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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

FILE: REO 091.412 AFO 394

7 January 1944

SUBJECT: Sermons in Palermo Churches.

TO : Executive Officer, A.M.G. Headquarters.

1. There is no truth to the rumor that sermons have been prohibited for one month in Palermo churches.

Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION I, SICILY
MONUMENTS, FINE ARTS AND ARCH. BS

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Subject:-Church of San Antonio, Taormina

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Ref:- Messina
Ext. Exp.

A.M.G. H.Q.
8 Via Bari
16th Dec. 1943

To:-Major David A. Boyd R.E.
Chief Public Works Division
Palazzo Ferrovia
Palermo.

In reply to your enquiry of the 8th December, the Church of San Antonio, Taormina is a National Monument, which has suffered severe war damage. An initial grant of Lire 50000 has been authorised by the Regional Finance Officer, and work on this Church has already started.

The estimate, which is returned, was I think intended for this Office. Would you ask Ing. Perricone to vet it and see if any items can be cut down. I have personally seen the Church and can testify that the work detailed on the preventive is necessary in theory. After perusal by Ing. Perricone, please return the estimate to this Office.

F.H.J. Maxse

F.H.J. MAXSE
Capt.
Advisor Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives
Region I, Sicily

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Copy to Lt; Col. R.R. Cripps, Administrative Div. A.M.G. H.Q. HK

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
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DECEMBER 8 1943

File. 080

SUBJECT. Church of S. Antonio Taormina.

TO . Adviser on Monuments; Fine Arts; and Archives. Region 1.

1. Reference attached estimate received from the Ufficio tecnico of Taormina.

2. Will you please say if the church in question is a national monument and if so whether the expenditure is approved.

By order of Lt. Col. Charles Roletti. R.C.A.O.

DAVID A. BOYD
MAJOR R.E.
CHIEF PUBLIC WORKS DIVISION.

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ADVISERS AMCOM (US cont'd)
AIC 777, U.S. Army

INFO SLIP

File No.

Date: 19 Nov 43

SUBJECT

Policy re Return of Church

Number each memo consecutively. Fill in each column, initial action, over 1 line across the sheet. Use entire width of sheet for long messages.

No.	From	To	Date	Has attached paper been coordinated with MDI concerned?
③	John J. L.	19 Nov 43		Re attached correspondence. The suggested procedure set out in para 5 of Ltr. Home Office of Nov 13 is approved in principle but such letter as the full Minister is publishing this will be granted. For info and research value
	Interv. (Admiral)	28 Nov 43		Proposed action is in accord with views of Interior Subcommission.

Rubert R. Wadsworth
Joint
Interior

LAKEWATER AIRPORT (US Cont'd Inv.)
AIC 777, U.S. ARMYPage 1
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File No.

Date: 18 Nov 43

SUBJECT

Placing bid required to repair of Chardan

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(1)	Gen Five Dir. AAF	18 Nov	<p>Re attached correspondence.</p> <p>(a) It is suggested that the action of your proposed do's consist:</p> <p>(b) This is just the type of work that should be carried by your director to Region 5.</p> <p>(c) It should always be explained in the Orientation speech that he is entitled to forward to the appropriate GPO his proposed action.</p>
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(2)	Mar. Frisch & Adelini	Adm. Dir.	19 Nov	<p>(a) noted</p> <p>(b) (c) The substance of this is reported to the Director in Region 5 as follows:</p>
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			<p>(d) It is suggested that this might be circulated in present form to the other postons concerned in Region between, Little Rock, Arkansas. The present situation will not be suited for a single work at least and one other to me to make this before other Headquarters read the circular from the AFAC and submit it to the Region 5 offices.</p>
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Pittsburgh, Pa.
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SUBCOMMISSION FOR MONUMENTS FINE ARTS AND ARCHIVES.

MEMORANDUM.

SUBJECT: AMG/ACC policy with regard to repairs to churches.

DATE: 17 November 1943.

TO: Administrative Director.

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b) that they are not competent to advise on repairs which are designed solely in order to facilitate the use of the church or other such structure for ecclesiastical purposes (culte).

4. Two provisions of Italian Law may be noted in connection with this matter:-

a) that the Soprintendente dei Monumenti is consulted in all cases of repairs (other than purely utilitarian) to churches more than 50 years old.

