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ITALIAN GOV'T RELATIONS INFO
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Luis L.

Ref to 175. Answer is "no". Please answer why & get approval of Polads. H.S. 19/13

Ex-lam.

178

Letter at 177 submitted in reply to 175. I don't think Polads need approve this. It is a quote of the 95 letter concerning the French consulate in Trieste is really a domestic matter. 22/3.

Final
-22/3.

180.

Ex Comm.

Please see folio 179 for info. This is a brief political background of the new Air minister. A.D.B. 11/7 H.S. 16/17

A good copy 18/10/17.

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To CSP Ex Comm. Folio 185 for info. please. And 21/11 H.S. 7/11

180.

Ex Comm.

Please see folio 179 for info.
This is a brief political biography of the
new Air minister. *Aut* 1577 H.S. 1617

A good copy *MS 1577*

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To see Ex Comm.

Folio 185 for info. please *Aut* 1577 H.S. 1617

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see Ex Comm.

~~the~~ *Aut* 1577 H.S. 1617 may wish to see folio 189 for info.

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all letter at 165 submitted in signature -
 (1) refer 2/12

1725/69

Ex Com

all letter at 168 submitted in signature - 167 29/9
 " " 169 " " - 161 refer

1/11
 2/11

157

C.S.O. ¹⁵⁷
See see 150 for info. probably ~~see~~ see
Lester see
P. 1/2 MS 4/12

153

C.S.O.

I see no further action on 148 - Please do not
seem to have obtained the file. Dir R.C. Action approved
7 then get a ref from Police DS/Stan

153

C.S.O. Ref 152

Ring up the Dutch C.G. reach & get it confirmed -
153 DS/Stan

writing
head 1/2
head 1/2

Ref 151 would be grateful to you advise -
is Finland allowed consular representation yet?
157 7/12

C.S.O.

The Govt. of Marshal Badoglio makes diplomatic
has known

SS/SP

Then get a reply from PDs.

152

C.S.O. Ref 152
Filing of the Dubois C.G. such & get it compared -

SS/SP

155

~~Wink~~
~~Mad B~~

Ref 151 would be grateful to you advise -
is Finland allowed consular representation, yet?
BS. 7/12

157

C.S.O.

The Govt. of Sweden Badoglio makes diplomatic
relations with Finland and so far has known
they have not been reestablished. In any
event the request permit West to function
should come from Finnish Govt. and not
from West. If agree with action taken by
Cal. Hancock, para 3 - for his 178
Pal. Ad (Am) Dec. 17/45

158

C.S.O.

I agree.

Wink
BS. 7/12

re/SP

(137)

CSO

Issue as presented. Please don't think we can
interfere as far as form is

15/12/4

(143)

Plad (b)

Presume 142 is permissible as far as the Embassy
is concerned.

17/11

144.

CSO.

Yes. We have no grounds for objection.

17/11/4

Ex-lon.

145

145 submitted in signature - Embassies agree.

21/11

20/11

Polad (A)

Concur.

J. L. (per AD) 23-11-45

Plad (A)

149

Plad (B)

148 would be grateful for your advice whether
Finland is a allowed consular representation. Please
no representative here in Rome has it? 27/11

2017-10-20

Pleas are ~~not~~ ^{should} we take this up with
Public Safety? It seems to need attention.

01/01 24

black (A) 132.

the four minutes 30 you say Sir. Tilani has
readily been appointed. No mention of this appoint-
ment however is made in minute 34. Is he in
fact still Argentine Consul?

28/5/51

Exec. Com. Sec.

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According to American Consulate, Palermo. His name was Argentine Consul before the war, was inactive as Consul during ^{war} and has recently been formally reappointed and resumed his functions.

Oct. 15-

Albany
Sept 20. 1861 (A)

Fig. 10

136.

135 is equivalent if the pos
line of action 137 1/10.
Faint 1810

1871

had still Argentine Coast?

BD 15/10

Exec. Com. Office

(133)

According to American Consulate, Buenos Aires, this man was Argentine Coast before the war, was inactive as coast guard ^{war} and has recently been formally reappointed and resumed his functions

Albuquerque
Act Pol. Act. (A)

Oct. 15

Ex. Com.

136.

135 is equivalent of 136 per Polar (B) advised this

line of action BD 17/10

Amiz 18/10

12h.

Executive Commissioner.

1. Reference minute 116 in Vol. I, please see AMHQ signal at/123.
2. I have taken no action on para 3 of page 123, as I presume that the French representative informed you verbally of the desire of the French Government to send a Consul to Trieste. If this is so, you may wish to inform him also verbally of the decision of AMHQ.

3 Oct. 45. Letter to French Rep. to advise

U.S.O.

WV/4/x

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Ex Com

Letter off in reply to R 126

submitted for signature

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Gene WV/4/x

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Ex. Com.

118 for inf.

True
27/8.

Plan B.

(no)

I don't know what you think about the
but it appears quite impractical to me. The
suggestion of the title shows a misconception
of the nature of a Consular Officer & would create
quite the wrong impression. Perhaps you
would wish to ~~say~~ and your views as from
Embassy & we could discuss it with

Ex Com's meeting.

MS/29/5.

Executive Commissioner.

(no)

As you know our object is to secure the appointment of a British
(and American) Consular Officer at Trieste without opening the field
to other countries particularly the USSR and Yugoslavia. The
Americans, who were more interested than we in this matter, decided
that they should not do so.

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 suggestion of the title shows a misconception
 of the nature of a Consular Officer & would create
 quite the wrong impression. Perhaps you
 would wish to explain your reason as for
 Embassy & we could discuss it next

Ex Com's meeting. MS/25/5

Executive Commissioner,

As you know our object is to secure the appointment of a British
 (and American) Consular Officer at Trieste without opening the field
 to other countries particularly the USSR and Yugoslavia. The
 Americans, who were more interested than we in this matter, decided to
 describe their man as Representative at Trieste of the U.S. Political
 Advisor, Caserta. When we decided to follow suit we assumed that our
 man would be described as Representative of the Office of the British
 Resident Minister, Caserta. The Foreign Office thought this title a
 trifle long and proposed that of British Political Officer. This has
 now been accepted by GOC XIII Corps.

Personally I should have preferred the title which we originally
 proposed, although it has nothing to do with Consular functions it
 covers a multitude of sins and can easily be explained if the Russians
 or the Yugoslavs start asking awkward questions. If you agree, I will
 propose to the Foreign Office and to Caserta that we should go back to
 it.

29.11.45

Political Advisor (RG)

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BO 2/10 for Ex Com. Post. 1/12

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 921.02P

16 November 1946 *ne*

SUBJECT: Italian Government Negotiations with other Governments

TO : Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
APO 794

Reference your letter above subject, file CC 225-8 dated 9 November 1946, it is confirmed that you will take no further steps in this matter without instructions from this Headquarters.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

/s/ A.L. Hamblen
/t/ A.L. HAMBLER
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

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Executive Commr
Polad A
Blad B

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CG 225-8

9 November 1946.

SUBJECT: Italian Government negotiations with other Governments.

TO : G-5 Section, AFHQ.

Reference is made to my letter of 5 November, same file and subject.

1. I have now received a memorandum dated 8 November 1946 from the American Political Advisor, copy of which is enclosed, stating that the Department of State agrees with the British view.
2. Unless I am instructed by your Headquarters to the contrary, I shall take no further steps toward urging the Italian Government to comply with paragraph 3 of the so-called "Macmillan Memorandum" of 24 February 1945.

ELERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USN
Chief Commissioner

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Polad B
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Office of the Political Adviser (A)

Rome, November 8, 1946

Memorandum to: Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission

I refer to my memorandum of October 31, in which I indicated that I was unable to recommend any willful default of the terms of the MacMillan Memorandum. I also refer to Polad B's memorandum to you of October 22 taking the opposite view on this subject.

I am now informed that the Department of State agrees with the British view, that a reminder to the Italian Government of its obligation under paragraph 3 of the MacMillan Memorandum would be unnecessary and inadvisable at the present time.

I must therefore ask you to consider my memorandum of October 31 as superseded by the Department's view.

/s/ Joseph A. Greene, Jr.
Political Adviser (A)

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3 November 1948.

SUBJECT: Italian Government negotiations with other governments.

REF: 2-3 version, 1948.

1. Paragraph 3 of the so-called "Macmillan Memorandum" of 24 February 1948 requires the Italian Government to keep the Allied Commission generally informed of any negotiations in which they engage with other governments. Notwithstanding this obligation, difficulty has been experienced in securing full compliance by the Italian Government. This question was subsequently the subject of correspondence with Prime Minister De Gasperi and Foreign Minister Alcide De Gasperi in 1948 and culminated in a renewed and satisfactory pledge by Prime Minister Ciriaco De Masi on 26 August 1948, copy of which is attached.

2. Recent recent news dispatches in the Italian press gave indication that the Italian Government had concluded a commercial treaty with Poland without notification to the Allied Commission. I requested an opinion from the American and British Political Advisors as to whether they considered it appropriate at this time to press the Italian Government for adherence to that portion of the Macmillan Memorandum referred to above.

3. In reply I have received an opinion from the British Political Advisor dated 25 October and one from the American Political Advisor dated 22 October.

4. My recommendation is that the views expressed by the American Political Advisor are sound and that violation, inadvertent or deliberate, of paragraph 3 of the Macmillan Memorandum by the Italian Government cannot be condoned. If you concur, an appropriate letter will be sent to the Prime Minister.

5. May I receive the Supreme Allied Commander's instructions on this question.

/s/ Elmer W. Stone

ELMER W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USN
Chief Commissioner

Enc.-1 Encl. ltr 24 Aug 48

2 Encl. ltr 31 Oct 48

3 Encl. ltr 31 Oct 48

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785017REPLYMINUTE ON PAPER

To: Chief Commissioner
 From: Polad R.

In reply to your verbal enquiry, this Embassy do not believe that it would be detrimental to Allied interests if henceforth the Italian Government were not to be required to observe the provisions in paragraph 3 of the so-called MacMillan Memorandum of February 24th, 1945, according to which they should keep the Allied Commission generally informed of any negotiations in which they engage with other Governments.

It will be recalled that following correspondence exchanged over several months in 1945 between yourself and successive Italian Prime Ministers, Professor Parri gave favourable assurances on August 24th of that year in this matter. If since that date the Italian Government have failed to keep the Allied Commission informed of negotiations with other Governments, it does not seem necessary or even advisable to remind them now of their obligations, for the following reasons:-

- (1) The main object of these controls, insofar as they related to economic and financial matters, was to prevent the Italians from agreeing to repay debts to controls in advance of reparations to the United Nations and to see that proper regard was paid to the Allied trade controls in Italy and to the Reserved Commodity Lists. With regard to reparations, the position has been radically changed since the date of the MacMillan Memorandum as a result of the renunciation by many nations at the Peace Conference at Paris to their claim to reparations from Italy. The Allied trade controls in Italy are now dead, while the Reserved Commodity Lists are dying, and the Italians respect them anyway.
- (2) So far as this Embassy is concerned, copies of all commercial agreements are provided by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs after negotiation, and representations can be made then if necessary.
- (3) As regards the form of agreements negotiated by the Italian Government, in a short time commercial agreements may be standardized under the I.T.O. Until then Italian agreements with European countries are all being negotiated along the same lines of barter and clearing, a form to which the Allied Commission have never objected.
- (4) The Finance Sub-Commission of the Allied Commission having disappeared, it might be difficult to find staff able to study any material in connection with financial negotiations which the Italian Government might furnish if required to conform now with paragraph 3 of the MacMillan Memorandum.

Finally, it seems unnecessary to stir up the Italian Government on this subject with the possible result of ill-feeling on their part at this eleventh hour when the Allied Council is expected in the fairly near future to disappear altogether.

/s/ H. A. Hankey

22.10.46

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Office of the Political Adviser (A)

October 31, 1945

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission

You asked my British colleague and myself to give our views on whether the Italian Government should at this juncture be reminded of the provisions of Paragraph 3 of the MacMillan Memorandum of February 24, 1945, which states, in part, that "The Allied Commission should be kept generally informed by the Italian Government of any negotiations in which they engage with other Governments."

In my opinion, the MacMillan Memorandum, constituting as it does a supplement to and modification of the long Armistice terms, is still in effect, notwithstanding that some of the terms of both may have fallen into desuetude. I am unable to recommend any wilful default of their terms at this time.

Observance of the provisions of the long Armistice, as modified, appears to be particularly important when it is considered that both the French and Russian Governments have an interest in their observance and are in fact represented in the Allied Commission. I believe we should avoid any action in Italy which might, for example, provide the Soviet Government with an argument for taking unilateral action, vis-a-vis the Governments concerned, in the Allied Control Commissions in Hungary, Rumania, and Bulgaria.

According to my information, Prime Minister Parri on August 24, 1945, gave written assurances that the Italian Government would comply with the provisions of Paragraph 3 of the MacMillan Memorandum. This assurance was given after you had received replies from Foreign Minister De Gasperi and Prime Minister Bonomi to your requests for such assurances, which replies you considered unsatisfactory. Although I have no information that a similar undertaking has been specifically given by Sig. De Gasperi now that he is Prime Minister, he can be presumed to be familiar with the matter and an informal reminder to him would not appear to be amiss.

It is to be noted that Paragraph 3 of the MacMillan Memorandum distinguishes between negotiations in general and those having to do specifically with economic and financial matters. I do not think we can overlook the objectives of the Allied Governments in making these provisions. As I understand them, these objectives were: (1) to enable the Allied Governments to assure themselves that Italian comportment in international affairs would be consistent with the terms of the Armistice and with the objectives of the United Nations; and (2) with particular reference to economic and financial matters, to assure themselves that the Italian Government would not conclude agreements with other countries which might prejudice the position of debts or other claims against Italy of any of the United Nations. I believe that recent developments clearly indicate that these objectives are now valid and will so remain in the future, especially when it is considered that: (1) the Peace Treaty, which will at an undetermined date supplant the Armistice, imposes certain obligations, both political and economic, on the Italian Government; (2) among these obligations

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are reparations payments which should be considered by the Italian Government to constitute a prior lien on Italian assets; (3) Italy desires ultimately to become a member of the United Nations, Article 102 of the Charter of which provides in part that "every Treaty and every International Agreement entered into by any member of the United Nations after the present charter comes into force shall as soon as possible be registered with the Secretariat and published by it."

I do not consider the fact that the staff of the Allied Commission has been depleted constitutes a reason for defaulting on the provisions of Paragraph 3 of the MacMillan Memorandum. Nor do I consider that the possibility that the Allied Commission may completely disappear upon the signature of the revised Armistice, or otherwise, a reason for such default. I believe that quite apart from the juridical questions involved, a reminder to the Italian Government at this time would serve a useful purpose in recalling their attention to continued Allied interest in the matter, as well as to future obligations which the Italian Government may be required to or willing to accept. I can assure you that the advice, assistance and facilities of the United States Embassy are available at all times to you should you find your own staff or your own channels unable alone to cope with any problems which might arise from compliance with Paragraph 3.

Finally, I do not believe that the prestige or sovereignty of the Italian Government would be further impaired by such a reminder at this time; on the contrary I venture to believe that a friendly and informal reminder of all the aspects of the problem would be received by the Italian Government in the spirit in which it is given.

/s/ Joseph M. Greene, Jr.
/t/ Joseph M. Greene, Jr.,
Assistant Political Adviser (A).

Chief Commissioner for Ex Comm. —

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for information

MSARSC

15 July 66

Confidential 179

MARIO CINGOLANI.

- Born in Rome in 2nd August 1883; has a degree in chemistry.

- Took part in the first Christian Democrat movement and carried out intense activity as Director of the Gioventù Cattolica Italiana (Italian Catholic Youth).

He was organiser of labour unions in the white sindacal movement in Rome, Lazio, the Marche, Umbria. Founder of the Federazione Giovanile Cattolica, President of the Azione Cattolica Romana, Vice President of Unione Popolare fra i Cattolici d'Italia, took an active part in the first political battles of the Italian Catholics; appeared as a political combatant in the 1904 rebellion, and then in the political elections of 1908 and 1913.

After the World War he joined Ben Sturzo in the foundation of the Partito Popolare Italiano of which he was political secretary until 1924. He was twice Under Secretary of State for Labour and at the Presidenza Sociale. Was Vice Secretary and then Secretary in the parliamentary group also, until it separated from the House after the assassination of Matteotti.

He is a good orator, has never spared himself in the service of democratic ideas and organisations. During the Fascist period, watched and boycotted in civil life, he dedicated himself to the organisation of the Azione Cattolica until this activity also was forbidden him by the intervention of the Italian Ambassador to the Holy See in 1938.

During the last war he was able to carry out educational and propaganda work for the imminent re-awakening, as an Officer in the medical corps of the Order of Malta. During the underground period, at serious personal risk, he undertook extensive work, assisting in rescues and miraculously escaping two orders for arrest by the German S.S. After the liberation he took a very active part in the organisation and propaganda of the Christian Democrat Party, spreading its word all over Italy.

For a year he filled the post of High Commissioner Profits of the Fascist Regime with efficiency and impartiality.

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He is a member of the National Council and of the Party Directorate and Vice President of the Consulta.

