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RC'S CONFERENCES, AC CORRESPONDENCE
JULY 1944 - APR. 1945

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CS undertook at last SIENA Conf to issue notices of next Conf in 7 days time & it is to be held on or about 1 Nov. PERUGIA was suggested as venue. If date can be decided I will take steps to secure accn & quarters.

18 Oct 44

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Draft at 92 is for approval please.

11 Dec 44

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Extract of Minutes of Executive Commissioner's Meeting held on 6 April 1945.

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ROs Meeting with General CLARK.

A/Ex C announced that it had been arranged for ROs to meet General CLARK at 1030 hrs on Tuesday with CC and A/Ex C. Est Sec were instructed to make the necessary arrangements regarding aeroplane transport for the meeting with General CLARK. Econ Sec asked if a preliminary meeting with ROs could be arranged and this was set for 1030 hrs on Monday in the Conference Room. Brigadier CARR, Colonel [illegible] and Lt. Colonel SCHOLTZ should attend as well as the other ROs of the North.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief Commissioner
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Ref: 216/45/BC. 26 February 1945.

SUBJECT: Acting President's Conference.

TO : Distribution Below.

1. The Acting President will hold a conference to discuss matters pertaining to the Allied Commission on 8 March 1945 at 1000 hours in the Main Conference Hall, Headquarters Building, ROME.

2. The following will be present:

Chief Commissioner.
Executive Commissioner and his Chief Staff Officer
Vice Presidents and their Chief Staff Officers
Directors of Sub-Commissions and their Deputies
DCCAC
Regional Commissioners and their Executive Officers
SCAC's Armies
Russian and French Representatives of the Allied Commission.

3. It is essential that numbers of officers attending should be restricted and only those enumerated above will attend. The Press will not be present.

4. The object of the conference will be to discuss the present and the future, and not to record the activities of the Commission in the past.

5. The meeting will be divided into three parts:

Part I. Opening address by the Acting President, followed by the Chief Commissioner, on the subject of the New Deal for Italy.

Part II. Discussion on problems that Regional Commissioners would like to raise.

Part III. Discussion of problems that Vice Presidents of Sections would like to raise.

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...Conference Hall, Headquarters Building, Rome.

2. The following will be present:

Chief Commissioner.
Executive Commissioner and his Chief Staff Officer
Vice Presidents and their Chief Staff Officers
Directors of Sub-Commissions and their Deputies
DCCAO
Regional Commissioners and their Executive Officers
SCAO's Armies
Russian and French Representatives of the Allied Commission.

3. It is essential that numbers of officers attending should be restricted and only those enumerated above will attend. The Press will not be present.

4. The object of the conference will be to discuss the present and the future, and not to record the activities of the Commission in the past.

5. The meeting will be divided into three parts:

<u>Part I.</u> Opening address by the Acting President, followed by the Chief Commissioner, on the subject of the New Deal for Italy.

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<u>Part II.</u> Discussion of problems that Regional Commissioners would like to raise.

<u>Part III.</u> Discussion of problems that Vice Presidents of Sections would like to raise.

6. There will be no set Agenda, and, except in regard to Part I, it is desired that the meeting should be of a purely business nature. Regional Commissioners in Part II of the meeting will be asked to raise their points in the following order:

SICILIA
SOUTHERN
SARDINIA
LAZIO-UMBRIA
ABRUZZI-MARCHE
VENEZIA
FIRENZE
LOMBARDIA
LIGURIA
EMILIA
TOSCANA

FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE RELATING TO THIS MEETING ON FILE 216/EC.

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In regard to Part III of the meeting, Vice Presidents will be asked to raise their points in the following order:

VP, Political Section
VP, Economic Section
VP, Civil Affairs Section
VP, Establishments Section

Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

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	RC, Sardinia Region	(2)
	RC, Southern Region	(2)
	RC, Lazio-Sabria Region	(2)
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RC, Abruzzi-Marche Region	(2)
RC, Toscana Region	(2)
RC, Emilia Region	(2)
RC, Piemonte Region	(2)
RC, Lombardia Region	(2)
RC, Liguria Region	(2)
RC, Venezia Region	(2)
Russian Representative to AC	(1)
French Representative to AC	(1)
File	(1)
Float	(1)
Spare	(12)

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Extract of Minutes of Executive Commissioner's Meeting - 23 February 1945.

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<u>Regional Commissioners' Meeting.</u> Ex C had prepared for submission to CC an Agenda for the Meeting on 8 March and read this to the meeting. He said there would be nearly 100 people at the RCs' Meeting and that it was very difficult to cut down this number. Ex C said that Generals McNARNEY, [illegible] and SPOFFORD should be invited to attend.
CC had said that he would like it to be a one-day meeting if possible and had asked Ex C to put the question of an Agenda before Heads of Sections. The general opinion was that a set Agenda was not necessary. It was considered that after the A/President and CC had addressed the meeting on the New Deal it should be a purely business meeting. Ex C would put up to A/President, through CC, on these lines.

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Extract of Minutes of Executive Commissioner's Meeting held on 20 February 1945.

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Regional Commissioners' Meeting. Ex C reported that there would be a Regional Commissioners' Meeting on 8 March. No reports were to be made, and an agenda of about 12 subjects would be drawn up. Sections were asked to submit points of high policy for discussion, and ROs should be notified of the meeting and asked for the agenda: this to be done by Ex C's office.

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Regional Commissioners' Meeting. Ex C reported that there would be a Regional Commissioners' Meeting on 5 March. No reports were to be made, and an agenda of about 12 subjects would be drawn up. Sections were asked to submit points of high policy for discussion, and RCs should be notified of the meeting and asked for the agenda; this to be done by ex C's office.

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Extract of Minutes of Executive Commissioner's Meeting held on 16 February 1945.

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Regional Commissioners' Meeting. Ch Sec said that they had an important matter to discuss concerning Displaced Persons Sub-Commission and as other Sections doubtless had outstanding problems asked if a Regional Commissioners' meeting could be arranged. Econ Sec said they would welcome such a meeting. It was agreed that it should take place in Rome.
Ex C stated he had been waiting for the A/President to return to meet RCs in a body and then have a conference. He would take up the matter with DC.

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Extract of Minutes of Chief of Staff's Meeting held on 16 January 1945.

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"Sigma" Conference. COS announced there would be a Conference in Moscow as soon as A/President had received the result of the Washington conversations.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff
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Tel: 478201

11 December 1944.

Ref: 512/94/COS

SUBJECT: Conference for Forward Regions.

TO : SCAO, AMG Fifth Army.
SCAO, AMG Eighth Army.
R.C's LAZIO-UMBRIA, ABRUZZI-MARCHE, TOSCANA, EMILIA, LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA, VENEZIA Regions.
Economic Section.
Civil Affairs Section.
Establishment Section.
Political Section.
DCCAO, HQ A.A.I.
PA to Chief of Staff.

1. It has been decided that the next Conference will not be held until early January.

2. The location is not yet decided but it will probably take place in ROME instead of SIENA.

3. You will be advised of the date and place as soon as possible.

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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BU 18/12
(Capt Hobson)

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SUBJECT: Conference for Forward Regions.

TO : Distribution as Before.

1. It has been decided that the next Conference will not be held until early January.

2. The location is not yet decided but it will probably take place in Rome instead of Siena.

3. You will be advised of the ~~[illegible]~~ date and place as soon as possible.

Rome 11/12

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Office of the Chief of Staff.

Tel. 1735

318/16/COS.

Use of Civilian Hospitals by Italian Military.

20 Nov 1944.

Civil Affairs Section.

file 511

1. With reference to Minute 16 (b) of the Conference at SIENA on 17 Nov 44.

2. This requires action by you and in this connection please also refer to para 8 of the Regional Commissioner's October Monthly Report for TOSCANA Region.

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Chief Staff Officer,
To the Chief of Staff.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff
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Tel: 735

Ref: 512/90/COS

15 November 1944.

CONFERENCE OF FORWARD REGIONS AND ARMY AREA TO BE HELD AT THE PREFETTURA, SIENA, ON 17 NOV 44 at 1000 hrs.

AGENDA

1. Opening Remarks by COS.

   (a) Administration of EMILIA Region.
   (b) Visits by Ministers to Army Areas and AMG Regions.
   (c) Distribution of land (Gazetta Ufficiale 77).
   Not to be implemented in AMG territory.

2. Minutes of the last Meeting.

3. Political situation.

4. Civil Affairs Section.

   (a) Movement of civilians - Move of Control line - Abolition of restricted line.
   (b) Patriots - Rations - Camps.
   (c) Implementation of decrees in forward areas.
   (d) Posting of G.O. 35 (defascism) in forward areas.

5. Civil Affairs Section Hq AAI.

   (a) 2 District Questionnaire, N.W. Italy.
   (b) Move from CHIANCIANO.

6. Economic Section.

   (a) Industrial Coordination Committee, Northern Regions.
   (b) Hiring of transport.

7. Any other business.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff
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Tel : 735

Ref : 512/89/COS.

15 Nov 1944

SUBJECT : Forward Conference SIENA 17 Nov 44.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.
Economic Section.
Political Section.
Establishment Section.

