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The applicant is hereby **notified** that the International Bureau has received the record copy of the international application as detailed below.

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INTUITIVE SURGICAL OPERATIONS, INC. (all designated States)

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