No. 14-2892

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RONALD PERRAS,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

VS.

H&R BLOCK et al.,

Defendants-Appellees.

On Appeal from an Order Denying Class Certification United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri The Honorable Beth Phillips No. 12-00450

PLAINTIFF-APPELLANT'S MOTION TO FILE HIS REPLY BRIEF UNDER SEAL

Dated: December 30, 2014

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At the request of the parties, the district court in this matter entered a Protective Order governing information and documents designated by one of the party's as containing confidential information. *See* Protective Order (Dkt. #41). Appellant's Reply refers to, cites, summarizes, and quotes from documents marked confidential. These documents themselves and any summaries made of them in the brief fall within the contours of the district court's Protective Order (Dkt. #41 at 2).

Pursuant to that Protective Order, appellants have an ongoing obligation to "first move the Court for leave to file [these materials] under seal." (Dkt. #41 at 5). In the exercise of their obligation, appellants therefore request permission to file their reply under seal. By order of the Court, the opening brief and H&R Block's response brief were already filed under seal.

Pursuant to Eighth Circuit Local Rule 25(A)(g), Petitioner believes that this motion to seal may be made publically available on PACER.

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Respectfully submitted,

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