The following extract of letter dated 13 November 44 from Lt.Col. Friend James, Civil Affairs Section, HQ AAI, is forwarded for your information:

" The quickest road to Chianciano is on Route 2 to Radicofani thence turn right. When I went this way last Friday, it was necessary to drive through a ford which was eight inches deep at N795320. Will officers who are proposing to stay at Chianciano please ascertain from Capt. Birch at the Dispatch Office, whether this ford is passable. A message will be sent by the courier from Liguria Region to Captain Birch on 15 Nov. If this shorter route is impracticable, the best way is to proceed on Route 2 to S. Quirico, thence turn right. "

Chief Staff Officer,
To the Chief of Staff.

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Subject:- Accommodation, Siena Conference.

Civil Affairs Section,
HQ Allied Armies in Italy
TEL: [illegible]

To:- Office of Chief of Staff,
HQ Allied Commission

DCCAO 7/3.9
13 Nov 44

1. Confirming conversation (Morton and Friend James speaking).

2. I shall have ascertained on 15 Nov 44, the number of officers which can be accommodated for the nights of 16 and 17 Nov at the Transit Hotel, Siena.

3. Any officers who cannot be accommodated in Siena can go to Chianciano where the three Regional Commissioners will be very pleased to have them.

4. The quickest road to Chianciano is on Route 2 to [illegible] and thence turn right. When I went this way last Friday, it was necessary to drive through a ford which was eight inches deep at [illegible]. All officers who are proceeding to stay at Chianciano please ascertain from Capt. Birch at the Reception Office, whether this ford is passable. A message will be sent by the courier from Liguria Region to Captain Birch on 15 Nov. If this shorter route is impracticable, the best way is to proceed on Route 2 to S. Quirico, thence turn right. I shall telephone Capt. Morton on 15 November to make final arrangements.

Friend James

Lt. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer
for DCCAO

[illegible] 14 NOV 1944 A. C.

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C O P Y

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Subject: Civilian Movement.

Civil Affairs Section
HQ Allied Armies in Italy
Tel: FELICE 132

TO: Office of Chief of Staff,
HQ Allied Commission

DCCA 0/10/1.1
13 Nov 44.

1. Reference your 3610/10/CCS of 9 Nov 44 and confirming conversation (Morden and Friend James speaking).

2. Lt.Col.Gibson, G3I(b) HQ AAI, will be very pleased to attend the next conference at the Prefettura, Siena, on 17 Nov to discuss the item on the agenda dealing with the subject of Movement of Civilians and issue of permits.

3. Colonel Gibson wished to attend as early as possible and I have therefore asked him to be present at 1030 hours which I thought would leave a sufficiency of time for the opening remarks of the Chief of Staff.

(Signed) P.Friend James

Lt Col
Chief Staff Officer
for DCCAO

Copy to:
Lt.Col.Gibson, G3I(b)

Copy 3610 5504

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HEAD QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff

Tel: 735

Ref: 312/86/OCS.

15 November 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference SIENA 17 Nov 44.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.
Economic Section.
Political Section.
Establishment Section.

1. Lt.Col. Friend James advises by telephone that he has made the following accommodation arrangements :

Prefettura SIENA	-	Brig. Upjohn and F.A.
LAMPARDIA Region	-	Col. Young Maj. Magnus
FIRENZE Region	-	Mr. Antolini Mr. Cleveland. Maj. Durie Col. Densmore Col. Adams
LIGURIA Region	-	Col. Finke Mr. Schott Mr. Hopkinson Mr. Taylor

2. The already limited accommodation at SIENA is further reduced due to the fact that there is another conference at the same time and it will be impossible to accommodate anyone else in that town.

3. Before leaving Rq the latest road report should be checked and Col. Friend James strongly recommends that arrangements should be made so that officers arrive at their destination before nightfall.

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Chief Staff Officer,
To the Chief of Staff.

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Tel. 473204

Ref: 3610/10/[illegible]

9 November 1944.

SUBJECT: Civilian Movement.

TO : CSO,
Civil Affairs Section,
HQ AAI.

1. It is desired to review the subject of movement of civilians and issue of permits. The CoS has directed that it be included in the agenda for the next Conference at SIENA on 17 November and it is suggested that our discussions would be aided if Lt Col Gibson, GS I (b) HQ AAI could attend.

2. Will you kindly see if this can be arranged and let me know.

[signature]

Chief Staff Officer,
To the Chief of Staff.

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Copy to file 532/085

[initials] 10/11

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff
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Tel: 478201.

Ref: 512/33/COS. 9 November 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : SCAO, AMG Fifth Army.
SCAO, AMG Eighth Army.
R.C's LAZIO-UMBRIA, ABRUZZI-MARCHE, TOSCANA, EMILIA.
LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA, VENEZIA Regions.
Economic Section.
Civil Affairs Section.
Establishment Section.
Political Section.
DCCAO, HQ AAI Main.
PA to Chief of Staff.

1. The postponed meeting for Forward Regional Commissioners and SCAO's Armies is now arranged for Friday, 17 November, at 1000 hours at the Prefettura, SIENA.

2. Only DCOS's or their Chief Staff Officers are required to attend from this HQ.

3. Any additional items for the agenda or alteration to the names of those attending will be forwarded to me by 1200 hours on 15 November, 1944.

4. Those attending will make their own arrangements for accommodation and if it is required in SIENA should telephone Lt.Col.P.Friend James, Civil Affairs Section, HQ AAI Main. Tel: FILPOT 132.

5. Above confirms signal of today's date (not to all).

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Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

ESS/JG.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff

8th November 1944.

Dear

I just heard on the telephone to-day that you have had a weary and possibly wet two days trip to Siena for a conference which was not held. I am afraid this Headquarters is wrong as usual again. The weather was so vile that we decided on Friday night to postpone the conference until it should clear up, and a signal was sent off to you first thing on Saturday morning. I am really very sorry that you did not get news in time.

If it interests you, the conference has been now arranged (W.P. and D.V.) for the 17th, I fear again at Siena. I again tried for Perugia but without success.

This note goes to you by the hand of Squadron-Leader Leyton, who is a member of the Austrian team and whom G-5 have asked us to give a helping hand ~~to~~. I believe you have already been asked whether you can receive him. I am afraid he has got no transport. That is not for lack of asking on our part. I nearly had a row with Colonel Lewin Harris over the matter last Sunday, when I told him it was quite useless to send officers into forward areas if they could not provide the transport for them. However, he just said that he had not got any transport and that was all there was to it.

Yours

(sgd) [illegible]

Group Captain C. E. Benson, D.S.O.,
S.C.A.O.,
AMG Eighth Army.

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Copy filed in Col Shepps Personal File 3.

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CONFIDENTIAL

FIVE ARMY EIGHT ARMY ABRUZZI MARCHE REGION AQUILA ADV HQ EMILIA REGION AMG

HQ AC

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9 NOV

CONFIDENTIAL

ROUTINE

CHIEF OF STAFF

CONFIDENTIAL PD

SUBJECT IS SIENA CONFERENCE PD

~~PASS TO FIVE ARMY FOR AMG CMA EIGHT ARMY [illegible] FOR AMG CMA ABRUZZI MARCHE REGION AQUILA CMA ADV HQ EMILIA REGION AMG CMA FROM HQ AC PASS~~

CONFERENCE PREVIOUSLY ARRANGED SIENA WILL NOW TAKE PLACE FRIDAY ONE SEVEN NOVEMBER ONE ZERO ZERO ZERO HOURS

Copy sent by ELS to Abruzzi Marche Region pm 9/11

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NICHOLAS [illegible]
MAJOR, AGD
ADJUTANT

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

REF : 4/6.4/CA 7 Nov 44

SUBJECT: Siena Conference. 8 NOV Recd

TO : COS.

I should like the following items put on the Agenda for the Siena Conference.

1 Patriots

Review of functions of Information Division.
Position of Representatives.
Plans of INCP.

2 Implementation of decrees in forward areas.

3 Posting G.O.35 (Defascism) in forward areas.

4 Move of AMG Control line.
Abolition of restricted line.

G.R. UPJOHN Brig,
VP CA Section.

EXT : 525 5458

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Ref MSG. REF 80A
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LRKB V MBZX NR 332 IMPORTANT

FROM MBZX [redacted] 2100

TO LRKB

QQX GR SVC

SVC 486 . SYS 272 . MESSAGE WAS DESAPTCHED ELS
050800 A TO TERNI . DESPATCHED FROM TERNI 060900

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SENT NR 332 2217 WBE B1 K

RCD 2217A HRA

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FIVE ARMY EIGHT ARMY REAR ABRUZZI MARCHE REGION AQUILA TOSCANA REGION AC
ADV HQ EMILIA REGION AMG AAI

HQ AC

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4 Nov 44

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ROUTINE
GAS

RESTRICTED PD

SUBJECT IS SIENA CONFERENCE PD

PAREN TO FIVE ARMY FOR AMG CMA EIGHT ARMY REAR FOR AMG ALSO FOR VENEZIA REGION CMA ABRUZZI MARCHE REGION AQUILA CMA TOSCANA REGION AOM CMA ADV HQ EMILIA REGION AMG CMA (AAI FOR CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION) FROM HQ AC PAREN

OWING TO TRAVEL DIFFICULTIES DUE TO PRESENT WET WEATHER CONFERENCE ARRANGED FOR SIENA EIGHT NOVEMBER POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

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Distribution:
For ACTION : LAZIO-UMBRIA Region
LIGURIA Region
PIEMONTE Region
LOMBARDIA Region

[redacted] Economic Sec.
Civil Affairs Sec.
Establishment Sec.
Political Sec.
C.O.S.

