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## 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 <u>YABUKI JEFFERY W</u>		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>H&amp;R BLOCK INC</u> [ HRB ]		tionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director	erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) (First) 4400 MAIN STREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2003	- x	Officer (give title below) Executive VP	Other (specify below) and COO
(Street) KANSAS CITY MO (City) (State)	64111 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Fili Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person	porting Person

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities A Disposed Of ( 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock, without par value	12/04/2003		S		15,000	D	\$53.6	58,544.3395	D	
Common Stock, without par value								1,111.545 <sup>(1)</sup>	Ι	By 401(k)

## 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)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	rities lired r osed ) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Call Option to Purchase	\$43.25							06/30/2004	06/30/2013	Common Stock, without par value	90,000		90,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$32.275							06/30/2004	06/30/2011	Common Stock, without par value	90,000		90,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$46.15							06/30/2004	06/30/2012	Common Stock, without par value	90,000		90,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$23.1875							09/07/2002	09/07/2009	Common Stock, without par value	80,000		80,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$16.1875							06/30/2003	06/30/2010	Common Stock, without par value	70,000		70,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Units held under the H&R Block Retirement Savings Plan.

**Remarks:** 

By: Michael K. Post per Power 12/08/2003

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).

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