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Freq.	Date	Time-UTC	ITU Station, Language and Programme Details.	SINPO Contributor
162	31.12.16	2255	F France Inter, Allouis, FF: The End.	45444 CG
648	16.01.17	0545-0555	SVN R.Murski Val, Slovenian: Song "Grace and Poise(A)"by Daryl Griffith, TK, Commercials (among them one for Citroen), Song "Cake" by The Ocean.	45444 AN
648	22.01.17	0702-0706	SVN R.Murski Val, Slovenian: Song "Vencek Uspenic" by Stanka Kovacic, TK.	35433 AN
729	03.01.17	0650	E RNE R.1, Valladolid, SS: Regional NX Castilla y Leon	F. RP
783	14.01.17	2207-2217	SYR Syrian R., Tartus, AA: TK (NX). QRM from Spain.	43333 AN
783	22.01.17	0032-0035	E COPE Miramar, SS: ID, Sport NX, ID, TK.	44444 AN
828	15.01.17	0030	E Hit FM, Terrasa, EE: ID e MX.	G. RP
882	09.01.17	2157	E COPE Alicante, SS: ID+Commercials for local business	G. RP
900	24.01.17	2255	E COPE Granada, SS: ID, Commercials for local business	F. RP
900	24.01.17	2330	ARS Saudi BC, Qurayyat, AA: TK by YL // a 1521 KHz	F. RP
900	25.01.17	1730	I RAI R.1, Milano, IT: Regional NX (Gazzettino Padano)	E. RP
945	14.01.17	2200-2203	ROU R.Romania Actualitati,Miercurea, RM: ID+Time Pips+NX	34333 AN
1026	13.01.17	1740	E R.Reus, CT: ID, Commercials for local business.	G. RP
1026	25.01.17	1745	IRN IRIB R.Tabriz, Azarshahr Farsi: TK.	F. RP
1044	23.01.17	2255	E R.S.Sebastian, SS:ID, Commercials for local business	G. RP
1053	12.01.17	1855	ROU R.Iasi, RM: ID.	G. RP
1098	19.01.17	2000-2020	ARS SBC R.Jeddah, Dammam, AA: ID. // 1089 kHz.	23442 PR
1107	23.01.17	1835	E RNE R.5, Logrono, SS: Regional NX La Rioja	G. RP
1116	02.01.17	1730	I RAI R.1, Palermo, IT: Regional NX of Sicilia.	G. RP
1224	11.01.17	1855	E COPE Lleida, CT: ID, Commercials for local business.	G. RP
1224	26.01.17	1755	E COPE Mallorca, SS: ID+Commercials for local business	G. RP
1269	23.01.17	2157	E COPE Zamora, SS: ID, Commercials for local business.	F. RP
1296	22.01.17	0023-0028	SDN R.Omdurman, via Reiba AA: TK, Song "Shouf El Ein" by Nelli Makdessi.	44444 AN
1350	08.01.17	1817-1834	ARM TWR Asia, Gavar, EE/Turkish:Leading the Way Ministry	43443 PR
1350	28.01.17	2330	I I AM R., IT: Special PX to commemorate Angelo Borra founder of first italian private station Radio Milano International who dead a few days ago.info@iamradio.am	E. RP
1359	15.01.17	0010	I R.Time, Pistoia, IT: ID, MX.	G. RP
1368	15.01.17	0015	I Challenger R., Villa Estense, EE: NX.	G. RP
1368	22.01.17	0009-0022	I Challenger R., Villa Estense: EE: NX. At 0015 Song "Come in uno specchio" by Eugenio Finardi.	34433 AN
1377	05.01.17	1902-1922	ARM TWR Asia, Gavar, EE/Farsi: Leading the Way Ministry.	33443 PR
1377	22.01.17	0000-0007	TZN R.Free Africa, Mwanza, Swahili: Phone in. ID, Jingle Web, TK, Song "Destiny" by Buiu Banton.	34433 AN
1377	29.01.17	0106-0114	TZN R.Free Africa, Mwanza, Swahili: TK, African MX. At 0112 Song "Songa Mbele" by Bahati Bukuku.	35333 AN
1413	25.01.17	1835	E RNE R.5, Jaen, SS: Regional NX Andalucia.	F. RP
1431	07.01.17	1900-1903	UKR R.Ukraine Int., Mykolaiv, RR: IS, ID, Frqs, Web, NX.	44544 AN
1467	04.01.17	2045	F TWR, Roumoules, Polish:	45544 CG
1503	07.01.17	1751-1813	BIH R.Zavidovici, Bosnian: Relay of RFE PX. At 1800 TS, Commercials, NX. At 1812 ID and Local Folk song.	44333 AN
1503	16.01.17	0527-0544	BIH R.1503 Zavidovici, Zavidovici, Bosnian: TK with many mentions of BIH. Song "Ceznja" by Nina Badric. At 0536 Radio Kalendar (It sounded like a review of historical events that occurred on this day).	45444 AN
1503	20.01.17	0458-0510	BIH R. 1503 Zavidovici, Zavidovici, Bosnian: NA, NX relayed from R.Bosnie I Herzegovine.	43443 PR
1530	07.01.17	1721-1726	STP VOA, Pinheira relay, PP: NX report, ID, Song.//13630	44444 AN
1566	14.01.17	2143-2154	BEN TWR Benin, Parakou, FF: Rlgs TK and song "Je vis ta libertè" by Face a Face. Web address twr360.org.	44444 AN
1575	02.01.17	1110	I RAI R.1, Genova, IT: Regional NX of Liguria.	G. RP
1584	04.01.17	1925	I IBC via R.Studio X, Momigno, IT: Mailbag PX. E-mail: ibc@europe.com	G. RP
1584	05.01.17	1735	E R.Gandia, SS: ID, Commercials for local business.	F. RP
1584	04.01.17	2030	I IBC via R.Studio X, Momigno, IT:	45444 CG
1593	15.01.17	0005	F R.Bretagne 5, Quesso, FF: MX-	F. RP
1602	04.01.17	1840	E R.Ontinyent, SS: ID, Commercials for local business.	G. RP
1602	22.01.17	2230	I Regional R., Otricoli, IT: MX.	F. RP
1610	29.01.17	0045	AIA Caribbean Beacon, Anguilla, EE: Rlgs TK.	F. RP
2325	03.01.17	2045-2057	AUS VL8T ABC, Tennant Creek, NT, EE: TK.	14321 MM
2325	30.01.16	1044-1050	AUS ABC Tennant Creek, EE: Song, ID , interview. At 1050 canned anmnt by OM: "ABC will be switching off its shortwave services in the Northern Territory tomorrow. You'll still be able to hear ABC Radio on AM and FM, as well as online with the ABC Radio app. All ABC Radio and digital services will continue to be available on the VAST satellite service. You can find out more at abc.net.au/shortwave. Or call the reception advice line on 1-300-13-9994", then promo, ID, //2485, 4835 (really strong) of course.	F. DV
2485	03.01.17	2040-2105	AUS VL8K ABC, Katherine, NT, EE: TK, Songs.	14321 MM

