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RE: Radio news service costs

The following estimates are based on beginning distribution of weekly radio news service tapes, 30 minutes each, to 20 stations beginning Dec. 1, 1981.

|                     | <u>1981-82</u> | <u>1982-83</u> |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Technician          | \$525 (1)      | \$630 (2)      |
| Recording tapes     | 396 (3)        | 875 (4)        |
| Recording equipment | <u>500</u> (5) | <u>150</u> (6) |
|                     | \$1421         | \$1655         |

- (1) Sept. 3, 1981, through March 31, 1982 - 30 weeks at 5 hrs/wk, \$3.50/hr
- (2) Fiscal year 1982-83 - 35 weeks at 5 hrs/wk, \$3.60/hr
- (3) Dec. 2, 1981, through March 31, 1982 - 18 weeks, 20 tapes each at \$1.10
- (4) Fiscal year 1982-83 - 35 weeks, 20 tapes each at \$1.25
- (5) See separate detailing
- (6) Replacement contingency, plus purchase tape demagnetizer