

THE NIGERIAN BROADCASTING SERVICE

Broadcasting House, Lagos,

NIGERIA.

20/2/56.

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Dear Sir,

*National* Thank you for your report of the reception of our Programme transmitter on 4500kc/s, dated 30.1.56 which was of great interest to us. The following details of the Nigerian Broadcasting Service may interest you.

The N.B.S. provides National and Regional broadcasting services for the Africans of Nigeria and the British Cameroons, the total population of which is approximately 31,000,000. The National transmitter is located 12 miles North of Lagos; its power is 20kW.

Nigeria is divided into three regions. The Northern Region has a studio centre and a 7.5kW transmitter located at Kaduna. The Eastern Region has a studio centre and a 2½kW transmitter at Enugu. The Western Region is similarly provided with studio facilities and a 1kW transmitter at Ibadan.

Main studio centres are equipped for disc and tape recording outside or remote broadcasts and have receiving equipment for the reception of the National Programme and overseas transmissions when required.

In the Northern and Eastern Regions the N.B.S. operate Radio Distribution (wired radio) Service stations. These are equipped with receivers, recording gear and a small studio, programmes are fed to the listeners' loudspeakers by telephone lines from one kilowatt audio amplifiers.

Attached are details of the present working frequencies.

I return herewith your International Reply Coupon.

Yours faithfully,

*W. A. Cooke.*

DNC/JMP

for CHIEF ENGINEER.

P.S. Your reception log has been checked, and agrees with our programme schedule. I am, therefore, able officially to confirm your reception of the National Transmitter of the Nigerian Broadcasting Service.

~~Your reception log has been checked and does not agree with our programme schedule. I am, therefore, unable officially to confirm your reception of the National~~