INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **SMITH LONNIE M** Issuer Symbol INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC (Check all applicable) [ISRG] _X__ Director (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 1020 KIFER ROAD 04/20/2017 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

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Applicable Line)

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non- | Derivativ | e Secu | rities Acqui | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securior Dispo (Instr. 3, | esed of 4 and (A) or | ` ′ | 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 | 04/20/2017 | | M | 443 | A | \$ 0 (1) | 232,638 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/21/2017 | | S(2) | 3,000 | D | \$ 810.124 | 229,638 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 84,685 | I | by Trust |

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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. Numonof Derivat Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3 and 5) | tive ies ed | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|-------------------|--|--------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amour or Numbe of Shares |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 814.45 | 04/20/2017 | | A | 607 | | (3) | 04/20/2027 | Common Stock | 607 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 04/20/2017 | | A | 202 | | <u>(4)</u> | 02/21/2018 | Common Stock | 202 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 04/20/2017 | | M | | 443 | <u>(4)</u> | 04/21/2020 | Common Stock | 443 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Troporting of the relationship | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| SMITH LONNIE M 1020 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE, CA 94086 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

By: Lori Serrano For: Lonnie M Smith 04/21/2017

**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 acquired from the vest and release of an RSU grant previously issued to the Filer.
- (2) These shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan, entered into on 11-3-16.
- Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the Non-Employee Directors' Stock Option Plan. Option shall vest 100% one year after the date of grant or at the next Shareholders Meeting, whichever should take place first, provided that vesting will cease on termination of the Directors service to the Company.

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(4) 100% of the grant will vest on the anniversary date of the grant or the next Annual Shareholders Meeting, whichever takes place first, provided however that vesting will cease on termination of the Director's service to the company.

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