

## Intuitive Surgical, Inc. Fourth Quarter, 2009 Earnings Conference Call

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SUNNYVALE, Calif., Dec 23, 2009 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Intuitive Surgical, Inc. (NASDAQ:ISRG), the leader in operative surgical robotics, will hold its quarterly conference call to discuss Fourth Quarter, 2009 results, Thursday, January 21, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time

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