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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
ECONOMIC SECTION
APO 394

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ES/33

2 September 1944

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SUBJECT: Supplies for the Vatican

TO : Executive Commissioner

1. I am told that necessary arrangements for the Vatican requirements for civil supplies ^{will} be channeled to this Section through a Vatican liaison officer appointed by you.
2. I understand that Lt. Col. Noah Brown is the officer who has been appointed. He states, however, that he has no written instructions as to his duties.
3. May I suggest, therefore, that a letter be written to the Vatican notifying them of the liaison officer's appointment and requesting that all Vatican requirements for civil supplies (except Food & Fuel) be screened and co-ordinated by one office at the Vatican (presumably Eng. Galeassi) and passed thence to the Vatican liaison officer at this headquarters who will pass them to the section concerned.
4. May I suggest a copy of such letter be sent to HQ. AAI & RAAC notifying them of our procedure and enclosing a copy of the attached letter from AFHQ.

Copy to: Administrative Section

Antolini
A. G. ANTOLINI
Executive Director
Economic Section

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
APO 512

AG 400/007 GMS-0

5 August 1944

SUBJECT : Requisitions from the Vatican.

TO : Deputy President, Allied Control Commission.

1. Estimates of requirements for civil supplies made for all Italy included Vatican City as an integral part of the mainland.
2. Requirements from Vatican City will be received by Headquarters Allied Control Commission, processed and forwarded to Allied Force Headquarters, Attention Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5 in accordance with letter, this headquarters, AG 400-1 (Agot) GMS-AGM, subject, "Requisitions", dated 11 March 1944. Allied Control Commission will establish the proper channels of communication with Vatican City to make this procedure immediately effective.

By command of General WILSON:

(Signed) A.B.KING,
A.B.KING,
Major, AGO,
Asst Adjutant General.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED GENERAL COMMISSION
APO 394
OFFICE OF THE ACTING HEAD ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

4/30.1/AS.

24 Aug 1944

Your Excellency,

I am instructed to refer to your Memo to RAAC of 11 Aug with regard to an air passage for the Portuguese Ambassador which has been passed to this HQ and to say that it is regretted that it will not be possible a seat for H E before 1st Sept. If H E would send a representative to the office of G-4 (A), Room 4, on the fourth floor of the old Ministry of Corporation Building not less than seven days before he wishes to travel with the information necessary to enable the papers to be prepared. The necessary steps to book the passage will be taken and his excellency will be notified of when and where he will embark not less than twelve hours before the departure of the plane.

The British Ambassador,
The British Legation to the Holy See.

Copy to G-4 (A)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMO

From: *Office of G-4 (A)*

4/30.1/AS

SUBJECT: AIR TRAVEL

FILE No.

TO: ADMIN SECTION, Hq. ACC.

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ATTENTION: COL. G. R. UPJOHN.

1. Reference your 4/30.1/AS dated 22 Aug. 44, subject "Journey of Portuguese Ambassador", this office will be very glad to arrange air travel of the person travelling or a representative of same will contact this office one week prior to departure date so that we can convey full particulars concerning the trip to the Ambassador.

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125. Ref

G-4

Copy to
Pol. Section

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G-4(A)

4/50.1/AS

22 Aug 44

SUBJECT : Journey of Portuguese Ambassador.

TO : G-4 A (Through Political Section).

The British Legation asks the co-operation of this HQ to obtain a seat in an aeroplane to Lisbon or failing that Algiers - preferably on Saturday next 26 Aug (not before) or as soon thereafter as may be possible. A copy of His Excellency's letter is enclosed and of AAI 140/6 CS of 19 Aug.

Will Political please say as ~~on~~ 26 Aug or soon thereafter is practically Sept whether they still have any objection to this move. *

If the answer is no will you please make the necessary arrangements and advise his Excellency direct with a copy to this office.

Ext: 459
SLS/wb

G.R. UPJOHN, Col
A/Head Admin Sec

* It is G-2 A/HQ who laid down the "not before Sept" rule and as I have informed it on a v. confidential direct Minister I cannot answer for the consequences if it is not equally applied to this even more important Portuguese Amb. AAI 2181

G-4 A.

