FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MOHR MARSHALL (Last) (First) (Middle) 1020 KIFER ROAD						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INTUITIVE SURGICAL INC [ISRG] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/24/2018									k all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)		10% Owne Other (spe below) P & CFO		wner		
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(Street)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/			tion	on 2A. De Execu		Deemed ecution Date,		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned		int of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
										v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 04/					018				M		7,500	Α	\$111.43	33	17	,321		D			
Common	Stock			04/24/2	2018				S ⁽¹⁾		7,500	D	\$448.87	39	9,	821	D				
Common	Stock													726				I	oy Son		
		T	able I								posed of, converti			/ O\	wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Expirat (Month	tion Da			of s ng e Security	De	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares								
Non- Qualified Stock Option	\$111.4333	04/24/2018			M			7,500	(2))	02/16/2020	Common Stock	7,500		\$0.0	8,250		D			

Explanation of Responses:

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- 1. These shares were executed per a 10b5-1 Trading Plan entered into by the filer on September 15, 2017.
- 2. Non-statutory stock option granted pursuant to the 2000 Employee Stock Option Plan. Option shall vest 1/8 six months after the date of grant and 1/48th each month thereafter.

Marshall L Mohr 04/24/2018

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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