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Col. Crappin. -

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Committee
13 April.

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C.A. Section.

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MEMORANDUM

13 APR 1945

13 April 1945

REFERENCE: C-12/35/1/A

SUBJECT : Manpower and Reorganization Committee

TO : A/Executive Commissioner
Vice President, Civil Affairs Section
Vice President, Economic Section
A/Vice President, Establishment Section

1. The next Meeting of the Manpower and Reorganization Committee will be held in the Office of the Executive Commissioner at 1200 hrs on Saturday 14 April 1945.

2. Items on Agenda:-

To discuss applications for an increase in ceiling of

- (a) Public Works & Utilities S/C
- (b) Transportation S/C

3. Documents containing proposals are attached as Appendices to this letter.

J. L. Jones

J. L. JONES
Colonel
Secretary-Manpower & Reorganization Committee

Copy to:
Public Works & Utilities S/C
Transportation S/C

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Meeting cancelled 14 April

|| Mrs Hawley B/L when meeting is called.

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Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission

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Statement & Summary

28 March 45

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DISTRICT	Required			Available			Shortage			REMARKS
	HQ	FW	EL	HQ	FW	EL	HQ	FW	EL	
Headquarters	2	3	5	2	3	6				1 Director, 1 Adm. Officer 1 Elect Off. to fill Vacancy Toscana
Central Italy			1			1				Chief of Elect. Team Assigned Umbria-Marche
North Italy			1			1				Chief of Rec. Teams North Italy Assigned Lombardie
Field Team I			4			4				(Now working in Central Italy) Assigned Liguria.
Field Team II			4			4				(Now working in Central Italy) Assigned Venezia
Southern		3	1		3	1				1 Off. as Mil. Highway Rep. of A.C. at H.Q. District 3
Umbria-Marche		5	1		6	1				Maj Barry included in Central Italy Includes 1 Officer FW earmarked for Austria.
Toscana		8	2		8	2			1	Includes 1 Off. Elect. earmarked for Austria.
Emilia		6	1		6	1		1		Includes 1 Off. P.W. earmarked for Austria
Piemonte		7	3		6	2		2	1	Includes 1 Off. P.W. earmarked for Austria.
Liguria		2	1		2	1				Includes 1 Off. Elect. earmarked for Austria. Field Team 1 included above.
Lombardia		7	4		7	1		1	3	Includes 1 Off. P.W. earmarked for Austria. Lt-Col Parker included is North Italy.
Venezia		7	4		7	2		2	2	Includes 2 Off. P.W. earmarked for Austria. Field Team 2 included above.
TOTALS	2	48	32	2	48	27		6	7	
		82			77 +			13 *		

Summary

Headquarters 11
 P.W. Officers 45
 Elect. Off. 21
 77 +
Austria
 P.W. Off. 6
 Elec. Off. 2 8
 Total 69 Available

Ceiling 74
 Less available 69 49:0
 Shortage 5
 Required in
 addition above
 ceiling of 74 8
 Total Shortage 13*

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission

28 March 1945

Assignments Headquarters

Col.	L.A. Jenny	(A)	Headquarters
	Director		
Maj.	A.E. Preedy	(B)	"
	Admin. O.		
Lt.Col.	V.S. Thompson	(B)	HQ. P.W. Div.
Maj.	N.W. Hyland	(A)	" " "
Capt.	R.W. Shepherd	(A)	" " "
Lt.Col.	W.M. Lapper	(B)	HQ. Elect. Div.
Maj.	L.W. Laughlin	(A)	" " "
Maj.	V.S. Renton	(A)	" " "
Maj.	H.R. Rosson	(A)	" " "
Maj.	L.G. Price	(B)	" " "
J/Com.	A.K. King	(B)	" " "

Assignments by Regions.SouthernP.W.O.

Maj.	R.A. Ryan	(A)
(°)	Capt. R.H. Hibbard	(B)
Mr.	F.O. Griffith	(Spec.Duty)
Mr.	H.H. Townsend	(A)

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(°) Mil. Highways representative of A.C. at H.Q. District 3.

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Assignment by Regions

Umbria-Marche

P.W.O.

Lt.Col. G.de C.E. Findlay	(B)
Lt.Col. C.A. Latimer	(A)
Maj. J.A. Sapp	(A)
Maj. E.G. Evans	(B)
Capt. J.H. Walsh	(A)
Maj. R.G. Shull	(A) (Austria.)

Elect.O.

Maj. E.J. Barry	(A)	(Chief of Elec.Team Cent.
Capt. P.R.C. Stephens	(B)	Italy)

Toscana

P.W.O.

Lt.Col. P.S.L. Lee	(B)
Maj. E.H. Richardson	(A)
Maj. G. Boucher	(B)
Capt. T.R. Brownlee	(A)
Capt. J.W. Perkins	(B)
Mr. D. Solomon	(A)
Mr. C. Rapp	(A)
Capt. F.J. Hodges.	(B)

Elect.O.

Maj. V.F. Vallero	(A)
Maj. M.O. Wooster	(A) (Austria)

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Assignment by RegionsEmiliaP.W.O.

Lt.Col. W.M. Spann	(A)	
Maj. R.P. Weeber	(A)	
Capt. W.R. Gentry	(A)	
Capt. W.P. Laughton	(A)	
2nd Lt. P.F. Natale	(A)	
Maj. W.H. Gamble	(B)	(Austria)

Elect.O.

Capt. E.H. Rogers	(A)
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PiemonteP.W.O.

Col. C.R. Birchett	(A)	
Maj. J.A. Robb	(A)	
Maj. H.W. Westwood	(B)	
Capt. N.M. Whitten	(A)	
Capt. J.M. MacCallum	(B)	
Maj. G.C. Eberle	(A)	(Austria)

Elect.O.

Lt.Col. J.S. Bennett	(A)
Maj. R.T. Norman	(A)

LiguriaP.W.O.

Maj. E.E. Smith	(A)
Maj. C.P.S. Goldson	(A)

Elect.O.

Capt. E.P. Wade-Brown	(B)	(Austria)		
Maj. R.A. Bell	(A)	Elect. Rec. Team 1		
Maj. J.E. Foden	(B)	"	"	"
Capt. R.F. Lowdon	(B)	"	"	"
Capt. A.E. Duran	(A)	"	"	"

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Assignment by RegionsLombardiaP.W.O.

Col. C.P. Bolick	(A)	
Maj. D.A. Boyd	(B)	(Austria)
Maj. A.E. Michel	(A)	
Maj. W.F. Chamberlin	(A)	
Capt. T.F. Spriggs	(A)	
Capt. A.S. Greene	(B)	
Capt. D.K. Brown	(A)	

Elect.O.

1st Lt. P.A. Sbrolla	(A)	
Lt.Col. G.F. Parker	(A)	(Chief of Elect.Rec.Teams North Italy)

VeneziaP.W.O.

Maj. J.W. Knight	(B)	
Maj. C.L. Hasie	(A)	
Capt. E.B. Feldman	(A)	
Capt. A.G. Saul	(B)	
Capt. F.M.H. Stephens	(B)	(Austria)
Capt. Wilson-Heathcote	(B)	
Maj. A.J. Perley	(B)	(Austria)

Elect.O.

Capt. J.W.L. Butcher	(B)	
W.O. (jg) M.D. Weaver	(A)	
Maj. A. Growther	(B)	Elect. Rec. Team 2
Maj. C.S. Wilcox	(A)	" " "
Capt. H.G. Best	(B)	" " "
Capt. P.M. Vannoy	(A)	" " "

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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28 March 1945

SUBJECT: Establishment of Transportation Officers

TO : Economic Section

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2. Investigations have shown that even at the present stage when the existing regions are aided by the attachment of officers assigned to northern regions, we are not making full use of the transportation facilities allotted to us. Appendix A gives a copy of a strong letter from AFHQ showing how far we fail to utilize the rail capacities that are allotted to us each week by AFHQ. We have recently set up a new system for recording tonnages passing by rail as compared with that programmed; it is hoped that the first week's figures will be available shortly for the whole of liberated Italy, but it is probable that they will confirm rather than confuse the AFHQ complaint. In addition to this specific complaint, we have received a number of others, both written and verbal; for example a signal was received from AFHQ dated 15 March about the movement of Italian personnel from Elba where we had failed to utilize the facilities granted. In a letter of 17 March AFHQ submit a strong complaint from the Port Commandant at Brindisi of trouble due to lack of AC supervision. Verbal complaints have been received about the waste of shipping space set up for the movement of charcoal and wine; in this case it was found that the cargoes were not available when the ships arrived at the ports nominated. There have been other complaints too numerous to detail here. It should be explained that civilian traffic competes (at AFHQ ECM meetings) with military traffic and both usually have to accept cuts in the bids made. AFHQ sees that AC is not taking up the tonnages allocated to them; they will not unreasonably reduce the allocation to AC and increase

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3. The Acting Vice President of Economic Section has recently stressed the grave economic situation in Italy and it is realized that transport is in some ways the key to the situation. Ocean-going transport is limited, and we must therefore make the best use of the shipping space allocated to us and we must see that there is no hitch at the ports.

Similarly, for internal transport it is absolutely essential that full use should be made of existing road and rail facilities.

4. Consideration of the above factors forces us to the conclusion that most of our failures are due to inadequate supervision in the field. Although we are doing all in our power to allocate the maximum responsibility to the Italian authorities it would appear that these authorities are not competent to see that the best use is made of the capacity given to them unless they have considerable Allied Commission assistance and supervision. We cannot ignore their failures since in the field of transport they have a direct and immediate bearing on the war effort. It is felt that to provide proper supervision of transportation work in the field we should have further officers as shown in the table below. The basis for the calculations has been:

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b. One Transportation Officer per Province.

c. One Additional Transportation Officer per town of over 500,000 inhabitants.

d. Additional allocations where AD transportation responsibilities will be particularly heavy, e.g., Genoa.

HQ or Region	No. of Officers Assigned	
	Present (incl. Austria officers)	Proposed
Transportation Sub-Commission	52	55
Italian Govt. Territory & South. Italy	14 (+)	14 (+)
Umbria-Marche	7	11
Toscana	10	14
Emilia	5	12
Liguria	9	13
Piemonte	3	12
Lombardia	10	15
Venezia	(9	20
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M. F. THOMAS, Colonel
Deputy Director

1 Incl: Appendix "A"

cc : Movements Div; Tn S/C. - 766/Tn 3

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G-4 Mov & Tn
Allied Force Headquarters
Tel.No.Freedom 223

Mov 3/433
14 March 1945

Subject : Movements of Civil Stores

To : AC Tn Sub Commission
Movement West Italy
Movement East Italy

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Feb 12 - 18	339	1400	1061	75

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Copy to : Movements LO DMRS

R.W.L. FELLOWES, Brigadier
for
D.Q.M.G. (Mov & Tn) : 2903

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 304
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref: 3/14B/CA

19 March 45.

SUBJECT: Manpower Committee Meetings
TO : Public Safety Sub Commission.

The undernoted excerpt from Minutes of Meeting held on 12 March are forwarded for your information as they affect your Sub-Commission.

" In view of the new responsibility of Issuing Movement Passes to be undertaken by this Sub Commission, Brig. Upjohn presented the case for Public Safety and applied for an increase of one officer. The Executive Commissioner said he was not in favour of any increase and asked that further enquiries be made as to the possibility of either the Security Division, or Public Safety S/C doing this work without further increase."

Please submit your comments.

R.R.
R.R. CRIPPS Col
CSO CA Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref: 3/14B/CA

19 March 45.

SUBJECT: Manpower Committee Meetings.

TO : Displaced Persons and Repatriation
Sub Commission.

The undernoted excerpt from Minutes of Meeting held on 12 March are forwarded for your information as they affect your Sub Commission.

" Brig. Upjohn referred to the necessity of an increase in the ceiling of this Sub Commission, but Col. Jones (Ex.O (B) explained that he had arranged to loan them certain officers who are earmarked for Austria, which would help them over their present difficulty."

R.R. Cripps

R.R. CRIPPS Col
CSO CA Section

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Tel. Ext. 592

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MEMORANDUM

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REFERENCE : C-1B/35/3/A

16 March 1945

SUBJECT : Manpower and Reorganisation Committee Meetings.

17 MAR 1945

TO : Vice President, Civil Affairs Section.
: Vice President, Economic Section.
: Vice President, Establishments Section.

1. As the minutes of the Manpower and Reorganisation Committees' meetings are now being distributed to Sections, C-1 (British) will no longer forward extracts to Sub Commissions.
2. In view of this, will you please take such action as is necessary, to acquaint Directors of Sub Commissions of the Committees' decisions.

[Signature]

J.L. JONES,
Colonel,

/av.

Secretary, Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

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15 MAR 1945

NOTES of Meeting of Manpower and Reorganization
Committee held on Monday 12 March
at 1530 hrs.

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Executive Commissioner presided.

I. ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

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CO 2675 Regt and Ex. O (A)

Colonel Parkin explained the duties assigned to all his officers and no reduction in personnel was made.

G-1 (B)

It was agreed that Capt. McFavish should be re-assigned.

G-4 (B)

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Vice President-Establishment Section-Staff

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2. CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION.

The increase in this ceiling from 6 to 7 officers, agreed at a previous meeting of the Manpower Committee, was confirmed for publication in notes.

3. PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION

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4. COMMUNICATIONS SUB COMMISSION

A request for an increase of 2 officers and 3 EM/ORs was submitted to meet a new commitment in connexion with the security control of radio stations to be released by Allied Military agencies for operation by Italians. This commitment was passed to A.C. by AF HQ.

After discussion the Committee agreed that AF HQ should be approached with the suggestion that as it was not a commitment envisaged when the TO/WB was agreed, the personnel should be borne surplus to TO/WB.

Secretary to take action.

5. INDUSTRY SUB COMMISSION

To implement a previous instruction given by the Executive Commissioner to the effect that Ministry of Supply and similar officials on temporary duty in this country were to be under the direction of Sub Commissions concerned, the Industry S/C applied for an increase of three to their ceiling. The Committee agreed that the three officials concerned should not count against the ceiling and no increase therefore was necessary.

6. ARCHIVES DIVISION OF PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH

It was agreed to transfer this Division from Public Relations Branch to the Executive Commissioner, thereby necessitating the following amendments to ceilings:-

INCREASE Ex Comm's office. Officers 9 to 10

EM/ORs 54 to 55

DECREASE P.R.B.

Officers 9 to 8

EM/ORs 6 to 5

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J.L.JONES

Colonel

Secretary- Manpower & Reorganisation Committee

4. COMMUNICATIONS SUB COMMISSION.

A request for an increase of 2 officers and 3 IM/CBS was submitted to meet a new commitment in connexion with the security control of radio stations to be released by Allied Military agencies for operation by Italians. This commitment was passed to A.C. by AF HQ.

After discussion the Committee agreed that AF HQ should be approached with the suggestion that as it was not a commitment envisaged when the TO/WE was agreed, the personnel should be borne surplus to TO/WE.

Secretary to take action.

5. INDUSTRY SUB COMMISSION.

To implement a previous instruction given by the Executive Commissioner to the effect that Ministry of Supply and similar officials on temporary duty in this country were to be under the direction of Sub Commissions concerned, the Industry S/C applied for an increase of three to their ceiling. The Committee agreed that the three officials concerned should not count against the ceiling and no increase therefore was necessary.

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Secretary- Manpower & Reorganisation Committee

14th March 1945.

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APO 394

12 March 1945

REFERENCE: G-3B/35/1/A

SUBJECT : Manpower & Reorganization Committee

TO : Executive Commissioner
— Vice President Civil Affairs Section
Vice President Economic Section
Vice President Establishment Section

Attached is Chart of Establishment Section personnel for
discussion at the Manpower Committee on 12 March 1945 at 3.30 p.m.

Secretary-Manpower & Reorganization Committee

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Vice Pres. &
Dep. Exec. Comm. Col. W. E. PIERCE (A)

Chief Staff Offr. Capt. L. T. MONTANE (A)

Civilian Personnel. Maj. J. W. GUNLIFTE (A)

P.A. 1st Lt. U.C. PETRUCCI

G-1(B)
~~Major G. L. JONES (B)~~
G-1(B) Lt. Col. Sir J. E. T. HURCHES, Bt. (B)
11 Major A. S. FARRAN (B)
12 Capt. W. H. BIRNELL (B) SE
13 Capt. G. PARRY (B)
14 Capt. A. MacFARLANE (B)

C-4 (B) Lt. Col. S. W. MILLER (B) H
 (B) Asst " Maj. D. H. HASLAM (B) Asst
 Asst. Capt. T. B. HARRIS (B) Train. Dir.
 Spare Ptn. Sec. Lt. H. W. STEWART (B) Bldg. Sup.
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Vice Pres. &
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Civilian Personnel Maj. J. V. OURLIFFE (A)
P.A. 1st Lt. C. C. PEYRILLO

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2. R. T. UHLER (A)
3. H. K. SMITH (A)
4. W. W. DRACHOFF (A)
5. H. A. LEE (A)
6. HILDEBRAND (A)
7. R. REED (A)
8. THODONE (A)
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Spare Ptn. Sec. Lt. H. A. STEWART (B)
" " " J. C. R. H. GREEN (B)

Exec. O. (B) Col. J. L. JONES (B)
Hq. Comdt.
Hq. Comdt. Col. R. L. ROBERTSON (A)
Asst. " Maj. E. J. BOCHINO (A)
Trans. Dispatch. Maj. H. J. BIRCH (B)
Bldg. Super. Capt. R. P. SINCLAIR (B)
Billeting. Capt. A. A. GUARINO (A)
Printing & Secy. Sec. 1/Lt. C. A. BONGARZON (A)
Hq. Supply. 1/Lt. C. B. JONES (A)
Purch. & Contg. Off. Maj. W. A. BISHOP (B)
Super Garage. Capt. R. P. WILBY (A)
" " Capt. E. HOYLE (B)
" " Capt. A. E. McRAIL (A)
" " 1/Lt. H. L. WHITE (A)
Messing Offr. F/O K. A. H. SIMON (B)
Brit. H.O. Capt. P. G. S. KENNEDY (B)
OC Lancia Garage. Capt. H. HAY (B)
Lancia Garage 1/Lt. H. A. KOPP (A)
" " 1/Lt. N. CHIFFOSO (A)
OC Brit. Det. Capt. T. I. L. SOULLY (B)
Asst. " " " Capt. R. V. DUNN-CLARKE (B)

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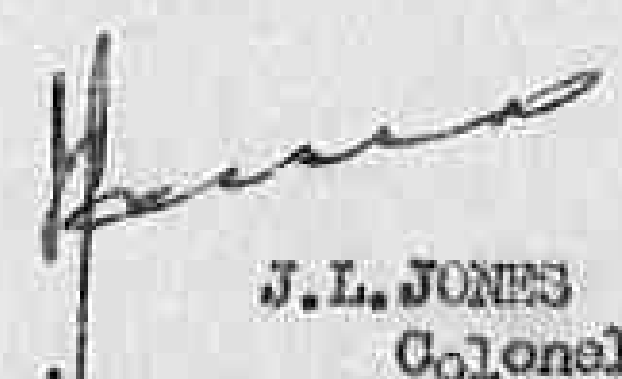
REFERENCE: G-1B/35/1/A

SUBJECT : Manpower & Reorganisation Committee

TO : Executive Commissioner
Vice President, Civil Affairs Section
Vice President, Economic Section
Vice President Establishment Section

Reference our G-1B/35/1/A dated 8 March 45.

Attached is suggested ceiling for Establishment Section which is due for consideration by the Manpower Committee on Monday next the 12th March.


J.L. JONES
Colonel
Secretary-Manpower & Reorganisation Committee

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ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

The following is the present strength of Establishment Section, showing duties on which/officer is engaged.

<u>NAMES</u>	<u>A/B</u>	<u>Duty</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Col. M. E. Pike	A	Vice Pres. & Dep. Ex. Coa.	
Capt. L. T. Montant	A	Chief Staff Officer	
Maj. J. W. Cunliffe	A	Civilian Personnel	
1st Lt. C. C. Petrillo	A	P.A.	
Col. G. M. Parkin	A	Executive Officer (A)	
Col. J. L. Jones	B	" "	(B)
Lt. Col. R. T. Uhler	A	G-1 (A)	
1st Lt. H. T. Theodore	A	" "	
Lt. Col. Sir J. E. T. Ritchie	B	G-1 (B)	
Major A. S. Farrar	B	"	
Capt. W. E. Bissell	B	"	
Capt. G. Parry	B	"	
Capt. A. MacTavish	B	"	
Major C. C. Craig	A	G-4 (A)	
Capt. T. Haskinsworth	A	Spare Parts Sec	
1st Lt. P. J. Aggruso	A	Civ Vehicles	
Lt. Col. E. W. Miller	B	G-4 (B)	
Maj. D. K. Haslam	B	Vehicles	
Capt. T. Rowlands	B	Accountant	
Mt. H. W. Stewart	B	Staff Officer	
J/Cmr. R. H. Green	B	Staff Officer	
Lt. Col. H. K. Seith	A	2675th Regt-Ex Officer	
Lt. Col. N. W. Dragnoff	A	Adj. S.I. & Adj AC	
Maj. H. A. Belafsky	A	Surgeon	

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Lt. Col. N. W. Dragunoff	A	Adj. S-1 & Adj AD
Maj. H. A. Belafsky	A	Surgeon
Maj. R. D. Hildebrand	A	S-2
1st Lt. E. P. Rancourt	A	S-4 (AC Club)
1st Lt. N. Harris	A	Post Office (APO 394)
Capt. J. Beard	A	Hq Co Comd O

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4	Capt. H.A. Lee	A	Asst. Dir. of Asst. Dir.	
	Capt. R.W. Arens	A	Sp. Serv. & PI Officer	
	Capt. J.R. Reed	A	S-3 (Training, etc)	
	Det. R.H. Robertson	B	H.Q. Commandant	
	Maj. E.J. Rocchino	B	Asst. Hq. Comdt	
	Maj. H.J. Birch	B	Trans. Dispatch	
	Capt. R.P. Sinclair	B	Hdg. Superintendent	
	Capt. A.A. Guarino	A	Billeting	
	1st Lt. C.A. Bongarzoni	A	Printing & Secy Sec	Suggested Security duties be assumed by Asst. Hq. Comdt and printing be assumed by Purchasing Officer
	1st Lt. C.R. Jones	A	Hq. Supply	
	Capt. P.G.S. Kennedy	B	Br. Med. Officer	
	Capt. R.P. Wiley	A	Super Garage	
	Capt. E. Hoyle	B	" "	
	F/O K.A.H. Sidney	B	Messing Officer	
	Capt. A.H. Meshehl	A	Super Garage (HVO)	
○	1st Lt. H.L. White	A	" "	Be replaced by Senior N.C.O.
○	1st Lt. H.A. Kopp	A	Lancia Garage	
	1st Lt. N. Gruppoco	A	" "	
○	Capt. M. Hay	B	O.C. Lancia Garage	Be transferred to Rptn S/C
	Maj. W.A. Sewell	B	Purch. & Conty. Off	Asst. to Hq. Comdt
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	Capt. T.I.M. Scully	B	G.O. British Det	
	Capt. R.V. Dudley-Clarke	B	Asst. CO Br Det	
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In addition, on completion of the formation of the 4th Group,

two more officers will be required for investigation of accidents and for administrative duties, making a total requirement for Establishment Section of 49 officers.

Ext. 592

MEMORANDUM

REFERENCE: G-1B/35/1/A

8 March 1945

SUBJECT : Manpower and Reorganisation Committee

9 MAR 1945

TO : Executive Commissioner
Vice President, Civil Affairs Section ✓
Vice President, Economic Section
Vice President, Establishment Section

1. The next Meeting of the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee will be held in the Office of the Executive Commissioner at 1530 hours on Monday 12 March 1945.

2. Items on Agenda:-

- (a) To discuss the HQ ceiling of the Establishment Section.
- (b) To confirm the increase of 6 to 7 officers in Civil Affairs Section
- (c) To consider an increase of one officer in HQ Public Safety S/C. (Appx "A")
- (d) To consider an increase of 2 officers and 3 SM/ORs in Communications Sub Commission (Appx "B").
- (e) To consider a proposal to increase the ceiling of Industry S/C.
- (f) To discuss the transfer of the Archives Division of Public Relations Branch to the office of the Executive Commissioner and the amendment necessary to their respective ceilings (Appx "C").

3. Documents containing proposals are attached as Appendices to this letter, except under Item (a) which will follow later.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

J.L. JONES
Colonel

Secretary Manpower and Reorganisation Committee

Copies to:

Director Public Safety S/C
" Communications S/C
" Industry S/C
" Public Relations Branch

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APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

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2 Mar 45

SUBJECT : Ceilings - Officers
TO : Executive Officer (B)

Reference year G-13/35/3/A of 1 Mar 45 enclosing letter AO/14018/5/PS
of 27 Feb 45.

1. This responsibility for issuing Movement Passes is an additional function recently thrown upon the Public Safety Sub-Commission by order of the Exec. Comm. I am satisfied that the present staff is fully occupied and cannot undertake the additional work and that an increase of staff is necessary.
2. The work entailed is not sufficient to keep an officer fully employed but work in connection with MTHs (movements outside of Italy) is also increasing and may be expected to increase further.
3. Public Safety Sub-Commission is also expected to have extra work thrown upon it when Rome Regional and Provincial HQs close.
4. I consider that the increase asked for is justified and should be granted. In my opinion the work is capable of being performed by an SO 3. I recommend that the Establishment be increased accordingly.

Sgd. ?????????

Sgt. G.R. UPJOHN Brig.
VA CA Section

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Sgd. G.R. UPJUN Ridge
VA CA Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AC/14018/5/PS

To: 478300

27 February 1945

SUBJECT : Assignment of Officers

TO : Man Power Committee HQ, AC.

1. In consequence of several irregularities in the issue of Control of Civilian Movement Passes, the Executive Commissioner has decided that Public Safety Sub-Commission will be responsible for the issue of all passes emanating from this HQ for persons wishing to travel North of the Army Control Line. This will cause much extra work by Public Safety Sub-Commission.
2. In addition, the work of the Licensing & Registration Division of P.S. Sub-Commission is continually increasing, both in connection with Military Travel Authorizations, and in view of the withdrawal of AC officers from Italian Government territory.
3. The officer now dealing with such matters is already overworked and it is desirable that he should have assistance now. When the new procedure of issuing passes is introduced, which will be as soon as possible, extra assistance will be essential.
4. There is no officer available in P.S. Sub-Commission to assist in this work, and it is therefore requested that the ceiling for Public Safety Officers at this HQ be increased by one, such officer to be appointed to assist in the Licensing & Registration Division.

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Sgt. JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director, Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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AC/14018/5/ES

Te.: 478800

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Sgt. JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.,
Director, Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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In reply refer
to : R.131.1.C3

Subject : Increase in Authorized Strength Communications
Sub Commission.

To : Man-Power Commission, A.C.

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2. The minimum personnel with which such control can be effected has been agreed to by AFHQ as 2 Officers as supervisory staff and 3 EM/ORS per city in which a station or group of stations is allowed to operate.

3. AFHQ has now authorized return to Italian operation of a limited number of Radio stations in Rome and is arranging for the assignment to A.C. of personnel necessary for security control.

4. As exercise of such control is a technical communication problem it clearly falls within the scope of this Sub Commission personnel assigned to A.C. for such purpose should therefore be assigned to this Sub Commission. However when authorized strength of this Sub Commission was established, exercise of control of Radio stations was not envisaged. It will therefore be necessary to authorize an increase in strength.

5. Request authorized strength of this Sub Commission be increased by 2 officers and 3 EM/ORS.

13th January 1945.
Tel: 489081
Ext. 333

J.L. HENDERSON,
Colonel,
Director,
Communications Sub Commission

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In reply refer
to : R.131.1.03

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13th January 1945.
Tel: 489081
Ext: 533

J.L. HENDERSON,
Colonel,
Director,
Communications Sub Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

RNF.: 206/20

27 February 1945

SUBJECT : Archives Division.

TO : Secretary, Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

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2. The Committee felt that the work of the Archives Division was closely linked with matters of general office administration, and for that reason they expressed the view that it would be more appropriately placed under the direct jurisdiction of the office of the Executive Commissioner.

3. The present staff of the Archives Division consists of the under - mentioned personnel:-

244777 Capt. A.J. COLLINS (B)

S/150672 Sgt. L.V.J. AFTERBY (B)

4. Will the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee kindly consider this recommendation and, if approved, issue the necessary orders.

/s/ ???????
Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner

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REF.: 206/EC

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Executive Commissioner

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Ref. Ext. 592

MEMORANDUM

REFERENCE : G-41/35/1/A

23 February 1945.

SUBJECT : Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

23 FEB 1945

TO : Executive Commissioner,
Vice President, Civil Affairs Section
" " Economic Section
" " Establishment Section

1. Reference this office letter of even number dated 22 Feb 45, the meeting of the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee, arranged for 1430 hrs, Saturday 24 Feb 45, is postponed.