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5. It is therefore suggested that all cases of applications for funds for the repair of churches or other ecclesiastical buildings should be referred in the first instance to the Regional Adviser for MFA&A, unless it is abundantly clear that he is not concerned. The Regional Adviser for MFA&A, if the matter comes within category 3.(a) above, will make his own recommendations to the RCAA: if it comes within categories 3.(a) and (b) or within (b) alone, he will either consult with other divisions concerned, and submit a joint recommendation, or he will return the case to the RCAA with the

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LIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
CIVIL REGION HEADQUARTERS

FILE: RCAA

APO 512

9/11/43

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Colonel Menapace - Regional Chief Finance Officer

1. The bishop of Messina advises me the AMG has allocated funds for the repair of churches which do not fall within the category of national monuments. He cites a loan of 600,000 L. for a church at Catania and 800,000L. in Palermo for various such churches.
2. Advise me what AMG HQ policy is on this point because it is obvious that the same policy must be applied in all the Island. And Senior Civil Affairs Officers should be clearly instructed.
3. Confer with Homond if necessary. Thanks.

CHARLES PINTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

C O P Y .

UNITED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

217 Via Maqueda.
AMG Hq.
15 Nov. 1943.

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Memorandum to: Lt. Col. Menapace, Regional FO, Sicily
Attention : Lt. Col. Poletti, RGAO

Subject : Allegations of the Bishop of Messina.

1. Attention is called to your Buck Slip forwarding in duplicate a letter from the RGAO regarding certain allegations of the Bishop of Messina. The original of the RGAO's letter is returned herewith; the copy kept for file.

2. The Bishop's allegations are based on inaccurate information:

a) Payments approved by this Office are not loans. They are payments made by AMG for in the name of the Italian Government, to be made good to the Allies by the Italian Government in the ultimate settlement, and represent payments which the Italian Government might normally be expected to make for the Salaries, Maintenance, and Conservation of Monuments, Works of Art, Libraries, Archives, and such other matters as properly come before this Office. No loans have been recommended.

b) At Caltanissetta, an estimate of 4,478,623.00 lire for complete restoration and completion of the Cathedral was submitted. The FO Caltanissetta recommended a grant of Lire 921,076.00. This Office recommended an initial grant of Lire 500,000.00 for immediately essential work of conservation with the possibility of further grants if absolutely necessary. This was approved by Major Nash, Lt. Col. Menapace, Col. Spofford, and Brig. Gen. McSheerry. A further sum of Lire 40,000 was requested by the CAO and SCAO for the Church of San Domenico and was approved by the same officers just mentioned. Both of these Churches are National Monuments, to the best of this Office's knowledge.

c) Two grants of Lire 800,000 have been made in Palermo. The first represented a second three month's grant to the Superintendent of Monuments for work on the artistic part of National Monuments (churches and other). For the first three months he got 500,000. His total estimates ran over four million and this will have to be increased. The second 9 800,000 was to the Genio Civile for work on the static part of National Monuments. This was part of a total of over seven million requested for work on Monuments, in which he is supposed to collaborate with the Superintendent. For a long time he did no work, and has only just begun. He is controlled by his own list of churches held in this office and both he and the Superintendent submit their bills for approval - or should - the Genio has not but the Superintendent does.

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This office is about to present a list of complaints against the Genie to the Sub-commission on Public Works and it may be that he has used his grant for other than monumental churches.

3. The problem raised by the Bishop and by the RCAO is at present under consideration by the Administration Section, particularly with reference to the Sub-commissions on MFA&A, Education, and the Interior, and a policy should soon be formulated and announced in a directive.

4. The Bishop might have made a case from certain instances which were referred to the AMGOT advisers, either specifically as non-monumental churches or without indications as to their monumentality. The Advisers never felt that they had enough experience to formulate a policy or that it lay in their competence. However they also felt that the repair of a non-monumental church (or other church bldg., as a Bishop's Palace) might be justified on the grounds of public utility. They therefore usually referred such cases back to the SCAO's and CAO's with the statement that it did not lie in their competence and should be settled locally. This Office is not therefore in a position to assert that no non-monumental church has been repaired. It is certain, however, that such cases have been few and the sums involved slight. A specific instance is that of the Bishop of Mazara's Estimates referred recently by you to this Office, to which a reply was made, as you may recall, in the above sense.

Mason Hammond
Capt. AC
For the Advisers on MFA&A
Region 1.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
Public Safety Division

AMG/144.02/PB

November 22, 1945.

SUBJECT : Directives to Regions I, II and III relating to Licensing of motor vehicles and requesting estimates for supplies needed for 1946.

TO : Administrative Director, A.M.G.

1. Herewith communications and forms relating to the above subject which it is requested be transmitted to the Regions to whom they are directed.

