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Dear Mr. Thomas,

Your letter of 13th July has been passed to this department and we apologise for the delay in replying.

The medium wave station which you received in Mauritania and Senegal was presumably the relay station on Masirah Island. This relay operates on 700/701/1410/1412/ kHz and carries relays of some of the BBC External Services in English, Arabic, Persian, Hindi and Urdu. The operating power is 1500 kW and the service area is the nearer parts of India, Pakistan and Sri Lanka. We do however, receive occasional reports of reception at much greater distances.

We have pleasure in enclosing our acknowledgement card and thank you for your information.

Yours sincerely,

(Miss V. R. Pressman),  
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