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PROVISION OF PERSONNEL, GENERAL
JULY - OCT. 1943

23pp

JCS (this 6-1)

Ref. your note to me (loose in file).
Please see 16A, 17A, which I think
meets your point. I doubt, however 1656
if we shall get suitable EME out of
the arrivals.

20 Oct. 43

W. A. H. H. H.
Col.

REFERRED TO	DATE
6-1	24 Sep
6-1	25 "
Hq Acoustic	2 Oct
Col Jimmy	3 Oct
Hq Com	3 Oct
1st CR	3 Oct
1st CR	4 Oct
1st	5 Oct
JACS	19 Oct
1st	2 Oct
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Received 26 Oct. 43.

PRIORITY

TO FOR ACTION : IBS

REF NO : 1681

19A
AC/1006

FOR SEARS FOR AND FOR MC SHERRY

SIGNED : EISENHOWER, CITE, PIMGS

We are having message from FIFTEENTH ARMY GP from FILPOT from CFO
for MC SHERRY their cite PA 78 relayed to you, as he has returned proper
station prior to receipt of message here

ORIGINATOR M G S

AUTHENTICATION : BR RICHARDSON, Capt.

INFORMATION : DPIC FINANCE

MC OUT 7295 24 OCTOBER 43 1630A REF NO: 1681 jdg 3

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Military Government Section

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Ac/1006
10 October 1943.

MGS 210.3

SUBJECT: Accounting Personnel.

TO: Lt. Col. Vivian Smith.

Reference request for 5 officers and 20 EM/ORs for accounting purposes.

1. Officer personnel.

(a) I have told Purgold (G-1 JACS) to have a check round to see if any junior officers at present at Tizi Ouzou but with assignments for other appointments would be at all suitable. I am told there should be no difficulty in finding a few American Officers, though I am doubtful about there being any British Officers.

(b) M.S. are going to let me know whether there are available any category junior officers with experience of knowledge of accounting.

2. EM/ORs.

(a) I have told Purgold also to have a thorough check over recent EM arrivals to see if any are suitable.

(b) I have asked GHS 2nd Echelon to post 20 ORs to Tizi Ouzou. I doubt whether they can find that number, but might be able to produce 6 or 7. In fact this number would be a fair proportion working on the two-thirds American and one-third British basis.

(Sgd.) R. Barratt,
Major.

COPY TO: Brig. Hamlyn, Tizi Ouzou.

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JACS

18B

I understand that ^{other} Submissions
require accountants and that Finance
Submissions has been sending them.

This a matter of Em/ols not offr.

Submissions should be given
enough Em/ols to ~~run~~ run their own
show, and I think Finance should
get on with training them in accountant
duties straight away.

Carl Boy

+ JCS

20 or

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C O N F I D E N T I A L
HEADQUARTERS
MILITARY GOVERNMENT SCHOOL
APO 512

2 October 1943

SUBJECT: Movement Order

TO : All Concerned

1. MGS detachment A, under Command of Major Neville, will proceed by motor at 0900 hours, Sunday, October 3, 1943, to Yakouren to establish tented camp and base area for MGS detachment A Headquarters. Box lunch will be carried and a hot meal will be served at night at the new area.

2. S-4 Hq MGS will furnish rations for two days and daily thereafter by truck from the Main Base.

3. Transportation will be supplied by the Transportation Officer, 1st for the move.

4. MGS detachment A Headquarters, consisting of such personnel as is designated by Joint Chiefs of Staff, Planning Staff, will proceed to Yakouren at 0900 hours Wednesday, October 6, 1943, under command of Colonel Whittley to

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Military Government Section

ATM/RB/thh
18 October 1943

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MCS -381.1-3

TO: JACS

Ref. your AC/1006 of 14 October.

1. American personnel.

It is not possible to provide EM from local resources in this theatre for accounting purposes. The required number of personnel will have to be found from either existing EM or future arrivals.

2. British personnel.

(a) A request for 5 Officers with the desired qualifications has been submitted to G-1 (B).

(b) A request for 20 ORs has been submitted to G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon, who are making investigations. They are, however, doubtful whether this number will be available.

RB

A. T. MAXWELL,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief.

Copy to Lt. Col. Smith

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2 copies
Copy in Spares

20/10/43

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16A

TO: WTS, AFHQ.

