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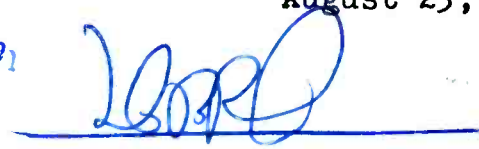
# DX LISTENING POST

of: Kermit Geary  
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August 23, 1987

General Manager  
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## WCZN-AM STEREO

Dear Sir,

You will be pleased to note that WCZN continues to be heard up here in the Lehigh Valley near Allentown, Pa. This is a follow-up to my letters of January 16 and February 14, 1986, in which I reported my reception of the new Country Cousin, WCZN, on 1590 kiloHertz.

On Saturday morning, August 22, 1987, I tuned in at 10:55 A.M., Eastern Daylight Time, and continued listening to the fine program of country music conducted by the female announcer, along with various announcements and advertisements and the ABC network news on the hour, until 12:00 Noon, E.D.T. The signal which I received from WCZN on 1590 kiloHertz was moderately strong, rating a good S-8 report as indicated on the signal-strength meter. At that level your transmission completely dominated the frequency at this location, 68 miles north of Chester. There was no co-channel interference, and just an occasional trace of splatter from WHOL, Allentown (15 miles south of here), which operates on the adjacent frequency of 1600 kiloHertz with a power of 500 watts. Fading was negligible, and there was no atmospheric static.

It was noted that WCZN's signal was clean-cut and fully modulated. The tonal quality was very good and clear. As the result of these favorable conditions, your broadcast was heard with good clarity and readability. It is a pleasure to hear the Country Cousin reach out in such fine shape, and you are to be congratulated on the power and efficiency of the the transmitting equipment.

I listened to WCZN on my Hammarlund HQ-180 communications receiver, using 18 tubes. The antenna is a Model SM-2 Space Magnet, a rotatable 12-inch ferrite rod with 2 stages of preamplification. Ground connection is made to a well 175 ft. deep. I am situated along the Lehigh River, 15 miles north of Allentown, Pa., and (as mentioned above) 68 miles north of Chester.

I would be happy to receive your reply, kindly confirming my reception of WCZN on 1590 kiloHertz as reported above. Your verification of the fact that I heard your broadcast on Saturday, August 22nd, will be greatly appreciated. Return postage is enclosed for your reply. As proof that I was tuned to the Country Cousin, I give the following description of the programming to which I listened: