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Please see folios 37-42 for information and action as necessary.

G. W. I. SHIPP
CSO
For Chief of Staff.

5 October 1944.

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AMENDMENT NO 1

TO ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO 52

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT IN AAI OPERATIONAL ZONE OF ITALIAN MILITARY, NAVAL AND AIR FORCE PERSONNEL AND CIVILIANS

1. Delete "CMT" from heading and Insert "AAI OPERATIONAL ZONE".

2. Add at end of para 1:-

"This administrative instruction is applicable only to Italian personnel employed by units or formations within the AAI Operational Zone".

3. Delete para 4(b)(iv) and Insert:-

"4(b)(iv) Where exemption is granted, the Exempting Authority will complete a Certificate of Exemption (Appendix "B") which will be forwarded, together with one copy of application form, as follows:-

EXEMPTING AUTHORITY		TO WHOM SENT
Eighth Army and corps under command	-	HQ 226 Division
Corps under command Fifth Army	-	HQ 219 Division
HQ 1 District	-	HQ 207 Division
All other exempting authorities	-	Colonel MORCHI Italian Military Mission HQ AAI."

4. In sub-para 6(a) delete "CMT. MONTHLY" and insert the following:-

"The authority to whom certification of exemption are forwarded for counter-signature."

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for Major General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

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AGENDUM NO. 4 TO HQ AAI
ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO.55.

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1. Para. 5 - Add new sub-para. (e)

(e) Appendix "C" shows details of Welfare requirements in the town of MEROWA. Serial numbers also constitute priorities for the allotment of accommodation. There will be no separate Canteen Club or Rest accommodation.

2. DELETE Serial 161 (YMCA Institute included in Appendix "D")

3. Appendix "B" - Serial 27. Insert:-

Type of Unit - Mech Eqpt W & P Coy RE

Unit Formation - "C" Mech Eqpt W & P Coy RE.

Strength
Officers - 7
ORs - 197

Vehicles
M/Cs 4
Trks 65

Storage
Covered Sq.ft - 150000
Open Sq.yds 150000
Cold 100-yds.
Tonnage 10,000

Labour 500

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HQ AAI.
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Lt. Colonel
Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 45.
AMENDMENT No 2.

Reference Administrative Instruction No 45 para. 4, as amended by Administrative Instruction No 50 para 4, is cancelled and the following substituted :-

4. RAILWAYS.

Priorities for the repair of railway lines are as follows :-

Priority I. Line 86. RIMINI - BOLOGNA.

Priority II.

(a) Line 218. PISA - PRATO.

(b) Either Line 65 PRATO - BOLOGNA or Line 217 PISTOIA - BOLOGNA. The choice will be made as soon as rescue of both lines in BOLOGNA can be completed.

(c) Line 65. PRATO - FLORENCE if sufficient resources are available after meeting requirements for (a) and (b).

Priority III.

(a) Line 86. ORTONA - ANCONA.

(b) Line 89. CAMPOBASSO - ROME.

The repair of (a) by civilian contract will be encouraged. Military assistance in transporting material to bridge sites etc. will be given. DCMPS will submit his requirements as soon as possible.

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for Major-General.
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(a) Line 114. [illegible] - PENTU.

(b) Either line 66 PENTU - [illegible] or Line 247 PINTULA - [illegible]. The [illegible] will be made as soon as recon of both lines [illegible] ROGGA can be completed.

(c) Line 65. PENTU - PLAEMENE if sufficient resources are available after meeting requirements for (a) and (b).

Sector III.

(a) Line 86. [illegible] - ANDUNA.

(b) Line 89. CAMPULUNG - PUNT.

The repair of (a) by civilian contract will be [illegible]. Military assistance in transporting material to bridge sites etc. will be given. DRPWS will submit his requirements as soon as possible.

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Chief Administrative Officer.

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The following amendments will be made to Appendix "B":-

1. Serial 19 - Delete under type of unit "Coys and insert "Platoons".

" 47 - Delete "229 Pet Depot" and insert "To be nominated later".

" 49 - Amend "HPFC" to read "Det Bulk Pet Spt Coy"

" 50 - Delete "4 or 5 Sec HPS Coy" and insert "To be nominated later".

2. Insert the following at Serial 135:-

Serial	Br or Service	UNIT Type of Unit	UNIT Unit Nominated	Offrs	Oth	MT M/Cs	MT Vehs	STORAGE Covered	STORAGE Open	Tonna
135	REME	L of C Wksps	624 L of C Wksps	2	16	1	4	50,000	2250	

3. Delete details of Serial 148 and insert:-

148	POSTAL	Det Base APO	Det 6 Base APO	1	30	-	1	10000	500	20 a avern

4. Reference para. 5(d) the following are the Units nominated:-

Installation	Units Nominated
Base Depot Medical Stores	2 Base Depot Medical Stores
Base Transfusion Unit	5 Base Transfusion Unit
Hospital Acom for 3000 beds	107 SA General Hospital
	99 General Hospital
	66 General Hospital
	1 x 100 Bed Sec 11 Indian Gen Hospital
Convalescent Depot (2000 beds)	9 Convalescent Depot
PAC Class "A"	49 PAC
PAC CLASS "B"	52 PAC
Field Hygiene Section	13 Field Sanitary Section
Malaria Control Unit	50 MCU
MAC	683 MAC

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dments will be made to Appendix "B":-

r type of unit "Coys and insert "Platoons".

Pot Depot" and insert "To be nominated later".

to read "Det Bulk Pet Coy"

5 Sec HS Coy" and insert "To be nominated later"

g at Serial 135:-

T Unit Nominated	Offrs	Offs	MT Vehs	Vehs	STORAGE Covered	Open	Tonnage	Labour	Proposed Site
624 L of C Wksps	2	[illegible]	1	4	50,000	2250		200 Civs	POLOGNA Area

erial 145 and insert:-

Det (Base AFV	1	30	-	1	10000	500	20 [illegible]		

) the following are the Units nominated:-

tion	Units Nominated	Present Location
al Stores	2 Base Depot Medical Stores	TORRE DEL GRECO
Unit	5 Base Transfusion Unit	BARI
r 3000 beds	107 SA General Hospital	TURI
	99 General Hospital	NAPLES
	66 General Hospital	ANCONA
	1 x 100 Bed Sec 11 Indian Gen Hospital	TARANTO
ot (2000 beds)	9 Convalescent Depot	1 Div SICILY 1 Div PERUGIA
	49 PAC	MACERATA
	52 PAC	TERMOLI
tion	13 Field Sanitary Section	BARLETTA
nit	50 MCU	SALERNO
	683 MAC	1 DISTRICT

for Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

s for Adm Instr No.55.

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AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO

HQ AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 55 DATED 26 AUG., 44.

Insert the following detail against Serial 1(a) of Appendix "B":-

Type of Unit ..... Ally Stationery Depot

Unit Nominated ..... 13 Ally Stationery Depot

Officers 2

ORs 28

Vehicles 1

Covered Storage ..... 20,000-sq.ft.

Remarks ..... In addition a civilian Printing Press will be required.

HQ AAI.
14 Oct., 44.

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for Major-General
Chief Administrative Officer

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO 61

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Reversion of No 1 DISTRICT to command of HQ AAI

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INTRODUCTION

1. (a) The intention of this instruction is to detail the administrative changes consequent on the reversion of No. 1 DISTRICT to command of this HQ. The change of command will be notified through General Staff channels and this instruction will become effective from the date command passes.

(b) This instruction involves no change in the arrangements for the maintenance of US troops.

RE-ORGANIZATION NO 1 DISTRICT

2. The organization of No. 1 DISTRICT and the revised boundaries are shown on the sketch map at Appendix 'A'.

3. The following are in reserve:-

59 Area..... ANZIO
151 Sub Area..... PERUGIA

CONTROL OF BRITISH STORES

4. (a) This HQ will resume full control of the ANCONA depots. Para 6 of AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 50 dated 10 Aug 44 is cancelled.

(b) This HQ will take over the ANZIO depots from SIXTH ARMY.

(c) No. 1 DISTRICT will be responsible for the local administration and control of all installations and depots at ANCONA and ANZIO and for the operation of ANCONA port.

(d) Services ....l will be responsible for maintaining depot stocks at ANCONA and ANZIO to the required scale (para 8).

CONTROL OF RAILWAYS

5. HQ AAI will assume control of ANZIO railway. This control will be exercised through 1 DISTRICT who will be responsible for its operation.

MAINTENANCE OF TWO UNITS

6. (a) FIFTH ARMY (US Inc) will be maintained by ANCONA and ANZIO and by all

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2. The organisation of No. 1 DISTRICT and the revised boundaries are shown on the sketch map at Appendix 'A'.

3. The following are in reserve:-

59 Area..... ANZIO
151 Sub Area..... PERUGIA

CONTROL OF ROUTES AND STOCKS

4. (a) This HQ will resume full control of the ANCONA dumps. Para 6 of AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 50 dated 15 Apr 44 is cancelled.

(b) This HQ will take over the ANZIO depots from EIGHTH ARMY.

(c) No. 1 DISTRICT will be responsible for the local administration and control of all installations and depots at ANCONA and ANZIO and for the operation of ANCONA port.

(d) Services ..... will be responsible for maintaining depot stocks at ANCONA and ANZIO to the required scale (para 5).

CONTROL OF RAILWAYS

5. (a) AAI will assume control of ANZIO railhead. This control will be exercised through 1 DISTRICT who will be responsible for its operation.

MAINTENANCE OF THE ARMIES

6. (a) FIFTH ARMY (Br Ins) will be maintained by sea through LEGHORN and by rail on line 50.

Should formations be maintained through ANZIO pass to command EIGHTH ARMY they will continue to be maintained through that place.

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(b) EIGHTH ARMY will be maintained by rail on line 56 and 65 (AK-Line). A VENTE will be developed by EIGHTH ARMY as a seahead.

(c) 1 DISTRICT will maintain themselves from ANCONA and ANZIO supplemented by pack through POLICHO. Composition of this pack will be arranged direct between Services ..... I and Services 1 DISTRICT.

7. (a) EIGHTH ARMY and FIFTH ARMY (British Increment) will submit demands for rail tonnage in accordance with the procedure given in Appendix 'B', which is revised to meet the changed conditions. The period for which this procedure becomes effective will be notified later.

(b) FIFTH ARMY (British Increment) will submit demands for sea tonnage in accordance with AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No 59 dated 12 Sep 44.

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(c) FIGHTING ARMY demands for RATIONS will be submitted for five-day periods eighteen days in advance. Requirements for the first three periods have already been submitted, and supplies have been set up.

RESERVES

8. The present holdings will be increased to provide for the following:-

.NCONA.....7 days reserves and 3 days maintenance stocks for 14 Divs.

.ANZAC.....5 Days reserves and 2 days maintenance stocks for 6 Divs.

This instruction amends the temporary scales laid down in .....I British ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No 204.

.C(British) MATTERS

9. Channels of Communication

The normal channel of communication will be followed for all LS matters, in respect of all troops within the respective Army and District boundaries, with the following exceptions:-

(a) 13 CORPS will communicate direct with EIGHTH ARMY on all .(PS) matters except Welfare and local leave.

(b) British troops in PRS area North of the .ITHQ/.AI boundary will be under command of HQ No. 1 DISTRICT for all LS matters beyond the powers of British formation etc. commanders concerned. Courts Martial and Summary Trial proceedings will be sent direct to HQ No. 1 DISTRICT. For all other LS matters the normal channels of communication to HQ No. 1 DISTRICT will be followed. HQ .AI letter 3008/S/A(O) dated 21 Aug 44 is hereby cancelled.

10. Reinforcements

CRUs and Reinforcement Camps in the ANZAC Railhead Area will come to command No. 1 DISTRICT. When the question of priority of allotment of reinforcements as between .ardes arises, decision will be made by HQ .AI.

11. Prisoners of War

The normal evacuation of PW through Railhead to base Camps will be followed except that No. 1 DISTRICT will make best use of sea evacuation from .NCONA to BARI or BRINDISI.

12. Medical

British and Dominion troops in FIFTH ARMY will be evacuated through

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The normal channel of communication will be followed for all administrative in respect of all troops within the respective Area and District boundaries, with the following exceptions:-

(a) 13 CORPS will communicate direct with BIGARM ARMY on all ADMIN matters except Welfare and local leave.

(b) British troops in the area North of the ADMIN/AL boundary will be under command of HQ No. 1 DISTRICT for all ~~LEGAL~~ legal matters beyond the powers of British formation etc. commanders concerned. Courts Martial and Summary Trial proceedings will be sent direct to HQ No. 1 DISTRICT. For all other matters the normal channels of communication to HQ No. 1 DISTRICT will be followed. (c) All letter 3068/S/A(O) dated 27 Aug 44 is hereby cancelled.

10. Reinforcements

CRUs and Reinforcement Camps in the ADMIN Railhead Area will pass to command No. 1 DISTRICT. When the question of priority of allotment of reinforcements as between Areas arises, decision will be made by HQ AAI.

11. Prisoners of War

The normal evacuation of PW through Railhead to Base Camps will be followed except that No. 1 DISTRICT will make best use of sea evacuation from ANCONA to BARI or BRINDISI.

12. Medical

British and Dominion troops in FIFTH ARMY will be evacuated through normal British medical channels.

Casualties (including those in respect of troops in the area North of the ADMIN/AL boundary) which cannot be conveniently evacuated as above will be dealt with by US Army medical units and evacuated to British Base Hospitals under arrangements already made between DMS AAI and Surgeons FIFTH ARMY and BRIGARM.

13. Amendments to previous Administrative Instructions

This instruction supersedes previous administrative instructions as follows:-

Para 15(b) of ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 43
Para 5(b) and (d) of ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 50.
Paras 18 to 21 (a) inclusive of ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 53.

MOVEMENTS

14.(a) FIFTH ARMY

Now FIFTH ARMY (British Increment) with two BRIGADES under command.

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14. (b) EIGHTH ARMY

Maj EIGHTH ARMY with Maj RM Sub-area Dent (SEBARO) under command.

(c) No. 1 DISTRICT

Maj No. 1 DISTRICT with Maj RM Sub-area Central (ARSZAO - TERNI) and Maj ANCONA (61 Area) under command. Maj ANCONA is, however, directly responsible to Maj AMG for administrative matters. (See AMG ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No. 32 dated 18 Jun 44, para 7(b)).

REPORTS

15. No 1 DISTRICT will submit daily to this HQ an administrative bulletin giving the administrative situation as at 1800 hrs on the previous day. This bulletin will be submitted in the proforma shown at Appendix 'A'.

ACKNOWLEDGE

for Major General, Army
Chief Administrative Officer.

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	Copy No	Apdx A	Apdx B	Apdx C
FIFTH ARMY	1	1	1	
FIFTH ARMY (British Increment)	2 - 6	5	5	
Main EIGHTH ARMY	7	1	1	
Rear EIGHTH ARMY	8 - 22	15	15	
HQ No 1 District	23 - 37	15	15	15
CG SOS	38 - 39	2	2	
57 Area	40 - 41	2	2	
59 Area	42 - 43	2	2	
6 Base Sub Area	44 - 45	2	2	
AFHQ	46 - 69	24	24	
CG SOS NORTHERN	70 - 71	2	2	
HQ ACC	72	1	1	
HQ 2 District	73 - 74	2	2	
HQ 3 District	75 - 76	2	2	
DGEOS	77 - 78	2	2	
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FOWIT	83	1	1	
NLLP	84	1	1	
AAFSO/MTO	85	1	1	
TAP	86	1	1	
DAP	87	1	1	
214 Gp RAF	88	1	1	
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Plans	92	1	1	1
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Sup	105	1	1	1
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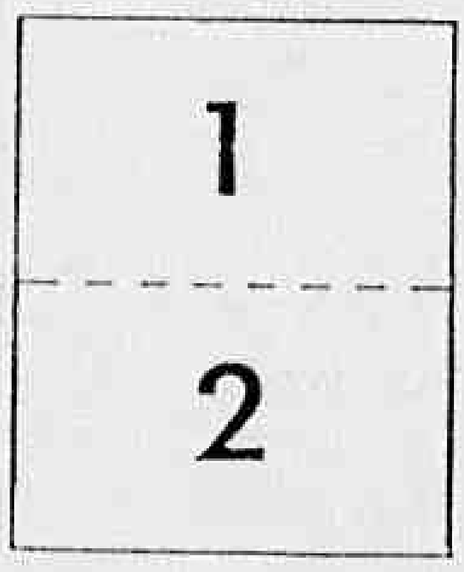

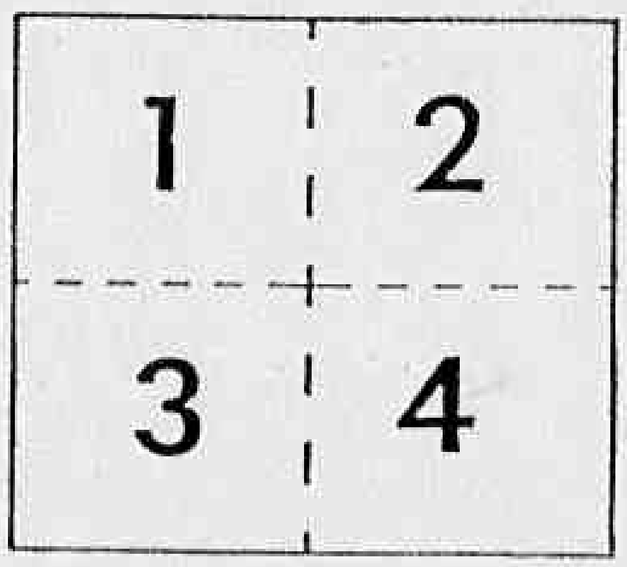

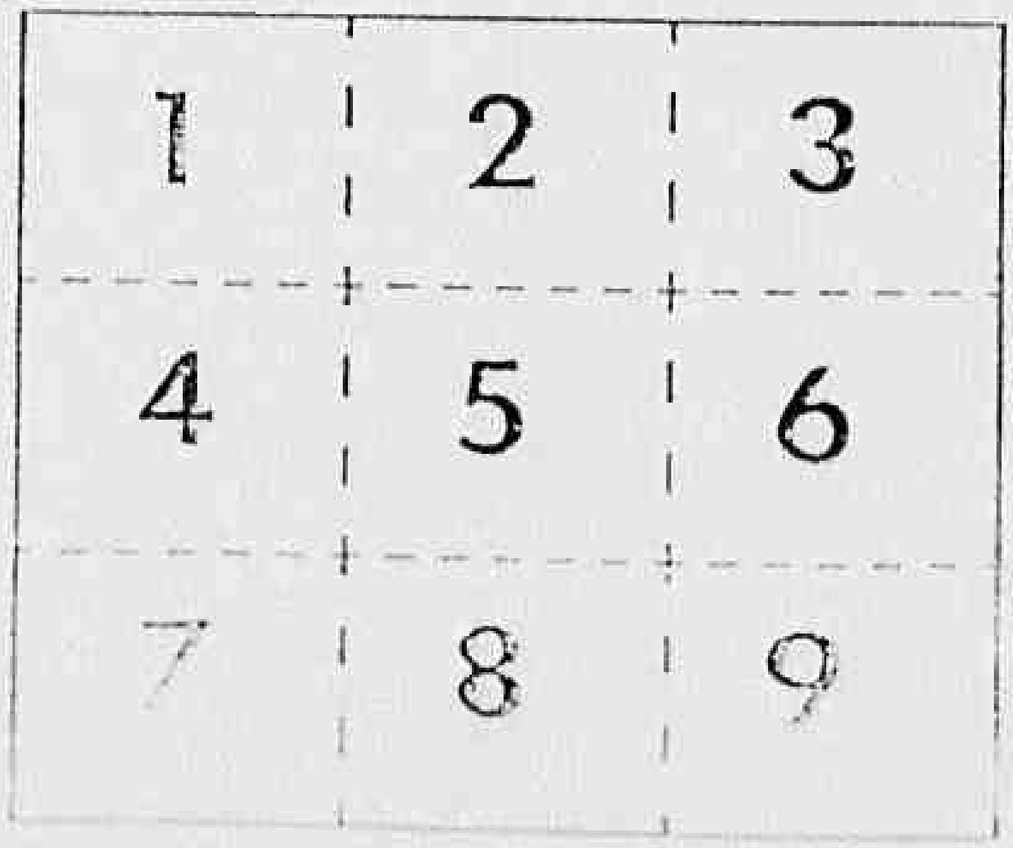

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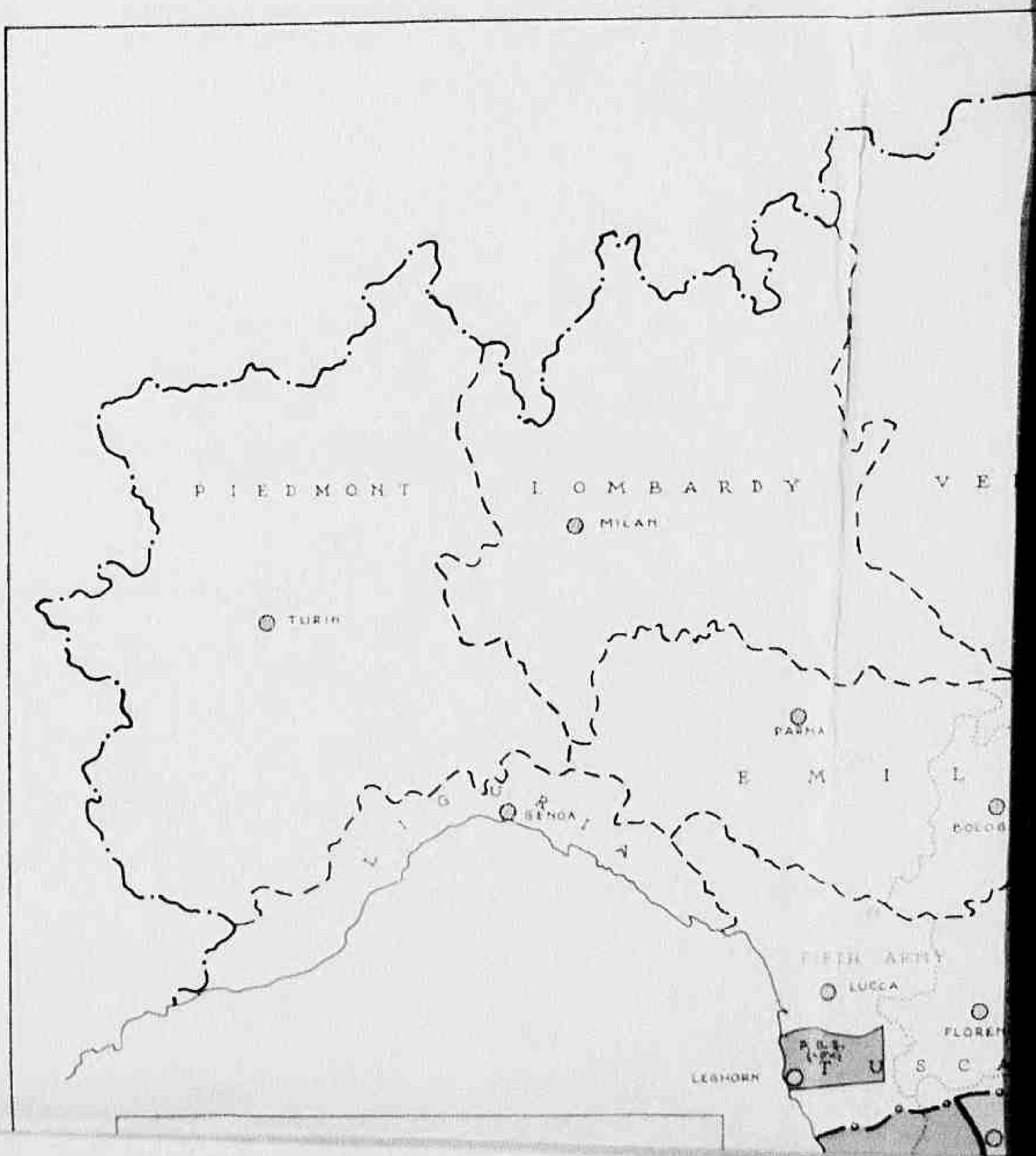

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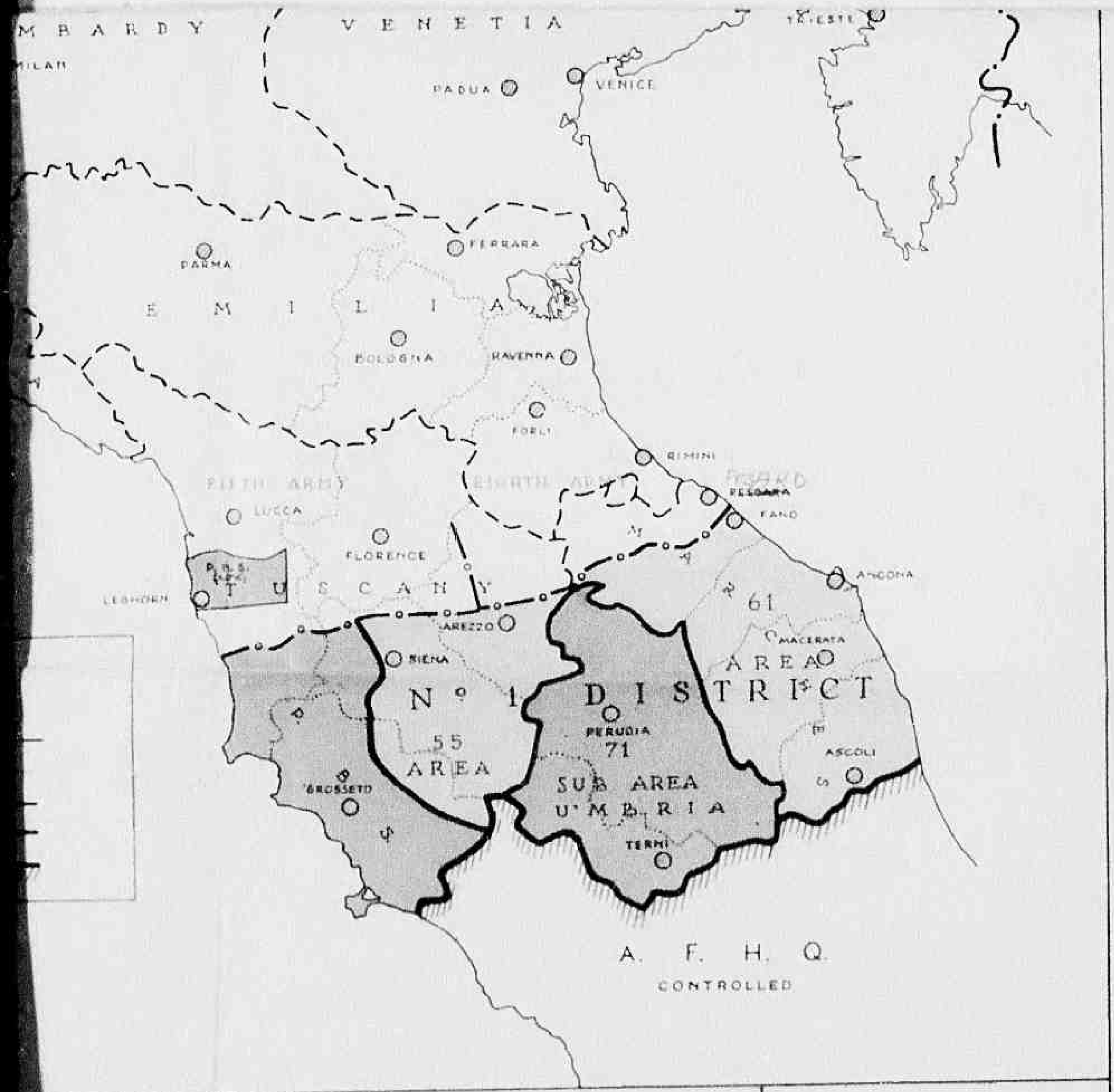

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ANNEXURE "B" to ADI
ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION
No 91 dated 28 Sep 44.

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1. EIGHTH ARMY and FIFTH ARMY (British Increment) will submit bids to reach "Q" Branch, HQ ALI by 0900 hrs each THURSDAY for the period commencing eleven days later.

2. By the same date as in para 1 above British Services of Supply will submit to Services ALI their detailed requirements within their tonnage bids. The only exception to this procedure being that indents for Ordnance stores will be submitted direct to the Supplying Agency as follows:-

(a) MT & Tank Stores (Vote 9) - All indents to 557 SOD

(b) Clothing & General Stores (Votes 7 & 8)
- (i) All FIFTH ARMY (British Increment) requirements and troops of EIGHTH ARMY based on REE 20 to 557 SOD
- (ii) Remainder of EIGHTH ARMY and No.1 District on 52 SOD (AFRICA)

3. On receipt of breakdowns in para 2 above, Services ALI will decide what proportion of tonnage will be met from base depots and what proportion will be supplied from ALI depots in LONDON and CAIRO. Services ALI will notify "Q" Branch ALI by 0900 hrs each FRIDAY the tonnage they require to be railed from base depots during the ensuing calendar month. If these requirements exceed rail capacity alternate bids will be made by "Q" Branch ALI in consultation with Services ALI who will be conferred at the ALI POM meeting each MONDAY. Immediately following the ALI POM meeting "Q" ALI will despatch to AQ(Q-Int) ADMY a consolidated statement of tonnages required from base depots. Services ALI will similarly despatch breakdowns of tonnages to Supplying Agencies nominated by ADMY. Both the consolidated statement and Service breakdowns must reach ADMY on Monday.

4. Any alteration of the rail programme which the total tonnage allocated during the ensuing month requires will be decided by rail be notified to by ALI. Services ALI will notify Services ADMY immediately of such alterations as affect indents from base depots. Requests for such alterations must be received by ALI at least six days before delivery is required at railhead. Eight days notice should be given whenever possible.

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(4) Clothing & General Stores (Notes 7 & 8)

(5) All SPTS and (Soldier Instrument requirements and troops of EIGHTH ARMY based on ANZUK to 557 ADD

(6) Rem Under of EIGHTH ARMY and No.1 Platoon on 35 ADD (ANZUK)

3. On receipt of requests in para 2 above, Services AAI will decide what proportion of stocks will be set from [illegible] and what proportion will be supplied from AAI depots in [illegible] and [illegible]. Services AAI will notify the Branch and by CEND Bde Code FIDO in the tonnages they require to be added from each depot during the period considered. If these requirements cannot fully be met, they will be made by "G" Branch AAI in consultation with Services and the [illegible] to be confirmed at the AAI ROM meeting each MONDAY. Essentially following the AAI ROM meeting "G" AAI will despatch to [illegible] (Noted) [illegible] consolidated statement of tonnages to be shipped from Base Depots. Services AAI will [illegible] tonnages to be shipped against requirements indicated by [illegible] with the consolidated statement and Service requirements [illegible] to hand.

4. Any [illegible] of the full tonnage [illegible] the total tonnage directed during the preceding [illegible] to the corresponding [illegible] be notified to the AAI. Services AAI will notify Services [illegible] immediately of such [illegible] or [illegible] from base depots. Reasons for such alterations must be [illegible] at the AAI at least six days before delivery is required at railhead. Eight days notice should be given whenever possible.

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Para 7 is a little obscure as it seems to imply Patriot Bands have it both in Italy & Apr but the rest Italians then to be seen and do not like the Patriots.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. [illegible]

DISPOSAL OF PARTS FOR VOLUNTEERS IN ARMY AREAS

GENERAL

1. It is intended that Italian Patriots who volunteer for military service shall be enlisted into the Italian Army. The Patriots Branch of the Allied Control Commission are responsible for making the necessary arrangements for the collection, evacuation and disposal of such Patriots.

2. This Organization will be capable of handling, if necessary, up to several hundred such volunteers per day, and will be designed to move volunteers from Corps and Army areas back to the main Italian Army Enlistment Centres which have been established at BARI and CIRTI. It is probable that the latter Centre will be moved at a later date to a more forward location.

SELECTION

3. Screening squads will be established in Army areas to select suitable recruits for the Italian Army from the ranks of Partisan volunteers held by Army Officers. These screening squads will operate under the orders of the Army in which they are located.

4. A Corps level reception will exist in the forwarding process, where necessary, and every effort will be made to ensure that only suitable recruits are sent back to Army Reception.

5. All accepted volunteers will be given a pass stating that they will be taken on the strength of the Italian Army on arrival at the Enlistment Centre referred to in para 2 above.

MOVEMENT OF ACCEPTED VOLUNTEERS

6. Volunteers will be provided with necessary supply vouchers to Army Rest

It is intended that Italian Patriots who volunteer for military service will be enlisted into the Italian Army. The Personnel Branch of the Allied General Headquarters are responsible for making the necessary arrangements for the collection, examination and enlistment of such Patriots.

2. This organization will be capable of handling, if necessary, up to several hundred such volunteers per day. We will be obliged to move volunteers from Corps and Army areas back to the main Italian Army Enlistment Centres which have been established at Rapallo and GIZZI. It is possible that the latter Centre will be moved at a later date to a more forward location.

SELECTION

3. Screening parties will be established in Army areas to select suitable recruits for the Italian Army from the ranks of Partisan volunteers held by Army Groups. These screening parties will operate under the control of the Army G2 in which they are located.

4. At Corps level and Corps G2 will control the screening process. There a security and every effort will be taken to ensure that only suitable recruits are moved back to Army Areas.

5. All accepted volunteers will be given a pass showing that they will be known on the strength of the Italian Army on arrival at the Enlistment Centre referred to in para 2 above.

MOVEMENT OF ACCEPTED VOLUNTEERS

6. Volunteers will be evacuated along the Army supply routes to Army Base Sub-Depots, and thence to the Italian Army Enlistment Centre, by the most suitable means available.

(a) Requests for road movement will be made to the formation G2 concerned by Civil Affairs Officers in the rear areas and by the Commandant of Partisan Corps in forward areas (See para 7)

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(b) Requests for rail movement will be made to Movements Branch AFHQ but it will be arranged.

(c) In no circumstances will volunteers be moved from Corps areas until they have been screened.

ADMINISTRATION

7. The responsibility for general administration of Italian volunteers will rest with the Partisan Branch, CC, and that branch will establish such camps and enlistment centres in Corps, Army and Base areas as may be necessary, in agreement with the formations concerned. Wherever possible, these camps will be established in existing buildings. Equipment for the camps will in the first place be

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED TROOPS IN ITALY
ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO 56

FORMATION OF HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND

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1. The intention of this instruction is to set out for the information of all concerned the arrangements which are being developed for the administration of FLORENCE, when that city is taken over by Headquarters AAI. As long as the city is still in FIFTH ARMY area, all executive orders for its administration will be issued by Commanding General, FIFTH ARMY. Nothing in this instruction is intended to restrict his authority in this respect.

2. There will be set up in FLORENCE a Headquarters to be known as HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND. It will be commanded by Colonel L.A... ALSTON, DSO, MC, with Lt. Col. R. ... GOT, DSO, U.S. Army as deputy commander. The date on which HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will take over its command functions will be promulgated by Commanding General, FIFTH ARMY.

3. BOUNDARY

Commanding General, FIFTH ARMY is requested to submit as soon as the enemy has been cleared from the vicinity of the City, proposals of the detailed demarcation of the boundary. These proposals should include within FLORENCE COMMAND the village of FIESOLE and such other residential and industrial areas as form natural suburbs of the City.

4. CHANNELS OF COMMAND AND ADMINISTRATION

HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will at present be under command of Headquarters FIFTH ARMY, or such other subordinate command as may be decided by Commanding General, FIFTH ARMY.

5. When rear boundary FIFTH ARMY is moved North of FLORENCE, HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will pass to command Headquarters AAI.

6. The administration of US personnel belonging or attached to HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will be conducted as follows:-

(a) G-1 matters through Headquarters FIFTH ARMY to Headquarters AAI while under command FIFTH ARMY. Direct to Headquarters AAI when placed under command Headquarters AAI.

(b) Supply and maintenance by Headquarters FIFTH ARMY, while under command FIFTH ARMY; by Commanding General, SOS NATOUSA when placed under command Headquarters AAI.

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7. The administration of US troops and installations within FLORENCE COMMAND, other than those placed under command HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will be the responsibility of the US formations to which they belong.

8. For purposes of British administration (A(PS) matters), HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will be under Headquarters No 1 District. In all other British administrative matters it will be under Headquarters FIFTH ARMY at present and under Headquarters No 1 District when it passes to command of Headquarters AMI.

9. STAFF SYSTEM

HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will be organized on the British Staff system. A Table of Organization/War Establishment will be published shortly.

10. The functions of HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND are set out below, but may be modified by Commanding General, FIFTH ARMY at his discretion while FLORENCE COMMAND is under his orders:-

(a) Making all requisition on behalf of the Allied Forces.
(b) Allocation of accommodation to the Allied Forces.

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(c) Provision of power, water and light to the Allied Forces.
(d) Local administration, as defined in British regulation, of all British troops.
(e) Control of military traffic.
(f) P.A.D.
(g) Military security
(h) Support of civil power if called upon by AMG/ACC.
(i) Sanitation and hygiene as affecting Allied troops.
(j) Fire protection of military installations.
(k) Allocation of the labour and transport resources at the disposal of HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND.
(l) Discipline of allied troops in FLORENCE

11. RELATIONS WITH AMG/ACC.

HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND has no responsibility for the political affairs in FLORENCE (including Patriot affairs) nor for feeding the civil population. It will however, co-operate to the fullest extent with AMG/ACC, rendering such assistance as lies within its resources. In particular it will maintain very close liaison with AMG/ACC in regard to the following matters:-

(a) Co-ordination of the control of civil and military traffic.
(b) Relations between troops and the civil population.
(c) Control of supply of electric power, water etc.
(d) Hygiene and sanitation.

12. HEADQUARTERS 71 GARRISON

The British portion of HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND is being provided by Headquarters 71 Garrison, which will retain its own title for private postal purposes.

13. C-in-C's POLICY IN REGARD TO FLORENCE

(a) The C-in-C is anxious that the many objects of historical and cultural importance in FLORENCE should be safe-guarded to the utmost. While he has not been prepared to declare FLORENCE an Open City, he wishes to give the enemy the minimum justification possible for attacking it by air. For this reason he does not wish troops, Military Headquarters or depots to be established within the city limits of FLORENCE, unless their presence there is operationally necessary. Under present circumstances discretion in this regard is left to Commanding General, FIFTH ARMY, but no troops or Headquarters will be established in FLORENCE with a view to their remaining there after the city is passed to command Headquarters AMI without the authority of this Headquarters.

(b) The C-in-C, on the other hand entirely approves of the establishment in FLORENCE of suitable arrangements for the accommodation and welfare of officers and men granted leave to visit the City. As regards sleeping accommodation for enlisted men / other ranks he does not preclude the provision of this within city limits, but he does not wish men to be dispersed in hotels and private houses where proper control cannot be exercised. While [illegible] arrangements should be

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(c) The location of hospitals in FLORENCE is approved.

(d) The provisions of guards for historical, etc, buildings should be undertaken as far as possible by ACC/AMG, but HEADQUARTERS FLORENCE COMMAND will co-operate with AMG/ACC to the fullest extent necessary in this regard.

14. Acknowledge.

Major General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

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ADVANCED BASE BOLOGNA

2038/30/Q2 dated 26 Aug

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2038/30/Q2 of 3 Sept. Adv Base Bologna
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Reference para.3(a) of the attached Adm Instr.

The first key plan referred to will be forwarded later under separate cover.

Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

To:- "Q" Branch,
HQ Allied Armies in Italy,
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Receipt is acknowledged of AAI Adm Instr No. 55. dated 26.Aug.44

Sign .....

Rank .....Major.....

Unit .....M.A. to Ex. Commissioner.....
HQ. Allied Control Commission

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HQ AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO.55

ADVANCED BASE BOLOGNA.

SCOPE OF INSTRUCTION.

1. As a result of the advance of the Allied Armies in Northern Italy and the consequent lengthening of the L of C, it has been decided to establish an AAI Advanced Base in the BOLOGNA Area. This instruction deals with the establishment of this Advanced Base and the method by which it will be formed.

INITIAL CONTROL AND MAINTENANCE.

2. (a) Para.12 of this HQ Adm Instr No.43 dated 16 July, 44, is cancelled.

(b) The formation responsible for the capture of BOLOGNA will be responsible for its control and for the maintenance of the forces based on it until the operational situation permits the assumption of this responsibility by 59 Area under instrs to be issued by this HQ.

(c) 59 Area will come under cond of the formation mentioned from [illegible] of the occupation of BOLOGNA, and will remain under such formation during the period of the latter's responsibility for BOLOGNA. This formation will call forward adv portion of 59 Area when the fall of the city appears imminent.

FIRST KEY PLAN.

3. (a) First key plan is attached as Appendix "A".

(b) Subject to operational use during the initial period, all [illegible] the city of BOLOGNA and in the areas shown on the first [illegible] this HQ and the Advanced Base

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FIRST KEY PLAN.

3. (a) First key plan is attached at Appendix "A".

(b) Subject to operational use during the initial period, all [illegible] the city of BOLOGNA and in the areas shown on the first key plan will be reserved for this HQ and the Advanced Base installations.

(c) All demands for accom in BOLOGNA other than those relating to the Advanced Base will be referred to this HQ.

(d) Attention is drawn to Lists of Protected Monuments (Italy) No.6 published by the Allied Control Commission, in which details are given of accom in BOLOGNA which is protected in terms of this HQ Adm Instr No.10 dated 30 Mar, 44.

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RECCE AND SECOND KEY PLAN.

4. (a) Adv and Recce portion of 59 Area, together with units and individuals normally included in the "Golden List" will enter BOLOGNA after capture under arrangements of the formation responsible and will carry out the recce of the first key plan on the ground.

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(b) HQ 59 Area will be solely responsible for the detailed siting of those units which are being established for local maintenance purposes.

(c) HQ 59 Area in consultation with the formation responsible for the capture of BOLOGNA will call forward the units shown at Appx "B" as required.

(d) Of the MoS units detailed in Appx "B", the following only will be required in the initial phases:-

Base Depot Medical Stores
Base Transfusion Unit
Hospital Accn for 3000 beds.
Convalescent Depot for 2000 beds.
PAC, Class "A"
PAC, Class "B"
Field Hygiene Section
Malaria Control Unit
Motor Ambulance Convoy.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR ADM.

6. (a) Initially the responsibility for the control and adm of BOLOGNA [illegible] of 59 Area acting under the orders of the formation responsible for the capture of that city. When this formation ceases to be responsible for BOLOGNA, 59 Area will revert to cond 1 Dist in accordance with instrs to be issued later by this HQ.

(b) This HQ will be responsible for the following:-

(i) The layout and general adm of all Adv Base installations.

(ii) The fixing of res holdings and the stocking of Depots.

RESERVES.

7. Advanced Base Installations will be planned on the basis of a total of 18 Divisions as follows:-

	Reserves	Working Margin
(a) Supplies	15 days	10 days
(b) POL in containers	10 "	5 "
Ammo Stores -		
(i) Vote 7 and 8	20 "	10 "
(ii) Vote 9 Technical Stores covering tyres, tracks, gun barrels and heavy assemblies	30 "	10 "

(b) An AMI Siting Board on which all HQs, Branches and Services concerned will be represented, will be assembled as soon as possible under the presidency of a Senior "G" Officer of this HQ. This board will prepare and issue the second key plan.

INSTALLATIONS, ADM UNITS & GEN TROOPS.

5. (a) A list of installations, adm units and gen troops to be located in the BOLOGNA Area, together with their requirements in respect of men, storage and other facilities, is att at Appx "B". Nomination will be made later of units shown by type.

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(c) HQ 59 Area in consultation with the formation responsible for the capture of BOLOGNA will call forward the units shown at Appx "B" as required.

(d) Of the Med units detailed in Appx "B", the following only will be required in the initial phases:-

Base Depot Medical Stores
Base Transfusion Unit
Hospital Area for 5000 beds.
Convalescent Depot for 2000 beds.
PAC, Class "A"
PAC, Class "B"
Field Hygiene Section
Malaria Control Unit
Motor Ambulance Coy.