FROM: Joint Chiefs of Staff, Holding & Planning Center.

SUBJECT: Accounting Duties - Provision of Personnel.

REFERENCE: AC/1006.

DATE: 14 October 1943.

As a result of planning, and consideration of various problems, it has become apparent that there will be an urgent need for Officers and O.R. for accounting duties. They will be needed not only in the Finance Sub-Commission but in the Industry & Commerce, Interior, and possibly other Sub-Commissions for accounting work in connection with stores and supplies of all kinds.

2 High technical qualifications are not necessary - the main requirement is that they should be sufficiently intelligent to be capable of being trained. Some knowledge of figures and an ability to write neatly would of course be an advantage, and Officers would require to have an elementary knowledge of accounting and bookkeeping.

3 Suitable personnel are not available in the Holding Center. It is therefore requested that you will take the following action:-

British Personnel.

(a) Provide 5 Officers (Lts or Capts) on loan for a limited period, so that they can be trained and can train others. It is understood that there are a number of Officers awaiting posting in TPD's for whom no employment is immediately available.

(b) Request G-1 (British) to issue the necessary authority to O.2.R. for the release of 20 O.R., who should preferably be L/Cs **PP. 811**, but this not essential. These O.R. could be released again. A.C. War Establishment MA/147/1 dated 16 Sept. 43. and could be here within a week of the authority being issued.

American Personnel.

(c) Provide 20 American enlisted men with civilian accounting, auditing or bookkeeping experience from men already in this theatre. Men in Grades from Sergeant to Private with any of the following Army Specification Serial Numbers 212, 268, 350, 351 are desired.

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(a) Provide 5 Officers (Lts or Capts) on loan for a limited period, so that they can be trained and can train others. It is understood that there are a number of Officers awaiting posting in TMD's for whom no employment is immediately available.

(b) Request G-1 (British) to issue the necessary authority to O.2.8. for the release of 20 O.R., who should preferably be **L/Cs** **Private**, but this not essential. These O.R. could be released against the A.C. War Establishment NA/147/1 dated 16 Sept. 43. and could be here within a week of the authority being issued.

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(c) Provide 20 American enlisted men with civilian accounting, auditing or bookkeeping experience from men already in this theatre. Men in grades from Sergeant to Private with any of the following Army Specification Serial Numbers 212, 263, 350, 390 are desired. One or two in a higher grade would be acceptable. These men would be included within the approved TO for the 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission, (American Contingent) (Provisional). They should arrive here within a week or ten days.

ABN Brigadier,
E. GUETERBOCK
Colonel,
R.G. KIRKWOOD
Joint Chiefs of Staff,
Holding & Planning Center.

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ROUTINE

FROM: AGWAR FROM HILLDEING SIGNED MARSHALL

TO: FREEDOM TO EISENHOWER FOR HOLMES

REFERENCE NO THIS MESSAGE: 9732, 10 Oct 45.

DARLINGTON Lt. Commander, will complete official duties WD
and return approximately end of October.

Please advise Vice Admiral HENWITT.

ACTION: MGS

INFO: US NAVY

MC IN 5484 10 Oct 45 0608A Ref No. 9732

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MILITARY GOVERNMENT SCHOOL AND LIVING CENTER. ac/1006

APD 612

8 October, 1945. 12A

Subject : Tentative Committee Schedule for 11, 13, and 15 October.

Memorandum To : Brigadiers Hamlyn and Parkinson; Colonel Evans; Upjohn & Young.

1. There are some 75 newly arrived officers at the School who have not had the special period of intensive Background Study. Hence, it is our plan to schedule the special study program for the week of 11 October. Thus, the Committee time should be devoted to orientation of the officers in the various special fields.

2. Enclosed is a form indicating hours and places of Committee meetings for 11, 13 and 15 October. It is requested that the officers to whom this memorandum is addressed write or telephone the Director of Studies by 1800 hours 9 October the names of the officers who will carry on the Committee work for the periods involved.

3. Finally, if, during the course of the week, any officer cannot assume responsibility for a Committee period, it is requested that the Director of Studies be informed as far in advance as possible in order that a substitute may be secured.

(sgd)

JOHN W. TAYLOR
Capt., Spec. Res.,
Director of Studies.

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MILITARY GOVERNMENT SCHOOL AND HOLDING CENTER

APO 612

Tentative Committee Schedule.

