

THE VOICE OF AMERICA IN NORTH AFRICA  
c/o American Consulate General  
Algiers, Algeria

February 19, 1946

Mr. Norman L. Maguire  
83 Prospect Street  
East Hartford 8, Connecticut  
U.S.A.

Dear Mr. Maguire:

Thank you very much for your letter of January 15, 1946. We are happy to verify your report of reception of our 50,000 watt station operating on 1176 kc, dated January 15, 1946, from 06:03 hours to 06:44 hours GMT.

The Voice of America stations in North Africa are owned and operated by the United States Government-- their main function being to relay news and entertainment programs originating in the Voice of America studios in New York.

The programs are broadcast over a number of high-power shortwave transmitters from the States, received in a small town near Algiers and relayed by 50,000 watt transmitters which use directional rhombic antennae beamed on Europe.

At present we have one station operating on 25.49 meters from 1100 hours to 1700 hours GMT, one station operating on 49.79 meters from 1705 hours to 2300 hours GMT, and one station operating on 49.66 meters from 1730 hours to 2300 hours GMT. We also have one medium wave transmitter operating with a power of 50,000 watts on 255 meters from 1530 hours to 2300 hours GMT.

Hoping this information will be of some interest to you,  
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Sincerely yours,



Eileen Reis  
Program Director

enc: Algiers Relay Schedule