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RELEASE OF OFFICERS FOR ETOUSA
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Smith T V Lieut. Col. (FROM SEARS FOR FARGO TO F.T.M. FOR JOYCE
CITE FARGO 10550). HQS JHQ agreed release for ETOUSA. Request
him report here immediately. Please state if replacement
required.

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In reply refer to:
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28 December 1943

MEMORANDUM FOR: Brigadier Gueterbock and Colonel Spofford
Headquarters AMG/ACC, Naples

SUBJECT : Release of AMG/ACC Personnel for Service in UK.

1. Major Albert Aronson from AMG, AFHQ, has visited this headquarters for the purpose of discussing the release of AMG/ACC officers for service in Great Britain. He requires several hundred officers some of whom should have had previous field experience. He also has had a list of about 15 officers asked for by name by General McSherry.

2. The Deputy President authorizes you to concur in the release of those officers under your jurisdiction who can be spared without interfering with the efficient functioning of the Allied Control Commission. He makes this delegation of authority subject to the exception that he will give final concurrence on the officers requested by name. In the latter cases, your recommendations should be forwarded to this headquarters after discussion with Major Aronson.

For the Deputy President, Allied Control Commission:

cc: Major Aronson

MDT
MARSHAL D. TAYLOR
Brigadier General, USA

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SUBJECT: Release of U. S. Officers for ETO

TO : HQ AMG
HQ AMG, 15 Army Group
HQ ACC

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1. Confirming and supplementing recent exchanges of cables, above subject, the following is the present status, as notified to the War Department:

(a) Major Boettiger - By direction of the WD orders are issuing here for this officer to proceed to Washington by air for temporary duty Civil Affairs Division prior to another overseas assignment.

(b)	Lt. Col. Bernstein	Major Scheele
	Major Ashworth	Major Witte
	Major Doyard	Captain Winard
	Major Joseph A. Knight	Captain Peebles
	Major Ross R. MacDonald	Captain Poore
	Major Raffa	

Orders are issuing here at the direction of the WD for these officers to proceed to the UK, for assignment to G. O. ETOUSA, reporting to Civil Affairs Training Center, American School Center, Schriivenham, England. Sea transport is indicated.

(c) Orders will issue as in para (b), above, during the next 30 days for the following:-

Lt. Col. Kraege	Captain J. Edward Davis
Major Canby	Captain Morsa
Major Hickingbotham	Captain Hanson
Major MacDougall	Lieut. Clay
Major Todd	Lieut. Peterson

Note has been made of special comment with respect to release date of certain of these officers, and so far as possible the wishes expressed by the Hq. concerned will be followed.



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2. It is expected that in the course of the next 60 days, approximately 200 officers will be despatched from this Theatre to the ETO. Movement will be roughly in lots of 50 at about two weeks intervals. The first lot will be selected from Region I. The officers selected will come largely from the list discussed at your headquarters with Major Aronson on his recent visit, the balance being found from other miscellaneous sources. Every effort will be made to give as much advance notice as possible and to keep in mind the necessity of providing replacements in ample time from the various sources now available.

J. C. HOLMES
Brigadier General, G.S.C.
Chief, Military Government Section

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Officers for Stouza, 56 from Region One, 31 from SIG-400 recommended to ADMAL.
Orders expected shortly. For your necessary action embarkation will be Naples
25 January. Alternative where convenience requires Toronto 24 January. Advise
number each point. Rest follow by air.

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Under orders to proceed from Naples to United Kingdom for assignment to
ETO are Lt Col Tobey and Majors Gair and McSorvey. Request above named officers
report by 21 January this Headquarters latest.

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TO: Capt. E.W. STONE, USNR.
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1. For info. refce. Capt. M. HAY, Maj. S.H. HEAD, and Maj. V.E. BOWERS.
2. Capt. Hay has already applied to G-1 to be retained at Hq. A.C.C. and Col. FITCH is taking action to retain Maj. BOWERS.