	Monday, 11 October 1800-1800	Wednesday, 13 October 1800-1800	Friday 15 October 1800-1800
<u>Civilian Supply</u> Classroom D	Meet with CAO's in Salle des Fetes	Major Humphreys Major Holmes	Meet with CAO's in Salle des Fetes.
<u>Finance</u> Classroom C			
<u>Legal</u> Classroom E			
<u>Public Health</u> Classroom F			
<u>Public Safety</u> Classroom B			
CAO's Salle des Fetes	Captain Patrick Lt. Col. Frances. Lt. Col. Glenn	Major Troxell Lt. Col. Glenn	Captain Patrick Major Chapple Lt. Col. Glenn
<u>Property Control</u> Classroom H			

JOHN W. TAYLOR
Capt., Spec. Res.,
Director of Studies.

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To :- H.Q., A.C.A.
From:- Region V.
Subject: Public Safety - Allotment of Officers.
Ref :- M R 5/ E/1.
Date :- September '43.

1. With reference to the 42 Officers allotted on the Establishment to this Region : it is requested that the following, who are expected to arrive shortly, may be posted to Region 5 :-

Lt. Col. Francis or Lt. Col. Kerr.
Major Sawyer.
Major Fischer.
Major Riggs.
Captain Jackson.
Captain Mackenzie.
Lieut. Greenhill.
Lieut. Dodderidge.

2. It will be appreciated that an early allotment of Public Safety Officers is essential in order that the organisation of this aspect of Military Government may be planned and preliminary studies carried out.

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F.L. Whitley
F.L. WHITLEY,
Colonel.
Regional Commander,
Region No. 5.

Spec Hobb

Ans 10/10/43

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MCS ALG V MCS TIZ
4 OCTOBER 1943
MESSAGE NO. 1

TO: M G SCHOOL AND H C

G-3 (THREE) AFHQ HAVE ARRANGED TRANSPORTATION OF 2 OFFICERS AND 98 OTHER RANKS
EX REF 24 NOW AT 4 BATTALION I R T D, PHILLIPEVILLE TO CONVEY THEM TO TIZI OUZOU.

I R TD HAS BEEN ASKED TO INFORM AS ESTIMATED DATE OF ARRIVAL, BUT SUGGES
CONTACT THEM BY PHONE.

MAJOR R. BARRATT.

CR

4 Oct / 884
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copy to my school by M.C.

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MOS ALC V MES TIZ
22 SEPTEMBER 1943
MESSAGE NO ~~1~~ 1

TO PLANNING STAFF ATTENTION CAPT WHITE

ANXIOUSLY AWAITING REPLY TO MY COMPLETE DATA OF PERSONNEL SENT TO YOU RECENTLY
ALSO CAN YOU TELL ME IF YOU HAVE A CAPTAIN HOTCHKISS AND MAJ. UHLER WHO MAY HAVE REPORTED
THERE WITHOUT MY KNOWLEDGE.

RIGGIO

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copy to Capt White Noted

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EXS RLC V MCS TIZ
24 SEPTEMBER 1943
MESSAGE NO 8

TO : SCHOOL COMMANDANT AND PLANNING STAFF
SUB : ARRIVAL OF PERSONNEL

FIVE (5) OFFICERS AND ONE HUNDRED TWENTY SIX (126) ENLISTED MEN ON WAY FROM CASABLANCA. WILL ARRIVE BY TRAIN ALGIERS 0400 SEPT 25. TRAIN TO BE SWITCHED TO LENERVILLE THEN TIZI OUZOU.

WILL PROBABLY ARRIVE BETWEEN 8 AND 1200 AM TOMORROW. I WILL CONTACT YOU FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WHICH I MAY BE ABLE TO GET.

24 Sept 43
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LT. RIGGIO 1655

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SURGEON FREEDOM

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REF 081300B

MEDICAL AMBOS

ALLIED MIL GOVT SCHOOL, (TIZI OUZU)

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By 8340 of 31 Aug (.) MIDEAST now report FRASER unfit travel for further
4 weeks (.) What do you wish ^{done} ~~done~~ (.)

Planning Staff.
Return when info
has been obtained.
Recommendations?
JFK

Usual, plus:
1 Surgeon (Br.)