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(iii) Ammunition	[illegible] days	10 days
(iv) "B" Vehicles ..... (Details will be decided by Q(AE) and Ord).		7500
(v) "A" Vehs except AMC holding will remain at the Base as all available servicing facilities are with Base Workshops.		
(i) Engineer Stores		10,000-tons.
(e) All stores other than (a), (b), (c) and (d) above.	10 days	10 days

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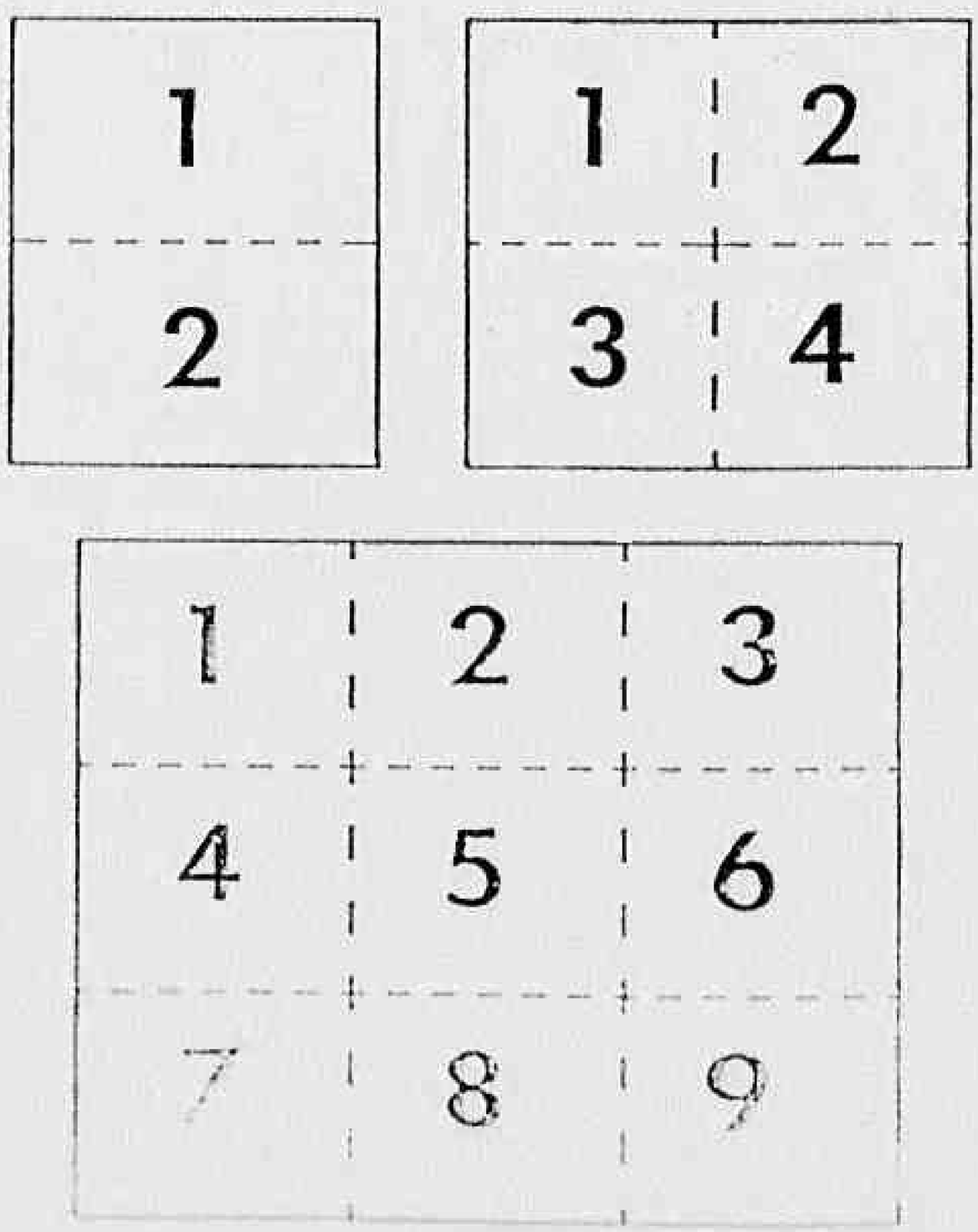

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INSTALLATIONS, ARM UNITS, GARRISON

Serial	Branch or Service	UNIT Type of Unit	Unit Nominated	Offrs	ORs	MT M/Cs	MT Vehs	Covered Sq.Ft
1		HQ	HQ AAI and ancillary units					
2		Area HQ	59 Area HQ and ancillary units	32	152	6	26	
3	A	Transit Camp or CRU	Transit Camp or 2 CRU	12 30	118 150	2 -	10 10	-
4	A	PW Camp	207 PW Camp	7	222	-	4	270,000
5	A	MP & DB	Initially MPC MP & DB	1 2	228 665	- -	1 1	 55,000
6	A	Transit Hotel(Offrs)						
7	A	Officers Club						
8	A	WOs & Sjts Club						
9	RE	CRE Works		5	17	2	3	
10	RE	Works Sec (two)	(total)	8	36	8	6	
11	RE	Stores Sec (one)		1	17	2	1	
12	RE	Army Tps Coy		7	282	6	42	
13	RE	Art.Works Coys(three)	(total)	18	771	15	27	
14	RE	BD Secn (two)	(total)	2	62	2	10	
15	RE	E & M Coy		7	279	8	23	
16	RE	Mech Equip Secs(two) Type "B"	(total)	4	149	6	20	
17	RE	Quarrying Coy		4	175	6	23	
18	RE	Rd Constr Coy		4	102	3	11	

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APPENDIX "B".

B O L O G N A.

LATIONS, AIM UNITS, GARRISON UNITS AND HQs.

MT		STORAGE			Capacity			
Vehs		Covered Sq.ft.	Open Sq.yds.	Road	Tonnage	Labour,etc.	Proposed Site	REMARKS
							BOLOGNA T.	
							BOLOGNA T.	
	26							
10	10	-	4,000,000	-	150	3000	IMOLA M.1030	To incl Wings for Ind and African Tps.
	4	270,000	70,000	-	100	3000	M.0030	
	1		52,000		12	500	(CASTEL S.	Building -
	1	35,000	-	-	12	500	(PIETRO M.0030	otherwise extensive RE work.
						200	BOLOGNA T.	
						200	BOLOGNA T.	
						200	BOLOGNA T.	
							BOLOGNA Area	
	5						" "	
	6						" "	
	1						" "	
	42						" "	
	27						" "	
	10						" "	
	23						" "	
	20						" "	
							" "	
	23						" "	
	11						" "	

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6	A	Transit Hotel(Offrs)					
7	A	Officers Club					
8	A	WOs & Sjts Club					
9	RE	CRE Works		5	17	2	3
10	RE	Works Sec (two)	(total)	8	36	8	6
11	RE	Stores Sec (one)		1	17	2	1
12	RE	Army Tps Coy		7	282	6	42
13	RE	Art.Works Coys(three)	(total)	18	771	15	27
14	RE	RD Secs (two)	(total)	2	62	2	10
15	RE	E & M Coy		7	279	8	23
16	RE	Mech Equip Secs(two) Type "B"	(total)	4	148	6	20
17	RE	Quarrying Coy		4	175	6	23
18	RE	Rd Constr Coy		4	102	3	11
19	RE	Tipper ~~Coys~~ Platoons (two)	(total)	2	122	16	74
20	RE	GT Pl		1	61	8	37
21	RE	Italian Lavoratori Artiere Coys		24	1028	20	36
22							
23							
24							
25							
26	Wks	Workshop & Pk Coy		9	214	3	19
27		MECH EQPT W & TP CPT R.E. & MECH EQPT W RESERVE		7	197	4	65

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Serial	Branch or Service	UNIT Type of Unit	Unit Nominated	Offrs	ORs	MT M/Cs	MT Vehs	ST Covered Sq. Ft.
28								
29	TN	Tn Storms Depot	24 Tn Storen Coy RE	2	37	1	2	24,000
30	TN	" " "	156 " " " "	6	196	4	-	
31								
32								
33	ST	GRASC Tpt Coln	Two (total)	10	62	12	18	Officers & Billets
34	ST	GT Coys	Seven (total)	70	2755	280	1197	"
35	ST	" "	Nine (total)	90	3555	360	1539	"
36								
37								
38	ST	RSD	13 RSD	7	75	4	16)	240,000
39	ST	"	28 or 43 RSD	7	75	4	16)	
40	ST	GRASC Dep Units	20 GRASC	7	12	1	2	Office & Billets
41	ST	MFD (two)	Type "S" (total)	6	66	4	4	24,000
42	ST	Fd Bakery	25 Fd Bakery	2	151	-	1	3,000
43	ST	Fd Butchery	13 Fd Butchery	2	32	1	-	Dependent on
44	ST	Pet Depot A	19 Pet Depot	5	80	3	16)	Offices &
45	ST	" " B	127 Pet Depot	2	36	2	4)	Billets
46	ST	GRASC Pet Instal.	GRASC 12 or 13 Pet Instal.	6	18	4	4	"
			229 Pet Depot	2	22	1	2	"

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MT		STORAGE				Capacity		
V/Cs	Vehs	Covered Sq.ft.	Open Sq.yds.	Road	Tonnage	Labour, etc.	Proposed Site	REMARKS
1 4	2) 4)	24,000	145,200 (green depot area)	16000	30,000	400 labour	BOLOGNA T.	Area adjoining sta in North
12	18	Offices & Billets	Parking Site				BOLOGNA T.	For BOLOGNA & AREZZO.
0	1197	"	" "				Area south BOLOGNA	Sx IH to Depots in BOLOGNA.
0	1539	"	" "				" "	Lift 1000 tpd AREZZO IH to BOLOGNA.
4 4	16) 16)	240,000	20,000	-	30,000	600 civilians or 250 pers.	BOLOGNA T.	
1	2	Office & Billets	-	-	-	-	BOLOGNA Area Under arrangements area.	
4	2	24,000	2,000		2,000	100-200 civs	" " " "	
-	1	3,000			200	30-40 civs	" " " "	
-	-	Dependent on finding cold storage Depot.					" " " "	
4	16) 4)	Offices & Billets	1,500,000 or 25,000		45,000	750 civs	Rest of BOLOGNA	
4		"					MEDICINA M.1060	
2		"			500		BOLOGNA Area Under arrangements area.	

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Serial	Branch of Service	UNIT: Type of Unit	Unit Nomenclatured	Offrs (Non)	ORs	MT: M/Cs	Vehs	STO: Secred Sq.F
58	MED	Gen Hosp (1200)	99(Br) Gen Hosp	34 79	250	-	3	
59	MED	" " (600)	11(Ind) " "	50	212	-	2	
60	MED	" " (1200)	3(Pol) " "	42 110	195 153	-	-	
61	MED	" " (1200)	93(Br) " "	33 79	246	-	2	
62	MED	" " (600)	66(Br) Gen Hosp	23 50	162	-	3	
63	MED	" " (1200)	55(Br) " "	34 79	250	-	3	
64	MED	" " (600)	65(Br) " "	23 50	162	-	3	
65	MED	" " (600)	72(Br) " "	32 50	162	-	3	
66	MED	" " (600)	16(Canb)" "	47	219	-	3	
67	MED	" " (600)	70(Br) " "	23 50	162	-	3	
68	MED	" " (1500)	15(Can) " "	140	272	-	12	
69	MED	" " (1200)	100(Br) " "	34 79	250	-	3	
70	MED	" " (600)	67(Br) " "	23 50	162	-	3	
72	MED	" " (600)	2(US) " "	126	187	-	6	
73								
74								
75								
76								
77	MED	Base Depot Med Stores	2 DEMS	1	25	-	1	MI-60,000
78	MED	Br Red Cross Stores		5	12	-	-	10,000
79	MED	Base Transf. Unit	5 BTU	4	65	2	14	30,000
80	MED	PAU Clone A		-	10	-	-	-
81	MED	" " B		-	5	-	-	-
82	MED	" " B		-	5	-	-	-

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MT M/Cs	MT Vans	STORAGE Covered Sq.ft.	STORAGE Open Sq.yds.	STORAGE Road	Tonnage	Capacity Labour, etc.	Proposed site.	REMARKS
-	3				475	1200 beds		
-	2				275	600 "		
-	-				420	1200 "		
-	2				600	1200 "		
-	3				220	600 "		
-	3				475	1200 "		
-	3				275	600 "		
-	3				275	600 "		
-	3				300	600 "		
-	3				275	600 "		
-	12				600	1500 "		
-	3				475	1200 "		
-	3				275	600 "		
-	6				275	600 "		
-	1	40-60,000			400			
-	-	20,000						
2	14	30,000			75			
-	-	-			3			
-	-	-			3			
-	-	-			3			

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67	MED	"	"	(600)	70(Br)	"	"	23	50	162	-	3	
68	MED	"	"	(1500)	15(Cdn)	"	"	140		272	-	12	
69	MED	"	"	(1200)	100(Br)	"	"	34	79	250	-	3	
70	MED	"	"	(800)	67(Br)	"	"	23	50	162	-	3	
71	MED	"	"	(600)	2(Aus)	"	"	126		187	-	9	
72													
73													
74													
75													
76													
77	MED	Base Depot Med Stores			2 BMD			1		25	-	1	40-60,000
78	MED	Pr Red Cross Stores						5		12	-	-	10,000
79	MED	Base Transf. Unit			5 BTU			4		65	2	14	30,000
80	MED	P&O Class A						-		10	-	-	-
81	MED	" " B						-		5	-	-	-
82	MED	" " B						-		5	-	-	-
83	MED	Malaria Fd Lab						4		8	-	2	
84	MED	Dermatological Wing						6		8	-	-	
85	MED	Base Psychiatric Centre						5		46			
86	MED	VD Exp (200)						3		23			
87	MED	" " "						3		23			
88	MED	NAG						9		342	-	125	
89	MED	NAG						9		342	-	125	
90	MED	Dental Centre A						1		1			

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-	3		275	600	"
-	12		600	1500	"
-	3		475	1200	"
-	3		275	600	"
-	6		275	600	"
-	1	40-50,000	400		
-	-	10,000			
2	14	30,000	75		
-	-	-	3		
-	-	-	3		
-	-	-	3		
-	1		5		
-	-		40		
			90		
			25	200 beds	
			25	"	"
-	125				
-	125				

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Serial	Branch of Service	UNIT Type of Unit	Unit Nominated	Offrs	Ors	Week	Years	Covered
91	MED	Dental Centre A		1	1			
92	MED	" " A		1	1			
93	MED	" " B		2	2			
94	MED	Dental Lab		1	10			
95	MED	Dental Lab		1	10			
96	MED	Fd Sanitary Sec	12 Fd San Sec	1	23	5		5
97	MED	Fd Hyg Sec		1	26	8		4
98	MED	MSU	13 MSU	1	6	1		1
99	MED	MSU	73 MSU	1	6	1		1
100	MED	MSU		1	6	1		1
101	MED	MSU		1	6	1		1
102	MED	PAC A		-	10			
103	MED	PAC B			5			
104	MED	" B			5			
105	MED	" B			5			
106	MED	" B			5			
107								
108								
109								
110								
111	MED	Con Depot	2000 beds	14	97	-		1
112	MED	" "	" "	14	97	-		1
113								
114								
115								

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Cus	W/C	Veh	STORAGE Covered Sq. Ft.	Open Sq. yds.	Road	Tonnage	Capacity Labour, etc.	Proposed Site	REMARKS
1						1			
1						1			
2						2			
10						5			
10						5			
23	5		3						
26	6		4						
6	1		2				10		
6	1		1				10		
6	1		1				10		
6	1		1				10		
10							10		
5							5		
5							5		
5							5		
5							5		
97			1				210	2000 beds	
97			1				210	" "	

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				1	6	1		1
100	MED	MED		1	6	1		1
101	MED	MED		-	10			
102	MED	PAT A			5			
103	MED	PAT B			5			
104	MED	" B			5			
105	MED	" B			5			
106	MED	" B						
107								
108								
109								
110								
111	MED	Gen Depot	2000 beds	14	97	-		1
112	MED	" "	" "	34	97	-		1
113								
114								
115								
116								
117	ORD	Adv Ord Depot	1500 AOD	48	623	5		37
118	ORD		No.1 Sub Depot					1
119	ORD		No.2 " "					4
120	ORD		No.3 " "					1
121	ORD		RSD					2
122	ORD		Gun Park					

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1	1					
1	1			10		
				10		
				3		
				3		
				3		
				3		
	1			210	2000 beds	
	1			210	"	"
5	37					DELAGOA B.
		150,000	30,000	8000	250 pnrs	" "
		400,000	50,000	20000	5000 clvs	" "
		150,000	30,000	7000		" "
		200,000	30,000			" "
		30,000	70,000		1000 equipments	" "

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Serial	Branch or Service	UNIT: Type of Unit	Unit Ordinated	Offrs	Ors	MT: M/Cs	MT: Vehs	Covered	STORAGE: Cubic
123	ORD	Adv Amn Depots	21 AAD	5	90	2	3	50,	
124	ORD		25 AAD	6	90	2	3	50,	
125	ORD	Ord Amn Coys	Four	8	184	4	8		
126	ORD	Veh CP		3	18	3	2		
127	ORD	Veh Parks	Four (8 Vehs)	16	532	12	37	10,	
128	ORD	RVP		4	133	3	9	10	
129	ORD	Mobile Laundry		2	99		18		
130	ORD	Officers Shop		1	5				
131									
132									
133									
134									
135	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2	16	1	4	[illegible]	
136	REME	HQ Adv R Shop	HQ 1 ARM	11	70	6	74)	3000	
137	REME	Shop Coy	7 Shop Coy	8	330	6	74)		
138	REME	" "	20 " "	8	330	6	74)		
139	L&E	Indian Fwd Coys	a)1350 Ind Fwd Coy	1 PO 4 VCO	300	-	3		
			b)1254 " " "	1 PO 4 VCO	300	-	3		
140	L&E	Results Fwd Coy	1923(Res) Coy MPC	6	320	-	3		
141	L&E	Italian Fwd Lab Regts.	a)To be coordinated	89	2581	12	15		
			b) " " "	89	2581	12	15		
142	L&E	Fwd Gp HQ	HQ 67 Gp PC	4	15	1	2		
143	L&E	Civil Labour Unit	To be coordinated	7	14	2	3		
144	S&E	Base Salvage Depot	25 Base Sal Unit	1	26	-	3	5000	
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Tre	Qts	MT M/Cn	MT Vehs	STORAGE Covered Sq.Ft.	STORAGE Open Sq.yds.	STORAGE Road	Tonnage	Capacity Labour, etc.	Proposed Site	REMARKS
	90	2	3	50		70 miles	70000	300 pnrs	Area NE BOLOGNA	
	90	2	3	50				2000 civs		
	184	4	8							
	19	3	2							
	532	12	37	10,	300,000 cu.			9000 vehs 400 civs	Area SE road BOLOGNA - MODENO	
	153	3	9	10	600,000			100 civs	Area NE BOLOGNA on FERRARA Road	
	99		18						BOLOGNA Area	Under arrangements area.
	5								BOLOGNA T.	
					2150					
	70	6	74	350	150,000			2500 civs	BOLOGNA T.	
	330	6	74							
	330	6	74							
	300	-	3				18			
	300	-	3				18			
	320	-	3				18			
	2581	12	15				120			
	2581	12	15				120			
	15	1	2				3			
	14	2	3				6			
	26	-	3	5,000	5,000			90 civs	SE BOLOGNA on main road	

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127	GRD	Van Parks	Pour (3 Vehs)	16	532	12	37	10,000
128	GRD	RVP		4	133	3	9	10,000
129	GRD	Mobile Laundry		2	99		18	30,000
130	GRD	Officers Shop		1	5			1,000
132								
133								
134								
135	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2	16	1	11	[illegible]
136	REME	HQ Adv B Shop	HQ 1 ASM	11	70	6	74	350,000
137	REME	Shop Coy	7 Shop Coy	8	330	6	74	
138	REME	" "	20 " "	8	330	6	74	
139	L.R.	Italian Pnr Coys	a) 1330 Ital Pnr Coy	1 BO 4 VCO	300	-	3	
			b) 1254 " " "	1 BO 4 VCO	300	-	3	
140	L.R.	Senato Pnr Coy	1923 (Bas) Coy	6	320	-	3	
141	L.R.	Italian Pnr Lab Sqdns.	a) To be nominated b) " " "	89 89	2581 2581	12 12	15 15	
142	L.R.	Pnr Gp HQ	HQ 87 Gp PC	4	15	1	2	
143	L.R.	Civil Labour Unit	To be nominated	7	14	2	3	
144	S.R.	Base Salvage Depot	25 Base Sal Unit	1	26	-	3	5,000
145								
146								
147		Det Base APO	Det Base APO					
148	POSTAL	~~Postal Unit~~	~~Det 18 b of C~~ Postal Unit	1	16	-	1	5,000
149	Ade	Stationery Depot	23 Ade Stationery Depot	2	28		1	[illegible]
150	PAY	Area Cash Office		3	4	-	1	Office & Billets
151								
152	V & R	V & R		10	386	-	6	

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12	37	10,[illegible]	[illegible]		400 civs	BOLOGNA - [illegible]	
					100 civs	Area NE BOLOGNA on FERRARA Road	
3	9	16,[illegible]	600,000			BOLOGNA Area	Under arrangements made.
	18	[illegible]				BOLOGNA T.	" " "
		[illegible]					
			2100		Part time	[illegible]	
						BOLOGNA T.	
6	74)	359,[illegible]	150,000		2500 civs	" "	
6	74)					" "	
6	74)						
				13			
+	3						
				13			
-	3						
				18			
-	3						
				120			
12	15			120			
12	15						
				3			
1	2						
				6			
2	3						
-	3	1,000	5,000		50 civs	BOLOGNA on main road	
		[illegible]	500 ~~25~~	2 [illegible]		BOLOGNA T.	see letter 66 for details & [illegible]
-	1	5,000					
	1	[illegible]					
						BOLOGNA T.	
-	1	Office & Billets					
						BOLOGNA Area	Moving to MIRANDOLA
-	8						

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Roll or Service	Branch	UNIT Type of Unit	Unit Location	offrs	enl	[illegible]	[illegible]	Covered Sq. Ft.
[illegible]								
[illegible]	SVY	3d Survey Map Depot	Rear 29	1	25	-	2	20,000
[illegible]	SVY	3d Svy Coy	517 3d Svy Coy	6	190	10	[illegible]	4,000
[illegible]	SVY	" " "	524 " " "	10	180	10	19	5,000
157								
158								
159	EFI	BOD		1	29		7	60,000
160	EFI	RTS		-	15		[illegible]	6,000
161	[illegible]	[illegible]					[illegible]	
162	AIR	MAES		4	8		[illegible]	office
163	AIR	Allied Air Terminus		5	20			
164	AIR	RAF Tpt Comd Staging Post		28	250	-	25	5,000
165	AIR	Road/Rail Movements Office		1	1	-		- office
166								
167								
168								
169	ACI	Regional HQ	Region IX	60	50	-	10	office [illegible]
170	ACI	Warehouse						
171								
172	ACI	ACCD				1850		
173								
174		SA Res Gp						
175								
176								

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Gia	[illegible]	STORAGE Covered Sq.ft.	Open Sq.ft.	Road	Capacity Tonnage	Labour, etc.	Proposed Site	REMARKS
25	-	20,000	5,000		700		BOLOGNA Area	
150	[illegible]	4,000	8,000				" "	
180	[illegible]	5,000	8,000				" "	
29	[illegible]	60,000	5,000		4,750	60 civs	BOLOGNA Area	
19	[illegible]	6,000					BOLOGNA T.	
						~~2000 civs~~		
8	-	office					" "	Air Booking office
20								Wing near Airfield
250	- [illegible]	5,000					BOLOGNA Area	airfield
1	- -	office					BOLOGNA	
								"
								"
[illegible]	- [illegible]	office & billets [illegible],000	-				BOLOGNA T. BOLOGNA Area Hall served if possible.	Wed title.
								Flying Range in future. Range [illegible]

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158								
159	EPI	DCD		1	29		7	60,000
160	EPI	DIS		-	15		[illegible]	6,000
161	~~EPI~~	~~[illegible]~~					[illegible]	
162	AIR	MATS		4	8	[illegible]	[illegible]	Office
163	AIR	Allied Air Headquarters		5	20			
164	AIR	SAP Tpt Cmd Staging Post		28	250	-	25	5,000
165	AIR	Rcnd/Ardl Accounts Office		1	1	-	-	Office
166								
167								
168								
169	AIR	Regional HQ	Region IX	30	80	-	10	Office [illegible]
170	AIR	Warehouse						
171								
172	RAF	RAOTU	-		1800			
173								
174		SA Res Gp						
175								
176								

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Col Legg Stationing Staff

G. M. [illegible] R. A.
S. G. I. C. A. Intelligence Officer

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7	60,000	5,000	4,790	60 ctvn	BOLOGNA Area	
	6,000				BOLOGNA T.	
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Serial	Type of Establishment	Unit Responsible	Capacity	Remarks
1(a)	British Rest Camp	V Rest Camp	Offrs 150 Ors 2500	
(b)	RAF Rest Camp (INP)			May / ... to be ...
2(a)	ANC Club		3000	To be establish
(b)	ANC Welfare Centre		[illegible]	To be selected ...
3	Indian Rest Camp	32 Indian Rest Camp	400	
4	British Other Ranks Club		500	To be operated
5	WRA Hostel		100 all ranks Women's Services	
6(a)	US Officers' Club			To be establish
(b)	British Officers' Club		500	To be operated
7(a)	British Officers' Rest Hotel	60 or [illegible] officers' Transit Centre	35n 200	To be operated ...
(b)	ANC Hotel		35n 75	
8	ANC Stores and Depots		500sq.ft covered storage. Groups for 25 cons	
9(a)	ANC Bakery			
(b)	SHAEF Bakery			Civilian Rdt ... of SHAEF Install
10(a)	ANC Theatres		2000	
(b)	SHAEF Theatre		2000	Converted to ... 50 in ...