A travel order will be sent as soon as the above has been cleared with Political and sent on to you

Admin
22 Aug

[Signature]

C O P Y

THE COMMANDING GENERAL

ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND

The Portuguese Ambassador to the Holy See, Professor A.F. Carneiro Pecheco, has applied to H.B.M. Legation for assistance in obtaining a place in an Allied plane for Algiers or, if possible for Lisbon. He is anxious to return to Portugal at the earliest possible moment. All arrangements had been made for his journey by sea from Naples, but they have now been suspended by the Allied Authorities. He states that, if he can once reach Algiers, he can make his own arrangements for the continued journey to Lisbon via Casablanca, although he would prefer it if the whole journey could be made by Allied plane. H.M. Minister would be very grateful for any assistance that could be given to Dr Pecheco.

British Legation to the Holy See,

VATICAN CITY

August 11th 1944.

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COPY

SUBJECT : Journey of Portuguese Ambassador.

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HQ ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY
Tel/ FILPOT ADV 79
1401/6/GSI (b)
19 August 44

HQ ACC

Copy to: HQ RAAC
CAO
Q(Mov)

1 Attached is a letter dated 11 Aug which we have received through HQ RAAC from HM Minister to the HOLY SEE.

2 Neither this HQ nor AMHQ have any security objections to the Portuguese Ambassador Professor PACHECO, travelling to LISBON.

3 In your signal 1524 dated 8 August 44, however, you submitted that it might create difficulties among the Diplomatic Corps in ROME if the Portuguese Ambassador were permitted to travel to LISBON in mid-August, whereas the Swedish Ambassador is unable to visit STOCKHOLM until early September, presumably owing to practical difficulties of transportation.

4 In reply to your signal, we agreed that the journey of the Portuguese Ambassador should be postponed so as to conform with that of the Swedish Ambassador.

5 Since the question of the date on which the Portuguese Ambassador is to be permitted to travel is one requiring a political and not a security decision, will you please reply as you think fit to the attached letter from Mr. OSBORNE. We have no objection to the journey being made either now or later, whichever you deem advisable.

6 Will you please communicate with Q(Mov), Main HQ AAI in respect the method, timing and other arrangements for the journey.

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(sgd) C.E.R. HIRSCH
Lt General, Chief of General Staff.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
MOVEMENT OF CIVILIANS
MOVIMENTO DI CIVILI

No 123663

Name (Nome) MILITELLO RENATOAddress (Indirizzo) Via Cius Ferrari, 11 RomaIdentity Card No. (Carta Identità N.) 11627

HAS PERMISSION TO:

È AUTORIZZATO A:

- (a) TRAVEL FROM (i) Rome TO Southern Italy and Sicily
Viaggiare da
- (b) AND RETURN
e ritorno
- (c) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN AN AREA~~
Viaggiare entro la zona di
- (d) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
Viaggiare entro la provincia di
- (e) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
- (f) ~~BE OUT OF DOORS DURING THE HOURS OF CURFEW~~
Essere fuori di casa durante la ora del coprifuoco

FOR THE PURPOSE OF (English) Activities in connection with thePer il proposito di (Italian) Catholic Youth Organization
automobile and/or boatTRANSPORT EMPLOYED (ii)
Mezzo di trasporto (ii)THIS PASS EXPIRES ON 30 Sept 1944

QUESTA AUTORIZZAZIONE È VALIDA FINO A
 AND MUST BE RETURNED TO OFFICE OF ISSUE UPON EXPIRATION
 e deve essere ritornata all'ufficio di emissione alla scadenza.

SIGNATURE OF HOLDER
Firma del ricevente.ISSUED AT (EMESSO A) RomeON (IL) 21 Aug 1944

BY (DA)

R.R. CRIPPS
 Signature and Rank of Issuing Officer.
 Firma e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione.

R.R. CRIPPS, COLONEL, CSO, ADMIN SEC, ACC
 Name and Rank of Issuing Officer (Block Letters)
 Nome e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione (lettere maiuscole)

* Strike out whichever is not applicable.
 Da cancellarsi se non applicabile.

(i) Unless indicated, the most practicable direct route will be taken.
 A meno che sia altrimenti indicato, la più diretta via praticabile sarà presa.

