

Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MARCUS JOEL S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALEXANDRIA REAL ESTATE EQUITIES, INC, 385 EAST COLORADO BOULEVARD, SUITE 299

(Street)

PASADENA, CA 91101

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc. [ATRA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/21/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	10/21/2014		C		256,410	A	11
							256,410
						I	See Footnote (2)
Common Stock	10/21/2014		C		501,945	A	11
							758,355
						I	See Footnote (2)
Common Stock	10/21/2014		P		150,000	A	11
							908,355
						I	See Footnote (2)

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respect to the shares owned by Alexandria Equities, LLC. As an officer of Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc., Mr. Marcus may be deemed to have voting and investment power with respect to the shares owned by Alexandria Equities, LLC. Mr. Marcus disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by Alexandria Equities, LLC, except to the extent of his underlying pecuniary interest therein.

- (3) The Series B Preferred Stock had no expiration date and each share of Series B Preferred Stock was automatically converted into common stock on a 1-for-1 basis upon the consummation of the Issuer's initial public offering.

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