NICHOLAS W. DRAMESFF
Major, AGD
ADJUTANT.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff
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Tel: 478201

Ref: 512/79/003.

30 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : SCAO Fifth Army.
" Eighth Army.
R.C's LAZIO-UMBRIA, ABRUZZI-MARCHE, TOSCANA, EMILIA, LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA, VENEZIA Regions.
Economic Section.
Civil Affairs Section.
Establishment Section
Political Section.
PA to Brig. Loch.
DCCAO AAI.

1. Confirming our advice to you today, the meeting arranged for Forward Regional Commissioners and SCAO's Armies is postponed from 1 Nov to Wednesday, 8 Nov at 1100 hrs, at the Prefettura, SIENA.

2. Only DCS's or their Chief Staff Officers are required to attend from this Hq.

3. Any additional items for the agenda or alteration to the names of those attending will be forwarded to me by 1200 hrs on 6 Nov 44.

4. Those attending will make their own arrangements for accommodation, and if it is required in SIENA should telephone Lt.Col. P. Friend James, Civil Affairs Section HQ AAI.

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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FIVE ARMY AIW HQ EMILIA REGION AMG AMG EIGHT ARMY REAR

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30 Oct 44 OOS

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SIGMA CONFERENCE PD

PAREN TO FIVE ARMY FOR ARG GMA AIW HQ EMILIA REGION ARG GMA ARG EIGHT ARMY REAR

FOR VENEZIA REGION FROM ACC HQ PAREN

POSTPONED FROM ONE NOVEMBER TO EIGHT NOVEMBER AT ONE ZERO ZERO ZERO HOURS

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NICHOLAS W. DRAGNICH
Major, AGD
ADJUTANT

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TO :- HQ. ACC. (For Chief of Staff).

FROM :- HQ. AMG/ACC Abruzzi-Marche Region.

SUBJECT :- Forward Conference.

REF :- R5/501/2D.

DATE :- 26 October 1944.

HEADQUARTERS
27 OCT 1944
C. C.
28 OCT Recd

Reference your 512/68/COS dated 19 October 44.

The representative attending for this Region will be the Regional Commissioner - Lt. Col. C.H.A. French, MC.

FOR REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:

J.D. Scholtz

J.D. SCHOLTZ,
Lt.Colonel,
Executive Officer.

TC/al.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785017

512 C.o.S 1570

Subject:- Accommodation for Conference at Siena, 1 Nov 44

Civil Affairs Section
Hq Allied Armies in Italy
[illegible]

DCCAO/7/5.9
26 Oct 44

[illegible]

To:- Office of Chief of Staff,
HQ ACC
AMG 5th Army
AMG 8th Army
AMG Siena Province

1. Reference this Section's DCCAO/7/5.9 of 25 Oct 44. AMG Siena Province request that officers requiring accommodation will please bring blankets and pillows.

2. As only three beds are available, these will be allotted to the first three officers applying for accommodation. Will officers, therefore, who require to stay please telephone this Section to ascertain if it is necessary for them to bring camp beds with them.

3. OR/EMs will bring their blankets.

Lt. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer
for DCCAO

Copies to:
Col. Nelson W. Monfort
ACC 10 AAI ADV (for information of AMG Piemonte, Liguria and Lombardia Regions)

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HEADQUARTERS 27 OCT 1944 A. C. C.

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512 A C.o.S. 1570

Subject:- Accommodation for Conference at Siena, Nov 44

Civil Affairs Section
HQ Allied Armies in Italy
TEL: PILPOT 252

To:- Office of Chief of Staff, HQ ACC
AMG 5th Army
AMG 8th Army
AMG Siena Province

DCCAO/7/5.9
25 Oct 44

28 Oct Recd

1. Owing to the impending move of Toscana Region from Siena, the Provincial Commissioner of Siena Province has kindly stated that he can accommodate six officers and their drivers at the Prefettura, Siena, for the nights of 31 October and 1 November together with bedding.

2. Will officers who require accommodation please inform this Section.

Robert James

Lt. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer
for DCCAO

Copies to:
Col. Nelson W. Monfort
ACC HQ AAI APO (for information of AMG Piemonte, Liguria and Lombardia Regions).

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27 OCT 1944
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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

FILE : 337 24 October 1944

SUBJECT: Forward Conference

TO : Chief of Staff Hq ACC

1. Reference par 2 your letter 512/68/CCS of 19 October 1944.

2. It is suggested for the Agenda that the messing, location, etc. of Patriots be discussed.

3. The Regional Commissioner, Colonel Robert P. Marshall and his Executive Officer, Lt. Colonel A. H. White will attend the meeting at 1100 hrs on wednesday, 1 Nov 44.

4. No accomodation will be needed for these Officers.

For the Regional Commissioner:

ALEX H. WHITE,
Lt. Col., GL,
Executive Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
25 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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HEADQUARTERS LIGURIA REGION
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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24 October 1944

Ref: LIR/RC/25

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

Recd

TO : HQ, A.C.C., Attention: Chief of Staff.

Reference your letter [illegible] of [illegible] October 1944, the following officers will attend the Forward Conference at [illegible] on Wednesday, 1 November 1944 at 1100 hours:

Lt. Col. [illegible], Regional Commissioner
Major ROBERT E. DOE, Executive Officer

For the Regional Commissioner:

Robert E Doe 5409

ROBERT E. DOE
Major, AGD
Executive Officer

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25 OCT 1944
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Civil Affairs Section
Main HQ Allied Armies in Italy, CMF
Tel: Filpot 56
24 October 1944.

Ref : 512/68/CCS

SUBJECT : Forward Conference

TO : C of S, ACC

20 OCT Recd

1. Major Fielden, Public Relations Director, is anxious that duly vetted Italian newspaper men should be allowed in Army and forward areas. DCCAO and DDPR have discussed the question and it is the desire of DCCAO that it should be studied briefly at the next Forward Conference before any representations are made to CGI (b) AAI.

2. PWB AAI have asked DDPR to assist in obtaining clarification of the situation with respect to newspapers, cinemas and radio in such "intermediate" communities as SIENA and PERUGIA.

3. PWB Eighth Army are expected to communicate to DDPR, before the Conference, their views on an Allied Publications Board ruling issued in August 1944 requesting that CAOs authorise Committees of Liberation to publish their own newspapers in areas still under PWB Eighth Army jurisdiction.

4. It is requested that these items, perhaps under the general designation of Public Relations in Forward Areas, be inserted in the Agenda for the 1 Nov 44 Conference.

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25 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

for Colonel
D.C.C.A.O.

Major

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
GMF
Office of Chief of Staff
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25 October 1944.

Ref: 512/71/CCS.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference SIENA 1 Nov 44.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.
Economic Section.
Establishment Section.

1. For your information the following is the sleeping accommodation available in SIENA for those MG officers who wish to stay there :

At Provincial MG (Lt.Col.Nicholls) - accommodation for six officers and their drivers.

At AAI Civil Affairs Section (Lt.Col.Friend James) - accommodation for one officer and driver.

2. Officers attending the Conference will make their own reservations for the above accommodation.

sgd E.S. Morden

Chief Staff Officer,
to the Chief of Staff.

Copy to: Political Sec

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<u>Colonel Shipp, C.S.O.</u>

Mr. H. A. Caccia intends to attend the next meeting of Forward Regional Commissioners at Sienna on Wednesday, 1st November.

Political Section.
20.10.44.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CMF
Office of the Chief of Staff

Ref : 512/CC/OCS. 19 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : SCAC Fifth Army.
Eighth Army.
R.C's LAZIO-UMBRIA, ABRUZZI-MARCHE, TOSCANA, EMILIA, LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA, VENEZIA Regions.
Economic Section.
Civil Affairs Section.
Establishment Section.
Political Section.
PA to Brig. Lush.
DCCAO AAI.

1. The next meeting for Forward Regional Commissioners and SCAO's Areas will be held at the Prefettura, SIENA, on Wednesday, 1 Nov 44 at 1100 hrs.

2. Items for the Agenda will be forwarded to me by 1200 hrs on 27 Oct 44, together with names of representatives attending.

3. Only RCB's or their Chief Staff Officers are required to attend from this HQ.

4. Those attending will make their own arrangements for accomodation.

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Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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ATTENDING SIENA CONFERENCE 12 Oct 44.

HQ ACC

Chief of Staff
PA
Staff Officer

Civil Affairs Section

~~Brig. Upjohn or~~
Col. Cripps
Col. Spicer

Economic Section

Col. Demsmore
Mr. Antolini
Major Imrie (Food S.C.)

Political Section

Mr. Cacoia

Regions

Col. Hancock
Col. Poletti
Col French

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C.C.

Notices of next fund conf
to go out by 19 Oct.
B/U 18 Oct.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
FIFTH ARMY
APO 464

8th October 1944.

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12 OCT Recd

Subject: Forward Conference.

To : Office of the Chief of Staff,
H.Q., Allied Control Commission.

