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APPOINTMENT OF ITALIAN SERVICE ATTACHES
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JUNE, JULY 1945

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 I have no files - In view of the replies
 received from the various service agencies. ~~that~~ I believe
 the matter should be held in abeyance until formal
 request is made by the Ltr East. To expedite service
 attach is advised. Do you agree?

[Signature]
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SUBJECT : Appointment of Italian Service Attaches Abroad.

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E .
Tel: 489091 Ext: 533.
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TO : Office of the Executive Commissioner A.C.

Reference your letter 590/2/DC of 13 June 1945.

1. As far as is known to this HQ, applications for approval of appointments of Italian Military Attaches abroad are submitted by the Italian Foreign Office to Political Branch A.C.

2. M.M.I.A. is concerned only with approving the choice of the officer designated by the Italian War Ministry, and has hitherto been consulted by Political Branch on three occasions, namely:

Lt/Col. MEMMO	for	MADRID
Col. DONATI	for	ANKARA
Brig.Gen. RODA	for	BERNE

3. No dates or other details can be quoted as in each case approval was signified on an A.C. file.

4. Latest information from Italian War Ministry is that none of these officers has yet taken up his appointment, in fact, current Italian plans for economy abroad lay down but one service rep at MADRID and ANKARA (NOT ARMY), and RODA is unable to go to BERNE as the present Mil Attache is still there.

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Ref: 590/5/EC.

Tel: 735

20 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Appointment of Italian Service Attaches Abroad.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission (MEXIA)

A reply to this Office 590/2/EC dated 13 June would be appreciated.

[Signature]
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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From: AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION, H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSION.

To: EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER, H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSION.

Date: 18th June 1945.

Ref: AFSC/46/AIR

Appointment of Italian Service Attachés Abroad. 19 June 1945

Reference paragraph (3) of the Executive Commissioner's letter 590/2/EC dated 13th June 1945 it is reported that no application has so far been received from the Italian Government for the appointment of service attachés to neutral capitals.

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J.T.G.N. PEARCE W/CDR INT
AIR VICE MARSHAL
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING

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Naval Sub Commission.

Land Forces Sub Commission. (MMIA)

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HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub-Commission APO 394

MSC/2657
15 June 1945

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From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To: Executive Commissioner, Hq. Allied Commission.
Subject: Appointment of Italian Service Attaches Abroad.

1. In accordance with paragraph (3) of the Executive Commissioner's letter 590/2/EC of 13 June, it is reported that the Navy Sub-Commission has, as of the present date, received no application from the Italian Government for the appointment of service attaches to neutral capitals.

H. W. Zwick
H. W. ZWICK,
COMMODORE, U. S. NAVY,
FOR REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

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Air Forces S/C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 590/2/20

13 June 1945

SUBJECT: Appointment of Italian Service Attaches Abroad

TO : Navy Subcommittee
Land Forces Subcommittee (MOLIA)
Air Subcommittee

1. G-5 Section, AFHQ, has informed this Headquarters that it has been agreed that the Italian Government may be permitted to appoint service attaches to neutral capitals subject to each individual appointment being approved by both the British and American representatives as well as the Supreme Allied Commander Mediterranean. Consideration would also be taken as to whether such appointments would be useful to the Allied war effort.

2. In the case of the United Nations, appointments would be limited to countries whose forces are actively engaged in the Italian theatre and would also be subject to SACMED's approval.

3. It is not intended that this information be transmitted to the Italian Government unless applications have been received by you from the Italian Government for the appointment of service attaches. Therefore, it would be appreciated if you would inform the Executive Commissioner's Office if any applications have been received to date.

A. E. ARNOLDY.

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner

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G-5: 091.112-1

9 June 1945.

11 JUN 1945

SUBJECT: Appointment of Italian Service Attaches Abroad.

TO : Headquarters Allied Commission. ←

1. The following information has been received from the office of the British Resident Minister:

"The Foreign Office have instructed us to inform you that they have considered this question thoroughly in conjunction with the State Department in Washington and are agreed that the Italian Government may be permitted to appoint Service Attaches subject to the following conditions.

- (a) The Service Attache may be appointed to neutral capitals, subject to each individual appointment being approved not only by the British and United States respective representatives, who would consider whether it was useful to the Allied war effort and free of local security objection, but also by the Supreme Allied Commander, Mediterranean.
- (b) In the case of United Nations capitals, the appointments should be limited to countries whose forces are actively engaged in the Italian theatre and should individually be subject to SACMED'S approval."

2. The Political Advisors here have agreed that the above be passed to you as the basis on which action should be taken should the Italian Government desire to appoint Service Attaches abroad. It will be seen that in each case an appointment would have to be referred here for approval.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

T. B. Jackman
T. B. JACKMAN
Lt. Colonel.

Copy to:

Brit Res Min } your replies to G-5: 091.112-1
U.S. POLAD } of 27 May refers.

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