

Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 Domain Partners VIII, L.P.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC, ONE PALMER SQUARE

(Street)

PRINCETON, NJ 08542

(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 ___X___ 10% Owner
 ___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___X___ 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		1,893,383	A	③ 1,893,383
Common Stock	10/21/2014		P		248,159	A	\$ 11 2,141,542

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Series A Preferred Stock	(3)	10/21/2014		C	1,272,607	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	1,272,607
Series B Preferred Stock	(3)	10/21/2014		C	620,776	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	620,776

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Domain Partners VIII, L.P. C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542		X		
BLAIR JAMES C C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542		X		
DOVEY BRIAN H C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542		X		
TREU JESSE I C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542		X		
SCHOEMAKER KATHLEEN K C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542		X		
VITULLO NICOLE C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542		X		

Halak Brian K
C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC
ONE PALMER SQUARE
PRINCETON, NJ 08542

X

Signatures

/s/ Kathleen K. Schoemaker, as Managing Member of One Palmer Square Associates VIII, LLC, the general partner of Domain Partners VIII, L.P., individually and as Attorney-in-Fact for J. Blair, B. Dovey, J. Treu, N. Vitullo and B. Halak

10/21/2014

__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) The securities reported as directly beneficially owned by the designated Reporting Person may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by each of the Reporting Owners listed below, each of whom is a managing member of One Palmer Square Associates VIII, LLC, the sole general partner of the designated Reporting Person. Pursuant to Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, each such individual has elected to report as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities owned by the designated Reporting Person, however each of them disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed his or her pecuniary interest therein and/or that are not actually distributed to him or her.

(2) As managing members of the sole general partner of DP VIII Associates, L.P., each Reporting Owner listed below may also be deemed to indirectly beneficially own the securities of the Issuer held by DP VIII Associates, L.P., as reported on a Form 4 for DP VIII Associates, L.P. filed on the same date as this Form 4.

(3) All outstanding shares of the Issuer's preferred stock automatically converted into Common Stock upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering for no additional consideration. The preferred stock had no expiration date.

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