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ACCOMODATION, GENERAL
OCT. 1945 - JAN. 1947

Ex Comm

See 4 127 for info. I think C.C.
may wish to see this as he was interested
in the matter. signed letter at 4 98.

Std 29/10

132.

Ex Comm

Please see folio 131 for info.
I imagine Ex o (B) has all previous
correspondence on this subject, but I
think Ex. Comm. is all that would
the matter

16/12. J.S. 11/12 11/12

806

To: Chief Staff Officer.

26th October 1946

116

Copies of letter marked "A" should be sent to Displaced Persons Division and to the Executive Officer (British). Presumably we have a file on this subject, and if so we should have a copy put in our files.

11.10.46

McCarthy

M. CARR, Brigadier. 805
Executive Commissioner.

119

To HQ Command

Have you any comments on folio 117 please

Alaythway
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER

119

To: C.S.O. E.C. 11/1

A reply is being forwarded to the Executive Commissioner

HTBentley Nov

121

C.S.O. Ex Comm

Please see folio 117 and HQ Commandants

opinion as folio 120. Do you wish a
reply drafted along the lines of folio 119 please

122

11.10.46

805

C.S.O.

For please. But this is a matter which

to HQ Command

Have you any comments on folio 117 please

Alaythway
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER

119

To C.S.O. E.C. *WJ*

A reply is being forwarded to the Executive Commission

H.B. Bailey, Mr

121

C.S.O. Ex Comm

Please see folio 117 and HQ Commandants

opinion as folio 120, do you wish a

reply drafted along the lines of folio 120 please

122

Pub. 7/11

80 1/2

C.S.O.

Yes please. But this is a matter which

should have been dealt with by Ex. Offr (B)

It is purely administrative

WJ
M. Landry
E.C.

124

C.S.O.

By min 122. Suggested draft opposite

for approval. please. *WJ* 8/11

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Chief Commissioner.

127
F.C. 29/4/1 ✓ Attached is submitted for your ~~signature~~ ^{approval} information 29/4/1 863
McAnay
F.C.

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Chief Commissioner

I submit letter to AFHQ in the
 influx of British military families to Rome about
 which I spoke.

DS/1/k

OCT 1 1946

99

for Comm

His appeal to G-5 for your signature please

HP/1/k

101

Executive Officer (B).

The letter at 99 was not sent. Brigadier Lush informs me that he
 discussed this matter with Colonel Parsons who was not prepared to commit himself
 but stated that the existing arrangements should continue on the understanding
 that Brigadier Lush would discuss this matter on his arrival in LONDON.
 This is not a sales/policy & will you please B.F. to the British Army
 returns as this is the question I must try and get settled when he comes back.

M. CAHR,
 Brigadier,
 A/Executive Commissioner.

4 October 1946

Chief Staff Officer

102

802

also communicate 99. Since 9

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OCT 1 1946

99

to Commin

for approval to G-5 for your signature, please

H. H. 1/12

101

Executive Officer (B).

102

The letter at [redacted] was not sent. Brigadier Lush informs me that he discussed this matter with Colonel Parsons who was not prepared to commit himself but stated that the existing arrangements should continue on the understanding that Brigadier Lush would discuss this matter on his arrival in LONDON.

This is not V. Sales/Factory & will you please B.F. this file when Brig Lush returns as this is the question I was trying and get settled when he comes back.

M. Carr
Brigadier,
A/Executive Commissioner.

4 October 1946.Chief Staff Officer

102

802

Please note A/Ex Com minute [redacted] 101. Since I can not do it for me if you file, will you please do it if it is Ex Com on 16 Oct - next. Brig Lush is due back 15/10.

7/10.

Chubelina

103

C/C. B/L this file on 15/10 M.S. 7/10.

Office Space.

Ref note at foot of folio 234. Please
prepare volume as suggested.

AdBryce.
23/9

Office Space.

Ground plans should give A.T.D.C. all
rooms on floors 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Annex
Trope & they
By 1 November. Stalked to him.

are moving to 2nd floor of Annex at
once from 2nd floor Main building. Action
reference vented, etc of Annex to be taken
up direct with R.A.D.C.

R.C. Rose

Spec 0(b)

Ex Off (A)

A.T.D.C., I.E.C.R. and UNRRIT are now
Annex and Alcom units are in
Main building except for Alchem and Microfilm

23/9

96

Office Space.

I read plans should give A.J.D.C. all rooms on floors 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Annex by 1 November. Talked to Mrs. Fiske & they

are moving to 2nd floor of Annex of area from 2nd floor Main building. Below reference mental, etc of Annex to be taken up direct with R.A.D.C.

R.C. Rose

Spec 0(A)

97

Ex Off (A)

A.J.D.C., I.E.C.R. and UNPRA are now ~~801~~ the Annex and Alcon units are in the Main building except for Chechen and Microphon who should be finished today. As soon as materials are procured the Annex will be ready off, inventoried and turned over to R.A.D.C.

However, it must be pointed out that the 'Men of Indictment' already occupying the 1st and 7th floors. Thus, only 5 floors are being turned back to R.A.D.C. instead of 7 which we are still charged with. Also, these men were accommodated with a space saving in moving some and the Relief organization took over work in the main building and moved to Alcon V. It

89.

E. L. Lamm

Ref folio 88. when do you wish
to attend, please *Oct 17/9 W.S.*

Minute No. 90.

18th September 1946

To: Executive Officer (B).

You will presumably be attending this meeting. I might possibly attend so please keep in touch with me when the date approaches.

I do not know if American representation is necessary, but if so will you contact the Executive Officer (A.)

McCarthy

W. CAPE, Brigadier.
Acting Executive Commissioner.

91Ex Com

I suggest that either you self or Brig Lusk should attend this meeting. In addition to Major Bentley I suggest. If Brig Lusk is back, please inform him of being familiar with the back ground. Otherwise you can be briefed if you so wish. The matter is not completely simple - it involves various interests and a few formalities.

LO. ix. 46

N.P.A.

K. Lusk

800

at copy
9.5.5 J.W.

where looked the history

Minute No. 90.

18th September 1946

To: Executive Officer (B).

You will presumably be attending this meeting. I might possibly attend so please keep in touch with me when the date approaches.

I do not know if American representation is necessary, but if so will you contact the Executive Officer (A.)

McCarthy

M. CARR, Brigadier,
Acting Executive Commissioner.

91

Ex Com

I suggest that either you self or Brig Luck should attend this meeting. In addition to Major Bentley I suggest. If Brig Luck is back, please usually be sure of being familiar with the back ground. Otherwise you can be briefed if you so wish. The matter is not completely simple - it involves variant interests and a few formalities.

Lo. ix. 46

NRH

Chubb

I have looked the meeting
for myself a Brig Luck M.C.

800

20/9
A.S.S. J.W.

73

CSO.

All we can do in this case is to send the list to ARHQ with a covering note. But before doing so I should like to clear in my own mind that the list is up to date. I believe for instance that we have derequisitioned the Piemonte Hotel in Turin. Can you speak about the Ligurian Hotels? Col. Miller can, telephonically, tell us about the Bolzano Inns and those in the neighbourhood.

Would you check and see what we can produce?

/s/ M.S. LUTEN
30-8-45

To Econ Sec. ~~W.~~
~~1st folio 71. Please draft a letter to~~
~~St. Coppa along the lines of the draft-~~
~~appendix. A.B. 6/9~~

cc. Ex Comd
draft as 71 for your approval please Aug 7/9

cc. Ex Comd
Letter of folio 75 for wife, please Aug 7/9

CSO Please see folio 77 for wife. Aug

/S/ M.S. LUSH
30-8-46

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To Exec Sec. ⁷⁵
1st folio 71. Please draft a letter to
Mr. Coppa along the lines of the draft-
appendix. ALB 6/9

cc: Ex Comd ⁷⁶
draft at 71 for your approval please ALB 7/9
ALB 6/9

cc: Ex Comd ⁷⁶
Letter at folio 75 for wife, please ALB 7/9
ALB 7/9

cc: Please see folio 77 for wife. ALB 7/9

F.C. ⁸⁶
See. Ltr at folio 85 for your signature in reply to Ltr 84.
ALB 13

56

Major Tammoch. force.

W/18/c.

by 1-27.

See by 11/18 P/A.

