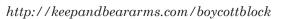
TO H&R BLOCK, WE ARE SECOND-CLASS CITIZENS.

What would you think if **H&R Block** made a promotional offer to members of the NAACP, but upon receiving complaints from the KKK cancelled it with the excuse that they were <u>reluctant to get</u>

"in the middle of a social issue?"

That's exactly what **H&R Block** did to members of the NRA last year just because the NRA represents people who have chosen to exercise a *different* constitutionallyprotected human right.



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Under an "affinity" program offered to

dozens of membership organizations each year, **H&R Block** promised to make a modest donation to NRA's member services organization for any new customer requesting it.

Their announcement drew the ire of a small but noisy group of gun-banning bullies, who threatened H&R Block with a day of picketing unless they recanted their offer.

<u>Gutlessly, H&R Block caved,</u> unilaterally canceling their agreement with the excuse that they didn't want to get "in the middle of a social issue."

By their actions, they branded American gun owners as social lepers. Social bigotry is just as ugly as racial bigotry.

<u>NRA members are law-abiding</u> hunters, law officers, servicemen, competitors, and sportsmen. <u>NRA members are your neighbors</u> (45% of homes in America have at least one firearm). <u>Maybe you are an NRA member yourself.</u>

We don't deserve to be treated like pariahs because of anti-choice bullies.

We will be picketing outside this **H&R Block** office until **H&R Block** offers American gun owners a **<u>public apology for their bigotry</u>** and reinstitutes the broken agreement.

<u>UNTIL THEN, WE ASK YOU</u> <u>NOT TO GIVE YOUR TAX BUSINESS TO H&R BLOCK.</u>

Instead, may we suggest you patronize the convenient competitor(s) listed below.

Keep in mind: If you are audited, H&R Block promises to be there for you, to defend their work to the IRS. How far can you trust the word of a company that has shown how little its promises mean when the pressure is on?

Thank you. Tell your family and friends.

Have your taxes done this year at: