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 Addres <u>YABUKI JEF</u>	1 0	Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>H&R BLOCK INC</u> [HRB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last) 4400 MAIN STF	(First) REET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2005	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Executive VP and COO
(Street) KANSAS CITY	МО	64111	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	rivative Securities Acquired. Disposed of, or Bene	Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			3.4. Securities Acquired (A) orTransaction Code (Instr.Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)8)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	08/15/2005		J ⁽¹⁾		10.527	Α	\$56.6	70,371.9938	D			
Common Stock, without par value								1,367.4 ⁽²⁾	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)		l of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	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	\$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	
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	\$43.25							06/30/2004	06/30/2013	Common Stock, without par value	90,000		90,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$47.68							06/30/2005	06/30/2014	Common Stock, without par value	85,000		85,000	D	
Call Option to Purchase	\$58.35							06/30/2006	06/30/2015	Common Stock, without par value	80,000		80,000	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.

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

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

 \ast If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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