(ii) This pass shall not be taken as authorizing the holder to travel by the transport indicated.
 Whenever goods are transported this will be shown on the pass.
 Questo permesso non deve essere interpretato come autorizzando il ricevente a viaggiare
 col mezzo di trasporto indicato. Ogni qualvolta della merce viene trasportata, ciò sarà
 indicato sull'autorizzazione.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
MOVEMENT OF CIVILIANS
MOVIMENTO DI CIVILI

N° 123665

Name (Nome) ZINGALE SALVATOREAddress (Indirizzo) Via Cicerone, 56, RomaIdentity Card No. (Carta Identità N.) 680**HAS PERMISSION TO:****È AUTORIZZATO A:**

- (a) TRAVEL FROM (i) Rome TO Southern Italy and Sicily
Viaggiare da
- (b) AND RETURN
e ritorno
- (c) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
Viaggiare entro la provincia di
- (d) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
Viaggiare entro la provincia di
- (e) ~~BE OUT OF DOORS DURING THE HOURS OF CURFEW~~
Essere fuori di casa durante le ore del coprifuoco

FOR THE PURPOSE OF (English) Activities in connection with the Catholic Youth Organization
 Per il proposito di (Italiano)

TRANSPORT EMPLOYED (ii) automobile and/or boat
Mezzo di trasporto (ii)

THIS PASS EXPIRES ON 30 Sept 1944
Questa autorizzazione è valida fino a
AND MUST BE RETURNED TO OFFICE OF ISSUE UPON EXPIRATION.
e deve essere ritornata all'ufficio di emissione alla scadenza.

SIGNATURE OF HOLDER Salvatore Zingale
Firma del ricevente.

ISSUED AT (EMESSO A) Rome

ON (II) 21 Aug 1944

BY (DA) R. R. Cripps
Signature and Rank of Issuing Officer.

Firma e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione.

R. R. CRIPPS, COLONEL, CSO, ADMIN SEC AGC

Name and Rank of Issuing Officer (Block Letters)

Nome e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione (lettere maiuscole)

Stamp

Timbro

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Da cancellarsi se non applicabile.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
MOVEMENT OF CIVILIANS
MOVIMENTO DI CIVILI

N° 123662

Name (Nome) Mons. GUANO EMILIO
Address (Indirizzo) Via Aurelia, 106 Roma

Identity Card No. (Carta Identità N.) 560392

HAS PERMISSION TO:

E AUTORIZZATO A:

- (a) TRAVEL FROM (I) Rome TO Southern Italy & Sicily
Viaggiare da
- (b) AND RETURN
o ritorno
- (c) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~VIAGGIARE NELLA PROVINCIA DI~~
- (d) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~VIAGGIARE NELLA PROVINCIA DI~~
- (e) ~~CROSS THE ARMY CONTROL LINE~~
Attraversare la linea di controllo dell'esercito
- (f) ~~BE OUT OF HOME DURING THE HOURS OF CURFEW~~
Essere fuori di casa durante le ore del coprifuoco

FOR THE PURPOSE OF (English)

Activities in connection with the

Per il proposito di (Italiano) Catholic Youth Organization
TRANSPORT EMPLOYED (ii) automobile and/or boat
Mezzo di trasporto (ii)

THIS PASS EXPIRES ON 30 Sept 1944
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o deve essere ritornata all'ufficio di emissione alla scadenza

SIGNATURE OF HOLDER
Firma del ricevente

ISSUED AT (EMESSO A) ROME

ON (IL) 24 Aug 1944

BY (DA)

Signature and Rank of Issuing Officer

Firma e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione.

R. R. Crippa, Colonel, CSO Admin Sec ACC
Name and Rank of Issuing Officer (Block Letters)

Nome e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione (lettere maiuscole)

Stamp

Timbro

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Da cancellarsi se non applicabile.

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
MOVEMENT OF CIVILIANS
MOVIMENTO DI CIVILI

Nº 123664

Name (Nome) M. PALMISANO MARIA
Address (Indirizzo) Via dei Rammi, 6, Roma
Identity Card No. (Carta Identità N.) 1529975

HAS PERMISSION TO:

È AUTORIZZATO A:

- (a) TRAVEL FROM (i) Roma TO Southern Italy and Sicily
Viaggiare da n
- (b) AND RETURN
e ritorno
- (c) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~Viaggiare entro la regione di~~
- (d) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~Viaggiare entro la regione di~~
- (e) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~Viaggiare entro la regione di~~
- (f) BE OUT OF DOORS DURING THE HOURS OF CURFEW
Essere fuori di casa durante le ore del coprifuoco

FOR THE PURPOSE OF (English) Activities in connection with the
Per il proposito di (Italiano) Catholic Youth Organization
Automobile and/or boat

TRANSPORT EMPLOYED (i)
Mezzo di trasporto (ii)

THIS PASS EXPIRES ON 30 Apr 1944

AND MUST BE RETURNED TO OFFICE OF ISSUE UPON EXPIRATION.
e deve essere ritornata all'ufficio di emissione alla scadenza.

SIGNATURE OF HOLDER
Firma del ricevente.