2. An alternative date will be advised in due course.

Immediate
to Col.

for J.L. JONES.
Colonel,

/pc.

Secretary, Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

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NOTES of Meeting of Manpower & Repatriation Committee
held on Monday 12 February 1945 at 1515 hrs.

Chief of Staff presided.

1. DISPLACED PERSONS & REPATRIATION SUB COMMISSION

Colonel Findlay submitted the following proposal:-

PHASE 1.

	Officers
H.Q. ROME	9
Advanced H.Q.	5
5 Group H.Q. with 3 each	15
Eventually at VENICE, MILAN, TURIN, GENOVA and VERONA	
(In addition to commanding Groups, O.C.'s of Groups will have duty of liaison with Region and Military H.Q.)	
10 Camps with 2 each	20
Allied Nations-Forward Groups and Representatives	6
Allied National Camps -ROME, BARI, NAPLES, ANCONA Area at 2 each	8
Liaison Officer-UNRRA Southern Camps	1

TOTAL 64

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Colonel Findlay also stated that he intended to continue with Allied National camps in ROME, but he was doubtful whether, from a security angle, BARI and NAPLES could be handed to UNRRA at this stage.

Brigadier Upjohn proposed that camps should be made a Regional responsibility. This was discussed at length but no decision was reached.

The number of officer personnel was then fixed. The Committee decided that the existing H.Q. strength must cover both ROME H.Q. and Advanced H.Q.

Rome HQ and Advanced HQ	11 officers
15th Army Group	1
No.2 District for N.W. Regions	1
5 Group H.Q.	15
10 Camps	20
Allied Nations-Forward Groups	5
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The number of officer personnel was then fixed. The Committee decided that the existing H.Q. strength must cover both ROME H.Q. and Advanced H.Q.

Rome HQ and Advanced HQ	11 officers
15th Army Group	1
No.2 District for N.W.Regions	1
5 Group H.Q.	15
10 Camps	20
Allied Nationals-Forward Groups	5
Allied National Camps.ROME, BARI, NAPLES and ANCONA	8
Liaison Officer-UNRRA Southern Camps	1
TOTAL	62

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An increase of 5 on the present over all ceiling.

It was agreed that when Phase 2 arises, which deals with 12 additional camps, with 3 officers each including frontier central posts, the question of additional establishment will be brought forward for consideration.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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22 February 1945

REFERENCE : G-1B/35/1/A
SUBJECT : Manpower and Reorganisation Committee
TO : Executive Commissioner
V.P. Civil Affairs Section ✓
V.P. Economic Section
V.P. Establishment Section

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1. The next meeting of the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee will be held in the office of the Executive Commissioner at 1430 hours, Saturday 24 Feb 45.
2. Items on Agenda :-
 - (a) To discuss the HQ ceiling of the Establishment Section.
 - (b) To confirm the increase in ceiling of Civil Affairs Section from 6 to 7 Officers.
3. Copies of proposals (in quintuplicate) will be produced to G-1 (British) this HQ, immediately.

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J.L. Jones
J.L. JONES,
Colonel,
Secretary, Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

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2. INDUSTRY SUB COMMISSION

Lt.Col. Mackery explained the duties of the various officers referred to in the papers produced by his Sub Commission.

The Heap Division was discussed in so far as the Ministry of Supply Supply personnel was concerned. It was decided that Ministry of Supply civilian officials working in this country on a retainer attachment to A.C. should come within the Sub Commissions concerned, and their work supervised by the Director.

The following civilians were named as being affected:-

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Mr. R. C. McGee
Mr. W. S. Backhouse

SILK: Mr. P. Gaidun

CITRUS: Mr. J. Graham
Mr. C. R. Harrison
Mr. C. Pagella
Miss O. Sulton

The following officers were considered to be surplus;

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Major H. C. Reid, Electrical Industries etc.

The ceiling was increased from 10 to 23.

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5. ESTABLISHMENT SECTION.

Col. Parkin dealt in detail with the extra duties assumed by

Establishment Section on the transfer of certain Transportation commitments from the Transportation Sub Commission. He explained that these duties called for the services of an additional 10 officers.

After discussion the Committee directed that DCS Metab Sec should consider whether these duties could be performed by 6 officers instead of 10, in which case the Committee was willing to increase the ceiling from 36 officers to 42. The question to be discussed at the next meeting of the Committee.

J.L. JONES

Colonel

Secretary-Munpower & Reorganisation Committee

16 February 1945

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Chief of Staff

D.C.O.S. Civil Affairs Section ✓

D.C.O.S. Economic Section

D.C.O.S. Establishment Section

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NOTES OF MEETING OF MANPOWER & REORGANISATION COMMITTEE HELD ONTHURSDAY 8 FEBRUARY 1945 AT 1100 HRS.

Chief of Staff presided.

1. CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION. A proposal was submitted by DCO3 for the reduction of the ceiling of officers on HQ staff of his Sub Commissions as follows:-

- i. Education. Ceiling to be reduced from 4 officers to 3 by assigning Major Vesselo to Emilia Region. This officer will remain at HQ on temporary duty until released by the DCO3, and Establishments Section will request his assignment on 1 Mar 45.
- ii. Local Government. Ceiling to be reduced by 6 officers to 5 by assigning an officer to 5th Army.
- iii. Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives. Ceiling to be reduced from 5 to 4 by assigning Capt. Pinsent to Emilia Region. This officer to remain on temporary duty at HQ until required in Emilia.
- iv. Patriots Branch. Ceiling to be reduced from 4 officers to 3.
- v. Public Safety. This Sub Commission is down to its ceiling and it is not possible to reduce it further.
- vi. Legal Sub Commission. When the status of Col. Willmer and Col. Crossman is established, it may be possible to reduce the ceiling from 9 officers to 8.
- vii. Displaced Persons & Refugees Sub Commission. Application from this Sub Commission for an increase in strength was not heard.

2. ECONOMIC SECTION. Col. Densmore discussed all Sub Commissions in this Section.

i. Commerce. After discussion the present ceiling of 9 officers was increased to 12.

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With regard to the electrical power team of P.W. & U. S/C covering the North of Italy, it was directed that the personnel should be borne on the strength of the Region considered most convenient for its operations.

3. It was decided that the next meeting of the Manpower Committee should be held on Monday 12 February at 1430 hrs. for discussion on the following subjects:-

Economic Section: Industry Sub Commission

Public Works & Utilities Sub Commission

Labour Sub Commission

Civil Affairs Section: Displaced Persons & Refugees Sub Commission

4. ESTABLISHMENT SECTION. This Section was asked to submit, at the next meeting of the Manpower Committee, a list of officers by name to be released from this HQ for duties in the Field, thereby reducing the strength to 36 as previously approved by the Committee.

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J.L. JONES

Colonel

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Tel. Ext. 525

8 Feb 45.

Ref: 1/2/204 Mar 6.SUBJECT: Ceiling of Public Health Sub-Commission
at Headquarters.

TO: Secretary, Manpower Committee.

- 1 Reference the meeting this morning, the entomology practiced by the entomologist on the staff of Public Health consists of the following:

Summer: He identifies mosquitoes; no doubt an interesting and certainly a highly useful job.

Winter: He is a member of the team which tours Italy, instructing medical personnel in the provinces on up-to-date methods of combatting typhus (identifying lice).

His continued presence is of the utmost value to the Italian Government and he performs a truly A.C. function in advising the Government on methods of malaris and typhus control.

- 2 I refer you to Para 16 of Appendix "B" to "Recommendations of Man-Power Committee", where it is stated that the recommendations of the Committee were dependent on the continued attachment of 4 officers from the Rockefeller Foundation. In fact, only three such officers are now attached, of whom one - Dr. Soper, is about to go to Egypt.

- 3 Five copies of this letter are enclosed for distribution to members of the Committee at the next meeting.

[Signature]
G.A. UPINE, Brig.,
VP CA Section,
DCOS AC.

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NOTE

The meeting of the Manpower & Reorganisation Committee will now be held
at 1515 hrs. instead of 14.30 hrs. on Monday next 12 Feb 45.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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10 February 1945

REFERENCE: G-1B/35/4/A

SUBJECT : Manpower & Reorganization Committee

TO : Chief of Staff
D.C.O.S. - Civil Affairs Section
D.C.O.S. - Economic Section
D.C.O.S. - Establishments Section

Further to this office letter of even reference dated 10 February 45.

Papers for consideration of the Manpower Committee meeting to be held on Monday 12 Feb in respect of Industry Sub Commission and Labor Sub Commission are forwarded herewith. The paper from Public Works and Utilities Sub Commission have not yet been received.

J. L. JONES
Colonel
Secretary, Manpower & Reorganization Committee

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION

Tel. 328

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Ref. AG/5602/IND

7 February 1945

SUBJECT: Officer Personnel Requirements

TO : Man Power Commission through Economic Section

1. Arising out of meetings on the 5th and 6th of February, 1945, it is desired to state the situation of this Sub-Commission with regard to specialist officer personnel and in this connection it should be stressed that specialist industrial personnel are essential to the functioning of Industry Sub-Commission and that officers with specialist training only are suitable for the duties which they have to perform and the weighty decisions which they must take, once Northwest Italy is free.

2. It is realised that it will be extremely difficult to obtain from any existing officer-pool the number of specialist officers required. Attached as Appendix A is a list of officers at present engaged at H.Q., A.C. A number of these officers have been previously earmarked for work at regional level in Northwest Italy as industry officers, but since arrival at H.Q., and pending the activation of their regions, have taken on over-all industrial rehabilitation plans which would inevitably fail if they were withdrawn. It is therefore desired that of these officers, certain should be retained and that further officer personnel should be provided to fill vacancies in the regions. Even if it is agreed that these officers presently working in H.Q. may be retained, it should be pointed out that in no case has an officer an assistant who can deputize for him in the case of illness or in the case of other unavoidable absence from his duties. The proposed establishment for H.Q. is therefore a minimum. May urgent action be taken to increase the strength of this Sub-Commission so that provision for H.Q. operation and for the extremely low allotment of regional officers may be maintained? In this connection it should be pointed out that Industry Sub-Commission has taken over in the last two months from other Sub-Commissions responsibility for additional manufacturing activities as under: 4908

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Olive Oil Refining " " "
Beet Sugar Manufacture " " "
Tyre and Rubber Goods Manufacture from Transportation Sub-Commission
Automobile Spare Parts " "
Pharmaceutical Products from Public Health Sub-Commission

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3. The agreed allotment of Regional Industrial Officers is shown on Appendix B, together with the names of available officers selected for each Region. Where blanks exist the nature of the duty to be filled is stated. It should be pointed out that of the officers shown on this Sub-Commission's present staff, Lt. Corwin is on leave in U.S. and Major Thornitt-Smith is on leave in U.K. Major Stockman, at present assigned to Southern Region, is due to go on leave at an early date.

M. S. VAUGHAN
Director
Industry Sub-Commission

Incl.: 2
Appendix A - Industry S/C H.Q. Officers
Appendix B - Industry S/C Officers Assigned to
Field Duties

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APPENDIX A

H.W. OFFICERS
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION

1. Lt. Col W. J. Mackrey - Deputy Director

Match Manufacture
Tobacco
Salt
Candles

2. Capt. T. P. Hunter
Adjutant

3. Capt. H. R. L. Macdonald
Coordination Officer for A.F.L.R.S. Matters

4. Major E. E. R. Kilner

Textiles (Cotton, Woollens, Rayon)

5. Major W. E. Rydals

Explosives
Resins and Plastics
Electrothermic Industries

6. Major J. Rosenbaum

Pharmaceutical Products
Paints, Coatings, Pigments
Fine Organic Chemicals, Dyes, Intermediates
Alcohol and Solvents
Carbon Bisulphide

7. Major H. G. Reid

Electrical Industries, Electric Cable, Batteries, etc.
Carbide, Cyanamid, Carborundum
Carbon Electrodes
Coordination of Electric Power Requirements for all
Industries with A.F.L.R.S. Electric Power Committee

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Liaison Officer with Italian Ministry of Industry, Commerce
and Labour

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Sulphur Control and Allocation
Executive Officer

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Iron and Steel Production
Cement
Munition Plants

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Cement
Munition Plants

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Bricks, Tiles and Lime
Glass, Ceramics and Refractories
Asbestos-cement materials
Lead Processing Plants

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12. Lieut. G. E. J. Benn
Agricultural Machinery
Shipbuilding
Industrial Gases
Refrigerants
13. Lieut. J. E. M. Bury
Assistant and understudy for Major Thornitt-Smith at
Italian Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour
14. Lt. Col. G. W. Oxley
Coal Allocation, liaison with AFMA on solid fuels
15. Lt. Cmdr. J. Schlee - Kemp Control
Mr. Magee
Mr. Backhouse
16. Capt. D. S. Kingery
Lt. F. E. Corwin
Capt. A. P. Radcliffe
Lt. F. N. Spencer
Lt. A. R. Pengilly
Mining in all branches
17. Lieut. L. Mehr
Sugar Refining
Food Processing and Canning
Refrigeration Plants
18. Unassigned
Olive Oil Processing
Sulphur Oil
19. Mr. S. S. Vaughan - Director
20. Dr. R. S. Opatowski
Soap
Vegetable Oils, Fats
Caustic Soda, Soda Ash, Sodium Bicarbonate, Chlorine & Chlorine
Products, e. g. trichloro
Alumina, aluminium, magnesium
Paper
21. Mr. S. D. Broetzko
Mechanical Industries
Railway Construction
Motor Car Industries
Machine Tool Plants
Light Engineering Plants
Non-ferrous Metal Plants (except aluminium and lead)

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Alumina, aluminium, magnesium
Paper

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22. Mr. V. Dorkovich

Synthetic textile fibres, e.g. Ciba Viscosa Co.
Fertilizers; superphosphate
Fungicides; e.g. copper sulphate

It will be noted that, apart from military personnel, heavy responsibilities are carried by three allied civilians.

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APPENDIX B

INDUSTRIAL SUB-COMMISSION
OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO FIELD

SICILY

Lieut. R. Pollard (Main duties mining - speciality sulphur; this officer reassigned to R.C., but to travel to Sicily from time to time as required.)

SARDEGNA

Maj. A. Matthews) Comd lead, etc.
Maj. G. F. Hatch)

SOUTHERN REGION

Maj. J. R. Stockman (to be reassigned)
Maj. F. C. Ras (to remain) Heap Control

LAZIO-UMBRIA

Capt. J. S. Gillespie - Mining Division (to be reassigned)

ABRUZZI-MARCHE

No officer allotted.