3310	04.01.17	0030-0037	BOL R.Mosoj Chaski, Cotapachi, Quechua: TK.	24321	MM
3895	28.01.17	2350	PIR Crazy Wave R., EE: ID, MX. E-mail: shortwave@gmx.de	G.	RP
3905	28.01.17	2325	PIR R.Alice, EE: ID, MX. E-mail: radioalice@hotmail.com	G.	RP
3915	07.01.17	2350	SGP BBC, Kranjii relay, EE: NX.	G.	RP
3932	29.01.17	0005	PIR Rammstein R., EE: ID, MX. Mail: rammsteinradio@gmx.de	F.	RP
3975	04.01.17	1900	I IBC Italian Broadcasting Corporation, IT:	35443	CG
3975	04.01.17	2002-2010	I IBC Italian Broadcasting Corp. IT: DX PX "Studio DX"	35433	PR
4055	04.01.17	0540-0620	GTM R.Verdad, Chiquimula, EE/SS: Rlgs songs & TK, ID, TK.	14321	MM
4055	29.01.17	0550-0600	GTM R.Verdad, Chiquimula, EE:, songs and TK, ID in SS.	14321	MM
4765	04.01.17	0450-0500*	CUB R.Progreso, La Habana, SS: NX, ID, NA. S/OFF at 0500	34433	MM
4765	04.01.17	1852-1910	TJK Tajik R., Dushanbè, Tajik: TK and songs.	24322	MM
4774.9	04.01.17	0032-0044	PRU R.Tarma, Tarma, SS: TK.	14321	MM
4810	28.01.17	1731-1733	IND AIR Bhopal, EE: NX. QRM from Armenia. // 5010, 4920.	12321	MM
4835	03.01.17	2018-2107	AUS VL8A ABC, Alice Springs, NT, EE: TK, at 2030 NX.	24322	MM
4835	07.01.17	1647-1712	AUS VL8A ABC, Alice Springs, NT, EE: TK.	24322	MM
4835	24.02.17	1720-1733	AUS VL8A ABC, Alice Springs, NT, EE: TK. At 1730 NX.	24322	MM
4835	28.01.17	1732-1745	AUS VL8A ABC, Alice Springs, NT, EE: NX, TK.	14321	MM
4864.5	04.01.17	0449-0514	B R.Alvorada, Londrina, PP: TK.	14321	MM
4875.1	04.01.17	0031-0040	B R.Difusora Roraima, Boavista, PP: TK+Brazilian songs.	14321	MM
4885	03.01.17	2136-2146	B R.Clube do Pará, Belém, PP: TK. Not A Voz do Brasil!	14321	MM
4885	04.01.17	0518-0620	B R.Clube do Pará, Belém, PP: Brazilian songs, ID.	24322	MM
4885	08.01.17	0745-0810	B R.Clube do Pará, Belém, PP: Brazilian songs, TK.	14321	MM
4885	14.01.17	0410	B R.Clube do Pará, Belem, PP: MX.	G.	RP
4885	28.01.17	2355	B R.Clube do Pará, Belem, PP: NX.	F.	RP
4885	29.01.17	0745-0820	B R.Clube do Pará, Belém, Brazilian and other songs.	24322	MM
4895	07.01.17	1650-1700	IND AIR, Kurseong, Hindi: Local songs and TK.	14321	MM
4910	28.01.17	1730-1733	IND AIR Jaipur, EE: NX. // 5010, 4920 kHz.	14321	MM
4920	28.01.17	1659-1733	IND AIR Chennai, EE: Local songs. At 1730 ID, NX.//5010.	23322	MM
4949.7	03.01.17	1745-1850	AGL R.Nacional de Angola, Mulenvos, PP: TK.@ 1800 ID, NX	14321	MM
4985	03.01.17	2136-2145	B R.Brasil Central, Goiania, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil".	14321	MM
5010	24.01.16	1658-1715	IND AIR Thiruvananthapuram, Hindi: TK, Songs.	34433	MM
5010	28.01.17	1658-1733	IND AIR Thiruvanthapuram, Hindi: TK and songs. At 1730 NX in EE.	24322	MM
5025	03.01.17	2140-2150	AUS VL8K ABC, Katherine, NT, EE: TK. QRM from R.Rebelde.	21321	MM
5040	07.01.17	1658-1710	IND AIR, Jeypore, - Local songs.	14321	MM
5040	24.01.16	1702-1716	IND AIR Jeypore, Local MX.	14321	MM
5040	28.01.17	1702-1717	IND AIR Jeypore, Local songs. // 5010, 4920 kHz.	14321	MM
