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ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER 11)

31 August 1943

NATIVE LABOR COMPANIES

Effective 1 September 1943, the following native labor companies engaged in work for U. S. services and staffed by U. S. Army personnel will be equipped and rationed on prescribed scales from U. S. stocks, paid from U. S. funds, and placed under the designated base sections for administration, control and assignment of tasks:

<u>Number</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Section</u>
103	MBS	124	EBS	140	MBS
104	EBS	125	EBS	141	EBS
108	MBS	128	MBS	144	EBS
109	MBS	130	EBS	145	EBS
112	MBS	132	MBS	146	EBS
122	EBS	135	EBS	147	MBS
123	EBS	137	EBS	153	MBS

By command of General MISENOWER:

H. V. Roberts
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Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General

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HEADQUARTERS AMGOT
(U. S. Contingent)
15th Army Group
APO 777

17 September 1943

SUBJECT: Report on Catania Province.

TO : Brig-General McSHERRY, DCCAO, AMGOT.

1. In addition to my other duties of a special nature of which a special report has been submitted, herewith, is a brief summary of my observations on the operation and organization of SCAO headquarters, Catania Province.

2. General Estimate SCAO (Lt Col WELLESLEY (BR)): This officer impresses me as being conversant with his duties and problems connected therewith. He seems to have a more thorough knowledge of important details concerning his province than any other SCAO I have seen to date.

3. Relationship SCAO with Italian Prefect: From casual conversation I learned that relationship of our SCAO with the Italian Prefect was harmonious and effective.

4. Physical Set-up of Provincial Headquarters: All officers in one building. His officers are billeted and mess in two main groups. I ate in the Jr. mess and it was the best mess I have seen in Sicily.

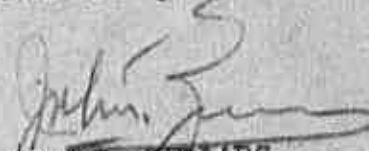
5. Problems: (Military: In order of Priority.):

a. Transportation: He has only about 17 trucks for transportation of food. These are captured Italian Army trucks for the most part. States that he needs at least 30 to 35 in order to move daily average of about 100 tons of food. He has a very heavily populated area in and around Catania.

b. Personnel: Needs six administrative men as CAO's at present. Of the thirty-five officers assigned to his province he states twenty-nine of them are specialists. Needs enlisted typists, stenographers, and interpreters who can speak, read and write Italian.

6. Problems: (Civilian: In order of Priority.): Fuel, electric power, construction materials, medical supplies.

7. Conclusion and Recommendations: Believe this SCAO will function quite well if given additional needs of personnel and transportation as indicated above.


JOHN T. ZELLARS
Col, Inf
C/S U. S. Cont.

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HEADQUARTERS AMGOT
(U. S. Contingent)
15th Army Group
APO 777

17 September 1943

SUBJECT: Informal Report on my visit to Messina Province 13-15 Sept 1943 inclusive.

TO : Brig-General McSHERRY, DCCAO, AMGOT.

1. In addition to my other duties of a special nature of which a special report has been submitted, herewith, is a brief summary of my observations on the operation and organization of SCAO headquarters, Messina Province.

2. General Estimate of SCAO, (Lt Col STORY): This man impresses me as rather slow in motion, and inclined to do many things himself rather than to organize his headquarters into an efficient operating team. He has some tact and is fairly active in his own way. Compared with other SCAO's I have seen, I would rate him average. His executive officer, Major DEUTSCH is inclined to "assume command".

3. Relationship of SCAO and Italian Prefect: The necessary contact with the Italian Provincial Prefect in this province is almost non-existent. The headquarters of the SCAO has moved into Messina and out again to a Villa near the junction of the Messina and Milazzo roads. The relocation of SCAO headquarters in Messina should bring about more direct contact between the SCAO and the Provincial Prefect.

4. Physical Set-up of Provincial Headquarters: As explained above this has been unsettled, largely I believe, because Messina was under shell fire and enemy bombardment until 13 September 1943. The SCAO has now moved his headquarters in one building in Messina. Officers will mess and billet together so I understood.

5. Problems: (Military: In order of Priority.):

a. Transportation: Needs at least twenty, 2½-ton trucks for distribution and procurement of wheat and flour.

b. Personnel: Needs four officers with administrative and executive ability. Needs eight stenographers, typists and clerks for his whole province. Needs about two good interpreters for his headquarters. These must be capable of reading, writing and transcribing Italian. Needs one Military Police Company for control, security and administration problem.

6. Problems: (Civilian: In order of Priority.):

a. Grain or flour in sufficient quantities to provide 150 grams per person per day. Population has been existing on 50 grams of bread per person per day for some months. Building material (road and rail), Medical supplies, as parts of Messina Province are now highly malarial in character.

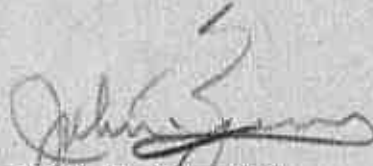
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7. Conclusion and Recommendations:

- a. That the following up by this headquarters should be made within ten days to ascertain the relationship between our SCAO Messina, and Italian Prefect of Messina Province, and to ascertain if they are functioning properly.
- b. As people move back into Messina from other towns and from other provinces, the food situation becomes more acute daily. Accordingly, we should augment our provisions of food for this province.
- c. That a Military Police Company be furnished for use in this province.


JOHN T. ZELLARS
Col, Inf
C/S U. S. Cont

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HEADQUARTERS AMGOT
(U. S. Contingent)
15th Army Group
APO 777

17 September 1943

SUBJECT: Report of Special Mission of Delivery of Flour and other food supplies to Messina Province during period 12-15 Sept/43 incl.

TO : Brig-General McSHERRY, DCCAO, AMGOT.

SECTION I

1. In accordance with your oral instructions concerning the delivery of grain and flour and other food products to the Messina Province, the following report is submitted.

2. A total of 150 tons of food, (120 tons of flour, 10 tons of milk, 20 tons of C-rations, American), were loaded and shipped by naval transportation (LCT 198) from Palermo to Messina during night and day of 12-13 September 1943. Arrangements had been made by Lt Col STORY, SCAO, for unloading this shipment at Milazzo. Trucks there had been assembled and a British labor team had been provided. LCT was expeditiously unloaded and much of the flour was distributed direct from the boat to the communes.

3. With respect to the 240 tons of flour shipped on the three Italian schooners from Palermo to Messina during the period 12-15 September 1943, report that this shipment arrived at Messina approximately 30 hours after its departure from Palermo. Lt Col STORY, SCAO of Messina Province arranged the unloading and distribution of the flour. Unloading was completed about 4 PM 15 September 1943.

4. With respect to the delivery of 300 tons of flour from the stock pile at Catania to Messina Province, I have found that 1st Lt LOFASO, the officer in charge of the stock pile, had received instructions issued by you to deliver this amount of flour to the SCAO, Messina Province on call.

5. Lt Col STORY understood that he was to send for this amount of flour for use in Messina Province, and that he had made provisions to begin hauling this flour 16 September 1943.

6. I consulted with Lt Col RODD, SCAO, Enna, at this headquarters on the morning of the 16th of September and he reported to me that he understood that he was to furnish Messina Province 40 tons of flour or grain per day. That at present he was not furnishing that amount, that the procurement and transportation were both not yet up to that figure. That Messina Province is now receiving approximately 10 tons of grain or flour per day from Enna Province.

7. I have found that Major CHAFFIN, (BR), of Civilian Supply section this Hq, had set in motion all the above in accordance with your 8

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instructions, prior to my arrival. Also found that there was some lack of coordination between the operating personnel involved, largely because of lack of information reaching the proper administration heads. This was easily and properly corrected by me.

8. Lt Col STORY reported to me that to the best of his knowledge the civilian people in Messina Province as a whole were receiving about 50 grams of flour per person per day. That the procurement of the above emergency food would assist him in bringing it up to 150 grams per person per day. However, to do this it would be necessary to continue shipments of grain and flour into his area similar to the above operation every 5 or 6 days.

SECTION II

1. Civilians are clamoring to return to their homes and are using every device possible to so do. As a result of this they crowd on all AMGOT transportation. The drivers of the trucks, and carabinieri, and Military Police, are failing to keep them off.

2. There is much movement by cart, chiefly of household goods. These are a great nuisance on roads, particularly on mountain passes, and are interfering with military convoys, despite the efforts of everyone. This is particularly true in Messina and Catania Provinces at this time.

