#### INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rosa David J.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC [ISRG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 1020 KIFER I	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/08/2016	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP & Chief Commercial Officer		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
SUNNYVAL	E, CA 94086	)		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tabl</b>	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secui	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	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	11/08/2016		Code V G	Amount 100	(D)	Price \$ 0	2,187	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2016		M	7,200	A	\$ 303.27	9,387	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2016		S <u>(1)</u>	7,200	D	\$ 650	2,187	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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 Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 303.27	12/13/2016		M	7,200	(2)	02/15/2018	Common Stock	7,20

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rosa David J. 1020 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

**EVP & Chief Commercial Officer** 

## **Signatures**

David J Rosa 12/14/2016

\*\*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 10b5-1 Plan entered into on 11-10-16.
- (2) Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the 2010 Employee Stock Option Plan. The option vests 1/8th six months after the date of grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter.

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