ROUTINE

SURGEON FREEDOM

J. H. BAYLEY, Colonel.

FRISCO 34.

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MCS ALG V MCS TLE
22 SEPTEMBER 1943
MESSAGE NO 3

TO : M G SCHOOL AND H C

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URGENT

for information
(School has
in copy) B.H.P.

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Planning Staff

BRITISH OFFICERS AND OTHER RANKS ARRIVING ALGIERS E X RMT 24 DEPART
ALGIERS BY TRAIN 1805 23 SEPT. DUE TIZI OUZOU MORNING 24 SEPT. STCP ONE DAYS
RATIONS ARE BEING PROVIDED IN BULK FOR CONSUMPTION EVENING 23 AND EARLY MORNING
24. MAKE FREQUENT CONTACT WITH STATION AUTHORITIES TIZI OUZOU TO ASCERTAIN
EXACT TIME OF ARRIVAL AND MAKE NECESSARY TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS FOR BAGGAGE ETC.

MAJ. R. BARRATT

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Military Government Section

19 Sept. 1943

MOS -3203-11

SUBJECT: Requirements of Personnel AMG

TO : G-1 (US) AFHQ

1. The attached copy of a letter from Lieut. Colonel R. P. Koenig who is at present planning Allied Military Government Sardinia, is forwarded.

2. May the personnel shown in para 4 item No 2 - 8 of Lt. Col. Koenig's letter be assigned to Military Government Holding Centre Tizzi Gussi if they can be made available. 1651

3. The urgency of this situation is shown in Part 4 Cositintrop Number 70 of 18 September.

A. T. MATHILL
Colonel, Deputy Chief
Military Government Section

1 Incl.
Copy No 7
Planning Staff
(without enclosure)

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MES ALG V MES TIZ
3 SEPT. 1943
MESSAGE NO 1

TO : SCHOOL AND REGION
SUB. : ARRIVALS

APPROXIMATELY ~~100~~ 100 BRITISH OFFICERS AND 239 OTHER RANKS ARRIVE TIZI OUZOU END
OF SEPT. MORE DETAIL WILL BE NOTIFIED AS KNOWN.

CAPT. R. BARRATT

Copies sent to H.Q. Comd.
Staff Capt A.

H-PPA

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IMPORTANT

FROM: TROOPERS

TO : FREEDOM RPED FANTOM

NO : 53331 CA 8, 27 July, 1943

Your 3805, 23 July.

1. Arrangements already made 77 clerks to be despatched
WS 33. Present distribution WO 1 6, WO 11 12 S/Sgts and Sgts 24 rank
and file 35, including highest possible number stenographers.

2. Approximately 90 Officers will also be despatched WS 33.

3. Full details will be telegraphed soonest.

Note: 3805 163 OUT 8893 24/7/43 M11 Gov Sec.

ACTION: M11 GOV SEC

INFORMATION: SGS
G-1(B)
G-3
G-2
AG RECORDS

ME IN 12522 27 July 43 2355B Ref No. 53331 CA 8 rht

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ROUTINE

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FROM ACWAR FROM MARSHALL
TO FREEDOM ALGIERS TO EISENHOWER
NO 4033, 03 August 43

Cite FEMOS and NAGAP.

Personnel status reference your NAF 296 and W-6230,
(CITE CAD)

1. Individuals have been selected and orders issued for the bulk of Officers and enlisted men requested for Priority 1. In some cases where men of desired qualifications included in Priority 1 have NOT yet been selected, already available personnel selected for positions on later priorities are being sent you so as to take advantage of air transportation now available. Expect 102 Officers plus enlisted men, clerks and stenographers, will all be sent by air beginning to leave about August 7. Orders provide personnel of this group to report to Brigadier General HOLMES, Military Government Section, AFHQ ALGIERS, and each Officer will carry card indicating that he is for civil affairs duty and his recommended initial assignment, brief civil and military record will also be sent you to assist making final assignments.

To reference copy 1 operational plan and memorandum July 24th from HOLMES to HASKELL, do not understand breakdown of Military Administration Officers in section 24, 25, 26 and 27 into specialists, supply, personnel and transportation officers.

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NO : 4033, 03 August 1943

Continued

Excepting Headquarters housekeeping staff, we understand that military administrators or Civil Affairs Officers should be executive general administrator type and not specialists.

