

DISPATCH		CLASSIFICATION S-E-C-R-E-T	DISPATCH SYMBOL AND NO. SGAA-19389
TO INFO	Chief of <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		HEADQUARTERS FILE NO. 2-126-20/1
FROM	Chief, SE Albania/Psych		DATE 5 NOV 1958
SUBJECT	Transmittal of Renewed Project OBTEST		RE: "43-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE)
			<input type="checkbox"/> MARKED FOR INDEXING
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO INDEXING REQUIRED
ACTION REQUIRED	For information and files		INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED BY QUALIFIED HQ. DESK ONLY
REFERENCE(S)	SGAA-32537, 9 June 1958		
<p>1. Project OBTEST which was recently renewed for FY 1959 is being forwarded to you by split pouch.</p> <p>2. Other than some minor editing and rearrangement to comply with the new KUGAGE project formulary, the only changes made in the project were as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Revising the estimate of 150,000 radios in Albania to 50,000. b. Reducing the number of safehouses requested from two to one. c. Providing the sums of \$1,500 as salary for an additional agent, and \$1,000 for transportation costs and other expenses incidental to recruiting another agent. <p>3. The KUGAGE staff has called our attention to the "great need for obtaining concrete data which might furnish the basis for evaluation of the operation and justifying continuance beyond the fiscal year. It is expected that all possible means for obtaining such data will be explored throughout the current year". Our legal traveler operations may yield the necessary intelligence for such an evaluation, and we note that <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> is attempting to obtain information from the <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> In this connection we again urge <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> to send not only OBTEST's current time and frequency schedule to these <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> but also a description of the program including music signals used, etc. so as to aid non-Albanian speaking monitors in identifying the broadcasts. The favorable monitoring reports on OBTEST's reception at the Greek Albanian border were encouraging and this monitoring at the border should be continued on a regular basis.</p>			
Attachments as stated, (split pouch)		DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY SOURCES/METHODS EXEMPTION 3828 NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT DATE 2007	
2 Enclosures 1000		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
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