He was the Government Delegate at the International Labour Conference in Paris last autumn. He is President of the Federazione Nazionale degli Ordine: of Chemists and of the Central Committee for the Union of Professional Orders. He was the candidate at the head of the Christian Democrat list for Umbria which had already elected him as a Deputy in 1919, 1921 and 1924.

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Ref: 303/177/20

25 March 1946

Your Excellency,

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With reference to your letter No. 1340 of 14th March 1946 I regret that the present policy is that no new consular offices shall be opened in Trieste, nor can Consular representatives be permitted to visit that city while present conditions continue. I am afraid that an exception cannot be made in favour of one power which cannot be extended to all.

Yours very truly,

Is/ Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

H.E. G. Exintaris,
Greek Delegate to the Advisory Council for Italy,
ROME.

copy to: G. Conn
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See to 178

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Ref. No. 340

Done, 14 March 1946.

My dear Admiral,

With reference to your letter No 303/53/EC dated 20 June 1945 and owing to the considerable time which has elapsed since last June, I would be grateful if you would kindly approve now of the desire of the Greek Government to establish a Governmental Agent in Trieste.

Up to the present Greek interests there, which are of some importance, were looked after by the Swiss Legation. The latter, however, have informed us that they will cease to do so starting 31 March 1946.

Wong, T. and J. Wong

Dr. Timothy
Lehman.

Rear Admiral
Ellery W. Stone,
Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission.

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Very truly yours,

G. Mitsotakis

G. MITOTAKIS
Ambassador.

Dear Admiral
Ellery W. Stone,
Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission,
Rome.

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7 January 1946

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SUBJECT: Russian Consulate General, Naples

TO : G-5, G-2, AFHQ

1. In connection with the handback of the Province of Naples to Italian Government administration, I have just been informed that the Soviet Government is establishing a Soviet Consulate General in the City of Naples effective immediately. The Consul General will be Mr. Michael Orlovsky.

2. The above is for your information.

ELBERT W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Copy to: US Polad, AFHQ
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Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 303/165/51

7th
January 1946

SUBJECT: Foreign Consular Representative in Italy.

TO : HQ 40 AND XIII Corps.

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1. It is understood that Mr. Sullivan, the representative in Trieste of the British Political Adviser to the Supreme Allied Commander, has been asked by you for a list of all foreign consulates in Italy.
2. Please find list attached.
3. To prevent duplication of work it is requested that in future questions of this nature be referred directly to this H.Q.

[Signature]

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Copy to: Adm (3).
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ARGENTINA

GENOVA	- Don Salvador M. Olivo	- Console
FIRENZE	- Don Marino Del Porto	- Cancelliere Incaricato
ROMA	- Don Emilio Bertelotto	- Console

BRASILE

NAPOLI	- Harbel Costa	- Console
LIVORNO	- Zorayana de Almeida Rodriguez	- Console
CATANIA	- Giovanni Pellegrini Spadaro	- Console onorario
	- Filippo Rosalia	- Agente Consolare

CZECHOSLOVACCHIA

MILANO	- Ing. Carlo Vesely	- Console Generale
	- Boh. Chytil	- Vice Console

DANIMARCA

GENOVA	- M. Knud Werner Linder	- Segretario Gerente
BOLOGNA	- M. Louis Accardo	- Vice Console
LA SPEZIA	- M. Ernesto Laviosa	- Vice Console
LIVORNO	- M. Armando Del Buono	- Console
MESSINA	- M. Schneider	- Console
SAVONA	- M. Giovanni Battista Bechi	- Vice Console
CATANIA	- M. Arturo Giorgianni	- Vice Console
MILANO		

FRANCIA

ROMA	- Paul Flach	- Console Generale
MILANO	- Jacques Chartier	- Console Generale
NAPOLI	- Andre Rochet	- Console
GENOVA	- Paul Raymond	- Console
FIRENZE	- Gabriel Remeraud	- Console Generale
BARI	- Roger Besse - Desmoulieres	- Console
PARIGI	- Paul Raymond	- Console
TORINO	- Gabriel Van Laethen	- Vice Console

GRAN BRETAGNA

NAPOLI	- Consolato Generale
GENOVA	- Consolato Generale
FIRENZE	- Consolato
ROMA	- Sezione Consolare
PARIGI	- Consolato
BARI	- Consolato
TARANTO	-

NORVEGIA

CIVITAVECCHIA	- Camillo Parrini	- Vice Consul
NAPOLI	- Cypil Tjodolf Klengen erg	- Console
ROMA	- Einar Pife	- Console

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ROMA	→ Victor Larsen Renold	-
PALERMO	- Francesco Tagliavia	- Console
TRAPANI	- Aldo Anla	- Vice Console

ROMANIA

ANCONA	- Daniele Marchetti	- Console
LARI	- Salvatore Marino	- "
BOLOGNA	- Conte Stefano Cucci Boschi	- "
CATANIA	- Alfio Napoli	- "
FIRENZE	- Ferdinando Bosi	- "
PIUA	- Francesco Vio	- "
GENOVA	- Luigi Tomellini - Ernesto Puccio	- Console Gen.-Vice Cons.
LIVORNO	- Carlo Senese	- Console Generale
	- Domenico Debolini	- Vice Console
LUBIANA	- Jacob Klemenc	- Cancelliere
LUCCA	- Guido Pellegrini	- Console
MONFALCONE	- Gaetano Orlandi	- Console
NAPOLI	- Donato Di Giorgio	- Console Generale
	Goffredo Baldinotti	- Vice Console
PALERMO	- Ercanno Guani	- Console
TORINO	- Lando Rossi di Montelera	- Console Generale
	Giulio Glendino	- Vice Console
TRIESTE	- Antonio Di Demetrio	- Console Generale
VENEZIA	- Giorgio Viola di Campa to	- Console

