

Clark Joins Magee Trial As Counsel

Former United States Attorney General Ramsey Clark officially joined the defense yesterday in the murder-kidnap trial here of San Quentin convict Ruchell Magee.

Superior Court Judge Morton Colvin, on the unanimous advice of the California Supreme Court, seated Clark as co-counsel for Magee with attorney Robert Carrow.

Colvin had twice barred Clark from acting as Carrow's associate.

As the trial resumed after a five-day delay for the higher court ruling on Clark, psychiatrist Martin Blinder continued his defense testimony with regard to the defendant.

Blinder said he found Magee to have "at least average intelligence," and there was nothing in the prison records to show that Magee was ever suspended for an act of violence against guards or other prisoners.
