Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES IN	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TRUBECK WILLIAM L						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) 4400 MA	(F AIN STREI	•	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Trans 05/15/2006				nsac	nsaction (Month/Day/Year)							fficer (give title elow) Executive VI		VP aı	Other (s below) ad CFO	респу
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Common Stock, without par value			05/15	5/2006					J ⁽¹⁾		21.1	11	A	\$22.8	7 38,18		39.437		D		
Common Stock, without par value																394.651				By 401(k)	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				7. Title ar of Securi Underlyir Derivativ (Instr. 3 a		curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Call Option to Purchase	\$24.905								10/	/04/2005	10/	/04/2014	Comm Stock withou	s, ut 1	00,000			100,00	0	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$29.175								06/	/30/2006	06/	/30/2015	Comm Stock withou	s, 1	00,000			100,00	0	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: Andrew J. Somora per Power of Attorney

05/17/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
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