ISSUED AT (EMISSO) Roma

ON (IL) 21 Apr 1944

BY (DA)

Signature and Rank of Issuing Officer.
Firma e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione.

R. R. CRISP, COLONEL, CSO, ADMIN SEC AGC

Name and Rank of Issuing Officer (Block Letters)
Nome e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione (lettere maiuscole)

Stamp

Timbro

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
MOVEMENT OF CIVILIANS
MOVIMENTO DI CIVILI

Nº 123664

Name (Nome) PAUMISANO MARIA

Address (Indirizzo) Via dei Palmi, 6 Roma

Identity Card No. (Carta Identità N.) 1529975

HAS PERMISSION TO: Rome TO Southern Italy and Sicily
E AUTORIZZATO A:

(a) TRAVEL FROM (i) Rome
Viaggiare da

(b) AND RETURN R
e ritorno

(c) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~Viaggiare entro la provincia di~~

(d) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~Viaggiare entro la provincia di~~

(e) ~~TRAVEL WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF~~
~~Viaggiare entro la provincia di~~

(f) BE OUT OF DOORS DURING THE HOURS OF CURFEW
Essere fuori di casa durante l'ora del coprifuoco

FOR THE PURPOSE OF (English) Activities in connection with the
Catholic Youth Organization

Per il proposito di (Italiano)

TRANSPORT EMPLOYED (ii) automobile and/or boat
Mezzo di trasporto (ii)

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SIGNATURE OF HOLDER
Firma del ricevente

ISSUED AT (EMESSO A) Rome

ON (IL) 21 Aug 1944

BY (DA) [Signature]
Firma e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione

R. B. C. COLONEL, C.S.G. ADJUTANT GENERAL
Nome e Grado dell'Ufficiale che rilascia l'autorizzazione (lettera)

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DAL VATICANO

August 18, 1944

The Vatican requests that the 4
persons mentioned in the enclosed
memorandum, all members of the
Executive Board of the Catholic
Youth Organization be given permission
to visit southern Italy and
Sicily for the further organization
necessitated in consequence of the
conditions brought about by the war
they ask permission to travel after
and for the reason of **21** *the same*
territory to be covered

Joseph J. H. McLaughlin

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COGNOME e NOME:

Vons. GUANO EMILIO

Tessera, ~~COGNOME~~ di Autorizzazio-
ne delle Ferrovie dello Stato

560322

Indirizzo:

Via Aurelia, 106, ROMA

COGNOME e NOME:

MINTELLO RENATO

Tessera, ~~COGNOME~~: libretto ferroviario
giornalisti (Min. Comunicazioni)

11527

Indirizzo:

Via Gius. Ferrari, 11, ROMA

COGNOME e NOME:

PALMISANO MARIA

Tessera, ~~COGNOME~~: Carta di Identità

1529975

Indirizzo:

Via dei Ramni, 6 - ROMA

COGNOME e NOME:

ZINGALE SALVATORE

Tessera, ~~COGNOME~~: Carta Identità rilascia-
ta dal Ministero Grazia e Giustizia

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Indirizzo:

Via Cicerone, 56 - ROMA

*L'indirizzo il numero di contr. in ante
per le m. di copia fatto.*

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NOTE: READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY (SEE REVERSE SIDE) BEFORE INITIATING REQUESTREQUEST FOR TRAVEL AND/OR ASSIGNMENT ORDERS

SUBJECT: Orders

Date.....28 Aug 1964.....

TO : G-1 (A) or (B) /Adjutant, Hq ACC*

1. The undermentioned personnel are authorized to proceed to _____

LISBON, Portugal

(Give Destination)

2. Status: Temporary Duty/Permanent Change of Station*

(a) If temporary duty, complete the following:

RANK, NAME (IN FULL) & SERIAL NUMBER	BRANCH OF SERVICE	A or B	ATTCHD TO/ASGD TO:*
<u>1. X. GARCIA</u>	<u>Engl.</u>	<u>Port.</u>	<u>Ambassador to the Holy See</u>

(1) Approximate period of absence: _____

(2) Brief statement of mission: _____

(3) Importance of journey (state classification as proscribed under para 5 a of Estab. Memo #4, this Hq, dtd 19 Feb 44): _____

(b) If permanent change of station (i.e. asgmt, reasgmt, or transfer) complete the following:

RANK, NAME (IN FULL) & SERIAL NUMBER	BRANCH OF SERVICE	A or B	PRESENT ASGMT	NEW ASGMT

3. Travel by nil aircraft/motor/rail/sea is requested.*

4. Transport to be made available on or about: _____

1st of Sept (Date) soon thereafter
as possible.