5885	02.01.17	1530	MRA R.Free Asia, Tinian relay, Korean:	45444	CG
5910	04.01.17	0509-0545	CLM Alcaraván R., Puerto Lleras, SS: LA songs, ID+Rlgs TK	24322	MM
5915	30.01.16	0258-0302	ZMB ZNBC R.One, Lusaka, VV: Song, ID. QRM from 5920.	F.	DV
5939.8	03.01.17	2135-2142	B Voz Missionaria, Camboriú, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil".	14321	MM
5940	14.01.17	2350	B Voz Missionaria, Camboriu, PP: Rlgs TK.	F.	RP
5940	22.01.17	0608-0612	B Voz Missionaria, Camboriu, PP: WX. // 9665 kHz.	25332	PR
5950	28.01.17	1725-1750	ETH VO Tigray Revolution, Addis Ababa, VV: TK, East Afri- can songs.	23322	MM
5950	07.01.17	0254-0302	ETH VO Tigray Revolution, IS Although the carrier came on around 0254, the flute IS didn't start until 0302.	F.	DV
5952.4	04.01.17	0027-0036	BOL R.Pio XII, Siglo XX, SS: TK. Better on LSB.	14321	MM
5952.5	29.01.17	0040	BOL R.Pio XII, Siglo XX, Aymara: TK.	G.	RP
5965	04.01.17	0640-0651	B R.Transmundial, Santa Maria, PP: Rlgs TK and songs.	14321	MM
5995	04.01.17	0701-0723	B R.Diffusion Malienne, Bamako, FF: TK, ID: Radio Mali	14321	MM
5995	07.01.17	2345	MLI R.Diffusion Malienne, Bamako, FF: African MX.	F.	RP
5995	29.01.17	0748-0756	MLI R.Diffusion Malienne, Bamako, VV: TK.	14321	MM
6045	15.01.17	0945	D European Music R., Datteln, EE: ID, MX. E-mail: emrshortwave@gmail.com	E.	RP
6049.9	07.01.17	2326-0002	LBR ELWA, EE: Gospel Pop-like MX, Live OM w/happy new years greeting, Closing anmnt, ID, NA and off @ 0002.	XXXXX	DV
6050	04.01.17	0540-0630	LBR ELWA R., Monrovia, EE: Rlgs songs and TK.	14321	MM
6070	30.12.16	1500	D R.Pushka, via Rohrbach Waal, Ed: Details?	35433	CG
6070	04.01.17	1810-1818	D IBC via Rohrbach Waal, IT: DX PX Panorama Onde Corte	35333	AN
6070	08.01.17	1000	D R.DARC, via Rohrbach Waal, GG: ID. radio@darc.de	E.	RP
6070	29.01.17	0030	CAN CFRB, Toronto, EE: NX.	F.	RP
6085	04.01.17*	0755-0830	D R.Mi Amigo, Kall Krekel, EE: Pop MX, TS, ID, TK.	24322	MM
6085	29.01.17*	0755-0810	D R.Mi Amigo, Kall Krekell relay, EE: ID, Pop MX.	24322	MM
6100	29.01.17	1630-1654	AFG R.Aghanistan, Kabul, AA: ID, NX, Song. At 1641 song. At 1654 blocked by China R.Int.'s carrier on same QRG.	35333	AN*
6115	03.01.17	1806-1820	CGO R.Congo, Brazzaville, FF: TK.	12321	MM
6115	24.01.16	1803-1809	CGO R.Congo, Brazzaville, FF: TK. Very weak.	14321	MM
6115	28.01.17	1941-1754	CGO R.Congo, Brazzaville, FF: TK. Very weak.	13221	MM
6120	04.01.17	0744-0755	B Super R.Deus e Amor, Sao Paulo, PP: Rlgs TK.	14321	MM
6134.8	04.01.17	0033-0046	BOL R.Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz de la Sierra, SS: TK. QRM from R.Aparecida	12321	MM
6135.1	04.01.17	0746-0805	B R.Aparecida, Aparecida, PP: Rlgs TK, ID.	24322	MM
6135.2	29.01.17	0751-0904	B R.Aparecida, Aparecida, PP: Rlgs TK, ID.	24322	MM
6145	01.01.17	2100	ARM R.Pushka, Gavar relay, Ed: No details.	45544	CG
6145	22.01.17	0044-0049	D Mighty KBC R., via Datteln, EE: Rock MX "Tarantula" by Watts, ID, TK.	45333	AN

