                    |            |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day  |  |         | Execution Dat |  | ate,    | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8)                     |  |     |                 |  |                    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported |   | Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)           |                                    | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                 |                                       |                    |            |  |
|  |  |         |               |  |         |   |  |     | Code            | v  | Amount             | (A) o<br>(D)  | r Pric                                    | е   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   |                                       |                    | (Instr. 4) |  |
| Common   | Stock  |         |               | 12/18/2  | 023     |   |  |     | A               |  | 17(1)              | A   | \$57                                      | 579.76  |                                    | 71,886  |                                       | D                  |            |  |
|  | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |         |               |  |         |   |  |     |                 |  |                    |   |   |   |                                    |   |                                       |                    |            |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any  |         |               | Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivati                               |         | vative<br>crities<br>cired<br>r<br>osed<br>)<br>r. 3, 4     | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |     |                 | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Insti<br>3 and 4) |                    | Der<br>Sed<br>(Ins  | Price of<br>rivative<br>curity<br>str. 5) | vative derivative<br>urity Securities                       |                                    | 0.<br>Ownership<br>orm:<br>Direct (D)<br>r Indirect<br>) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |                    |            |  |
|  |  |         |               |  | Code    | v   | (A)  | (D) | Date<br>Exercis | sable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares    | r   |                                    |   |                                       |                    |            |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. At the election of the reporting person, the shares acquired pursuant to this filing have been deferred in lieu of cash compensation as stock units under the Lilly Directors' Deferral Plan and will be settled in shares of common stock following the reporting person's separation from service.

## Remarks:

/s/ Christopher Anderson for J. Erik Fyrwald, pursuant to 12/19/2023 authorization on file

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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