

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
U.S. Department of Justice
Antitrust Division
450 Fifth Street, NW, Suite 7100
Washington, DC 20530

Plaintiff,

v.

H&R BLOCK, INC.
One H&R Block Way
Kansas City, MO 64105;

2SS HOLDINGS, INC.
5925 Dry Creek Lane NE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402; and

TA IX L.P.
John Hancock Tower, 56th Floor
200 Clarendon Street
Boston, MA 02116,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:11-cv-00948 (BAH)

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL


Pursuant to LCvR 83.6(b), please take notice that I, Theodore C. Whitehouse of Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP, hereby withdraw my appearance as counsel of record for H&R Block, Inc. in the above-captioned proceeding with the consent of H&R Block. Along with defendants 2SS Holdings, Inc. and TA IX L.P., H&R Block, Inc. will be represented by J. Robert Robertson, Corey W. Roush, and the law firm of Hogan Lovells US LLP.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on 23 June 2011, I electronically filed the foregoing documents with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of electronic filing to the following counsel:

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