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James Hiram Lesar, Esq.
1231 Fourth Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20024

RE: James Earl Ray v. J. H. Rose, Warden, Tennessee
State Penitentiary, No. A-90

Dear Mr. Lesar:

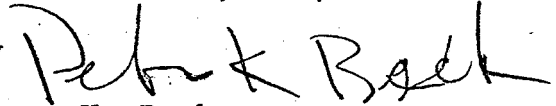
Your application for an extension of time in which to file a petition for writ of certiorari in the above-entitled case has been presented to Mr. Justice Powell, who on August 4, 1976, signed an order extending your time to and including October 7, 1976.

A copy of the Justice's order is enclosed.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL RODAK, JR., Clerk

By


Peter K. Beck
Assistant Clerk

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