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# NOTICE OF APPEARANCE



CASE NAME	FILE/DOCKET NUMBER
H&R Block, Inc.	9427

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES**

**In the matter of**

**H&R BLOCK INC.,**  
a corporation,

**HRB DIGITAL LLC,**  
a limited liability company, and

**HRB TAX GROUP, INC.,**  
a corporation.

**DOCKET NO. 9427**

**STATEMENT OF GOOD STANDING PURSUANT TO 16 C.F.R. § 4.1**

In connection with the Notice of Appearance filed on February 27, 2024, and pursuant to 16 C.F.R. § 4.1(d), I state that I am eligible to practice before the Commission as an attorney admitted to the bar in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Board of Bar Overseers #706122). As requested by 16 C.F.R. § 4.1(d), I further state that I am a member of good standing within the legal profession.

Dated: February 27, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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