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1. In reply to your 511/1/COS dated 4th October 1944 received today, it is intended that the following officers of this Headquarters shall attend the conference at Siena on Thursday, October 12th, 1944.

Brigadier General Hume - S.C.A.O.
Colonel Mayne. - D.S.C.A.O.
Lt.Col. Toscani - Supply.

2. It is recommended that a large map of Northern Italy be made available at the meeting, showing the front and the Army Areas, and a copy of this letter is being sent to ACC Advanced Headquarters in the hope that they can arrange this.

E.B.MAYNE,
Colonel, U.D.F.,
Chief of Staff.
AMG FIFTH ARMY.

Copy to:
ACC Advanced HQ, Main AAI.

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HEADQUARTERS
12 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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10 OCT Recd

To: HQ ACC (Office of the Chief of Staff)

From: HQ Abruzzi - Marche Region, ACC.

Subject: Conference.

Ref: RS/501/23.

Date: 9 October 1944.

Reference your 511/1/COS dated 4 October 1944.

1. The representative attending from this Region will be the Regional Commissioner - Lt. Col. C.H. French.

2. The question of the reopening of the Civil Labour Office is forwarded for inclusion in the Agenda.

C.H.A. FRENCH.
Lieut. Colonel.
Regional Commissioner.

TC/rgy

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CMF
Office of the Chief of Staff
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REF: 512/63/003. 10 October 1944.

AGENDA FOR CONFERENCE OF FORWARD REGIONS AND ARMY AMG's to be held at the Prefettura, SIENA, on 12 October 1944 at 1000 hours.

1.	Opening Remarks.	
2.	Minutes of the last meeting.	
3.	Political Situation.	
4.	Temporary re-assignment of Northern Regional Staffs in certain eventualities.	Civil Affairs Sec.
5.	ACC policy towards Patriot bodies behind the battle line.	Regional item.
6.	Stockpiles of grain for food in Provinces.	Regional item.
7.	Clothing and equipment of soldiers attached to Regions.	Regional item.
8.	Tyres and tubes for motor vehicles.	Regional item.
9.	Any other business.	

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HEADQUARTERS REGION VIII

...IED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

Cof S.

File Ref: RVIII/83/87 Date: 8 Oct 44

SUBJECT: Agenda for conference at SIENA, 12 Oct 44.

TO: Chief of Staff, AC.

1. In compliance with letter (511/1/COS) dated 4 Oct 44, from C of S, AC, the following subjects are submitted for inclusion in the agenda of the subject conference:

a. AC policy toward Patriot organizations or organizations of Patriots behind the battle line as opposed to individual Patriots.

b. Stockpiles of grain for food in provinces.

c. Carabinieri clothing.

d. Clothing and equipment of soldiers attached to Regions.

e. Tires and tubes for motor vehicles.

f. Extension of zone in which fishing is permitted.

ROBT. G. KIRKWOOD,
Colonel, FA, US Army,
Regional Commissioner.

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REGION VIII HEADQUARTERS A.C.C. 8 OCT 1944 OFFICIAL

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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

7 October 1944

8 OCT Recd

SUBJECT: Forward Conference

TO : Chief of Staff, Hq ACC

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1. Reference par 2 your letter 511/1/COS of 4 October 1944.

2. It is suggested for the Agenda that the question of the attachment, assignment and control of Piemonte Region Officers be cleared by an Allied Commission order.

3. The Regional Commissioner, Colonel Robert F. Marshall and his Executive Officer, Lt. Colonel A. H. White will attend the meetings at 1000 hours and 1515 hours on the 12th instant.

4. No accomodations will be needed for either of these officers.

For the Regional Commissioner:

A. H. WHITE
Lt. Col. GL
Exec. Officer

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO - 394

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6 October 1944
7 OCT Recd

SUBJECT: Conference - 12 October 1944

TO : Colonel G. W. I. SHIPP
Civil Affairs Branch
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission

Colonel Arthur Hancock and I will attend the two meetings on 12 October 1944.

Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Colonel
Regional Commissioner

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MAIN AMG EIGHTH ARMY

ACC MAIN

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7 October

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PRIORITY

CHIEF OF STAFF

YOUR MIKE SIX ZERO SIX OF FIVE OCTOBER REFERS PD PAREN TO MAIN AMG EIGHTH ARMY FROM ACC MAIN PAREN PD CONFERENCE AT SIENA NOW ONE TWO NOT REPEAT NOT ONE ONE OCTOBER PD SUGGEST YOU COME EVENING NINE OCTOBER BUT DELIGHTED SEE YOU ANY TIME AND STAY WITH ME

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L.T.MONTANT, JR, 1st Lt, AGD, Adjt.

A.J.STEWART, Major, MA to Chief/Staff

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: HQ ACC FOR BRIG LUSH

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 101/05

FROM: MAIN AND 8TH ARMY

CLASSIFICATION:

6 OCT Recd

REFERENCE No: MC06

PRECEDENCE: IMPORTANT

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 051700A

OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

RESTRICTED. Is it convenient me come ROME arriving evening 8th and proceeding from there with you to SIENA 10th.

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ACTION: C.O.S. 2
INFO: A/CC
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Col Shipp

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HEADQUARTERS 1944 A.C.C.

EC I do not know your movements but I suggest reply

Conference at SIENA ... 12 ... suggest you come evening ... [illegible]

... any time and stay with me.

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PRECEDENCE: IMPORTANT

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 051700A OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

RESTRICTED. Is it convenient me come ROME arriving evening 8th and proceeding from there with you to SIENA 10th.

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EC I do not know your [illegible]
but I suggest [illegible]
Conference at SIENA [illegible]
suggest you come evening 9th but [illegible]
you any time and stay with me.

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PA [illegible] Issue [illegible]

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CMF
Office of the Chief of Staff
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4 October 1944.

Ref: 502/2/COS.

SUBJECT: Conference.

TO : Lt.Col.Friend James, ACC Adv HQ.

1. Confirming Capt. Oden's telephone conversation with you today with reference to your letter ACCA/369 dated 1 Oct 44, copy to this HQ, it is not desired to proceed with arrangements for a Conference at 1000 hrs on 12 Oct 44 at HQ AAI.

2. Instead the Conference for SCAO's and Forward Regions will be held at 1000 hrs on 12 Oct 44 at the Prefettura SIENA followed by the Conference at HQ AAI at 1515 hrs on the same date. In the event of the Agenda not having been completed arrangements will be made to release from the Prefettura Conference those officers required at 1515 hrs at HQ AAI.

L. W.

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CMF
Office of the Chief of Staff
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REF :511/2/COS. 4 October 44.

SUBJECT : Forward Conference.

TO : LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA & TOSCANA Regions.

1. In a notice issued today giving date of the next Forward Conference, on 12 October, those attending have been asked to make their own arrangements for accommodation.

2. Should you receive applications I am sure I can count on your hospitality to the extent of any accommodation you may have available for the nights of 11 and 12 October 44.

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CMF
Office of the Chief of Staff
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REF : 511/1/COS. 4 October 1944

SUBJECT : Forward Conference.

TO : SCAO Fifth Army
" Eighth Army.
R.C.s Regions Lazio, Abruzzi-Marche, Toscana, Emilia, Liguria, Piemonte, Lombardia, Venezia.
Economic Section
Civil Affairs Section
Sub Commission Section
PA to Brig. LUSH
ACC. L.O. AAI, Adv.
~~ACC Adv. H.Q.~~
Political Section

1. The next meeting for Forward Regional Commissioners and SCAO's Armies will be held at SIENA on Thursday 12 Oct 44, at 1000 Hrs.

2. Items for the Agenda will be forwarded to me by 1200 hrs on 10 October together with names of representatives attending.

3. Only DCS's and their Chief Staff Officers are required to attend from this HQ. as with the limited time available for the Conference only items of major policy will be discussed.

4. Those attending will make their own arrangements for accomodation.

5. Copy of letter to LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA, and TOSCANA Regions is attached for your information.

6. The attention of SCAOs & RCs PIEMONTE, LIGURIA & LOMBARDIA Regions is drawn to a further Conference at 15.15 hrs. on the same date as advised direct by ACC Advanced HQ.

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Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

PA "or" Done 6/10

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HEADQUARTERS LIGURIA REGION
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

23 September 1944

Ref: RC/5

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section, Headquarters, A.C.C.

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Reference your letter 784/49/CA of 21 September 1944, subject as above, Lt. Col. G.G. FEASEY, Regional Commissioner, and Lt. Col. EUGENE R. McPHEE, Provincial Commissioner of Genoa Province, will be the representatives of this Region at the next meeting for Forward Regional Commissioners and A.M.G. Armies to be held at SIENA on 27 September 1944.

HEADQUARTERS
20 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

G.G. Feasey

G.G. FEASEY
Lt. Col., R.A.
Regional Commissioner

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Subject:- Forward C[illegible]ference

ADV H.Q. ALLI[illegible] ARMIES IN ITALY

To:- R.C. & M.G. Section
Headquarters, A.C.C.

Ref:- LA/2
24 Sept 1944

Reference your 784/49/CA dated 21 Sept 44, please note in regard to para:-

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2. (a) Nil

2. (b) Major A.W.CUNINGHAME
(A.C.C. Liaison Officer)
Adv H.Q. A.A.I.

