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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] BLOCH THOMAS M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>H&R BLOCK INC</u> [HRB]		tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director	son(s) to Issuer
,			=		Officer (give title	Other (specify
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2005		below)	below)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	r. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 5. 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			
			Code V		Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, without par value	03/01/2005		S		1,500 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$ <mark>53</mark>	63,612	D		
Common Stock, without par value	03/01/2005		S		100	D	\$53	14,500	Ι	By Trust ⁽²⁾	
Common Stock, without par value	03/01/2005		S		100	D	\$53	14,400	I	By Trust ⁽³⁾	
Common Stock, without par value								50,000	I	By M&H Bloch Partners, LP	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of Ex		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	\$32.275							06/30/2002	06/30/2011	Common Stock, without par value	6,000		6,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$46.15							06/30/2003	06/30/2012	Common Stock, without par value	4,000		4,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$43.25							06/30/2004	06/30/2013	Common Stock, without par value	4,000		4,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$47.68							06/30/2004	06/30/2014	Common Stock, without par value	4,000		4,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares, held by the Thomas Morton Bloch Irrecovable Trust of which I am the beneficiary, were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 pre-arranged trading program, effective January 1, 2005.

2. The shares, held by the Jason M. Bloch Irrevocable Gift Trust, were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 pre-arranged trading program, effective January 1, 2005. Balance in this trust following the reported transaction is 7,200 shares.

3. The shares, held by the Edward S. Bloch Irrevocable Gift Trust, were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 pre-arranged trading program, effective January 1, 2005. Balance in this trust following the reported transaction is 7,200 shares.

** 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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