6150	28.01.17	1630-1655	D	Europa 24, Datteln relay, GG: NX, TK, Pop MX.	14321	MM
6160	29.01.17	0035	CAN	CKZN, St John's, EE: NX.	F.	RP
6180	03.01.17	2106-2110	B	R.Nacional da Amazonia, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil".	34433	MM
6180	08.01.17	0745-0810	B	R.Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia, PP: TK, ID, Brazi- lian songs.	24322	MM
6180	29.01.17	0602-0620	B	R.Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia, Brazilian songs.	24322	MM
6185	04.01.17	0516-0540	MEX	R.Educación, Ciudad de México, SS: LA songs, TK.	14321	MM
6195	14.01.17	2100	BOT	VOA, Selebi Pikwe relay, EE: ID and IS Yanke Doodle.	34333	AN
6205	14.01.17	2350	PIR	Coast FM, Tenerife, EE: ID, MX.	G.	RP
6225	15.01.17	1030	PIR	R.Casanova, EE: ID, MX. radiocasanova@hotmail.com	G.	RP
6235	29.01.17	0955	PIR	R.Waves Int., EE: ID, MX. E-mail: rwaves@free.fr	G.	RP
6240	08.01.17	1010	PIR	R.Waves Int., IT: ID, MX. E-mail: rwaves@free.fr	G.	RP
6245	08.01.17	0910	PIR	R.Casanova, DD: ID, MX. radiocasanova@hotmail.com	G.	RP
6250	15.01.17	1020	PIR	R.Carneval, EE: ID, MX. E-mail radiocarneval@gmx.net	F.	RP
6260	08.01.17	0925	PIR	R.Thunderbird, GG: ID, MX. Address: c/o SRS Germany, G. Postfach 101145, 99801 Eisenach, Germany.	G.	RP
6305	28.01.17	1220	PIR	R.Merlin Int, EE: ID, MX radiomerlin@blueyonderco.uk	G.	RP
6875	29.01.17	0950	I	R.Europe, IT: ID, MX. E-mail: radioeurope@iol.it	G.	RP
6915	29.01.17	0945	I	Key Channel R., EE: MX, E-mail: keyradioam@gmail.com	G.	RP
6950	29.01.17	0935	I	Enterprise R., Special PX to commemorate Angelo Borra G. founder of R.Milano Int. enterpriseradio@hotmail.com	G.	RP
7120	04.01.17	1750	SOM	R.Hargeisa, Somali: MX.	F.	RP
7254.9	12.01.17	0758-0800	NIG	VO Nigeria, EE: IS, ID, PX rundown, ID, Website.	F.	DV
7255	04.01.17	0629-0645	NGR	VO Nigeria, Ikorodu, VV: IS, TK (Mentions of Nigeria)	34433	MM
7310	22.01.17	1100	D	R.Gloria Int., via Kall Krekei, GG: ID, MX. E-mail: G. radiogloria@aol.com	G.	RP
7365	29.01.17	0120-0124	USA	R.Marti, via Greenville, SS: Interview, NX on Cuba	45444	AN
7435	22.01.17	0051-0055	USA	R.Marti, via Greenville, SS: Interview with Presi- dent of "Asociacion Nacional Hacendados de Cuba".	55444	AN
7700.2	05.01.17	0350-0420	???	UNID, AA? TK, Sermon.	25342	PR
7750.1	03.01.17	1825-1833	SOM	Warsan FM, AA? Ed: According to EiBi shortwave schedules, at 1800-1830, is scheduled BBC in Somali.	25332	PR
9230	08.01.17	1400-1420	TWN	R.Free Asia, via Sound of Hope, EE: ID, then into Cantonese. // 11100, 15800 & presumed 9320 kHz.	25332	PR
9265	22.01.16	2107-2219	USA	WINB, Red Lion, Pennsylvania, EE: Rlgs TK.	24322	MM
9275	23.01.16	2150-2210	USA	WMLK, Bethel, Pennsylvania, EE: Rlgs TK.	34433	MM
9345	14.01.17	1405	PHL	FEBC, Iba, CC: TK.	G.	RP
9355	08.01.17	1330	KWT	Deewa R., Kuwait, Pashto: TK.	G.	RP
9390	14.01.17	1909-1924	THA	R.Thailand, via Udonthani, EE: Promo for Thai compa- nies, NX, ID, Promo for Thai Airways flights to Moscow	45333	AN
9475	29.01.17	0132-0135	USA	WTWW, Lebanon, EE: Interview.	45444	AN
9495	14.01.17	1900-1903	MDG	Madagascar World Voice, RR: IS, ID as "KNLS", Song "Good Riddance" by The Green Day, IF and Address.	44444	AN
9495	22.01.16	1945-1959*	MDG	Madagascar World Voice, Antanarivo, RR: TK (by KNLS)	34433	MM
9495	29.01.17	1804-1807	TUR	VO Turkey, via Emirler, SS: Mailbag PX, reading re- ception reports, Song "Yanimanda Kal" by Harun Kolçak	45333	AN*
9500	04.01.17	1802-1804	SWZ	TWR Swaziland, Manzini, EE: ID, Song: "Come Fill My Hearth" by Cece Winans.	45444	AN
9500	13.01.17	1840	SWZ	TWR, Manzini, VV: African MX.	G.	RP
9514.9	03.01.17	2104-2107	B	R.Marumby, Curitiba, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil".	14321	MM
9525	14.01.17	2000-2003	INS	VO Indonesia, Jakarta, FF: ID, Freq., Website, NX.	35333	AN
9526	07.01.17	1700-1705	INS	VO Indonesia, Jakarta, SS: ID, Summary of PXs, NX.	45444	AN
9526	29.01.16	1730-1735	INS	VO Indonesia, Jakarta, SS: ID, Web, TK.	45444	AN*
9535	29.01.17	0125-0131	CUB	R.Habana Cuba, Bauta, SS: NX on Cuba.	34322	AN
9575	07.01.17	1831-1836	MRC	Medi 1 R.Mediterranée Int., via Nador, FF: NX.	45444	AN
9610	08.01.17	1015	D	AWR, Nauen relay, IT: DX PX by Roberto Scaglione.	E.	RP
9610	15.01.17	1000	D	AWR, Nauen relay, IT: DX PX by Roberto Scaglione.	E.	RP
9610	29.01.17	1000	D	AWR Firenze, Nauen relay, IT: DX PX "Obiettivo DX".	E.	RP
9630	03.01.17	2132-2137	B	R.Aparecida, Aparecida, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil".	24322	MM
9630	06.01.17	2310	B	R.Aparecida, Aparecida, PP: MX.	G.	RP
9635	08.01.17	0806-0815	MLI	R.Mali, Bamako, FF/VV: TK and songs.	14321	MM
9635	29.01.17	0805-0812	MLI	R.Mali, Bamako, FF: TK. Very weak.	14321	MM
9650	06.01.17	0712-0725	GUI	R.Guinée, Conakry, FF: TK, Song "Wanana" by Ibro Dia- bate, Phone-in PX, ID as R.Nationale de la Republique de la Guinée Conakry.	35433	AN
9650	07.01.17	2340	GUI	R.Guinée, Conakry, FF: Live phone-in PX.	G.	RP
9650	08.01.17	0750-0815	B	R.Guinée, Conakry, FF: Rlgs PX Le Jour du Seigneur+ID	34433	MM
9650	15.01.17	0700-0716	GUI	R.Guinée, Conakry, FF: African MX. At 0716 ID.	25232	AN
9650	22.01.17	0804-0807	GUI	R.Guinée, Conakry, FF: TK.	33433	AN
9650	29.01.17	0713-0725	GUI	R.Guinée, Conakry, FF: West African MX. At 0723 ID.	34433	AN
9650	29.01.17	0740-0800	GUI	R.Guinée, Conakry, FF: Rlgs PX "Le Jour du Seigneur".	34433	MM
9664.9	03.01.17	2111-2115	B	Voz Missionaria, Camboriú, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil".	34433	MM
9665	08.01.17	2325	B	Voz Missionaria, Camboriu, PP: Rlgs TK.	G.	RP
9674.9	03.01.17	2058-2110	B	R.Canção Nova, Cachoeira Paulista, PP: TK, Full ID. At 2100 "A Voz do Brasil".	24322	MM
9674.9	04.01.17	0550-0610	B	R.Canção Nova, Cachoeira Paulista, PP: Rlgs PX, ID. At 2100 "A Voz do Brasil".	24322	MM

