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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 32)*

Eli Lilly and Company

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, Without Par Value

(Title of Class of Securities)

532457-10-8

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2016

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- o Rule 13d-1(c)
- x Rule 13d-1(d)

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

^{*} The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

CUSIP 532457-10-8 No. NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) LILLY ENDOWMENT INC CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 2 (a) o (b) o SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 Indiana **SOLE VOTING POWER** 5 125,575,804 NUMBER OF SHARED VOTING POWER **SHARES** BENEFICIALLY 6 OWNED BY 0 **EACH** REPORTING SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER PERSON WITH: 7 125,575,804 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8 0 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 9

125,575,804

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11

11.4%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

12

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FOOTNOTES

The percent of class represented is based on 1,103,948,230 shares of common stock outstanding as of October 17, 2016, as reported on the Issuer's Form 10 Q for the period ended September 30, 2016.

Item 1.				
	(a)			Name of Issuer Eli Lilly and Company
		(b)	Lilly	Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices y Corporate Center, Indianapolis, Indiana 46285.
Item 2.				
	the State of	of Indiana. L	by Lilly Endovilly Endovilly Endowmer	Name of Person Filing wment, Inc., a not for profit corporation organized under the laws of nt, Inc. is an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal ate foundation under Section 509(a) of the Code.
	(bdress of the 46208.	<i>'</i>		of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence f Lilly Endowment, Inc. is 2801 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis,
			(c)	Citizenship Indiana
		(d)		Title of Class of Securities Common Stock, Without Par Value
		(e)		CUSIP Number 532457-10-8
Item 3. If a:		ent is filed p	ursuant to §§24	40.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is
	(a)	0	Broker or dea	aler registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).
	(b)	0	Bank	as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
	(c)	o Ins	urance compar	ny as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
(d) o In	nvestment c	ompany regi	stered under se	ection 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C 80a-8).
	(e)	0	An inves	stment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
(f)	o	An employe	e benefit plan	or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
(g)	O	A parent hol	lding company	or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
(h) o	A savings a	ssociations a	s defined in Se	ection 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
(i)o				

A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);

- (j) o A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).
- (k) o A group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:

Item 4.	Ownership.				
	following information fied in Item 1.	tion regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the			
	(a)	Amount beneficially owned: 125,575,804			
		(b) Percent of class: 11.4%			
	(c)	Number of shares as to which the person has:			
	(i)	Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 125,575,804			
	(ii)	Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0			
	(iii)	Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 125,575,804			
	(iv)	Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 0			
Item 5.		Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class			
	-	to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the five percent of the class of securities, check the following o.			
Not Applica	ıble.				
Item 6.	Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.				
Not Applica	ıble.				
Item 7.	Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company				
Not Applica	ıble.				
Item 8.		Identification and Classification of Members of the Group			
Not Applica	ıble.				
Item 9.		Notice of Dissolution of Group			
Not Applica	ıble.				

Item Certification 10.

Not applicable.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Lilly Endowment, Inc.

Date: January 12, 2017 By: /s/ Diane M. Stenson

Name: Diane M. Stenson

Title: Vice President & Treasurer

Footnotes: Item 4: This information is provided as of December 31, 2016.

Item 4(a): None of such shares are deemed to be beneficially owned by reason of the possession of Lilly Endowment, Inc. of a right to acquire such shares.

Item 4(b): The percent of class represented is based on 1,103,948,230 shares of common stock outstanding as of October 17, 2016, as reported on the Issuer's Form 10 Q for the period ended September 30, 2016.

Attention: Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal criminal violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)