3. There is some looting by American and British soldiers, mostly of things to make them comfortable such as chairs, radios, tables, and other articles of furniture.

4. The support of the field forces by AMGOT personnel is still very great. The SCAO of Catania Province told me that 60% of the efforts of he and his personnel was in support of the field forces.

5. Transportation of supplies for the civilian population is a very urgent problem.

6. The SCAO of both Catania and Messina Province request that a few good administrative officers be assigned to them who have executive ability. They each stated that they had too many "experts" now. They also reported a great need for a few trained stenographers, typists, and interpreters who could speak, read and write Italian.

7. Recommendations:

a. That we continue our efforts to provide bread in sufficient quantities to Messina Province to keep up a level of 150 grams.

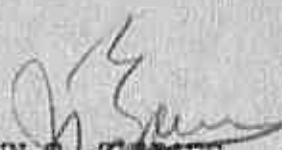
b. That we continue the present efforts to make available additional transportation of dependable character for the entire region.

c. That this headquarters insist that the SCAO headquarters organize administratively so that they can operate as an efficient team. 5267

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e. That, every effort be made to establish a reliable Signal Communication Net within entire region for AMGOT uses.


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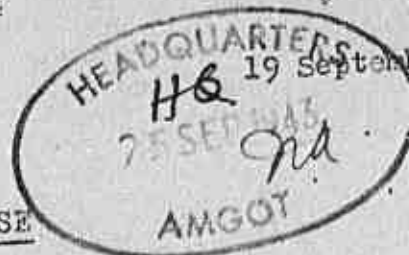
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ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER 12)

LEND-LEASE



General I
Transfer Procedure II
Reporting Procedure III

I -- GENERAL

1. Definition. Lend-Lease is the transfer to an allied government under the provisions of the Lend-Lease Act, of defense articles, facilities, information, or services. The provisions of this memorandum are not to be confused with Reciprocal Aid (supplies and equipment received by U S forces from an allied government), the method for the reporting of which is the subject of another directive of this headquarters, namely, Administrative Memorandum Number 8, cs.

2. Statutory Requirements.

a. In accordance with the Lend-Lease Act of 11 March 1941 (Public Law 11, 77th Congress; 55 Stat. 31; 22 U S 411, and following sections), the War Department is required to maintain complete records of all defense articles, facilities, information or services transferred to foreign governments under the provisions of the Act.

b. All transactions carried out in this theater which result in aid or assistance being rendered to a Lend-Lease country, as defined above, will be included in this record, and will be reported as prescribed herein. Shipments consigned to the Theater Commander earmarked for transfer to a specific Lend-Lease country after arrival will not be reported. However, a separate statement will be prepared to report all diversions of such shipments from the country for which originally intended. This statement will be prepared in accordance with the form attached hereto (Appendix Number 1), and will be marked clearly to indicate the country for which originally intended, and the country to which diverted.

II - TRANSFER PROCEDURE

1. Method of Transfer.

a. Normal

All transfers of U S property, facilities, information, or services, to a Lend-Lease government from stocks on hand in this theater will be authorized and directed by the Theater Commander. Normally, issues will be made by the commanders of the base sections, XII Air Force Service Command, and by the Director

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General of Military Railway Service. For the purpose of effecting formal transfer, the issuing unit will prepare a shipping ticket, tally-out ticket, or similar issue voucher in sextuplicate. Such issue voucher will include a description of the items transferred, the unit and total dollar value thereof, and the unit or organization to which issued. It will be marked clearly "ISSUED TO (name of service of allied government)", and all copies will be signed in ink by a duly authorized commissioned officer of the receiving government. Estimated prices will be indicated as such on shipping tickets, with the basis therefor. For other than Air Corps technical supplies, specific letter or cable authority from this headquarters will be cited, and in the case of Air Corps technical supplies, WD Circular AG 452 (9 June 43) OB-S-D-M 23 June 43, subject: "Policy Relating to Supply of Maintenance Parts for American Built Aircraft and Aeronautical Equipment Operated by Allied Forces" will be cited. One copy of the shipping ticket will be delivered to the receiving officer, one copy will be retained by the issuing officer, and four copies will be forwarded to the appropriate base section, Air Force Depot, or the Director General, of Military Railway Service, as the case may be.

b. Emergency.

Authorized issues made in the field by commanders of combat units will be supported by four signed copies of shipping tickets which will be forwarded, through channels, to the appropriate base section commander, as outlined in paragraph 1a above.

2. Valuation.

All transfers of property or services of any nature to a Lend-Lease government, as provided herein, will be evaluated in terms of dollars. Standard list prices or catalog prices will be used wherever possible. In the absence of list or catalog prices, prices will be estimated, using for that purpose any information available. Such estimates may be made by the general purchasing agents, SOS, MATOUSA, base sections, Air Service Command, the Director General of Military Railway Service, or local issuing officers. If, after exhausting every known source of information, it is determined to be impossible to place a value on any particular transfer, a supplementary statement will be attached to the report listing in detail the purpose classification, item, and quantity transferred, whether for military or civilian use, the recipient government, and the branch of service responsible. This statement will contain a complete description of the item transferred, using standard U S nomenclature and part number wherever possible, in order that a value may be assigned upon receipt of the report in Washington.

III - REPORTING PROCEDURE

1. Records and Reports.

To insure that a proper charge is made against the allied government concerned for deliveries of Lend-Lease supplies and equipment from U S stocks, commanders of the base sections, XII Air Force Service Command, and the Director General of Military Railway Service, will, as of the end of each month, summarize on "Report of Lend-lease Transfers", IAD Form No. DDA 7B (Appendix No. 1) all

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shipping tickets, tally-out tickets, or similar issue vouchers. A separate form will be submitted by each supply service. Reports will be submitted in quintuplicate, supported by copies of shipping tickets, tally-out tickets, or similar issue vouchers, in triplicate. Separate reports will be rendered for each government. Negative reports will be submitted, where applicable, on the required form.

2. Period of Report.

The first report under this directive will cover all deliveries of Lend-Lease supplies and equipment up to and including 30 June 1943, and will reach the Lend-Lease Section, Finance Department, Headquarters MATOUSA, APO 534, U S Army, on or before 1 October 1943. Reports for July and August will also be submitted on or before 1 October 1943. Subsequent reports will be submitted as of the end of each month, and will reach this headquarters not later than the 15th of the month following. Shipping tickets already forwarded to this headquarters will be summarized by the Chief Finance Officer in his initial report.

3. Bi-Monthly Reports

The Chief Finance Officer, this headquarters, is charged with the responsibility of consolidating Lend-Lease reports, and of rendering cumulative reports as of the last day of the months of August, October, December, February, April and June, to the International Aid Division, Headquarters, Army Service Forces, Washington 25, D. C.

4. Classification

All transfers reported will be classified in accordance with the attached "Purpose Classification for Lend-Lease Transfers" (Appendix No. 2). All items falling within a single purpose classification will be summarized in one dollar figure, and no detail by item will be reported within the classification.

5. Instruction for Preparation.

The attached form will be reproduced on 8 x 13 paper, and will be prepared as follows:

a. Column (1) Enter purpose classification number and description, in accordance with Appendix No. 2.

b. Column (2) Enter the dollar value of transfers for military use made during the period covered by the report.

c. Column (3) Enter the cumulative dollar total of transfers for military use to reflect total transfers for the current and all previous reports.

d. Column (4) Enter the dollar value of transfers for civilian use made during the period covered by the report.

e. Column (5) Enter the cumulative dollar total of transfers for civilian use to reflect total transfers for the current and all previous reports.

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f. Column (6) Enter total transfers both civilian and military for the period covered by the report (Column (2) plus Column (4).)

g. Column (7) Enter cumulative transfers for both military and civilian use to reflect total transfers for current and all previous reports (Column (3) plus Column (5).)

6. Certification

Reports will be certified by the officer responsible for preparation as follows:

"I hereby certify that this report is correct, and in accordance with the records of this command.

(Name)

(Grade)

(Organization)

By command of General EISENHOWER:

H. V. Roberts
H. V. ROBERTS
Colonel, AGD,
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Military Government Section

29 September 1943

SUBJECT: Civilian Ration for Italy

TO : 15th Army Group for AMG
Joint Asst. Chiefs of Staff for Armistice C.C., Tizi Ouzou

I. ACTION REQUIRED BY AMG.

A. Temporary Ration Scale.

1. Conditions relating to availability of supplies for civilian use make it imperative that you redouble your efforts to use local foodstuffs to the maximum, supplementing with AMG supplies only in an emergency.