Ex Com. (See 2-61)

60

Ref folio 52. Please see folio 59.

Folio 51 also refen.

Ques 24/8

c.s. 10mm.

SE 63

Ref folio 61. Please see folio 62. I do not
 consider it is well advising to let it go until
 separate dates are known.

do you agree please
 They have been informed

Ques 19/8 07/9/29/8

W/28/c

H.Q. Condt.

47.

Ref 1 44. It has now been confirmed that there is no Embassy or Legation where Capt Contass can live and Brig Law insists that he and his wife be accommodated at the Glona. Will you therefore please arrange this in accordance with last para of 1 44.

J.W. Hord-Smith.
Lt. Col.

26/7

48.

Ex. Com.

This can be arranged if Capt Contass will come as my officer and introduce authority for British relatives being issued.

A.G. Guevarra
Lt. Col.

24/7/44.

49.

C 50. JWS. 30/7

This has been arranged so that Capt Contass can apply for an application to H.Q. Camp Commission. ~~a provisional~~ will obtain ~~letter~~ a bill of exchange for the Flac

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and the wife in attendance
at the Plaza. Will you therefore
please arrange this in accordance with
last para of #44.

Lt. W. West-Smidt.
Lt. Col.

26/7

#3

Ex. Com.

This can be arranged if Capt Constable
will call at my office and
provide authority for British
nationals being issued.

A.G. Pearson
R.A.F.

24/4/46

C.S.O. H.M. 30/7

49

This has been arranged so that Capt Constable
in application to H.Q. Group Commandant. ~~He~~
will obtain ~~the~~ a bill of exchange for the Plaza
Capt Constable's a.d. has been signed. J.H.T.
29/4/46

M. 13/8

Ex Com.

54.

to. Please see para 53. There also not
appear to be any previous correspondence
on the matter.

L.G. mpc m. 12/8

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Ex Comm.

42
 p's report regarding reduction of RAAC
 for info. You will remember that
 Brig Law mentioned this matter at the
 recent meeting on hotel accommodation. H.S. 9/17.
 Only the para's marked on 1 & 40
 mention the A.C. H.S. 9/17

TW(107)

45.

CSO.

Ref folio 44. Please see mins 35.

Auth 27/2

46
 After talking with Col Graham and with Brig Law's
 a.d.c. I have explained that A.C.I. has nothing
 to do with A.C. Cypor Constant is the naval
 adviser to Greek Delegation to A.C.I. There is
 as yet no Greek Embassy. Cypor Constant he
 put up by R.A.A.C. as long as military
 facilities will be good for members of A.C.I.

PH7
 24/7

Recon Convention 27/7/46

Only the name marked on 1 & 20
mention the A.C.

TH/10/7

45.

CSO.

Ref folio 44. Please see memo 35.

Auth 27/2

46

After talking with Col Graham and with Brig Low's
A.D.C. I have explained that A.C. I has nothing
to do with A.C. Capor Constable is the name
advised to Greek Delegation to A.C. I. There is
as yet no Greek Embassy. Capor C ¹⁹⁶⁶ ~~upper~~ be
put up by R.A.A.C. as long as military
facilities would good for members of A.C. I.

Reg. Convention 27/9/46
Brig has insisted that Capor Constable shall
be briefed at Flan Hotel as per further
clarification that Capor C. is member of A.C. I.

P.H.T.
26/7

B.H.T.
24/7

H.S. 9/7

H.S. 9/7

35.

message has been received from Brig Gen that Capt. Constant will be invited a Greek Legation not the Hora

8/7/46.

A.G. Galani
Recd
not. end.

27

Executive Commissioner.

Sir,

Please see letter at Folio 26 from Brigadier Low.

HQ Comdt's comments on the letter are that the Flora Hotel is a British Officers Mess and he is against providing accommodation for Captain Constat and his wife. He further states that we have no other hotel in which they can be reasonably accommodated.

Willard

25. June. 46

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HQ Comdt to Capt. 17/10/46

29

Since writing 24. I have had meeting with mess Committee Draft letter herewith

28.6.46

Adyapalan (Ld)
Ad. Cmd.

32.

Ex Com.

Folio 31, a No to try down for signature, 34
34

HQ Comdt.

I am much more inclined to agree with you

25.6.46

25. June. 46

Killland 9/24.

25.

HQ Command to drop reply 13/1/46

29

Lucie writing 24. I have had
meeting with mess Committee Drop
letter tomorrow

28.6.46 Alpalam (L)
Hd. Cmd.

esp. to Com.

32.

34. 31, a 16 to try down, for signature, 34.
34. 31, 34. 34

HQ Command.

I am much more inclined to agree with you

first decision. Who is the Gallant Captain. Is he
a Diplomat or Naval Attaché? As Dip. solution
between Italy & Greece has now been resumed
why cannot the UK Embassy look after him?

13/1/47

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esp Ex. 1000.

16.

Letter submitted at 15. for signature JCC
AFNS (17. 10. white) asked if we will. to 11/3.
approach the Govt. on the lines of p 15.

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C. 50

Major S.

17

This is not a matter in my opinion a
Prime Minister should be bothered with. Besides
we have already been told that ARAR are a
"non". Check with Econ. Sec. that ARAR are
a purely civilian organization and if they are
it is not a government matter and presumably
be someone should open negotiations with or
write direct to ARAR Econ. Sec. or C.E.M. may be
able to advise best method of action.

792

21/3

M. J. B. G.
for action.

Chief Commissioner.

Attached is submitted for your information/signature/approval.

See by cc.

TH/30X

NOV 1 1950

1600

TH/30X

NOV 1 1950

Executive Commissioner.

accommodation will be resumed could
be Col. Tordlin please notify me
date of arrival.

A. G. Graham
Hodg. And.

4.3.46

I.

Ex. 6.

Sir, I have informed Col. Tordlin over the telephone
of the contents of Col. Graham's letter.

TH/63

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COPY

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.7

6 January 1947

SUBJECT: Facilities for IGOR

TO : Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission,
(Attn: Executive Commissioner),
APO 794

1. Further reference is made to your letter to this Headquarters, identical subject, 625/125/EC, November 22nd.
2. It is expected that Dr. M. V. Royne will visit this Headquarters upon his return from London in the near future. At that time the matter will be reviewed in staff conference, ascertaining the number of persons for whom facilities are required and the sources from which these facilities can be obtained.
3. Results of the a/m staff conference will be made known to you.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MORGAN:

sgt. JAMES WOTESTEIN
Colonel G.S.C.
For: A.L. HAMLEN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

EC Dist 9/1/47

Action - Ex O (U)
Info - CC
Disper
Reind H.
" B.
Ex O (H)

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DSG 131015A

H/8526

DSG 141000

ROUTINE

GRQ CMP

ALLIED COMMISSION ITALY

PA BV

NR

UNCLASSIFIED:

Ref your letter G-4 (B) 114/9/Q dated 4 December 46.

Mrs MARY BOYD and Miss JOYCE GUILTER may continue to S/draw rations and be accommodated in W D requisitioned Hotels on repayment. This authority is valid until 31 March 47. When renewal should be requested from this HQ if required.

AG DIST

ACTION : G-4 (B)

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER

EX COMER

EX O (B)

FLOAT

FILE

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*PA 16
11/12*

2/10/47

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5 : 383.7

2 December 1946

SUBJECT: Facilities for I.G.C.R.

TO : Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission,
(Attn.: Executive Commissioner),
APO 794

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1. Reference is made to your letter to this Headquarters, identical subject, 625/125/EC, November 22nd.
2. Information requested in Para. 4 of referred letter is being sought, and will be the subject of future correspondence to you.
3. It is desired that you inform the I.G.C.R. Representative that:
 - a. The matter of facilities from Allied Military sources for personnel of his organization in ITALY is being investigated and instructions sought from higher authorities.
 - b. Great dissimilarity exists between the situation in ITALY as compared to that in AUSTRIA and GERMANY.
 - c. For the moment Dr. M.W. Royse is being treated as a V.I.P. during the exploratory phases of his work. He and his wife and daughter only will temporarily be billeted by U.S. military authorities.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL LEE:

/S/ A.L. HAMBLEN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

Copy to: RAC (US)

E.C. Dist 8/12/46

Action: Ex. O. (B) 787

Info: C.C.

