

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

SOURCE LINES

# Memorandum

TO : Chief, BIS  
INFO : Field Operations Officer, FBIS

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FROM :  BIS

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SUBJECT: Moscow English-language Programs for India

1. The Soviet-prepared propaganda magazine INTERNATIONAL REVIEW for May 1964 carries partial details of Radio Moscow's external programs (see attachment) in which targets for certain programs are listed contradictory to FBIS-published data.

2. English language programs at 1000-1030, 1300-1330, 1430-1500, and 1600-1630 GMT, which FBIS lists as directed to Southeast Asia, are listed in this publication as directed towards India. On a number of previous occasions, published material disseminated by the Soviets have likewise listed these broadcasts as directed to India. While voice announcements identify these transmissions as "the Southeast Asian Service of Radio Moscow", the times of broadcasts are given in Indian Standard Time.

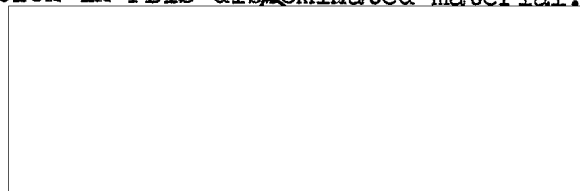
3. FBIS has sourcelined editorial copy taken from these programs as follows: Moscow in English to Southeast Asia.

4. Under prevailing United States Government geographic standards, India is not considered part of Southeast Asia but rather a principle area of South Asia.

5. Because of the current political significance now being placed on India and the question of whether BIS and Editorial material might be misleading, it would appear that a closer study of this particular problem is warranted with a view to possible modification in FBIS disseminated material.

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Attachment





# RADIO MOSCOW

## BROADCASTS TO SOUTH-EAST ASIA

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In English to India</b>	
15.30 — 16.00	16, 19, 25,
18.30 — 19.00	16, 19, 25**
20.00 — 20.30	16, 19, 25**
21.30 — 22.00	19*, 25**, 31**

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In Malayalam to India</b>	
16.30 — 17.00	16, 19
17.30 — 18.00	19, 25

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In Nepali to Nepal</b>	
16.00 — 16.30	16, 19
19.00 — 19.30	16, 19, 25

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In Hindi to India</b>	
16.00 — 16.30	16, 19, 25
17.00 — 17.30	16, 19, 25
18.00 — 18.30	16, 19, 25 (on Saturdays and Sundays)

Local Time	Metre Bands
19.30 — 20.00	19, 25, 375
21.00 — 21.30	16*, 19, 25

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In Tamil to India</b>	
18.00 — 18.30	19, 25
19.00 — 19.30	16, 19, 25

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In Urdu to India and Pakistan</b>	
16.30 — 17.00	16, 19, 25
17.30 — 18.00	16, 19, 25
18.30 — 19.00	16, 19, 25
20.00 — 20.30	19, 25, 375
21.30 — 22.00	16*, 19, 25

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In Bengali to India and Pakistan</b>	
16.00 — 16.30	16, 19
17.00 — 17.30	16, 19
18.00 — 18.30	19, 25
20.00 — 20.30	16*, 19, 25
21.00 — 21.30	19, 25

Local Time	Metre Bands
<b>In Singhalese to Ceylon</b>	
20.00 — 20.30	19, 25, 31**
21.00 — 21.30	19, 25, 31**

\* Until September 1st, 1964  
 \*\* From September 1st, 1964

## BROADCASTS TO JAPAN

Local Time	Metre Bands
17.00 — 17.30	25, 31, 41, 260.9, 240, 476.9
17.30 — 18.15	25, 31, 41, 240, 260.9
18.15 — 19.00	26, 31, 41, 240, 260.9
19.00 — 19.30	25, 31, 41, 240, 260.9
19.30 — 20.00	19, 25, 31, 41, 240, 260.9
21.00 — 21.30	19*, 25, 31, 41, 240, 260.9
22.00 — 22.30	19*, 25*, 31, 41, 49**, 240, 260.9
23.00 — 23.30	19*, 25*, 31, 41, 49**, 240, 260.9

## BROADCASTS TO INDONESIA

Local Time	Metre Bands
16.00 — 16.45	13, 16, 19
17.30 — 18.00	16, 19
18.30 — 19.15	16, 19, 25
20.30 — 21.30	16, 19, 25
22.00 — 22.30	16, 19, 25

## NORTH-AMERICAN SERVICE

Local Time	Metre Bands
5.00 — 6.30 p.m.	25, 31, 41
7.00 — 7.30 p.m.	25, 31, 41
8.00 — 8.30 p.m.	25, 31, 41
9.00 — 9.30 p.m.	25, 31, 41
10.00 — 10.30 p.m.	25, 31, 41
11.00 — 11.30 p.m.	25, 31, 41
12.00 — 1.00 a.m.	25, 31, 41

## PACIFIC COAST SERVICE

P.S.T.	Metre Bands
9.30 — 11.30 a.m. (on Sundays)	25, 31, 41, 49
7.00 — 7.30 p.m.	19, 25
7.30 — 8.30 p.m.	19, 25, 31
8.00 — 11.30 p.m.	25, 31

## AUSTRALIAN SERVICE

E.A.S.T.	Metre Bands
07.30 — 08.00	25, 31, 41, 49, 240, 476.9, 547.4
21.30 — 22.00	25, 31, 41, 240, 260.9
22.30 — 23.00	25, 31, 41, 240, 260.9
23.30 — 24.00	25, 31, 41, 49, 240, 260.9