2. Refer to AG 400-1 (AMGOT) 31 Aug 43, with special emphasis on pars 1 and 5 (Annex I).

3. It will be impossible to exceed the total provision of basic items ex U.S., as phased for AMG Regions, which has been agreed as follows:

October	15,000 tons
November	35,000 "
December	50,000 "
(Jan., Feb., Mar., 1944 total of 175,000 tons as yet unphased.)	

4. To assure adequate subsistence for civilian population and to properly control the distribution of AMG supplies:

(a) You will adopt a ration scale which will not exceed an average maximum of 2000 calories per person daily, as provided by Basic Ration for Italian Subsistence (ANNEX II). This was prepared by AFHQ medical and nutrition experts.

(b) Use as reference all available data including:

(1) Basic Ration for Supplemental Feeding
(Annex III)

(2) Caloric ^{Content} Contract of Local Foodstuffs
(Annex IV)

(3) Italy: Subsistence Deficiencies and
Surplus (Annex V)

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(b) Use as reference all available data including:

- (1) Basic Ration for Supplemental Feeding (Annex III)
- (2) Caloric Contrast of Local Foodstuffs (Annex IV)
- (3) Italy: Subsistence Deficiencies and Surplus (Annex V)

5. You will reexamine immediately the present ration in Regions I, II and III to insure that the maxima caloric standards established in par 4 are not exceeded.

6. Every effort will be made to provide foodstuffs in the order of priority from:

- (a) Local resources entirely.
- (b) Local resources plus minimum amount of AMG supplies.
- (c) AMG supplies entirely (emergency).

7. Action taken on above will be reported to AFHQ.

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1. Since Basic Rations for Italian Subsistence, cited in par A 4, has been based on estimated figures, it is necessary that you initiate a careful and comprehensive study of the actual minimum nutritional maintenance needs of the people now under your control in Regions I, II, III and in other Regions as they come under AMG.
2. A consolidated report of this study should be forwarded to AFHQ by 1 December 1943. Upon receipt, the Temporary Ration scale, par A, will be reviewed.

II. ACTION REQUIRED BY ARMISTICE C.C., TIZI OUZOU.

- A. 1. You will review immediately your ration plans for those Regions (not including Regions I, II and III) to come under your control using all available data including those in Annex I - V (inclusive).
2. Submit the results of your studies to AFHQ by 1 November 1943.
- B. 1. Upon assuming authority over a Region you will Supplement your preliminary estimates by a comprehensive field study of the actual minimum nutritional maintenance needs ~~of~~ of each an area(s).
2. A report of this study should be forwarded to AFHQ sixty (60) days after taking over active control of a Region.

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

Attached:

- Annex I - AG 400-1 (AMGOT) 31 August 43.
- Annex II- Basic Ration for Italian Subsistence
- " III- Basic Ration for Supplemental Feeding
- " IV- Caloric Contents of Local Foodstuffs
- " V - Italy: Subsistence Deficiencies and Surpluses

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ANNEX I

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TO: C in C AF
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31 August 1943

AG 400-1 (LNGOT) GDS-AGM

31 August 1943

SUBJECT: Civilian Supply in Occupied Countries.

TO : All Concerned.

1. The Commander-in-Chief, Allied Force, is responsible for the administration of occupied territory, including the procurement and distribution, where necessary, of minimum essential civilian supplies. For a period, presumed to be not less than 90 days, beginning with occupation and ending at the discretion of the Commander-in-Chief, Allied Force, such civilian supplies will be procured and distributed by military agencies.
2. The Military Government Section, this headquarters, will be responsible for the estimation of minimum essential civilian requirements, through coordination with the General (G-4) and Special Staff Sections, this headquarters, and for the coordination of supply plans and requisitions with Task Force Commanders.
3. This headquarters will be responsible for review and coordination of Military Government Section estimates with regard to the overall supply plan, and for review and forwarding of all requisitions from Task Force Commanders to appropriate supply agencies. The Military Government Section, this headquarters, will be responsible for the review and edit of requisitions to eliminate items and quantities which are not essential.
4. Task Force Commanders will be responsible for the preparation of phased lists of minimum essential civilian supplies, in normal Army requisition form, as soon as planning for an operation permits. All such requisitions will be forwarded direct to this headquarters.
5. Initially, the Task Force Commander, later the General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, 15th Army Group, will be responsible for calling forth supplies previously requisitioned, and the requisition of such additional supplies as determined normally by actual survey of occupied territory as may be found necessary to meet the minimum essential needs of the civilian population. However, before calling forth additional supplies, he will take fullest advantage of existing local resources and captured material available to him. He will insure that requisitions are in accordance with approved policies. The General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, 15th Army Group will include in his requisitions those items deemed essential for emergency re-establish-

the Commander-in-Chief, Allied Force, such civilian supplies will be procured and distributed by military agencies.

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5. Initially, the Task Force Commander, later the General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, 15th Army Group, will be responsible for calling forth supplies previously requisitioned, and the requisition of such additional supplies as determined normally by actual survey of occupied territory as may be found necessary to meet the minimum essential needs of the civilian population. However, before calling forth additional supplies, he will take fullest advantage of existing local resources and captured material available to him. He will insure that requisitions are in accordance with approved policies. The General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, 15th Army Group will include in his requisitions those items deemed essential for emergency re-establishment of utilities in the occupied areas if necessary to meet military requirements.

6. Requisitions will be compiled and submitted by supply branch: Quartermaster, Medical, Engineer, etc. (U.S.); and Supply & Transport, Medical, Ordnance, etc., (Br.) using appropriate standard forms insofar as is practicable. In all cases, requisitions will be accompanied by sufficient information to explain and justify the use to which the supplies are to be put.

7. It will be the responsibility of the Supply Services (U.S. and Br.) to meet requisitions approved by this headquarters. U.S. Agencies will stockpile, within the theater, appropriate amounts of approved items of civilian supply in accordance with approved requisitions, by drawing upon the following sources, in

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order of priority:

- a. Resources of North African and adjacent areas, such as Midcast and West Africa.
- b. United States and United Kingdom.
- c. Existing army stocks in the theater, for emergency requirements only.

By command of General LISENHOFFER:

(s) T. J. DAVIS
T. J. DAVIS
Brigadier General, USA,
Adjutant General.

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ANNEX II

22 September 1943

SUBJECT: Basic Ration for Italian Subsistence

TO : Col. A. T. Morrell, Military Government Section, AFHQ.

1. The following material on ration requirements for relief in Italy is based on minimum physiological needs of the various classes of population present. It must be emphasized that the figures given are only estimates based on the limited information available. These figures should only be used for the preliminary calculations needed to initiate the relief program. A careful study of nutritional requirements should be immediately initiated by the Military Government Section to determine actual nutritional maintenance needs of the Italian people. When the results of this study are completed they should form the basis for shipment of food products for relief of food shortage in Italy.

2. Overall caloric requirement per day, considering all age and sex

- Pre-war average diet 2500 calories of which 58% from grain.
- 1942 average diet 2350 calories of which 66% from grain.
- Estimated minimal average diet required 2000 calories of which 66% to be from grain.

3. Caloric requirement per day by age groups, work and sex

Class by age	Normal Maintenance		Light Worker	Heavier Male	Worker Female	Very Heavy Worker Male	Very Heavy Worker Female
	Male	Female					

Under 3	950	950					
3 to 9	950	950					
	1500	1500					
9 to 18	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500
	1800	1700	1800	1900	1800	2000	1900
18 to 25	1800	1600	2000	1800	2400	2100	2300
25 to 50	1800	1600	2000	1800	2400	2100	2550
50 & above	1600	1450	1800	1600	2100	2000	2300
							2100

The diet should contain a minimum of 30 grams daily of class 1 protein (animal, pulses, or fish origin) and 14 grams daily of fat of plant or animal origin. The remainder can be made up of class 2 protein and carbo-

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	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Under 3	950	950								
3 to 9	950	950								
	1500	1500								
9 to 18	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500
	1800	1700	1800	1800	1900	1900	1800	2000	1900	1900
18 to 25	1800	1600	2000	1800	2400	2100	2100	2600	2300	2300
25 to 50	1800	1600	2000	1800	2400	2100	2100	2550	2250	2250
50 & above	1600	1450	1800	1600	2100	2000	2000	2300	2100	3250

The diet should contain a minimum of 30 grams daily of class 1 protein (animal, pulses, or fish origin) and 14 grams daily of fat of plant or animal origin. The remainder can be made up of class 2 protein and carbohydrate. Whole milk or milk products from which fluid mix can be reconstituted should be reserved for expectant and nursing mothers, and children under 3. $\frac{1}{2}$ litre per day is desirable.