DISPER

Polka 'A'

" 'B'

Ex. O. (A)

11/2
C/O

1/1
6/10/46

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
AFO 512

NOV 27 1946
FILE 127
Ex Comm.

G-5: 926.11 R

25 November 1946

SUBJECT: Accommodations.

TO : Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission,
AFO 794.

98 112
Reference your 625/93/EC of 1 October and ~~the~~ G-5: 926.11 R
of 12 October 1946.

1. The plan to move certain British families to Rome has been abandoned. But this is without prejudice to the use for British families of spare accommodations in hotels now requisitioned when that course is considered desirable.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL LEE:

A. L. Hammen
A. L. HAMMEN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

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ALLIED ~~CONTROL~~ COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

NOV 22 1946
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SUBJECT: Accommodation at Albergo Colonna

FILE No. XOB/170/A

TO : Executive Commissioner

21 November 1946

Re attached letter from Camp Commandant is forwarded for information.

I shall be grateful if you will return the letters to me when you have finished with them.

Returned 23/11
JH

K. Wilke Jones

K. WILKE - JONES
Lt-Col
Executive Officer (B)

MD

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PA 23

J/Gen 17.11

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Ref. : 625/125/30

22 November 1946

SUBJECT: Facilities for I.G.C.R.

TO : ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,
Attention: G-5 Section.

1. Reference is made to the matter of facilitation for the personnel of the Inter-Governmental Committee on Refugees in ITALY which, it is understood, has been the subject of verbal discussions with your Headquarters from time to time.
2. There is enclosed a copy of a Foreign Office letter HQ 2402/441/45 of the 14 October 1946 which was received by this Commission through ICGR sources.
3. There is also enclosed copy of a telegram dated 31 October 1946 likewise received through ICGR sources with reference to the same subject in general. The telegram refers to a letter addressed by Sir Herbert Morrison to the United States Ambassador. It is understood that a letter in similar terms was addressed to the British Foreign Office and that the Foreign Office anticipated that the War Office would take similar action to that taken by the American War Department and referred to in the enclosed telegram.

If special facilities are granted to ICGR personnel in GERMANY and GERMANY it would appear that similar facilities should be granted to them in this Theatre.

4. On this Commission please be informed if there have been any recent developments in this matter.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

MR

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Chief Commissioner
Ranger Division
Polads (A) and (B)
ICGR
Ex Off (B)

See 4 130

See LACAB 1625/1/1/CB

Telephone: G.R.O. 46367-8-9.

Telegraphic Address:
INCOMREF AU Y LONDON (Island Telegrams)
INCOMREF LO ON (Overseas Telegrams)

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INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES.

Our Ref:

Your Ref:

19 HILL STREET
LONDON, W.1.

Rome,

12th November, 1946.

My Dear Matthew,

Herewith copy of the telegram which
I promised you this morning.

—

Mauni

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Brigadier M. Carr, C.B.E., M.C.,
Allied Commission,
Rome.

Copy of REXIS CABLE #112. Dated 31.10.46.

Original Cable #1123 on.

FOR REASON REFERENCE YOUR LET TO US AMBASSADOR RE FACILITIES IGC STAFF
GERMANY AND AUSTRIA STOP CIVIL AFFAIRS DIVISION CAR DEPARTMENT INFORMED US TODAY
THAT BY TOMORROW MORNING FRIDAY A CABLE WILL BE SENT TO USPT UNDA AND CAR'S
SUBSTANTIALLY AS FOLLOWS QUOTE SUBJECT IS EXTENSION OF CATEGORY ONE FIELD
FACILITIES TO PROPERLY ASSIGNED STAFF OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EXPENSES
PARAGRAPH ON JULY SIXTEEN 1946 JOINT US - UK PROPOSALS QUOTE REPLY REPLYING THE
FUNCTIONS OF IGC WERE ADOPTED BY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IGC LONDON STOP IGC NOW HAS
FUNCTION OF FACILITATING IN COLLABORATION WITH MILITARY AUTHORITIES AND UNDA
THE RECRUITMENT AND RESSETLEMENT OF ALL NON-BELONGING INTRUDING NECESSARY ARGUMENTS
WAYS FOR SELECTION OF REFUGEES AND UPS FOR RESETTLEMENT AND FOR THEIR TRANSPORT
AND DELIVER IN TRANSIT STOP FUNCTION ALSO INCLUDES LIAISON WITH AND SERVICE TO
OFFICIAL MISSIONS FROM BRITISH AND OTHER GOVERNMENTS WHICH MAY BE SENT TO GERMANY
AND AUSTRIA TO SELECT PERSONS FOR RESETTLEMENT STOP UNDA IS AUTHORIZED TO COLLABORATE
WITH IGC UNDER COUNCIL RESOLUTION 99 ADOPTED GENEVA LAST AUGUST STOP US GOVERNMENT
THOROUGHLY SUPPORTS IGC IN THIS EFFORT STOP FOR YOUR INFORMATION MAJOR GENERAL
WALTER A. WOOD HAS RECENTLY JOINED IGC STAFF WHICH IS RAPIDLY EXPANDING PARAGRAPH
IGC REPRESENTATIVES BECAUSE OF EXPLOSION AND POLITICAL VALUE OF FUNCTIONS HAVE
BEEN ACCORDED LIAISON STATUS WITH MILITARY THROUGH CURRENT OF TRUST AND USFA STOP IN
NEW RECENTED FUNCTIONS AND FACT THAT IGC IS NOT A SUPPLY AGENCY LIKE UNDA IT IS
RECOMMENDED THAT THE BOARD CATEGORY ONE FACILITIES USPT HEADQUARTERS CIRCULAR
NUMBER 57 TO ACCREDITED IGC REPRESENTATIVES IN YOUR MORE STOP IGC IS PERMITTED TO MAKE
ARRANGEMENT FOR THE COST OF ANY SERVICE OR MATERIAL PROVIDED TO ITS REPRESENTATIVES
BY VICTOR OF SUCH STATUS PARAGRAPH IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE ALSO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS
FOR LOCAL CURRENCY TO BE BORROW IN EXCHANGE STANDING OR DOLLARS OR WHATEVER NECESSARY
FOR ADVANCES ON SALARIES OR PAYMENT OF SALARIES OF LOCALLY EMPLOYED STAFF ON UNDER-

PARAGRAPH ON JULY SIXTEEN 1946 JOINED US - THE PROPOSALS HERETOBY EXPAND THE FUNCTIONS OF IAC WERE APPROVED BY ADDITIVE COMMITTEE IAC LONDON STEP 1-3 NOW HAS FUNCTION OF FACILITATING IN COLLABORATION WITH ALLIANCE ARMY AUTHORITIES AND UNDER THE SUPERVISION AND SUPERVISORSHIP OF ALL NON-REPRESENTATIVES INCLUDING REPRESENTATIVE AGENTS FOR SELECTION OF REFUGEES AND DFS FOR REENTRY AND FOR THEIR TRANSPORT AND EXPENSE IN TRANSIT STOP FUNCTION ALSO INCLUDES LIAISON WITH AND SERVICE TO OFFICIAL MISSIONS FROM BRITAIN AND OTHER COUNTRIES WHICH MAY BE SENT TO RETURN AND ASSISTANCE TO SELECT PERSONS FOR REENTRY TO IAC IAC IS AUTHORIZED TO COLLABORATE WITH IAC UNDER COMBINED RESOLUTION 99 ADOPTED ON 15/1/46 LAST AUGUST STOP US GOVERNMENT THOROUGHLY SUPPORTS IAC IN THIS EFFORT STOP FOR YOUR INFORMATION MAJOR GENERAL BAKER A MOO HAS RECENTLY JOINED IAC STAFF WHICH IS RAPIDLY EXPANDING PARAGRAPH IAC REPRESENTATIVES INCLUDE OF INFORMATION AND PROVISIONAL NATURE OF FUNCTIONS HAVE BEEN ACQUIRED LIAISON STATUS WITH ALLIANCE THROUGH CURRENT OF USZF AND IAC STOP IN VIEW RECENTED FUNCTIONS AND FACT THAT IAC IS NOT A SUPPLY AGENCY LINE IAC IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT FOR EXTEND CAMPAIGN ONE FACILITIES WENT HEADQUARTERS CIRCULAR NUMBER 57 TO ACCELERATE IAC REPRESENTATIVES IN YOUR AND STOP IAC IS EMPLOYED TO MAKE REENTRY FOR THE COST OF ANY SERVICE OR MATERIAL PROVIDED TO IAC REPRESENTATIVES BY VICTOR OF SUCH STATUS PARAGRAPH IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOU ALSO MAKE REENTRY FOR LOCAL CURRENT TO BE DRAWN IN MONITOR STANDING OR DOLLARS OR WHATEVER NECESSARY FOR ADVANCES ON SALARIES OR PAYMENT OF SALARIES OF LOCALLY EMPLOYED STAFF ON UNDERSTANDING THAT EXPENSES OF MONEY SO DRAWN WILL BE MADE BY IAC STOP IN ADDITION TO ABOVE PARAGRAPHS CABLE WILL STATE THAT THIS MESSAGE CONSTITUTES RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE FIELD AND THAT WAR DEPARTMENT REQUESTS ADVISE ON ACTION TAKEN BY FIELD AUTHORITIES STOP WAR DEPARTMENT WILLING TO ISSUE RECOMMENDATIONS ADVISORY TO FIELD BUT WILL NOT BE ON RECEIPT OF REPLY FROM FIELD.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