A W Cuninghame

Major,
A.C.C. L.O.

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HEADQUARTERS REGION XII
Allied Control Commission
A P O 394

TO : HQ. A.C.C.,
R.C. & M.G. Section.

24 September 1944

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

FILE No: RXII/334

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1. Reference letter 784/49/CA, dated 21 September 1944.

2. In the absence of Brigadier J.K. Dunlop, OBE, MC, TD, Regional Commissioner, Region XII, who is now located at Cattolica, this conference will be attended by Colonel Carl M. Devers, Executive Officer, Region XII.

for Regional Commissioner

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

1770/31-1 Tel. 489081 Ext. 414 24 September 1944

SUBJECT : Forward Conference.

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section.

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1. Ref 784/49/CA of 21 Sept 44.

2. Col.C.B. Findlay Director this Sub-Commission will attend the conference.

3. There are no items for the Agenda.

For the Director.

K.C. BROWN
Major.
O. i/c ADM.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APO 394

Ref. 46/PAT

25 Sept 44.

Subject: Forward Conference.

To: Civil Affairs.

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1. Reference your 784/49/CA of 21 Sept.

2. The officer attending this Conference will be Col. C.D. McCARTHY, plus one Driver.

3. Brigadier LUSH is to raise the question of directives for Patriots raised by 5th Army AMG.

C.D. McCarthy Col

C.D. McCARTHY,
Colonel,
Patriots Branch,
R.C. & M.G. Section.

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SIENA CONFERENCE - 27 September 1944

LIST of Officers attending from H.Q. A.C.C.

Section or Branch	Name
Civil Affairs	Executive Commissioner P.A. Lt.Col.Shipp Capt. Morden
Establishment	Col. Finke
Patriots	Col. McCarthy
D.P.R.S.C.	Col. Findlay
Political	Mr. Caccia
Economic Section	Mr. Antolini
Commerce	Col. Evans
Finance	Major Timmons
Food	Lt.Col.Stewart
Industry	Col. Todd May Maskrey
P.W. & U.	Major Westwood
Transportation	Col. Adams Lt.Col.Borlass
Administrative	Brig. Upjohn
P.H.	Brig. Parkinson
Legal	Col. Behrens
F.S.	Major Wilson
Public Relations	Major Bullock Major Leacacos

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Patriots	Col. McCarthy
D.P.R.S.C.	Col. Findlay
Political	Mr. Caccia
Economic Section	Mr. Antolini
Commerce	Col. Evans
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Administrative	Brig. Upjohn
P.H.	Brig. Parkinson
Legal	Col. Behrens
P.S.	Major Wilson
Public Relations	Major Bullock Major Lesseos

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Additional items for discussion

1. ELSA - 2000 ex-soldiers available. Suitable for Carabinieri.

2. Material for ACC/ARG history.

3. Locations of HQs forward Regions.

4. Geographical designation of Regions.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED [illegible] COMMISSION
R.C. [illegible] SECTION
APO 394

Ref/784/35 /CA. 25 September 1944

AGENDA [illegible] MEETING [illegible] PROVINCIAL [illegible]
[illegible] to be held at the Prefettura,
SIENA, on 27 September 1944, at 1100 hrs.

1. Opening Remarks.
2. Minutes of the last Meeting.
3. Political Section.
4. Points to be raised by SCAOs and PCs.
5. Points to be raised by R.C. [illegible] Section :-
   (a) [illegible]
   (b) [illegible] for Students.
6. Points to be raised by [illegible] Section.
7. Points to be raised by Administrative Section :-
   (a) [illegible] in forward areas.
8. Public Safety Branch.- Visits of Italian [illegible] to Army areas.
9. Any other business.

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HEADQUARTERS REGION VIII (TUSCANY)

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

CA 46

File Ref: RVIII/49/22 **Date:** 22 Sep 44

2 5 SEP Recd

SUBJECT: Accommodation SIENA.

TO: Executive Commissioner, HQ, ACC.

1. For the time being the town of SIENA is very congested. Amenities available in the past have ceased. Sleeping accommodation for 3 or 4 Officers only is available at the Transit Mess(Prefettura) for which previous notice is essential. Since the Hostel Studente has been taken over by higher authority, visiting Italian Employees cannot be accommodated in the town. If the various branches of HQ, ACC could be made acquainted with the above conditions disappointment and inconvenience would be avoided.

ROBT. G. KIRKWOOD,
Colonel, FA, US Army,
Regional Commissioner.

GPI/ap.

Copy to:-
L.O., A.A.I. (The inconvenience caused to the present occupants of the Hostel is regretted).

HEADQUARTERS 24 ... C. C.

Pass on to all Concerned

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HEADQUARTERS REGION ACC 23 SEP 1944 OFFICIAL 8362

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS 25 SEP 1944 A. C. C.

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TO: HQ ACC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 65/24

FROM: AMG REGION 8

CLASSIFICATION: IN CLEAR

REFERENCE No: 2/5

PRECEDENCE: IMPORTANT

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: SEP 241330A

OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

25 SEP Rec'd

REF CONFERENCE SIENA 27 SEP. CAN ACCOMMODATE UP TO TEN OFFRS AND TEN EM/OR IN OUR MESSES ON 26 AND OR 27 SEP IF REQUIRED. ACCN WILL BE DORMITORY FASHION. WE CAN PROVIDE BEDS, AND RATIONS BUT BLANKETS SHOULD BE BROUGHT. ACCN ALREADY FIXED FOR MAJ WESTWOOD. PLEASE SUBMIT NAMES OF OTHERS OFFICERS AND DATES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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ACTION - CA Br (2)
INFO - A/CC
ADMIN SEC
ECONOMIC SEC
FILE (2)
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No action necessary by CA Br except to Adm Sec for Info

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CLASSIFICATION: IN CLEAR

REFERENCE No 2/5 PRECEDENCE: IMPORTANT

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN SEP 241330A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: 25 SEP Recd

REF CONFERENCE SIENA 27 SEP. CAN ACCOMMODATE UP TO TEN OFFRS AND TEN EM/OR IN OUR MESSES ON 26 AND OR 27 SEP IF REQUIRED. ACCN WILL BE DORMITORY FASHION. WE CAN PROVIDE BEDS, AND RATIONS BUT BLANKETS SHOULD BE BROUGHT. ACCN ALREADY FIXED FOR MAJ WESTWOOD. PLEASE SUBMIT NAMES OF OTHERS OFFICERS AND DATES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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ACTION - CA Br (2)
INFO - A/CC
ADMIN SEC
ECONOMIC SEC
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No action necessary by CAB except to tell Adm & Econ Sections that they must send own details.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

[illegible].4/12 21 Sep 44 [illegible]

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SUBJECT : Forward Conference.

TO : RC & MG Sec.

1 Reference your 784/48/44 dated 21 Sep 44, subject above, the following officers of the Admin Sec will attend the conference at [illegible] on Wed. 27 Sep 44.

Brigadier [illegible]	V.P. Admin Sec
Brigadier C.S. [illegible]	Public Health
Colonel W.E. [illegible]	Legal
Major Frank C. WILSON	Public ~~Health~~ SAFETY

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2 The proposed item for the agenda is :
Defascisting in Forward Area.

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Lt. Col Inf
for V.P. Admin Sec

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.G. & M.G. Section
APO 394

22 September 1944.

Ref/794/51/CA.

The next Conference for Forward Regions and Army Affs is at SHAEF on Wednesday 27 September 44, and I hope you will be agreeable to extend to those desiring it the accommodation facilities you have so kindly placed at our disposal in the past.

So much labour has resulted in finding out the numbers desiring your hospitality that on this occasion I have asked people to make their own arrangements with you direct.

I hope to be with you on the nights of 26 and 27 September 44.

Brigadier J.K. Dunlop, O.B.E., M.C.
Regional Commissioner,
Region XII.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. Section
APO 394.

22 September 1944.

RoC/784/50/CA.

I would like again to impose on your hospitality for the next Conference at SIENA and should be grateful if you could accommodate myself and one other Officer plus driver.

If convenient to you I would like to stay with you on three nights, 25, 26 and 27 September 44.

Brigadier J.E. Dunlop, O.B.E., M.C.
Regional Commissioner,
Region XII.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

REF : 78/49/CA.

21 September 44.

SUBJECT : Forward Conference

TO : SCAO Fifth Army.
" Eighth Army.
R.C.s Regions IV,V,VIII,IX,Piemonte, Liguria,XI,XII.
Political Section.
Economic Section.
C.A. ~~Admin.~~ Section.
Establishment ~~Branch.~~ Section
~~Refugee Branch.~~ Rehabilitation
Displaced Persons, Sub-Commission.
Patriot Branch.
PA to Brig. Lush.
ACC. L.O. AAI. Adv. and Main.

1. The next meeting for Forward Regional Commissioners and A.M.G. Armies will be held at SIENA on Wednesday 27 September at 1100hrs.

2. Items for the Agenda must be forwarded to this Branch by 1200 hrs 25 September, together with names of representatives attending.

3. Those attending will make their own arrangementsfor accommodation. Those wishing to be accommodated at HQ. Region XII will give the Regional Commissioner 48 hours notice, and include the number of Offrs/EM /Italian drivers to be billetted. Rations will be carried.

for [signature] Lt.Col

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Forward Conference SIZIA 13 Sep 44.