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Unit Quartered	Capacity	Remarks
V Rest Camp	Gaza: 150 Ga: 2000	
		Ung have to be sited outside KOLWEZA.
	3000	To be established under arrangements 12th Army.
	3000	To be selected for Welfare Centre requires [illegible] and will initially open on Saturdays, Pitts Area to will [illegible] [illegible] initial [illegible] to [illegible]
32 Italian [illegible]	800	
	200	To be [illegible] for [illegible]
	100 all ranks Wives's Services	
		To be established under arrangements 12th Army
	500	To be operated under [illegible] arrangements.
[illegible] 'Officers' Transit Centre	12h 200	To be operated by Army. Vacancies allotted by HQ AA to all British Services
	3h 75	
	500 [illegible] covered storage. Depots for 25 cars	
		(Italian Navy to work [illegible] as most requirements of RN installations only.
	2000	
	2000	Items and to be provided for 12 AA then and [illegible] to [illegible].

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Serial	Type of Establishment	Unit Designation	Strength	
11	Base Depots		2000	Personnel [illegible]
12(a)	Day Leave Reinforcement to [illegible]		2000	
(b)	" " " [illegible]		2000	[illegible] to op[illegible] operati[illegible]
13	CPX - Stud[illegible]			[illegible]

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Will Terminate	Issued by	Remarks
	2006	Personnel to be provided by HQ AAI when call'd for by 59 Area.
	2030	
	2050	X is operated by Area. Information on operation being issued separately.
		Details known to HQ 59 Area.

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(1) A/ Chief Commissioners Office
(2) Economic Section
(3) Food Sub-Commission
(4) Transportation Sub-Commission

The attached is passed to you for information. Please circulate under TOP SECRET cover in the order given above & return to the Office of the Executive Commissioner.

A/ Atherton
Major,
MA to Ex Com.

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COMMUNICATIONS.

As from 18th August, Region VIII assumes charge FLORENCE Province. Communications will be made to Region VIII c/o A.A.I. (A.G.C. Liaison Officer) marked FLORENCE, A.M.G. Capt. GREY to be instructed that communications on FLORENCE Province to be sent A.M.G. L.O. XIII Corps.

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In lieu of A.P.A.16.

To: HQ. AAI.

I hereby acknowledge receipt of HQ. AAI Administrative Instruction No.53 issued under Ref: 500/CAO dated 15.Aug.

Major
AI to Executive Commissioner.

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Adv Headquarters,
Allied Armies in Italy,
C.M.F.
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HQ AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No.53.

INTENTION OF THIS INSTRUCTION.

1. The intention of this Instruction is to amend and amplify Adm Instrs No.43, dated 16 Jul.44, and No.50, dated 10 Aug.44, consequent upon the transfer of 13 Corps to FIFTH ARMY.

MAINTENANCE OF THE ARMIES.

2. 13 CORPS will come under FIFTH ARMY for administration and maintenance, except as stipulated in paragraph16 below, with effect from 21 Aug.44.

3. British supplies required for the troops now being transferred to FIFTH ARMY will be furnished through AREZZO RH. As this implies that AREZZO RH must serve both Armies, the tonnages into the RH and deliveries from depots will be controlled by this HQ to the extent necessary to decide priorities. The RH and depots (EIGHTH ARMY Roadhead No.4) will continue to be operated by EIGHTH ARMY, who will act as the agent of this HQ, which will call for such returns of stocks, etc, as it may require by the most expeditious means. This HQ will exercise in all respects the degree of supervision necessary to satisfy itself that the various installations are functioning in accordance with its requirements.

4. The units operating AREZZO RH and depots will remain under command EIGHTH ARMY. As they will be required later by EIGHTH ARMY to open a forward roadhead, this HQ will make arrangements to ensure that they can be relieved by other units when this becomes necessary. At this stage, AREZZO RH and depots will pass completely to control of this HQ.

5. FIFTH and EIGHTH ARMIES will bid on this HQ for their requirements at AREZZO, FIFTH ARMY sending a copy of their bids to Base No. EIGHTH ARMY for information.

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5. FIFTH and EIGHTH ARMIES will bid on this HQ for their requirements at AREZZO, FIFTH ARMY sending a copy of their bids to Rear HQ EIGHTH ARMY for information. Detailed instructions regarding submission of demands have been issued to FIFTH ARMY under this HQ letter 1022/22/G1 dated 19 Aug.44.

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6. In carrying out their responsibilities outlined in paragraph 3 above for AREZZO RH and depots, EIGHTH ARMY will ensure that 8 day's reserves of staple commodities are held on behalf of British troops of FIFTH ARMY based on AREZZO.

7. Supplies for EIGHTH ARMY on the ADRIATIC L of C will be provided as follows :-

Phase I up to 7 Sep.	T.D.S.
By sea to ANCONA	3,000 *
By sea to ANCONA (bulk petrol)	1,000
By rail to ORTONA	1,200
By rail to ASSISI	1,400
Total:	6,600

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* EIGHTH ARMY estimated requirements total 4,460: these figures permit build up at ANCONA for AAI of about 2,000 t.p.d. They also include maint of 61 Area. Personnel and AFV trains to ORTONA and ASSISI (2 trains per day) are additional to the above.

Phase II starting 8 Sep.(a)	t.p.d.
By sea to ANCONA	2,500 (b)
By sea to ANCONA (bulk petrol)	1,000
By rail via FOLIGNO to FALCONARA	2,000 (c)

NOTES: (a) Full capacity will be attained gradually.
(b) All for EIGHTH ARMY. AAI requirements in addition.
(c) Personnel, etc, trains must be deducted.

8. FIFTH ARMY will take over from EIGHTH ARMY responsibility for clearance of British stocks at PIOMBINO as from 21 Aug. 44.

PETROL.

9. Delivery from the 4-inch pipeline being laid along Route 2 from GABELLETTA to SIENA will be reserved to FIFTH ARMY. EIGHTH ARMY may continue to draw to the limit of the capacity of their road petrol tankers from the 6-inch pipehead at GABELLETTA.

10. EIGHTH ARMY will be responsible for receiving and filling to containers bulk petrol delivered by cistern wagons at AREZZO RH, and for provision of any road tankers needed for this purpose.

TRANSPORT.

11. The following allocation is made of General Transport Companies between the two Armies :-

FIFTH ARMY 6 GT Coys (including 548 GT Coy already allotted for civil supplies).

EIGHTH ARMY 20½ GT Coys (excluding Corps Tps 2nd Line Coys and NZ, Polish and Canadian Coys).

12. Of the GT Coys allotted to EIGHTH ARMY under paragraph 11 above, 10 GT Coys will be regarded as AAI reserve. These will be used initially by EIGHTH ARMY for building up stocks at ANCONA from RHs at ORTONA and ASSISI. They will subsequently be allotted to Armies, according to the requirements of the

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13. Bulk Petrol Transport Companies are allotted as follows:-

FIFTH ARMY 1 Coy.

EIGHTH ARMY 3 Coys.

This allotment will be reviewed when bulk petrol becomes available at LEGHORN.

14. Allotment of Tank Transporter Companies will be made by G(SD) this HQ. Allotment of Bridge Coys and Tipper Coys will be made by G(SD) this HQ on the advice of CE AAI.

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15. Pack Transport Companies will be allotted immediately as follows :-

FIFTH ARMY 3 Coys.

EIGHTH ARMY 17 Coys.

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EIGHTH ARMY will, however, review their requirements, particularly in regard to 10 Corps, with a view to releasing up to 2 further Coys for FIFTH ARMY.

RECOVERY.

16. Recovery of British vehicles in FIFTH ARMY will be to EIGHTH ARMY ACP 7 at AREZZO.

ORDNANCE (VEHICLES).

17. Separate instructions will be issued regarding the replacement of 'B' vehicles in EIGTH ARMY.

AG (Br) BRANCH MATTERS.

18. The channels of communication for British MS and A(PS) matters for British troops in FIFTH ARMY will be as follows :-

13 CORPS ..... HQ EIGHTH ARMY

71 Garrison ..... HQ No.1 District (through 55 AREA).

All other troops ..... HQ FIFTH ARMY.

19. For A(O) matters, all British troops in FIFTH ARMY will work through normal channels to HQ FIFTH ARMY (British Increment).

20. CRUs and Reinforcement Camps in the AREZZO RH will remain under command EIGHTH ARMY, but will hold reinforcements for British, Dominion and Colonial formations and units under command FIFTH ARMY. Adv RHs See EIGHTH ARMY will be responsible for satisfying detailed demands of both EIGHTH ARMY and FIFTH ARMY. When the question of priority of allotment of reinforcements as between Armies arises, decision will be made by HQ AAI.

MEDICAL.

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18. The channels of communication for [illegible] HQ and A.[illegible] matters for British troops in FIFTH ARMY will be as follows :-

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All other troops	HQ FIFTH ARMY.

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MEDICAL.

21. British and Dominion casualties in FIFTH ARMY will be evacuated to the following CCSs :-

8 South African,
3 Indian,
4 British,

thence by rail under arrangements this HQ.

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AMG.

22. Responsibility for AMG matters in the territory being taken over by FIFTH ARMY from EIGHTH ARMY will pass on 21 Aug.44.

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21A. Casualties among British troops in 5 Army and also in PBS Area North of ROME who cannot be conveniently evacuated through the above channels will be dealt with by US Army Medical Units and evacuated to British Base Hospitals under arrangements already made between DMS AAI and Surgeons 5 Army and PBS.

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23. HQ 71 Garrison is transferred to command FIFTH ARMY with effect from 18 Aug.44. Application has been made to AFHQ for the provision of a US increment to convert HQ 71 Garrison into an integrated Allied HQ. Pending the establishment of this Allied HQ, CG FIFTH ARMY will take such measures as he considers to be necessary to ensure that HQ 71 Garrison is able to handle Allied interests in FLORENCE.

24. ACK.

Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

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HQ. ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY

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AAI OPERATIONAL ZONE

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27 AUG 1944

Terms and Conditions of Employment in ~~[illegible]~~ of Italian Military, Naval and Air Force personnel and Civilians.

1. GENERAL

As a result of the additional commitments undertaken by the Italian Authorities to provide Italian Units for employment as such with the Allied Forces it is essential that the required Italian personnel be made available for service in these units now being organised.

All Italians liable to enlistment, who are in Allied employment, will continue in that employment only if certain conditions are met.

In view of the amendments which it has been necessary to make from time to time to the instructions originally issued on this subject, it has been decided to consolidate below all existing instructions, and, where necessary, to amplify them. — see addition Jobs 7c

2. ITALIAN ARMED FORCES

(a) Personnel in classes up to and including 1913 may continue in employment subject as mentioned in para 4(a) below.

(b) Skilled personnel of 1914-24 classes may continue in employment subject as mentioned in para 4(b) below.

(c) Unskilled personnel of 1914-24 classes may continue in employment as mentioned in para 4(c) below.

(d) Individuals and/or parties of formed Italian units may continue in employment as mentioned in para 4(d) below.

3. CIVILIANS

(a) Skilled personnel liable for calling up within 1914-24 classes may continue in employment subject as mentioned in para 4(b) below.

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(c) Personnel not liable to call up within 1914-24 classes may continue in employment subject as mentioned in para 4(a) below.

4. EMPLOYMENT

(a) Personnel within paras 2(a) and 3(c) may be employed only in accordance with the conditions laid down in the pamphlet published by this HQ in March 1944 "Instructions regarding the Employment of Civilian Labour (Sicily and Italy)" as amended.

(b) Applications will be made for authority to employ personnel within paras 2(b) and 3(a) in the following manner:-

(i) Application forms (Appendix 'A') will be completed by the employing unit in respect of all personnel affected and submitted in triplicate to/

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to the appropriate exempting authority (see para 'c').

(ii) Exemptions will only be granted by the exempting authority where the employment is:-

(a) within the ME of the employing unit, whether or not the ME provides for the employment of Italian personnel, and

(b) considered to be vitally and operationally necessary and more profitable to the ME effort than if the person were in the Armed Forces.

(iii) If the employing unit considers that the retention of personnel in excess of the ME is justified, the application then will be submitted through normal channels to 'A' branch, HQ AAF for consideration. In all such cases the circumstances under which the employment is considered justifiable must be stated on the application form and verified by the next higher formation.

(iv) Where exemption is granted the exempting authority will provide a certificate of exemption (Appendix 'BB') and forward it, together with a copy of the application form, to Colonel Support, Italian Military Mission, [illegible]

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(v) The certificate of exemption will be signed and countersigned on behalf of the Italian authorities and returned to the exempting authority for onward transmission to the employing unit who will hand it to the person concerned.

(c) Applications for exemption of personnel within paras 2(c) and 3(B) will be submitted in a [illegible] format, HQ AAF for consideration (Appendix 'C' will be used). Only [illegible] exemptions [illegible] will be considered to arrive.

(d) Applications will be [illegible] through HQ AAF for permission to employ any personnel coming within [illegible] of this [illegible]. The application will give full details of the personnel involved, including name, [illegible], military number, nature of present employment [illegible] and employment in detail ME. Applications under this [illegible] will be submitted through normal channels.

5. EXPIRATION OF EXEMPTIONS

Exemptions granted under the provisions hereof will be valid only for a period of three months [illegible] date of [illegible]. Applications for further exemption will be submitted in the [illegible] that the form will be marked "RENEWAL" and previous authority [illegible].

6. NOTIFICATION

(a) Exempting authorities will notify this HQ by the 1st of each month the

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(iv) ~~Where [illegible] the exempting authority will compile a certificate of exemption (Appendix 'B') and forward it, together with one copy of the application form, to Colonel NERONI, Italian Military Mission, [illegible].~~ see Flag 70

(v) The certificate of exemption will be sealed and countersigned on behalf of the Italian Authorities and returned to the Exempting Authority for onward transmission to the employing unit who will hand it to the person exempted.

(c) Applications for exemption of personnel within parts 3(a) and 3(b) will be submitted in triplicate on 'A' Branch, MG AAI for consideration (Appendix 'A' will be used). Only in very special circumstances will exemption be granted.

(d) Applications will be made to 'A' Branch MG AAI for permission to employ any personnel coming within part 3(d) hereof. The application will give full details of the personnel employed, nating name, place, military number, nature of present employment and, if, therefore not employment is within MG. Applications under this and preceding sub-paras will be submitted through normal channels.

5. DURATION OF EXEMPTION

Exemptions granted under the provisions hereof will be valid only for a period of three months ~~of date of exemption~~. Application for further exemption will be submitted in the same manner except that the form will be marked "RENEWAL" and previous authority quoted.

6. NOTIFICATION

(a) Exempting Authorities will notify this HQ by the 5th of each month the number of:-

(i) Exemptions [illegible]
(ii) Extensions [illegible]
(iii) Exemptions [illegible]

(b) Employing units will notify the Exempting Authority of any person to whom exemption has been granted who is subsequently released from employment, and will instruct the released employee to report to the nearest Royal Carabinieri HQ for direction to the nearest Italian Military District.

(c) Exempting Authorities will supply full particulars to ~~[illegible]~~ of all personnel whose exemption is cancelled or expires. the authority to issue certificate of exemption are provided for Canada regardless see 70

7. CIVILIAN FIRMS

Application for exemption will be made by units in similar form and on similar grounds/

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grounds in respect of [illegible] employed by civilian firms doing work of operational importance for the Allied Forces.

8. RETURN OF REMOVED

Where an application for permission to employ former members of the Italian Armed Forces or civilians is refused, the employing unit may continue to employ such personnel until called up by the Italian Authorities. Except in the case of personnel within 2(d) who will be returned immediately to their respective units.

9. ITALIAN PT

Nothing in this Administrative Instruction shall in any way affect Italian PT (Co-operators) employed by the Allied Forces.

10. EXEMPTED CATEGORIES

The following are, for the purpose of this instruction, declared to be Exempted Authorities:-

(i) Carabinieri
(ii) " " Army
(iii) " " Guardiaria
(iv) Navy and SOMALI
(v) Ministry of War
(vi) [illegible]

In case of dispute or doubt, the application will be referred to 'G' Branch, Allied Commission.

11. APPLICABILITY

This instruction is not applicable to Italian personnel employed by US Forces.

12. CANCELLATION

This AG letters 3116/1.(G) of 17 March 46 and 3074/1.(G) of 20 March, 30 March, 4 May and 21 May 1946 are cancelled.

Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer

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(i) [illegible]
(ii) " " [illegible]
(iii) " " [illegible]
(iv) [illegible]
(v) [illegible]
(vi) [illegible]

In case of dispute or doubt, the application will be referred to [illegible] Branch, [illegible] for final decision.

11. [illegible]

This instruction is not applicable to Italian personnel employed by US Forces.

12. [illegible]

This instruction supersedes [illegible] of 17 [illegible] and [illegible] of 20 March, 30 March, 4 May and 15 [illegible] and cancels them.

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APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM CALL-UP ON PERSONAL

MILITARY / NAVAL / AIRFORCE PERSONNEL WITH IN 1941-1944 CLASSES

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DECISION OF EXEMPTING AUTHORITY:

EXEMPTION GRANTED IN RESPECT OF
SERIAL NOS. FOR 3 MONTHS FROM DATE

EXEMPTION REFUSED IN RESPECT OF
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Signature .....

Name of Exempting Authority.....

Date.....

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION FROM GALL-PRIDE ITALIAN

ORDINANCE WORTH 1941-1944 CLASSES

PERIOD 1.1.20
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A. SCHEDULE

5 SERIAL NUMBER (AS ABOV)	6 HOME ADDRESS	7 RANK OF LAST TRADE UNIT IN WHICH SERVING	8 DETAILS MILITARY DISTRICT TO WHICH BELONGING	9 CIVIL TRADE	10 NATURE OF PRESENT EMPLOYMENT	11 WHETHER EMPLOYED WITHIN WE	12 GROUNDS OF APPLICATION BY SERVICE TO WE

Signature .....

Name of Employing Unit.....

Date .....

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APPENDIX "B" to
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DICHIARAZIONE
(Certificato)

Al Comando del Distretto Militare di.....
(To the Command of the Military District of)

Si dichiara che il Sig.....(Nome e cognome)
(This is to certify that) (Name)

dalla classe.....presta servizio presso.....(occupazione)
(is employed by) (occupation)

Si prega volerlo esonerare dal richiamo alle armi
(It is requested that he be exempted from Military Service)

Firmato.....
(Signed)

.....(Data)
(Date)

Nello Stato Maggiore VE
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AMENDMENT NO 1 to ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION
NO 53 HQ 5007/CAO DATED 15 AUG 44.

After MEDICAL para 21, add new para 21A.

"21A. Casualties among British troops in 5 Army and also in PBS Area North of ROME who cannot be conveniently evacuated through the above channels will be dealt with by US Army Medical Units and evacuated to British Base Hospitals under arrangements already made between HQ AAI and Surgeons 5 Army and PBS."

Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

PW/JLF

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HEADQUARTERS
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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 38

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1. INTENTION OF THIS INSTRUCTION

The intention of this instruction is to amend and amplify ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 43 dated 16 Jul 44 in order to bring it up to date.

2. MAINTENANCE OF THE ARMIES

Reference para 2 of Administrative Instruction No. 43

POLISH CORPS (and GIL) will be placed under EIGHTH ARMY for administration with effect from 18 Aug 44.

Supplies will then be available to EIGHTH ARMY from ANCONA depots and also by Line 86 to railhead at OSTONA.

3. PORTS

Reference para 3 of Administrative Instruction No. 43

The tonnage stipulated as available for EIGHTH ARMY through PIOMBINO will be maintained up to 18 Aug 44. Thereafter, until further notice, the discharge of British tonnage at PIOMBINO or LEGHORN will be limited to that required for the maintenance of British troops in FIFTH ARMY.

EIGHTH ARMY are requested to clear the stocks laid down for them at PIOMBINO as expeditiously as possible.

