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—A federal judge has given Warden James Rose of the Tennessee State Prison 20 days to respond to James Earl Ray's charges that he has been denied access to the prison's law library.

U. S. District Court Judge L. Clure Morton issued the order in a suit filed by the convicted assassin of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

In another case, seeking Ray's release from solitary confinement, Assistant State Attorney General Henry Haile

Attorney General Henry Haile said his office hopes to file a writ within the next two weeks requesting a U.S. Supreme Court hearing.