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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Plans)

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VIA: Chief, [REDACTED] Staff

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SUBJECT: Inspector General's Survey of [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] dated 25 March 1957

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1. With respect to the section of the Survey which recommends the exploration of all feasible means of increasing [REDACTED] programs, discussion within IOD and with the SR Division indicate that very little increase in operations can be undertaken in the near future.

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2. At present the [REDACTED] is in close contact with [REDACTED] exiles in various areas of the free world. Support of these exile councils and committees represents [REDACTED] effort. Operations conducted by these organizations are directed at the free world and have little impact on the governments or peoples of the [REDACTED] countries.

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3. [REDACTED] mailing operations are successful in reaching selected groups and individuals within the [REDACTED] countries. These operations have been increased recently and further expansion is in progress.

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4. Although much thought has been given to expanding [REDACTED] to cover the [REDACTED], effective coverage of these additional targets is not possible under the present budget or under budget ceilings projected for FY 1959. Inflationary pressures both here and abroad raise the cost of radio operations approximately 3% each year, and increasingly firm limits on funds available not only preclude expansion but threaten curtailment of existing operations.

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