4. RAILWAYS

Reference para 4 of Administrative Instruction No. 43

Priorities for the repair of railway lines are amended as follows:-

Priority 1 (a) Line 65 GROSSETO - CHIUSI - AREZZO

NOTE: MI 18 due to open at AREZZO on 10 Aug. No extension of line 65 North of AREZZO is contemplated at present.

(b) Line 50 CIVITAVECCHIA - TERNI

(c) Line 86 ANCONA - FOLIGNO

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NOTE: (a) is due to open at AREZZO on 10 Aug. No extension of line 85 North of AREZZO is contemplated at present.

(b) Line 50 SAVIGNANO - LEGHORN

(c) Line 86 ANCONA - BOLOGNA

(d) Line 87 FOLIGNO - FAENZA

Priority II (e) Connection by boat route between LEGHORN and BOLOGNA.

Priority III (f) Line 86 ORTONA - ANCONA

(g) Line 89 CASTELNUOVO - ROME.

5. FUEL

Reference para 7 of Administrative Instruction No.43

The following is a forecast of the development of bulk storage facilities at LEGHORN:-

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Date		White Oil	Black Oil
14 Aug		9,000 tons	
21 Aug		10,000 tons	6,000 tons
5 Sep		10,000 tons	10,000 tons
20 Sep		4,000 tons	
	T O T A L	33,000 tons	16,000 tons

Two 4" pipe lines will be laid as early as possible from [illegible] to ENFOLI. These will subsequently be carried forward across the APENNINES on alignments to be decided later.

6. ORGANISATION OF L of C

Reference para 11 of Administrative Instruction No.43

HQ No.1 District has been established at POLIGNO and not at ASSEBI as quoted in the above.

With effect from the date of issue of this Instruction, No.1 District is placed under command of EIGHTH ARMY with the following reservations:-

(a) The operation of ANCONA port and depots will be controlled by this HQ through No.1 District and 61 Area. The boundary of the area affected by this reservation will be fixed by No.1 District in consultation with EIGHTH ARMY. EIGHTH ARMY will deal direct with 61 Area for their requirements.

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(d) For disciplinary and other "L"(PS) matters of LAI units at present under their command, No.1 District will deal direct with this HQ unless EIGHTH ARMY is affected.

The above arrangements are intended to cover the period of the Second Phase mentioned in para 1 of Administrative Instruction No.43 and to be terminated at a date to be fixed by this HQ.

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7. CONSOLIDATION OF L of C

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The above arrangements are intended to cover the period of the Second Phase mentioned in para 1 of Administrative Instruction No.41 and to be terminated on a date to be fixed by this HQ.

8. ADMINISTRATION OF BRITISH TROOPS IN THE FIFTH ARMY AREA

Reference para 14 of Administrative Instruction No.41

A British Increment staff has not been attached to HQ FIFTH ARMY. Fresh instructions on the administration and administration of British units in FIFTH ARMY are issued separately in Administrative Instruction No.49 dated 7 Aug 44.

ACKNOWLEDGE

Major General.
Chief Administrative Officer.

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AAI/3092/A(O)

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. AO

POWERS AND RIGHTS OF ALLIED FORCES AND ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT IN UNOCCUPIED ITALY

This Instruction supersedes Administrative Instruction No. 6, reference AAI/3092/A(O) dated 15 Nov. 44.

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1. Definition

For the purposes of this Instruction the term "Italian Government Territory" refers to territory forming part of ITALY, SICILY and adjacent islands handed over to ITALIAN Government and jurisdiction, subject to the guidance and instruction of the Allied Control Commission under the Chief Commissioner acting for the Commander-in-Chief, A.A.I.

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The object of this Instruction is to clarify the more important rights reserved to the Allied Forces by agreement with the ITALIAN Government, in such territory forming part of Italian Government Territory which may be handed over to the ITALIAN Government from time to time, in respect of which full powers of Government will otherwise be possessed by the ITALIAN Authorities.

Apart from these reserved rights, Allied Military Government in ITALIAN Government Territory comes to an end. All Proclamations and Orders of the Military Governor and those made by his authority cease and are no longer operative; no such Proclamation or Orders can be issued in the future.

Although there will be officers of the Allied Control Commission in ITALIAN Government Territory, they will be there to advise and control the ITALIAN Government, and not as Governors. One of the most important functions of the Regional and Provincial Officers of the ACC will be liaison between Allied Military Formations in the area and the ITALIAN administrative officials. All but the most routine dealings between the ITALIAN administration and the Allied Military authorities must be conducted through the Local ACC. When the ITALIAN Government is directly represented on a control board or committee the Military may, of course, deal directly with that organisation without the intervention of ACC.

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The Allied Forces have retained the power and right to requisition private and public property and services in ITALIAN Government Territory - this right must be exercised sparingly and only for reasons of pressing military necessity. This right will be exercised through the ITALIAN authorities. If, for example, a building is needed by the Military, it should be requisitioned through the Sindaco of the town where the building is situated, with the assistance of the Provincial Officer of the ACC. The usual formalities of requisitioning used in Military Government territory will be strictly followed in ITALIAN Government territory. The property of fascist societies, whether dissolved or not, must not be seized without giving a receipt, and then only if required for reasons of military necessity.

4. Allied Military Courts

As the Proclamation of the Military Governor ceases to operate in ITALIAN

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Government Territory, all crimes will normally be tried under ITALIAN law and in ITALIAN Courts. The Allied Forces, however, have reserved to themselves the right to hold Allied Military Courts in ITALIAN Government Territory for the trial of civilians who commit acts seriously hostile to the Allied Forces and to punish them in accordance with the ITALIAN Penal Code.

The reservation of this right is not intended to encourage the trial of of civilian offenders by Allied Courts, but is to enable this to deal with the most serious offences against Allied personnel or property which cannot be dealt with by the ITALIAN Courts. If such an offence has been committed the military authorities will give a full statement of the facts to the local representative of the ACC with the request that an Allied Military Court be convened to hear the charges. It will be the responsibility of ACC to frame the charges and constitute the Court. It is emphasized that only in the most exceptional circumstances will any case in ITALIAN Government Territory be referred to ACC Courts and then only on order of ACC.

Consequent on reservation of the power to try such offenders there is reserved to the Allied Forces the power to arrest persons who are believed to have committed such offences. High ranking ITALIAN officials and officers of the ITALIAN Armed Forces should, however, only be arrested in collaboration with the appropriate ITALIAN official (i.e. the Prefect or the Commanding Officer of the officer concerned). In all cases of arrest the agreement of the local ACC officer will be obtained beforehand, except in an emergency, when he will be informed immediately after the arrest.

5. Military Zones.

The right is reserved by the Commander-in-Chief to declare specific areas in ITALIAN Government Territory to be Military Zones. Upon the issue of such a declaration, the right to exercise the powers of military government in the Zone in question becomes even more vested in the Commander-in-Chief. It is hoped that the need for the establishment of such Zones will never arise, but should the situation in any area become such as to convince the District Commander that such action is necessary, he should, after consulting the Regional Commissioner, report accordingly to HQ AAI giving full reasons to justify his view. The Allied Forces may also re-occupy any part of ITALIAN territory, but the right to constitute a Military Zone will render it unnecessary to exercise this right in respect of any local disorders.

6. Military and Civilian Internees

The Allied Forces may continue to hold or require the ITALIAN Government to hold in custody military or civilian internees in ITALIAN Government Territory. If the Allied Forces require to arrest any person for security or other reasons such arrest should be carried out in collaboration with ITALIAN officials unless, in any particular case, it is thought that a request to the ITALIAN police to arrest a suspect would be inexpedient. In all such cases the local

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7. Use of Troops in Aid of the Civil Power.

It may happen that the local ITALIAN authorities may ask for the assistance of allied troops in quelling civil disturbances.

If such a request is made the local commander will point out that the quelling of civilian riots or disturbances is a matter for the ITALIAN Administration and he will refuse such assistance, unless he is of the opinion that it is necessary for the protection of Allied Military Interests. Furthermore, before rendering such assistance the local commander will warn the local official requesting his assistance that the territory in question will be made forthwith an Allied Military Zone (see para 5 above).

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If time permits the local commander will consult the local ACC officer and seek instructions from his Superior Commander before giving assistance; in any event he will inform his Superior Commander of any request made to him and the action taken thereon without delay.

8. Process in ITALIAN Courts

No member of the Allied Forces may be prosecuted or sued in ITALIAN Courts.

9. Emergency Action

It is appreciated that an emergency may arise which requires immediate action by the Allied Forces for their protection and security, but except in such emergency all action required from the ITALIAN Administration should invariably be taken through the medium of the Regional or Provincial Commissioner. Where immediate action is taken without previous reference to ACC for emergency reasons, the appropriate ACC Officer will be informed as soon as possible.

10. Assistance to ITALIAN Authorities.

Apart from the powers and rights described above, it should be remembered that the transfer of territory to the ITALIAN Government is made as part of the policy of the Allied Governments.

It is the duty of all Allied officers to assist the central and local Government authorities in acquiring and maintaining authority, and to avoid thoughtless acts which may undermine the authority of the police, the Sindaco, or the Prefects.

Major General.
Chief Administrative Officer.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 47

4 Aug 44

MAINTENANCE PROCEDURE FOR FORWARD ITALIAN PORTS

GENERAL

1. This instruction defines the procedure to be followed for maintenance through forward ports in ITALY. Maintenance will be derived from the following sources:-

(a) Direct loadings from UK/USA.
(b) Direct loadings from ME/MA.
(c) Outloadings from ITALY.

In order to minimise the strain on port acceptance capacity and to avoid double handling, all possible tonnages will be set up from outside ITALY. Any reasonable inconvenience caused thereby will be accepted in view of the overall saving.

2. The bidding for acceptance of these maintenance tonnages falls into three categories (corresponding to the three sources of supply detailed in para 1). These categories are:-

(a) Long Term Maintenance.
(b) Short Term Maintenance.
(c) Immediate Maintenance.

LONG TERM MAINTENANCE

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SHORT TERM MAINTENANCE

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SHORT TERM MAINTENANCE

4. In order to adjust bids when requirements have become firmer and more information is available about direct loadings from UK/USA, meetings will be held to revise bids for each ten-day maintenance period. Bids are required to reach 'Q' Branch, Main HQ AAI, thirty-five days before and will be considered at a conference held thirty-three days before the first day of that period. These meetings will decide:-

(a) The final allocations of available port capacity.
(b) The extent to which such final allocations are to be met from loadings ex:-

(i) UK/USA.
(ii) ME/NA.
(iii) ITALY.

In framing the bids for Short Term Maintenance, HQs and Services will take into account expected deliveries by rail during the period from base depots in Southern ITALY.

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IMMEDIATE MAINTENANCE.

5. While generally no change in tonnages decided at Short Term Maintenance Meetings will be approved, priority demands for outloadings from ITALY may be submitted to this HQ twenty-five days before the first day of each ten-day maintenance period. Such priority demands will be considered at a meeting, to be held twenty-three days before the first day of each ten-day maintenance period, which will decide final loadings to be made from ITALY.

FORM OF BIDS.

6. Appendix 'A' shows the form in which bids are required for each category of bidding. NIL bids are NOT required.

HQs and BRANCHES CONCERNED.

7. Appendix 'B' lists the HQs and Branches of HQ AAI who will be represented at each bidding meeting.

PROGRAMME FOR MEETINGS.

8. Appendices 'C' and 'D' show the full programme for bidding meetings.

ESTIMATES OF PORT ACCEPTANCES.

9. Mov, AAI and CC PBS will furnish an estimate of the daily acceptance capacity of the ports for which they are respectively responsible by the same time and date as bids are due to reach 'Q' Branch, Main HQ AAI, for each bidding meeting. Where it is operationally necessary for Armies to control ports, they will take similar action.

SUPPLEMENTARY INSTRUCTIONS.

10. Mov and DCOT, AAI, will issue such supplementary instructions as are necessary to ensure that the allocations made by this HQ are effectively carried out.

MAINTENANCE THROUGH SOUTHERN ITALIAN PORTS.

11. The procedure laid down in this HQ letter 1021/Q of 4 Jul 44 will continue to apply so long as this HQ is responsible for the maintenance of stocks in Southern Italian depots.

SECURITY.

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for W.H. Richardson
Major General,
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6. Appendix 'A' shows the form in which bids are required for each category of bidding. NIL bids are NOT required.

HQs and BRANCHES CONCERNED.

7. Appendix 'B' lists the HQs and Branches of HQ AAI who will be represented at each bidding meeting.

PROGRAMME FOR MEETINGS.

8. Appendices 'C' and 'D' show the full programme for bidding meetings.

ESTIMATES OF PORT ACCEPTANCES.

9. Mov, AAI and CG PBS will furnish an estimate of the daily acceptance capacity of the ports for which they are respectively responsible by the same time and date as bids are due to reach 'Q' Branch, Main HQ AAI, for each bidding meeting. Where it is operationally necessary for Armies to control ports, they will take similar action.

SUPPLEMENTARY INSTRUCTIONS.

10. Mov and DCOT, AAI, will issue such supplementary instructions as are necessary to ensure that the allocations made by this HQ are effectively carried out.

MAINTENANCE THROUGH SOUTHERN ITALIAN PORTS.

11. The procedure laid down in this HQ letter 1021/Q of 4 Jul 44 will continue to apply so long as this HQ is responsible for the maintenance of stocks in Southern Italian depots.

SECURITY.

12. Attention is directed to the TOP SECRET classification of this [illegible] and critical dates.

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SECURITY.

12. Attention is directed to the TOP SECRET classification of this document, due to the inclusion of convoy sailing and arrival dates.

W H Richardson
for Major General,
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APPENX 'A'

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FORM FOR BIDS

SEA MAINTANANCE TO FORWARD ITALIAN PORTS

(For long term bids the form shown in letter 1021/4 of 4 Jul 44 will continue to be used).

BID BY

FOR SHORT TERM MAINTENANCE PERIOD
IMMEDIATE

FROM TO

(All tonnages in Deadweight Long Tons per day)

ITEM	WESTERN ITALIAN ports NORTH OF NAPLES ø	EASTERN ITALIAN ports NORTH of the HEEL ø
I. TONNAGE BID a Maintenance (i.e. required to replace the consumption within the above period) b Build-up (i.e. required to increase the level of stocks).		
TOTAL BID		
II. PROPOSED SOURCE OF SUPPLY. a From outside ITALY (i) Ex UK/USA (ii) Ex MEDITERRANEAN/SICILY b From within ITALY (i) NAPLES group of ports (ii) HEEL Ports		
TOTAL as above bid		
III. BASIS OF CALCULATION		

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I. TONNAGE BID a Maintenance (i.e. required to replace the consumption within the above period) b Build-up (i.e. required to increase the level of stocks). TOTAL BID		
II. PROPOSED SOURCE OF SUPPLY. a From outside ITALY (i) Ex UK/USA (ii) Ex ME/NA/SICILY + b From within ITALY (i) NAPLES group of ports (ii) HEEL Ports TOTAL as above bid		
III. BASIS OF CALCULATION a Formations, Squadrons, Groups etc. b Troop strength		
IV ESTIMATED PORT ACCEPTANCE CAPACITY. (to be completed by Mov AAI and PTC only)		

Ø Show separately the ports at which required if not acceptable at any or all of those ports.

\+ AFHQ availabilities will be notified thirty-seven days prior to the first day of each ten-day maintenance period.

Date.....Signature.....Rank.....

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APPENDIX 'D'

HQs and Branches concerned in Maintenance through forward ITALIAN ports.

I. Bids required:-

From:	For needs of:
AAI (Q Branch)	British Army incl items common to British Army and RAF excl Coal and all Petroleum Products.
PBS	US Army Ground Forces incl items common to US Army Ground and Air Forces excl Coal and all Petroleum Products.
AAFSC/MTO	US and British Air Forces.
ACC	All civilian requirements excl Coal and Petroleum Products.
ACC (MGIA)	Italian Army.
ADV AFHQ (Pet Sec)	All Petroleum Products.
ADV AFHQ (Coal Sec)	All Coal (incl Sea Transport).
AAI (ST)	All forage.
AAI (TN)	All Transportation stores excl those imported from USA by PBS.

II. Estimates of port capacities required from:

MOV, AAI
CC, PBS

III. Other persons interested:

DSTO, ITALY
DCMO, AAI
DQMG, AAI
DCOT, AAI

IV. British Branches of AAI to attend separate "British Breakdown" Portion of Meetings.

Works	Survey
ST	EPI
Ord	Medical
Ord (Arm)	Printing and Stationery Services.

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ADC (MMSA)	Italian Army.
ADV AFHQ (Pet Sec)	All Petroleum Products.
ADV AFHQ (Coal Sec)	All Coal (incl Sea Transport).
AAI (ST)	All forage.
AAI (TN)	All Transportation stores excl those imported from USA by PBS.

II. Estimates of port capacities required from:

MOV, AAI
CG, PBS

III. Other persons interested:

DSTO, ITALY
DCAO, AAI
DQMG, AAI
DOOT, AAI

IV. British Branches of AAI to attend separate "British Breakdown" Portion of Meetings.

Works	Survey
ST	EFI
Ord	Medical
Ord (Amn)	Printing and Stationery Services.

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Appendix C

LONG TERM MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME

Convoys 1B5	1B3	1B8	1B3	Maintenance Month	Dates revision of British Bids: Due HQ AAI ∅	Dates revision of British Bids: Due APHQ	Dates all other Bids: Due HQ AAI ∅	Dates all other Bids: Discussed at Bidding Meeting +	Dates all other Bids: Due [illegible] APHQ
66 67 68	56 57 58	57 58 59	66 67 68	Nov 44	6 Aug	8 Aug	13 Jul	15 Jul	18 Jul
69 70 71	59 60 61	60 61 62	69 70 71	Dec 44	6 Sep	8 Sep	12 Aug	15 Aug	17 Aug
72 73 74	62 63 64	63 64 65	72 73 74	Jan 45	6 Oct	8 Oct	12 Sep	15 Sep	17 Sep
75 76 77	65 66 67	66 67 68	75 76 77	Feb 45	6 Nov	8 Nov	14 Oct	17 Oct	19 Oct

∅ To be addressed Q Branch, Main HQ AAI.
\+ All Bidding Meetings will be held in Q Conference Room, Main HQ AAI, Room 927, Scala C, Italian Air Ministry, ROME at 1100 hrs.

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72 73 74	62 63 64	63 64 65	72 73 74	Jan 45	6 Oct	8 Oct	12 Sep	15 Sep	17 Sep
75 76 77	65 66 67	66 67 68	75 76 77	Feb 45	6 Nov	8 Nov	14 Oct	17 Oct	19 Oct

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Appendix D

SHORT TERM AND IMMEDIATE MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME

Convoys				Time Convoy		Ten Day Matrix Period		Short-term			Immediate	
EDS	GUS	HGS	MFS	Sails	Arrives *	From	To	Bids due AAI/	Planning Meeting x	Bids due AFHQ	Priority Requests due AAI	Planning Meeting x
60	50	51	60	10 Aug 23 Aug 13 Aug 27 Aug	31 Aug 21 Aug 5 Sep 5 Sep	29 Aug	7 Sep	26 Jul	26 Jul	30 Jul	13 Aug	16 Aug
61	51	52	61	21 Aug 2 Sep 23 Aug 6 Sep	10 Sep 19 Sep 15 Sep 15 Sep	1 Sep	17 Sep	5 Aug	5 Aug	9 Aug	14 Aug	16 Aug
62	52	53	62	30 Aug 12 Sep 2 Sep 16 Sep	20 Sep 20 Sep 25 Sep 25 Sep	18 Sep	27 Sep	14 Aug	6 Aug	19 Aug	24 Aug	26 Aug
63	53	54	63	10 Sep 22 Sep 12 Sep 26 Sep	30 Sep 30 Sep 5 Oct 5 Oct	28 Sep	7 Oct	24 Aug	26 Aug	29 Aug	3 Sep	5 Sep
64	54	55	64	19 Sep 2 Oct 22 Sep 6 Oct	10 Oct 10 Oct 15 Oct 15 Oct	8 Oct	17 Oct	3 Sep	5 Sep	6 Sep	13 Sep	15 Sep
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/ To be addressed Q Through Main HQ AAI.

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+ Arrival dates are those for TRIENDIST, TARI and CARLETTA. Arrivals at NAPLES and TARANTO are one day earlier and at CEVIT [illegible], [illegible] LEBROON and ANCONA one/two days later.

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AMENDMENT NO.1

TO HQ AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO.47

Cancel Appendix D and substitute the following :-

SHORT TERM AND IMMEDIATE MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME

Convoys				Inbd Convoy		Ten day Maint Period		Short-term			Immediate	
BMS	GUS	DGE	MGS	Sails	Arrives *	From	To	Bids due AAI/	Bidding Meeting ≠	Bids due AFHQ	Priority demands due AAI /	Bidding Meeting ≠
51	51	52	51	21 Aug 2 Sep 23 Aug 6 Sep	10 Sep 10 Sep 15 Sep 15 Sep	8 Sep	17 Sep	3 Aug	5 Aug	9 Aug	13 Aug	15 Aug
62	52	53	52	30 Aug 12 Sep 2 Sep 16 Sep	20 Sep 20 Sep 25 Sep 25 Sep	18 Sep	27 Sep	13 Aug	15 Aug	19 Aug	24 Aug	26 Aug
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64	54	55	64	19 Sep 2 Oct 22 Sep 6 Oct	10 Oct 10 Oct 15 Oct 15 Oct	8 Oct	17 Oct	3 Sep	5 Sep	8 Sep	13 Sep	15 Sep
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[illegible] MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME

Convoys				Date Convoy		Ten day Maint Period		Short-term			Immediate	
LMS	RMS	MMS	MKS	Sails	Arrives +	From	To	Bids due AAI Ø	Bidding Meeting ≠	Bids due AFHQ	Priority demands due AAI ∅	Bidding Meeting ≠
61	51	52	61	21 Aug 2 Sep 23 Aug 6 Sep	10 Sep 10 Sep 15 Sep 15 Sep	8 Sep	17 Sep	3 Aug	5 Aug	9 Aug	13 Aug	15 Aug
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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO.46.

RATES OF HIRE FOR HORSE DRAWN TRANSPORT.

1. Rates of hire for horse drawn transport vary considerably at the present time, and in view of the coming harvest, competition for this type of transport will lead to a rapid increase in prices.

