

*Card missing
when envelope with various
was returned to me
(see attached
note)*

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Sept. 20, 1996

Voice of America
Washington, DC 20547

I would like to report reception of your medium wave radio station on 1548 kilocycles in Kuwait. This is the only VOA station listed as using 1548 kilocycles. I logged your station on Friday Sept. 20, 1996 from 0153 to 0232 Universal Standard Time on a Drake R8A receiver using two 80 foot antennas connected to a DL2 phasing unit. Your signal was quite strong but picking up specific words was often difficult because of interference from several stations on 1550 kilocycles, especially CBE Windsor, which problem would of course not occur in the Kuwait area. I offer the following reception details:

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- 0153 - Two men conversing in American English.
- 0154 - A man and a woman now in conversation.
- 0159 - Very brief musical interlude.
- 0200 - Man mentioned Voice of America, world wide news, and CNN, and read the news.
- 0217-0229 - Conversation between man and woman. Mentioned Iraq situation and other items.
- 0230 - Man mentioned Voice of America, then did weather forecast in centegrade.
- 0232 - Commentary continued.

I would certainly appreciate it if you verify my reception of VOA Kuwait as to medium wave frequency, 1548, and the time and date heard. I would also be interested in knowing what power was being used because the signal seemed much stronger than the listed 100 kilowatts. I am enclosing return postage.

Sincerely,

Benjamin Dangerfield

9/17

Hi Ben,

The enclosed packet showed up at P.O. Box Monday.

No note or anything, just the packet and QSLs. Brown paper wrapping had no return address just a post mark that read G.M.F. - 199 and bore the date 9-1-97. Since the 1st was a holiday it must have been posted at a drop box they pickup on holidays.

Anyway here they are. Glad they turned up. 73,

Ken