AFPO 794

Office of the Camp Commandant

HQC/LE.12

7 November 1946

SUBJECT: Accommodation, Hotel Victoria.

TO : Executive Commissioner, A.C.

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Camp Commandant

Copy to: - G - 1 (Br.) HQ., A.C.

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See 7.12.1
This matter has been settled
by discussion MC
Capt H 12/11

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 794
DISPLACED PERSONS DIVISION

5 November, 1946

DPA/1-2/A

SUBJECT : Accommodation - A.C. British Transit Personnel.

TO : Executive Commissioner, A.C.

1. Under instructions from A.P.H.Q. this Division has pursued a policy of engaging suitable British Civilians of Officer Status. These are accommodated and fed in our Officers' Messes and for whom we have authority from G.H.Q. to draw rations on repayment.
2. In addition to these British Civilians there are a considerable number of B.R.C.S. personnel employed in D.P. Division Centres. These are also all of Officer Status and accommodated and fed in our Officers' Messes.
3. The above mentioned B.R.C.S. and British Civilians have to transit and visit B.M.E. occasionally and at present considerable difficulty is being experienced in obtaining accommodation in the VICTORIA Hotel reserved for Allied Commission British Personnel of Officer Status.
4. It is understood that certain accommodation is reserved in the VICTORIA Hotel for Allied Commission transit personnel of Officer Status and it is requested that authority be granted to the Camp Commandant to allot accommodation (if available), against this transit reserve to the above mentioned B.R.C.S. and British Civilian personnel employed by this Division. The numbers involved are not likely to exceed two at any one time and then only occasionally.

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Colonel,
Director.

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Camp Commandant, Allied Commission.
DPA/1-2/A

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C.A. 282

C.B. PITCHAY
Colonel,
Director.

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Copy to:- C-1 (3) H.Q., A.C.
Camp Commandant, Allied Commission.
File DPR/3-1/A.

See M.P. 119

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INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES 115

Reference: 1/82

Allied Commission Headquarters,
Via Vittorio Veneto 33,
Rome.

(Telephone: 471322).

25th October, 1946.

Dear Brigadier Carr,

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In continuation of my letter 1/82 of the 4th October
and our conversation to-day, I enclose a copy of a letter
from the Foreign Office dated the 14th October dealing
with I.G.C.R. activities in Italy. 114

I should be grateful for early notification of any
information you may receive on the subject.

Yours sincerely,

Julian Tomlin

Lt. Col. Julian L. Tomlin,
Resident Representative,
I.G.C.R.

Brigadier M. Carr,
Executive Commissioner,
Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rome.

EC DIST- 28/10/46

ACTION - EC

INFO - 874

See also copy on
file 2210/EC
25/10/46 Jgc

See M. 116

Seen by Ex O. (B)

(CSO)

C O F Y.

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o. WR 2852/441/48

Foreign Office,

S.W. 1.

14th October, 1946.

Sir,

With reference to your letter (797/118) of the 27th August regarding the resettlement of refugees and displaced persons, I am directed by Mr. Secretary Bevin to inform you that the military authorities in Italy have been requested to afford all possible facilities to the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees in connexion with the probable extension of its activities in Italy.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd.) Ian L. Henderson.

Sir Herbert Emerson, GCIE, KCS,
Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees,
19 Hill Street,
W.I.

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21 October 1946

My dear Dr. Prunas:

Further to my letter of 7 October concerning the derequisition of Count Volpi's apartment at Via Quattro Fontane, I have been advised by the Commanding Officer, Rome Area Allied Command, that the premises already have been made available to the Catholic Womens League, a soldiers' welfare service, which is the only remaining British voluntary welfare organisation in Rome. Therefore, I regret that favorable consideration of your request is not possible at this time.

Sincerely yours.

s/ Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USN
Chief Commissioner

Dr. Renato Prunas
Secretary General
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Italian Government
Rome

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

OCT 11 1946

G-5: 926.11R

12 October 1946

SUBJECT: Accommodation

TO : Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission,
APO 794.

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Reference your 625/93/EC dated 1 October 1946

1. The matter of the temporary accommodation of certain British families in Rome is being investigated.
2. You will be advised of the decision soonest.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. Hamblen

A. L. HAMBLEN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

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(CAPT W)

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RESTRICTEDALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
APO 512

OCT 14 1946

STAFF MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER

58)

10 October 1946

MOVE OF UNITS INTO ROME

Staff Memorandum Number 51, this headquarters 1946, is superseded by this Staff Memorandum.

1. Effective 10 October 1946 all applications for British, United States or allied units or individuals to be permanently located in ROME will first be submitted to the appropriate sponsoring branch/section at GHQ CMF or HQ MFGUEA. The sponsoring branch/section will then, if it approves the application:

a. Obtain concurrences from the interested branches/sections of its own headquarters.

b. Forward the application together with the necessary recommendation to G-3 AFHQ.

2. G-3 AFHQ will then be responsible for:

a. Co-ordinating with the other National Headquarters.

b. After consultation with RAAC deciding whether the unit or individual can be located permanently in ROME.

3. G-3 AFHQ is only concerned with the necessity for units and individuals to be permanently located in ROME. It will not be concerned with scales of accommodation or ways and means of providing accommodation, etc.

4. G-3 AFHQ will submit recommendations in each case for final decision by the Chief of Staff and Deputy Chief of Staff AFHQ. As soon as a claim to be located in ROME has been approved by the Chief of Staff and Deputy Chief of Staff AFHQ, RAAC will be notified and will then be responsible for allotting appropriate accommodation.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

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Ralph C. Tilley
RALPH C. TILLEY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

A.P.O. 794

Office of the Executive Commissioner

File

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Ref. : 625/106/RG

11 October 1946.

SUBJECT: Accommodation.

TO : The French Representative,
A.C.

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1. I refer to your note No. 2946 dated 19 Aug 46 regarding accommodation in Rome for your Staff.

2. A.F.H.Q. now advises that recent negotiations between that Headquarters and the French Headquarters indicate that the Plaza Hotel will not be entirely de-requisitioned in the very near future. Inasmuch as accommodation will remain available at the Plaza for the French Delegation to AGI and your Staff, no further action is being taken on your request for separate quarters at this time.

For the Chief Commissioner:

A. W. Kinsch

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: RAAC

See 102

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CA *11/10/46*

Ex Comm.

You wished to speak
a minute Ex O. (B) ref

John ~~100~~ 104

John ¹⁰⁰ ~~100~~ and ¹⁰¹ ~~101~~ refer.

J.S. 11/10

Hold for return
Bryant MA
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C/C 1/16 note above. 773
J.S. 18/10

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INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES

Reference: 1/82

Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rome.

(Telephone: 471322).

4th October, 1946.

Dear Brigadier Carr,

With reference to the meeting held in your office on Tuesday the 1st October, I should be glad to know as early as convenient

- A. Whether in view of the explanations given at that meeting the offices of the Resident Representative in Italy of this Committee can continue to be located in the building occupied by the Allied Commission Headquarters and under what conditions.
- B. The British employees of the Committee in Italy can continue to use the accommodation and food provided by a requisitioned hotel on a repayment basis as hitherto.