9724.9 04.01.17 0748-0756 B R.RB2, Curitiba, PP: Rlgs TK, relaying R.Aparecida. 14321 MM
// 6135.

9765 01.01.17 0759-0805 NZL R.New Zealand Int., via Rangitaiki, EE: IS, TS, NX, 35433 AN
TK, Song "Freddy My Love" by Cindy Bullens.

9765 06.01.17 0759.0802 NZL R.New Zealand Int, Rangitaiki, EE: IS, Time Pips, NX 25232 AN

9765 08.01.17 0759-0802 NZL R.New Zealand Int, Rangitaiki, EE: IS, Time Pips, NX 25322 AN

9765 21.01.17 0759-0802 NZL R.New Zealand Int, Rangitaiki, EE: IS, Time Pips, NX 35232 AN

9765 29.01.17 0759-0806 NZL R.New Zealand Int, Rangitaiki, EE: IS, Time Pips, NX 35322 AN

9800 08.01.17 1835 F Sawtu Linjiila (VO Fospel), Issoudun, Fulfulde: TK. G. RP

9819 23.01.17 2110 B R.9 de Julho, Sao Paulo, PP: Rlgs TK. F. RP

9881.9 03.01.17 0750-0806 B R.9 de Julho, Sao Paulo, PP: Rlgs TK. 14321 MM

9940 05.01.17 1940 SWZ TWR Swaziland, Manzini, FF: Ed: Details? 44444 CG

9940 07.01.17*1904-1907*SWZ TWR Swaziland, Manzini, EE: IS+ID. at 1905 into Lin- 45444 AN
gala with MX interlude and TK.

9940 14.01.17 1904-1908 SWZ TWR Swaziland, Manzini, EE: IS+ID. At 1905 into Lin- 45444 AN
gala with MX Interlude and TK.

9940 29.01.16*1904-1908 SWZ TWR Swaziland, Manzini, EE: IS, ID. At 1905 into Lin-35333 AN
gala with MX bridge, TK, Song.

9985 14.01.17 2132-2135 MRA R.Free Asia, Tinian relay, Korean: TK. //9860 kHz. 45333 AN

10000 08.01.17 0845-0856 B Observatorio Nacional, Rio de Janeiro,PP: ID+Time+TS 13221 MM

10000 23.01.17 2105 B Observatorio Nacional, Rio de Janeiro, PP: ID, Time. F. RP

11580 29.01.17 0138-0141 USA WRMI, Okeechobee, EE: "Wavescan" with DX NX. 25232 AN

11660 07.01.17 1629-1633 SWZ TWR Swaziland, Manzini, EE: IS+ID. At 1630 into VV 35333 AN
with MX bridge, TK, Song.

11660 29.01.17 1700-1705 SWZ TWR Swaziland, Manzini, Amharic: IS, MX bridge, TK, 45444 AN*
Song: "Egziaber Aleligne" By Kalkidan Tilahun, TK.

11725 21.01.17 0648-0700 NZL R.New Zealand Int., Rangitaiki, EE: Song "Daydream 25422 PR
Believer" by the Monkees.

11735 03.01.17 1831-1840 B R.Transmundial, Santa Maria, PP: Rlgs TK, ID. 23322 MM

11735 08.01.17 0945-1003 B R.Transmundial, Santa Maria, PP: Rlgs TK and songs. 34433 MM

11735 10.01.17 1735 TZN Zanzibar BC, Dolè, Swahili: TK. G. RP

11750 29.01.16 1705-1708 CEY SLBC, via Trincomalee, Sinhala: TK, Song "Pamaveadi" 45444 AN*
by Chandana Lyanarachchi.

11760 24.01.17 1350-1358 CUB R.Habana Cuba, Bauta, SS: Song"El dia que me quieras"34333 AN*
by Carlos Gardel, with comments on the singer.

11764.6 03.01.17 2127-2136 B Super R.Deus e Amor,Curitiba, PP: PX A Voz do Brasil 34433 MM

11765 23.01.17 2130 B R.Deus è Amor, Curitiba, PP: Rlgs TK. G. RP

11780 03.01.17 2126-2134 B R.Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia, PP: PX "A Voz do 34433 MM
Brasil".

11815 03.01.17 2125-2136 B R.Brasil Central, Goiania, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil". 23322 MM

11850 14.01.16 1259-1304 PHL R.Veritas Asia, via Palauig Zambales, EE: IS+ID. At 25232 AN
1300 into Vietnamese with TK

11850 24.01.17 1259-1304 PHL R.Veritas Asia, via Paluig Zambales, EE: IS+ID, then 45444 AN*
into Vietnamese with TK and MX Bridge.

11855 03.01.17 2128-2135 B R.Aparecida, Aparecida, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil". 34433 MM

11895 03.01.17 2129-2138 B R.Voa Bontade, Porto Alegre, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil"24322 MM

11925.1 03.01.17 2130-2142 B R.Bandeirantes, Sao Paulo, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil". 23322 MM

11925.1 08.01.17 0951-1007 B R.Bandeirantes, Sao Paulo, PP: TK, ID and Time annmt 24322 MM

11934.7 03.01.17 2132-2136 B R.RB2, Curitiba, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil". 23322 MM

11934.7 03.01.17 2132-2136 B R.RB2, Curitiba, PP: PX "A Voz do Brasil". 23322 MM

11935 07.01.17 1707-1711 CVA Vatican R., S.Maria di Galeria, FF: NX, ID. 35433 AN

11965 14.01.17 1410 PHL R.Veritas Asia, via Palauig Zambales, Hindi: MX. G. RP

12050 29.01.17 1800-1803 ASC Dandal Kura R. Int., Ascension relay, Kanuri: TK, ID 45333 AN*

12070 09.01.17 0705-0710 STP VOA, Pinheira relay, Hausa: Jingle, TK, Fragment of 45333 AN
African song "Akula Owu Onyera" by The Funkees.

12085 02.01.17 1105 AUS R.Australia, Melbourne via Shepparton, EE: NX. G. RP

13630 07.01.17 1716-1721 BOT VOA, Selebi Pikwe relay, PP: NX report about Angola. 35333 AN

13630 29.01.17 1745-1756 BOT VOA, Selebi Pikwe relay, PP: Interview. At 1755 ID. 35333 AN*
Song "Black or White" by Michael Jackson.

13800 24.01.17 1512-1515 MDG R.Tamazuj, via Talata Volonondry, AA: ID, TK. 45444 AN*

15140 07.01.17 1446-1457 OMA R.Oman, Muscat, EE: Pop MX (No Broken Hearts), ID. 45444 AN

15140 24.01.17 1453-1506 OMA R.Oman, Muscat, EE: Pop MX, TK, WX, ID. English PX 55444 AN*
on extended SCH. Usually it ends at 1500.

