FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Rosa David J.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC [ISRG]								heck all appl Direct	icable) or	g Pers	on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner			
(Last) 1020 KII	(F FER ROAD		(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2019								A below	,	Busii	Other (specify below)		
(Street) SUNNY (City)			94086 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ne) X Form	Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable filed by One Reporting Person filed by More than One Reporting n				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Price	Tranca	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution Date, urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				ransaction of E Code (Instr. Derivative (I			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			of s ig e Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$499.87	08/15/2019			A		4,500		(1)	0	8/15/2029	Common Stock	4,500	\$0.0	4,500		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the 2010 Employee Stock Option Plan. Option shall vest 7/48 one month after the date of grant and 1/48th each month thereafter.

By: Lori Serrano For: David J 08/19/2019 Rosa

** 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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