Additional items for Agenda:

1. Obtain views of SCAO 5 Army on labour situation LIVORNO.

2. Policy in event of crimes committed by Patriots before Allied occupation.

3. Policing of SIZIA with Italians.

4. Region IV submitted these items after Agenda was printed:

   (a) Inequality of rations.

   (b) Refugees.

   (c) Rehousing.

5. Region XII submitted these items after Agenda was printed:

   (a) Higher Command of the attached Italian Platoon.

   (b) Vehicle registration. Any further developments.

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LIST OF OFFICERS ATTENDING

SIENA CONFERENCE - 13 September 1944.

Branch or Region	Name	Billet	Remarks
	Executive Commissioner	Region XII	
	PA.	" "	
Civil Affairs Br.	Lt. Col. Shipp	" "	
	Major Talbot	" "	
Estab.	Col. Farren	" "	
Patriots	Col. Mc.Carthy	" "	
	Lt. Col. Jansen	" "	
IDPSC.	Col. Findlay	- -	Own arrangements for billeting.
Refugees	Major Dunally	Region XII	
Political	Mr. Caccia	" "	
	Mr. Shott	" "	
Economic Sec.	Mr. Antolini	- -	
" "	Mr. Villa	- -	Own arrangements for billeting.
Agriculture	Col. Hartman	- -	
Food	Col. Legg	- -	
PW. & U.	Lt. Col. Thompson	- -	
Transport	Lt. Col. Burdass	Region XII	
" "	Col. Adams	" "	
Industry	Lt. Cmdr. Schlee	" "	
Finance	Col. Grafftey Smith	" "	
Admin. Sec.	Col. Cripps	" "	
Interior	Capt. Temple	" "	
P.S.	Major Harvey	" "	
SCAO Fifth Army			
" Eighth Army	Gp. Capt. Benson	- -	
Region IV.	Col. Poletti	Region XII	
" V.	Lt. Col. French	Siena	
" VIII.	Col. Kirkwood	-	
" VIII.	Col. Johnson	-	
	Lt. Col. Nicholls	-	
Region IX.	Lt. Col. Bowman	Region XII	
	Lt. Col. Hartley	" "	
	Lt. Col. Whinerey	" "	
Liguria	Lt. Col. Feasey	Siena	
Piemonte	Col. Marshall	"	
	Lt. Shouse		
Region II	Col. Hancock	Region XII	
	~~Lt. Col. Morley Fletcher~~	" "	
Region XII	Brig. Dunlop	- -	

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ILFSC.	Lt. Col. Jackson	- -	Own arrangements for billeting.
Refugees	Col. Findlay	Region XII	
Political	Major Dumolly	" "	
	Mr. Caccia	" "	
Economic Sec.	Mr. Shott	- -	
" "	Mr. Antolini	- -	Own arrangements for billeting.
Agriculture	Mr. Villa	- -	
Food	Col. Hartman	- -	
PW. & D.	Col. Legg	- -	
Transport	Lt. Col. Thompson	- -	
" "	Lt. Col. Boardman	Region XII	
Industry	Col. Adams	" "	
Finance	Lt. Cmdr. Schloe	" "	
Admin. Sec.	Col. Grafftey Smith	" "	
Interior	Col. Crippe	" "	
P.S.	Capt. Temple	" "	
SCAC Fifth Army	Major Harvey		
" Eighth Army	Op. Capt. Benson	- -	
Region IV.	Col. Polatti	Region XII	
" V.	Lt. Col. French	Siena	
" VIII.	Col. Kirkwood	-	
" VIII.	Col. Johnson	-	
	Lt. Col. Nicholls	-	
Region IX.	Lt. Col. Bowman	Region XII	
	Lt. Col. Hartley	" "	
	Lt. Col. Whinerey	" "	
Liguria	Lt. Col. Feasey	Siena	
Piemonte	Col. Marshall	"	
	Lt. Shouse		
Region II	Col. Hancock	Region XII	
	~~Lt. Col. Hanley Fletcher~~	" "	
Region XII	Brig. Dunlop	- -	
ACC. LO.			
Adv. AAI.	Major Cunningham	- -	
Main AAI.	Lt. Col. Friend James	- -	

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10 Sep 44

CONFIDENTIAL
PRIORITY
Civil Affairs Branch

OUR LETTER NINE SEPTEMBER REQUESTED RESERVATION ACCOMMODATION FOR TWO OFFICERS FOR TWELVE AND THIRTEEN SEPTEMBER PD [illegible] TO ACO REGION VIII FROM [illegible] PD PLEASE INCREASE TO SIX AND INFORM US LOCATION OF ACCOMMODATION

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L.T. [illegible] JR.
1st Lt, [illegible],
ADJUTANT

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION IV
APO 394

R/5296 & 9 September, 1944

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : HQ. Allied Control Commission
RC and MG Section.

1. The following subjects are submitted for inclusion in the Agenda at the Conference on 13 September.

2. (a) Inequality of rations.
(b) Refugees.
(c) Rehousing.

For the Regional Commissioner:

A.D.BONHAM-CARTER
Lt.Colonel
Executive Officer(Provinces)

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HEADQUARTERS REGION XII
Allied Control Commission
APO 394

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TO : H.Q. A.C.C., (RC & MG Section) 9 September 1944

10 SEP Recd

SUBJECT: Forward Conference

FILE NO: RXII/337/ACC

1. The following matters are submitted as points of discussion at the Executive Commissioner's Conference to be held at Siena, Wednesday next, 13 September.

A) The provision and recruitment of Carabinieri.

B) The higher command of the attached Italian platoon.

C) Vehicle registration. Any further developments.

John K. Dunlop, Brigadier
Regional Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

9 September 1944.

Ref/704/12/CA.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference 13 Sept 44.

TO : As below

As requested by you accommodation has been reserved as below for nights 12 and 13 Sept 44 at HQ Region XII CHIANCIANO (SIENA).

All concerned should be warned that CHIANCIANO is without electricity and that rations should be carried;

Region IV	One Officer
Liguria Region	One Officer, one OR/EM
Region IX	Three Officers, two OR/EM
Region XI	Two Officers, one OR/EM
Political Section	" " " "
Economic Section	" "
Admin Section	Three Officers, one OR/EM

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Establishment Br	One Officer, one OR/EM
Ital Refugee Br	" "
Patriot Br	Two Officers, one OR/EM
PA to Exec. Com.	Two Officers, one PA, three OR/EM
C.A.Br.	Two Officers, one OR/EM

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

9 September 1944.

Ref/794/[illegible]/CA.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference 13 Sept 44.

TO : Piedmonte Region.

As requested by you accommodation has been reserved as below for nights 12 and 13 Sept 44 at the Excelsior Transit Hotel, SIENA:

One Officer, one OR/EM.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
COLONEL,
DEPUTY EXECUTIVE
COMMISSIONER.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/784/39/CA.

9 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference 13 Sept 44.

TO : R.C. Region V.

As requested by you accommodation has been reserved as below for nights 12 and 13 Sept 44 at the Excelsior Transit Hotel, SIENA:

One Officer, one OR/EM.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
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REF : SL/39/CA.

SUBJECT : Forward Conference 13 September 44.

TO : R.C. Region VIII.

1. Two officers and two OR/~~xx~~/Italian drivers desire to stay in SIENA on the nights of 12 and 13 September. It would be appreciated if you would reserve accommodation for the officers (Lt. Col. French and Col. Marshall) at the Excelsior Transit Hotel. It might be wise to reserve any two other rooms as well in case of emergency if this is possible.

2. Lt. Col. Bardoss and Lt. Cmdr. ~~Schler~~ Schlee will arrive by plane at SIENA airport at 0950 on 13 September 44. Could you please arrange for a car to collect them.

also Lt Col [illegible]
Col Hancock
Lt Col [illegible]
Maj [illegible]

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive,
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R. C. & M.G. Section
APO 394.

Ref/754/58/CA. 9 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference 13 Sept 44.

TO : R.C. Region XII.

1. Referring to your kind offer of accommodation for those attending the Conference twenty one Officers including the Executive Commissioner and his Secretary would like to avail themselves of your hospitality. As far as can be ascertained at the present there will also be fourteen OR/EM/Italian drivers.

2. All will be arriving for the night of Tues. 12 Sept but the number who might also like to stay on the 13 Sept is problematical, as some may return to HQ or travel on elsewhere, depending on the time the Conference ends. There are two Officers who will arrive on the morning of the Conference and would like to stay that night only.

3. I hope that these large numbers will not be stretching your hospitality too far.

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NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Tel.Ext.310

HEADQUARTERS
ITALIAN REFUGEE BRANCH
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

9 SEP Recd 30

9 September 1944

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SUBJECT: Forward Conference

TO : R.C. and M.G. Section, HQ Allied Control Commission.

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Reference para 3 (G) of your Ref/784/23/CA dated 30 Aug 44 on above subject, the representative from this Branch to attend the conference will be Major K.P.R.S. Dunolly.

