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Dear Sir,

I have received your letter of 2/February 1975 and thank you most sincerely for writing.

It is a great pleasure to inform you that your report on the reception of the Voice of Meteorology is entirely in conformity with our transmissions being made on 6900 kHz.

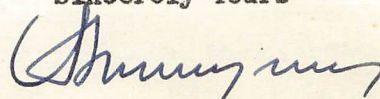
The Turkish State Meteorological Service employs a transmitter with a power of 2.5 Kw for the purpose of the Voice of Meteorology. The antenna used is a delta matched open wire balanced 500-600 Ohms and 76 feet long by a height of 56 feet from the ground.

Daily programme of the Voice of Meteorology consisting of both music and weather news for the public is as follows:

- 0455 to 0500 GMT Identification signal, a melody performed with what we call "saz" in Turkish, an instrument like a twangy mandolin but somewhat different in size and structure.
- 0500 to 0700 GMT Turkish folk music and modern Turkish music with weather news at the interludes during the programme.
- 0800 to 0940 GMT Ditto
- 1200 to 1615 GMT Ditto
- 1800 to 1930 GMT Ditto

Dear sir, your kind report is highly appreciated. I therefore avail myself of this opportunity and extend my sincere thanks for your valuable receptions you were so kind as to report. Any reports from now onwards if you consider to be interesting to us will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely Yours



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