/ I attach some notes about our staff. Miss Ashley joined us on the 1st October as Secretary.

Yours sincerely,

Julian Tomlin

Lt. Col. Julian L. Tomlin,
Resident Representative,
I.G.C.R.

Brigadier M. Carr,
Acting Executive Commissioner,
Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rome.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES

21 October, 1946

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The establishment of the Resident Representative's office is at present as follows: -

<u>Name</u>	<u>Nationality.</u>	<u>Appointment.</u>	<u>Present accommodation.</u>
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Miss M.E. Jenkins	British	P.A. to R.R.	Flora Hotel
Miss G.P.L. Ashley	British	Secretary	Victoria Hotel

The staff is likely to be increased by one or two American personnel in the near future.

The non-American-or-British staff (locally recruited, of various nationalities) consists of ten persons. *at present.*

Office space required, 8 or 9 rooms.

Present location of offices: 3rd floor annex, ACHQ.

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Reference: 1/82

Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rome.

(Telephone: 47322).

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Resident Representative,
I.C.C.R.

Brigadier M. Carr,
Acting Executive Commissioner,
Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rome.

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INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES

4th October, 1946

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
REAL ESTATE SECTION
APO 794 US ARMY

OC 12 1946

REQ # 44

RCK/fl
1 October 1946

SUBJECT: Plaza Hotel

TO : HQ. Allied Commission
Office of the Executive Commissioner
Liaison Division

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1. Reference your 625/56/EC dated 22 August 1946.

2. Recent negotiations between this headquarters and the French headquarters indicate that the Plaza Hotel will not be entirely de-requisitioned in the very near future. Inasmuch as accommodations will remain available at the plaza for the French Delegation to ACI, no further action will be taken on their request for separate quarters at this time.

Yan

and your staff

Raymond C. Kearney

Copy to:
- French Liaison ROAC

RAYMOND C. KEARNEY
Capt. Inf.
Real Estate Officer

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C.A. 11/10/46

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Ref: 625/103

30 September 1946.

SUBJECT: Accommodation

TO : Executive Officer (B)

Lt Col Tomlin, ICOR, wrote me a letter about more accommodation for AGO in this building. The scheme for more accommodation for the AGO is I understand not going through but Lt Col Tomlin tells me that in the same letter he requested that he should be moved from his present accommodation to some that was alongside Diaper S/C. He now tells me that the accommodation which he expected to get is now occupied by a W/O. I remember the question of the move of Diaper S/C from the annex some matter affecting the W/O was also involved but I have no recollection of accommodation for ICOR coming into the question. Lt Col Tomlin is in a hurry to go but could you get this matter into the right channels. It seems to me to be a matter for Office Space and Diaper S/C.

/s/ M. Bass.

S. O. M.,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 62/133/12

October 1946

SUBJECT: Accommodation

TO : ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

Attention: 1-2 Section.

1. I refer to conversation Colonel Forester/Brigadier Ash of September 13 regarding the accommodation of the I.S.C.R. in Italy.
2. Consequently in this conversation the I.S.C.R. continue to be housed in the Allied Commission building and the members of the staff of the Resident Representative are accommodated and fed in the Allied Commission (British) hotel.
3. I.S.C.R. have asked whether, pending a decision from London regarding the entitlement of the staff of the I.S.C.R. in Italy, this arrangement can continue.
4. It is of great importance at this stage that the I.S.C.R. should be in close daily contact with the local command and also that it will be equally important if and when Allied Commission is replaced by LOCAB.
5. I recommend therefore that the arrangement continue.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

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Not passed

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Copy to: Chief Commissioner.
Executive Officer (A)
Executive Officer (B)

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Ref: 62/43/1

1/2/52

SUBJECT: Accommodation

TO : ALIAS FROM INSURANCE,

Attention: 2-3 Section.

1. The Deputy Commander, Base Allied Area Command, has informed me that it is the intention of GAF, USAF to move to Rome for a period of three months 100 Officers families and 100 other staff families, and to accommodate in addition during these three months 117 mixed families British Officers and Wives.

2. While I appreciate the reasons for the necessity of accommodating these families somewhere and assume that accommodation now occupied by the first 200 families in Southern Italy will be handed back to the Italian Government, a point in which I should be glad of your assistance, I must point out that the increase in British military personnel in Rome is contrary to the fundamental policy that Allied troops in Rome should be reduced to a minimum, and that this move will result in retrogressive steps in the policy of demilitarizing hotel accommodation.

3. At a recent conference in Rome I had agreed to release to host the three hotels now occupied by members of the Allied Commission. It was the intention of Base Allied Area Command to hand these back to the Italian Government etc, as you have, have been making continual requests for further accommodation in the capital. The arrival of the British families will prevent the surrender of these hotels and a consequence which will be regarded by the Italians as a breach of faith.

4. One anything be done to avoid this increase in the military population in the capital city.

/s/ Ellery W. Stone

Major General, USAF
Chief Commissioner

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Copy to: Chief Commissioner.
Executive Officer (B)

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INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES

Reference: 9/131A

Allied Commission Headquarters,
Via Vittorio Veneto 33,
Rome.

(Telephone: 471322).

19th September, 1946.

To: The Executive Commissioner, Allied Commission Headquarters, Rome.
From: The Resident Representative, IGCR, Rome.

Please see the attached letter from the Director for Italy of the American Joint Distribution Committee.

The connection of the IGCR with the AJDC dates back to May 1944, and is referred to in semi-official correspondence between Mr. Patrick Malin, Vice-Director of IGCR, and Brigadier Lush and others. At that time it was impossible for representatives of voluntary organisations to enter Italy unless they were associated in some way with an official body such as the IGCR.

They have since that date worked under the aegis of this Committee and have been given such facilities as it was possible to give by the help of the Allied Commission.

Their work in Italy is solely connected with those of the Jewish faith, and as such they have had very close liaison with UNRRA.

As regards accommodation in the Allied Commission building, in view of developments connected with work in preparation for the activities of the International Refugee Organisation (with which Mr. Royce's visit from America is connected) it is of prime importance that officials of the IGCR should be accommodated in close touch with the DPRSC, and it is understood from the Director DPRSC that sufficient rooms for such properly accredited officials are being reserved on the sixth floor.

I should be grateful for your comments and instructions ^{76!} regards the request by the AJDC to be permitted to lease outright space in this building from the Italian authorities.

See M 95, 96, 97.
Discussed with C. S.O.

Office Space Sledge
on a scheme - 60 Rooms
offer to be required. It will

then be necessary to get R.A.C. approval, if Ex. Comm. agrees
as it will be a question of taking part of a building which is operated by me

Julian L. Tomlin
Lt. Col. Julian L. Tomlin,
Resident Representative,
I.G.C.R.

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AMERICAN JOINT DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE
Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees
Hq. Allied Commission
APO 794

471549
Rome : 42813

Jacob Trobe
Director

Telephones : Milan: 532141 ext. 2317
Berl : 12801

Rome, 19 September 1946.

Ref. D-47A

To : Col. Julian L. Tomlin
Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees
Hq. Allied Commission.

From : Jacob L. Trobe

Dear Colonel Tomlin,

We would very much appreciate your assistance with our most urgent problem of the need for more adequate and more permanent accommodations.

As you know, the Allied Commission has housed our agency and has most liberally dealt with our expanded needs. At this point we occupy approximately 25 rooms in the A.C. building. Nevertheless, our program of activities is seriously crippled for want of more space. We have expended tremendously our services to refugees in every phase of activity. We would appreciate your sponsoring with the Allied Commission a request that we be permitted to lease outright from the Italian Authorities, if available, an additional 35 rooms in the building.

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As you know, our program both with refugees in this country and with the local population can no longer be considered temporary, and we anticipate that our present large program will continue to expand for some time to come. We have enjoyed the hospitality of the Allied Commission, and I must say that the facilities offered by the A.C. in no small measure contributed to the effective servicing of the refugees in this country. I hope you will take the opportunity to express to Admiral Stone and others our deepest appreciation for their help.

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Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees
Hq. Allied Commission.

