Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc.

Form 4 June 01, 2015

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCGRATH JOHN

(Zip)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

701 GATEWAY **BOULEVARD, SUITE 200**

(Street)

(State)

05/29/2015

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

(City)

Common

Stock

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc. [ATRA]

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

05/29/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3.

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(D) or

D

Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

Person

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

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Owned Following Reported

Securities

Beneficially

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Price Amount (D)

 $S^{(1)}$ \$40 37,352 10,000 D

(A)

or

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

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6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Form: Direct Indirect

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

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	٥
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Da	ate Amoi		nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivative Securities			Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	J	
	Derivative							(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired]
	_				(A) or]
					Disposed						7
					of (D)						(
				(Instr. 3,							
					4, and 5)						
									A 4		
									Amount		
				D	Date E	Expiration	TC:41	or			
						Exercisable Date	Date	Title	Number		
				C 1 17	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MCGRATH JOHN 701 GATEWAY BOULEVARD SUITE 200 SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

Chief Financial Officer

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Signatures

/s/ Tina Gullotta, Attorney-in-Fact for John F. McGrath, Jr.

06/01/2015

**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) Transaction pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted December 12, 2014.

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