TOSCANA

Maj. Harris

ERILIA

Maj. D. A. Duncan
Maj. H. D. Bradbury - Heap Control

LIGURIA

Maj. K. C. Wilson (assigned from Lazio-Umbria)
Lieut. O. E. J. Benn (assigned from R.C.)

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Two vacancies for 1 chemical and 1 metallurgical engineer.

PIEMONTE

No officer assigned
Maj. J. R. Stockman to be assigned from Southern Region
Capt. J. S. Gillespie to be assigned from Lazio-Umbria.

Required: 1 textile, 3 chemical and 1 mechanical engineer.

LOMBARDIA

Maj. A. C. Lister

Required: 1 textile, 2 chemical, 1 mechanical and 1 metallurgical engineer.

VENEZIA

Lt. Col. S. W. Archibald
Lt. J. E. H. Bury

Required: 1 mining, 1 textile, 1 oil refining, 1 mechanical and
1 metallurgical engineer.

RESULT:

Assuming that Headquarters ceiling is agreed as shown, the
following additional officers are urgently needed:

Headquarters: 1 olive oil refining

Field	: Liguria - 1 chemical, 1 metallurgical engineer.
"	: Piemonte - 1 textile, 3 chemical, 1 mechanical engineer.
"	: Lombardia - 1 textile, 2 chemical, 1 mechanical and 1 metallurgical engineer.
"	: Venezia - 1 textile, 1 mining, 1 oil refining, 1 chemical and 1 metallurgical engineer.

Total required above present strength - 18 officers.

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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6 February 1945

TEL : Ext. 204

REF : LSC/107

SUBJECT: Staffing of Labor Sub-Commission, A.C.

TO : Manpower Coordinating Committee

1. The ceiling established at the last manpower review of Labor Sub-Commission was 2 Officers and 4 civilians, a total of 6.

2. This is a request that the ceiling for the Labor Sub-Commission be raised to 9, viz., 1 Officer and 8 civilians.

3. The present Headquarters strength of Labor Sub-Commission is 3 Officers and 4 civilians, a total of 7. The organization is as follows:

	Officers		Civilians	
	A	B	A	B
Director				1
Deputy Director	1			
Asst. Deputy Director	1			
Labor Relations		1		
Wages & Hours Section	1		1	
Social Insurance Section	1		1	
Factory Conditions Section			1	
Statistical Section		1		
Industrial Classifications		1		
Temporarily assigned to Sicily		1		
TOTAL	4	4	2	1

4. The ceiling proposed is 1 Officer and 8 civilians, a total of 9, and regard has been paid to the following considerations:

- (a) So far as possible military personnel should be released for service in the North and should be replaced by civilians.

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- (b) At least 1 Officer in uniform should be retained to carry weight in contact with the military in forward areas as occasion may arise.
- (c) The activities of the Labor Sub-Commission should mainly be advisory but the guidance should take as positive a form as possible.

5. The maintenance of labor supply for military requirements, the establishment of uniform conditions of wages and service, and the avoidance of unrest should be an executive charge of first priority on the Labor Sub-Commission.

6. To perform these functions it is considered that the proposed ceiling of 1 Officer and 3 civilians represents a minimum. The proposed allocation of duties would be as follows:

Director.....	1 British civilian
Deputy Director.....	1 American Officer

Labor Relations

Industrial Relations - General development, stimulation and guidance to Italian Government, Industry and Trade Unions.....1

1 Attention to Trade Disputes, and stoppages of work in AMG/AC territory and in vital points in Italian administered territory.....1

Labor Supply

2 Manpower utilization and Labor Supply at H.Q., general considerations including wages and conditions for Allied Force employees.....2

Outside Duties

Personal contacts with Regional Commissioners and Labor Officers, and special inquiries made from H.Q.....1

Intelligence

1 Reporting, research and planning.....1

1 Social Insurance1

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W. H. BRAINE
Director.

MEMORANDUM

10 February 1945.

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FROM : C-4 (H) H.Q., A.C.

2. Items on Agenda:-

Reviewing Ceilings of Industry Sub Commission

4. EM/Ors)

(8 Officers

(6 mg/kg)

(2 of floors

4 civiliens

3 12M/CH20)

To discuss number of Displaced Persons and Repatriation Officers, required for Northern Regions.

To name Officers surplus to coiling for assignment to field.

4. Documents in respect of Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub Commission are attached herewith for the information of members of the Committee.

Secretary, Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

J.L. JONES,
Colonel.

" Public Works and Utilities Sub Commission

" Labour Sub Commission

" Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS & REPATRIATION SUB-COMMISSION

DPB/29/DM

7 February, 1945.

Subject: Officer Requirements - Northern Italy & Austria.

To: C.A. Section for Manpower Committee

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2. Of the above 52 officers, 6 officers have been earmarked or assigned for Austria. (Appendix "A"), Major DUBOIS and Captain TALLEY have actually reported to the Austria Planning Set Up. I understand that further officers will be required for Austria and it is impossible to part with the above or give up more, unless replacements are forthcoming immediately. Camp Commanders require training like other men, and as their duty will be supervising Italian Military personnel it is essential that they be armed officers and NOT Civilians.

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It will be observed that in Phase I, Five Groups H.Q. are requested for ten "Centres" (each of 5,000)

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In Phase II they will control a further 12 Centres (each of 5,000) and 20 Frontier Repatriation Posts (each of 1,000)

4. For Phase II an extra 36 officers will be required for the 12 additional Centres and 20 Frontier Repatriation Posts as shown in Appendix "B". (under Phase II)

5. I consider that if these officers cannot be obtained from within the ceiling allowed to the Allied Commission, immediate application should be made to A.S.H.Q. for further officers for this very important commitment.

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Copies to:- The Secretary, Manpower Committee, ...C.
Executive Officer (A), H.Q. ...C.
Executive Officer (B), H.Q. ...C.

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ALLIED ~~CONTROL~~ COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Man power Ceiling

FILE No. DPR/1/ADM

TO : Col. R.R. Cripps,
C.A. Section, A.C.

15 January 1945.

Brigadier UPJOHN asked this afternoon for a copy of the investigation into desirability of organising D.P. & R. Sub-Commission on a Regional Basis as submitted to the Manpower and Re-Organisation Committee.

attached herewith copy of DPR/1/ADM dated 9 December, 1944.

MA
C. F. Follis
Lieut. Colonel,
Deputy Director,
D.P.R.S.C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB-COMMISSION

IPR/1/Adm.

Tel. 429081 Ext. 392

9 December 1944.

SUBJECT : Man power Ceiling - Officers and EM/OR's.
Investigation into desirability of organising D.P. & R. Sub-Commission on a Regional Basis.

TO : Secretary Man power and Re-organisation Committee (G-1 Br.)

1. At the man power meeting held on Monday 4 December 1944 the Chairman directed that an investigation be carried out and a report submitted as to the desirability of organising the Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission on a Regional basis.

2. After careful and thorough investigation by G-1 British, CA Section and this Sub-Commission it is considered that it is not desirable to organise the Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission on a Regional basis for the following reasons:-

(a) Policy regarding Displaced Persons and War Refugees would be dealt with by eight Regional Commissioners - Appendix 'A'.

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Food
Camp Equipment
Finance
Clothing

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3. In conclusion no saving in man power would be achieved by putting Displaced Persons Sub-Commission on a Regional basis. Time would be lost as chain of Command become confused. It is suggested that the organisation as stands is more efficient and workable than if placed on a Regional basis.

Copy to:- G-1 British
C.A. Section.

C.B. FINLAY
Colonel
Director.

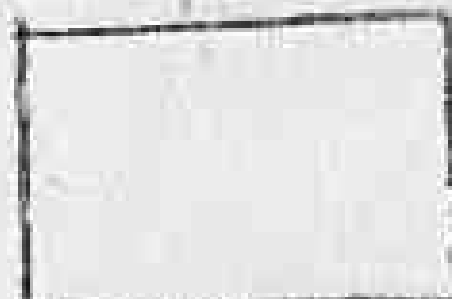
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Appendix A

1. THERM GROUP



2 Regions affected

CENTRE GROUP



2 Regions affected

ADRIATIC GROUP



2 Regions affected

LAZIO REGION

ACCREDITED REPS.

Russia
Belgium
China
Czechoslovakia
France
Holland
Greece
Norway
Poland
Yugoslavia

ORGANISATIONS.

U.N.R.R.A.
I.C.C.R.
W.R.B.
B.R.C.S.
A.F.S.C. *
A.J.D.C.
F.A.U.

*American Friends
SERVICE Committee.

HQ ROME

CINE CITTA



SOUTHERN REGION.

AVERSA



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HQ, NO.1 SUB-SECTION, LECCE.



MOGLIE Hospital



DI LEUCA Hospital



POGGIARDO Hospital



BARI



FERRAMENTI



DI LEUCA



GALLIPOLI



DI BACCHI



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APPENDIX "B"

ITALIAN AND ALLIED NATIONAL CAMPS D.P.R.S.C.

No. 1 TRANSIT CAMP
Capacity 3000

Reception of refugees, repatriates and displaced persons prior to dispatch to Accommodation Centres, and disposal by High Commissioner Italian Refugees.

Commanding Officers:	Lt. Colonel	1	Total Officers: 3 CR/EM 10
2 i/c	Major	1	
Adj. "Q" & N.V.	Captain	1	
Q.M.	W.C. II	1	
Clerk	Sgt	1	
Hygiene			
Disinfect	Cpl	2	
Cook	Cpl	1	
Tpt & C.R.	Cpl/CR	4	
Storemen	Cpl	1	

CINE CITTA RECEPTION CENTRE
and Supply and Transport Depot (N. Italy)
Capacity : 2,000

Reception of refugees, Italian repatriates and displaced persons prior to dispatch to Accommodation Centres or disposal by High Commissioner Italian Refugees.

Commanding Officer:	Captain	1	Total Officers: 2 CR/EM 17
Transport & Q.	Capt/Lt.	1	
Q.	WO II	1	
Cooks	Cpl	2	
Storemen	Cpl	1	
Hygiene	Cpl	1	
Clerk	Cpl	1	
G.D.	Sgt	1	
Transport, Maintenance			
Workshops and Drivers	CR	10	

AVERSA RECEPTION CENTRE
Capacity 2,000

Reception of refugees, repatriates and displaced persons on arrival from overseas and prior to dispatch overseas.

Commanding Officer:	Major	1
2 i/c	Capt	1

Commissioner Italian Refugees.

Commanding Officers:			
2/1/c	Lt. Colonel	1	
Adj. "Q" & N.V.	Major	1	
Q.M.	Captain	1	
Clerk	W.C. II	1	
Hygiene	Sgt	1	
Disinfect	Cpl	2	
Cook	Cpl	1	
Tpt & C.P.	Cpl/GR	4	
Storeman	Cpl	1	
			Total Officers: 3
			OR/IM 10

CINE CINIA RECEPTION CENTRE
and Supply and Transport Depot (N. Italy)
Capacity: 2,000

Reception of refugees, Italian repatriates and displaced persons
prior to dispatch to Accommodation Centres or disposal by High
Commissioner Italian Refugees.

Commanding Officer:			
Transport & Q.	Captain	1	
Q	Capt/Lt.	1	
Cooks	WO II	1	
Storeman	Cpl	2	
Hygiene	Cpl	1	
Clerk	Cpl	1	
G.D.	Cpl	1	
Transport, Maintenance	Sgt	1	
Workshops and Drivers	GR	10	
			Total Officers: 2
			OR/IM 17
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AFRICA RECEPTION CENTRE
Capacity 3,000

Reception of refugees, repatriates and displaced persons
prior arrival from overseas and prior to dispatch overseas.

Commanding Officer:			
2 1/c	Major	1	
Q	Capt	1	
Cook	WO II	1	
Storeman	Cpl.	1	
Hygiene	Cpl.	1	
Clerk	Cpl.	1	
Transport & G.D.	Cpl	1	
	Cpl.	2	
			Total Officers: 2
			OR/IM 7

HQ NO 1 SUB SECTIONHQ of Accommodation Centres, Transit Camps and Hospitals in S. Italy.

Commanding Officer	Lt. Colonel	1
A/Q	Major	1
Finance	Major	1
Transport and Security	Captain	1
Chief Clerk	WO II	1
Storeman	Cpl	1
Clerk	Cpl	1
Transport Pool/Workshops	Sgt/ORs	7
DID & ORD Depot	Cpl	2
		Total: Officers: 4
		OR/EM : 12

MAGLIE HOSPITAL
250-300 Beds

OR/EM : 2

DI LEUCA HOSPITAL
120-150 Beds

OR/EM : 2

POGGIARDO HOSPITAL
50 Beds

OR/EM : 2

DI LEUCA ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity: 2,500

Yugoslav Refugee Accommodation Centre, refugee orphanage and school, Nursing Mothers Home.

Commanding Officer	Captain	1
Adjutant and Q	Capt/Lt/ATS	1
Clerk	Cpl	1
Storeman	Cpl	1
Hygiene	Cpl	1
G.D. and Transport	Sgt	2
		Total: Officers: 2
		OR/EM. : 5

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SANTA CESAREA ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity : 2,000

Yugoslav Refugee Holding Centre, Orphans.

Clerk 1
Transport Pool/Workshops 1
DID & ORD Depot Sgt/ORs 7
Cpl 2

Total: Officers: 4
OR/EM : 12

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250-300 Beds

OR/EM

: 2

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120-150 Beds

OR/EM

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FOGGIARDO HOSPITAL
50 Beds

OR/EM

: 2

DI LEUCA ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity: 2,500

Yugoslav Refugee Accommodation Centre, refugee orphanage
and school, Nursing Mothers Home.

Commanding Officer:
Adjutant and Q
Clerk
Storeman
Hygiene
G.D. and Transport

Captain 1
Capt/Lt.ATS 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Sgt 2

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Total: Officers: 2
OR/EM : 5

SANTA CESAREA ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity : 2,000

Yugoslav Refugee Holding Centre, Orphans.

Commanding Officer:
Adjutant and Q
Clerk
Storeman
Hygiene
G.D. and Transport

Captain 1
Capt/Lt.ATS 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Sgt. 2

Total : Officers: 2
OR/EM : 5

DI BACHI ACCOMMODATION CENTRE

Capacity: 3,500

Yugoslav Refugee Holding Centre and Jewish Settlement

Commanding Officer:
Adjutant & Q
Clerk
Storeman
Hygiene
G.D. and Transport

Captain 1
Capt./Lt. ATS 1
Cpl. 1
Cpl. 1
Cpl. 1
Sgt. 2

Total: Officers : 2
OR/EM : 5

FERRAMONTI ACCOMMODATION CENTRE

Capacity: 1,200

Ex-Interness Jewish Centre.

