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LESSONS FROM OPERATION "HUSKY"
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SUBJECT :- Lessons from Operation HUSKY

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List "B"

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1. It is of great importance that lessons from Operation HUSKY should be made available as early as possible, not only for dissemination throughout the Armies of 15 Army Group and their reserve formations but also for the information of any of the Allied Forces who may be planning a similar operation.
2. The first lessons to become available will be from the comments of observers, who have been instructed to report on their return to G(Trg), HQ 15 Army Group. G(Trg) will arrange that they visit the branch or branches whose activities they have been covering.
3. Any lessons which are issued as a result of the comments of these observers are unofficial and any instruction or letter issued on the subject will make it clear not only whose views they represent, but that they are issued as 'hot news' and NOT as "Official Lessons of the Campaign".
4.
 - (a) G(Trg) Branch will coordinate all lessons of the campaign.
 - (b) To ensure that data is readily available for the compilation of the "Official Lessons of the Campaign" each branch and service will arrange to cover its own subject.
 - (c) G(Trg) Branch will collect and collate the lessons from all branches of the General Staff.
 - (d) G(Int) will produce separate lessons on the Intelligence aspect of the campaign.
 - (e) Administrative lessons are being produced under the direction of M.G.A.

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3. Lessons which are issued as a result of the comments of these observers are unofficial and any instruction or letter issued on the subject will make it clear not only whose views they represent, but that they are issued as "not news" and NOT as "Official Lessons of the Campaign".

4.
 - (a) G-1 (Trg) branch will coordinate all lessons of the campaign.
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