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SUBJECT : Application for Full-Time Training in Hard Languages

REF : CA-7279, January 18, 1966

The above circular airgram called for the submission of applications for hard language training by March 1, 1966 from officers who wish to revise or reaffirm previously stated training preferences.

A correction in the airgram is necessary in that applications for Arabic training, whether Eastern or Western, should be forwarded to NEA, which has responsibility for the full scope of Arabic training assignments.

Additionally, Persian was omitted from the list of NEA languages. The revised list of hard languages for which training applications should be submitted to NEA are as follows:

NEA - Arabic, Bengali, Greek, Hebrew, Hindi/Urdu, Nepali, Persian, Sinhala, Tamil, Turkish

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