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ROMA	→ Carlo Piola Caselli	- Console
FIRENZE	- Mario Gobbo	- "
GENOVA	- Elow Kihlgren	- Console Generale
	- Ernesto Puccio	- Vice Console
CASALE	- Mario Cianetti	- "
CARLOFORE	- Egidio Valicabona	- "
TRIVULGOCCHIA	- Niello Mattini	- "
LA SPASIA	- Giacomo AG. Lardon	- "
SAN ROZO	- Attilio Pedemonte	- "
SAVENA	- Alfonso Zino	- "
MASSINA	- Federico Roberto	- Console
CATANIA	- Silo Ali' di Carlo	- Vice Console
LIGATE	- Matteo A. Vecchio Verdemare	- "
MILANO	- Camillo Pretto	- Console
NAPOLI	- Francesca Dresda	- "
	- Elon Fitcher	- Vice Console
TRIESTE	→ Ernesto Lekner	- Console
TORINO	- Carlo Prusa	- Console Generale
VENEZIA	- Silvia Callegaro	- Console

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CATANIA	- Carlo Caffish	- Console
FIRENZE	- Carlo Steinhacualin	- Console Generale
GENOVA	-	-

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GENOVA	-	G. B. Biagi De Blasjs	-	Console Generale
NAPOLI	-	Giacomo Mossimann	-	Console
MILANO	-	Franco Brenni	-	" "
TRIESTE	-	Emilio Bozanico	-	Console
TORINO	-	Fritz Mueller	-	Cancelliere gerente a.i. del Consolato
VENEZIA	-	Ferdinando Incoff	-	Console
LIVORNO	-	Luigi Bickell	-	Gerente a.i. dell'Agenzia Consolare
BARI	-	Max Miescher	-	Vice Console

STATI UNITI D'AMERICA

PIEMONTE	-	Grebaugh, Walter W.	-	Console
		Kiecoll, Frank C.	-	Vice Console
NAPOLI	-	Brandt George L.	-	Console Generale
		Flournoy William E. JR.	-	Console
		Jandrey Fred W.	-	" "
		Blue William L.	-	Vice Console
		Granata Harold M.	-	" "
		Murrel Franklin H.	-	" "
		Speyer Darthen	-	" "
		Rapp Charles H.	-	" "
		Board Robert S.	-	" "
PALERMO	-	Nester Alfred T.	-	Console Generale
		Peck William L.	-	Console
		Sheehan Robert M.	-	Vice Console
		Forbes Bruce W.	-	Vice Console
R O M A	-	Huddleston John F.	-	Console
		Snyder Byron B.	-	Vice Console
		Crook Linton	-	" "
		Loftus Victor	-	" "
		Evans Joseph	-	" "
		Griggs Robert A.	-	" "
		Russo Stanley R.	-	" "
GENOVA	-	Schnare Lester L.	-	Console Generale
		Moss Hermann	-	Vice Console
		Baxter Jean E. R.	-	Vice Console
MILANO	-	MacLean H. Coit	-	Console Generale
		Evans Ernest A.	-	Console
		Barrett William C.	-	Vice Console
		Ziegler William H.	-	Vice Console
TORINO	-	Haven Richard B.	-	Console.

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Ref: 303/168/20

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7th January 1946

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Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge your letter No. 4464 of 24 December 1945 and to thank you for informing the Chief Commissioner of the appointment of Mr. J. J. Bressan as Consul of the Netherlands in Milan. This information has been passed to the Allied authorities in that area.

Yours very truly,

Major Chancellin,
Netherlands Charge d'Affaires,
Legation of the Netherlands,
Rome.

Copy to: *Chief Liaison Officer*
Regional Commissioner, Lombardia Region,
CA Section.

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LÉGATION DES PAYS-BAS

No. 4464

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24 December 1945

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DEC 27 1945

Sir,

I beg to inform you that Mr. L.J. Bremen has been appointed by the Royal Netherlands Government as a Consul of the Netherlands in Milan.

I should greatly appreciate if the appointment of Mr. Bremen could be notified to the competent Allied Military Authorities and these Authorities be requested to afford him, if necessary, every assistance and protection.

Thanking you in anticipation, I have the honour to be,

Sir,
Your obedient servant,



Netherlands Charge d'Affaires

Rear Admiral
Ellery W. Stone
Chief Commissioner Allied Commission
C.M.F.

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Ref: 2214/235/10.

18 December 1945

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SUBJECT: YUGOSLAV GENERAL CONSULATE - NAPLES.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: G-5 Section.

1. I forward a protest submitted by the Yugoslav Delegation to the Advisory Council at the alleged action taken by AFHQ with regard to the manager of the so-called Yugoslav General Consulate in NAPLES and his staff.
2. Since the Government of Yugoslavia has not yet resumed relations with the Italian Government it is difficult to find any grounds for the existence of the Yugoslav General Consulate, even in the AMM Commune of NAPLES.
3. I have acknowledged the note verbale and request instructions as to further communications.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 2214/237/20

19 December 1945

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Dear Dr. Smolaka,

2214

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter Pov.br.1960/45 of 13 December 1945. I am further directed to inform you that this matter has been forwarded to the appropriate authorities. I will keep you informed of any action which may be taken.

Very truly yours,

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Dr. Sloven Smolaka
Deputy Delegate
Yugoslav Delegation to the
Advisory Council for Italy
Rome.

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(HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION)
APO 324
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 584/67/30

14 December 1945

SUBJECT: CZECHOSLOVAK CONSUL

TO : Regional Commissioner
Lombardia Region

Further to my Signal 9267 of 13 December 1945 and reference
your letter R/2517 of 30 November 1945 to Mr. Karel TRPAK.

It is confirmed that this Headquarters approves the appointment
of Mr. Karel TRPAK as Czechoslovak Consul in Milan.

It will be appreciated if such assistance as the Consul
requires be afforded to him.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
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Polad (b)

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785017Office of British
Political Adviser. 161Executive Commissioner's Office

DEC 18 1945

Subject: Foreign consular representatives
in Italy.

