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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 September 4, 2024, and pursuant to 16 C.F.R. § 4.1 (d), I state that I am eligible to practice before the Commission as a member of the Bar of the State of Minnesota (Registration No. 0388345). 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.

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I hereby certify that on September 4, 2024, I filed the foregoing document electronically using the FTC's E-Filing system, which will send notification of such filing to:

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