Vitamin content of diet should meet minimum requirements if full advantage is taken of the use of local fruit, vegetable and sea food supply.

G. S. PARKINSON
Brigadier--MGS

W. S. STONE
Lt. Col. Med. Sec.

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BASIC RATION FOR SUPPLEMENTAL FOREIGN FEEDING
PER MAN PER DAY

FOOD	CALORIES PER KILO	OZ WT.	CAL.	(G) PRO.	(G) FAT	(MG) CA.	(MG) FE.	(IU) VITAMIN A	(MG) THIA IN	(IG) RIBO
FLOUR, ISSUE	3535	16.0	1615	51	5	73	7.3	----	1.95	1.20
SALT	--	0.5	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
SOUP	3115	2.0	170	13	1	8	8.0	----	1.95	0.47
CHEESE, CHEDDAR	3085	1.0	111	7	9	247	0.3	425	0.01	0.14
DRIED PEAS OR BEANS	3500	1.0	100	7	--	21	1.7	---	0.36	0.08
TOTAL		20.5	2004	78	15	349	17.3	425	4.27	1.89
Milk Supplement for Children (Evaporated Milk)	540	2.0	79	4	4.5	135	0.2	240	0.03	0.22

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OS	OZ		(G)	(G)	(MG)	(MG)	(IU)	(MG)	(MG)	(MG)	(MG)
NO	WT.	CAL.	PRO.	FAT	CA.	FE.	VITAMIN A	THIAMINE	RIBO	NIACIN	ASC.
5	16.0	1615	51	5	73	7.3	---	1.95	1.20	9.5	---
	0.5	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---	---	---
5	2.0	173	13	1	8	8.0	---	1.95	0.47	4.1	---
35	1.0	111	7	9	247	0.3	425	0.01	0.14	---	---
100	1.0	100	7	--	21	1.7	---	0.36	0.08	0.5	---
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ANNEX IV

CALORIC CONTENT OF FOODSTUFFS

<u>LOCAL FOOD</u>	<u>CALORIES PER KILO</u>
Cereals	3520
Rice	3500
Dried Vegetables	3274
Fresh Vegetables	247
Potatoes	700
Fresh eggs (whole)	1500
Fresh fish	1300
Salt mackerel	3000
Smoked Herring	1200
Pickled "	2500
Fresh fruits	656
Olives	2510
Citrus fruits	330
Dried fruit and nuts	2681
Ment	1400
Olive oil	9000
Wine	930
Milk products and equivalents	540
Pasta	3600
Sugar	4000

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ANNEX V

ITALY

Substance, Deficiencies and Surpluses

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SOUTHER ITALY
(General)

Wheat, but to considerable degrees it represents the necessity to exchange durum (hard) wheat for soft bread wheat grown in the north.

Corn, potatoes, beans, tomatoes, vegetables, olive oil, fruits, citrus, nuts, pork, cheese, wine.

Calabria

Rice and sugar

Self-Sufficient

Lucania

The best farming region in the South and with modern agricultural methods.

Self-Sufficient

Oats, olive oil, and fruits. Potatoes for cash crop could be increased.

Campania

Normally grain imported to Naples

Potatoes, tomatoes, vegetables, sugar beets, fruits. Food Processing establishments.

Puglie

Farming region comparable to Lucania.

Eggs, meat, sugar

Tomatoes, beans, vegetables, dried fruits, olive oil, nuts, cheese, alimentary pastes, and wine.

Abruzzi and Molise

Barely self-sustaining upon a low basis, however, it is a region which habitually gets along on what it produces.

CENTRAL ITALY
(General)

Vegetables, citrus fruit, olive oil and meat.

Wheat

Latium
(Lazio)

ROME requires shipments from all parts of ITALY.

Umbria

Ships considerable to Rome. Cattle, grain

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Wheat

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ROME requires shipments from all parts of ITALY.

Umbria

Ships considerable to Rome. Cattle, grain, vegetables, wine, fruits, olive oil.

Marche

Ample surpluses; ships to Rome. It is said the railway between Ancona and Rome is life-line of the Rome area.

(Wheat surplus - 180,000 metric tons)

Wheat, tomatoes, vegetables, olive oil, eggs, lambs and cattle for slaughter.

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Tuscany

Fruits, vegetables,
grains, meat. Very
favorable position.

SURPLUSES

DEFICIENCIES

NORTHERN ITALY
(General)

Wheat

Vegetables, citrus fruit,
olive oil and meat.

Emilia

Necessary to ensure shipments corn for hogs; feed
concentrates for cattle

Good surpluses and
exceptionally well
developed food
processing facilities.
Animal industry good.

Liguria

Staple products
Genoa and La Spezia depend upon Emilia and
Lombardy; Sardinia for meat.

Finest grade olive oil
produced in Tuscany.
Coastal garden region
produces out-of-season
specialties.

Piedmont

Alimentary pastes, olive
oil and citrus fruit from
the

Grains, soft or bread
wheat, rice, poultry,
fruit and wine.

Lombardy

Petrol for agriculture purposes is important
to transport produce to market. However, Lom-
bardy is not unique in this respect. Milan
requires fresh vegetables from Liguria; fruit
from South.

Grains, potatoes and
dairy products.

Veneto

Petrol important to serve the Lagoon area.

Vegetables and Dairy
products.

Trentino

General condition good.

Beans and potatoes.

Julia

Citrus fruit, potatoes, grains
and meat.

Trieste and Fiume are in the department of Julia.
The country tributary is mountainous and agriculturally
poor.

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13 October 1943

ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER 66)

COMMAND AND ADMINISTRATION OF SICILY

1. GENERAL. a. In accordance with policy for the organization and military administration of ITALY contained in Administrative Memorandum Number 63, this headquarters, cs, No. 1 District has been established to provide for the command and administrative control of SICILY as part of the British L of C (Communications Zone).

b. It is intended that the whole of SICILY, including the AGADEAN Islands, shall eventually come under the control of No. 1 District. While, U.S. field formations, U.S. supplies and base depots remain on the island, there will be an interim period in which the island will be divided for administrative purposes into:

- (1) No. 1 District controlling the former 8th Army area.
- (2) Island Base Section controlling the 7th Army area.

As U.S. field formations are withdrawn from SICILY the area controlled by the Island Base Section will be reduced to an area around PALERMO in which U.S. stores and depots will be located until the base section is closed.

c. The boundary between No. 1 District and Island Base Section area will be defined by this headquarters based on recommendation of the General Officer Commanding, No. 1 District in consultation with the Commanding General, Seventh Army and the Commanding Officer, Island Base Section. Subsequent changes in the boundary will be similarly defined as they become necessary. The General Officer Commanding, No. 1 District will be responsible for defining boundaries of Base Areas within No. 1 District, and will report them to this headquarters.

2. COMMAND. a. No. 1 District will be directly under command of this headquarters.

b. Island Base Section will remain under command of Commanding General, Communications Zone.

c. Headquarters, Seventh Army and Headquarters, 30 Corps, and all troops assigned to these formations will be under the command of this headquarters for all purposes except administration as defined in par. 3, below.

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d. Troops in SICILY assigned to 15th Army Group and No. 2 District will remain under the command of these formations for all purposes except local administration as defined in par. 3, below.

e. Command of Antiaircraft units under the operational supervision of AA and CD Section, this headquarters, will be in accordance with Operation Memorandum Number 12, this headquarters, cs.

3. ADMINISTRATION. a. No. 1 District will be responsible for:

- (1) Local administration of all British troops, except for discipline and military secretary matters with regard to troops under command of 15th Army Group, 30 Corps and No. 2 District, who will remain under 15th Army Group, this headquarters and No. 2 District respectively, for these purposes.
- (2) Supply of items common to ground and air forces for all British forces in SICILY.
- (3) Supply of motor transport petrol for all British and U.S. forces in No. 1 District.
- (4) Delivery of U.S. supplies which are unloaded at ports in No. 1 District to U.S. depots, in conjunction with the Island Base Section.

b. Island Base Section will be responsible for:

- (1) Administration and supply of all U.S. troops.
- (2) Supply of items common to ground and air forces for all U.S. forces in SICILY.
- (3) Supply of motor transport petrol for all U.S. and British forces in Island Base Section.
- (4) Delivery of British supplies which are unloaded at ports in Island Base Section to British depots, in conjunction with No. 1 District.

c. Common supply policies and their execution, and other matters of international concern as long as Island Base Section continues to exist will be coordinated by Headquarters, No. 1 District in consultation with Island Base Section.

