

Brogna Salvatore
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Brogna Salvatore

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC
[ISRG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1020 KIFER ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2018

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ 10% Owner
_____ Other (specify below)
EVP & Chief Operating Officer

SUNNYVALE, CA 94086
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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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 or Price		
Common Stock	03/01/2018		M		\$ 328.4567	6,159	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018		S ⁽¹⁾		\$ 420.4479	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018		M		\$ 238.9133	6,160	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018		S ⁽¹⁾		\$ 420.1205	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018		M		\$ 230.9967	5,902	D

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Common Stock	03/01/2018	S ⁽¹⁾	305	D	\$ 421.3965	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	M	304	A	\$ 178.3867	5,901	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	S ⁽¹⁾	304	D	\$ 421.3965	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	M	459	A	\$ 177.6833	6,056	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	S ⁽¹⁾	459	D	\$ 421.3965	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	M	459	A	\$ 171.3333	6,056	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	S ⁽¹⁾	459	D	\$ 421.3965	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	M	585	A	\$ 153.0467	6,182	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	S ⁽¹⁾	585	D	\$ 421.3965	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	M	587	A	\$ 148.03	6,184	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	S ⁽¹⁾	587	D	\$ 421.3965	5,597	D
Common Stock	03/01/2018	S ⁽¹⁾	4,110	D	\$ 421.6479	1,487	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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number

									of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 148.03	03/01/2018	M	587	<u>(2)</u>	02/18/2024	Common Stock	587	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 153.0467	03/01/2018	M	585	<u>(3)</u>	08/15/2024	Common Stock	585	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 171.3333	03/01/2018	M	459	<u>(2)</u>	02/17/2025	Common Stock	459	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 177.6833	03/01/2018	M	459	<u>(3)</u>	08/17/2025	Common Stock	459	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 178.3867	03/01/2018	M	304	<u>(2)</u>	02/16/2026	Common Stock	304	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 230.9967	03/01/2018	M	305	<u>(3)</u>	08/15/2026	Common Stock	305	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 238.9133	03/01/2018	M	563	<u>(2)</u>	02/15/2027	Common Stock	563	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 328.4567	03/01/2018	M	562	<u>(3)</u>	08/15/2027	Common Stock	562	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Brogna Salvatore 1020 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE, CA 94086			EVP & Chief Operating Officer	

Signatures

By: Lori Serrano For: Salvatore J
Brogna

03/02/2018

__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) The shares were sold subject to a 10b5-1 trading plan established on 10-24-17.

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- (2) Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the 2010 Employee Stock Option Plan. The option vests 1/8th six months after the date of grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter.
- (3) Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the 2010 Employee Stock Option Plan. Option shall vest 7/48 one month after the date of grant and 1/48th each month thereafter.

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