Mr. Sullivan, the representative in Trieste of the British Political Adviser to the Supreme Allied Commander, Mediterranean, has requested the British Embassy to supply him with a list of all foreign consulates at present in Italy. He wishes to pass this list to A.M.G. XIII Corps.

2. The British Embassy can easily furnish this information but is there not some danger of double-channels here? I should have thought the S.C.A.O., A.M.G., XIII Corps, should apply to the Allied Commission and/or Allied Force Headquarters in the normal way for this information. I know that the Allied Commission has it.

3. Would you consider clarifying this with S.C.A.O., A.M.G. XIII Corps?



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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 594
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 503/160/20

15 December 1945

SUBJECT: Finnish Consul General

TO : Regional Commissioner
Lombardia Region

1. With reference to your letter of 17 November 1945 and further to our signal 9099 of 7 December 1945.

2. Diplomatic relations have not yet been reestablished between Italy and Finland, and the request for Veil to function as an Honorary Consul General should come from his Government and not from him.

3. In view of the above the action described in your paragraph 3 is entirely approved. Until we are approached by the Finnish Government Mr. Veil cannot carry out his duties of Consul General. With reference to your R/2397 of 3 December 1945 the Dutch Consul General in Rome has been asked to make a formal request as soon as possible. We will keep you informed.

For the Chief Commissioner:

B. SANDSON

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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PERIOD B

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AME LOMBARDIA REGION FOR HANNOCK

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13 DEC 45

ROUTINE

DEC 13 1945

UNCLASSIFIED ID

SUBJECT IS CZECHOSLOVAK CONSUL APPOINTMENT OF KAREL TRPAK AS CZECHOSLOVAK
CONSUL IN MILAN APPROVED BY THIS HQ LETTER FOLLOWS ID
PAREN TO AME LOMBARDIA REGION FOR HANNOCK FROM HQ ALDOM OITE ACXEO PAREN

Action on file 584/EC.

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A M G LOMBARDIA REGION

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7 DEC 1965

ROUTINE

CONFIDENTIAL P D

YOUR LETTER OF 21 NOVEMBER REQUESTING VISITING OFFICE GENERAL P D
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HEADQUARTERS
SECOND MILITARY GOVERNMENT
INDONESIA
APO 384

P/2047.

3 December 1945.

Subject: Consul of the Netherlands.

DEC 4 1945

To: 1. Regional Commissioner,
II. - Allied Station.

Mr. L.J. Brouwer heading Allied Forces permit
will be sent by British Military Mission to Netherlands
Embassy and a letter dated 31 Oct 45 from the Dutch
Minister for Foreign Affairs certifying that he is
Consul of the Netherlands at Milan, has called on this
HQ. to introduce himself as such. Mr. Brouwer states
that he personally heard the Dutch Consul General in
London, Mr. F.W. Groenink, when the letter was in the
Netherlands instructions that Mr. Brouwer's appointment
be cleared through AFHQ and Allied Commission HQ.

In the satisfaction of Mr. Brouwer's appointment
as far as has received, any confirmation be sent
to this HQ. as soon as possible please.

A. H. Hancock Col

A. H. HANCOCK.
Colonel,
Regional Commissioner.

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Confidential.

Dear Admiral:

Thank you for your letter (20905/1/MFAA) of the 10th November, about the problems connected with the examination of Italian archives.

2. Our own problem, as you evidently know, is sheer lack of staff in the Foreign Office Italian Archives Section. I have made repeated representations to London and was about to send another when your letter brought me fresh ammunition, for which I was grateful. As a result my representations have succeeded and the staff requested has been authorized.

The statements in your paragraph three I believe to be correct, and I fully concur in your paragraph four.

The suggestions in your paragraph five have been fully discussed with Captain Stevenson, the head of the Foreign Office Italian Archives Section, and as soon as the staff now authorized is received in Rome, it will be possible to start giving real effect to these suggestions. In the meantime, Captain Stevenson is gladly doing his utmost to get things in motion - in fact he and the other three officers of the British element are largely engaged in shifting packing-cases around with their own hands. I believe they expect some American colleagues to join them soon.

Yours very sincerely,

(s) Noel Charles

Rear Admiral Ellery W. Stone,
USNR.

Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission,
Rome.

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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION I, EUROPE
APO 394

Office of Regional Commissioner.

17 November 1945.

NOV 21 1945

Subject : Finnish Consul General.
To : Executive Commissioner,
Region I - Western Hemisphere.

1. Herewith, for necessary action please, apply
action from

Federico Mail

of Via Dei Patti 9, Milan, for application as Honorary
Consul General for Finland.

2. I would mention that this gentleman used the title
of Honorary Consul General on letter headings in order
to obtain an apartment and a motor car permit from the
German-Italian authorities who, on mutual reflection,
brought the case to my notice.

3. I have written informing him that he is to
desist from all consular activities or use letter
headings applying his appointment as Finnish Consul
General, until such time as he is permitted to function
as such.

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A. H. HANCOCK,
Colonel,
Regional Commissioner.

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Milano, 10 Novembre 1945

Alla Direzione Regionale del
A. M. G.
Milano

Il sottoscritto:

FEDERICO WEIL Dottore in legge, suddito italiano, nato a Milano
il 10 Settembre 1882, di religione ebraica, con ufficio in Milano
Via del Piatti n° 9, domicilio in Milano, Via Morozzo della Rocca
si prende la libertà di indirizzare la presente domanda appoggiata
ai dati seguenti:

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Rimasto vacante il posto di Console di Finlandia a Milano, egli
venne nominato Console Onorario di questa Città.

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degli Alleati. La sua carica di Console Generale non gli fu mai
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scritto prega che gli sia accordata la relativa licenza ^{esplic}
tando che si atterrà strettamente alle istruzioni che le Autori-
tà Alleate avranno la cortesia di dargli.

In tale attesa, porge l'espressione dei suoi sentimenti
devoti.