Paul G. Kirk

PAUL G. KIRK,
Col., Inf.,
Chief, Public Safety
Division.

Approved and Dispatched.

RG
R. R. Lewis
S. C. S.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SECTION FOR MONUMENTS, FINE ARTS AND ARCHIVES.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT.
SUBCOMMISSION FOR MONUMENTS FINE ARTS AND ARCHIVES.

MEMORANDUM.

Subject. Archbishop's Palace at Palermo;
To. Administrative Director. (attention Col. Cripps)
Date. 15 Nov. 1945.

The attached copy of a letter addressed to the Secretary of the Cardinal Archbishop is sent to you for information.

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The letter represents an attempt to curtail the expenditure by 1/3rd, and to confine the work to the repairs necessary from the MFA&A point of view, and to the immediate needs of His Eminence.

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A/Director MFA&A Subcomm.

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To: Signore De Gaetano
Segretario di Sua Eminenza
Il Cardinale Arcivescovo di Palermo
Palazzo Arcivescovile, Palermo

A.M.C.R.

SUBJECT: Repairs to Archiepiscopal Palace.

Reverend and Dear Signore De Gaetano:

1. The whole subject of repairs to the Archiepiscopal Palace at Palermo has now received careful study in the light of your letter of the 10th November and the minutes of the meeting of the 6th Nov. It is now the decision of this Headquarters that the procedure outlined below be followed subject to any change of policy.
2. A sum at present not exceeding Lire 800,000 will be advanced to the Regia Tesoreria by the Allied Military Government through the Civil Affairs Finance Officer for the Province of Palermo for the account of his Eminence to be devoted to the essential repair of the Palace.
3. That all bills for work done be examined and approved by the Departments of Public Utilities and of Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives of A.M.G. and presented for payment to the Regia Tesoreria.
4. That in accordance with the agreement reached on the 6th November, the following scheme of repairs will be carried out at present:-
(a) Repair the garden wall to a height of four metres, or as high as is necessary to make the property safe from looting or trespassing.
(b) The roofs should be made watertight, save in the badly damaged part facing the garden. (This has been done on the side opposite the Cathedral.)
(c) In so far as supplies permit, the quarters and offices of the Cardinal and his staff should be made habitable and usable.
(d) Windows and other openings in parts of the Palace other than those referred to in para. (c) above should be closed to the degree necessary to keep out the weather.
5. Any measures considered necessary by the Superintendent of Monuments for preserving artistic elements of the Palace, such as frescoes, should be undertaken, all such measures to be approved by the Advisor for Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives.
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 6. That His Eminence shall be ~~maximis~~ entitled to employ such workers as he chooses subject to approval by the Génie Civile or by the Superintendent of Monuments, where necessary.
 7. It is hoped that the above repairs recommended may be effected for less than the sum of Lire 800,000 approved. If however they exceed this sum, further application should be made to the Office of Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives.
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- Carry out repairs to exterior, or interior plastering of the building, painting, etc., as required, which building is not necessary for reconstruction of inside walls, should not be undertaken at this time.*
8. The interior of the Seminary should not be put into condition for a use, unless His Eminence chooses to do so at his own expense or from

funds from sources other than A.M.G. The seriously damaged parts of the non-monument sections of the Seminary, which include both the old part facing on to the garden and the new part in the main court, cannot be repaired by A.M.G. unless the Advisor on Education deems it absolutely essential to reopen the Seminary.

10. That representatives of His Eminence, of the Superintendent, of the Genio Civile, and of A.M.G. meet at frequent intervals to examine and discuss the work in progress.

11. It is realised that these decisions do not in every respect meet with all your suggestions, but it must be understood that the present position of the Allied Military Government is, so to speak, one of custodianship for a future Italian Government, who may not be in a position to meet the legacy of obligations left by the Allied Governments.

12. In conclusion we should like to thank you for your helpful cooperation in this matter.

P.K. Baillie-Reynolds
Major
Acting Director A.M.G. Sub-Commission
on Monuments, Fine Arts & Archives

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Oggetto:- Riparazioni al Palazzo Arcivescovile

A.M.G. 13th Nov. 1943

Al:- Reverendo Monsignore De Gaetano
Segretario alla Sua Eminenza
Il Cardinale Arcivescovo di Palermo
Palazzo Arcivescovile, Palermo.

Reverendissimo Signore:

1. L'intero soggetto delle riparazioni al Palazzo Arcivescovile in Palermo ha ricevuto ora un attento esame alla luce della sua lettera del 10 Novembre e le minute della seduta del 6 Novembre.
Il Comando ha deciso che la procedura qui sottostessa sia seguita, soggetta però a modifiche di direttive.