5. Remarks or Recommendations: _____

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Robert A. Tamm
(Signature)Lt. Colonel, Infantry
(Rank)

For Note Book (Date) (Designation)

Copy to: Hq Comdt

* Strike out words not applicable

NOTE: READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY (SEE REVERSE SIDE) BEFORE INITIATING REQUEST.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Print plainly or type. DO NOT WRITE.
2. Prepare Form in DUPLICATE.
3. Request for Orders involving travel on temporary duty status only, shall be forwarded direct to the Adjutant, Hq ACC.
4. Requests for Orders involving travel on a permanent change of station shall be forwarded to the Adjutant, Hq ACC, through G-1 ("A" or "B" depending on nationality).
5. Copy to Hq Comdt is only required in the case of motor transportation.
6. Requests will be forwarded at least 24 hours prior to the date of departure. Orders are closed at 1530 hours each day. All requests received after this time will be published the following day.
7. Travel performed under the provisions of para 2, Estab. Memo #4, dated 19 Feb 44, does not require travel orders. However, if travel into hazardous area is contemplated, orders should be secured.
8. It will be the responsibility of the officer or personnel concerned to insure that travel arrangements are made with G-4 before or after publication of orders.
9. Full particulars must be submitted. Failure to include necessary and pertinent information will be cause for return to originating office.
10. In order to insure efficient handling of order request, it is requested that special care be given to the correct spelling of names, ranks, serial numbers and branch of service.
11. If pertinent information cannot fit the space provided, use space under item 5, "Remarks or Recommendations".
12. In indicating assignments or attachments of personnel, (e.g. Public Works, Finance, etc.) be sure to include parent unit, i.e. Headquarters, ACC, or the various Regional Headquarters.
13. If rations are required for proposed journey, be sure to indicate under item 5, "Remarks or Recommendations", number of persons for whom rations will be required and approximate number of days for which rations will be drawn. (e.g. Rations required for two (2) men for five (5) days.)

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22 Aug 44

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Ext: 169
JHS/wc

G.R. UAGH, Col
A/Head Admin Sec

1 sent to Mr. Smith 15/5/44

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C O I S.

THE COMMANDING GENERAL

22 AUG 1944

ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND.

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British Legation to the Holy See,
VATICAN CITY.

August 11th 1944.

For Saturday
26 Aug. 1944.
if possible or
soon thereafter.

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C O P Y

SUBJECT: Journey of Portuguese
Ambassador

CONFIDENTIAL

22 AUG 1944

HQ ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY
Tel/ PILPOT ADV 79
1401/6/GSI(b)
19 Aug 44

HQ ACC

Copy to: HQ RAAC
CAO
Q(Mov)

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(Rev.)
Sgd. C.E.R. HIRSCH
Lt-General. Chief of General Staff

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THE COMMANDER GENERAL

ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND

The Portuguese Ambassador to the Holy See, Professor A.F. Carneiro Pedreiro, has applied to H.B.M. Legation for assistance in obtaining a place in an Allied plane for Algiers or, if possible for Lisbon. He is anxious to return to Portugal at the earliest possible moment. All arrangements had been made for his journey by sea from Naples, but they have now been suspended by the Allied Authorities. He states that, if he can once reach Algiers, he can make his own arrangements for the continued journey to Lisbon via Casablanca, although he would prefer it if the whole journey could be made by Allied planes. H.M. Minister would be very grateful for any assistance that could be given to Dr. Pedreiro.

British Legation to the Holy See,

VATICAN CITY

August 11th 1944.

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SUBJECT : Journey of Portuguese Ambassador.

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HQ ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY
Tel/ FILPOE AYW 79
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19 August 44.

HQ AOC

Copied to: HQ ROAD
CAG
Q(Mov)

- 1 Attached is a letter dated 11 Aug which we have received through HQ ROAD from HM Minister to the HM SEB.
- 2 Neither this HQ nor AWH have any security objections to the Portuguese Ambassador Professor RACHDO, travelling to LISBON.
- 3 In your signal 1524 dated 8 August 44, however, you submitted that it might create difficulties among the Diplomatic Corps in ROME if the Portuguese Ambassador were permitted to travel to LISBON in mid-August, whereas the Swedish Ambassador is unable to visit STOCKHOLM until early September, presumably owing to practical difficulties of transportation.
- 4 In reply to your signal, we agreed that the journey of the Portuguese Ambassador should be postponed so as to conform with that of the Swedish Ambassador.
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