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Sincerely yours

sgd/ Jacob L. Trobe
Director for Italy

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HEADQUARTERS
ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND

SEP 17 1946

DC/10

16 Sep 46

SUBJECT : Hotel Accomodation

TO : Chief Commissioner Allied Commission
Executive Commissioner Allied Commission
Director Air Force Sub Commission
Flag Officer Liaison, ITALY
Commander Land Forces Sub Commission

The time has come when numbers are so far reduced that it should be possible to release some hotel accomodation in ROME. It is felt that the most satisfactory results will be obtained if the services holding most of the hotels could meet and arrange a re-shuffle of accomodation on an equitable basis.

The Commander R.A.A.C. would therefore be glad to confer with representatives of the above services on this matter at 1100 hrs Wednesday 25 Sep 46 at HQ, R.A.A.C.

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S.C. TOMLIN

Lt-Col

Deputy Commander

Rome Area Allied Command

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See M - 89, 90, 91

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Ref: 625/20

14 September 1946

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I refer to AFHQ Staff Memorandum No. 512 of 4 September 1946.

The Chief Commissioner would be grateful if this Commission could be consulted when you are approached under para 2 (b).

Lt Colonel F.C. Tomlin, OBE, MC.
Deputy Commander,
ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND.

M.B. 10235

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Chf Commissioner.

I certainly think that A.C. should
be consulted. We can achieve this either
(1) by a gentleman's agreement with RAAC
(simpler in the long run)
or
(2) asking GS to bring us in.

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I recommend (1)

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10/17 W.C.

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Ref: 625/85/EC

13 September 1946

I refer to Brigadier Low's letter DO/10 of 30 August 1946.

As you know the Allied Commission has always been a principle protagonist in the derequisitioning of hotels. We have, I think, been in the van in quitting hotels. We are prepared to continue to do so. I think we may soon reduce the hotels requisitioned by us still further but we want to be quite sure that there is equality of treatment and for that reason I suggest a meeting at which your Real Estate Office produces facts and figures and at which the principle Allied units or organisations (British, U.S., French and Polish) inhabiting hotels, together with the Italian Government representatives are present.

Two further points. Firstly, we must be assured that hotel accommodation released by Allied military organisations, or its equivalent, is not subsequently requisitioned by the Italian Government for UNRRA. Secondly, we cannot agree to the removal of our HQs and ORs to 36 Rest Camp, not because we dislike the principle thereof, but because it has been so located that we cannot make use of it without impairing efficiency or acquiring additional transport, which is impossible. The comparison between our U.S. colleagues is not quite relevant as they themselves will be the first to admit.

Can you arrange the meeting?

M. S. LUSH

Lt Colonel F.C. Tomlin, OBE, MC.
Deputy Commander,
ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND.

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SEP 10 1946

Headquarters,
Zona Area Allied Command.

30th August, 1946

My dear Madame
You will have seen the study attack in 11 Repo of 29th

As I mentioned to you the other day I recently had a visit from Prefetto Miraglia representing the P.M. on the subject of requisitioned hotels. As I told you he left expressing satisfaction with my assurances but I am sure that his satisfaction will be shortlived unless my assurances are followed by action.

As I told you in my talk with you the other day the total of hotels under Allied Military requisition is about 25,

of which 15 are in British occupation
 6 " " U.S.
 2 " " Polish
 1 is " French

Of the 15 in British occupation the following are controlled by A.C. or some of its sub-commissions:

(1) Piura	-	Officers	(4) Eliseo	-	Civilians
(2) Urbe	-	OR	(5) Colonna	-	Italians (in part only)
(3) Genova	-	OR	(6) Alexandra	-	RH

I have today received from Admiral Stone a Memorandum from the Swiss Legation pressing for the release of Swiss hotels. We must therefore let some of the following go. Majestic (US), Alexandra (Br), Hassler (US), Eden (Br), Colonna.

It is no longer justifiable to keep for British officers all of the Eden, Piura, Continentale and Eliseo.

All this points to releasing the Eden which I should be very loth to do: it will however be necessary unless the American side release the Hassler.

The Continentale must remain. My conclusion is that either the Piura should be released and its inmates move to the Continentale, or the Eden should go and its inmates be distributed between Piura and Continentale.

I believe that you ought to release the Urbe and Genova and send its inmates to 56 Rest & Transit Camp. This is in line with what your American Colleagues have already done and with what other British units are already doing and more are going to do.

I think that the position of the Colonna should be further ⁵⁸improved. The present situation is not very satisfactory and your people there are as I know the only Italian civilian employees of the Allied forces accommodated in requisitioned hotels. In addition it is a Swiss hotel.

I want the French out of the Plaza, but must offer them something smaller. I propose offering them the Victoria and compensating the Y.W. with the Eliseo if you could manage to give it up. Can you do this?

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(1) Flora	-	Officers	(4) Eliseo	-	Cofra MIA
(2) Urbe	-	OR	(5) Colonna	-	Italians (in part only)
(3) Genova	-	OR	(6) Alexandra	-	RN

I have today received from Admiral Store a Memorandum from the Swiss Legation pressing for the release of Swiss hotels. We must therefore let some of the following go. Majestic (US), Alexandra (Er), Hassler (US), Eden (Er), Colonna.

It is no longer justifiable to keep for British officers all of the Eden, Flora, Continentale and Eliseo.

All this points to releasing the Eden which I should be very loth to do: it will however be necessary unless the American side release the Hassler.

The Continentale must remain. My conclusion is that either the Flora should be released and its inmates move to the Continentale, or should go and its inmates be distributed between Flora and Continentale.

I believe that you ought to release the Urbe and Genova and send its inmates to St Rest & Transit Camp. This is in line with what your American Colleagues have already done and with what other British units are already doing and more are going to do.

I think that the position of the Colonna should be further ~~improved~~ ⁵³⁸ as I know present situation is not very satisfactory and your people there are the only Italian civilian employees of the Allied forces accommodated in requisitioned hotels. In addition it is a Swiss hotel.

I want the French out of the Plaza, but must offer them something smaller. I propose offering them the Victoria and compensating the Y.N. with the Eliseo if you could manage to give it up. Can you do this?

I believe that the retention of the Alexandra by the R.N. no longer justifiable, and have written to the Admiral asking him to release. Incidentally it is a Swiss hotel.

Will you let Tomlin have your observations on these proposals?

I feel sure you must feel that a situation in which the British component of A.C. hold six of the total of twenty four hotels under Allied Military requisition is one which needs adjusting.

James E. Egan
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Brigadier M.S. Lush, CB, CBE, MC.
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USA OPERAZIONE DELL'UFFICIO STRANIERI

E' stato arrestato un altro complice dei polacchi che svaligiavano i treni

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ISORÉ DI AGNELLO ha chiesto un
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a parlare con questo giornale con-
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pubblicato perché la comunità è stata
deliberatamente escludere, ed ha chie-
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di non farlo. Il Mezzogiorno non ha
comunque di questa distribuzione di
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in natura. Nel caso invece che la
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la sentenza del tribunale, non si
potrebbe più fare. Ma non è
anche stato possibile annullare
questa volta la pena e perché
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L'ex Maresciallo Graziani
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LA DISGRAZIA DI UN GROVIER

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IL TEMPO

Giovedì 29 Agosto 1946 — Pag. 2

CAD DI ROMA

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Una gatta

Una gatta, di nome Gattina, è stata trovata in un giardino di via Mazzini, a Roma, e ha fatto molto rumore. La gatta era di colore grigio e aveva gli occhi verdi. Era molto carina e si lasciava toccare facilmente. La sua padrona, una signora di nome Maria, ha detto che la gatta era stata rubata da un ladro. La signora ha cercato di trovarla per un mese, ma non ha potuto. Ora che l'ha trovata, è molto contenta.

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EFFETTI DEL VINO UN MAROCCHINO TENTA DI PUGNALARE TRE CIVILI ITALIANI AL VIALE MAZZINI

Al Viale Mazzini, a Roma, un marocchino ha tentato di pugnalare tre civili italiani. L'attacco è avvenuto giovedì sera, intorno alle otto, quando un gruppo di tre italiani stava passeggiando lungo il viale. Un marocchino, che si era avvicinato a loro, ha tirato fuori un pugnale e ha tentato di colpire uno dei tre italiani. Gli italiani hanno reagito e hanno urlato per attirare l'attenzione. Il marocchino ha visto che non poteva fare nulla e si è allontanato. I tre italiani sono rimasti feriti, ma le ferite non sono gravi. La polizia ha ricevuto la notizia e ha cercato di catturare il marocchino, ma non ha potuto. Il marocchino è ancora in fuga.

