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CIA View of Warsaw Embassy Critique of Radio Free Europe

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Summary:

Cord Meyer forwards Ambassador Beam's criticism of RFE to Allen Dulles and calls for more American control over the RFE Polish Service

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Chief, EE
Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT: Attached letter from Ambassador Jacob D. Beam

1. This memorandum is for the information only of the Director.

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3. We also attach a copy of two complaints (and the scripts involved) which Ambassador Beam forwarded to Chuck Stuart Smith in Munich. We have reviewed the full scripts referred to and are inclined to feel that while they do not represent major problems, they are symptomatic of what is wrong with some of RFE's current broadcasts line to Poland. We have referred these complaints to Archie Alexander.

Cord Meyer, Jr.
Chief, International Organizations

Attachments:
Bill Letter to Amb. Beam 13 Nov 1963
Amb. Beam letter to RFE 30 November 1963
Amb. Beam letter to Hon. Cng. Smith 13 Nov 1963
& RFE Polish scripts

cc: RFE

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