## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>®</sup> Brown Jeffrey						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol H&R BLOCK INC [HRB]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O H&R BLOCK						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2010								X Officer (give title below)			Other (s below) FO	specify	
ONE H&R BLOCK WAY						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) KANSAS CITY MO 64105					-									Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) (Zip)																		
		Tab	le I - I	Non-Deri	vative	Sec	urities	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficia	Ily Owne	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day)					Exec if an	A. Deemed xecution Date, any /onth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)			Securit Benefic Owned	ies cially Following	Forn (D) c Indii	n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price		ed ction(s) 3 and 4)	(Inst	tr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 10/01/2					2010	)10			A		6,355	<sup>1)</sup> A	\$12.	59 18,65	58.8197		D		
Common Stock 10/01/20					2010	10		F		94	D	\$12.	59 18,50	54.8197	D				
Common Stock													2,15	2,157.912			By 401(k)		
			Tab	le II - Deri (e.a							osed of, o onvertible			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any		4. Transac Code (li 8)	tion	5. Number on of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		sable and e	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	iy I	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	1					
Call Option to Purchase	\$14.52	10/01/2010			A		88,155		10/01/2011	(2)	10/01/2020	Common Stock	88,155	\$0.0000	88,155	5	D		
Call Option to Purchase	\$23.86								06/30/200	17	06/30/2016	Common Stock	3,725		3,725		D		
Call Option to Purchase	\$23.37								06/30/200	18	06/30/2017	Common Stock	4,475		4,475		D		
Call Option to Purchase	\$16.89								07/02/2010	(3)	07/02/2019	Common Stock	20,000		20,000	)	D		
Call Option to Purchase	\$21.81								07/03/2009	(3)	07/03/2018	Common Stock	16,067		16,067	7	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted Shares of Common Stock granted under the H&R Block, Inc. 2003 Long-Term Executive Compensation Plan. The restrictions lapse in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

2. The options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

3. The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

Andrew J. Somora per Power <u>10</u>

10/05/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $^{\ast}$  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).

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