2. In these circumstances, therefore, the following prices have been agreed with the Allied Control Commission as the maximum rates which will be paid for this type of transport:-

Type of Cart	Capacity Quintals	Rate in lire per 5-hour Day	Rate in lire per 10-hour Day
Two wheels One horse or mule	6 - 8	92	183
Two wheels Two horses	10 - 15	118	235
Four wheels One horse	6 - 8	102	193
Two horses	15 - 20	128	255
Three horses	30 - 40	151	302

3. The above rates -

(a) include services of driver only. In the event of other assistance being required the correct wages for additional assistance will be added.

(b) are based on the proviso that the hirer will, in all cases, provide fodder for the animal or animals.

4. In order to avoid black market prices being paid by the owners, fodder will be provided from Army sources wherever possible. In the event of fodder not being available from Army sources, the basic rates will be increased accordingly, but in no case will this increase exceed 60 lire per day.

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W J R Hildebrand
for Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

HQ AAI.
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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NUMBER 43.

1. Scope of this Instruction.

This Instruction is issued in conjunction with HQ A.A.I. Operation Order No.2 dated 14 July 1944 (not issued to all recipients of this Instruction). In paragraph 4 of that Operation Order it is stated that the forthcoming campaign will fall into three phases, viz:-

First phase: driving the enemy back to the GOTHIC Line.

Second phase: penetration of the GOTHIC Line.

Third phase: exploitation to the line of the River PO.

Operation Order No.2 covers only the First Phase mentioned above, but, due to the fact that it is necessary to make administrative preparations well in advance, this Instruction is intended to cover the administrative organisation up to the completion of the Third Phase.

2. Maintenance of the Armies.

In principle the Armies will be maintained as follows:-

See also Adm. Inst. No. 50

FIFTH ARMY by P.B.S. by sea through ports of CIVITAVECCHIA, PIOMBINO and later LEGHORN. [illegible] will be available

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See also Adm. Inst. No. 50 at folio 11.

FIFTH ARMY by P.B.S. by sea through ports of CIVITAVECCHIA, PIOMBINO and later LEGHORN. Supplementary tonnages will be available by rail on Line 50.

EIGHTH ARMY by rail on Lines 65 and 87. Supplementary tonnages by sea through PIOMBINO and later through LEGHORN. Supplies will also be available by sea through ANCONA for EIGHTH ARMY after the capture of BOLOGNA.

POLISH CORPS by rail to ORTONA and thence by road; later by sea to ANCONA, with supplementary tonnage for stores and supplies not foreseen in ship loadings by rail to ORTONA.

3. PORTS

LEGHORN will be developed by P.B.S. who are requested to plan for an initial discharge capacity of 5,000 Tons per day rising to 10,000 tons per day at the end of one month. The distribution of tonnage through

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this port will be fixed by this Headquarters from time to time. For planning purposes it may be assumed that the amount of British tonnage required will be 1,200 tons per day on opening, rising to 2,000 tons per day later. British resources to handle this tonnage will be placed at the disposal of P.B.S. These figures for British tonnage do not include supplies for ROYAL AIR FORCE. Commanding General, P.B.S., after investigation into the position at LEGHORN regarding availability of civilian stevedores, etc, will report to this Headquarters and to Headquarters S.O.S. NATOUSA, what additional resources, if any, he requires to enable him to develop the port to the discharge capacities mentioned above.

PIOMBINO is being operated by FIFTH ARMY. The amount of British tonnage required through this port at present has been fixed at 800 tons per day, but this will be increased to 1,200 tons per day from 10 August 1944. The quantities out of these amounts available to EIGHTH ARMY are as follows:-

18,000 tons up to 9 August 1944.
900 tons per day thereafter.

The balance of the British tonnage at PIOMBINO is required for maintenance of British troops in FIFTH ARMY. When LEGHORN is available to receive British tonnage the quantities scheduled for PIOMBINO will be discharged there. PIOMBINO will be closed down when LEGHORN has been in operation for sufficient time to permit the accumulation of adequate stocks. The decision as to when this is to take place will be made by FIFTH ARMY with P.B.S.

SAN STEFANO will continue to be used for the import of bulk petrol until suitable arrangements for this are available at LEGHORN.

CIVITAVECCHIA is being operated by P.B.S. for supply to FIFTH ARMY, Air Forces and Allied Control Commission. It is intended to close CIVITAVECCHIA as a military port when LEGHORN has been developed. It will probably be required subsequently for the import of civil supplies by Allied Control Commission, in which case HQ

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ANCONA will be British operated and will be developed for the discharge of 2,500 tons per day initially, 4,500 tons per day eventually. Instructions for the development of ANCONA have been issued in HQ ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY Administrative Instruction No.32 dated 18 June 1944.

RAVENNA is estimated to have a capacity of 1,000 tons per day, but it is possible that the enemy may be able to deny the use of it to us by blocking and demolition. The development of RAVENNA and of any other minor/...

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minor port between ANCONA and the mouth of the RIVER PO is left to EIGHTH ARMY who will communicate their requirements for transportation units for this purpose to this Headquarters. Other resources required will have to come from those already allotted to EIGHTH ARMY. It is unlikely that any operational landing craft will be available.

SPEZZIA is primarily a Naval port. There are no present plans for the use of SPEZZIA or of other ports further West for the discharge of military supplies. If it proves desirable to open any of these ports, Commanding General, P.B.S., will be asked to do so, but the tonnage capacity which he will be asked to meet will be in deduction of that to which he is committed at LEGHORN.

4. RAILWAYS.

Priorities for the repair of railway lines are as follows :-

Priority I. Line 86 . RIMINI - BOLOGNA.

Priority II.

(a) Line 218. PISA - PRATO.

(b) Either line 65 PRATO - BOLOGNA or Line 217 PISTOIA - BOLOGNA. The choice will be made as soon as recce of both lines to BOLOGNA can be completed.

(c) Line 65. PRATO - FLORENCE if sufficient resources are available after meeting requirements for (a) and (b).

Priority III

(a) Line 86. CESENA - ANCONA

(b) Line 89. CAMPOBASSO - ROME.

The repair of (a) by civilian contract will be hastened. Military assistance in transporting material to bridge sites etc. will be given. DOMES

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5. The tonnages allotted to Armies by rail from time to time will be fixed by Priority of Movement meetings held by this Headquarters. For planning purposes only, Armies may work on the following allocations:-

EIGHTH ARMY - 4,000 tons per day will be made available to EIGHTH ARMY by rail to ROME and thence by Lines 69 and 87.

Line and Railhead capacities North of ROME will be as follows:-

From 17 July 44 - CIVITA CASTELLANA and GALLESE SEVERINA (4,000 tons per day)
From 24 Jul 44 - BASTIA/ASSISI (2,500 tons per day)
TERNI (1,000 tons per day)
CIVITA CASTELLANA (1,500 tons per day)

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From 10 Aug 44 - BASIL/ASSISI (2,500 tons per day)
AREZZO (2,000 tons per day increasing gradually to 2,500 tons by 15 Aug. until which date the difference must continue to be taken at CIVITA CASTELLANA.)

FIFTH ARMY - although it may be possible to allot a higher tonnage from time to time, F.B.S. and FIFTH ARMY should not plan on receiving more than 500 tons per day by rail from depots South of ROME. The capacity of line 50 North of ROME is 5,000 tons per day to CIVITAVECCHIA. Railhead is expected to be opened ORVIETO on 21 Jul 44 and at GROSSETO on 31 Jul 44. Traffic for ARMS of FIFTH ARMY must be accepted on railheads on this line up to a maximum of 3 trains per day starting 1 Aug 44. The capacity to these new railheads will be 2,500 tons per day initially.

6. All line and railhead capacities given above represent total capacity, and ambulance, personnel and Armd Fighting Vehicle trains will count against those capacities.

7. PETROL.

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ROUTE 2. A 6" line in extension of the line from NAPLES to ROME is now being laid along Route 2 to VITERBO. The theoretical capacity which will be available to EIGHTH ARMY at pipehead is 1,200 tons per day. Due to shortage of pumps the full theoretical capacity is not at present being delivered, and a discharge of more than 750 tons per day for EIGHTH ARMY cannot be guaranteed although more is likely to be available. A 4" line, capacity 400 tons per day, will be laid from the above pipehead along Route 2 to SIENA. To make up the balance [illegible] the following arrange-

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(a) It is planned to despatch 500 tons per day from a pipehead in ROME by rail to EIGHTH ARMY railheads. This will be done partly in rail cistern wagons, partly in filled containers. Success of this plan is dependent on the rapid return of containers by EIGHTH ARMY. It is hoped to start this arrangement as soon as possible after 24 Jul 44.

(b) Of the tonnages available to EIGHTH ARMY at PIOMBINO, vide paragraph 3 above, 10,000 tons represents POL available up to 9 Aug and thereafter 500 tons per day MT petrol.

(c)./;;

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(c) Should all the [illegible] meet EIGHTH ARMY's requirements, it will be necessary for them to draw from SAN STEFANO where unlimited bulk is available to them.

SAN STEFANO will continue to be used for the supply of bulk petrol to FIFTH ARMY until LEGHORN has been developed for this purpose. No allocation can be made to FIFTH ARMY from the NAPLES/ROME pipeline. A 4" pipeline is being laid forward of SAN STEFANO along Route 1. Plans for the development of LEGHORN include the erection of tankage for 11,000 tons initially.

8. AIR FORCE SUPPLIES

M.A.A.F. will be responsible for bidding either direct or through SQ F.A.F. to EIGHTH ARMY for tonnages required at EIGHTH ARMY railheads, and to FIFTH ARMY for tonnages required at PIOMBINO. For tonnages required at ANCONA, LEGHORN and CIVITAVECCHIA, bids should be made to this Headquarters.

9. CIVIL SUPPLIES

Allied Control Commission will submit bids on this Headquarters for all supplies required by them except for those required at a port or railhead operated by an Army, in which case they will bid to the Army concerned.

10. ORGANISATION OF THE L. OF C.

Boundaries of Armies, Districts, P.B.S. etc, will be fixed by instructions issued from time to time by the General Staff. For information a sketch map is attached to this Instruction, showing the planned layout of Districts and P.B.S. up to the completion of the three phases referred to in Operation Order No.2. Since this map was prepared, a change in the boundary between FIFTH ARMY - P.B.S. and EIGHTH ARMY - No.1 District, whereby Highway No.2 would be included in EIGHTH ARMY - No.1 District, has been proposed and awaits approval.

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11. HEADQUARTERS No.1 DISTRICT will be established as early as possible at ASSISI by arrangements with EIGHTH ARMY. No.1 DISTRICT will then assume the following responsibilities:-

(a) Administration and maintenance of all British troops in P.B.S. area North of ROME.

(b) Responsibility for the area between the Northern boundary of No.2 District and the rear boundary of POLISH CORPS.

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(c) The administration of the port of ANCONA. 61 Area, which has been assigned to this task, will pass from command of POLISH CORPS to command of No.1 District on D + 6 day, D day being the day of the capture of ANCONA.

(d) Taking over territory in rear of EIGHTH ARMY as EIGHTH ARMY rear boundary is moved forward.

12. HQ 59 AREA is in reserve in the ROME area under Headquarters A.A.I. It will be at call by EIGHTH ARMY for the administration of BOLOGNA and surrounding area. EIGHTH ARMY will call forward representatives from HQ 59 AREA to formulate plans for this purpose as soon as they require to do so. It is intended to form an A.A.I. Advanced Base in the BOLOGNA area, plans for which will be communicated to EIGHTH ARMY in due course.

13. <u>ADMINISTRATION OF BRITISH UNITS IN FIFTH ARMY AREA</u>

Unless and until a British increment staff is attached to HQ FIFTH ARMY, British units in FIFTH ARMY area will be maintained and administered by 21 Beach Group, which will correspond direct on these matters with this Headquarters. R.A.F. units in FIFTH ARMY area will draw rations and S.E.A.C. supplies through 21 Beach Group.

The exceptions to the above are as follows:-

(a) "Canteen user items (P.C.L. and Engineer stores) will be provided by Fifth Army except Engineer stores other than P.S.P for Airfield Construction Group. Demands for Engineer stores other than ISP for Airfield Construction Group will be submitted direct to this H.Qrs who will be responsible for issuing the necessary tonnage."

A.G. No. dated 8. Aug

States rations, it being impracticable to make other arrangements for them.

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Adm. Ltr. dated 8 Aug

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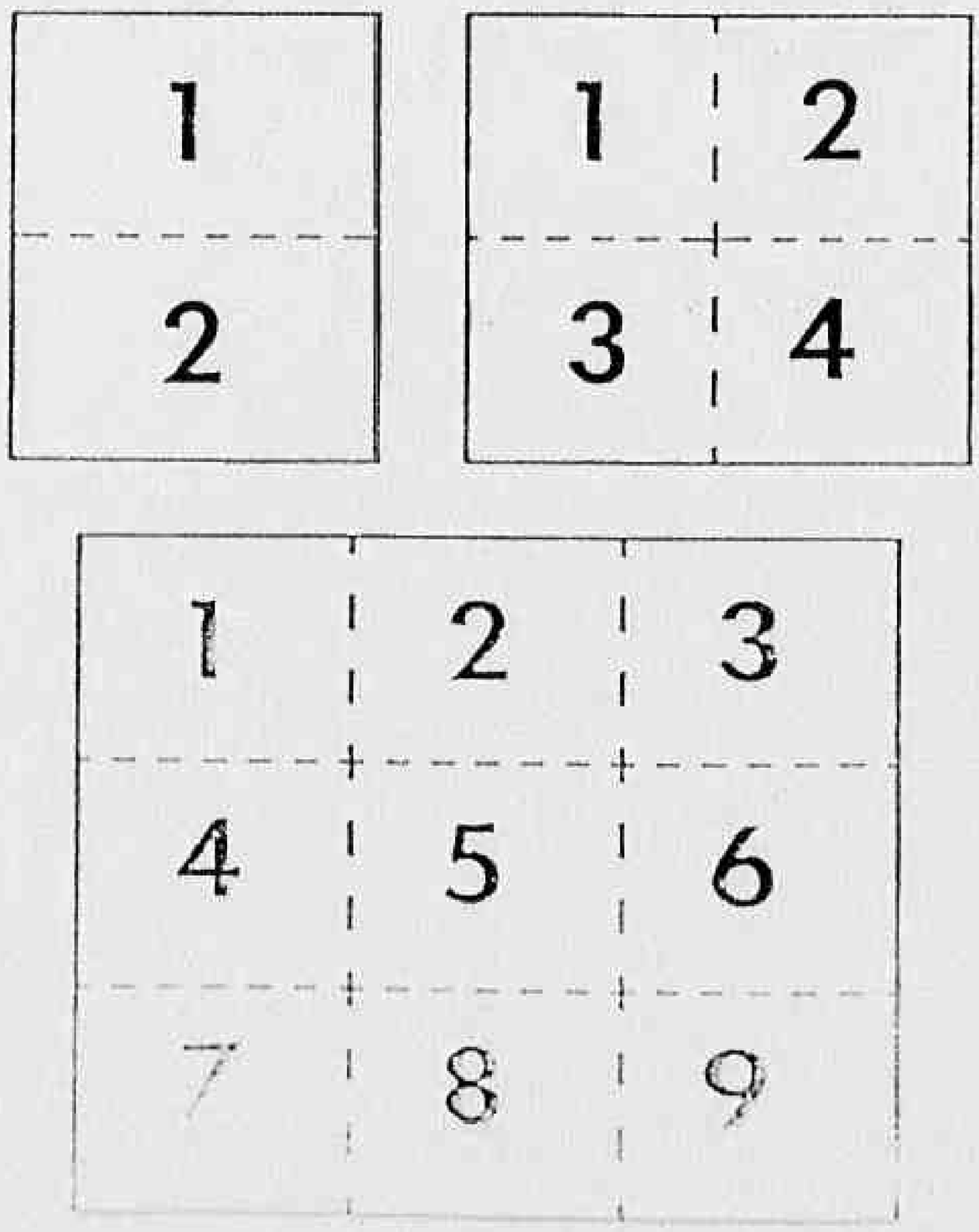

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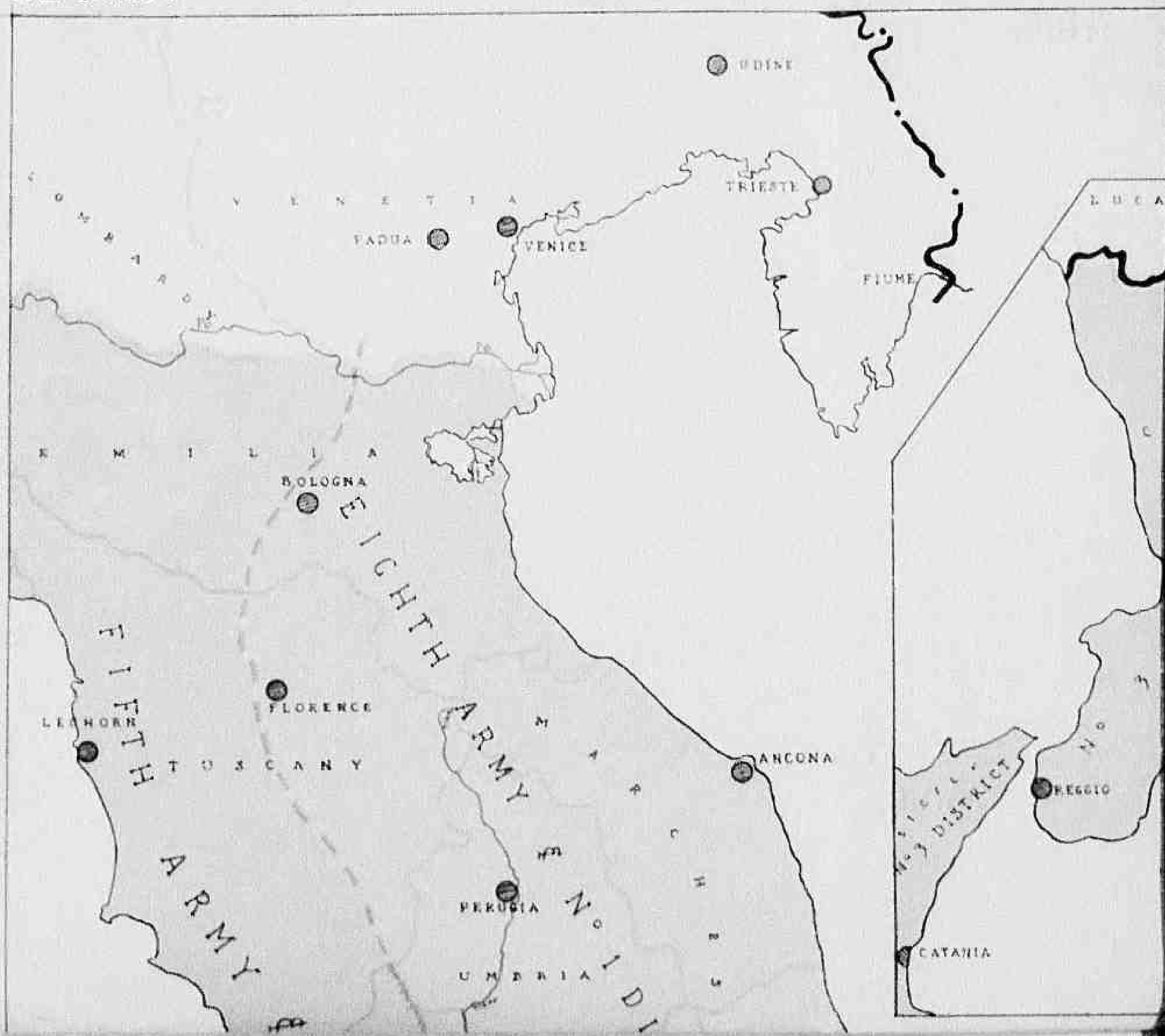

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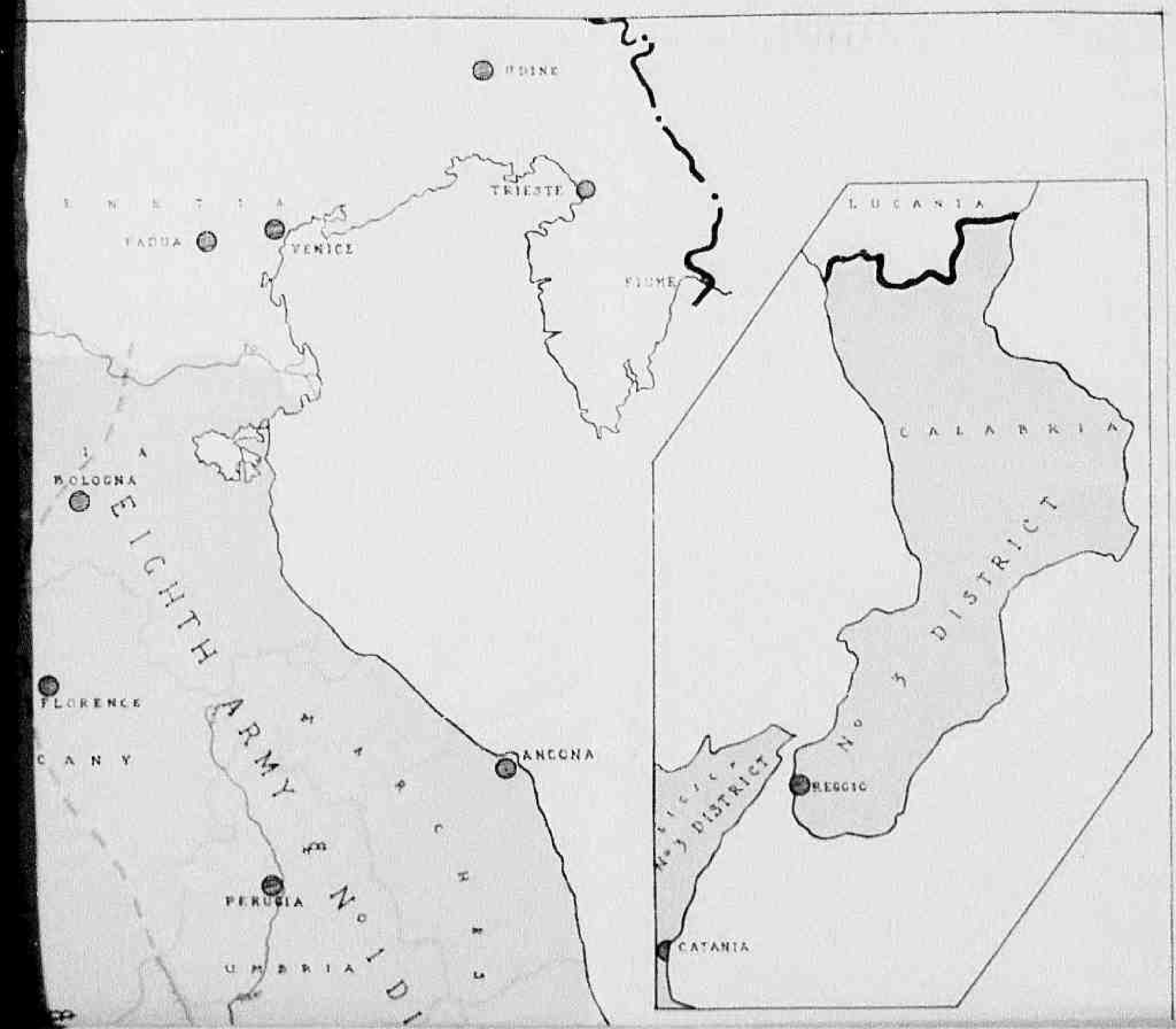