Dunolly Major

for L.R. HULLS,
Colonel.,
Director.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

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TO: HQ ACC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 60/8

FROM: AMG MAIN 8TH ARMY

CLASSIFICATION: RESTRICTED

REFERENCE No: M/527 16

PRECEDENCE: NONE 9 SEP Recd

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: SEP 081130B

OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

REFERENCE YOUR 784/23/CA DATED 30 AUG 44 REGARDING FORWARD CONFERENCE.

SCAO WILL ATTEND.

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CLASSIFICATION: RESTRICTED

REFERENCE No: M/527 PRECEDENCE: NONE 19 SEP Recd

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: SEP 081130B OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

REFERENCE YOUR 784/23/CA DATED 30 AUG 44 REGARDING FORWARD CONFERENCE. SCAO WILL ATTEND.

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TO : HQ., ACC. , For R.C.& M.G.Section)
FROM : HQ.,Region V - AMG.
SUBJECT : Forward Conference.
REF : R5/501/20.
DATE : 7 Sept.44.

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8 SEP Recd

Reference your 784/25/CA dated 30 August 44.

The representative attending from this Region will be:-

Lt.Col. C.H.A. FRENCH - Regional Commissioner.

For Regional Commissioner:

A.A. Pascarella

A.A. PASCARELLA,
WO JG USA
Adjutant.

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HEADQUARTERS REGION IX
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

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Ref RIX/HQ/C/1/1 Date 7 September 1944

Subject Forward Conference. 8 SEP Recd

To Headquarters, Allied Control Commission (A.C. and MG Section), APO 394.

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1. Ref. your letter, same subject, Ref/784/23/CA, par 3b, dated 30 August 1944.

2. The following representatives from this region will attend:

Lt Col Alfred C. Bowman	Regional Commissioner
Lt Col P. C. Hartley	Executive Officer
Lt Col R. W. Whineray	PC, Modena Province

For the Regional Commissioner:

LUANE D. FREESE
Capt, CMP
Adjutant

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION IV
APO 394

R/5272 — 5 September, 1944

7 SEP Recd

SUBJECT: Forward Conference

TO : HQ Allied Control Commission
RC and MG Section

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Reference your 784/23/CA dated 30 August, Colonel Charles Poletti, Regional Commissioner, will attend the conference at Siena on 13 September.

For the Regional Commissioner:

A.D. Bonham-Carter

A.D.BONHAM-CARTER
Lt.Colonel
Executive Officer(Provinces)

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5 September, 1944

R/5272

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SUBJECT: Forward Conference

TO : HQ Allied Control Commission
RC and MG Section

16

Reference your 784/23/CA dated 30 August, Colonel Charles Poletti, Regional Commissioner, will attend the conference at Siena on 13 September.

For the Regional Commissioner:

A D Bonham-Carter

A.D.BONHAM-CARTER
Lt.Colonel
Executive Officer(Provinces)

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Allied Control Commission
APO 394

5 September 1944

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My dear Brannin

Many thanks for your letter of the 1st.

I had already assumed that we should have the pleasure of the company of some of the Siena party on the 12th and 13th and had written officially to say so.

It would be a help if you can give us approximate numbers before hand, but don't worry if the estimate is a bit vague. We can put up lots of folk here. I hope some of our own teams may be on the way by then.

We are certainly looking forward to having you personally with us. Your visit is long overdue.

Yours ever

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Brigadier Maurice Lush OBE,MC
HQ Allied Control Commission
(RC & MG Section)

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION VIII

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RVIII/83/79.

5th September, 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : Executive Commissioner, Hq. A.C.C. ✓ 16

As contemplated by par. 3(b) Ref/784/23/CA from Hq. Allied Control Commission dated 30th August, 1944, the following representatives of Region VIII will attend the conference to be held in SIENA on 13th September, 1944:

Regional Commissioner:	Colonel Robt. G. Kirkwood	(A)
Executive Officer :	Colonel George T. Johnson	(B)
Prov. Comm. SIENA :	Lt.Col. E. H. J. Nicholls	(B)

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ROBT. G. KIRKWOOD,
Colonel, FA, US Army
Regional Commissioner.

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Exec. Offr.
P.C. SIENA.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
ECONOMIC SECTION
APO 394

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6 September 1944
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SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section

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1. Reference your 784/23/CA dated 30 Aug. para 3 (b).

2. Names of representatives attending are as follows:

Mr. A.G. Antolini	-	Economic Section
Mr. A.L. Villa	-	" "
~~Col. G.D. Murphey~~	-	" "
~~Mr. J.S. Heizer~~	-	" "
Col. W.A. Hartman	-	Agriculture Sub-Commission
Col. W.J. Legg	-	Food Sub-Commission
Lt.Col. V.S. Thompson	-	Public Works & Utilities S/C
Ind. Sigma → Lt.Col. J.H. Bordass	-	Transportation Sub-Commission
~~Maj. W.E. Mydens~~	-	~~Industry Sub-Commission~~
Ind. Sigma — Lt Col. Seller	-	Industry Sub-Comm.
Col Adams		

N.W. Hind-Smith Capt R.A.

N.W. HIND-SMITH, Capt., R.A.
S.O.3. (CA), Economic Section

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Executive Director

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HEADQUARTERS
INTERNEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS SUB-COMMISSION
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

IDP/1361/31-1 Tel. 489081 Ext. 392 4 September 44

SUBJECT : Forward Conference

TO : Deputy Excutive Commissioner R.C. and MG Section

1. Ref. your 784/23/CA dated 30 August 44.

2. Colonel C.B. Findlay, Director, Internees and Displaced Persons Sub-Commission will attend the conference to be held on Wednesday 13 September.

For the Director:

C.F.FOTHERGILL
Lt. Col.
Deputy Director

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APO 394

2nd September 1944

A SEP Recd

Ref. 46/19/PAT.

Subject : Forward Conference.

To : Deputy Executive Commissioner
A.C.C.

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1. Reference your 784/23/CA of 30 August.

2. The following are the names of representatives of the Patriot Branch who will attend the conference on 13 September: -

Col. C.D. Mc CARTHY
Lt. Col. JANZEN
~~Major B.L. DROBE~~

C. D. Mc CARTHY
Colonel,
Patriots Branch.
R.C. & M.G. Section.

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Subject:- Forward Conference. 3 Sep 44.

To:- R.C. & M.G. Section,
HQ. A.C.C.

From:- A.C.C. Liaison, Ref. ACCL/316.
HQ. A.A.I.

1. Reference your 784/23/CA of 30 Aug 44.

2. I shall be very pleased to attend the conference on 13 Sep 44 at the Prefettura, Siena.

Lt.Col.
A.C.C. Liaison Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS REGION XII
Allied Control Commission
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TO : HQ ACC, RC & MG Section 2 September 1944

SUBJECT: Forward Conference 4 SEP Recd

FILE NO: RXII/337 (G) 16

Ref to your letter 784/23/CA dated 30 August.

I will attend the conference for forward Regional Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, 13 September, in the Prefettura, Siena at 1100 hours.

I shall not myself require billeting but will be glad to accomodate any officers who would like to stay in Chianciano for one or two nights.

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John K. Dunlop, Brigadier
Regional Commissioner

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4 SEP 1944
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Subject:- Forest Conference Ref:- LA/2

To:- R.C. & M.C.Section
Headquarters, A.C.C.

From:- A.C.C.Liaison
Adv H.Q. A.A.I. 16 2 Sept 1944

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Reference your 784/23/CA dated 30 Aug, please note in regard to para:-

3. (a) Nil

3. (b) Major A.W.CUNNINGHAME
(A.C.C.Liaison Officer,
Adv H.Q. A.A.I).

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3 SEP 1944
A. C. C.

A W Cunninghame 85436

Major,
A.C.C.L. Adv H.Q. A.A.I.

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HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394

Regional Control and Military Government Section.
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Ref: 784/24/CA. 1st September 1944.

You will undoubtedly hear that we are at Siena on Wednesday, 13th September, and as before we should like to avail ourselves of your kind hospitality at Chianciano on the 12th and 13th. I will let you know later as to the numbers to expect.

I hope to be with you two nights again and will confirm it as soon as possible.

(Sgd) Maurice Lush.

Brigadier J.K. Dunlop, C.B.E., M.C.,
Regional Commissioner,
Allied Military Government,
REGION XII.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/784/23/CA.

30 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Forward Conference.

TO : SCAO Fifth Army
" Eighth Army
R.Cs. Regions IV, V, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII.
Political Section.
Economic Section.
Admin. Section.
Establishment Branch
Refugee Branch.
Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.
Patriot Branch
PA. to Brig. Lush.
ACC L.O. AAI, Adv and Main.

1. The next meeting for forward Regional Commissioners and AMG Armies will be held on Wednesday, 13 September, in the Prefettura, SIENA, at 1100 hrs.

2. Arrangements for billeting will be on previous lines under the coordination of PA to Executive Commissioner.

3. (a) Items for the Agenda should be forwarded to this Branch by 1200 hrs 10 September.

(b) Names of representatives attending the Conference by 8 September.

NORMAN H. FINKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Lt.Col. SHIPP

Re the 3 points blue-lined on P.A. of the minutes at 12,
action is as follows:-

(1) AAI instructions on Rations sent today. ✓

(2) Only one Area Commander so far designated namely:

Brig. MATTHEWS,
H.Q. 59 Area
Hotel Belvedere,
Lido di Roma.

