UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

(Rule 14a-101)

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INTUITIVE SURGICAL, INC.

2021 Annual Meeting Vote by April 21, 2021. 11:59 PM ET

INTUITIVE SURGICAL, INC.
1020 KIFER ROAD
SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

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You invested in INTUITIVE SURGICAL, INC. and it's time to vote!

You have the right to vote on proposals being presented at the Annual Meeting. This is an important notice regarding the availability of proxy material for the stockholder meeting to be held on April 22, 2021.

Get informed before you vote

View the NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT AND ANNUAL REPORT online OR you can receive a free paper copy of voting material(s) by requesting prior to April 8, 2021. If you would like to request a copy of the voting material(s), you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to sendmaterial@proxyvote.com. If sending an email, please include your control number (indicated below) in the subject line.



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Vote Virtually at the Meeting*

April 22, 2021. 3:00 P.M., PDT

Virtually at: www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/ISRG2021

^{*}Many stockholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the upcoming stockholder meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to vote these important matters.

Voting Items		Board Recommends
1.	Election of Directors	
	Nominees:	
	1a. Craig H. Barratt, Ph.D.	⊘ For
	1b. Joseph C. Beery	For
	1c. Gary S. Guthart, Ph.D.	⊘ For
	1d. Amal M. Johnson	For
	1e. Don R. Kania, Ph.D.	⊘ For
	1f. Amy L. Ladd, M.D.	For
	1g. Keith R. Leonard, Jr.	⊘ For
	1h. Alan J. Levy, Ph.D.	⊘ For
	1i. Jami Dover Nachtsheim	⊘ For
	1j. Monica P. Reed, M.D.	⊘ For
	1k. Mark J. Rubash	For
2.	To approve, by advisory vote, the compensation of the Company's Named Executive Officers.	For
3.	The ratification of appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021.	⊘ For
4.	To approve the Company's Amended and Restated 2010 Incentive Award Plan.	⊘ For
NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.		

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