29 JAN 1944

M. Hay
M. HAY
Capt. RA.
Staff Officer Communications Sect.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

SUBJECT: - Officers for return to U.K. 28th January, 1944.

REFERENCE: - 16002/G-1

TO: -
D/Chief of Staff (O. & S.I.) 1.
Security Intelligence 1.
Administrative Half Section. 7.
Economic Half Section. 8.
Communications Section. 3.
Displaced Persons Sub-Commission 1.
R.C.A.O. Region I 1.
R.C.A.O. Region II 1.
R.C.A.O. Region V 1.

1. Authority has been requested for the officers named in the attached schedules to be returned to the U.K. during February, and Movement and Transportation requested to issue the necessary instructions.
2. In cases where retention in A.C.C. or Regions of an officer is considered absolutely indispensable for the efficient functioning of the Region, Sub-Commission etc., concerned, the Chief Commissioner is prepared to take steps accordingly. R.C.A.O.s., Chiefs of Sub-Commissions etc., will therefore forward through the usual channels any such cases, which must be supported by cogent reasons, for the Chief Commissioner's consideration. It must be borne in mind, however, that officers detailed for the European theatre have been most carefully selected, and only where the necessity for retention can be shown to be really urgent will action be taken to obtain authority for an officer to remain in this theatre.

By Command of Lieut General MACFARLANE.

F.A. Purcell
F.A. PURCELL.
Lieut-Colonel.
G-1.

Copies to: - H.Q. AMG, A.C.M.F. (ref MGS 210.3-2 dated 22 January 1944.
It is requested that you will issue orders as in para 2 above to AMG 5 and 8 Armies, and Regions III and IV.)

Communications Section. 3.
Displaced Persons Sub-Commission 1.
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F.A. FURNESS
Lieut-Colonel.
G-1.

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Executive Officers.
H.Q. Commandant.
G-4.
R.C.A.O. Region VI.

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NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS RETURNING U.K. - FEBRUARY.

ADMINISTRATION.

Name.	Rank.	No.	Regt.	Function	Under Command
Ashley, J.O.M.	Col.	17025	Late R.A.	Dr CAO	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Farley-Smith, T.	Lt.Col.	161492	R.W.A.F.F.	Staff	" "
Huttenbach, M.H.	Lt.Col.	4599	R.A.	Staff or Supply	" "
Rodd, Hon. P.R.	Lt.Col.	--	Welsh Guards	CAO-Adm.	" "
Hancock, A.N.	Lt.Col.	150912	Int. Corps	Dr CAO	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Herbert, C.P.	Major	--	Cdn Inf Corps	Staff	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Baring-Gould, E.A.	Major	144804	Int. Corps	Staff & CAO	Region 6
D'Albiac, R.H.	Major	101765	R.E.	Staff	Region 6
Neville, A.	Major	11832	R.A.	Staff	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Smith, D.G.H.H.	Major	64777	London Soot.	CAO	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Giffen, J.H.	Major	263394	Gen. List	CAO	" "
Downer, J.	Major	279383	Gen. List	CAO	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Davies, J.F.	Capt.	279384	Gen. List	CAO	" "
Morley-Fletcher, D.	Major	51345	R.B.	CAO	" "
Talbot, L.J.G.	Major	--	R.C.A.S.C.	CAO	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Negretti, P.A.	Capt.	130555	Black Watch	CAO	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Morris, G.H.	Capt.	279371	Gen. List	CAO	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Sugden, G.T.	Capt.	45926	Int. Corps	CAO	" "
Shove, A.J.	Capt.	263679	Gen. List	Admin.	" "
Hay, M.	Capt.	106256	R.A.	Admin.	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
POLICE.					
Martin, R.M.J.	Lt.Col.	83597	Gen. List	Pub. Safety	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Hickinbotham, G.F.	Major	279371	Gen. List	Pub. Safety	" "
Rowlerson, A.W.	Major	83739	Gen. List	Pub. Safety	" "
Walters, T.W.J.	Major	279398	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Gould, H.S.	Major	279379	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Bye, E.J.	Major	279390	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Alker, F.	Major	99633	Int. Corps	C.A.P.O.	" "
Supeene, O.C.	Major	--	R.C.M. Police	C.A.P.O.	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Brown, J.J.	Capt.	279391	Gen. List	Pub. Safety	" "
East, G.	Capt.	279382	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Brett, A.F.	Capt.	279400	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Barron, J.	Capt.	279387	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Parker, L.L.P.	Capt.	279491	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Wilkins, W.I.R.	Capt.	279217	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Rawlings, F.	Capt.	279321	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Dyer, D.W.H.	Capt.	279381	Gen. List	Pub. Safety	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Hart, C.F.	Capt.	279375	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Fleetwood, J.B.	Lt.	279380	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
Hunt, R.	Lt.	279400/1	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" "
FINANCE.					
Hayes, C.C.	Lt.Col.	205530	Gen. List	Finance	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Robinson, E.S.	Major	83275	Gen. List	Finance	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)

