LEVY ALAN J Form 4 May 10, 2006

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 4 or
Form 5
obligations
may continue.
See Instruction

Find pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

LEVY ALAN J

950 KIFER ROAD

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC

[ISRG]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/09/2006

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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X Director _____ 10% Owner ____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify

below) below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired insaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		M	7,500	A	\$ 15.72	9,713	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	500	D	\$ 126.67	9,213	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	1,257	D	\$ 126.69	7,956	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	100	D	\$ 126.72	7,856	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S	100	D	\$ 126.75	7,756	D	

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Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 126.76	7,656	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 126.82	7,556	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	24	D	\$ 126.84	7,532	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 126.85	7,432	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	1	D	\$ 126.91	7,431	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S/K	100	D	\$ 126.99	7,331	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	1,820	D	\$ 127	5,511	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	848	D	\$ 127.01	4,663	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 127.02	4,563	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	300	D	\$ 127.07	4,263	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	100	D	\$ 127.11	4,163	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	600	D	\$ 127.17	3,563	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 127.2	2,563	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	300	D	\$ 127.22	2,263	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	S	50	D	\$ 127.23	2,213	D

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction Derivative		Expiration Date
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired	

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7. Title and Amount of 8. I Underlying Securities De

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date or Number of

Shares

Stock Option \$ 15.72 05/09/2006 M 7,500 (1) 06/30/2013 Common Stock 7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LEVY ALAN J
950 KIFER ROAD X
SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

Signatures

/s/Alan Levy 05/11/2006

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) All share option grants are vested.

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