He is designated for BOLOGNA and is shortly moving up to the AREZZO area. Major Friend James will let me know where he moves to. I will tell Region IX. Other designates will be notified when known. ✓

(3) Re the cement factories. I have spoken with Col. TODD who would prefer that NO approach was made to AAI. I told him we would drop it. ✓

27 Aug 1944.

E. TALBOT, MAJOR.

Since writing the above Brig Matthews has asked to see Col Bowman at AAI tomorrow 29. Col. B. has been sent for. E.T. 28/8

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Thank you
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Phone: 289

26 August 44

REF : 784/21/CA

SUBJECT : Extra Rations - Heavy Workers.

TO : SCAO. 5th. Army.

In accordance with ~~arrangements~~ made by the Executive Commissioner, see 784/19/CA of 20 August 44, minutes of Conference at Siena on 16 August 44 para 9 (b), attached is AAI. Administrative Instruction No. 39, dated 5 July 44.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive,
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

24th August 1944

24 AUG Recd

SUBJECT: Next Meeting of Regional Commissioners at HQ. A.C.C.

TO : Mr. Warom

1. It was decided by Brigadier Lush yesterday that the next meeting for Armies and northern Regional Commissioners would be decided on after one week.

2. Would you please remind me of this point on Tuesday, the 29th of August.

G. W. I. SHIPP
Lt. Colonel

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Ex Comm

Can you get the date and place?

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 794/16/CA.

13th August 1944.

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SUBJECT: Conference at Region 8 HQ, Prefettura, Siena, 1100 hrs, 16 Aug.

TO : Economic Section.
Administrative Section.
Establishment Branch.
Displaced Persons Sub-Com.
Italian Refugee Branch.
Patriots Branch.

1. Brig. Dunlop of Region "E" has extended an invitation to members of this HQ to stay with him over the nights of Tuesday and Wednesday.

2. His HQ. is at CHIANCIANO, Route 71 to the Junction 7.2 km north of CITTA DELLA PIEVE and then through CHIUSI and QUERCE AL PINO to MONTI DI CHIANCIANO. It is a practicable road but the area is heavily mined so that travellers are warned to keep to the highway.

3. CHIANCIANO is two hours from SIENA.

4. Dinner is at seven: later meals can be provided if notice is given.

5. Brigadier Dunlop is informed that X members of your Section will avail themselves of his hospitality.

6. Bedding is provided.

7. You should take rations.

8. There is no lighting at CHIANCIANO.

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(Sgd). [illegible]
Lieutenant,
PA to Executive Commissioner.

CJB/JC.

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13th August 1944.

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Thank you very much for your invitation. I should be very pleased if you would shelter some fifteen officers on Tuesday night among whom will be Antolini, Colonels Adams, Evans, Legg and Hartman. Colonels Todd and Murphy have also promised to appear.

I have warned them to be there by dinner time and to bring some candles.

As for me I hope to see you on Wednesday when I hope to stop with four of my officers.

Rations will be brought by all.

(Sgd) M. S. Lush

Brigadier J.K. Dunlop, O.B.E., M.C.,
Regional Commissioner,
Allied Military Government,
REGION "Z".

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 784/14/CA. 13th August 1944.

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Your letter RVIII/83/ of 11th August. Thank you very much for your arrangements. We expect to be about thirty strong of which twenty will be from this Headquarters.

I hope to be with 8 Army on the way in and return via Brigadier Dunlop at Chianciano.

(Sgd) R. S. Lush

Colonel R.G. Kirkwood,
Regional Commissioner,
Allied Military Government,
REGION VIII.

CJM/JC.

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Allied Control Commission
APO 394

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TO : Brigadier Maurice Lush, OBE, MC 11 August 1944

FROM: Brigadier John K. Dunlop, OBE, MC, TD

Dear Maurice

Your journey to the next Wednesday's meeting at A.A.I. will, in view of the move of A.A.I. H.Q., almost certainly demand a stay overnight somewhere.

This is just to say that we shall be delighted to put up and feed, on Tuesday and/or Wednesday nights, any number of of officers from Rome. We can supply bedding for them.

The detour via Chianciano will not add appreciably to their journey. They should come up Route 71 to the road junction, 72 Km north of Cita della Pieve, then through Chiusi and Querce Al Pino to Bagni di Chianciano. The road is quite practicable for civilian cars. Warn everybody not to get off the road. This area is pretty heavily mined. The journey onward from here to HQ AAI will take just two hours.

We dine at seven, but could provide later meals with a bit of notice.

We have, as yet, no electric light, so, we should be glad if visitors did in any case, get in before eight.

It would be a help if you could let me have, by Monday, a rough estimate of numbers to expect, but post entries will be willingly accepted.

Yours

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION VIII

RVIII/83/ 11 Aug 44.

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SUBJECT : Provincial Commissioner's Conference. 13 AUG Recd

TO : Executive Commissioner, ACC.

1. With regard to the Provincial Commissioner's meeting being held here on the 16th.

I have arranged for a suitable room in the Prefettura. For those who do not know SIENA the surest way is to make for the Cathedral which is unmistakeable. The Prefettura building forms the South East face of the Cathedral Piazza (Della Quercia) and the Allied Flags are in full view. I have also arranged for a buffet lunch for all, so that no one need bring sandwiches. Cars can be parked in the Prefettura courtyard.

ROBT. G. KIRKWOOD,
Colonel, FA, US Army,
Regional Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
ECONOMIC SECTION
APO 394

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12 August 1944

SUBJECT: Forward Areas Conference

1 AUG Recd

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section
(attn: Civil Affairs Branch)

1. The following will represent the Economic Section at the Forward Areas Conference to be held on Wednesday, 16 Aug 44.

Mr. A. G. Antolini, Executive Director
Colonel D. S. Adams, Transportation Sub-Commission
Colonel W. P. Evans, Commerce Sub-Commission
Colonel W. J. Legg, Food Sub-Commission
Lt. Colonel W. A. Hartman, Agriculture Sub-Commission
Mr. A. L. Villa, Economic Section

2. Colonel G. D. Murphey, G-5, AFHQ will also attend and if possible, Colonel J. S. E. Todd, Industry Sub-Commission will also be present.

3. In view of the long journey involved it is assumed that the party will be expected to leave Rome on the afternoon of Tuesday, 15 Aug 44 but that they will be able to return late on Wednesday night. Please advise if this assumption is correct, and state whether you are issuing detailed transport arrangements and making the necessary reservation of accommodation for Tuesday night.

Geo. Lang Lt Col
for A. G. ANTOLINI
Executive Director
Economic Section

Copy to: Executive Director

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C.A.B.

Minutes of meetings must be published within 36 hrs of the meeting – otherwise they & the meeting lose much of their value. I understand that the minutes of Aug 2nd meeting are not yet published. Those of August 4th were in my hands yesterday.

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Lack of staff inevitably causes delay

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~~Lt Col Shiff~~ Chief Clerk / Col Eddleman } to see. 5

Minutes of 2nd Conference on first rate

Please send another copy (then sent minutes to A, CC) & watch the action taken by all concerned

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Ref/754/5/CA

1st August 1944

AGENDA FOR MEETING AT H.Q., A.A.I. Advance.
to be held on 2nd August 1944

1. Opening Remarks.

2. Minutes of last meeting.

3. Points raised by:-

   (a) S.C.A.O's Armies.
   (b) Regional Commissioners.

4. Points to be raised by ECONOMIC SECTION.

5. Points to be raised by Administrative Section.

   (a) Review of sentences of AMG Courts in Army areas.
   (b) Any further points.

6. Points to be raised by R.C. & M.G. SECTION.

7. (a) Guarding of dumps in forward areas.

7. Any other business.

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Subject: Meeting at Advnc HQ. A&I.

Main H.Q., A.M.C.
Eighth Army.

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29 Jul 44

2 AUG Recd

H.Q. & M.C. Section,
H.Q., A.C.C.
A.P.O. 594.

1. Reference your 784/3/CA of 25 July, 44.

2. There will be two officers attending Meeting to be held Advance HQ. A&I on Wednesday, 2nd August at 11.00 hrs. from this H.Q.

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for Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., A.M.C. Eighth Army Main.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/784/A/CA

31 July 1944

SUBJECT: Conference

TO : R.C. Region V

The meeting to be held at HQ. A.A.I. Advance on Wednesday 2 August, 44 will take place in the same location as the previous one.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Economics Sec.

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HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394.

Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 79/3/GA. 25.July.1944.

SUBJECT: Meeting at Advance HQ. AAI.

TO : R.C., Region IV.
R.C., Region V.
R.C., Region VIII.
R.C., Region IX.
SCAO, AMG 5 Army.
SCAO, AMG 8 Army.
Adm Section.
Economic Section.
Political Section.

1. As decided at previous meeting on 19th July, there will be another meeting on Wednesday, 2nd August, at 1100 hours, at Advance HQ AAI. Will addressees please attend or send senior representatives who can answer for them.

2. Sandwich lunches should be taken and the meeting will be held in a tent. Will Sections and Branches of this HQ please advise me by 1200 hours, Monday, 31st July, of the number of representatives whom they propose to send.

Executive Commissioner

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

27/7 I propose to attend if I can get back from Elba in time.

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