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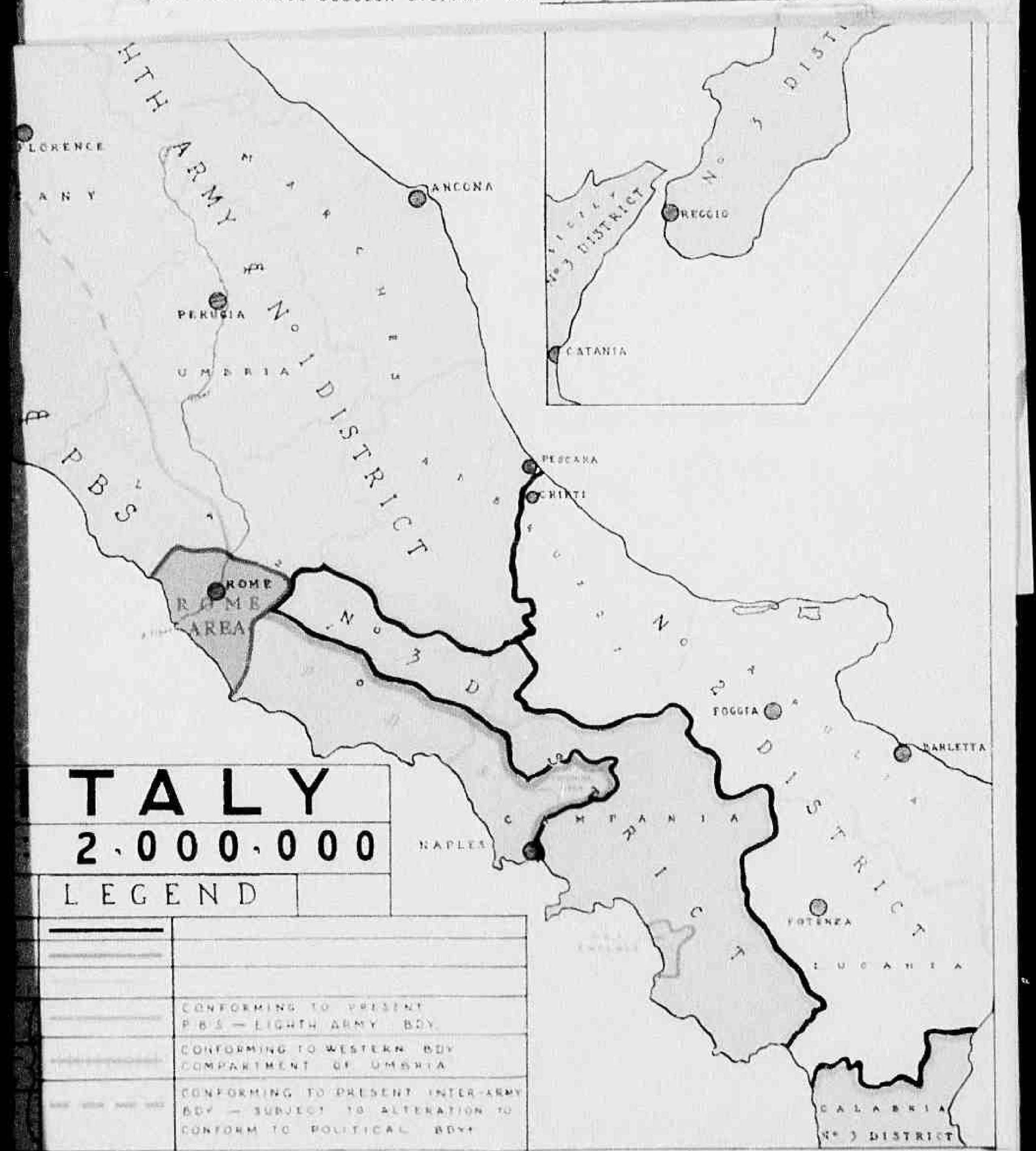

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY
ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 39

1047/4/91

5 Jul 44

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Supply of Food to Italian Civilians

1. This instruction cancels HQ AAI letters 1047/4/9 dated 24 May 44 and 20 Jun 44 respectively.

2. Authority is given to provide food, as hereafter provided, during each shift of eight hours or more for Italian civilians performing heavy labour for the benefit of the Allied Forces. The authority is applicable to civilians employed directly by the Allied Army, Naval and Air Forces and by contractors on their behalf and industry operating for the Allied Forces.

RESPONSIBILITY.

3. Army, Base Section, District and Area or equivalent Commanders will be responsible for the provision of the facilities necessary to prepare and serve meals where the employee works directly for Allied Armed Forces and in conjunction with ACC to assure proper disposition of supplementary ration cards for purchase of additional food as hereafter referred to.

RATION SCALES.

4. (a) In consequence of the two basic Ration Scales for civilians now applicable in Italy, it is necessary to have two different scales for the Midshift Meal and Supplemental Rations. These have been calculated so that the sum of the Basic Scale plus Supplemental rations are the same irrespective of the part of Italy in which the worker is employed. Given below are the details for Midshift Meal and Supplemental Rations for:-

NORTHERN. NORTH of the NORTHERN Boundaries of the provinces CAMPOBASSO and NAPLES and SOUTH of the Rear boundaries of ARMIES.

SOUTHERN. SICILY, SARDINIA and the Mainland of ITALY, SOUTH of the NORTHERN Boundaries of the provinces CAMPOBASSO and NAPLES.

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ITEMS	NORTHERN		SOUTHERN	
	SCALE A	SCALE B	SCALE A	SCALE B

industry operating for the Allied Forces.

RESPONSIBILITY.

3. Army, Base Section, District and Area or equivalent Commanders will be responsible for the provision of the facilities necessary to prepare and serve meals where the employee works directly for Allied Armed Forces and in conjunction with ACC to assume proper disposition of supplementary ration cards for purchase of additional food as hereafter referred to.

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ITEMS	NORTHERN		SOUTHERN	
	SCALE A	SCALE B	SCALE A	SCALE B
PART I Midshift Meal (to be served on the job)				
Bread	½ lb	½ lb	½ lb	-
Fresh Vegetables	6 ozs	6 ozs	6 ozs	6 ozs
Dehydrated Soup	0.8 ozs	0.8 ozs	0.8 ozs	0.8 ozs
PART II Supplemental Ration Cards entitling worker to weekly rations of				
Bread	-	-	-	770 grams
Pasta	700 grs	350 grs	150 grs	-
Dehydrated Soup	200 grs	-	200 grs	-

(b) It is expected that the boundary will move NORTH as the advance continues and notifications will be made as and when this occurs.

ENTITLEMENT

5. The following personnel will be entitled to food and supplemental ration cards according to Scale "A" and "B" above :-

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5. (continued)

(a) Scale "A" for labour engaged on heavy work employed by the Allied Armed Forces either :-

(i) Directly
(ii) By contractors and/or industries who in turn are employed 100% by the Allied Armed Forces.
(iii) Heavy railway workers.

(b) Scale "B"

(i) For labour engaged on heavy work employed by contractors who are employed less than 100% by the Allied Armed Forces, e.g. Public Utilities.
(ii) Labour employed on heavy work working for the war effort, other than in (a) and (b)(i) above.

Each type case of heavy workers claiming entitlement to scale "B" rations will be presented to HQ AOC for a decision as to whether these heavy workers will receive the entire "B" Ration Scale or any portion thereof. In determining this, AOC has agreed to be guided by the following priorities :-

PRIORITY I - Public Service workers in electric power, gas, water and communications.

PRIORITY II - Heavy workers employed by other contractors working less than 100% for the Allied Armed Forces.

(c) Labour employed, other than stated in paras 5(a) and (b) above, is NOT entitled to any other additional food or supplemental ration cards.

(d) Office employees are NOT entitled to either Scale "A" or "B" rations.

ISSUES TO CONTRACTORS

6. It is necessary that the issue of food and supplemental ration cards to labour employed by contractors and industry working for the Allied Armed Forces be strictly controlled. In order to ensure that:-

(a) only bona fide employees performing heavy work are fed,

(b) food is furnished and supplemental ration cards distributed on proper scale,

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other than in (a) and (b)(1) above.

Each type case of heavy workers claiming entitlement to scale "B" rations will be presented to HQ ACC for a decision as to whether these heavy workers will receive the entire "B" Ration Scale or any portion thereof. In determining this, ACC has agreed to be guided by the following priorities :-

PRIORITY I - Public Service workers in electric power, gas, water and communications.

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(c) food leakages do NOT exist.

Authority for such issues and distribution will be granted only to Army, Base Section, District, Area or equivalent commanders. Before granting this authority such commanders will satisfy themselves that the issue will be properly controlled by the employing service.

7. The officer responsible for placing the contract or arranging for use of industry will ensure that :-

(a) contractors and firms working for the Allied Armed Forces deduct from the wages of their employees the amounts prescribed in para 10 hereof.

(b) a deduction is made on invoices rendered equivalent to the deduction from employees wages in respect of food.

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PROVISION OF SUPPLIES.

8. (a) The provision of flour element for the bread referred to in para 4 Part I will be an AOC responsibility under control arrangements. Bread making ingredients other than flour will be provided by AOC on demand, when available, in the same manner as flour. There may be initial difficulties in the supply of certain items, in which case the supply of bread will be left to the discretion of the Army, Base Section, District, Area or equivalent commander. Baking of the bread will be the responsibility of the Services. Detailed issues of flour made from service stocks will be replaced by HQ AOC. For this purpose Army, Base Section and District or equivalent commanders will present a consolidated monthly total of the amount issued to HQ AOC who will arrange immediate replacement.
The dehydrated soup will be supplied by AOC. If service stocks are used, replacement will be in the same manner as for flour.

(b) The supply to the normal civilian channel of the food referred to in para 4 Part II will be the responsibility of HQ AOC.

FRESH VEGETABLES.

9. Provision of fresh vegetables will be the responsibility of the Services from local resources under existing arrangements, requirements being demanded and accounted for by the Service concerned through regular channels.

PAYMENT.

10. (a) There will be deducted from daily wages an amount equivalent to the cost of the food furnished under para 4 Part I. This amount will be as follows :-

½ lb Bread	2 lire
6 ozs Fresh Vegetables	4 lire
0.6 ozs Dehydrated Soup	1 lire

(b) The whole or any part of the midshift meal may be issued at the discretion of commanders referred to in para 3. In all such cases the cost of the components so issued will be prescribed as in para 10(a).

(c) Every effort must be made to make the full scale ration available where local conditions make it desirable.

AREA IN WHICH INSTRUCTION IS APPLICABLE.

This instruction is applicable on the mainland of ITALY, SICILY and SARDINIA. The only exceptions are those giving certain authority

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AREA IN WHICH INSTRUCTION IS APPLICABLE.

This instruction is applicable on the mainland of ITALY, SICILY and SARDINIA. The only exceptions are those giving certain authority

(a) to Army and Independent Corps Commanders to issue rations to civil labour employed in forward areas,

(b) to US Army messes to issue rations to civilian mess attendants and

(c) to British Army messes, Hospitals, Rest Camps etc., to issue rations to civilian cooks, waiters, orderlies etc as set out in Amendment No 4 to AFHQ (Adv Adm Sdy) Administrative Instruction No 21 dated 2 May 44.

EFFECTIVE DATE.

12. This instruction will become effective from date of receipt.

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HQ AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION Nº 38 (issued in conjunction with HQ AAI Administrative Instruction Nº 36 dated 28 Jun 44)

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1. SCOPE OF INSTRUCTION

(a) This instruction lays down the general policy for the maintenance of the Allied troops in the Rome Area and such other troops outside the boundaries of the ROME Area which may from time to time be placed under ROME Area for maintenance.

(b) Details in connection with the implementation of this general policy are the responsibility of ROME Area in conjunction with services at this HQ or Base Section concerned.

2. ADMINISTRATION AND MAINTENANCE (US)

(a) The administration of US personnel belonging or attached to HQ ROME Allied Area Command will be conducted as follows:-

(i) G-1 matters to HQ AAI

(ii) Supply and maintenance by Peninsular Base Section.

(b) The administration of US troops and installations within the ROME Area, other than those forming part of HQ ROME Allied Area Command, will be the responsibility of the US formations to which they belong i.e., FIFTH ARMY or Peninsular Base Section.

3. ADJUTANT GENERAL'S BRANCH (BRITISH)

Channel of communication for all AG matters will be through HQ 3 District except that all matters of policy concerning the administration of ROME Area will be referred to HQ AAI.

4. MAINTENANCE (British Troops)

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(b) Responsibility for clearing railheads rests with ROME Area.

(c) Demands for maintenance or the responsibility of ROME Area. Detailed instructions are at 'Appendix 'A'.

5. POL.

(a) Until Line 90 is open to ROME. MT 80 is being ferried by road tankers from pipe head TERRACINA at Rate of 24.000 gallons per day. Balancing items and additional requirements MT 80 in barrels are being drawn from ANZIO depots.

(b) When Line 90 is open to ROME. Fuel oil and DERV for Power Station and MT 80 for WD requirements will be sent in Rail Cistern Na-

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APPENDIX 'A' to
ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION
NO [illegible] 44.

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DEMAND PROCEDURE FOR MAINTENANCE OF BRITISH
TROOPS IN ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND

1. For the maintenance period 10-16 Jul 44 inclusive HQ 59 AREA have submitted demands for rail maintenance to cover troops in the ROME area.

2. Commencing with the maintenance period 17-23 Jul 44 inclusive ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND will submit their demands in accordance with the following procedure :-

(a) ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND will submit their tonnage demands for seven-day periods to reach MOVWIT (Movements; WESTERN ITALY) and "Q" Branch this HQ eight days in advance of each seven day period. Annexure 1 gives a suggested proforma for the submission of these demands

(b) By the same date as in (a) above, Services of ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND will submit direct to Services at this HQ, with copies to supplying agencies, their detailed breakdowns the tonnage allotted at (a) above.

(c) Services at this HQ will then issue executive supply orders to the supplying agencies after consultation with Q (Mov).

(d) The supplying agencies will supply MOVWIT with their loading programmes showing depots from which stores will be provided. MOVWIT will inform supplying agencies by what time and in what time and in what form this information is required.

(e) MOVWIT will then produce a rail programme to cover the complete seven-day period, and issue to all concerned.

(f) Any alteration to the pack or rail programme during the seven-day period required by ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND will be notified by them direct to the supplying agencies concerned, MOVWIT and this HQ. Requests for alterations must be received at least 3 days before delivery

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(f) Any alteration to the pack or rail programme during the seven-day period required by ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND will be notified by them direct to the supplying agencies concerned, MOVWIT and this HQ. Requests for alterations must be received at least 3 days before delivery is required at RM - five days notice should be given wherever possible.

3. The supplying agencies on the WESTERN L of C are:-

(a) For Supa ..... 14 CRASC Sup Units
(b) for POL ..... CRASC "J" Pet Installation
(c) For ammunition ..... 16 Bad, NOLA
(d) For Ordnance Stores ..... COO 557 AOD
(e) For RE Stores ..... DW., HQ AAI
(f) For EPI ..... DO EPI., NAPLES
(g) For Postal ..... 15 BAPO

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goods ex NAPLES, belonging items under PBS arrangements.

(c) When pipe-line is through to ROME and if and when surplus output is available movement of MT 80 by rail will cease.

6. MOVEMENTS ORGANISATION

Movements ROME will be responsible to Movements AAI for:-

(a) The ordering and control of all movement originating in, passing through, or terminating in the following area:-

Inclusive ANZIO - thence ROME Area boundary from P 9323 - 9634 - 8358 - 8757 -9559 -9567.-0465.-8287 inclusive MONTE ROTONDO - 6782 -6489- coast at 4571.

Where such movement enters PBS or FIFTH ARMY territory, Movements ROME will co-ordinate with the appropriate US authority.

(b) The running of stations in Military use in the ROME Area.

(c) Regulating and advice forward of all traffic for the EIGHTH ARMY railheads.

(d) Liaison with ACC regarding the movement of civil supplies.

(e) Movements ROME will advise Comd ROME Allied Area on ann matters connected with British Movement.

ACKNOWLEDGE.

Major General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

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TO: Executive Commissioner. 1 July 1944.

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1. Reference folio 15.

2. I presume that you were consulted over para.16 of this Administrative Instruction.

3. With regard to para.7, as worded this paragraph has peculiar implications. Does it mean that any installations now in Rome can stay there as long as the Commanders of the formations wish ? May I speak please ?

G.O.K.!

G.W.I.SHIPP,
Lieut.Col.

GWIS/RAO.

Yes.

No American HQ to be installed in Rome - eg PAS.

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HQ AAI

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO 36.

ESTABLISHMENT OF ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND

1. With effect from 0600 hours, 1 Jul 44, there will be established in ROME, HQ ROME Allied Area Command under Major General R. JOHNSON as Commanding General, with Brigadier A. LAW as Deputy Commander.

2. The abbreviated title for this HQ will be HQ ROME Area.

FUNCTIONS

3. HQ ROME Allied Area Command will take over the functions of HQ Area Commander, ROME, as set up in paragraphs 10 and 11 of this HQ letter 66/G(Ops) of 3 Jun 44.

4. HQ ROME Allied Area Command will also be responsible for taking over from HQ 5th Area (Br) responsibility for the administration of British units and installations within the ROME Area as defined in paragraph 5 below.

AREA

5. The area controlled by HQ ROME Allied Area Command comprises the Governato of ROME, as laid down in this HQ signal [illegible]-2993 of 12 Jun 44, but, in order to give a simpler boundary and to include certain areas required for hospitals, etc, the boundary laid down in the above signal is hereby amended as follows:-

Exclusive TRE FLAVIA [illegible] - exclusive road VALCELLA to road junction [illegible] - road junction [illegible] - road junction [illegible] - inclusive MONTE MOTONDO [illegible] - inclusive S. ANGELO ROMANO [illegible] - inclusive TIVOLI - inclusive CORELLIA [illegible] - road junction [illegible] - inclusive FRASCATI - inclusive road FRASCATI - MARINO - [illegible] - GROTTA FERRATA to exclusive ANZIO.

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6. ANZIO will be included within the ROME area later when CG Peninsular Base Section is prepared to hand it over.

7. Existing installations of FIFTH ARMY, EIGHTH ARMY and Peninsular Base Section now within the above area will be permitted to remain there until no longer required by those formations.

CHANNELS OF COMMAND AND ADMINISTRATION

8. HQ ROME Allied Area Command will be under command of HQ AAI.

9. The administration of US personnel belonging or attached to HQ ROME Allied Area Command will be conducted as follows:-

(a) G-1 matters to HQ AAI.
(b) Supply and maintenance by Peninsular Base Section.

10. The administration of US troops and installations within the ROME area, other than those forming part of HQ ROME Allied Area Command, will be the responsibility of the US formations to which they belong, i.e., FIFTH

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NMC or Peninsular Base Section.

11. For purposes of British administration, HQ ROME Allied Area Command will be under HQ 3 District.

STAFF SYSTEM

12. HQ ROME Allied Area Command will be organised on the US Staff System. A table of Organisation/War Establishment is awaiting approval by AFHQ.

13. There will also be incorporated within HQ ROME Allied Area Command certain specifically British Staff Branches and Services to carry out the functions of administration of British troops, as laid down in paragraph 4 above. These Branches and Services will work under the Deputy Commander, subject to the overriding authority of the Commanding General on matters of Allied policy and internal discipline.

RELATIONS WITH ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

14. When the administration of ROME is finally handed over to the Italian Government and the minimum of control is retained by the Allied Military Authorities, the officials exercising that control will operate directly under the Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission. HQ ROME Allied Area Command will then have no responsibility for civil administration, except that of co-operation.

15. In the present stage, however, it is recognised that the administration of the City must depend in large measure on the military administration. This dependence concerns such matters as the preservation of law and order, the control of traffic, the rehabilitation and upkeep of public utilities, the rationing of electric power, water, etc, and many other aspects of administration.

16. For this reason it has been decided that the relationship between CC ROME Allied Area Command and the Civil Administration shall be governed by the following principles:-

(a) The staff of Region IV, ACC, will work under the Regional Commissioner and will not form part of the staff of HQ ROME Allied Area Command.

(b) Directions on matters of major policy will be issued to CC ROME Allied Area Command by this HQ.

(c) CC ROME Allied Area Command will consult Regional Commissioner, ROME, on all matters of policy, and will take no action involving policy without such prior consultation. In the same way, Regional Commissioner, ROME, will consult CC ROME Allied Area Command before taking any action involving policy.

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(e) Regional Commissioner, ROME, will receive detailed direction regarding methods for the execution of policy from Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission.

(f) CC ROME Allied Area Command will leave to Regional Commissioner, ROME, responsibility for the execution of policy once it has been determined, and will only intervene if he considers that the policy itself is in question.

HQ 59 AREA

17. HQ 59 Area will remain in ROME until CC ROME Allied Area Command notifies this HQ that its presence there is no longer necessary because its functions have been taken over by his HQ. It will then be withdrawn.

REQUISITIONS

18. HQ ROME Allied Area Command is the sole authority for the allocation

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of accommodation within the ROME area. No requisitions will be valid unless made through that HQ.

DISCIPLINE

19. CC ROME Allied Area Command will issue such instructions as he considers to be necessary for military discipline, traffic control, passive air defence and sanitation. All troops within the ROME area will be subject to these instructions.

Major General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

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Subject :- Decentralization of General Administration.

Headquarters,
Allied Armies in Italy,
C.M.F.
1034/8/Q1.
31 May 44.

H.Q. 1 District.
H.Q. 2 District.
H.Q. 3 District.

