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ALBANIA: The Christian evangelical station Trans World Radio began broadcasting via Radio Tirana's high power medium wave transmitter on 1395 kHz on October 1st. The broadcasts, consisting of four 15-minute programs in various Central and Eastern European languages, are at 2030-2130 daily. [1] via [2]

BOSNIA-HERCEGOVINA: While Radio Bosnia Hercegovina Studio Sarajevo has disappeared from medium wave 612 kHz, it continues to be heard on shortwave on around 7238 khz in upper side band. This is apparently an amateur radio transmitter. [1] via [2]

BULGARIA: 774 Varna will have a new 150 kW transmitter in 1993. [3] via [4] via [5]

864 Blagoevgrad will soon install a new antenna and a new 150 kW transmitter. [3] via [4] via [5]

1017 Kardzhali will move to 963 kHz in late '92 or early '93. [3] via [4] via [5]

GERMANY: Radio Ropa, a German commercial station, is heard over the Burg transmitter of Radio Volga on 261 kHz at the following times : Mon-Sat 05-07, 10-12 and 14-16 and on Sundays 13-16 and 18-21. [6]

Address for Radio Ropa is Tele und Radio GmbH, TechnikPark, Postfach 5 49, W-5568 Daun. [7]

DLF Berlin has tested on 1386 (Sept.12). During tests 1359 was quiet. Maybe more tests coming? [4] via [5]

Latest AFN local times : 0505-0600, 0610-0700, 0730-0800, 0805-0900 and 1605-1800 CET Mon-Fri. Saturdays 0920-1200 and 1215-1300 CET. [8] via [4] via [5]

HUNGARY: 810 Radio Juventus Balaton, Keszthely belongs to Magyar Radio. The programs are aimed to the resort area around the Balaton Lake. Well heard in Sweden during early evenings... [9] via [10] via [11] via [4] via [5]

ICELAND: 1530 NBS Keflavik has been here for a while.

ITALY: European Christian Radio has moved to 6220 kHz to avoid interference from Hrvatski Radio on 6230 kHz. [12]

LITHUANIA: Baltic Radio International will use this frequency beamed to Scandinavia. The programs will be in English and power 200 kW peaked to Oslo. The Swedish Telecom has informed the Lithuanian authorities that they will not use 981 kHz anymore. [13] via [4] via [5]

1458 & 1485 Radiocentras will start to broadcast in English and Swedish in the near future. [13] via [4] via [5]

LUXEMBOURG: Radio Luxembourg's English Service is to close down at the end of the year. According to John Catlett, General Manager of the English service, keeping the station going is no longer economic. Instead, owners CLT will be concentrating on Irish station Atlantic 252 in which they have an 80 percent stake. Luxembourg closed its AM service earlier in the year, but has continued to be broadcast on satellite. However, like most of the other commercial satellite radio stations, it has been unable to attract sufficient advertisers and sponsors for the service. The very last programme will go out on December 31st, just a few weeks after its 59th birthday. Atlantic 252, which currently broadcasts on Long Wave to most of the British Isles, may replace Luxembourg on satellite. [14]

MACEDONIA: R Skopje (810 & 1242) v/s is Blagoja Stoilkovski, Helpdirector. [15]

POLAND: R Mazury is on 1584. Address : P.O.Box 113, 14-100 Ostroda. [16] via [17]

ROMANIA: A new program "Antenne Satelor" is on the air 0500-0700 and 1700-1900 on 630 kHz with 400 kW from Timisoara/Voinesti, and on 1458 kHz with 50 kW from Constanta/Agigea. [18] via [19] via [5]

RUSSIA: A radio station in Russian calling itself Radio Art has been heard at 0515-0700 on 11655 kHz. The station also announces it broadcasts in Moscow on 104.2 MHz. [1] via [2]

Radio Pamyat says that beginning October 26th its 1430-1600 broadcast will only be heard on 7230 kHz. [1] via [2]

Radio Moscow International's Spanish service to Latin America now carries a religious program called "La Voz de Salvacion" on Tuesdays at 0310-0325. The program is produced by the Church of God of the Prophecy (La Iglesia del Dio del la Profesia). [1] via [2]

On November 2nd a station relaying the satellite programs of Deutsche Welle in various languages began operating in Moscow on 702 kHz. [20] via [1] via [2]