Commanding Officer:

Captain 1
EM/ORS 3

Total: Officers : 1
OR/EM : 3

GALLIPOLI ACCOMMODATION CENTRE

Capacity: 500

Royal Yugoslav Holding Centre.

EM/ORS: 3

Total: OR/EM : 3

No. 1 2. 3. FORWARD GROUPS

Location, collection, welfare of displaced persons
in Forward Areas.

Each Forward Group :

Officer: 1
EM/OR : 6

Total: Officers : 3
OR/EM : 18

FORWARD REFS.

C.A. Section A.A.I.

Officer: 1
OR : 1

Florence :

Officers : 2
ORS : 2

Total: Officers : 3
OR/EM : 3

A.M.G. 5th and 8th ARMIES

Total: Officers : 8

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Total: Officers : 2
OR/EM : 5

PETRAROMITI ACCOMMODATION CENTRE

Capacity: 1,200

Ex-Internees Jewish Centre.

Commanding Officer: Captain 1
EM/ORS 3

Total: Officers : 1
OR/EM : 3

GALLIPOLI ACCOMMODATION CENTRE

Capacity: 500

Royal Yugoslav Holding Centre.

EM/ORS: 3
Total: OR/EM : 3

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FORWARD REPS.

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OR : 1

Officers : 2
ORS : 2

Florence :

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OR/EM : 3

A.M.G. 5th and 8th ARMIES

Total: Officers : 6
OR/EM : 4

HQ. ROMAN

Total: Officers : 12
OR/EM : 14

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ITALIAN REFUGEE CAMPS D.P.& R.S.C.

<u>ADRIATIC GROUP</u> <u>8 Army</u> Maj. GEDDES	<u>CENTRE GROUP</u> <u>8 Army</u> Maj. ENTHOVEN	<u>WESTERN GROUP</u> <u>5 Army</u> Maj. STUART
<u>ANCONA GROUP</u> Capt 2 EM/ORs 5	<u>ASSISI</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3	<u>ROSIGNANO SOLVAY</u> Capt. 1 EM/ORs 3
<u>FERMO</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 4	<u>CASTIGLION</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3	<u>LUCCA</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3
<u>CHIARAVALLE</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3		<u>CASERMA DEL GENIO</u> <u>Florence</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 2
<u>RICCIONE GROUP</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 4		
TOTAL OFFICERS 6 EM/OR 16	3 6	4 = 8 =

CAMP STAFF when Northern Italy freed and U.N.R.R.A. NOT take over Southern Camps

Total Requirements Present Commitments

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ITALIAN REFUGEE CAMPS D.P. & R.S.C.

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Maj. GEDDES		Maj. ENTHOVEN		Maj. STUART	
<u>ONA GROUP</u>		<u>ASSISI</u>		<u>ROSIGNANO SOLVAY</u>	
Capt	2	Capt	1	Capt.	1
EM/ORs	5	EM/ORs	3	EM/ORs	3
<u>IO</u>		<u>CASTIGLION</u>		<u>LUCCA</u>	
Capt	1	Capt	1	Capt	1
EM/ORs	4	EM/ORs	3	EM/ORs	3
<u>RAVALLE</u>				<u>CASERMA DEL GENIO</u> <u>Florence</u>	
Capt	1			Capt	1
EM/ORs	3			EM/ORs	2
<u>IONE GROUP</u>					
Capt	1				
EM/ORs	4				
OFFICERS	6	3	4 =	13	
EM/OR	16	6	8 =	30	

STAFF when Northern Italy freed and U.N.R.R.A. NOT take over Southern Camps

OFFICERS	15
EM/OR	30
OFFICERS	72
EM/ORs	172

Total Requirements Present Commitments

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REGIONS AFFECTED.APPENDIX "C"

		<u>Camps.</u>	<u>Hospitals</u>
1. SOUTHERN REGION	7 Camps 3 Hospitals	AVERSA BARI DI BAGNI GALLIPOLI DI LEUCA S. CESAREA FERRAMONTI	MAGLIE DI LEUCA POGGIARDO
2. LAZIO REGION	2 Camps	CINE CITTA ASSISI	
3. TOSCANA REGION	4 Camps	CASTIGLION ROSIGNANO SOLVAY (Army Area) LUCCA FLORENCE	(") (")
4. ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION	3 Camps	ANCONA FERMO CHIARAVALLE	
5. EMILIA	1 Camp	RICCIONE	

Camps to be established - 10 maximum.

- 6. LIGURIA
- 7. LOMBARDIA
- 8. VENEZIA

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- 7 JAN 1945

NOTES of Meeting of Manpower & Reorganisation Committee held on

Saturday 30 Dec 44.

Chief of Staff presided.

The first item under discussion was personnel required by Transportation Sub Commission and Mr. M.H. Taylor read a letter giving details of the requirements of this Sub Commission.

The demands submitted for members of officers and W/Cs did not include those who would be required for operating certain Hq Transportation functions, as it was understood that they would be the responsibility of Establishment Section. A planning staff of 3 officers was suggested for the work of long range planning, liaison with various Italian Government officials, and all planning required for the N.W. Regions.

Rail Division. Mr. Taylor explained that it was necessary for these officers to keep in close touch, and in fact work by the side, of Italian railway officials, to concentrate on locomotive repairs, and on repairs of all rolling stock, and to maintain an active supervision in regard to the upkeep of the whole railway system of Italy.

Port, Bridgeway and Warehouse Division. Personnel was discussed without adverse comments.

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Shipping Division. It was unanimously agreed that a great deal more help could be given by this Division.

Stores, Accounting & Issuing Stores Personnel Motor Transport. The responsibility for the accounting and issuing of spare parts, tyres etc. for use on both military and civilian vehicles operated by the Transportation Sub Commission was discussed. At this point Col. Evans, 4890 Director of Commerce Sub Commission was called in to the Committee and asked whether he could undertake this responsibility in the same way as he was already handling locally manufactured articles. Col. Evans agreed to do this, and it was decided that C.L. Demaree, C.L. Evans and Mr. Taylor should discuss the whole subject.

Mr. Taylor stated that Mr. Vaughan, Director of Industry Sub Commission was willing to assume responsibility for supervision of factories manufacturing tyres, spare parts etc. at present handled by Transportation Sub Commission.

After further discussion it was agreed that the Transportation Sub Commission (less personnel required for transportation duties in Regions and with Amies) should consist of:-

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55 Officers
4 Warrant Officers
30 W/Os.

It was explained that the establishment of Warrant Officers with the Commission might not allow for as many as was demanded, and it was decided that their places could be filled by senior N.C.O.s.

Distribution:- Chief of Staff
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D.C.O.S. Economic Section
D.C.O.S. Establishment Section
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C-1 (B)

REFERENCE : G-1B/35/3/A

15 December 1944

SUBJECT : Ceilings - Officers and EM/ORs

TO : D.C.C.S. Civil Affairs Section
Director, Displaced Pers. and Repat. S/C
Director, Public Health Sub-Commission

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1. At a meeting held on Monday 11 Dec 44, the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee agreed upon a ceiling of 57 Officers (exclusive of Medical and Hygiene Officers) and 135 EM/ORs for the HQ and Field Staffs of Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission. Appendix "B" to General Order No 43/44 should be amended accordingly.

2. The five Medical and two Hygiene Officers now on the assigned strength of Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission will be re-assigned to Public Health Sub-Commission, the ceiling of the latter being correspondingly increased by 7 Officers. Special Orders are being issued authorising these reassignments.

[Signature]
J.L. JONES,
Lt. Colonel
Secretary, Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

12 December 1944

REFERENCE: G.LB/35/3/A

SUBJECT : Empower & Reorganization Committee - Terms of Reference

TO : Chief of Staff
D.C.O.S. (Civil Affairs Section)
D.C.O.S. (Economic Section)
D.C.O.S. (Establishments Section)

Establishment Memoranda which affect ceilings, moves of Sections etc. will be cleared by the Committee before submission to the Chief Commissioner.

[Signature]

J.L. JONES
Lt. Colonel
Secretary-Member & Reorganization Committee

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

AFO 394

12 December 1944

REFERENCE: AIR/35/3/A

SUBJECT : Manpower & Reorganization Committee - Terms of Reference

TO : Chief of Staff

D.C.O.S. (Civil Affairs Section)

D.C.O.S. (Economic Section)

D.C.O.S. (Establishments Section)

Reestablishment Memoranda which affect ceilings, moves of Sections etc. will be cleared by the Committee before submission to the Chief Commissioner.

J. L. Jones

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Lt. Colonel

Secretary-Manpower & Reorganization Committee

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APC 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

MHT/hl

Tel: 220

11 Dec. '44

SUBJECT: Additional Officers Needed for Rail
Division, Transportation Sub-Commission.

MEMORANDUM

1. In order to meet enlarged responsibilities placed upon Transportation Sub-Commission by DMPS, three Railway Engineers are needed. At present only two engineers are available in Rail Division. These enlarged responsibilities in general are:

- a) Planning and directing the rebuilding of bridges on lines under control of DMPS.
- b) Planning and directing rebuilding of railway between Ancona and Ortona.
- c) Planning and directing reconstruction of line Arezzo-Florence.
- d) Plan and direct reconstruction of Arno River line, Leghorn-Bologna.
- e) Plan and direct double tracking Rome-Orte, Route 65.
- f) Plan and direct reconstruction of rail lines in NW Italy.
- g) A large responsibility already rests on the Rail Division, Transportation Sub-Commission for reconstruction and rehabilitation of lines which are not a military requirement. Much work in this category is already in progress.

2. In order to provide an adequate field force for Northern Italy, eight experienced Railway Officers should be made available so that they may commence working with Teams already formed for Northern Italy.

3. This additional Officer personnel is urgently needed at the earliest possible date.

Agreed

MERRITT H. TAYLOR
Director, Tn. S/C

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB COMMISSION

Tel. 475307

IPR/1/AM.

9 December 1944.

SUBJECT:- Man Power Ceiling - Officers and EM/ORs.

TO :- Secretary.

Man Power and Reorganisation Committee (C.I. Br).

- 9 DEC 1944

1. Further to this HQ IPR/1/AM dated 4 Dec 44 submitted to the Board on 4 Dec 44.

2. The ceiling strength of personnel for this Sub Commission decided upon by the Man Power and Reorganisation Committee is as under:-

H.Q. Base - Officers 12
EM/ORs 10

Field - Officers 45
EM/ORs 90

3. The total requirements of the Sub Commission are:-

Officers 72
EM/ORs 172

The additional 15 officers and 30 EM/ORs are to cover future requirements if Northern Italy is liberated prior to U.M.R.R.A. taking over South Italy Accommodation Centres.

4. The functions of the Sub Commission are varied and executive and in view of the high proportion of civilian staff employed in the Camps, Reception Centres and Accommodation Centres the Allied personnel asked for are absolutely essential to supervise rations, transport and hygiene. The transport problem which affects the supply and rations of the refugees is a serious one and it is essential to retain a qualified supervising military personnel.

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(ii) That Allied Medical Officers and ORs will not count against this Sub Commissions establishment personnel.

6. Report on the investigation into whether it is desirable to organise the Sub Commission on a Regional Basis is included in a separate letter

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7. It is recommended that consideration be given to the Sub Commission being an independent Sub Commission dealing with all incoming and outgoing nationals (with the exception of Allied Prisoners of War) acting as the receiving and despatching agency for:-

Allied Nationals
Italian Civilians
Italian Soldiers returning to ITALY (would receive and hand over to Italian Ministry of War)

(Holladay) Lt Col
G. B. FINELAY
Colonel.
Director.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 934

DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB-COMMISSION

DER/L/Adm.

Ref. 489021 Ext. 392

9 December 1944

SUBJECT: Man power Ceiling - Officers and EN/ON's.

Investigation into desirability of organising D.P. & R. Sub-Commission on a Regional Basis.

TO: Secretary, Man power and Re-organization Committee (G-1 Br.)

1. At the man power meeting held on Monday 4 December 1944 the Chairman directed that an investigation be carried out and a report submitted as to the desirability of organising the Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission on a Regional basis.

2. After careful and thorough investigation by G-1 British, G-1 Section and this Sub-Commission it is considered that it is not desirable to organise the Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission on a Regional basis for the following reasons:-

(a) Policy regarding Displaced Persons and War Refugees would be dealt with by eight Regional Commissions - Appendix 'A'.

(b) The demand for Camp Staff, Reception Centres, Accommodation Centres and Hospitals remains the same as shown in Appendix 'B'. The only saving would be (after U.N.R.R.A. has taken over Southern Camps) Sub-Section B. for Northern Italy 4 Officers and 12 ON/EN.

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Food
Camp Equipment
Finance
Clothing.

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(e) The organization based on Sub-Sections working direct with this Sub-Commission's H. which has direct contact with other Sub-Commissions. All and G-5 A.F.R.A. results in speedy decisions and smooth and efficient dealing with the many important and urgent questions concerning Allied Nationals and Italian Refugees.

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Similar experiences when the Sub-Commission had a Liaison Officer

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Similar experience when the Sub-Commission had a Liaison Officer at A.G.H.Q.

In both cases the appointment was cancelled.

3. In conclusion no saving in man power would be achieved by putting Displaced Persons Sub-Commission on a Regional basis. This would be lost and chain of Command become confused. It is suggested that the organisation as it stands is more efficient and workable than if placed on a Regional basis.

(Ffolkes)
C.B. FINEAR
Colonel
Director.

