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Mr. Ernest R. Cooper, Editor  
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Dear Sir:

This letter is to verify your reception of the test program broadcast by WHRT, January 15, 1957 - 3:30 - 4:00 CST.

Also we would like to thank you for your fine DX report.

It appears that CMEL, Havana, gave WHRT more interference than had been anticipated but we were pleasantly surprised to receive so many DX'er reports from all over. It seems we were received in every section of the U.S., even on the West coast although there was considerable fading there.

WHRT is a fairly new station having been on the air since October 25, 1956, so as you can see these DX'er reports were of more than just general interest to us.

Want to thank you again for the concise reports and hope you will forgive this form letter as we were swamped with DX'er letters and this seems the quickest way to send you your verifications.

Sincerely,

*Gene Newman*

GENE NEWMAN, President

GH/pn  
We sign on at WHRT at 7:00 this month. Hartselle, I believe was named after an "old upstanding founder family. Its population is approximately 4000 - but sits in the Tenn. Valley Area - with many surrounding rural farms - the put the surrounding population at about 10,000 - (with city pop.) - WHRT affiliated with WELB, Birmingham, we do not have a coverage map, sorry. No early morning frequency checks →