FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

| Washington, | D.C. | 20549 |
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Huang Jane  (First) (Middle)                  |                                                                                                                                              |                                            |                                                    |                               | Pro                             | Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     Protara Therapeutics, Inc. [ TARA ]      Jate of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) |                                                            |     |                                                      |                  |                                                                  |                                                                                        |                                                                                     |                                                             | all applic<br>Directo                                         | able)                                                                                                             | 10% Owner Other (spe                                              |                                                                          | ner                                                 |  |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PROTARA THERAPEUTICS, INC. 345 PARK AVENUE SOUTH, 3RD FLOOR |                                                                                                                                              |                                            |                                                    |                               |                                 | 06/09/2021                                                                                                                          |                                                            |     |                                                      |                  |                                                                  |                                                                                        |                                                                                     |                                                             |                                                               |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
| S45 PARK AVENUE SOUTH, SRD FLOOR                                                        |                                                                                                                                              |                                            |                                                    |                               | 4. If                           | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                                                            |                                                            |     |                                                      |                  |                                                                  |                                                                                        |                                                                                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |                                                               |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
| (Street) NEW YO                                                                         | ORK N                                                                                                                                        | Y                                          | 10010                                              |                               |                                 |                                                                                                                                     |                                                            |     |                                                      |                  |                                                                  |                                                                                        | X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person |                                                             |                                                               |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
| (City)                                                                                  | (S                                                                                                                                           | tate)                                      | (Zip)                                              |                               |                                 |                                                                                                                                     |                                                            |     |                                                      |                  |                                                                  |                                                                                        |                                                                                     |                                                             |                                                               |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
|                                                                                         | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned                                                             |                                            |                                                    |                               |                                 |                                                                                                                                     |                                                            |     |                                                      |                  |                                                                  |                                                                                        |                                                                                     |                                                             |                                                               |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
| Date                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                              |                                            |                                                    | 2. Transa<br>Date<br>(Month/D |                                 | ar)                                                                                                                                 | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year |     | Code (Instr.                                         |                  | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4<br>5) |                                                                                        |                                                                                     |                                                             | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following |                                                                                                                   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) |                                                                          | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |
|                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                              |                                            |                                                    |                               |                                 |                                                                                                                                     | Code                                                       | v   | Amount                                               | (A) or<br>(D) Pt |                                                                  | e                                                                                      | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                                      |                                                             |                                                               |                                                                                                                   | (Instr. 4)                                                        |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
|                                                                                         | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |                                            |                                                    |                               |                                 |                                                                                                                                     |                                                            |     |                                                      |                  |                                                                  |                                                                                        |                                                                                     |                                                             |                                                               |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                                     | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security                                                                        | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution D<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/ | oate,                         | Tansaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>) |                                                                                                                                     |                                                            |     | 6. Date Exercis<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Yea |                  | •                                                                | 7. Title and Ame<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Secu<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                                                                     | D                                                           | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)           | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficial<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactio<br>(Instr. 4) | e<br>S<br>Illy                                                    | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)               |  |
|                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                              |                                            |                                                    | c                             | ode                             | v                                                                                                                                   | (A)                                                        | (D) | Date<br>Exercisab                                    |                  | Expiration<br>Date                                               | Title                                                                                  | Amour<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                                               | er                                                          |                                                               |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                     |  |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                                                    | \$10.51                                                                                                                                      | 06/09/2021                                 |                                                    |                               | A                               |                                                                                                                                     | 20,000                                                     |     | (1)                                                  | 0                | 06/08/2031                                                       | Common<br>Stock                                                                        | 20,00                                                                               | 00                                                          | \$0.00                                                        | 20,000                                                                                                            | )                                                                 | D                                                                        |                                                     |  |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                                                    | \$10.51                                                                                                                                      | 06/09/2021                                 |                                                    |                               | A                               |                                                                                                                                     | 10,000                                                     |     | (2)                                                  | 0                | 06/08/2031                                                       | Common<br>Stock                                                                        | 10,00                                                                               | 00                                                          | \$0.00                                                        | 10,000                                                                                                            | )                                                                 | D                                                                        |                                                     |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The shares vest in a series of 36 successive equal monthly installments over the three-year period measured from the date of grant, subject to the optionholder's continuous service as a member of the Board through such vesting date and will vest in full upon a Change of Control.
- 2. The shares will vest in equal monthly installments over the 12 months following the date of grant, provided that the shares will, in any case, be fully vested on the date of the Company's next annual stockholder meeting, subject to the optionholder's continuous service as a member of the Board through such vesting date and will vest in full upon a Change of Control.

## Remarks:

/s/ Karen Deschaine, Attorneyin-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

06/10/2021

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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