1. When this HQ moves to the ROME Area, the present direct and close control by the British Administrative Staff and Services over its bases and lines of communication will no longer be possible. Further moves northwards, with a consequent lengthening of the L of C, will make such control increasingly difficult. It has, therefore, been decided to decentralize responsibility for certain aspects of general administration to Districts.

2. This HQ cannot divest itself of ultimate responsibility for the maintenance and administration of the British forces in ITALY. It must, therefore, continue to dictate policy on all matters of general administration, and it must have all information necessary for the performance of this function. It will decentralize the execution of policy and supervision.

3. A sharp line cannot be drawn between policy and its execution. District Commanders must interpret the principle set out in para 2 above, using their own discretion and having in mind the efficiency of communications existing from time to time between HQ AAI and its base installations. Experience will adjust doubtful points. Meanwhile, the following is given as a guide as to the degree of decentralization projected in relation to some of the more important aspects of general administration :-

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(c) Control of ports	Supervision of operation, minor construction projects.
(d) G.S. reserve holdings and location	Nil.
(e) [illegible]	

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(e) Base Depots	Supervision.
(f) Base Workshops	Supervision and operation of Vehicle Assembly Units only.
(g) Base Hospitals	Control, subject to policy direction from HQ AAI.
(h) Railway construction	Minor improvements in port and depot layout.
(i) Maintenance of fighting formations	Execution (through Supplying Agencies appointed by this HQ) of demands, copies of which will be sent to this HQ.

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(j)	Construction of Base Installations	Construction, subject to directions on design and location from this HQ, except for minor extensions and modifications.
(k)	Labour	Control, subject to policy direction.
(l)	Local Purchase	- do -

5. The control of movement on the L of C will be exercised as follows :-

(a) Mov East ITALY (MOVEIT) will be responsible for the allocation of ships between East Italian Ports in accordance with the policy laid down by this HQ and for the control of all Mov Areas and Sub Areas in No. 2 District.

(b) Mov West ITALY (MOVWIT) will be responsible for the control of all Mov Areas and Sub Areas in No. 3 District which will include Mov SICILY and Mov REGGIO.

(c) The allocation of shipping between East and West ITALY and the control of movement between Districts and Armies will continue to be the responsibility of this HQ.

(d) MOVEIT will remain affiliated to No. 2 District. MOVWIT will similarly be affiliated to No. 3 District, but will continue in addition to work in the closest liaison with PBS.

Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

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Subject:- Issues of Ordnance Stores to A.M.G.

HQ AAI.
3407/1/Q(AF).
29 Apr. 44.

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Rear Eighth Army.
No. 1 District.
No. 2 District.
No. 3 District.
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Reference Para.4 of A.A.I. Administrative Instructions No. 14 dated 12 April 44.

1. The responsibility for provision of stores remains with A.M.G. Issues from Army stocks will, therefore, only be authorised under the following conditions:-

(a) The requirement is essential.

(b) Every effort has been made by A.M.G. to procure the items from civil resources.

2. All applications from A.M.G. for the issue of British stores to Refugee Camps will be submitted for approval to H.Q. A.A.I. Q(AF) before issue is made.

Major-General.
Chief Administrative Officer.

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Reference Para.4 of A.A.I. Administrative Instructions No. 11 dated 12 April 44.

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R. H. M. Bates
for Major-General.
Chief Administrative Officer.

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31 Mar 44

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO 9

ADMINISTRATION OF CIVILIAN INTERNEES

1. GENERAL

The following instruction deals with the administration of civilian internees in ITALY and will be read in conjunction with this HQ letter reference ACMF/1401/7/G1(b) dated 2 Feb 44, (not to all addressees). Civilian internees will continue to be a military responsibility.

2. STATUS

Civil internees are not covered by the terms of the Geneva Convention. They will continue to be a military responsibility in the CMF. The policy will be to accord them ordinary humane treatment and make adequate provision for their accommodation feeding, clothing, hygiene and exercise.

3. PAY

Internees are not entitled to pay.

4. CANTEEN AMENITIES

Internees are not entitled to any canteen amenities.

5. RATIONS

PW scale of rations will be issued.

6. CLOTHING

(a) the provision of clothing and necessaries for civilian internees is the responsibility of the internees themselves. Internees, however, who are in need and unable to provide their requirements from their own resources, may be supplied free with essential articles as may be required from time to time, but not in excess of the Scale detailed in Table D, Appendix VI, War Clothing Regs 1943.

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(b) Demands for clothing will be made through normal OS channels. All items will be supplied from army stocks with the exception of caps, greatcoats, jackets and trousers. These articles will be obtained by the ADOS concerned under arrangements to be made by DDOS, HQ AAI (Adm Ech).

(c) All articles of clothing will be entered in an account kept by the Commandant, Internee Camp and issue will be supported by a receipt signed by the internee. On transfer from one camp to another, articles supplied from the camp stores which are not considered essential for retention will be withdrawn, conditioned and put into stock for re-issue.

7. POSTAL

The following postal facilities for private mail will be granted to internees.

(a) Internees may send the number of letters normally permitted for military PW (2 letters or 1 letter and 1 postcard, or two postcards weekly, both of which may NOT be posted on the same day), to addresses in that part of Allied occupied ITALY where civil postal facilities are available (i.e. South of the Northern boundaries of the provinces of BARI, POTENZA and SALERNO, including the enclave of NAPLES city).

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(b) Mail will not be accepted for destinations in [illegible] ITALY, or anywhere overseas other than SICILY or SARDINIA.

(c) All such mail will be despatched by the Commandant of the Internee Camp to the Forward Censor Control, HQ AAI (Adm Bch).

(d) Free postal services will be extended to internees. A supply of envelopes bearing the words :- "CIVILIAN INTERNEE MAIL FREE POSTAGE" in English and Italian will be supplied by HQ AOC to the Commandant Internee Camp for distribution.

(e) Families of internees may write to the latter the normal number of letters allowed in the case of military PW, (see para [illegible]) provided they live in that part of Allied occupied ITALY, SICILY, [illegible] SARDINIA, where civil postal facilities exist.

(f) Incoming mail will be accepted post free provided it is addressed to "371 PW Camp, [redacted] This incoming mail will be scrutinised by the Commandant in accordance with normal PW practice.

(g) Detailed arrangements with the Italian postal authorities will be made by HQ AOC, Security Branch.

5. CHANGES OF COMMAND

Commandant 371 PW Camp will deal direct with GSI(b) HQ AAI on all matters concerning the security of the internees, releases, admissions and visitors.

Sd. .WEACH Lt-Col

for Major-General
G.A.O.

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The attached copy of AAI Adm Echn Adm Instn No 9 is forwarded.

371 PW Camp has received a copy direct from AAI (Adm Echn).

Col IC Adm

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AAI ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 8

LOCAL RESOURCES IN ITALY - MAINLAND AND ISLANDS

1. Further to AMGF Administrative Instruction No.1 and with special reference to para 5, the following procedure will be adopted, as far as local conditions permit, by:-

AFLR (ITALIAN) BOARD
AFLR (SICILIAN) BOARD
AFLR (SARDINIAN) BOARD

in order to co-ordinate the procurement and allocation of local Resources within the territory under command HQ AAI.

2. This co-ordination will be performed by the Local Resources Section of this HQ - this Staff Section is responsible to the CAO, through the D/CAO or DCMS, for carrying out the policies laid down by this HQ or by AFHQ. It may correspond with and receive instructions from Allied Force Local Resources Section, AFHQ, direct on matters of a technical nature as laid down in AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No. 77 of 11 Nov 43.

Generally, this Section will supervise the activities of the three Boards in their respective territories and will co-ordinate their relations with one another and with HQ ACC.

3. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions, as applied to commodities/materials required by the Procurement Services and Agencies of the Allied and Co-belligerent Forces, will be adopted in all communications regarding local Resources:-

(a) FROZEN. Stocks of a commodity/material in short supply, located in civilian hands, required by the Allied or Co-belligerent Forces, will be FROZEN by ACC/AMG if so requested by the appropriate Committee of the Local Resources Board concerned, i.e., direct procurement by civilians will be prohibited.

(b) CONTROLLED items are those the allocation of which as between all consumers, military and civilian, must be made by the appropriate Local Resources Board, or by a duly authorised Committee of that Board.

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(c) RESTRICTED items are those which can only be procured by the Allied

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This co-ordination will be performed by the Local Resources Section of this HQ - this Staff Section is responsible to the CAO, through the D/CAO or DCAO, for carrying out the policies laid down by this HQ or by AFHQ. It may correspond with and receive instructions from Allied Force Local Resources Section, AFHQ, direct on matters of a technical nature as laid down in AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No. 77 of 11 Nov 43.

Generally, this Section will supervise the activities of the three Boards in their respective territories and will co-ordinate their relations with the another and with HQ AAC.

3. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions, as applied to commodities/materials required by the Procurement Services and Agencies of the Allied and Co-Belligerent Forces, will be adopted in all correspondence regarding Local Resources:-

(a) FROZEN. Stocks of a commodity/material in short supply, located in civilian hands, required by the Allied or Co-Belligerent Forces, will be FROZEN by AAC/AMG if so requested by the appropriate Committee of the Local Resources Board concerned, i.e., direct procurement by civilians will be prohibited.

(b) CONTROLLED items are those the allocation of which as between all consumers, military and civilian, must be made by the appropriate Local Resources Board, or by a duly authorised Committee of that Board.

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(c) RESTRICTED items are those which can only be procured by the Allied and Co-Belligerent Forces after the essential needs of the civilian population have been met. Available tonnages, within its territory, will be declared and allocated by the Board, or by a duly authorised Committee of the Board.

(d) UNCONTROLLED items are those in sufficient supply to meet both military and civilian needs, and, consequently, not scheduled as either CONTROLLED or RESTRICTED.

4. Schedules of CONTROLLED and RESTRICTED items will be issued through Command Channels on the recommendation of the Board concerned and will be circulated, in triplicate, by each Board to the other two Boards. Separate lists of CONTROLLED and RESTRICTED items will be maintained in respect of each Committee established. Each schedule will bear a serial number, and every item in a schedule will also bear a running serial number. They will be frequently reviewed by the Committee concerned and every effort will be made to keep the lists as small as possible.

An item declared RESTRICTED or CONTROLLED in one territory need not necessarily be either controlled or restricted in another.

2/..... PROCEDURE: .....

5. PROCEDURE

The following procedure in connection with allocations will be adopted:-

(i) Applications for controlled and restricted items in regular demand will be submitted by interested Services and Agencies monthly on a day to be fixed, but not less than 72 hours before the date of meeting of the Local Procurement Board or of the Committee concerned, in the case of [illegible]. Bulk demands for civil requirements will be submitted by HQ ACC.

At the same time the organisation responsible for the compilation of figures of availabilities will index particulars.

Applications for items not in regular demand, or emergency requirements, may be submitted at any time.

(ii) Applications will be submitted in duplicate on a proforma similar to that at Appendix "A". The stock on hand will be listed together with the estimated days of supply. To aid in assessing priorities, applications will indicate whether requirements are:-

(a) Urgent operational
(b) Normal maintenance
(c) Stockpiling requirements

(iii) After allocation by the Board/Committee, the Board will issue release orders, in duplicate, signed by a Vice-Chairman, endorsed, where necessary, by ACC/AMC or other appropriate Agency, to the Requesting Service or Agency, copy to ACC or other controlling agency. Any balance not drawn within the specified period will be forfeited.

(iv) When Services or Procurement Agencies are unable otherwise to obtain stocks of items required by them which are manufactured by, or held under the control of, a particular Service or Agency, the Board or Committee concerned may direct that such stocks will be held either in whole or part pending allocation. This allocation will be evidenced by the issue of an Official Release Note signed by a Vice-Chairman of the Board. This authority does not extend to the case of items imported from outside the command by Services in military tonnage.

6. In general, when assessing the relative priorities of demands for CONTROLLED or RESTRICTED items, the following table should be used as a guide:-

CATEGORY	PRIORITY Restricted	PRIORITY Controlled
Requirements of the Armed Forces stationed, or based upon, the territory for which the Board is responsible.	2	1

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CATEGORY	PRIORITY Restricted	PRIORITY Controlled
Requirements of the Armed Forces stands, or based upon, the territory for which the Board is responsible.	2	1
Essential civilian requirements within the territory for which the Board is responsible.	1	2
Those of the Armed Forces, other than 1, under command AMG.	4	3
Essential civilian requirements in other Italian territory.	3	4
Those of the Armed Forces, other than 1 and 3, under command ACMS	5	5
Exportation, other than 3, 4 and 5.	6	6

All proposals for exportation of RESTRICTED or CONTROLLED items accepted by any one of the three Boards will first be referred to the Local Resources Section, Mile HQ, who, on approval, will issue the appropriate release instruction to HQ ACC.

5/..... 7. SURPLUS STOCKS .....

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7. SURPLUS STOCKS

Stocks surplus to requirements under priorities 1 and 2 (para 6 above) of items appearing in lists of CONTROLLED and RESTRICTED items issued through the intermediary of another Board, will be notified to the interested Board on proforma as Appendix "B", with two copies to Local Resources Section, this HQ.

Interested Boards will notify their demands, in duplicate, for such items direct to Local Resources Section, this HQ, stating the purposes for which the items are required. Local Resources Section will collate such demands and make allocations between Boards as necessary.

Surplus stocks of items not appearing on any CONTROLLED or RESTRICTED lists, but which might possibly be of interest to other Boards, should also be promptly notified to Local Resources Section, this HQ, in duplicate.

8. AFHQ has agreed that the Local Resources of SICILY shall be made available to the islands of MALTA and GOZO. For the purpose of assessing priorities MALTA and/or GOZO shall be deemed to be a part of SICILY. Demands should be submitted direct to the Sicilian Board by the Lieut-Governor, Malta.

9. Questions within the scope of the TO/WA of AFLRS, AFHQ, regarding officer and enlisted other rank personnel, arms and equipment, vehicles and the like - other than those of local administration - will be referred to the Local Resources Section, this Headquarters.

10. AFHQ Adv Adm Echelon letter 59/16 of 21 Nov 43, and Administrative Instruction No. 26, of 7 Feb 44, are cancelled.

11. INTERCOMMUNICATION

All communications intended for the Allied Force Local Resources (Italian) Board, or its Committee, will be addressed to Local Resources Section, this HQ.

G. L. Saunders
Brig Gen
for
Major General
Chief Administrative Officer

JAP/APM

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for
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Chief Administrative Officer

JAF/AFM

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APPENDIX "A" TO AAI ADMINISTRATIVE
INSTRUCTION NO. 8 DATED 20 MAR 44.

SUPPLIES AND STORES ISSUED ON APEX (ITALIAN) FORM

Demanding Service or Agency:

Commodity Description:

Quantity required:
(In metric tons, or
other suitable unit)

Place delivery required: Town:

Province:

Compartment:

Date delivery required: Stock on hand:

Any special request: Equivalent to: days supply

Certified that these supplies and stores are required for urgent operational/overall administrative/stockpiling purposes

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..... Appointment

Date:

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Place delivery required: Town:

Province:

Department:

Date delivery required: Stock on hand:

Any special request: Equivalent to: days supply

Certified that these supplies and stores are required for urgent operational/normal maintenance/stockpiling purposes

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Date:

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For use of Local Resources Section only

Demand No. Prefix:

Serial:

Passed to A&A/ADC..... Release Order No.....

Allocated by Committee..... Date.....

Approved by Board..... All notified.....

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APPENDIX "A" TO ADMINISTRATIVE
INSTRUCTION NO. 8 DATED 20 MAR 44.

ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES ( ) BOARD

NOTIFICATION OF SURPLUS STOCKS

REF:-

No:-

DATE:-

(Notifications to be numbered
serially with previous as
follows:- Sicily - Si
Sardinia - Ss
Italy - It)

To:- AFHQ,( ) BOARD

The following stocks have been declared surplus to requirements by the Allied Force Local Resources ( ) Board:-

Nature of Goods:-
(Exact description, giving
specifications as to type etc.)

Amount available

When available

Price

Method of payment

Present location

Channel through which goods may be obtained:

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Econ Sec 8
Army G. C. thru
" " (Salerno)
Adjt - File

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The following stocks have been declared surplus to requirements by the Allied Force Local Resources ( ) Board:-

Nature of Goods:-
(Short description, giving specifications in lbs, MPG etc.)

Amount available

When available

Price

Method of payment

Present Location

Channel through which goods may be obtained:

Requests for goods listed herein will be forwarded, in duplicate, to Local Resources Section, AAI (Alm Rotolin)

Vice Chairman
Allied Force Local Resources ( ) Board

Copy to: AFLRS
Local Resources (Italian) Board (2)

A & C Div
Econ Sec G
Army G.C. (Secret)
" " (Salerno)
adjt - file

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

NEF/ard
14 March 1944

Ref/RB/4/CA

SUBJECT: ACMF Adm. Instruction No. 1

TO : S.C.A.O., 8th Army

1. Reference your letter GA/W/2/3A of 8 March 1944, the military designations C.A.O. and D.C.A.O. are not new and it is not deemed desirable to ask ACMF to change them.

2. It is suggested that it might be preferable for you to employ the term Provincial Officer rather than C.A.O. in order to avoid confusion. Such designation would also facilitate subsequent transfer of territory to Regional executive control.

By Command of Lieutenant General MASON MacFARLANE:

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:

S.C.A.O., 5th Army

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5. Dep. Pres. Com.

3 w.r.t. 2.

The use of C.A.O & DCAO by Admin. Relations is not new and I fear that it would be useless to approach ACNF – they would most likely tell us to change our titles!

2. So inform S Army Adm?

CB 13/3.

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MOST SECRET

SUBJECT: ACSF Adm Instruction No.1

Rear AHQ. Eighth Army

OA/9/2/3A

Executive Commissioners' Branch,
H.Q., A.C.C., A.P.O. 394

8 March 1944.

1. With reference to the above document, a certain amount of confusion is likely to be caused by the use of the initials C.A.O. and D.C.A.O. as set out in para.2.

2. Messages "from C.A.O." have already been delivered in error to this H.Q. when in fact they were intended for 8 Army Main itself.

Signallers inevitably deliver any document containing the title C.A.O. to the nearest AHQ. H.Q.

3. May representations be made please to ACSF to clarify the position.

R.A. Benta Lam

Major R.A.
for Group Captain,
O.C., Rear AHQ. Eighth Army.

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ACMF ADM INSTRUCTION NO.1 ISSUED IN CONJUNCTION WITH ACMF ORGANIZATION INSTRUCTION NO.45 DATED 25 FEB 44.

M O S T
S E C R E T

Copy No. 37

26 Feb 44

ORGANIZATION

1. With effect from 0001 hrs 26 Feb 44 this HQ, formerly known as AFHQ Advanced Administrative Echelon - become part of HQ ACMF.

2. Consequent upon this re-organization the following changes in titles will become effective:-

DCAO AFHQ Adv Adm Echelon ..... BRIGADIER ... D.A.G., ACMF
D/DCAO " " " " ..... BRIGADIER ... DCAO., ACMF

CHANNELS OF COMMUNICATION

3. Correspondence intended for Administrative Branches of the Staff and Services will be addressed HQ ACMF (Adm Ech). Signals will continue to be addressed to FLAMBO.

4. Until further notice correspondence and signals having administrative implications addressed to HQ ACMF will be copied to ACMF (Adm Ech) or repeated to FLAMBO respectively. This procedure will not absolve officers of all branches of the staff and services at HQ ACMF from their normal responsibility for ensuring that correspondence and signals received by them if representing the nation branch, are circulated to others affected by their contents.

5. When Adm Ech ACMF moves from its present location to join ACMF, certain portions of the administrative staff both US and British, and of British Services, will remain in NAPLES. Instructions concerning their system of communication will be notified later.

MAINTENANCE PROCEDURE

6. The re-organization of command does not involve any change in maintenance procedure. No.1 District will continue to submit their demands to AFHQ. A copy will be sent to this HQ. ISI and SARDINIA Garrison will follow normal channels of supply.

7. A specimen copy of the Adm Bulletin issued by this HQ is attached for the information of No.1 District, ISI and SARDINIA Garrison. These HQs are required to submit a weekly return under the same headings as in the specimen so far as is applicable to them. The figures given will be the totals for the week, daily figures not being required. The return should be [illegible] of each week.

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8. The functions of co-ordination previously performed by AFHQ Adv Adm Echelon under AFHQ Adm Memo No.67 will pass to HQ AMF (Adm Sch).

REPRESENTATION ON BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

9. (a) Allied Force Local Resources Boards

The respective SICILIAN and SARDINIAN Boards will continue as at present. Their activities will be co-ordinated through the Local Resources Section of this HQ, and this channel will be used for all communications with the Allied Force Local Resources Section at AFHQ. The following will be submitted to this HQ, copy to Allied Force Local Resources Section AFHQ:-

(i) One copy of agenda and minutes of meetings of each Board and its various Committees and Sub-Committees.

(ii) The monthly report in duplicate called for under Allied Force Local Resources Section Adm Order No.2 dated 9 Jan 44.

(b)/.....

9. (contd)

(b) The SICILIAN and SARDINIAN Boards will not be represented on the Allied Force Local Resources (Italian) Board, but will be prepared to send representatives as requested.

(c) AMF Central Electricity Board.

No.1 District and SARDINIA Garrison will not be represented on this Board but will be prepared to send representatives as requested.

BRITISH U.S. AND U.S. MATTERS.

10. Armies, Districts etc., under command of HQ AMF will deal with that HQ on all British AG and AS matters. They will not deal with AFHQ direct.

NOTE :The effective date of this procedure will be notified to all concerned by AG and AS Branches. Pending this notification the procedure at present in force for dealing with these matters will continue.

SERVICE DIRECTORATES

11. The organisation of British Services within AMF will be the normal one prescribed in F.S.R. Vol.I., the senior officer in each service at HQ AMF being the head of that service within AMF. Services at Army, District etc HQs will no longer correspond direct with AFHQ.

MILITARY RAILWAY SERVICE

12. The Director General of Military Railways is responsible for the co-ordination of all railway matters throughout the territory under operational control of AFHQ. For purposes of the control of railways operating in territories under the command of AMF he will report to this HQ.

13. Director of Transportation (Sr) remains responsible for British Transportation Service matters throughout the area controlled by AFHQ.

POSTAL

14. The postal address of this HQ now is:-

"HQ AMF (ADM SCHELDE) BMF."

Major General,
Deputy Chief Administrative Officer.

AFHQ Adv Adm Echelon,
CMF.

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TO:- HQ ARF., (Adm Detachment), GHQ

RECEIPT is acknowledged of copy number(s) .....
of ATW ADM DISTRIBUTION NO. 1 dated 25 Feb 42.

Acknowledged

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