

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>SMITH LONNIE M</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <b>1020 KIFER ROAD</b>  (Street) <b>SUNNYVALE CA 94086</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC [ ISRG ]</b>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>04/24/2015</b>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	04/24/2015		G		1,252	A	\$0.0 <sup>(1)</sup>	242,496	D	
Common Stock	04/27/2015		G		2,000	D	\$0.0 <sup>(2)</sup>	240,496	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		50	D	\$0.0 <sup>(3)</sup>	240,446	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		50	D	\$0.0 <sup>(4)</sup>	240,396	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		65	D	\$0.0 <sup>(5)</sup>	240,331	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		130	D	\$0.0 <sup>(6)</sup>	240,201	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		135	D	\$0.0 <sup>(7)</sup>	240,066	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		135	D	\$0.0 <sup>(8)</sup>	239,931	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		185	D	\$0.0 <sup>(9)</sup>	239,746	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		185	D	\$0.0 <sup>(10)</sup>	239,561	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		240	D	\$0.0 <sup>(11)</sup>	239,321	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2015		G		290	D	\$0.0 <sup>(12)</sup>	239,031	D	
Common Stock	04/24/2015		G		1,252	D	\$0.0 <sup>(1)</sup>	100,779	I	by Trust

**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 of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V		(A)	(D)					

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Shares were distributed by Lonnie M. Smith TDC GRAT UA 03/05/2013, The Trust Company of Oxford, Trustee, to Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Rebecca S. Eggleston ACF Brooks D. Eggleston U/CO/UTMA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Maryam Smith Keyser ACF Cade S. Keyser U/TX/UTMA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Michael Smith ACF Weston Davis Smith U/CA/UTMA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Catherine Smith Howell ACF Elizabeth D Howell U/MN/UTMA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Rebecca S Eggleston ACF Parker Keith Eggleston U/CO/UTMA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Rebecca S Eggleston C/F Madeleine Eggleston UTMA/CO.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Kristen Smith Dayley C/F Matthew Stuart Dayley UTMA/WA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Kristen Smith Dayley C/F Caroline Dayley UTMA/WA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Michael Smith ACF Bria Kendell Smith U/CA/UTMA.
- These shares were gifted from the account of Lonnie Smith & Cheryl Smith, Community Property to Catherine Smith Howell ACF Anna Howell U/MN/UTMA.

Lonnie M Smith

05/04/2015

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* 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).

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