Due tenute invase a Palombara Sabina

Due tenute invase a Palombara Sabina. La notizia è stata diffusa da un giornale locale. Si dice che due tenute, una di nome "La Fontana" e l'altra di nome "Il Mulino", sono state invase da un gruppo di persone. Le persone che hanno invaso le tenute sono state trovate con delle armi. Le tenute sono state invase di notte e le persone che sono state trovate lì dentro sono state portate in carcere. La polizia ha ricevuto la notizia e ha cercato di catturare le persone che hanno invaso le tenute, ma non ha potuto. Le persone che hanno invaso le tenute sono ancora in fuga.

Sulla strada di Albano Un autista derubato di 1 milione e mezzo

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Furto negli uffici della S.P.I. a via del Parlamento

Furto negli uffici della S.P.I. a via del Parlamento. La notizia è stata diffusa da un giornale locale. Si dice che negli uffici della S.P.I. (Servizio di Protezione Interna) a via del Parlamento, è stato rubato un sacco di denaro. Il denaro è stato rubato da un gruppo di persone che sono state trovate con delle armi. Le persone che hanno rubato il denaro sono ancora in fuga.

ASCENSORI e gettoni col contagocce

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Cinque quintali di zucchero rubati in un forno. La notizia è stata diffusa da un giornale locale. Si dice che in un forno, sono stati rubati cinque quintali di zucchero. Il zucchero è stato rubato da un gruppo di persone che sono state trovate con delle armi. Le persone che hanno rubato il zucchero sono ancora in fuga.

VIAGGI

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inoltre, malgrado la con-
scia, la specie "nuova" è
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delle andalusa, un'industria che è francese non ha alberghi per 1.200 comari e per un completo di 30 letti e nella lista dei quali però risultano effettive anche occupati soltanto un terzo, mentre gli altri presiedono alla

A questo punto una domanda sorge legittima: se alla necessità di un settore, come quello delle poste, più che di un ministero di carattere tecnico le è stata riservata la sede preminente, perché non essere unitizzati? Non potrebbe bene la autorità anglo-americana disporre delle risorse in loco ad appropiare in 4 o 5 alberghi il complesso delle camere di cui abbisognano e non tenere tuttora bloccati ben 32 ettari, dei più importanti, in più modesti? O si vuol ripetere quanto è stato fatto per alcuni alberghi del centro che per parecchi mesi sono rimasti requisiti soltanto per il comodo di 2 o 3 ufficiali al-
trati?

Intenzione che con un po' di buona volontà e di comprensione per quelli che sono gli anacroni, problemi del rinvio agli agli audienti che l'industria alberghiera italiana deve affrontare, le autorità allineate possono accelerare i tempi della deregulation. In genere la verità procede molto a rilente e con gravi pregiudizi degli interessi di una minoranza categorica di cittadini.

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Le decisioni della Giunta

Verso Pabolizione

L'ex Maresciallo Graziani trasferito in un ospedale

Il Sr. Massimo A. Rossi, allora
1° m. del nostro partito, è
anch'egli un "Principe" di
genova e forse d'Assisi o di
Napoli. Nella prima era del
suo regno, nel 1848, fu
governatore di Genova, e
dopo la sua morte, nel 1854,
fu il suo figlio, il Sr. Massimo
A. Rossi, a succedergli.

La mattina Tony Olivero, Ciano, si presenta nella S. Maria della Misericordia, un ospedale per malati di mente, a parlare con i medici. E' lì che Tony Olivero, Ciano, si presenta nella S. Maria della Misericordia, un ospedale per malati di mente, a parlare con i medici.

Conferma di una sentenza per offese al re

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Travolge per vendetta la figlia di colui che lo aveva accoltellato

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fine del mese di maggio. L'esplosione
fu di tipo "aereo" e fu causata da
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sulla città. Un decimo esplosione
avvenne poco dopo, e fu causata
da un aereo che si stava abbassando
sulla città.

Il libro America Meridionale che
forma il nucleo di questo bellissimo
supplemento di Osservatore può essere
usato da un solo o, meglio, a rotazione
con i libri dell'Altra parte. Il
libro America Meridionale della Casa
editrice.

LA DISGRAZIA DI UN GIOVINETTO

Si sfracella una gamba
sotto le ruote del tram n. 12

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Una grave distorsione è avvenuta nel pomeriggio di ieri nella zona di Asgna Dell'Inferno, in occasione di 12 anni viaggiare su tram. Il direttore Paolo Maggiore, quando giunse all'Inferno della Visconti, tentava disperatamente di mettere la vettura ancora in moto.

Per una buona ingegneria del treno il motore perdeva l'equilibrio e fra il raccapriccio dei presenti cadeva a terra, rotondando a finire con la gamba destra sotto le ruote del primo vagone.

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da una fottivendola manesca

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politico. Nella speranza che
questo è stato interpretato per
quanto è possibile, si desidera
esprimere la nostra fiducia e
sostegno al nuovo Consiglio. La

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UN GIOVINETTO

una tampa

Blackburn, J. R. 1991. *Ornithology*. 2nd ed. 1120 pp. New York: Wiley.

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1. The first part of the document is a letter from the President of the United States to the Congress, dated January 1, 1861. It is a copy of the original letter, and is signed by Abraham Lincoln.

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IN UN'ORA E MEZZA, SE
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A DISGRAZIA DI UN GIOVINETTO

sfraccella una gamba e le ruote del tram n. 12

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Dott. Alfredo Strom

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OGGI "PRIMA" al
CAPRANICA e IMPERIALE

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SEP 3 - 1946

STAFF MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER 51)

4 September 1946

MOVE OF UNITS INTO ROME

Section I, Staff Memorandum Number 102, this headquarters 1945, is superseded by this Staff Memorandum.

1. As from 1 September 1946, all applications for Allied units or individuals to be permanently located in ROME will be sent to G-3 AFHQ accompanied by a recommendation from a sponsoring branch at GHQ CTF or Hq MTOUSA.

2. G-3 AFHQ will then be responsible for:-

a. Obtaining concurrences from the interested Branches of GHQ CTF and Hq MTOUSA.

b. After consultation with Rome Area Allied Command, deciding whether the unit/individual can be located permanently in ROME.

3. G-3 AFHQ is only concerned with the necessity for units and individuals to be permanently located in ROME. It will not be concerned with scales of accommodation or ways and means of providing accommodation, etc. As soon as a claim to be located in ROME has been approved by G-3 AFHQ, RAAC will be notified and will then be responsible for allotting appropriate accommodation.

4. G-3 AFHQ will be responsible to the Chief of Staff and any decision will be subject to final arbitration by the Chief of Staff, Brigadier in Charge Administrative and Deputy Theater Commander MTOUSA.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

Ralph C. Tilley
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September 1946

My dear Dr. Ceppa,

1. In reply to your letter No. 419.P.V. of the 21st of August, the lists which were enclosed have been checked and found to be somewhat out of date.

2. For example:

PIEMONTE - All the eleven hotels mentioned have been derequisitioned.

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3. In view of these facts it is felt that you would doubtless prefer to correct your lists prior to their being submitted to the Supreme

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Yours very truly,

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TRANSLATION

THE UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE
TO THE PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS.

AUG 31 1946

419.P.V.

Rome, 31 August, 1946.

Dear Admiral,

In order to solve the problem of giving hospitality to civilians, in view also of the necessities imposed upon us by inland trade, we made a request to the Allied Forces regarding the derequisitioning of some of the hotels in the principal cities of Italy.

The possibilities of hotel space in Rome, have already been signalled to Brig. General Alben Low, hoping that he may examine the situation and bring about all possible required improvements.

From the enclosed lists regarding the situation in other principal cities of Italy, you will realize how necessary it is, especially for the more important cities, that the greater part of the hotels be derequisitioned and returned to their normal activities, so necessary to the gradual development of the Nation. This is also desirable in the interest of the State budget which is at present weighed down by heavy requisition indemnities, often given the entire capacity of the hotels whilst they are at times only partially occupied.

We hope that you, who are interested in the rehabilitation of Italy, will intercede in this matter, and that the request will be granted, keeping into account only the strictly indispensable needs of the Allied Military Forces.