3. While neither the Combined Chiefs of Staff nor the War Department has yet approved operational plan brought by HASKELL including tables of organization and allocation of positions and personnel between US and UK, War Department has approved allotment, ranks and grades to NATOUSA to cover first priority only as requested in your RAF 296. It is agreed that at least this number of personnel will be required irrespective of form of military control which may be decided. Selection personnel for later priorities has already started.

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RAF 296 REF NO: W5232/2312 IS MC OUT 7133 JULY 19 MIL GOVT SEC
W6230 IS MC OUT 75 AUG 1 MIL GOVT SEC

ACTION: MIL GOVT SEC

INFORMATION: DOB
MR. MURPHY
MR. MAC MILLAN
G-1 (A)
G-1 (B)
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MC IN 1163

3 AUG 43

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PRIORITY

NATOUSA

FROM AGWAR SIGNED MARSHALL
TO EISENHOWER
NO 5375 August 18, 1943

Reference your W 7354.

1647

Totals our cable 4756 dated 11 August were as follows:
(CITE MAGAP FINDS AND CAD). 36 Colonels, 82 Lieutenant Colonels,
243 Majors, 179 Captains and 65 Lieutenants. Your original
request for 28 Colonels was increased by request for 8 General
Officers to make total 36 Colonels positions. This allotment
totaling 605 is based only on your cable request W-5232/2312 of
19 July, as modified by regional sheets. Allotment of 605 is in
addition to total of 225 Officers given in our advance cable
2676 dated 15 July. War Department letter AG 320. 2 of 21 July
merely confirmed 225.

Referring your W-7365 of 14 August, Lieutenant Colonel
BAREMAN enroute with master copies on regions 3, 4, 5, and 7.
Region 6 received today.

Colonel PORTER P LOWRY can not be made available.

Approximately 75 Officers and 40 enlisted men have now
left US by air. 145 Officers and 127 enlisted men reached port of
embarkation yesterday. Will cable shipment numbers later. All
enlisted men and 90 additional Officers under orders to assemble
at ports with schedule for air are some key personnel.

W7354 MC OUT 5781 AUG 14 G-1
4756 AGWAR MC IN 5550 AUG 12 MGB
W7365 MC OUT 5828 AUG 14 MGB

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W5032/2312 MC OUT 7133 JULY 19 MDE
3676 AGWAR MC IN 7581 JULY 17 G-1

ACTION: G-1

INFORMATION: MMS
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MC IN 9032

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

TO: FOR ACTION: FILPOT (FOR AMG)

B I G O T

REF. NO: 944

SIGNED: EISENHOWER

CITE: FMGS

Further operational AMG party for region 2 will be mounted under arrangements made here with assault force.

Party will consist of 10 officers viz: 1 SCAO, 3 CAO, 1 Finance, 1 Public Safety, 1 Public Health, 10 other ranks or enlisted men. No transport. No G 1098 or TBA equipment which would be found by requisition or assault force.

Party will pass to the administrative area AMG region 2.

ORIGINATOR: MIL GOV SACT

AUTHENTICATION: A T MAXWELL, COL

INFORMATION: G-3

1 AIRBORNE DIVISION

G-2

G-4

ACA REGION NO. 7

SGS

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M.G. School Tizz' Out 20

SP 4 2 (B)
MC OUT: 1716

5 Sept 43

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(General)

EXTRACT FROM INCOMING MESSAGE NO: 50888 C A 8 19 July 43

FROM: TROOPERS

TO: FREEDOM FOR AMGOT REAR RPTD FANTCX FOR
AMGOT

"Reference M 29, 13 July from O2E NORTH AFRICA

1. NORTH AFRICA block requirements for WS 33, no mention
O T A requirements, but assume your deficiencies, mentioned your
C A 265-8398 7 July as amended your 8721 8 July, still required
earliest. Should be able despatch these WS 33.

2. Endeavouring obtain authority and priority for pool,
your 6296 30 June, para 3 refers.

3. Have also noted remaining deficiencies, your list
enclosed 141F/7860/CA, 2 July, which will be despatched as soon
as authority obtained."

1645

8398 dated 7/7/43 ORIGINATOR: AMGOT REAR
8721 dated 8/7/43 " " "
6296 " 30/6/43 " " "
141F/7860/CA not in AFHQ MC files.

ACTION: O2E

