

690 kcs  
1 kw

Armed Forces Radio Station WVUQ  
Hq USAF  
APO 709

22 December, 1945

Mr. Norman L. Manguire  
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Dear Sir:

This is to verify your reception of the Armed Forces Radio Station WVUQ at Guadalcanal. Your report of 6 Dec. has been checked against our station log, and seems to talley in all respects.

Incidentally, 6 December (your time) was our last day of broadcasting. A new station was installed and is presently being operated by the Army Airways Communications System. The new station is on the same frequency with the same power. The transmitter is a Western Electric 443-A with Doherty Amplifier. Coverage on the island is much better as the new location is much better, and a better ground system is employed. The old station used an RCA 1-K transmitter, and the antenna was surrounded by cocoanut trees on all sides.

I would appreciate very much if you would listen for the new station as I feel sure that you will hear it, and would like to make it of record.

In closing, thanks very much for your report, and hope to hear from you very soon, 73 es SK,

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