Religious programs from American evangelist Dr. Gene Scott have been heard on 21845 kHz from a transmitter which antenna bearings indicate is in Russia. The broadcast has been heard from 0630 to 0800, when the transmitter appears to switch to Radio Moscow's World Service in English. Gene

Scott programming (not the same as on 21845 kHz) is also heard at the same time on 5920 kHz from WWCR in the United States, in parallel with 11530 khz from the Voice of Hope in Lebanon. [1] via [2]

Radio Vedo, Volgograd is now operating 0500-0900 Sat/Sun on 1467, 5915, 7125 and 7185; 1500-1900 daily on 1467, 7185, 9655, 11760 and 13710 kHz. [6]

Radio Radonezh, Moscow operates 1600-1700 on 9695 and 1900-2000 on 846 kHz. [6]

Radio Alpha and Omega is on 9695 at 1500-1600. [6]

Radio Nadezhda is now 0800-1100 on 630, 6090 and 15460 kHz; and 1100-1400 on 9725, 9770, 11665 and 11805; and 1500-1800 on 1440, 7310, 9490, 11800 and 12005; and 2000-2300 on 1215, 1440 and 5915 kHz. [6]

Radio Centre, Moscow is on 1440 kHz at 0400-0500. [6]

Radio Polis, St.Petersburg is operating 0430-1700 on 1053 and 6045 kHz. QSL-secretary is Mrs. Favorskaya. [6]

Radio Irina has address Novinskij bluvar, 18/257, 121069 Moscow. Broadcasting in Vietnamese 1500-1600 on 15580 from a 500 kW transmitter in Irkutsk. [6]

Radio Alef has a new address : Box 72, 123154 Moscow. [21] via [22] via [17]

SPAIN: RP de Granada is now on 900 kHz, ex-936. R5 Malaga has moved again but the new frequency is not yet known. [22]

R5 Salamanca is now on 1314 kHz. [22]

R5 Granada is now on 1017, ex-1008. [22]

R5 Bilbao is now on 936 kHz. [22]

R5 Valladolid is now on 936 kHz since August. [22]

R Lerida is now on 1287 kHz, ex-936. [22]

UKRAINE: R Liberty's Ukrainian service is on 873 kHz with 50 kW from Kiev 0300-0600 & 1500-1800. [6]

UNITED KINGDOM: The BBC World Service is to be relayed on the Corporation's seven local radio stations in the Midlands. It can already be heard overnight on London's GLR and Radio Scotland. [14]

1170 Radio Authority has advertised a licence for a new service from High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire. [23]

BBC Radio Shropshire on 756 kHz is currently putting out a tape advising listeners to retune to FM or to 1584 kHz AM. Apparently 1584 is to remain on the air for some while yet, serving South Shropshire from Woofferton. (So, the station wasn't closed last spring, despite of the news circulating around.../RKO.) [6]

Sunshine 855 is being heard well through the Southern UK (and Uusikaupunki as well.../RKO) during the daylight hours. They were 1/4 power for a while due to transmitter problems, but are now fully restored. They offer their apologies for the delay in replying to reports, but QSL's are coming... [6]

The address for Sunshine 855 is Sunshine Radio, Engineering Department, Sunshine House, Waterside, Ludlow SY8 1PE. [23]

CD603 Cheltenham on 603 kHz is going to start tests in December. [24] via [19] via [5]

BBC Radio Bedfordshire has expanded its editorial coverage to include more about neighboring Hertfordshire and Buckinghamshire. Five new journalists have been recruited to work for the station, working from new studio facilities in Milton Keynes and Aylesbury. The changes come in advance of new ILR stations in High Wycombe, Aylesbury and St Albans. [14]

CREDITS: [1] BBC Monitoring Service [2] Sweden Calling DXers [3] Kovatchev [4] BE [5] Arctic Radio Club [6] Contact [7] Simo Hankkio [8] Horst Rauch [9] Lajos Horvath [10] Radio Budapest [11] EDXC 92 Tampere [12] Vesa-Jussi Rinkinen [13] BT [14] The AM/FM Online Edition [15] Jorma Mäntylä [16] Björn Fransson [17] Distance [18] British DX-Club [19] MWC [20] Voice of Russia [21] Anatoli Klepov [22] Play-DX [23] DX-News [24] David Duckworth