Garren, H.H.	Major	263394	Gen. List	CAO	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Downer, J.	Major	279383	Gen. List	CAO	" " " "
Davies, J.F.	Capt.	279384	Gen. List	CAO	" " " "
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Rowlerson, A.W.	Major	83739	Gen. List	Pub. Safety	" " " "
Walters, T.W.J.	Major	279398	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" " " "
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Alker, F.	Major	99633	Int. Corps	C.A.P.O.	HQ ACMF (AMG)
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Brown, J.J.	Capt.	279391	Gen. List	Pub. Safety	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
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Fleetwood, J.B.	Lt.	279380	Gen. List	C.A.P.O.	" " " "
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Robinson, E.S.	Major	83275	Gen. List	Finance	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Dauncey, A.H.	Capt.	108638	Gen. List	Finance	" " " "
O'Leary, F.A.	Capt.	91692	R.A.	Finance	" " " "
Ashley, N.D.	Capt.	161260	Int. Corps	Finance	" " " "
<u>SUPPLY.</u>					
Dring, H.	Major	141418	South Lancs.	Supply	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Blais, W.J.	Major	--	R.Cdn. Engrs.	Supply	HQ ACMF (AMG)
Evans, F.E.	Capt.	166886	R.A.	Supply	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Gurney, A.S.	Capt.	43757	P.C.	Supply	" " " "
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL.</u>					
Bennett, J.	Lt. Col.	48951	D.W.R.	Property	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Bundy, H.P.	Major	144673	R.A.	Property	" " " "
<u>LEGAL.</u>					
Gilsherman, C.L.P.	Major	154372	W. Yorks.	Judicial	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
Wright, A.C.	Major	263346	Gen. List	Judicial	" " " "
Campbell, I.C.H.	Major	873338	R.B.	Legal	" " " "
<u>POSTAL.</u>					
Head, S.H.	Major	263397	Gen. List	Postal	HQ AMG CMF (& ACC)
<u>TRANSPORTATION.</u>					
Bowers, V.R.	Major	--	Int. Cdn.	Transportation	" " " "
<u>DISPLACED PERSONS.</u>					
Brown, T.H.	Major	169291	Int. Corps	Displaced Persons	" " " "

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FROM : SIGNED CINC CITE FHMS

REC'D : JAN 311241A

TO : FARGO AND FILPOT FOR AME AND FATIMA REPEATED FABLE AND
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Informed by Troopers that owing to WE difficulties not more than twenty officers earmarked for return to UK second batch February can now be absorbed. Officers to return to UK will consist of Lt. Col. Lynch Bosse and 19 Captains mentioned on MGS list attached to letter MGS 210.3-1 dated 22 January. This does not include Major A. J. Shove who was wrongly shown as Captain. Please amend.

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*No officers remaining
at this Hq. shown on
above mentioned list.*

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