Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Ladd Amy L				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC</u> [ISRG]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) 1020 KIFER RO	(First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2022					Officer (give title below)	Other below	(specify)	
(Street) SUNNYVALE (City)	CA (State)	94086 (Zip)	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			6. Indi Line) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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												
Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea	Execution Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					v	Amount (A) or (D) Pri		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)	
Common Stock			08/15/2022	2	S ⁽¹⁾		600	D	\$237.03	720	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 10. 11. Nature Conversion Execution Date. Transaction Date Ownership Derivative Expiration Date Amount of Derivative derivative of Indirect or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Security (Instr. 5) Securities Form: Direct (D) Beneficial 8) Securities Acquired Beneficially Ownership (Instr. 4) Underlying Derivative Owned or Indirect Security (A) or Disposed Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Following (I) (Instr. 4) Reported of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) and 5) Amount or Number Expiration Date v Title Code (A) (D) Exercisable Date Shares

Explanation of Responses:

1. The transaction took place in accordance with a Trading Plan that complies with SEC Rule 10b5-1 and expires on June 14, 2023.

<u>By: Donn</u>	08/17/2022			
<u>Amy L</u>				06/17/2022
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** 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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