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REF LD262315 YEREVAN IN ARMENIAN TO EUROPE (TENTATIVE)  
262130--USSR: DEPUTY INTERIOR MINISTER SAYS NAGORNO-KARABAKH  
'UNDER CONTROL'

REF NC261945 YEREVAN INTERNATIONAL ARABIC 261750--YEREVAN ARABIC:  
ARMENIAN PATRIARCH GIVES ADDRESS

REF NC262215 YEREVAN INTERNATIONAL PERSIAN 261355--YEREVAN PERSIAN  
CARRIES ARMENIAN PATRIARCH'S ADDRESS

REF LD261630 YEREVAN DOMESTIC RUSSIAN 260800--USSR: GORBACHEV  
MESSAGE TO ARMENIA, AZERBAIJAN

FYI: YEREVAN IN ARMENIAN TO EUROPE BEHAVIOR

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SBC ADVISES THAT THE PROGRAMMING PATTERN FOR YEREVAN IN  
ARMENIAN TO EUROPE AT 2130 GMT ON 26 FEBRUARY (TENTATIVE) IS  
THE FOLLOWING: THE OPENING SEQUENCE FOLLOWS ITS LONG ESTABLISHED  
PATTERN AND THE ANNOUNCER INTRODUCES THE NEWS PROGRAM SAYING,  
"THIS IS YEREVAN SPEAKING. THIS IS YEREVAN SPEAKING." FOLLOWING  
A BRIEF MUSICAL INTERLUDE, THE ANNOUNCER SAYS: "WE BEGIN OUR BULLETIN  
FOR ARMENIANS LIVING IN EUROPE. THIS BULLETIN IS BROADCAST DAILY,  
AT 2130 TO 2200 GMT ON 41 METERS, OR 7300 AND 7320 KHZ.  
THE BULLETIN IS ALSO BROADCAST ON SUNDAYS FROM 0800 TO 0900 GMT ON  
19 METERS, ON 15455, 15485, AND 15510 KHZ."

BBC ADVISES THAT CONTRARY TO THE STATION'S PAST PRACTICE  
OF CARRYING NUMEROUS NEWS ITEMS IT CARRIED ONLY FOUR ITEMS:  
FIRST REF, GORBACHEV'S ADDRESS (SAME AS FOURTH REF), A  
3-MINUTE COMMENTARY ON DEVELOPMENTS IN THE USSR SINCE THE  
27TH CPSU CONGRESS, AND A RECORDING OF THE ARMENIAN PATRIARCH'S  
ADDRESS. BUREAU IS FILING AT IMMEDIATE PRECEDENCE AN FYI  
COMPARISON TO THE GORBACHEV ADDRESS AND THE TEXT OF THE  
ARMENIAN PATRIARCH'S ADDRESS.

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