

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>MCNAMARA JEROME J</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 950 KIFER ROAD (Street) SUNNYVALE CA 94086 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC [ISRG]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Sr. Vice President
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2006	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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	05/04/2006		M		4,731	A	\$11.74	6,064 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M		4,433	A	\$18.5	10,497	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M		3,126	A	\$18.5	13,623	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M		2,084	A	\$19.68	15,707	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		M		626	A	\$47.86	16,333	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		5,605	D	\$125	10,728	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		700	D	\$125.01	10,028	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		765	D	\$125.02	9,263	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		400	D	\$125.03	8,863	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.04	8,763	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		50	D	\$125.05	8,713	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		2,200	D	\$125.2	6,513	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.22	6,413	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.23	6,313	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		900	D	\$125.27	5,413	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.28	5,313	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.36	5,213	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		400	D	\$125.38	4,813	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		200	D	\$125.39	4,613	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.44	4,513	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.45	4,413	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.47	4,313	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		500	D	\$125.5	3,813	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		200	D	\$125.52	3,613	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		400	D	\$125.54	3,213	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		500	D	\$125.6	2,713	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		21	D	\$125.61	2,692	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		1,200	D	\$125.62	1,492	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		59	D	\$125.63	1,433	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2006		S		100	D	\$125.64	1,333	D	

**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)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Stock Option	\$11.74	05/04/2006		M		4,731		(2)	02/06/2013	Common Stock	4,731	\$11.74	7,813 ⁽³⁾	D	
Stock Option	\$18.5	05/04/2006		M		4,433		(2)	02/13/2014	Common Stock	4,433	\$18.5	16,042 ⁽³⁾	D	
Stock Option	\$18.5	05/04/2006		M		3,126		(4)	02/01/2012	Common Stock	3,126	\$18.5	0	D	
Stock Option	\$19.68	05/04/2006		M		2,084		(4)	03/25/2012	Common Stock	2,084	\$19.68	0	D	
Stock Option	\$47.86	05/04/2006		M		626		(2)	02/11/2015	Common Stock	626	\$47.86	27,199 ⁽³⁾	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The total reflects the additional purchase of 108 shares made pursuant to the 2000 Employee Stock Purchase Plan
- Exercised shares are fully exercisable; remaining option shares vested at 1/48th of total grant per month.
- This number reflects the correct number of shares that remain subject to this option after taking into account the transaction being reported herein. Report filed on 11/3/2005 inadvertently reflected only the number of shares then exercisable pursuant to the option rather than the total number of shares that remained subject to the option at that time.
- All share option grants are vested.

Remarks:

/s/Jerome McNamara

05/08/2006

** 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).

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