

Brogna Salvatore
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Brogna Salvatore
(Last) (First) (Middle)

1266 KIFER ROAD

(Street)

SUNNYVALE,Â CAÂ 94086

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
04/21/2011

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

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
(give title below) (specify below)
SVP Engineering

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Common Stock

431 ⁽¹⁾

D

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Common Stock

1,000

I

by Father ⁽²⁾

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (3)	02/17/2019	Common Stock	9,167	\$ 107.27	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (3)	02/15/2018	Common Stock	10,417	\$ 303.27	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (3)	02/16/2020	Common Stock	17,500	\$ 334.3	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (3)	02/15/2021	Common Stock	16,000	\$ 341.19	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Brogna Salvatore 1266 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE, CA 94086	Â	Â	Â SVP Engineering	Â

Signatures

/s/ Salvatore J. Brogna
 04/28/2011
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 issued pursuant to a qualified 423 ESPP plan.
 - (2) The shares are held in the name of Mr. Brogna's parents, who reside with Mr. Brogna.
 - (3) Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the 2000 Employee Stock Option Plan. The option vests 1/8th six months after the date of grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter.

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