2) Per adesso, la somma non eccedente Lire 800,000 sarà approntata alla R. Tesoreria dal Governo Militare Alleato a mezzo dell'Ufficiale di Finanza degli Affari Civili per la Provincia di Palermo e per conto di Sua Eminenza e questa somma sia dedicata alle riparazioni essenziali del Palazzo.

3. Che tutte le fatture dei lavori eseguiti siano esaminati ed approvati dalle Sezioni delle Pubbliche Utilità e dei Monumenti, Belle Arti ed Archivi dell' A.M.G. e presentate pel pagamento alla Regia Tesoreria.

4. Che secondo il convenuto raggiunto il 6 Novembre, il sottostante schema di riparazioni sia attualmente portato in esecuzione:-

- a) Riparazione al muro del Giardino per un'altezza di quattro metri, od portato ad un'altezza da rendere la proprietà sicura dai furti e dal passaggio.
- b) Le coperture debbono essere rise impermeabile alle piogge, ~~non~~ eccetto quella parte molto danneggiata che guarda il giardino.
(Questo lavoro è stato eseguito al lato opposto della Cattedrale.)
- c) Entro i limiti della disponibilità dei materiali, gli ambienti egli Uffici, Revmo Cardinale e Seguito, debbono resti abitabili ed usabili.
- d) Finestre ed altre aperture nei locali del Palazzo che non siano quelle riferite nel paragrafo c) sopra, si dovrà chiudere in modo da tener lontano il maltempo.
5. Qualsiasi provvedimento che sia considerato necessario dal Soprintendente dei Monumenti atto a preservare gli elementi artistici del Palazzo, quali gli affreschi, dovrebbe adattarsi, sempre che abbiano finalità di conservazione per i monumenti. Bella arti

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b) Le coperture debbono essere rise impermeabile alle piogge, ecetto quella parte molto danneggiata che guardia il giardino. (Questo lavoro è stato eseguito al lato opposto della Cattedrale.)

c) Entro i limiti della disponibilità dei materiali, gli ambienti egli Uffici, Revmo Cardinale e Seguito, debbono resti abitabili ed usabili.

d) Finestre ed altre aperture nei locali del Palazzo che non siano quelle riferite nel paragrafo c) sopra, si dovrebbe chiudere in modo da tener lontano il maltempo.

e) Qualsiasi provvedimento che sia considerato necessario dal Soprintendente dei Monumenti sotto a preservare gli elementi artistici del Palazzo, quali gli affreschi, dovrebbe adattarsi, sempre che abbiano l'approvazione da parte del Consigliere per i Monumenti, Belle Arti ed Archivi.

f) Che sua Eminenza abbia il diretto di mettere a lavoro i lavoratori che Egli conosce ma abbia l'approvazione del Genio Civile e dal Soprintendente dei Monumenti, dove necessario.

g) Sì mette fiducia che ~~zabinisti~~ i lavori che si indicano siano portati a compimento per meno della somma di L. 800,000 approvata. Se però tale ammontare eccedesse, altra domanda dovrebbe essere sottomesa all'Ufficio Monumenti, Belle Arti ed Archivi.

h) Qualsiasi riparazione all'esterno od all'interno del fabbricato non necessaria sotto le superiori voci, quali lavori in intonacatura,

pitturazione, o ristrutturazione dei muri inter., non dovrebbe intraprendersi per adesso.

9. L'interno del Seminario non deve esser rimesso in condizioni di uso salvo che Sua Eminenza scelga di così fare e di lui spese e da fondi di altre risorse che non sian quelle dell'A.M.G. Le parti gravemente danneggiate delle sezioni non monumentali del Seminario, che includono ambedue la vecchia parte prospiciente il giardino e la nuova parte dello spiazzale principale, non possono essere riparate dall'A.M.G. salve che il Consigliere della Educazione non creda assolutamente essenziale riaprire il Seminario.

10. Che rappresentanti di Sua Eminenza, del Soprintendentato, del Genio Civile e dell'A.M.G. si riuniscano frequentemente per esaminare e discutere sul progresso od andamento dei lavori.

11. Si comprende che queste decisioni non si confanno minutamente con i suoi suggerimenti; occorre tener presente che l'attuale posizione dell'A.M.G., per come dire, è una di custodia pel futuro Governo Italiano, il quale potrà incontrare il legato delle obbligazioni lasciate dal Governo Alleati.

12. Per concludere, desideriamo ringraziarla per la sua fattiva cooperazione in questo caso.

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