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13 April 1987

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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FROM:

[Redacted]

Director of Training and Education

SUBJECT:

Request for Rental of Satellite Dish  
(Downlink)

1. In order to achieve the objectives of the Spanish Extended Total Immersion Program, it is vital that the trainees be immersed at all times in the target language.

2. Exposure to authentic speech broadcast from Hispanophone countries would provide the trainees with superior quality linguistic input and would permit us to satisfy their personal and job-related needs to stay current with world events via the target language. It would thus enable us to deny them access to English-language media to satisfy these needs.

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3. We request, therefore, that a satellite dish antenna, capable of receiving TV broadcasts from Central/South America, be rented and installed [Redacted] from 04 May to 26 June 1987.

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4. The Language Training Division/OTE [Redacted] for costs incurred. Informal inquiries in the Washington area have indicated that this service could be provided for approximately \$150.00 per day.

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