Copy to:- G-1 British
C.A. Section

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APPENDIX
'A'

WESTERN GROUP



2 Regions affected

CENTRAL GROUP



2 Regions affected

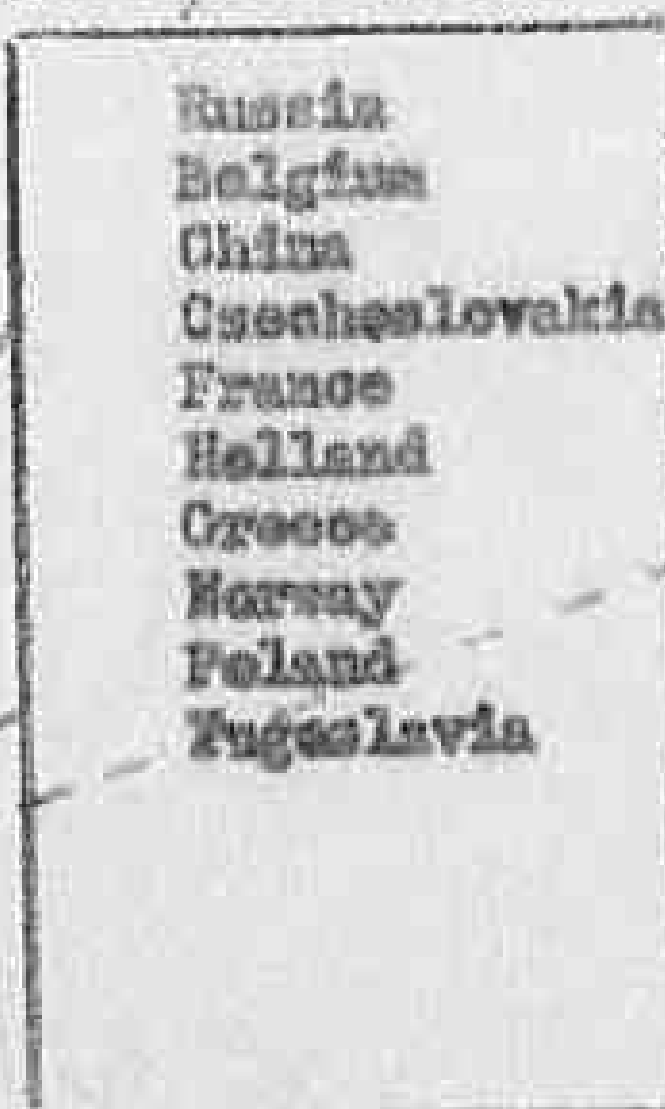
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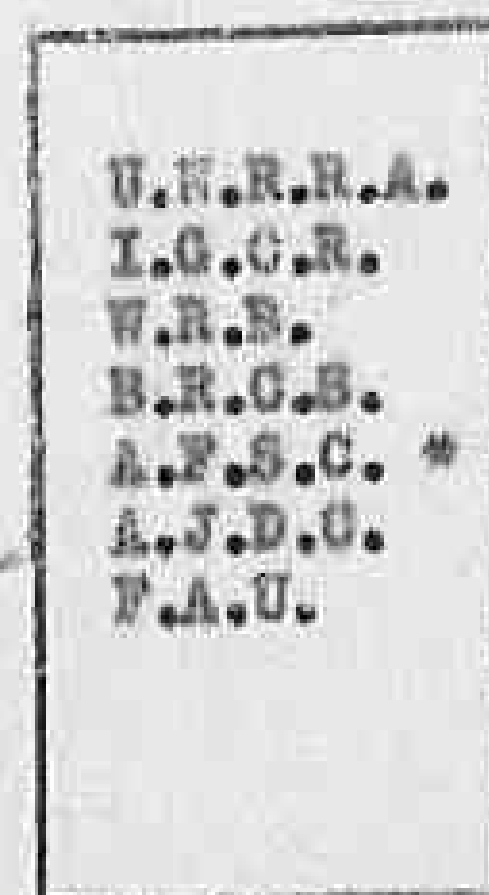
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LABIO REGION.

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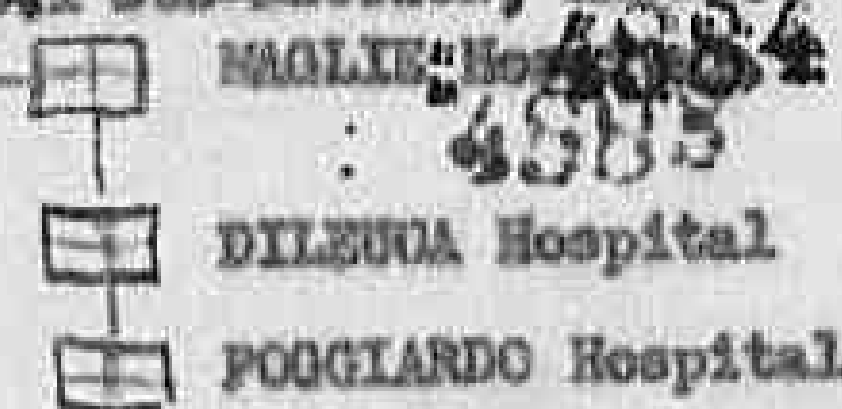
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APPENDIX 2

ITALIAN AND ALLIED NATIONAL CAMP D.P.R.S.C.

NO. 1 TRANSIT CAMP
Capacity 3000

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Reception of refugees, repatriates and displaced persons prior to dispatch to Accommodation Centres, and disposal by High Commissioner Italian Refugee.

Commanding Officers:	Lt. Colonel	1
2/4/c	Major	1
Adj. Gen. N.V.	Captain	1
C.M.	W.O.II	1
Clerk	Sgt.	1
Hygiene/		
Disinfect.	Cpl.	2
Cook	Cpl.	1
Sgt. & C.O.	Cpl./on	4
Storeman	Cpl.	1

Total Officers: 3
on/20

OTHER CIVIL RECEPTION CENTRES
and Supply and Transport Depot (N. Italy)
Capacity: 2,000

Reception of refugees, Italian Repatriates and displaced persons prior to dispatch to Accommodation Centres or disposal by High Commissioner Italian Refugee.

Commanding Officer:	Captain	1
Transport & C.	Sgt./Lt.	1
	WO II	1
	Cpl.	2
Cooks	Cpl.	1
Storeman	Cpl.	1
Hygiene	Cpl.	1
Clerk	Cpl.	1
G.D.	Sgt.	1
Transport, Maintenance /		
Workshops and Drivers	on	10

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Total Officers: 4883
on/20

AVONDA RECEPTION CAMP
Capacity: 5,000

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Reception of refugees, repatriates and displaced persons on arrival from overseas and prior to dispatch overseas.

Commanding Officer:	Major	1
	Capt.	1

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to dispatch to Accommodation Centres, and transport by sea.
Commissioner Italian Refugees.

Commanding Officers:	Lt. Colonel	1
2 i/c	Major	1
Adj. & S.V.	Captain	1
S.M.	S.O. II	1
Clerk	Sgt.	1
Hygiene/		
Disinfect.	Opl.	2
Cook	Opl.	1
Sgt. & G.D.	Opl./OR	4
Storeman	Opl.	1

Total Officers: 3
OR/SA 10

CHIEF OFFICE RECEPTION CENTRE
and Supply and Transport Depot (S. Italy)
Capacity: 2,000

Reception of refugees, Italian Repatriates and displaced persons
prior to dispatch to Accommodation Centres or dispersal by
High Commissioner Italian Refugees.

Commanding Officer:	Captain	1
Transport & Q.	Capt./Lt.	1
	WO II	1
Cooks	Opl.	2
Storeman	Opl.	1
Hygiene	Opl.	1
Clerk	Opl.	1
S.O.	Sgt.	1
Transport, maintenance /		
Workshops and Drivers	OR	10

Total Officers: 4883
OR/SA

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AFRICA RECEPTION CENTRE
Capacity: 3,000

Reception of refugees, repatriates and displaced persons
on arrival from overseas and prior to dispatch overseas.

Commanding Officer:	Major	1
2 i/c	Capt.	1
	WO II	1
Cook	Opl.	1
Storeman	Opl.	1
Hygiene	Opl.	1
Clerk	Opl.	1
Transport & G.D.	Opl.	2

Total Officers: 2
OR/SA 7

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HJ NO 1 SUB SECTION

HJ of Accommodation Centres, Transit Camps and Hospitals in S. Italy.

Commanding Officer:	Lt. Colonel	1	Total: Officers: 4 CR/AM : 12
A/A	Major	1	
Finance	Major	1	
Transport and Security	Captain	1	
Chief Clerk	WO II	1	
Storesman	Cpl	1	
Clerk	Cpl	1	
Transport Pool/Workshops	Sgt/Css	7	
WD & GH Depot	Cpl	2	

MAGGIORE HOSPITAL
250-300 Beds

CR/AM : 1 2

PI LEMBA HOSPITAL
120-150 Beds

CR/AM : 1 2

POMERANO HOSPITAL
50 Beds

CR/AM : 1 2

PI LEMBA ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity: 2,5004881
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Yugoslav Refugee Accommodation Centre, refugee exchange and school. Nursing Mothers Home.

Commanding Officer:	Captain	1	Total: Officers: 2 CR/AM : 5
Adjutant and C	Capt/Lt. AMB	1	
Clerk	Cpl	1	
Storesman	Cpl	1	
Hygiene	Cpl	1	
G.D. and Transport	Sgt	2	

SARAJEVO ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity: 2,000

Yugoslav Refugee Holding Centre, Crplins.

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Clerk
Transport Pool/Workshops
D.O. & OSE Depot

Cpl 1
Sgt/Cpl 7
Cpl 2

Total: Officers: 4
CR/EN : 12

MAJLJE HOSPITAL
250-300 Beds

CR/EN : 2

DI LUGA HOSPITAL
120-150 Beds

CR/EN : 2

POGLIANO HOSPITAL
50 Beds

CR/EN : 2

DI LUGA ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity: 2,500

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Yugoslav Refugee Accommodation Centre, refugee orphanage,
and school. Nursing Mothers Home.

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Commanding Officer:
Adjutant and Q
Clerk
Storeman
Hygiene
G.D. and Transport

Captain 1
Capt/Lt. AUS 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Sgt 2

Total: Officers: 2
CR/EN : 5

SARAJEVO ACCOMMODATION CENTRE
Capacity : 2,000

Yugoslav Refugee Holding Centre, Orphanage.

Commanding Officer:
Adjutant and Q
Clerk
Storeman
Hygiene
G.D. and Transport

Captain 1
Capt/Lt. AUS 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Cpl 1
Sgt 2

Total: Officers : 2
CR/EN : 5

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DI MASHI ACCOMMODATION CENTER
Capacity: 1,500

Yugoslav Refugee Holding Centre and Jewish Settlements

Commanding Officer:
Adjutant & Q
Clerk
Stenographer
Hygiene
C.B. and Transport

Captain
Capt./Lt. AFS
Cpl.
Cpl.
Cpl.
Sgt.

Total: Officers : 2
CR/EM : 5

PERMANENT ACCOMMODATION CENTER
Capacity: 1,200

Re-Internment Jewish Centre.

Commanding Officer:
EM/CRs

Captain 1
EM/CRs 3

Total: Officers : 1
CR/EM : 3

GALLIOLI ACCOMMODATION CENTER
Capacity: 500

Royal Yugoslav Holding Centre.

EM/CRs: 3

Total: CR/EM : 3

No. 1, 2, 3. FORWARD GROUP

Location, collection, welfare of displaced persons
in Forward Areas.

Each Forward Group:

Officers: 1
EM/CR : 6

Total: Officers : 3
CR/EM : 18

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C.B. Section A.A.I.

FORWARD UNIT
Officers: 1
CR : 1

Flourish

Officers: 2
CRs 2

Total: Officers : 3
CR/EM : 3

A.M.G. 5th and 6th Armies

Total: Officers : 8

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Total: Officers : 2
CR/EM : 5

TRANSNORTH ACCOMMODATION CENTRE

Capacity: 1,200

Ex-Internees Jewish Centre.

Commanding Officer: Captain
EM/EM : 3

Total: Officers : 1
CR/EM : 3

GALLIPOLI ACCOMMODATION CENTRE

Capacity: 500

Royal Yugoslav Holding Centre.

EM/EM : 3

Total: CR/EM : 3

No. 1. 2. 3. FORWARD GROUP

Location, collection, welfare of displaced persons
in Forward Areas.

Each Forward Group :

Officers: 1
EM/EM : 6

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Total: Officers : 3
CR/EM : 18

C.A. Section A.A.I.

FORWARD AREA

Officers: 1
CR : 1

Flourish :

Officers: 2
CR : 2

Total: Officers : 3
CR/EM : 3

A.H.C. 5th and 8th ARMS

Total: Officers : 8
CR/EM : 4

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Total: Officers : 12
CR/EM : 14

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ITALIAN REFUGEE CAMPS D.P. & R.S.C.

<u>ADRIATIC GROUP</u> <u>8 Army</u> Maj. GEMMES	<u>CENTRE GROUP</u> <u>8 Army</u> Maj. ENTHOVEN	<u>WEST</u> <u>5</u> Maj.
<u>ANCONA GROUP</u> Capt 2 EM/ORs 5	<u>ASSISI</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3	<u>ROBIGNANO SOL</u> Capt EM/OR
<u>FERRIO</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 4	<u>CASTIGLIONE</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3	<u>LUCCA</u> Capt EM/OR
<u>CHIARAVALLE</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3		<u>CASERTA DEL G</u> <u>Florence</u> Capt EM/OR
<u>RICCIONE GROUP</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 4		
TOTAL OFFICERS 6 EM/OR 16	3 6	

CAMP STAFF when Northern Italy freed and U.N.R.R.A. NOT take over Southern Camps

Total Requirements Present Commitments

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ITALIAN REFUGEE CAMPS D.P. & R.S.C.

ADRIATIC GROUP 8 ARMY Maj. GENDES	CENTRE GROUP 8 ARMY Maj. ENTROVEN	WESTERN GROUP 5 ARMY Maj. STUART
<u>NOVA GROUP</u> Capt 2 EM/ORs 5	<u>ABBISI</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3	<u>ROBIGNANO SOLVAY</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3
<u>NO</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 4	<u>CASTIGLIONE</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3	<u>LUCCA</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3
<u>TRAVARRE</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 3		<u>CASERMA DEL GENIO Florence</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 2
<u>STONE GROUP</u> Capt 1 EM/ORs 4		
L. OFFICERS 6 EM/OR 16	3 6	4 = 13 8 = 30

STAFF when Northern Italy freed and U.N.R.R.A. NOT take over Southern Camps

Total Requirements Present Commitments

OFFICERS	15
EM/OR	30
OFFICERS	72
EM/ORs	172

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REGIONS AFFECTED.

APPENDIX "C"

		<u>Camps.</u>	<u>Hospitals</u>
1. SOUTHERN REGION	7 Camps 3 Hospitals	AVERSA BARI DI BACCHI GALLIPOLI DI LEUCA S. CESAREA FERRAMENTI	BACCHI DI LEUCA POGGIANDO
2. LAZIO REGION	2 Camps	CINA CITTA ASSISI	
3. TOSCANA REGION	4 Camps	CASTIGLIONE ROSSIGNANO SOLVAY (Army Area) LIVORNO FLORENCE	{ " " }
4. ABRUZZO-MARCHE REGION	3 Camps	ANCONA PERMO CHIARAVALLE	
5. EMILIA	1 Camp	RIECCIONE	

Camps to be established - 10 maximum.

6. LIGURIA
7. LOMBARDIA
8. VENEZIA

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

13015/F

6 December 1944

SUBJECT: Finance Ceiling

TO: The Secretary,
Manpower and Reorganization Committee,
HQ Allied Commission.

