Sabra Health Care REIT, Inc.

Form 4

February 12, 2014

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MATROS RICHARD K			Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading     Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Sabra Health Care REIT, Inc. [SBRA]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
C/O SABRA HEALTH CARE			02/11/2014	below) below) Chairman, CEO and President			
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) \_X\_ 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/11/2014		Code A	V	Amount 69,755 (1)	or (D)	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 211,190	D		
Common Stock	02/11/2014		F		36,399 (2)	D	\$ 27.27	174,791	D		
Common Stock	02/11/2014		G	V	33,356	D	\$ 0	141,435 (3)	D		
Common Stock	02/11/2014		G	V	33,356	A	\$0	683,180	I	By R&A Matros Revocable	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	iorNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	S		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
							Date	Title	Number	
							Dute		of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MATROS RICHARD K C/O SABRA HEALTH CARE REIT, INC. 18500 VON KARMAN AVENUE, SUITE 550 IRVINE, CA 92612

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Chairman, CEO and President

## **Signatures**

/s/ Richard K. 02/12/2014 Matros

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

## **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).
- Represents an incentive bonus paid to the reporting person pursuant to the Issuer's 2013 Bonus Plan. In accordance with the terms of the (1) 2013 Bonus Plan, the reporting person elected to receive his bonus payment in a number of shares of the Issuer's common stock calculated as set forth in the 2013 Bonus Plan.

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Represents shares withheld by the Issuer in accordance with Rule 16b-3 to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the incentive bonus paid to the reporting person pursuant to the Issuer's 2013 Bonus Plan as reported herein.

(3) Consists of unvested restricted stock units that, upon vesting, will be paid on a one-for-one basis in shares of the Issuer's Common Stock. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.