15180 06.01.17 1200-1200 GUM KSDA AWR, Agat,EE: ID, then into CC with Song+Prayer 35443 AN

15225 22.01.17 1255-1257*PHL R.Veritas Asia, via Paluig Zambales, Kachin: TK, MX 35333 AN*
interlude. at 1257 ID in EE and S/OFF.

15225 29.01.17 1255-1257*PHL R.Veritas Asia, Palauig Zambales, Kachin: Song, MX 35333 AN*
bridge, TK. At 1257 IS, ID in EE and S/OFF.

15235 13.01.17 1745 AFS Channel Africa, Meyerton, EE: NX. G. RP

15240 22.01.17 1700 USA R.Munansi, via WWRB, Morrison, Luganda: TK by OM. F. RP

15255 24.01.17 1314-1318 CEY AWR, Trincomalee relay, Bengali: Song, TK. 45333 AN*

15340 07.01.17 1440-1445*AUS Reach Beyond Australia, Kununurra, Hindi: TK, MX. At 45444 AN
1444 ID in EE and at 1445 S/OFF.

15340 11.01.17 1230-1233 AUS Reach Beyond Australia, via Kununurra, EE: ID, then 35433 AN
into Urdu with MX interlude and TK.

15340 11.01.17 1230-1233 AUS Reach Beyond Australia, via Kununurra, EE: ID, then 35433 AN
into Urdu with MX interlude and TK.

15340	22.01.17	1228-1232	AUS	Reach Beyond Australia, via Kununurra, EE: IS, ID. At 1230 into Urdu with MX interlude and TK.	45444	AN
15340	29.01.17*	1228-1232	AUS	Reach Beyond Australia, via Kununurra, EE: IS, ID, at 1230 into Urdu with MX interlude and TK.	35444	AN
15370	24.01.17	1519-1528	CUB	R.Habana Cuba, Bauta, SS: Cuban MX "Mi negra quiere Cumbanchar" by Pancho Anat y Su Cabildo del Son, TK.	35333	AN
15450	08.01.17*	1129-1134	PHL	R.Veritas Asia, Palauig Zambales, EE: IS+ID. At 1130 into Burmese with ID, TK, Song, TK.	35333	AN
15580	15.01.17	0627-0657	BOT	VOA, Selebi Pikwe relay, EE: Pop MX (Can't Feel My face by The Weekend) presented by OM.	35443	AN
15580	29.01.17	1736-1743	BOT	VOA, Selebi Pikwe relay, EE: TK, VOA contacts.	35333	AN*
15590	11.01.17*	1259-1303	AUS	Reach Beyond Australia, EE: ID, IS.@ 1330 into Hindi with MX bridge and TK.	35433	AN
15590	11.01.17	1259-1303	AUS	Reach Beyond Australia, EE: ID, IS.@ 1330 into Hindi with MX bridge and TK.	35433	AN
15590	29.01.17*	1258-1302	AUS	Reach Beyond Australia, EE: ID, IS.@ 1300 into Hindi with MX bridge and TK.	45444	AN
15610	07.01.17	1400-1402	USA	WEWN (EWTN), Vandiver, EE: IS, ID, Freq, TK.	25232	AN
15665	05.01.17	1000	D	R.Free Asia, Lampherteim relay, Tibetan:	43443	CG
15760	29.01.17	1159-1302	THA	Mashaal R, Udon Thani relay, Pashto: ID, NX.	45444	AN
17540	06.01.17	0732-0745	IRN	VOIRI, Teheran via Sirjan, SS: NX.	45444	AN
17640	29.01.16	1958-2056*	MDG	African Pathways R. (WCB), EE: IS, Opening anmnt. Afro MX, TK. At 2054 ID. At 2056 S/OFF.	P/F	DV
17660	06.01.17*	1400-1410	ARS	R.Saudi Int., Riyadh, FF: ID, Freq., Web, Holy Quran versets later translated into FF.	35333	AN
17660	13.01.17	1422-1426	ARS	R.Saudi Int., Riyadh, FF: ID, SCH, MX Bridge, TK	35333	AN
17660	14.01.17	1400	ARS	R.Saudi Int., Riyadh, FF: Holy Quran.	G.	RP
17660	24.01.17	1400-1405	ARS	R.Saudi Int., Riyadh, FF: ID, SCH, Web, Holy Quran.	45444	AN*
17765	22.01.17	1645	F	R.Kallacha Wolubummaa Oromiyaa (Front for Independence of Oromia), via Issoudun, Oromo: TK by YL. E-mail: wajirakwo@gmail.com	F.	RP
17800	04.01.17	1700	ASC	Deutsche Welle, Ascension relay, FF: Ed: deails?	35443	CG

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CG = Christian Ghibaudo in Nice (France). RX: Sangean ATS 909X. ANT: 12 metre longwire.

DV = Dave Valko in Dunlo (PA-USA). RX: Perseus. ANT: Wellbrook ALA1530S, 153 foot Delta Loop.

MM = Manuel Méndez in Friol or Lugo (Spain). RX: Sangean ATS-0909X, Tecsun PL880, Sony ICF SW 7600G, ANT: Degen, 31MS active loop antenna and 8 metre cable antenna.

RP = Roberto Pavanello in Vercelli (Italy). RX: EGZ DX 10, Icom R-71. ANT: EGZ LPF1R ferrite loop for reception of MW, 30-metre long wire.

PR = Rumen Pankov, in Sofia (Bulgaria). RX: Sony ICF2001D. ANT: Folded Marconi antenna 16 meters long own made, Rod for MW.

QSL REVIEW

NB: Radio stations are listed under the country in which the transmitter (not studios!) is (or presumed to be) located. Unless otherwise stated, reception reports should be considered as sent by electronic mail.

ARMENIA

ADDX, via Gavar, 6145 kHz: F/D "50 years ADDX" eQSL in 2 days. V/S: Andy. E-mail: kurier@addx.de (Alexander Golovikhin, Togliatti-RUSSIA).

Radio Prague, via Gavar, 9405 kHz: P/D QSL card commemorating Radio Prague's 80th anniversary, station info and balloon in 17 days. E-mail: (Spanish section): espanol@radio.cz (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

SM Radio International, 6120 kHz: eQSL in 5 days. E-mail: info@shortwavecommunity.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN)

DSWCI/RMRC, via Gavar, 6145 kHz: F/D eQSL (n° 095) in 2 days. E.mail: mail@RMRC.DE V/s: Michael Haun, QSL-Manager Rhein-Main-Radio-Club. (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Radio Mi Amigo International, via Gavar, 6145 kHz: QSL card in 15 days. E-mail studio@radiomiamigointernational.com (Christian Ghibaudo, Nice-FRANCE).

BELGIUM

RTBF Vivacité, 1125 kHz and **RTBF La Première**, 621 kHz: Two F/D QSL cards, two Stickers, card, Lens cleaning wipe (!) in 17 days. Email: vivacite@rtbf.be (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

CHINA

China Radio International, 6115 and 7350 kHz: QSL card, 5 bookmarks, small flag, 4 vintage QSL, paper figurines in 43 days. Email (French service): crifra@cri.com.cn (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

FRANCE

Radio Taiwan International RTI, 9800 kHz, via Issoudun: F/D QSL card No. 11 in 12 days. Report to Russian section: russ@rti.org.tw> (Alexander Golovikhin, Togliatti-RUSSIA)

GERMANY

Swedish DX Federation, via Rohrbach Waal, 6070 kHz: F/D QSL card in 24 days. E-mail: QSL@SDXF.se (Alexander Golovikhin, Togliatti-RUSSIA)

Radio DARC, via Rohrbach Waal, 6070 kHz: F/D QSL card and letter in 16 days from this address: Dortstr. 14 - 85567 Bruck-Alxing, Germany. V/s: Rainer Englert DF2NU, Wolfgang Hirler DL8MDH e Werner Bruckner DL6MDA. E-mail: radio@darf.de (Alexander Golovikhin, Togliatti-RUSSIA).

World of Delivery, via Rohrbach Waal, 6070 kHz: N/D E-mail message in 1 day. E-mail: pastorInman@att.net (Roberto Pavanello, Vercelli-ITALY).

European Music Radio, via Nauen, 9475 kHz: eQSL in 12 days. E-mail: emrshortwave@gmail.com (Christian Ghibaudo, Nice-FRANCE).

European Music Radio, via Nauen, 11650 kHz: F/D eQSL, info-sheet (for June 2016 show) in 15 days. E-mail: emrshortwave@gmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

European Music Radio, via Nauen, 11650 kHz: F/D eQSL, info-sheet (for October 2016 show) in 12 days. E-mail: emrshortwave@gmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

European Music Radio, via Nauen, 9475 kHz: F/D eQSL, info-sheet (for 40th anniversary December show) in 8 days. E-mail: emrshortwave@gmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Channel 292, 6070 kHz: N/D eQSL in 134 days. E-mail: info@channel292.de (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

From the Island of Music, via Rohrbach Waal, 6070 kHz: F/D eQSL (featuring Program logo and Cuban artist Elito Revé) in 7 days. E-mail: tilfordproductions@gmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Radio Sylvia via Rohrbach Waal, 6070 kHz: F/D eQSL in 10 days. E-mail: info@radiosylvia.de v/s Mark Andersen. (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Radio Mi Amigo International, via Kall Krekei, 6005 kHz. F/D QSL card, stickers in 6 days. Address: Avda. de Europa 85, Urb. La Marina, 03177 San Fulgencio, Spain. The report included a 2 Euro coin. (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

The Mighty KBC Radio, via Nauen, 6095 kHz: F/D eQSL in 1 day (for report with MFSK32 decoded picture). E-mail: themightykbc@gmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Blueman Radio, , via Rohrbach Waal, 6070 KHz: F/D eQSL in 3 hours! Email: bluemanradio@hotmail.de (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

ITALY

Marconi Radio International, 15070 kHz (USB): F/D QSL card in 11 days. E-mail: marconiradiointernational@gmail.com (Christian Ghibaudo, Nice-FRANCE).

Marconi Radio International, 7700 kHz (USB): F/D eQSL card, two sheet (PDF files) in 10 days. E-mail address: marconiradiointernational@gmail.com (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

IBC - Italian Broadcasting Corporation, , via Radio Studio X, 1584 kHz: F/D QSL card in 65 days. E-mail: ibc@europe.com (Christian Ghibaudo, Nice-FRANCE).

Key Channel Radio/Radio Dr. Tim, 6915 KHz: Special 1 anniversary F/D eQSL in 1 day: E-mail: keyradioam@gmail.com (Roberto Pavanello, Vercelli-ITALY).

Key Channel Radio, 6915 kHz: F/D eQSL and pictures in 1 day. E-mail: keyradioam@gmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Radio We, 89.7 MHz: N/D message via FB messenger from Director Felice Filippini in 2 days. E-mail address: redazione@radiowe.it (Roberto Pavanello, Vercelli-ITALY).

MADAGASCAR

Madagascar World Voice/KNLS, 9570 kHz: F/D QSL card No. 91 featuring "Petit commerce..." in 47 days. E-mail: mwvradio@gmail.com (Alexander Golovikhin, Togliatti-RUSSIA).

NEW ZEALAND

Radio New Zealand International, 11610 KHz, F/D eQSL in 1 day. Report sent via RNZI webform which can be found at: <http://www.radionz.co.nz/international/qsl/new> (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

Radio Free Asia, via Tinian, 11830 kHz: F/D QSL card (commemorating Summer Olympic Games in Rio) in 11 days. E-mail: qsl@rfa.org (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

PIRATE

Radio Armada (NL), 1629 KHz: F/D eQSL in 1 hour! Email: radioarmada@gmail.com (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

Radio Tower (NL), 6289 KHz: F/D 6 page eQSL in 1 day. E-mail: radiotoweram@gmail.com (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

Radio Wadloper (NL), 1625 KHz: N/D eQSL in 10 minutes! E-mail: wadlopermg@live.nl (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

Oliebollenbakker (NL), 1653 KHz: N/D eQSL in 1 day. E-mail: relmusfm@hotmail.com (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

NMD (NL), 6295 KHz: F/D eQSL in 2 days. E-mail: nmradio@hotmail.com (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

FRS Holland, 9301 kHz: eQSL and e-letter in 56 days. E-mail: frs@frsholland.nl (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Rock'n'Roll Radio, 6210 kHz: eQSL in 5 days. E-mail: rocknrollshortwave@gmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Radio Alice, 3905 kHz: eQSL, MP3 jingle in 4 days. E-mail: radioalice@hotmail.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

ROMANIA

Radio Romania International, 15400 kHz: F/D QSL card in 93 days. E-mail (French Section): fran@rri.ro (Christian Ghibaudo, Nice-FRANCE).

SRI LANKA

DSWCI/RMRC, via SLBC, 9715 kHz: F/D eQSL in 3 days. E-mail: mail@rmrc.de (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

SWAZILAND

TWR Swaziland, 9500 kHz: F/D eQSL, Schedule (DOC file) in 24 days. V/S: Lorraine Stavropoulos, DX-Secretary Africa. E-mail: lstavrop@twr.org (Antonello Napolitano, Taranto-ITALY).

USA

DSWCI/RMRC, via WRMI, 11580 kHz: F/D eQSL in 3 days. E-mail: mail@rmrc.de (Christian Ghibaudo, Nice-FRANCE).

WFME Family Radio, 1560 KHz: Two E-mail messages of confirmation with attached an image in 2 days. Also received a letter in French and two stickers in 25 days. E-mail: info@familyradio.org (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE).

WLAM, 1470 KHz: F/D QSL card, 2 stickers, magazine in 10 days. Report via Facebook. (Joël LINTZ, Brumath-FRANCE)

Radio Northern Ireland, via WRMI, 15770 kHz: QSL card in 27 days. E-mail: radionorthernireland@outlook.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

Blues Radio International, via WRMI, 5985 kHz: QSL card from WRMI after almost 2 years! The report was sent to: bluesradiointernational@gmail.com and cc to: info@wrmi.net. (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

PCJ Radio, via WRMI, 7780 kHz: F/D eQSL in 1 day. E-mail: pcjqs@pcjmedia.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

PCJ Radio, via WRMI, 7780 kHz: F/D eQSL in 7 days. E-mail: pcjqs@pcjmedia.com (Rafael Martínez, Barcelona-SPAIN).

VATICAN CITY

Vatican Radio, 7250 kHz: QSL in 5 days. E-mail: gestfreq@vatiradio.va (Christian Ghibaudo, Nice-FRANCE).

TWO RADIO DAYS THAT SHOOK THE REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO

Co.Ra.DX (NB a partner of DX Fanzine) has recently obtained an extraordinary document in Italian that dates back to just under 20 years ago (See illustration). It is a San Marino Postal Administration statement, posted on the official website of the government of San Marino, which warned anyone from sending money to the pirate station Radio San Marino International (RSMI) which claimed to broadcast from this tiny enclave inside Italy. RSMI was short lived and the reason was just that official release from the national postal administration of San Marino.

The document says with certainty, that the transmissions were undoubtedly "pirate", since no authorization had ever been granted by the San Marino authorities to any broadcaster. There is no reason to doubt about that assertion. Not the same can be said instead about another statement: "The broadcasts were never made from the territory of San Marino". According to the former operators of RSMI – their broadcasts were instead really indeed originating from San Marino.

It should be mentioned that the document was posted on 22 December 1997, the day after the second of only two official broadcasts in Italian, English and German, which were aired according to the following schedule: Saturday, December 20, 1997, at 20:00-24:00 UTC on 7580 kHz LSB and Sunday, December 21, 1997, at 04:00-07:00 UTC on 7580 kHz LSB; at 0700-1000 on 7440 kHz LSB and 0700-1700 on 11410 kHz USB.

It is quite doubtful that the San Marino authorities have indeed checked that the broadcasts of Radio San Marino International were not originating from the small republic territory. Probably, the true intent of that official statement, which was then actually realized, was to scare the

operators of RSMI, which never would have expected a reaction so quick and angry by the San Marino government.

The statement in fact not only emphasized the illegality of the broadcasts but warned listeners to refrain from sending money to RSMI. That is really funny : it seems that the San Marino authorities have conjectured that the operators of RSMI were scammers with the aim of extorting money from listeners. In reality, the "money" required by RSMI, was nothing more than the equivalent of a postage stamp for sending a QSL card.

It appears even ridiculous the allegation that the transmissions were radiated "from leased sites in some countries of Central Europe, probably from Germany" . This assertion, probably was based solely on the fact that the mailbox announced on the air was in a city of Germany (Mainz).

The release also says that there will be a full investigation. However, it seems the authority of San Marino have come to nothing, except for the sudden cessation of all of Radio San Marino International activities, which was on the air on the shortwave bands of 41 and 25 meters, not only on the dates included in the official statement, but also on 19 October 1997 and 9 November, 1997.

In fact, after the publication of the statement, of which there is also an English version, the operators of Radio San Marino International, who received about 700 reception reports, not only immediately decided to stop their transmissions but also removed all information about their programs, they have included on a dedicated website.

The confirmation of this, is also found on the KIWI Radio Weekly (edition 31 January, 1998), which contained the following message received by Radio San Marino International operators: "Due to excessive reaction of the San Marino government and postal authority, RSMI is forced to stop its broadcasts until further notice". Antonello Napolitano

COMUNICATO

ENGLISH VERSION

L'Amministrazione delle Poste e Telecomunicazioni della Repubblica di San Marino, comunica ufficialmente che:

RADIOSANMARINO INTERNATIONAL non ha mai ottenuto alcuna autorizzazione alle trasmissioni da parte delle Autorità Sammarinesi ed è quindi da considerarsi stazione "PIRATA".

RADIOSANMARINO INTERNATIONAL non ha mai operato nel territorio della Repubblica di San Marino, ne' in nessun caso potrà farlo giacché sprovvista di qualsiasi autorizzazione.

Tutte le gravi violazioni di Legge Nazionali ed Internazionali poste in atto dagli autori dell'azione verranno denunciate nelle sedi opportune.

I segnali emessi in data 20 - 21 Dicembre 1997 venivano irradiati da siti locati in qualche paese del Centro Europa, probabilmente dalla Germania.

Indagini in merito sono in corso per individuare i responsabili.

Si invitano gli SWL ed ascoltatori a non inviare denaro a qualsiasi titolo alle caselle postali indicate dai responsabili della sedicente "RADIOSANMARINO INTERNATIONAL".

Per ogni informazione ufficiale circa le attività di radiodiffusione della Repubblica di San Marino inviare messaggi o contattare la DIREZIONE GENERALE POSTE E TELECOMUNICAZIONI

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