Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person H&R BLOCK INC [HRB] **COLEMAN MELANIE K** Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) (Last) (First) (Middle) 05/31/2005 VP and Corporate Controller 4400 MAIN STREET 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Line) KANSAS CITY MO 64111 Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature Transaction Execution Date. Securities Form: Direct of Indirect Code (Instr. 8) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Month/Day/Year) 5) Beneficially Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Following Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4) J(1) Common Stock, without par value 05/31/2005 8.362 \$49.83 5,295.7169 D 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) | | saction le (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Expiration Date | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Call Option to Purchase | \$45.3 | | | | | | | 10/21/2004 | 10/21/2012 | Common Stock, without par value | 10,000 | | 10,000 | D | |
| Call Option to Purchase | \$43.25 | | | | | | | 06/30/2004 | 06/30/2013 | Common Stock, without par value | 5,333 | | 5,333 | D | |
| Call Option to Purchase | \$47.68 | | | | | | | 06/30/2005 | 06/30/2014 | Common Stock, without par value | 8,000 | | 8,000 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Units acquired under the H&R Block Deferred Compensation Plan for Executives, as Amended and Restated. Each unit has the value of one share of Common Stock.

Remarks:

By: Michael K. Post per Power of Attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person

06/01/2005

Date

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

- * 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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