



**Maryland Department of Transportation
State Highway Administration**

O. James Lighthizer
Secretary
Hal Kassoff
Administrator

December 15, 1993

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your letter on December 6th. Maryland operates three Travelers Advisory Radio Stations on 1610 KHz. One is located on MD 895 and Moravia Road on the Baltimore Harbor Tunnel throughway north. This is station WPCT 627. The second station is located on MD 695 and Rt. 26, Liberty Road, in Baltimore County. This also is call sign WPCT 627. The third station is located on U.S. 50 and U.S. 13 in Salisbury MD, call sign WNQA 283.

The "TAR" Travelers Advisory Radio are controlled from the "Baltimore State Wide Operation Center" in Baltimore City. Also two traffic operations centers can input messages as the situation requires.

The station itself consist of: Radio systems inc., TR-20, 20 watt AM transmitter, A3 Emission. Alarnco Inc. AP-55 Digital voice recorder, a loaded vertical whip element on a 20 foot wooden pole, with 12 @ 100 foot ground radiales. The digital recorder is accessible via telephone lines. Also included is a Plectron Inc. FM receiver for NONA weather rebroadcast. The equipment is housed in a metal cabinet mounted on a 30 foot wooden pole.

We are pleased to confirm that the messages you copied from station WNQA 283 and WPCT 627 are correct on the dates and times you noted.

Thank you for your time and interest.

Sincerely,

Edward Hand
Radio Tech III

My telephone number is 410-333-7579

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MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

TRAVELERS ADVISORY RADIO

STATION: W N Q A 2 8 3
LOCATION: US 50 & US 13 in Salisbury
FREQUENCY: 1610 kiloHertz
POWER: 20 watt
ANTENNA: Loaded vertical Whip element on a 20 ft
wooded pole

Reception of Travelers Advisory Radio Station
WNQA283 at Walnutport, PA, is hereby verified.

Date: December 3, 1993
Time: 6:52 - 7:04 A.M., E.S.T.

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TRAVELERS ADVISORY RADIO

STATION: W P C T 6 2 7
LOCATION: MD 695 & Rt. 26, MD 895 & Moravia Rd.
FREQUENCY: 1610 kiloHertz
POWER: 20 Watt
ANTENNA: Loaded vertical Whip element on a 20 ft
wooded pole

Reception of Travelers Advisory Radio Station
WPCT627 at Walnutport, PA, is hereby verified.

Date: December 3, 1993
Time: 5:42 - 6:52; 7:04 - 7:30 A.M., E.S.T.
