# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type	Response	s)																	
Name and Address of Reporting Person * Haqq Christopher				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc. [ATRA]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner							
611 GATEWAY BOULEVARD, SUITE 900					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/17/2017								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  EVP, R&D & Chief Scientific Of						
(Street) SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								_X_ Fo	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person _Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)							Tal	ble I - Non-	-Deri	ivative S	ecuriti	uired, l	red, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Sec (Instr. 3)	tr. 3) Da		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		ĺ	Code (Instr. 8)	etion	(A) or D	Securities Acquired or Disposed of (Estr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or				lly Owned Transaction	Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	:				(Instr. 4)		
Common St	tock		07/17/20	17				S(1)		6,000	D	\$ 14.92 (2)	362	,080			D		
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Director Haqq Christopher 611 GATEWAY BOULEVARD SUITE 900 SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080			10%	Owner		VP, R&D	& C	Chief Sc	ientifi	c Of	Other								

## Signatures

/s/ Tina Gullotta, Attorney-in-Fact for Christopher Haqq	07/18/2017		
**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 September 27, 2016.
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$14.9161 to \$14.95. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (3) The shares are held by the Chris Haqq 2014 GRAT, of which the Reporting Person is trustee.
- (4) The shares are held by The Havenside Trust, of which the Reporting Person is trustee.

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