1. Reference is made to conversation (Col. A.P. Graftey-Smith - Lt-Col. J.L. Jones) and to this Sub-Commission's letters 13015/F dated 9 November 1944 and 30 November 1944 addressed respectively to Executive Officer (B) and to Deputy Chief of Staff, Establishments Section, copies of which are attached for reference.

2. Attached at Appendix 'A' is a chart showing present assigned strengths at Headquarters, in Regions and with AMG Armies; though it is pointed out that many of the officers assigned to Northern Regions are attached for duty to Regions in the South, subject to recall by their Regional Commissioners at 48 hours notice. The total finance officer strength is 145.

3. Appendix 'B' shows the proposed allocation of Finance Officers for the administration of the whole of Italy assuming a ceiling of 160 officers. It will be seen that the aim of this increased allocation is to strengthen the greatly weakened Provincial Finance Officer strengths in the Northern Regions. It has been the experience of this Sub-Commission that on taking over newly liberated territory, a Regional Commissioner endeavours to assign one Provincial Finance Officer to each Province in his Region, an aim with which the Joint Directors are fully in agreement. It will be seen that in the case of, for example, Venetia Region, the number of Provincial Finance Officers has been reduced to six, a number quite inadequate efficiently to administer the fifteen Provinces within that Region. The increase of two officers at Headquarters is assuming approval to the increase in Headquarters Officer ceiling strength applied for in 13015/F dated 30 November 1944.

4. The transfer to another theatre of at least nine officers leaves this Sub-Commission in the position that it would not be able properly to fulfil its functions were there a rapid evacuation by the enemy of the four Regions in the North of Italy. In these circumstances, it is stressed that every endeavour should be made to secure the services of suitably qualified officers for immediate assignment to Regional Finance Staffs for training, within a ceiling of 160 officers.

Signed A.P. GRAFTHEY - SMITH 4878
Joint Director,
Finance Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

13015/P

9 November 1944

SUBJECT: Finance Ceiling.

TO : Executive Officer (B),
HQ Allied Commission.

1. Reference is made to G-4B/349/O dated 7 November, 1944.
2. The total Finance officer strength of 129 is presumably made up as follows:

Finance Officers at HQ (Less Property Control)	31
Allied Civilians in Finance Sub-Commission	2
Finance Officers in Regions and AMG Armies	92
Property Control Officers at HQ	<u>4</u>
	<u>129</u>

3. In addition, there are 17 Property Control Officers with Regions, bringing total Finance officer strength to 146.

4. It is not considered desirable by this Sub-Commission to differentiate between Finance and Property Control Officers at Headquarters and in the field; and it is requested that a new combined ceiling of 160 officers be allotted to Finance Sub-Commission for these functions efficiently to be carried out.

5. It is pointed out that all of the additional officers are not required immediately; but it is clear that when the whole of Italian territory is liberated, it will not be possible to withdraw sufficient officers from the South to staff the new Regions. As an example, the recent withdrawal from the strength of Venetia Region of Major Curtis and Major Nash has left this Region with but seven Provincial Finance Officers, a number that is totally inadequate and must be supplemented. It is felt, however, that if suitable officers can be found and assigned now to financial duties with the Allied Commission, this should be done within the ceiling of 160 officers.

6. In these circumstances it is urged that the Finance ceiling be increased to 160, and every endeavour made to obtain suitably qualified officers up to this figure.

/s/ A.P. GRAFFNEY-SMITH
/t/ A.P. GRAFFNEY-SMITH,
Colonel,
Joint Director
Finance Sub-Commission

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APO 394
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

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Ref No : 13015/P

30 November 1944

SUBJECT: Request for Personnel.

TO : Deputy Chief of Staff,
Establishment Branch, HQ AG.

1. The Allied Financial Agency, a sub-section of the Finance Sub-Commission, is now engaged in unloading an order of thirty million A.M. lire (approximately 5,000 boxes) in the ports of Livorno and Naples for shipment and storage at the Allied Financial Agency branches at Naples, Rome and Florence.

2. This A.M. lire is the sole currency available for paying Allied troops in Italy and for providing funds to the banking system in case of emergency. Early in January 1945 the Allied Financial Agency will be engaged in receiving, shipping and storing for the Italian Government 18,000 boxes of currency coming to ports in Italy from the United States in approximately 36 ships over a period of 3 or 4 months. These shipments total in bulk and entail more work than all the shipments of currency previously received in Italy to date by the Allied Financial Agency.

3. It is therefore strongly recommended that the officer strength of the Finance Sub-Commission be increased by two officers and the enlisted personnel strength be increased by four in order to handle this extremely large volume of currency with the necessary safeguards. The officers are required for arrangements, supervision and checking; the enlisted men are required for record keeping and particularly for guarding the currency in transit.

4. An urgent reply is requested.

/s/ A.P. Grafton-Smith
/t/ A.P. GRAFTON-SMITH,
Colonel,
Joint Director,
Finance Sub-Commission.

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APPENDIX 'A'PRESENT STRENGTH OF FINANCE OFFICERS
AT HQ, AT REGIONS AND WITH AMG ARMIES.

	REG/SPG Regional Accountant	Supply Accountant	Provincial Finance Officers	Allied Financial Agency Officers	Property Control Officers	PROPERTY TOTAL
<u>HEADQUARTERS</u> (Including two Allied Civilians)						36
<u>SICILIA REGION</u>	1	-	-	1	1	5
<u>SOUTHERN REGION</u>	1	-	2	2	1	8
<u>LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION</u>	1	-	2	1	3	12
<u>ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION</u>	1	1	1	-	-	7
<u>SARDEGNA REGION</u>	1	-	-	-	-	1
<u>TOSCANA REGION</u>	1	-	2	2	3	13
<u>EMILIA REGION</u>	1	1	1	-	2	10
<u>LIGURIA REGION</u>	1	-	6	-	2	9
<u>PIEMONTE REGION</u>	1	1	8	-	2	13
<u>LOMBARDIA REGION</u>	1	1	9	-	2	14
<u>VENEZIA REGION</u>	1	1	6	-	1	10
<u>AMG 5 ARMY</u>	1	-	1	-	-	3
<u>AMG 8 ARMY</u>	1	-	2	-	-	4
<u>TOTALS</u>	13	5	53	6	17	115

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Officers Agency Officers

HEADQUARTERS (Including two Allied Civilians)	Officers	Agency Officers	Officers
SICILIA REGION	1	-	2
SOUTHERN REGION	1	-	2
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION	1	-	2
ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION	1	1	1
SARDEGNA REGION	1	-	-
TOSCANA REGION	1	-	2
EMILIA REGION	1	1	1
LIGURIA REGION	1	-	-
PIEMONTE REGION	1	1	1
LOMBARDIA REGION	1	1	1
VENETIA REGION	1	1	1
AMG 5 ARMY	1	-	1
AMG 8 ARMY	1	-	1

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APPENDIX 13

Proposed Strength of Finance Officers at HQ,
at Regions and with AMG Armies

<u>Headquarters (incl. 2 Allied Civilians)</u>	<u>Regional</u>		<u>Supply</u>		<u>Provincial</u>		<u>Allied</u>		<u>Total</u>
	<u>RMO/SFO</u>	<u>Accountants</u>	<u>Accountants</u>	<u>Accountants</u>	<u>Finance</u>	<u>Finance</u>	<u>Financial</u>	<u>Property</u>	
					<u>Officers</u>	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Control</u>	
							<u>Officers</u>	<u>Officers</u>	
<u>Sicilia Region</u>	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	1	30
<u>Southern Region</u>	1	-	2	2	2	2	2	1	5
<u>Lazio-Umbria Region</u>	1	-	2	2	5	1	3	3	8
<u>Abruzzi-Marche Region</u>	1	1	1	1	4	-	-	-	12
<u>Sardinia Region</u>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
<u>Toscana Region</u>	1	-	2	2	7	2	3	3	1
<u>Emilia Region</u>	1	1	1	1	7	-	2	2	15
<u>Liguria Region</u>	1	-	1	1	5	-	2	2	12
<u>Piemonte Region</u>	1	1	1	1	8	-	2	2	9
<u>Lombardia Region</u>	1	1	1	1	9	1	2	2	13
<u>Venezia Region</u>	1	1	1	1	13	-	1	1	15
<u>AMG 5 Army</u>	1	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	17
<u>AMG 8 Army</u>	1	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	4
<u>TOTALS</u>	13	5	16	64	17	160			

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ext. 620

Ref: 22/PAT.

5 December 1944.

Subject: Reorganisation of Patriots Branch.

To: G.1(A).

1. In connection with the reorganisation of Patriots Branch, I am in urgent need of an intelligent E.M. who can be assigned to duties as a Patriot Centre Quartermaster.
2. General HUME informs me that he has no E.M's. to spare for such an assignment, although he is in full accord with me that such an assignment is urgently necessary.
3. At V Army discretion, this would probably be either FLORENCE or LUCCA.
4. I should therefore be grateful if you could make such an E.M. available and arrange for him to be transferred to report to V Army at the earliest possible date.
5. The type of man required is preferably one who has some knowledge of storekeeping.

(Signed) R.G.B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ext. 620

Ref: 22/PAR.

5 December 1944.

Subject: Patriots Branch.

To: V.P.

1. Subsequent to touring both V and VIII Army areas and having obtained agreement from both S.C.A.O's. I propose to inaugurate the following reorganization:
 - (a) Reception centres - two at PRACCHIA and LILAZIA in V Army area.
 - (b) Patriot centres - two at LUCCA and FLORENCE.
 - (c) In VIII Army area one Patriot reception centre only at FORLI.
2. Each Army will have a patriot officer on H.Q. Staff which they will assign themselves from their own establishments.
3. The centres and reception points require the following personnel:
 - (a) Three reception centres - three officers.
 - (b) Reception points in V Army area - one officer.

All these have been found and can be supplied from existing assignments.

4. This H.Q., Patriots Branch, however, will require a replacement to take the place of Lt. DI LORENZO who goes forward as Camp Commandant.

5. One extra enlisted man will be required as Quartermaster for one of the Patriot centres which V Army cannot supply.

6. For information, then, the position will be as follows:

- (a) PRACCHIA and LILAZIA V Army reception point - Lt. PETRUSSI (A) and an E.M. whose name I have forgotten already on the spot.
- (b) Patriot centre LUCCA - Capt. WOODFORD plus an E.M. not available.
- (c) Patriot centre FLORENCE - Capt. HAMMOND plus S.C.A.O. DAVIES.
- (d) Patriot centre FORLI - Lt. DI LORENZO plus Sgt. STARKISS.

(Signed)

R.G.B. SMITH,
Colonel

Director
Patriots Branch.

9 Dec 44.

SUBJECT: Displaced Persons.

- 1 The Manpower Board referred the matter to this Section to consider whether Displaced Persons should not be reorganised on a Regional basis.
- 2 The Pros are:
 - (a) Closer link between RCs and this problem of refugees, etc. which will become a big one the further north you go.
 - (b) Brings RCs into the picture.
 - (c) Would bring Finance, Food and Clothing under control of the respective Regional Offices.
- 3 The Cons are:
 - (a) Would increase the work of Regions, who have no knowledge of this specialised type of work.
 - (b) Would not save manpower as, assuming the camps are properly manned it would mean throwing more work on to specialist officers at Region Headquarters.
 - (c) Adds an extra link to the chain of communications, thus slowing up urgent signals.
 - (d) RCs would simply become Post Offices.
 - (e) Food, Finance and Clothing, are dealt with on different principles from that which specialist officers at Regions are accustomed to deal with.
 - (f) Will lead to duplication.
 - (g) Will probably lead to loss of efficiency.

NOTE: Assuming that Displaced Persons are properly staffed and manned, by putting this organisation on top of Regions would not lead to the reduction of manpower and would probably have the inevitable result of increasing it.

It would not make the task of the Sub-Commission any easier but might lead to conflicting opinions by RCs as to policy.

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MEMORANDUM

REFERENCE: G-1B/35/1/A

6 December 1944

SUBJECT : Manpower & Reorganisation Committee

TO : D.C.O.S. Civil Affairs Section ✓
D.C.O.S. Economic Section
D.C.O.S. Establishment Section

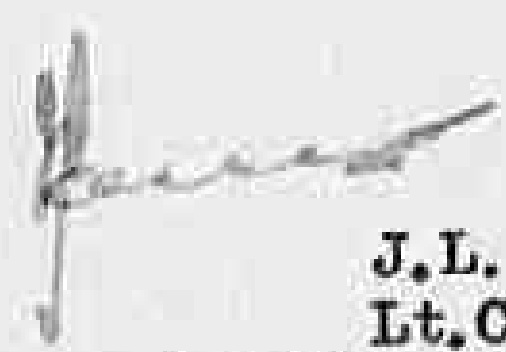
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1. The next meeting of the Manpower & Reorganisation Committee will be held in the Office of the Chief of Staff at 14.45 hrs Monday 11 Dec 44.

2. The principle subjects for discussion will be the allocation of personnel for

Transportation Sub Commission
Displaced Persons Sub Commission
Finance Sub Commission
Supply & Resources Division of Economic Section

3. Documents containing proposals and amendments will be produced in quadruplicate to the Secretary of the Committee not later than Friday 8 Dec 44.



J.L. JONES
Lt. Colonel

Secretary, Manpower & Reorganisation Committee

Copy to; Director, Transportation Sub Commission
Director, Displaced Persons & Repatriation S/C
Director, Finance S/C

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Tel. Ext. 292

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MEMORANDUM

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REFERENCE : G-1B/35/3/A

29 November 1944.

SUBJECT : Manpower and Reorganisation Committee

TO : D.C.O.S. Civil Affairs Section
D.C.O.S. Economic Section
D.C.O.S. Establishment Section

1. The next meeting of the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee will be held in the Office of the Chief of Staff at 1445 hours, Monday 4 Dec 1944.

2. The principle subjects for discussion will be the allocation of personnel for

Transportation Sub Commission
Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub Commission

3. Documents containing proposed amendments should be produced to the Committee in quadruplicate.

[Signature]

J.L. JONES,
Lt. Colonel,

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Secretary, Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

Copy to : Director, Transportation Sub Commission.
Director, Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub Commission.

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*Have asked Quack to get the papers &
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Tel. Ext. 292

MEMORANDUM

REFERENCE : G-1B/35/3/A

16 November 1944.

SUBJECT : Manpower and Reorganisation Committee

TO : D.C.O.S. Civil Affairs Section
D.C.O.S. Economic Section
D.C.O.S. Establishments Section

1. The next meeting of the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee is provisionally arranged for 1000 hours Saturday 18 ~~Sept~~ 1944 in the Office of the Chief of Staff. Nov:

2. The principle subject for discussion will be the allocation of personnel for

Office of the Chief of Staff
Civil Affairs Section H.Q. A.A.I.
Establishment Section
Transportation Sub Commission

3. Documents containing proposed amendments and recommendations should be produced to the Committee in quadruplicate.

[Signature]
J.L. JONES,
Lt. Colonel,
Secretary,
Manpower and Reorganisation Committee.

