

**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
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**JOINT STATUS REPORT FOLLOWING ORDER ON UNOPPOSED MOTION TO
REMOVE CERTAIN REDACTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC COMPLAINT**

Pursuant to the Order on Unopposed Motion to Remove Certain Redactions from the Public Complaint [Dkt. No. 9427], Complaint Counsel and counsel for H&R Block, Inc., HRB Digital LLC, and HRB Tax Group, Inc. (“Respondents”) conferred regarding the remaining redactions contained in paragraphs 29 through 32 of the public version of the Complaint and could not reach an agreement.

Complaint Counsel support removing all redactions to paragraphs 29-32 and will file a motion to remove the redactions by Monday, April 22, 2024, which Respondents will oppose. Respondents are opposed to removing the limited redactions contained in portions of paragraphs 29-32 because they maintain that the redacted information remains competitively sensitive.

Dated: April 18, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on April 18, 2024, I filed the foregoing Joint Status Report Following Order on Unopposed Motion to Remove Certain Redactions from the Public Complaint electronically using the FTC's E-Filing system, and I caused courtesy copies to be sent via email to:

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