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SUBJECT: MO Radio Program "CAPRICORN"
TO : OSS-PWE "Black" Committee
FROM : Chief and Deputy Chief MO Branch, OSS

1. Object.
 - a. To undermine German morale and the will to resist by propaganda talks based on actual as well as spurious intelligence proving that Germany has already lost the war; to continue fighting only means to aid in the complete destruction of what remains of German life and economy.
2. Method and Cover.
 - a. The speaker, military in tone and by dint of his inside information purports to represent an underground movement within Germany advocating,
 1. the immediate overthrow of Hitlerism as Germany's real enemy,
 2. immediate end of the war by accepting unconditional surrender as the only way to avoid complete annihilation of the German nation,
 3. reconstruction of the new Germany under Allied control which shall and will permit the German nation to recover from the ordeal of 12 years of Hitlerism.
3. Target.
 - a. The German nation.
4. Transmission.
 - a. Daily short and medium wave programs of approximately 10 minutes duration repeated at various times.
5. Duration.
 - a. Indefinite.

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