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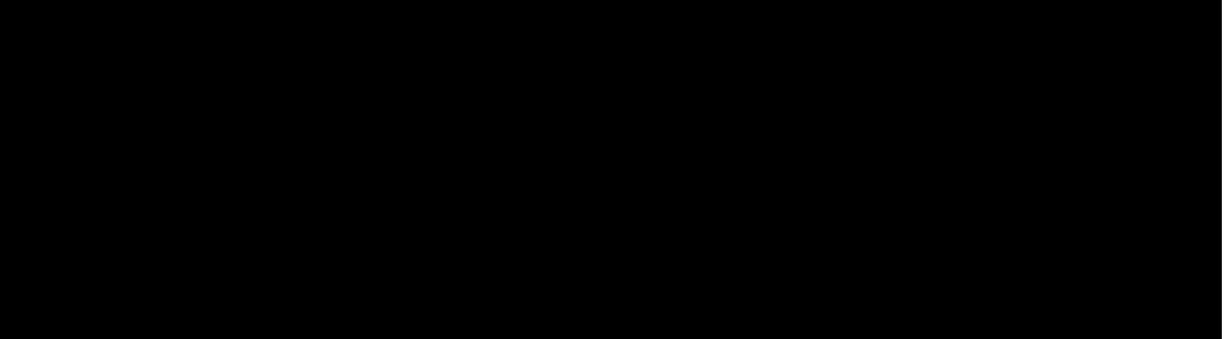
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1. The Nikola Tesla radio industrial enterprise is located in Belgrade in a one-story building on the corner of Svetozara Markovica and Pasterova Streets. The Director of the enterprise is Mihajlo Dumovic. Ljubo Jankovic is Assistant Director and a man named Nikolic is in charge of personnel. The legal adviser is a man named Simovic. The Chief Engineer of the plant is Mladen Torbarina. About 400 workers are employed in the enterprise.

2. The enterprise has the following machinery at its disposition:

- 20 scraping machines for precision mechanics (lathes);
- 12 large scraping machines (lathes);
- 4 shaping machines;
- 6 cutting machines;
- 10 presses;

The enterprise produces the receiving sets Tesla and Kosmaj but the quantity is not known.

3. After the break with the Cominform, raw materials and half-finished products were received from Vienna; now, however, the enterprise receives wire and cable from Novkabel plant in Novi Sad and from the Sumadija factory in Belgrade. Material for receivers comes from the Elektrovez factory in Ljubljana, and radio tubes from the R. R. Institute at Nis. The plan of the enterprise is shown on the attached sketch; various sections of the factory are marked with numbers as follows:

- 1) Director
- 2) Personnel section
- 3) Bookkeeping and accounting
- 4) Warehouse
- 5) Workshop for the production of electric flatirons and electric small stoves
- 6) Workshop for the production of switches
- 7) Warehouse for finished products
- 8) Workshop for turners
- 9) Elevator
- 10) Workshop for manometers
- 11) Workshop for electric clocks

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- 12) Turners (lathe-operators)
- 13) Nickel and tool workshop
- 14) Hydrometers
- 15) Presses
- 16) Locksmiths
- 17) Plumbers

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Comment: Many articles appeared in the Yugoslav newspapers during 1950 and 1951 about the Kosmaj and Tesla radio apparatus which are produced by this enterprise. The latest article, dated 28 June 1951, states that the Nikola Tesla enterprise produces Kosmaj-49 apparatus and the Tesla-51. The latter appears to be much finer and is the model currently being produced. The selling price of this new apparatus on the free market is 40,000 dinars.

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