FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WILKINS RAYFORD JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol H&R BLOCK INC [HRB]										Relationship neck all app X Direc	licable)	Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ble) 10% Owner		
(Last) 4400 MA	(Fi	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2003							Office below	er (give title v)		Other (s below)	specify			
(Street) KANSA (City)	S CITY M		64111 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Sec	curiti	es A	cqui	ired,	Dis	osed o	of, oı	Ben	eficia	lly Owne	d			
Date				Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		Code (Inst						Benefi Owned	ties cially I Following	Forn (D) c	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									(Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price	Transa	oorted nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, without par value 10			10/01	L/ 200 3	/2003				J ⁽¹⁾	V	11		A	\$42.	92 2	,160		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)	Execution		Date, Transac Code (In				6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/ ¹		Date	Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	e rcisable		piration ate	Title	N O	Amount or Number of Shares					
Call Option to Purchase	\$32.275								06/3	30/2002	. 06	5/30/2011	Comi Stoo with par va	k, out	6,000		6,000		D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$46.15								06/3	30/2003	06	5/30/2012	Comi Stoo with par va	k, out	4,000		4,000		D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$43.25								06/3	30/2004	06	/30/2013	Comr Stoc with par va	k, out	4,000		4,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Units for dividends paid under the H&R Block Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Each unit has the value of one share of Common Stock.

Remarks:

By: Michael K. Post per Power 10/03/2003 of Attorney

** 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).
- ** 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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