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Copy to : C.S.O. to Chief of Staff
Colonel L.D. Denamore, C.S.O. Economic Section
Colonel C.M. Parkin, Executive Officer (A)

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DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB-COMMISSION

Ref:- DPR/1/Adm.

Tel. 489081 Ext. 414

9 November 1944

SUBJECT : Manpower Ceiling - Officers and EM/ORs.

TO : CA Section (Attn: Brigadier Upjohn).

1. The ceiling strength of personnel for this Sub Commission decided upon by the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee is as under:

HQ Rome	Officers EM/ORs	12 10
Field	Officers EM/ORs	45 90

2. The present strength of personnel in the reorganised Sub Commission is:

HQ Rome	Officers EM/ORs	13 (includes 1 medical officer) 14
Field	Officers EM/ORs	54 (includes 6 medical officers) 122

3. The personnel at present with the Sub Commission in excess of the ceiling strength laid down is:

(a) HQ Rome	Officers EM/ORs	1 (medical and hygiene officer) 4
(b) Field	Officers EM/ORs	9 32

4. The surplus of 10 officers is accounted for as under:

(a) 7 medical officers. It has always been understood by this HQ that the total of 57 officers would not include these medical officers. This was agreed to verbally by Brigadier LUSH. Extract of our IDP/1233/44 of 27 August 1944 and copy of IDP/1466/44 of 16 September, 1944 are attached for your information.

(b) The following officer is at present shown on our strength and will shortly be reassigned without replacement:
Captain HANNON (A) awaiting reassignment.

(c) In my appreciation of 27 August to Brigadier LUSH I assumed that AMG 5th and 8th Armies had not more than 8 of my "field" officers. In actual fact they have 10 and I am holding 2 additional officers to make up for this deficiency of 10 are to remain with AMG Armies.

5. The details of the additional 36 EM/ORs are as follows:

(a) 6 ORs are RAMC personnel and are not to be counted against ceiling, as in case of Medical and Hygiene Officers.

(b) 4 ORs RACG are attached to AC and are liable to be withdrawn at any time.

upon by the Manpower and Reorganisation Committee is as under:

HQ Rome	Officers	12
	EM/ORs	10
Field	Officers	45
	EM/ORs	90

2. The present strength of personnel in the reorganised Sub Commission is:

HQ Rome	Officers	13 (includes 1 medical officer)
	EM/ORs	14
Field	Officers	54 (includes 6 medical officers)
	EM/ORs	122

3. The personnel at present with the Sub Commission in excess of the ceiling strength laid down is:

(a) HQ Rome	Officers	1 (medical and hygiene officer)
	EM/ORs	4
(b) Field	Officers	9
	EM/ORs	32

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(c) 7 ORs (various) are attached to AC and similarly are liable to be withdrawn at any time.

(d) Balance of 19 ORs held pending reply to our IDP/1466/44 of 16 September 1944 para 2 (iii)

6. The reorganisation of the Sub....//

6. The reorganisation of the Sub Commission is now complete and with the present establishment of 57 officers and 136 EM/ORs (excluding medical officers and ORs) it is just possible to run the normal HQ and Camps. I have not at any time agreed that the allotment of staff decided by Manpower and Reorganisation Committee would be sufficient to run the Commission efficiently.

After operating for six weeks I am still convinced that the ceiling figures are inadequate. I reiterate that until such time as I can withdraw my staff from the South Italy Accommodation Centres I estimate I will need at least a minimum additional 15 officers and 30 ORs if we are to operate efficiently in Northern Italy as and when liberated.

It is also brought to your notice that I have approximately 30 British ORs who are eligible for return to HE on long service grounds and who may be withdrawn at any time. These ORs are holding key positions and must be replaced on their return to UK.

7. (a) The functions of the Sub Commission are varied and executive and in view of the high proportion of civilian staff employed in the Accommodation Centres, Allied personnel are absolutely essential to supervise rations, transport and hygiene.

(b) My transport problem is a serious one and unless I retain qualified supervising Allied military personnel the maintenance of my present allotment of vehicles will suffer.

8. The repatriation problem is developing daily and recently we have been asked to provide conducting teams of Allied military personnel and Italian military. On the present strength of personnel I cannot continue to do this unless additional personnel are made available.

9. During the past year leave for officers and ORs has not been possible without seriously affecting the organisation and in cases of illness in key positions a heavy burden is thrown on the limited staff available.

10. I understand that there is a proposal that I should take over the administration and care of the remnants of the Partisan Yugoslav in four camps in GRAVINA Area with a capacity of some 20,000. These were previously dealt with by "Z" Military Mission, whose military functions in training of partisan soldiers has come to an end and their present problem is merely a refugee one. I cannot hope to do this with my present strength of personnel.

11. My immediate requirements are :

(a) agreement to hold 2 officers additional to my establishment for AMG 5th and 8th Armies if 10 instead of 8.

(b) agreement that my total ORs establishment shall be 136.

(c) agreement that Allied Medical Officers and ORs will not count against establishment of personnel.

(d) Further, I consider it is essential for me to hold 8 additional officers on my establishment to provide for the following :

(i) to reinforce Transit Camps to deal with emergency repatriation to and from Italy.

(ii) to provide conducting teams to and from Italy as has occurred recently - we now have two such parties out.

(iii) to provide Forward Representatives to Military Formations as and when necessary. I now have 3 officers and 4 ORs as Forward Representatives. This was not anticipated in the original appreciation.

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(a) agreement to hold 2 officers additional to my establishment for AMG 5th and 8th Armies if 10 instead of 8.

(b) agreement that my total ORs establishment shall be 138.

(c) agreement that Allied Medical Officers and ORs will not count against establishment of personnel.

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(iv) to allow for leave and illness.

12. My future requirements, if Northern Italy is liberated prior to my handing over South Italy Accommodation Centres to UNRRA, are at least an additional 15 officers and 30 EM/ORs.

13. I request that the personnel question of this Sub Commission be reviewed and strong representation be made for the increase in the ceiling strengths.

KCB/o'c.

C. B. J. S.
Colonel,
Director.

EXTRACT FROM IDE/1233/44 OF 27 AUGUST 1944.

" Man Power.

HQ. (a) It is agreed that it is possible to run the combined HQ. on 12 Allied Officers, 1 W.O. and 11 OR/EM's, excluding medical staffs. I consider it is essential to retain an Allied officer in the Records Bureau. I enclose a proposed HQ. layout.

Field side.

(b) It is agreed that it is just possible to run present commitments on the "Field" side, with 45 Allied officers excluding medical staff. This assumes that A.M.G. 5th and 8th Armies do not demand more than the 8 officers as shown at present with them on I.R.B. report.

It is not agreed that it is possible to reduce the OR overhead of the present "Field" commitment to 90 OR's."

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

IDP/1466/44

Tel. 469081 Ext 392

16 September 44

SUBJECT: Amalgamation of I. & D.P.S.C. and I.R.B.

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section,
(attention Brigadier Lush)

1. With reference to verbal instruction from Colonel Fiske to amalgamate I. & D.P.S.C. and I.R.B. Branches.

2. I wish to emphasise once more what I stated in IDP/1233/44 dated 27 August that:-

- (i) It is just possible to run present commitments on the "field side" with 45 duty Allied Officers excluding medical Allied Officers from this figure. It is possible to run HQ on 12 Officers, excluding medical Allied Officers.
- (ii) It will not be possible to carry out commitments north of the Gothic Line unless more officers and OR/EM's are forthcoming or U.N.R.R.A. takes over the Southern Camps.
- (iii) It is not possible to run efficiently and supervise the large civilian staff with 90 OR/EM on the Field Side.
Every endeavour will be made to approach this figure.

C.B. FINDLAY
Colonel
Director.

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PROPOSED W.E. for EM/ORS.

D.P. Camps.	Type	Capacity	Establishment required for EM/ORS
HQ. Rome.	Administration	- -	16
Adm. Adv. HQ. Florence	Records.	-	8
" " " Bologna	Collecting Centre	-	8
Records Bureau, HQ. Rome	"	-	8
No. 1 Forward Group	Embarkation/Transit/Holding	1000	8
" 2	Transit/Holding	2000	12
" 3	Ispt. Pool & Supply	-	9
Aversa Camp	Administration	3000	12
Cine Citta	Transit	3500	5
HQ. No. 1 Sub-Section, Lecce	Holding/Orphanage	2500	5
No. 1 Transit Camp, Bari	Transit	-	2
Di Bagni Camp.	Holding	2000	12
Di Leuca Camp.	Transit	200 Beds.	5
Di Leuca Hospital	Holding	1200	2
Ancona Camp.	Jewish Ex-Internees	500	3
S. Cesarea Camp.	Royal Yugoslav. Holding	-	3
Maglie Hospital.	Transit	-	1
Ferramonti Camp.	"	-	2
Gallipoli Camp.	"	-	3
Maglie Ord. & D.I.D.	"	-	3
Pollardo Hospital	"	-	3
I.R.D. Camps.	"	-	3
S. Maria degli Angeli.	"	-	3
Follonica	"	-	3
Castiglione Fiorentino	"	-	3
Solvay Di Rosignano	"	-	3
Montignone	"	-	3
Ancona.	"	-	3

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" " " Bologna	Collecting Centre	-	3
Records Bureau, HQ. Rome	"	-	8
No. 1 Forward Group	Embarkation/Transit/Holding	3000	8
" 2 " "	Transit/Holding	2000	12
" 3 " "	Ispt. Pool & Supply	-	9
Aversa Camp	Administration	3000	12
Cine Citta	Transit	3500	5
HQ. No. 1 Sub-Section, Lecce	Holding/Orphanage	2500	5
No. 1 Transit Camp, Bari	Transit	-	2
Di Bagni Camp.	Holding	2000	12
Di Leuca Camp.	Jewish Ex-Internees	200 Beds.	5
Di Leuca Hospital	Royal Yugoslav. Holding	1200	2
Ancona Camp.	Transit	500	3
S. Cesarea Camp.	"	1000	3
Maglie Hospital.	"	1000	3
Ferramonti Camp.	"	3400	3
Gallipoli Camp.	"	400	3
Maglie Ord. & D.I.D.	"	100	3
Poggiardo Hospital	"	5000	3
L.R.E. Camps.	Transit	1000	3
S. Maria degli Angeli.	"	1000	3
Follonica	"	3400	3
Castiglione Fiorentino	"	400	3
Solway Di Resignano	"	100	3
Montignano	"	5000	3
Ancona.	"	5000	3

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BORS scheduled for return to U.K. - long Service overseas, 29 from present strength.

NOTE: The War Establishment should be framed so as to provide additional personnel on the basis of 12 O.R.'s/KM for a Transit Camp and 5 O.R.'s/KM for a holding camp of 3,000 as and when new camps are established.

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APO 394

IDP/108/44

10 August 1944.

SUBJECT : Man Power and Reorganisation - I. & D.P.S.C.

Notes on points for saving man power.

(a) Amalgamation.

Consideration has been given to the re-amalgamation of the I. & D.P.S.C. with I.R.B. Although on first sight it would appear to offer some saving in overheads - it would in fact introduce another Post Office between this and R.C. & M.G. Section. The problems being so utterly different and the staffs concerned would have to be divided.

Actually there is very close co-operation in the forward areas. At the moment - No. 3 Forward Group, I. & D.P.S.C. (Ighorn) is handling practically entirely Italian refugees - whilst on the Adriatic and Centre where there are more Non-Italian refugees, these are passed back to Rome Camp through I.R.B. Camps.

(b) Reduction.

The obvious solution is to hand over the Camps in the South, excluding BARI, to U.N.R.R.A. This would provide sufficient personnel to carry the I. & D.P. S.C. as far as the PO and possibly further.

If U.N.R.R.A. cannot accept this commitment by 1st Sept., it is essential that the additional 15 officers and 50 CR's are provided.

(c) Substitution of Allied Military Personnel by Civilians.

I commenced this early in April and it has proceeded steadily ever since. At present only some 10% of those employed are Military Personnel (Many of these civilians are Partisan Yugoslavs who are not permitted to accept pay).

There still may be a possibility of reducing the percentage of EM/OR's employed but only to a very small degree. I am exploring this but it would only leave sufficient to replace those who go home or sick.

(d) Withdrawal.

NONE possible without gravely endangering the whole structure.

At present : -

- (1) No one can have leave.
- (2) No one can go sick--without imposing in key cases an insufferable burden on his fellows.

Notes on points for saving man power.

(a) Amalgamation.

Consideration has been given to the re-amalgamation of the I. & D.P.S.C. with I.R.B. Although on first sight it would appear to offer some saving in overheads - it would in fact introduce another Post Office between this and R.C. & M.G. Section. The problems being so utterly different and the staffs concerned would have to be divided.

Actually there is very close co-operation in the forward areas. At the moment - No. 3 Forward Group, I. & D.P.S.C. (Leghorn) is handling practically entirely Italian refugees - whilst on the Adriatic and Centre where there are more Non-Italian refugees, these are passed back to Rome Camp through I.R.B. Camps.

(b) Reduction.

The obvious solution is to hand over the Camps in the South, excluding BARI, to U.N.R.R.A. This would provide sufficient personnel to carry the I. & D.P. S.C. as far as the PO and possibly further.

If U.N.R.R.A. cannot accept this commitment by 1st Sept., it is essential that the additional 15 officers and 50 OR's are provided.

(c) Substitution of Allied Military Personnel by Civilians.

I commenced this early in April and it has proceeded steadily ever since. At present only some 10% of those employed are Military Personnel (Many of these civilians are Partisan Yugoslavs who are not permitted to accept pay).

There still may be a possibility of reducing the percentage of EM/OR's employed but only to a very small degree. I am exploring this but it would only leave sufficient to replace those who go home or sick.

(d) Withdrawal.

None possible without gravely endangering the whole structure.

At present : -

- (1) No one can have leave.
- (2) No one can go sick - without imposing in key cases an insufferable burden on his fellows.

Finally.

In my opinion I consider that the Internees and Displaced Persons Sub-Commission should have a separate War Establishment as originally considered in February 44. The Sub-Commission to work with A.F.H.Q. on similar basis to Repatriation Unit for Ex-prisoners of War, which two might well be combined under A.C.C.

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