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THE ALLIED COMMISSION
 NO 304
 Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 303/145/40

23 November 1945

Your Excellency,

I am directed to acknowledge your letter No. 1/50/45 of 15 November 1945, and to inform you that the Chief Commissioner of the Allied Commission is agreeable to the appointment of Mr. Edward Linder and Mr. Karol Seyfried as Consul General and Deputy Consul General respectively for Poland in Milan, with jurisdiction over the compartments of Piemonte, Lombardia, Liguria, Emilia, Veneto and Venezia Tridentina.

This information has been passed to the Allied authorities in these areas.

Yours sincerely

M. S. LUEM

Brigadier
 Executive Commissioner

H.M.H. Sol
 The Polish Ambassador
 Via Virgilio 44
 Rome

Copy to: CA Section
 RC Lombardia Region
 RC Piemonte Region
 RC Liguria Region
 RC Venetia Region
 AC LG Bologna

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AMBASSADE DE LA REPUBLIQUE DE POLOGNE

Via Virgilio 44
Tel. 35061

Rome, November 15-th 1945

No. 142
AK/HS

16 NOV 1945

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The Polish Government intends to establish a Consulate General in Milano and already obtained the consentment of the Italian Government.

In view of the present conditions resulting of the Armistice Terms, the Polish Embassy requests the Allied Commission to give its permission to open this Consulate and to facilitate contacts with the Allied Authorities in Northern Italy. There are numerous Polish Citizens in these areas, many of them in the Displaced Persons Camps and the Polish Embassy considers as very important to have the opportunity of giving them the necessary assistance as soon as possible.

The area under the authority of the Consulate General in Milano will contain in principle the following Italian provinces: Alessandria, Asti, Aosta, Cuneo, Novara, Torino, Vercegli, Bergamo, Brescia, Como, Cremona, Mantova, Milano, Pavia, Sondrio, Varese, Genova, Imperia, Savona, La Spezia, Parma, Piacenza, Reggio Emilia, Bologna, Ferrara, Perli, Ravenna, Belluno, Treviso, Belluno, Padova, Rovigo, Trieste, Udine, Venezia, Verona, Vicenza and the Republic of San Marino.

It is quite understandable that in present conditions any activity of the Consulate General in many of the above mentioned provinces will depend on the situation created by the Armistice Terms or special order issued by the Allied Commission.

The Polish Government appointed Mr. Edward Rader as Consul General and Mr. Kamil Seyfried as his deputy.

The consulate staff will be composed of 7 officials.

The Embassy will highly appreciate a prompt decision in the above mentioned question, as the matter is very urgent and the staff of the Consulate General is in Rome already.

THE AMBASSADOR

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THE AMBASSADOR

To the Allied Commission in Italy

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via Vitorio Veneto

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20905/J/MFAA

10 November 1945

My dear Mr. Ambassador:

I am writing to you about the Italian archives at present held by the Joint Diplomatic Research Agency, 56 Via Vittorio Veneto.

As you know, these form part of the archives of ministries and departments of the former Italian Government, and at the time of the liberation were located in Northern Italy. Some of them were originally seized for exploitation by G-2 AFHQ agencies, and by F.W.B.; others were located and secured more recently by the J.D.R.A.'s own officers with the assistance and co-operation of officers of the Allied Commission.

So far as the ultimate disposal of the archives is concerned, there would appear to be no question. I understand that it is the policy of both the State Department and the Foreign Office that Italian archives of every category should finally revert to the custody of the Italian Government - subject of course to over-riding military or political considerations, which will only operate in a small number of cases. Further, I believe that it is agreed that reversion should take place piecemeal, as and when the J.D.R.A. determines that it has no further use for a particular series of archives.

The immediate problem is that amongst the archives held by the J.D.R.A. are records to which it is urgently necessary that the appropriate Italian Government Offices should have access, both for the purposes of day-to-day administration and for the extraordinary needs of the present period of reconstruction - e.g. for the gathering of evidence against Fascist criminals. If access for the purposes mentioned is withheld, the process of handover of governmental control from the Allied Commission to the Italian Government will be rendered more difficult than would otherwise be the case.

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I shall therefore be most grateful if you will consider the following suggestions which are made with a view to increasing the availability of these archives to the Italian Government:-

- (1) An endeavour should be made to increase the speed of handover of documents from the J.D.R.A. to the Italian Government. The circumstances in which these archives were collected prohibited a careful examination of the contents of chests seized, and it is almost certain that these in fact include archives of no interest to the J.D.R.A.. That is urgently necessary, therefore, is an immediate examination by the J.D.R.A. of all archives held with a view to releasing at once those that prove unnecessary for its work. This work of elimination should precede any detailed studies that may later be made of archives retained.
- (2) The residue retained by the J.D.R.A. should be arranged and listed, so that, upon request from Italian ministries concerned, it is possible to indicate reasonably certainly whether or not a particular class of archives is actually held. At the request of the Allied Commission, outline lists of archives held have, in fact, been supplied by the J.D.R.A.. But these do not tally with the details of material that G-2 agents are known to have taken, and the plain fact would seem to be that the J.D.R.A. does not itself know, with even approximate precision, what is held. Six months after seizure, many of the documents still remain unexamined.
- (3) It may be argued that the sorting proposed in (2) above would place an unduly heavy burden upon the officers of the J.D.R.A.. Because of this, it is important that the archivist, appointed by the Italian Government to work with the J.D.R.A. (an appointment made at the request of the Allied Commission and with the agreement of the J.D.R.A.), should be employed at once in the work of arrangement. Having regard to the status of the Italian Government, I cannot feel that security considerations need prevent the immediate employment of an Italian national in this capacity. But if the J.D.R.A. does, in fact, hold certain categories of documents which it

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is thought unwise to divulge, the existence of these should be established during the preliminary examination envisaged in (i) above, and it would not be difficult to arrange that such categories of records should not be seen by the archivist.