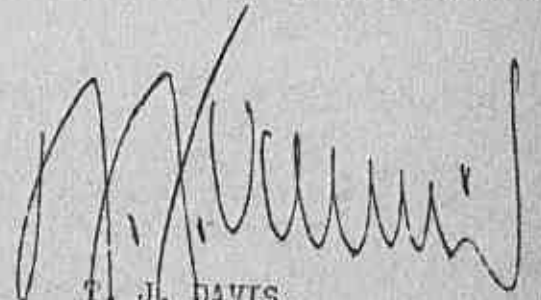
4. MOVEMENT AND TRANSPORTATION. a. Movement between No. 1 District and Island Base Section will be coordinated by Headquarters, No. 1 District in consultation with Island Base Section.

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- b. Island Base Section will be responsible for the operation of ports and transportation agencies within Island Base Section area.
- c. The control of movement and transportation within No. 1 District and of movement through No. 1 District, will be exercised in accordance with a directive to be issued separately by this headquarters to the General Officer Commanding, No. 1 District.
- d. No. 1 District and Island Base Section will deal direct with 15th Army Group and No. 2 District with regard to details of movements of units between SICILY and ITALY.
5. DEFENSE. a. The final garrison of SICILY will probably comprise British garrison battalions and one Italian infantry division.
- b. While U.S. and British field formations remain in the island, the Commanding General, Seventh Army and General Officer Commanding, 30 Corps will be responsible for the ground defense and security of Island Base Section area, and No. 1 District, respectively. When field formations are withdrawn, the General Officer Commanding, No. 1 District will assume responsibility for the ground defense and security of the whole of SICILY including Island Base Section area.
- c. Naval defense of ports and coastal area, and antiaircraft defense, will be carried out in accordance with policy contained in Operation Memorandum Number 12, this headquarters, es.
6. MILITARY GOVERNMENT. a. General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, 15th Army Group will continue to act as Military Governor (SICILY) until the military government of the island is under control of this headquarters.
- b. The existing system of Allied Military Government, under the direction and control of the Chief, Civil Affairs Officer, will remain in operation.

By command of General EISENHOWER:


T. J. DAVIS,
Brigadier General, United States Army,
Adjutant General.

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26 November 1943

SUBJECT: Change in Office Hours and Free Time.

TO : All Concerned this Headquarters.

1. Effective as of 27 November 1943, the office hours this headquarters will be:

FULL SEVEN DAY WEEK

Weekdays 0830 - 1800
Sundays 0930 - 1800
(1 hour allowed for noonday meal)

2. Working Force on Duty during Lunch Period.

All offices will be kept open from 0830 to 1800 hours. At least one clerk will be left on duty in each office during the noon period. Rotation rosters will be maintained so that noon duty does not fall continually on any one. Offices in which there is only one enlisted man assigned, are exempt from the provisions of this order.

3. Full Day Holiday Per Week.

All personnel this headquarters will be required to take one full free day per week. Each chief of sub-commission and staff section will insure that every officer and OR/EM has a free day weekly and that a sufficient working force is on duty daily (including Sunday). Offices in which only one officer or OR/EM is on duty will comply through arrangement with the A.C.

4. Duty Officer and Clerk.

There will be an officer and clerk on duty in this Headquarters between the hours of 1800 and 0830. In addition to the above, there will be a clerk-typist on duty each night between the hours of 1800 and 2100.

By Command of Brigadier General McHENRY:

E. L. CLOUGH,
Lt. Col., A. G. D.,
Actg. Adjutant General

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20 Nov 1951

MEMORANDUM:

TO : All Concerned

DISTRIBUTION LIST

1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, the distribution lists are in effect for publications of this headquarters are attached hereto as Appendix "A".

2. Distribution "A" covers, in general, the distribution of publications of General Order. This category includes the Daily Bulletin, General Orders, and Administrative Commandments of General Application. It should be noted, however, that in the case of publications of general application, but of a specialized nature, this distribution may not be complete.

3. Distribution "B" is used principally in the case of Special Orders. In addition to the distribution listed thereunder, copies of Special Orders are forwarded to the individuals concerned, due to their organizations of assignment, where applicable.

4. A number of special distributions are also in use, which cover in the main the higher staff officers of their headquarters. Such distributions will generally be indicated on the publication affected.

5. It should be borne in mind that the attached schedules are tentative, and subject to change. Such changes, when applicable, will be published as amendments.

6. It is requested that any officer wishing to receive a schedule be allotted of publications as indicated therein transmit such request alterations in these schedules, in writing, to the Assistant Adjutant General, Special Orders Section, Room 13, 3, 1st Bldg. In requesting increased allotments of publications, especially those of an actively transitory value, such as the Daily Bulletin, it should be remembered that every effort is being made to conserve our stocks of paper.

By Command of Brigadier General JOSEPH E. STANLEY

411 Stanley
21 Nov 51

ASST. ADJ. GEN.

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By command of Brigadier General [Signature]

W. H. Stewart
W. H. STEWART

Capt. Adj.
Actg. Asst. Adj. Gen.

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ARMED SERVICES
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26 November 1945

MEMORANDUM:

TO : All Concerned

PREPARATION OF CABLES

1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, the following instructions dealing with the preparation and submission of cables is published.

2. a. Preparation: Cables will be typed, and will be submitted to Message Center in a total of FIVE (5) copies, of which three (3) will be on the regular cable form, and two (2) on white tissue. Such other additional carbon copies as may be desired for file by the originating office or officer, may be prepared at the same time.

b. Distinguishing Information: All cables submitted for transmission will bear the following distinguishing information:

(1) The name of the originating office and officer, typed in the lower left-hand corner of the sheet.

(2) The "Cite" number of the cable, typed in the extreme upper right-hand corner of the sheet. Example: "P-100 999".

The purpose of (1) is to enable quick reference to the originating office of either reply or question in connection with the original cable. It is for the protection of the originator.

The purpose of (2) is to facilitate quick reference on the part of the transmitting agency - Island Base Section.

CABLES NOT PREPARED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR TRANSMISSION.

c. Authenticating Signature and Initials:

(1) All cables will be authenticated by the initials of the originating officer, placed in the space provided for that purpose in the upper right-hand corner of the blank. Such initials will appear on the third carbon copy only.

(2) All cables will be authorized for transmission by the signature of the Adjutant General of this organization, or of one of his regularly appointed assistants.

Instructions of procedure or information in connection with cables

Message Center in a total of FIVE (5) copies, one on each side (2) regular cable form, and two (2) on white tissue. Such other additional carbon copies as are desired for file by the originating office or officer, may be prepared at the same time.

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c. Authenticating signature and initials:

(1) All cables will be authenticated by the initials of the originating officer, placed in the space provided for that purpose in the upper right-hand corner of the blank. Such initials will appear on the third carbon copy only.

(2) All cables will be authorized for transmission by the signature of the Adjutant General of this organization, or of one of his regularly appointed assistants.

3. Questions of procedure or information in connection with cables may be referred to the Adjutant General's Section, Miscellaneous Division, Room 13, 5, Via Bari.

By Command of Brigadier General Messing:

W. S. Messing
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SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles and Gasoline Conservation

TO : All Heads of Sub-Commissions, Sections, Branches.
R.C.A.G., Region I.

Requisitioned civilian passenger motor vehicles, (not load-carrying vehicles) now in use by AFG-ACC personnel on the island of Sicily will be returned to owners or custodians, effective immediately, unless such surrender will be seriously detrimental to vital projects. Vehicles it is found necessary to retain under the above exception will be reported to this Headquarters on or before 5 Oct. 1963 by letter stating the necessity for their retention and the type of vehicle.

2. Effective immediately no additional civilian passenger motor vehicles will be requisitioned by AFG personnel without prior approval of this Headquarters.

3. Civilian passenger vehicles, requisitioned or rented on term basis, shall not hereafter be used for any purely personal transport, i.e., from billet to office, office to mess, vice versa, or for any other than official business.

4. Motor vehicles released in accordance with paragraph 1 will be delivered to headquarters garages, (A or B), Palermo. Details of all known facts concerning vehicle will be made the subject of letter to this Headquarters, and will include (a) make, (b) model, (c) body type, (d) license or permit number, (e) owner name, (f) source from which obtained, (g) date obtained, (h) commission, sub-section or branch returning, (i) other known facts which may assist in return of vehicle.

