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Mr. Bennet Olan
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Re: State of Tennessee vs. James Earl Ray

Dear Mr. Olan:

I wish to express my appreciation to you for your letter of November 3rd to Mr. Dwyer of this office, advising that Dr. Hadley will voluntarily appear in Memphis as a witness in the above trial.

We will certainly give him as much advance notice as possible, and it is not anticipated that his presence will be required in Memphis for longer than two days at the maximum.

The State of Tennessee will re-imburse Dr. Hadley in the amount of ten cents (10¢) a mile from his point of origin in California to Memphis, Tennessee, and ten cents (10¢) a mile from Memphis, Tennessee back to his point of origin in California. Also, under Tennessee law, the State of Tennessee will pay Dr. Hadley five dollars ($5.00) per day while he is in attendance at the trial. If Dr. Hadley does not need an advance from the State in order to purchase his transportation here, he will be re-imbursed per above schedule at the conclusion of his testimony.

Although the State law does not provide that the room and board of a witness will be assumed by the State in addition to the five dollars ($5.00) per day attendance fee, I am attempting to have this arrangement worked out with the State. I cannot guarantee, however, that Dr. Hadley will receive room and board

in addition to the above allowed expenses. If my cursory mathematical calculation is correct, I feel sure that Dr. Hadley will not be out any personal expenses, even if his room and board cannot be absorbed.

I certainly thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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