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RESPONSIBILITY FOR EXECUTION OF SCHEMES OF DECEPTION FOR PERIOD
END OF JULY BEGINNING OF AUGUST

Serial (a)	Parture of Scheme (b)	ATT (c)	E (d)	G(Can) (e)	PLC (f)	AMGOT (g)
1	Decoy Wire Snip AUGUSTA	-	14 OF FORT- BASE to assist in fitting out craft	(i) Co- ordinate acqui- sition of craft and fitting out of craft (ii) Deal with if need	(i) Investigate availability of craft (ii) Discuss with COSV (iii) provide PL to "Fire"	Regis- tration if necessary
2	Dummy Tank Rdo in 13 Corps Area	2 Tps from 13 Corps for fitting out of dummy tanks	Provide personnel and material (less number of personnel) for construct 1st of dummy tanks	(i) Direct the construction of Dummy Tanks (ii) State number of Dummy Tanks available at 1st construct (iii) Obtain personnel from (iv) Control movement and action in Dummy Tanks	-	Provide base for if needed

APPX "A" to M 314 G
dated 26 Jul 43.

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(d)	G (Cam) (e)	DIO (f)	ANGOT (g)	Remarks (h)
14 ST FORT- BASE to assist in biting out craft	(i) Co- ordinate acqui- sition of craft and bitting out of craft (ii) deal with ANGOT if nec.	(i) Investigate availability of craft (ii) Discuss with WOSV (iii) provide ML to "Piro"	Requisition craft if necessary	
Provide personnel and material (less heavy) for construction of dummy TSS (less number of dummy TSS available at 1 Aug. for construction of dummy TSS (iv) control movement and action in dummy TSS	(i) Direct the construction of dummy TSS (ii) State number of dummy TSS available at 1 Aug. (iii) Obtain personnel from dummy TSS (iv) control movement and action in dummy TSS		Provide personnel if needed for	(a) 13 Corps to choose area. (b) SD to ask 15 Army GP to allow two Cam Dets to come to Eighth Army at once from base in LOTS - vehs to follow about 3 Aug.

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