5. Captured stocks of gasoline are rapidly becoming exhausted and drastic reductions have been made in allotment of gasoline to AFG-ACC, effective 1 Oct. It is necessary that utmost conservation be exercised to reduce use of gasoline.

By Command of Brigadier General McSHEP:

E. J. Clough
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SUBJECT: "Screening" of Italian Officials

TO : Regional Civil Affairs Officers (Regions I and 2)

1. This Directive indicates the policy for "screening" Italian officials which will be carried out by all Regions.
2. The screening will be the responsibility of the R.C.A.O. and will be assigned to eliminate officials of the following categories:
 - (a) Fascist and Nazi sympathizers;
 - (b) Those who have actively helped the enemy;
 - (c) Those potentially dangerous to the security of the Allied Armed Forces or to Allied Government administration;
 - (d) Passive resisters;
3. Unless such officials have already been investigated to the satisfaction of the R.C.A.O., the following measures will be adopted.
4. The R.C.A.O., will prepare a list "A" classifying the Major Officials and a list "B" classifying the Minor Officials who are to be "screened". A guide to classification is attached (Appendix I) which may be adapted according to any special Regional requirements.
5. The R.C.A.O., will distribute, through his S.A.O.s and C.A.O.s, Scheme in the approved form (Appendix II) to be completed by the Italian officials concerned and returned by them to the issuing C.A.O. Supplies of Scheme are obtainable on request from this Hq. or may be printed by Regions, provided that no alteration is made to the standard form.
6. The completed forms will be forwarded to the C.A.O., who, after consultation with the C.A.O. and Local Security Services such as C.I.C. or P.S.D., will endorse his recommendation and forward the form to the S.C.A.O., who will act as follows:
 - (a) In the case of the Minor Officials (List "B") who are not members of a National Agency such as the C.O.R.E. Postal Services, Railway Services, decide whether or not they remain in office.
 - (b) In the case of Major Officials who are members of a National Agency

which will be carried out by all Regions.

2. The screening will be the responsibility of the S.C.A.O. and will be designed to eliminate officials of the following categories:

- (a) Fascist and anti-sympathizers;
- (b) Those who have actively helped the enemy;
- (c) Those potentially dangerous to the security of the Allied Armed Forces or to Allied Government administration;
- (d) Passive resisters;

3. Unless such officials have already been investigated to the satisfaction of the S.C.A.O., the following measures will be adopted.

4. The S.C.A.O. will prepare a list "A" classifying the major officials and a list "B" classifying the minor officials who are to be "screened". A guide to classification is attached (Appendix I) which may be adapted according to any special Regional requirements.

5. The S.C.A.O. will distribute, through his S.C.A.O.s and C.A.O.s, Schade in the approved form (Appendix II) to be completed by the Italian officials concerned and returned by them to the issuing C.A.O. Supplies of checks are obtainable on request from this Hq. or may be printed by Regions, provided that no alteration is made to the standard form.

6. The completed forms will be forwarded to the C.A.P.O., who, after consultation with the C.A.O. and local Security Services such as C.I.O. or I.C.R., will endorse his recommendation and forward the form to the S.C.A.O., who will act as follows:

- (a) In the case of the Minor Officials (List "B") who are not members of a National Agency such as the C.S.R.A. Postal Services, Railway Services, decide whether or not they remain in office.
- (b) In the case of Minor Officials who are members of a National Agency, the S.C.A.O. may decide to retain them in office, but, if in his opinion they should be dismissed, the consent of the head of the appropriate specialist or Technical Division at Regional Hq. must be obtained (i.e. if the S.C.A.O. is of the opinion that an Italian Transport official should be removed for any of the reasons specified above, he should obtain the consent of the Chief Transport officer at Regional Hq., before taking steps to dismiss the official.) In the event of disagreement between the S.C.A.O. and the head of the Division, or in the absence of such an officer, the final decision will be made by the S.C.A.O.
- (c) In the case of Major Officials (List "A"), the S.C.A.O. will add his recommendation as a further endorsement on the Schade already forwarded by the C.A.O. and C.A.P.O., and will forward it to the S.C.A.O., at Regional Hq., the Chief Public Safety Officer, in conjunction with the Supt. of Special Police, such Military Intelligence services as may be available and with the Regional Head of the technical division concerned will recommend to the S.C.A.O., whether the official ought to be retained.

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wherever possible, an R.C.C.O. (security intelligence) officer will be detailed from this HQ, to co-operate with Regional HQs in the screening of such senior officials as an adviser to the Chief Regional Officer of Public Safety.

(d) In any case of completion or discontinuity, the R.C.C.O. should refer the matter to the R.C.C.O. who will proceed as outlined in (c).

7. The most senior Italian officials such as those who have been a provincial responsibility, for example, Regional Officials, Senior Officers of the Carabinieri and Guardia Finanza, may be dismissed by the R.C.C.O. only after such a decision has been confirmed by the R.C.C.O. In such instances the R.C.C.O. together with the R.C.C.O.'s recommendation should be submitted for consideration. The reference need be made should the R.C.C.O. decide to retain such officials in office.

Accredited members of the recognized Central Italian Government posted in Regions are exempted from these requirements and will not therefore be subject to Regional 'screening'.

8. The scheme of 'A' officials should be retained for filing at the Regional HQ, and those of 'B' officials by the R.C.C.O. The files of any individual or class of official will be forwarded to this HQ upon request.

9. R.C.C.O.'s will inform this HQ:

- (a) date on which this 'screening' plan is commenced;
- (b) date of conclusion;
- (c) the result of the 'screening', including the total number and categories of officials with 'A' and 'B' who have been completed in office or dismissed.

By command of Brigadier General HOSKIN:

CHARLES E. SEXTON
Colonel, R.C.C.O.
Deputy Chief of Staff
(C.A.S.I.)

Appendix I. Classification of Officials
II. Scheme
III. Form to use of Scheme.

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A.C.C.O.	25
R.C.C.O.	2
C.C. 15th Army Group	12
R.C. Region 1	15
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in office.
 Accredited members of the recognised Central Italian Government posted in Regions
 are exempted from these requirements and will not therefore be subject to Regional
 'screening'.

3. The schedule of 'A' officials should be returned for filing at the Regional
 No.; and those of 'B' officials by the S.C.S.O. The files of any individual
 or class of official will be forwarded to this HQ. upon request.

3. A.C.S.O.'s will inform this HQ:

- (a) date on which this 'screening' plan is completed;
- (b) date of conclusion;
- (c) the result of the 'screening', including the total number and
 categories of officials both 'A' and 'B' who have been confirmed
 in office or dismissed.

By command of Brigadier General McSweeney:

CHARLES A. SPOTSWOOD,
 Colonel, G.S.C.,
 Deputy Chief of Staff
 (G.S.C.I.)

Appendix I. Classification of Officials
 II. Schedule.
 III. Date to use of Sched.

DISTRIBUTION:

A.C.S.O.	25
G.S.C. 1st Army Group	2
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Region 1	15
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Brig. Gen. McSweeney	2
Deputy President	2
Chief of Staff	2
Secretary	1
Assoc. Off. Admin.	2
Adjutant General	1
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Internal Security	2
Deputy G/S 1	2
All Sections, Directorate and	
Subcommittees:	1 each
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 SECTION 1
 List "A"

1. Secretariat
2. Vice-Consul
3. Consulate
4. Vice-Consul
5. Director of Trade Supply
6. Director of Transport
7. Maritime Director (Port Commandante)
8. Chamber of Commerce Director
9. Employment Director
10. Provincial Carabinieri and Guardia Finanza Chiefs
11. Provincial Director Post Office
12. Inspector General Post Office
13. Doctor and Heads of University Departments

List "B"

1. All Italian civilian employees of AED and AED offices.
2. Prefecture
 - (a) Chief of Cabinet (Capo di Gabinetto)
 - (b) Secretary (Segretario)
 - (c) Commissioners of the Prefecture (Commissari di Prefettura)
 - (d) Secretaries of the Prefecture (Segretari di Prefettura)
3. Consulate
 - (a) Commissioners of Public Safety (Commissari di Pubblica Sicurezza)
 - (b) All Agents (Agenti Tutti)
4. Carabinieri
 - (a) All officers and Under-Officers other than those in List "A" (Ufficiali e Sotto-ufficiali)
5. Guardia Finanza
 - (a) All officers and Under-Officers other than those in List "A" (Ufficiali e Sotto-ufficiali)
6. Magistrato (Magistrate)
 - (a) Court of Appeal (Corte di Appello)
 - (b) Prosecutors of the Tribunal and King's Attorneys (Procuratori del Re, Sostituti Procuratori, Pretori)
 - (c) Controllers and Secretaries of Superior Offices (Cancellieri e Segretari di Uffici Superiori)
7. Sindaco (Mayor)
 - (a) Mayor and Vice-Mayor (Sindaco e Vice-Sindaco)
8. Social Insurance Offices (Uffici di Previdenza Sociale)
 - (a) Directors and Assistant Directors (Direttori ed assistenti)

