## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SERATI TAMMY S</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol H&R BLOCK INC [ HRB ]											all applic Directo	cable) or	g Per	son(s) to Iss	wner
(Last) 4400 MA	( AIN STRE	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2004										X	Officer (give title below)  Senior VP, Hun			Other (s below) Resources	` <i>`</i>
(Street) KANSAS CITY MO 64111					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curiti	es Ac	qui	red,	Disp	osed (	of, o	r Ber	nefici	ally C	Owned	l			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I					ar)   i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				4 and Securi Benefi Owned		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									C	Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	. 17	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, without par value 05/28					3/2004	2004				J <sup>(1)</sup>		2.557		A	\$45	5.83	3,30	9.216		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year				7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		es Security	Deri Sec	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owne Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	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	\$39.03								12/0	)2/2004	12	/02/2012	Come Stoo with par v	ck, out	20,00	0		20,000		D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$43.25								06/3	80/2004	06	/30/2013	Com Stor with	ck, out	14,00			14,000		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

06/01/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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