Andersen Reiter Kara
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Â Andersen Reiter Kara
(Last) (First) (Middle)
1020 KIFER ROAD
(Street)
SUNNYVALE,Â CAÂ 94086
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)
02/06/2019

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
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Sr VP General Counsel & CCO

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ 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	3,309	D	Â

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 Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of			

				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	02/06/2025	Common Stock	9,000	$ 170.7567	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	02/16/2026	Common Stock	1,500	$ 178.3867	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (2)	08/15/2026	Common Stock	1,500	$ 230.9967	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	02/15/2027	Common Stock	1,350	$ 238.9133	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (2)	08/15/2027	Common Stock	1,350	$ 328.4567	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	02/15/2028	Common Stock	875	$ 418.56	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (2)	08/15/2028	Common Stock	875	$ 522.77	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Andersen Reiter Kara 1020 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE,Â CAÂ 94086	Â	Â	Â Sr VP General Counsel & CCO	Â

Signatures

Kara Andersen Reiter	02/06/2019
**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) 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.

(2) 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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