1. Header and name of University Departments.

List "B"

1. All Italian civilian employees of JCC and JCC officers.
Prefecture.
(a) Chief of Cabinet (Capo di Gabinetto).
(b) Secretary (Segretario).
(c) Councilors of the Prefecture (Consiglieri di Prefettura).
(d) Secretaries of the Prefecture (Segretari di Prefettura).
2. Consiglio
(a) Departments of Public Safety (Comandi and di Pubblica Sicurezza).
(b) All Agents (Agenti Pubblici).
3. Carabinieri
(a) All Civilian and Uniformed Officers other than those in List "A" (Ufficiali e Sotto-ufficiali).
4. Guardia Finanza
(a) All Officers and Under-Officers other than those in List "A" (Ufficiali e Sotto-ufficiali).
5. Magistrato (Magistrato)
(a) Court of Appeal (Corte di Appello).
(b) Prosecutors of the Criminal and King's Attorneys (Procuratori del Re, Sostituti Procuratori, Pretori).
(c) Clerks and Secretaries of Superior Office. (Cancellieri e Segretari di Ufficio Superiore).
6. Comuni (Comuni)
(a) Mayor and Vice-Mayor (Sindaco e Vice Sindaco).
(b) Social Insurance Office (Ufficio di Previdenza Sociale).
(c) Directors and Assistant Directors (Direttori ed Assistenti).
7. Universities (Università)
Professors.
8. Banks and Credit Institutions.
Directors and Members of Administrative Councils.
9. Transportation and Communications.
Chief Technicians.
Post: Postmasters, Chiefs of Telegraph and Telephone Offices.
10. All persons being considered for assignment to public offices.
11. These lists have been drawn up as a preliminary to determine and should be extended by other officials according to regional "screening" resources available.

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APPENDIX B (a)

GUIDE TO READING ROOMS' RECORDS

The SCHEIDT READING ROOMS have been designed to obtain specific and significant data concerning the background of Italian public officials and any other individual whose duties or activities are likely to affect the military and political security of Allied Governments, G.C. and all employees.

To assist arriving at a proper judgment as to the desirability of retaining or of the person screened, some points of guidance are set out below. It should, however, be borne in mind at all times that each case must be judged on its individual merits and that the guiding principles set out below are merely of an informative nature and not absolute rules.

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1. Party membership (Item No. 4)

Membership in the Fascist Party (FPI) is not in itself of great significance. Public officials, whether ministerial appointees or career civil servants and people otherwise holding jobs of any responsibility were practically forced to belong to the Party. The same is true of prominent business and professional men who had to make their obedience to the Party in order to exist.

The time of joining the Party and the length of membership are of importance. If, for instance, it is shown that membership began in 1922, or before, and was uninterrupted until Allied occupation, it is one indication of an "old Fascist". Membership at later dates is proportionately of less significance depending, of course, on the age of the individual and the other factors shown on the record.

2. Mussolini "Mafia" and "March-on-Rome" Fascists (Item 5(a) and (b))

The founders of the Fascist Party--Mussolini's "old guard"--were known as "Massepolari". They were relatively few in number. Consequently there will be few "SI" answers to this question. But if one is found the significance is obvious.

The Fascistists who were in the "March on Rome", October 28, 1922, or were subsequently so designated, were known as "Massepolari". They constituted the army and "cavalry" squads who violently repressed opposition to Fascism and who formed the nucleus of the Fascist government throughout Italy. Unless there be overwhelming evidence to the contrary, any person who was a "Massepolari" may be considered as a leading, active and deeply influential Fascist.

3. Fascist Militia (VSO), Item 5 (c) and (d)

The Fascist Militia (Militia Volontaria Siciliana) was created by Mussolini first as a volunteer police force and then as a Party army--separate from the regular armed forces and police forces--to maintain the power of the

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Membership in the Fascist Party (FIP) is not in itself of great significance. Public officials, whether ministerial appointees, or career civil servants and people otherwise holding jobs of any responsibility were practically forced to belong to the Party. The same is true of prominent business and professional men who had to make their obsequence to the Party in order to exist.

The time of joining the Party and the length of membership, etc., of importance. If, for instance, it is shown that membership began in 1922, or before, and was uninterrupted until allied occupation, it is one indication of an "Old Fascist". Membership at later dates is proportionately of less significance. Finally, of course, on the age of the individual and the other factors shown on the sheets.

2. Mussolini "Grazie" and "March-on-Rome" Fascists (Item 5(a) and (b))

The founders of the Fascist Party--Mussolini's "Old Guard"--were known as "Sempiternalists". They were relatively few in number. Consequently there will be few "31" answers to this question. But if one is found the significance is obvious.

The Blackshirts who were in the "March on Rome", October 28, 1922, or were subsequently so considered, were known as "Squadristi". They constituted the strong-arm and "cannon-fist" squads who violently repressed opposition to Fascism and who formed the nucleus of the Fascist government throughout Italy. Unless there be overwhelming evidence to the contrary, any person who was a "Squadrista" may be considered as a leading, active and probably dangerous Fascist.

3. Fascist Militia (VSI), Item 5 (c) and (d)

The Fascist Militia (Milizia Volontaria Sicurezza Nazionale) was created by Mussolini first as a volunteer police force, and later as a Party army--separate from the regular armed forces and police forces--to maintain the power of the dictatorship.

Membership in the Militia has to be judged from the point of view of the type of Militia unit to which the individual belonged and the period of service with each unit. For instance service in the "Milizia Ordinaria"--the basic, regular type of volunteer squadrista--if performed during peace time, is proof that the individual was a member of the Party but if performed only during war time, and a result of being drafted for that service should not be held against the individual.

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The same is true for the other types of Militia, except for the "Moshettiani del Duce" (The Duce's Musketeers) who were Mussolini's personal bodyguard and picked Fascists in any event.

The least significant of two Militia units were the anti-aircraft militia

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ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM

TO: All Sub-Commissions, Sections, Offices, etc. AMS

1. AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No. 83 dated 3 December 1943 is reproduced below:

Relief from Assignment I
Assignment of Chief of Headquarters Allied Military Government II

I -- RELIEF FROM ASSIGNMENT

Effective 7 December 1943, Brigadier General FRANK J. MOSHERY is relieved from his assignment as Deputy Chief Civil Affairs Officer and Deputy Chief of AMGOI, and Administrative Memorandum Number 42, this Headquarters, GS, is accordingly rescinded; he is further relieved from his assignment as Chief of Headquarters, Allied Military Government and as much of Section III, Administrative Memorandum Number 69, this Headquarters, GS, as refers to him is accordingly rescinded.

II -- ASSIGNMENT OF CHIEF OF HEADQUARTERS ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

Announcement is made of the assignment, effective 7 December 1943, of Colonel CHARLES H. JOFFORD, GSC, to be Chief Civil Affairs Officer of the Allied Military Government in SICILY and adjacent islands, in PA. AREA and LAMPEDUSA and LINCSA, and in all territory under Allied Military Government on the Italian Mainland south of the northern boundary of the provinces of SALERNO, POTENZA, and BARI, and to be Chief of Headquarters Allied Military Government. (AG 370-9 MGS-AGM)

By command of General EISENHOWER:

/s/ S. C. JOHNSON
/t/ S. C. JOHNSON
Colonel, AGM
Acting Adjutant General.

2. For 3. Administrative Memorandum No. 2, this HQ dated 4 December 1943, is reproduced.

1. AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No. 83 dated 3 December 1943 is reproduced below:

Relief from Assignment I
Assignment of Chief of Headquarters Allied Military Government . . . II

I -- RELIEF FROM ASSIGNMENT

Effective 7 December 1943, Brigadier General FRANK J. McSHERRY is relieved from his assignment as Deputy Chief Civil Affairs Officer and Deputy Chief of AMCCF, and Administrative Memorandum Number 12, this headquarters, is, accordingly rescinded; he is further relieved from his assignment as Chief of Headquarters, Allied Military Government and so much of Section III, Administrative Memorandum Number 69, this headquarters, as refers to him is accordingly rescinded.