Granted a logical arrangement of archives as indicated above, it would be easily possible for the archivist to deal with requests for consultation as they were received, checking whether the records required were actually held and, if they were, submitting the case for decision to the responsible officers of the agency as to whether access would be allowed.

I hope that you will not consider my present recommendations as a criticism of the work of the J.C.R.A. I am aware of the difficulties, such as lack of staff and equipment, which as a new organisation it has had to face, and that the settlement of these is an indispensable preliminary to the work I have suggested. I feel that I should make it clear, however, that a continuance of the present unsatisfactory position will result in serious administrative inconvenience. Under the operation of J.C.R.A. 187, the Allied Commission must necessarily counsel against what is regarded as a hindrance to the effective functioning of the Italian Government.

Your very truly,

Elmer W. Stone

ELMER W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Original copy sent to:

The Hon. Alexander Kirk
U. S. Ambassador
H. E. Sir Noel Charles Bt., K.C.M.G.
British Ambassador

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Ref: 303/138/MC

21 October 1945

SUBJECT: Mr. Androutsis - Greek Government Agent in Milan

TO : Regional Commissioner, Lombardia Region

128.

1. Reference telephone call Administrative Officer/Executive Commissioner's Office of 26 October 45.

2. Herewith copy of our 303/127/MC of 11 October 45, as the original apparently failed to reach you.

3. Will you please accord M. Androutsis every assistance in your power, as requested in our letter.

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1/16 Signed
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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TO : Regional Commissioner, Lombardia Region

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Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 303/22

20 October 1945

SUBJECT: Argentine Consul in Catania

TO : The Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1. The following confidential report concerning Signor Fortunato Milani who, it appears, was Argentine Consul in Catania before the war and who, it is understood, has recently been reinstated in that appointment, has been brought to our notice, and is passed to you for information and any action you may care to take.

"Signor Milani is said to be extremely pro-Fascist, and to have been a regular member of the Fascist party. He is reported to be a person of little culture who, in the past, sought to advance himself in commercial transactions by means of his consular position and his membership in the Fascist party."

/s/ H. S. Lush

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Copy to: Poland (A)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 303/51

13 October 1945

SUBJECT: Argentine Consul in Catania

TO: The Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1. The following confidential report concerning Signor Fortunato Blasi, who, it is said, was Argentine Consul in Catania before the war and who, it is reported, has recently been reinstated in that appointment, has been brought to our notice. It is passed to you for information & any action you may see fit to take.

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2. This Headquarters would be glad to learn whether you are able to say from the information in your possession if the above report is correct, and if so, what action you propose to take in the matter.

M. S. Cuth
Lieutenant
Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
Palau (A)

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HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION
OFFICE OF POLITICAL ADVISOR (A)

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ROME, October 5, 1945

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OCT 11 1945

TO: Executive Commissioner

SUBJECT: Argentine Consul in Catania.

As of possible interest to the Executive Commissioner's Office there is attached hereto the pertinent portions of a confidential report concerning Sr. Fortunato Milani who it appears has recently been appointed Argentine Consul at Catania. This report has been received from the American Consul at Palermo.

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J. Wesley Jones

J. Wesley Jones
Political Advisor (A)

Copy to Poland (B)

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AMERICAN CONSULATE

Palermo, Italy - September 25, 1945

CONFIDENTIAL

"It has been learned from a reliable source that Mr. Milani, who is an Italian national, is the same person who filled the office of Argentine Consul at Catania before the war. He is said to be extremely pro-fascist and to have been a regular member of the Fascist Party. He is reported to be a person of little culture who, in the past, sought to advance himself in commercial transactions by means of his consular position and his membership in the Fascist Party."

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303/127/SC

11 October 1945

Your Excellency.

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I am directed to acknowledge your letter No. 4976 dated 9 October, and to thank you for informing the Chief Commissioner of the appointment of Mr. Pindarus ANDROULIS as provisional Greek Government Agent in MILAN, with jurisdiction over the compartimenti of EMILIA, LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA and TRE VENEZIE, in lieu of Captain Dimitri NICOLAKIETIS.

This information has been passed to the Allied authorities in these areas. You will appreciate however that owing to the present position of VENEZIA GIULIA, it will not be possible for Mr. ANDROULIS to exercise his functions in that area.

Yours sincerely,

M. S. LUSH

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

H.E. G. Brinteris
Greek Delegation to the Advisory
Council for Italy
Rome

Copy to: CA Sec
RD, Lombardia R.
" Piemonte
" Liguria
" Venezia
SCAO AMG XIII Corps
AD LO Bologna

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GREEK DELEGATION
ADVISORY COUNCIL
FOR ITALY

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Rome, October 9, 1945

Ref. No. 4976

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I would therefore be grateful if you would kindly give the appropriate instructions to the competent Allied Authorities in Milan and the above mentioned provinces and also to communicate to the Italian Government this appointment in order that Mr. P. Androulis be given all assistance which might facilitate the fulfillment of his duties.

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Capitaine de Valenceau Houllon,
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Capitaine de Vaisseau Moullec,
French Representative to the Allied Commission
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Reur 5111 not addressed 13 COMPS.

1. General principle is that no consulates will be opened in THIES E as long as AAF is functioning. Application for travel to THIES E by diplomatic or consular reps other than British or US will normally be refused.

2. Appointment of British and US Reps are special cases and in order to maintain principle set out in para one are being given titles "Representative of US Political Adviser at CASERTA" and "British Political Officer" respectively.

3. You should accordingly advise French Rep that appointment of Consul at THIES E is not approved. Parallel action being taken by Foreign Office.

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FROM: MAIN HQ 13 CORPS

TO: ACTION AREA, INFO ALCON, SCAD VERBENA GIULIA

SEP 27 1945

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Reference your 05/091/112/41 of 18 September.

1. Confirmed British Consular representative desirable in TRIESTE.
2. Agreed necessary to avoid creating precedent for appointment of Foreign Consul.
3. Consider title "British Political Officer" suitable. Recommend to be

attached to AME.

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