

GUTHART GARY S  
Form 4  
July 28, 2017

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
GUTHART GARY S

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC  
[ISRG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1020 KIFER ROAD  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
07/27/2017

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)  
President & CEO

SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	07/27/2017		M	25,000 A	\$ 303.27 101,798	D	
Common Stock	07/27/2017		S <sup>(1)</sup>	17,975 D	\$ 937.2709 83,823	D	
					<sup>(2)</sup>		

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

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**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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 303.27	07/27/2017		M	25,000	(3) 02/15/2018	Common Stock	25,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GUTHART GARY S 1020 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE, CA 94086	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

Gary S Guthart 07/28/2017

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

(1) These shares were sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan, entered into on January 27, 2017.

The average selling price for the transactions was \$937.270882 The shares sold at: \$922.00 - \$922.99 = 200 shares; \$923.00 - \$923.99 = 200 shares; \$924.00 - \$924.99 = 200 shares; \$925.00 to \$925.99 = 800 shares; \$926.00 - \$926.99 = 1,000 shares; \$931.00 - \$931.99 =

(2) 100 shares; \$932.00 to \$932.99 = 900 shares; \$933.00 to \$933.99 = 800 shares; \$934.00 to \$934.99 = 100 shares; \$937.00 to \$937.99 = 400 shares; \$938.00 to \$938.99 = 3,375 shares; \$939.00 to \$939.99 = 3,100 shares; \$940.00 to \$940.99 = 3,300 shares; \$941.00 to \$941.99 = 1,500 shares; \$942.00 to \$942.99 = 1,895 shares; \$943.00 to \$943.99 = 105 shares

(3) Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the 2000 Employee Stock Option Plan. Option shall vest 1/8 six months after the date of grant and 1/48th each month thereafter.

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