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Mr. Harold Weisberg
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Dear Sir: Re: **JAMES EARL RAY**, Docket No: B16645

Thank you for your check of April 18, 1969, for which your receipt is attached.

The "Amended and Supplemental Motion for a New Trial", was filed in this office by Mr. **Richard J. Ryan** on April 7, 1969. It bears the signature of James Earl Ray as petitioner, and the signatures of Richard J. Ryan, J. B. Stoner, and Robert W. Hill, Jr., as attorneys for defendant.

The file does not indicate that the Court has appointed any attorney or attorneys in the above mentioned action. Our record reflects that attorneys representing James Earl Ray have been: Mr. Arthur J. Hanes and Mr. Arthur J. Hanes, Jr., of Birmingham, Alabama; Mr. Percy Foreman, of Houston, Texas; and Mr. Richard J. Ryan, Mr. J. B. Stoner, and Mr. Robert W. Hill, Jr. Our records do not include information relative to retention arrangements between this defendant and his attorneys.

You are welcome to copies of any record at your request for a fee of \$.90¢ per page.

Respectfully,

J. A. BLACKWELL, Clerk

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