II - ASSIGNMENT OF CHIEF OF HEADQUARTERS ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

Announcement is made of the assignment, effective 7 December 1943, of Colonel CHARLES H. SPORFORD, GSO, to be Chief Civil Affairs Officer of the Allied Military Government in SICILY and adjacent islands, in PA LERIA and MAREMMA and LUNGO, and in all territory under Allied Military Government on the Italian Mainland south of the northern boundaries of the provinces of SALERNO, POTENZA, and BARI, and to be Chief of Headquarters Allied Military Government. (AG 370-9 MSS-AGM)

By command of General EISENHOWER:

/s/ E. C. BOEHMKE
/s/ E. C. BOEHMKE
Colonel, AGM
Acting Adjutant General.

2. Par 3, Administrative Memorandum No. 2, this HQ dated 4 December 1943, as pertains to Brigadier General FRANK J. McSHERRY, USA, is rescinded. 32,

By order of COLONEL, AGM

John Krueza

JOHN KRUEZA,
Capt, Inf,
Actg Asst Adj Gen.

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SUPPLEMENT TO TRAINING FILM CATALOGUE

1. Reference Section I - General-TRAINING MEMORANDUM Number 6, Peninsular Base Section, 15 November 1943.

2. Following is list of titles of New Films to be added to catalogue attached to TRAINING MEMORANDUM Number 6, and list of obsolete films to be deleted therefrom:

NEW FILMS (To be Added):

	<u>Running Time</u>
7 - 109 Defence of Infantry Against Air Attack	18 Min.
1 - 117 Theory of Aerial Gunnery - Sighting	17
MN- 119C Thunderstorms	40
AF- 127 Uncrating and Assembly of the P-47 Thunderbolt Airplane	44
AF- 131 Servicing P-39, Removal and Installation .30 Cal. Wing Guns	18
Misc-157 Winged Scourge--The Mosquito	10
10 - 176 Automotive Body Repairing -- 3 Parts	90
4 - 187 AA-37mm Gun Battery -- Fire Control	27
1 - 238 Tow Targets - Launching	18
1 - 239 Tow Target Equipment - Operation & Maintenance	20
4 - 240 3 in. AA Artillery Gun Battery - Into Position	19
1 - 261 Aircraft MG and Cannon - Cal. 50 MG Mechanism	15
7 - 295 Military Training-BFM 21-5	58
1 - 306 Airplane Hydraulic Brakes-Bendix Brakes Adjustments	9
1 - 309 Airplane Hydraulic Brakes-Maintenance of Cylinders	15
1 - 472 Radio Receivers-Principles and Typical Circuits	10
6 - 611 105mm Howitzer-Mechanical Functioning - 2 Parts	72
6 - 612 105mm Howitzer-Service of the Piece	24
10 - 654 Motorcycle Driver Training-Part 1 -- Description and	19
4 - 675 The Three Point System of Identifying U. S. Cruisers	16

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4 - 676	The Three Point System of Identifying U. S. Destroyers	30 Min.
1 - 717	The Squadron Communication Officer	27
1 - 734	Disassembly P-40-Fixed Tail Surface	5
1 - 742	Disassembly P-40-Canopy and Windshield	8
0 - 801	Aircraft Instruments - Line Maintenance	19
1 - 810	Airplane Turrets-Bendix Upper Turrets-Operation and Servicing	17
1 - 811	Airplane Turrets-Part 2-Bendix Lower Turrets	19
1 - 813	Airplane Turrets-Martin Upper Turrets-Operation and Servicing	21
1 - 817	Airplane Turrets-Sperry Upper Turrets-Operation and Servicing	12
1 - 831	Airplane Gun Sights-Collimator Sights	20
- 846	Take Off Errors	14
10 - 933	The Uses and Abuses of Twist Drills	27
0 - 992	Military Courts Martial	9
4 - 1009	Care & Maintenance-155mm Gun--Part 7--Checking Cross Level on Quad Sights	27
4 - 1011	Care & Maintenance-155mm Gun--Part 9	17
4 - 1011	Care & Maintenance-155mm Gun--Part 9	17
4 - 1015	Care & Maintenance-155mm Gun--Part 15-Care & Service after firing	22
21 - 1018	Fighting Men Series-Keep it Clean	9
0 - 1024	Fighting Men Series-Kill or be Killed	9
17 - 1083	The Tank Platoon	30
17 - 1085	The Tank Platoon-Advance Guard	27
- 1086	Field Expedients for Track Laying Vehicles	30
9 - 1092	37mm Automatic, M-4 Principles of Operation	25
- 1102	Principles of Radar Operation	20
- 1135	Army Cook-Part 3-Cutting Forequarter of Beef	17
- 1136	Army Cook-Part 4-Cutting Lamb	15
- 1138	Army Cook-Part 6-Cooking and Carving of Meats	20
5 - 1154	Carpentry-Sawing & Boring	15
7 - 1161	Army Ground Forces-Street Fighting	15
- 1164	Construction of Gasproof Shelter in the Field	18
- 1165	Operation of Mechanical Smoke Generators	20
5 - 1169	Military Roads and Runways	11
- 1170	Quartermaster Mobile Laundry	18
- 1172	Rifle U. S. Cal., .30M-1 Principles of Operation	18
8 - 1174	Purification of Water	20
- 1190	Military Roads and Runways-Part 2	10
- 1194	Military Roads and Runways-Part 6	10
- 1198	Military Roads and Runways	9
- 1199	Use of the Field Telephone	20
11 - 1200	Electricity and Magnetism	18
6 - 1201	Employment of Field Artillery Battery Against Tanks	25
10 - 1202	Baking in the Field	35
10 - 1203	Baking in the Field--2 Parts	62
- 1205	Rifle Cal., .30, Browning Automatic M1918A2, Principles of Operation	

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9 - 1206	Carbine Cal., .30M1-Principles of Operation	11 Min.
4 - 1209	The Radio Optical Height Finder	18
- 1211	Use and Care of Pneumatic Tools	20
- 1213	The Synchronesh Transmission	20
9 - 1218	The Oil Filter Goes to War	27
4 - 1223	The Anti Aircraft Artillery Searchlight Section	20
0 - 2008	Disposal of Unusable Ammunition	9
9 - 2009	Disposal of Unusable Ammunition & Explosion Detonation	25
- 2011	Care and Maintenance of 155mm Gun - 2 Parts	53
0 - 2012	155mm Gun, Positions	9
18 - 2013	Direct Fire - The Tank Destroyer	15
5 - 2018	Employment of Anti-Personnel Mines - 2 Parts	35
1 - 3302	Jap Zero Fighter	22
1 - 3307	Straight and Level Flights and Effect Controls	17
FB - 2	New Type Trench Digger--Demonstration Experimental Type Flame Thrower--Demonstration Rubber Boats--Demonstration	14
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I - FOOD HANDLERS' EXAMINATIONS

1. The attention of all unit commanders is directed to the provisions of Section IV, Circular No. 218, NATCUSA, 9 November 1943, wherein paragraph 13e (2) of AR 40-205 is construed to mean that bacteriological and microscopic examination of stools of food handlers, will, when possible, be made regularly on all prisoners of war and civilian personnel employed as food handlers, cooks, kitchen and mess attendants in American messes in this Base Section.

2. The term "regularly" is interpreted to mean that stool examinations, will, when possible, be made initially upon employment of such prisoners of war or civilian personnel and be repeated regularly at least every four months. More frequent examination will be done when deemed desirable by the surgeon of the station or command or when the medical history indicates that the examinee may be a carrier of causative organisms of intestinal disease.
(AG 702 BIVED)

II - FEEDING OF LABORERS

1. Effective 23 December 1943 dehydrated soup will be served at each mid-shift lunch period to all civilian laborers employed by this Base Section.

2. The soup is now available for issue by the Quartermaster who will honor requisitions of units or installations when such requisitions are approved by the Section or Service Chief. The basis for the requisition will be one 5 pound tin of dehydrated soup for each 100 men per serving, and will be drawn by the requisitioning unit for periods of not less than one week.

3. The soup will be served hot and the preparation thereof, including improvised equipment, will be the responsibility of the employing unit. Employees will be required to furnish their own containers. Care will be taken to avoid waste or serving an amount in excess of that authorized.

4. The employee will not be charged for the soup.

5. The chief of each employing section or service will be responsible for the operation of the plan within his section or service. (AG 230 BFBPA)

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