Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc.

Form 4

August 31, 2015

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Ciechanover Isaac E. Issuer Symbol Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc. [ATRA] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify 701 GATEWAY 08/27/2015 below) **BOULEVARD, SUITE 200** Chief Executive Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **SOUTH SAN** Person

FRANCISCO, CA 94080

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 on (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		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)	
Common Stock	08/27/2015		S(1)	1,500	D D	\$ 38.15 (2)	378,682	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock	08/27/2015		S(1)	500	D	\$ 39.44 <u>(4)</u>	378,182	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock	08/27/2015		S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 40.44 (5)	377,582	I	See Footnote (3)
Common	08/28/2015		S(1)	1,500	D	\$ 39.2	376,082	I	See

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Stock					<u>(6)</u>			Footnote (3)
Common Stock	08/28/2015	S <u>(1)</u>	1,100	D	\$ 40.07 (7)	374,982	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock						488,653	I	See Footnote
Common Stock						180,000	I	See Footnote
Common Stock						41,532	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	J
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	J
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Ciechanover Isaac E. 701 GATEWAY BOULEVARD SUITE 200 SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080	X		Chief Executive Officer				

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/s/ Tina Gullotta, Attorney-in-Fact for Isaac E. Ciechanover

08/31/2015

**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.
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$37.77 to \$38.67. The reporting person (2) 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) Shares are held by the Isaac E. Ciechanover and Allison M. Ciechanover Family Trust dated 8/8/08, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee.
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$39.00 to \$39.78. 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.
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$40.275 to \$40.57. 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.
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$38.91 to \$39.55. 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.
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$39.98 to \$40.17. 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.
- (8) Sheld are held by the Ciechanover Family GRAT, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee.
- (9) Sheld are held by the The Ciechanover 2015 GRAT, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee.

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