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| June 17, 2014 | ł | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | UNITED | | ITIES AI hington,] | | | NGE (| COMMISSION | OMB Number: | 3235-0287 | | | |
| Check this if no longe | ər | STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section | | | | | | | | January 31, 2005 | | |
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| (Print or Type R | esponses) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rhodes Linda Sy | | | Symbol | Name and ' | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
| | ARATA [PETX] | ARATANA THERAPEUTICS, INC. [PETX] | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) (1 | (First) (Middle) 3. Date of I (Month/Da | | | | | | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | |
| C/O ARATA INC., 1901 C BOULEVAR | | UTICS, | 06/17/20 |)14 | | | | below) CHIEF SC | below) EIENTIFIC OF | FICER | | |
| (Street) 4. If Amen Filed(Mont | | | | dment, Date Original h/Day/Year) | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | |
| KANSAS CI | TY, KS 66103 | | | | | | | | Aore than One Ro | | | |
| (City) | (State) | State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Instr. 3) any | | | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | | l (A) o l of (D | or) | SecuritiesIBeneficially0OwnedI | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock | 06/17/2014 | | | S <u>(1)</u> | 4,626 | D | \$ 15 | 456,305 | D | | | |
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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 | Code | 5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) ve es d d | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|---|---|--|--------------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|--|---|---|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |
| Reporting Owners | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Repo | orting Owner Name / Address | | Relationships | | | | | | | | |
| r C | | | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | | | | Other | | |
| 1901 OLA | | | ₹C. | CHIEF SCIENTIFIC OFFICER | | | | | | | |
| Signa | tures | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ŭ | | torney-in-Fact for | Linda | 06/17/ | /2014 | | | | | | |
| | **Signature of Reporting Person | | | | | | | | | | |
| Expla | nation | of Respo | nses: | | | | | | | | |

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* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on March 17, 2014.

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