

Sabra Health Care REIT, Inc.
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Andrews Harold W. Jr.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Sabra Health Care REIT, Inc.
 [SBRA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2015

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive VP, CFO & Secretary

C/O SABRA HEALTH CARE REIT, INC., 18500 VON KARMAN AVENUE, SUITE 550

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

IRVINE, CA 92612

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/31/2015		F	1,711 (1) D \$ 20.23	205,992	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2015		A	18,369 (2) A \$ 0	224,361 (3)	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Andrews Harold W. Jr. C/O SABRA HEALTH CARE REIT, INC. 18500 VON KARMAN AVENUE, SUITE 550 IRVINE, CA 92612			Executive VP, CFO & Secretary	

Signatures

/s/ Harold W. Andrews, Jr. 01/05/2016

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Represents shares withheld by the Issuer in accordance with Rule 16b-3 to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units previously granted to the reporting person.
Grant of stock units under the Issuer's 2009 Performance Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). The units vest at the rate of 25% on each of January 10, 2017, January 10, 2018, January 10, 2019, and January 10, 2020. The vested units will be paid on a one-for-one basis in shares of the Issuer's Common Stock no earlier than the first anniversary of the applicable vesting date, subject to earlier payment in the event of death, disability or change of control.
- (2) Includes 39,952 unvested stock units that, upon vesting, will be paid on a one-for-one basis in shares of the Issuer's Common Stock.

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