With best regards,

Yours truly,

(s) Cappe.

Admiral Eliery A. Stone.

Chief Commissioner.

Allied Commission.

Rome.

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*Il Vicesegretario di Stato
alla Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri*
G. J. V.

Roma, 21/8/56 ⁷⁰

Gentile Ammiraglio,

al fine di provvedere, nei limiti del possibile, alla risoluzione del problema dell'ospitalità ai civili, in vista anche delle necessità imposte dal traffico interno, è stata a suo tempo richiesta alle Forze Alleate la derequisizione di una parte degli alberghi delle principali città d'Italia.

Le deficienze, particolarmente più gravi sul complesso dell'attrezzatura ricettiva di Roma, sono state già segnalate al Brigadiere Generale Alton Low, perchè voglia prendere in benevolo esame tale situazione ed apportare tutti quei possibili miglioramenti che il caso richiede.

Dagli acclusi elenchi sulla situazione delle altre principali città d'Italia la S.V. potrà rilevare, come sarebbe necessario, specie per i centri più importanti, arrivare con gli opportuni accorgimenti alla derequisizione del maggior numero possibile delle aziende alberghiere per poterle restituire alla loro funzione ricettiva, tanto necessaria al graduale sviluppo

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All'Ammiraglio Ellery Stone
Capo della Commissione Alleata
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della Nazione. Ciò è altresì desiderabile anche nell'interesse del bilancio dello Stato, che tuttora è gravato dalle forti indennità di requisizione, dovute talvolta per l'intera capacità degli alberghi, mentre spesso le aziende restano occupate in parte e neanche a carattere continuativo.

Nel segnalare quanto sopra alla particolare evidenza della S.V., che tanto affianca l'opera del nostro Governo e così benevolmente si interessa della ricostruzione della nostra Italia, gradirò il di Lei valido interessamento a che la richiesta venga accolta, in relazione alle esigenze strettamente indispensabili delle Forze Militari Alleate.

Con i devoti ossequi

Suo affezionato *Capra*
(avv. Paolo Capra)

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PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI

Servizio per il Turismo

ELENCO DEGLI ALBERGHI REQUISITI DALLE FORZE ALLEATE

(salvo variazioni verificatesi negli ultimi giorni)

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ELENCO DEGLI ALBERGHI REQUISITI DALLE FORZE ALLEATE

Località	cat.	Denominazione
<u>PIEMONTE</u>		
<u>Prov. TORINO:</u>		
Torino	lusso	Principe di Piemonte - <i>quadr.</i>
	2°	Roma & Rocca Cavour
<u>Prov. ALESSANDRIA:</u>		
Alessandria	3°	Venezia
	3°	Moderno
Acqui	3°	Pace
Asti	3°	Centrale e Salera
<u>Prov. NOVARA:</u>		
Novara	2°	Italia
	3°	Moderno
	4°	Cupola
Stresa Borromeo	1°	Isole Borromeo
	4°	Continente

LIGURIA

<u>Pro. GENOVA:</u>		
Genova	lusso	Colombia Excelsior
	1°	Astoria Isotta
	1°	Bristol Palazzo
	1°	Savoia Majestic
	1°	Continente
	2°	Italia Minerva
	2°	Milano Terminus
	2°	Vittoria
	2°	Svizzera
	3°	Del Nord
	3°	Nettuno Lido
	1°	Vittoria
	4°	Italia
Genova Nervi		
" Pegli		
" Sampierdarena		
Arenzano	4°	Camionale
	1°	Grand'Hotel
Camogli	2°	Miramare
	2°	Grand'Hotel Portofino
	4°	Pesce d'Oro
Portofino	2°	Piccolo Hotel
	2°	Splendido

lusso Principe di Piemonte -
2° Roma & Rocca Cavour

Prov. Alessandria:

Alessandria

Acqui
Asti

Prov. NOVARA:

Stresa Borromeo

3° Venezia
3° Moderno
3° Pace
3° Centrale e Salera
2° Italia
3° Moderno
4° Cupola
1° Isole Borromeo
4° Continentale

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" Sampierdarena
Arenzano
Camogli
Portofino
Rapallo

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1° Continentale
2° Italia Minerva
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4° Camionale
1° Grand'Hotel
2° Miramare
2° Grand'Hotel Portofino 746
4° Pesce d'Oro
2° Piccolo Hotel
2° Splendido
1° Excelsior
1° Palazzo
1° Bristol
1° Moderno
2° Bel Soggiorno
2° Elisabetta

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Località	cat.	Denominazio
segue: Rapallo	2°	Europa
	2°	Grande Italia
	2°	Riviera Spl.
	2°	Astoria
	3°	Marsala
	3°	Miramare
	3°	Minerva
	3°	Rosa Bianca
	4°	Penigotti
Santa Margherita Ligure	1°	Eden Guglielmina
	1°	Imperiale
	1°	Miramare
	2°	Continetale
	2°	Lido
	2°	Mediterraneo
	2°	Metropoli
	2°	Regina Elena
	3°	Conte Verde
	3°	Corona d'Italia
	3°	Paraggi
	3°	Svizzera
	3°	Terminus
	4°	Bologna
Prov. IMPERIA:		
San Remo	1°	Astoria
	3°	Svizzera
Prov. La Spezia:		
Levanto	2°	Excelsior
Prov. SAVONA:		
Savona	2°	Italia
	3°	Riviera
	1°	Mediterraneo
	2°	Alfieri
	2°	Centrale
	2°	Europa Concordia
	2°	Grand'Hotel Allassio
	2°	Igea
	2°	Internazionale
	2°	Lido
	2°	Palazzo
	2°	Principe
	2°	Riviera

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Santa Margherita Ligure

2 Riviera Spl.
 2 Astoria
 3 Marsala
 3 Miramare
 3 Minerva
 3 Rosa Bianca
 4 Penigotti
 1 Eden Guglielmina
 1 Imperiale
 1 Miramare
 2 Continentale
 2 Lido
 2 Mediterraneo
 2 Metropoli
 2 Regina Elena
 3 Conte Verde
 3 Corona d'Italia
 3 Paraggi
 3 Svizzera
 3 Terminus
 4 Bologna

Prov. IMPERIA:

San Remo

Prov. La Spezia:

Levanto

Prov. SAVONA:

Savona

Allassio

1 Astoria
 3 Svizzera

2 Excelsior

2 Italia
 3 Riviera
 1 Mediterraneo
 2 Alfieri
 2 Centrale
 2 Europa Concordia
 2 Grand'Hotel Allassio
 2 Igea
 2 Internazionale
 2 Lido
 2 Palazzo
 2 Principe
 2 Riviera
 2 Spiaggia
 2 Svizzera Moderno
 2 Tirreno
 3 Ligure
 3 Milano
 3 Nettuno
 3 Villa Valburga
 4 Palma

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Località	cat.	Denominazione
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LOMBARDIA A - U.S. Swiss Tour

Milano

- 1° Diana Maestoso - A
 2° Atlantico
 2° Berna - *in 15 days*
 3° Eden - *T. 1948*
 lusso Excelsior Gallia -
 1° Gran Turismo - A
 1° Regina e Metropoli - *Y&A*
 lusso Principe Savoia (requisito a metà) - A

Colla fine giugno venivano lasciati liberi dalle FF.AA. inglesi i due grandi alberghi Turismo e Diana Majestic, ma subito dopo venivano occupati dalle FF.AA. americane per il Swiss Tours, e il Turismo per uffici, Pro-Sta Post-Office-A.R. Cross-Allogi soldati dell'Head Quarter il Diana Majestic; reapti, questi ultimi, che potevano benissimo rimanere nei locali precedentemente requisiti. Si sarebbe così evitata la nuova occupazione di un albergo tanto importante come il Diana.

Mantova

3° Senoner

VENEZIA

PROV. BELLUNO:

- Cortina d'Ampezzo 1° Cristallo
 1° Savoia
 lusso Miramonti
 2° Ampezzo
 2° Bella Vista
 2° Parco Concordia
 2° Cortina
 2° Corona
 2° Croce Bianca
 2° Posta
 2° Regina
 2° Venezia
 2° Vittoria
 2° Italia
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reaperti, questi ultimi, che potevano benissimo rimanere nei locali prece-
dentemente requisiti. Si sarebbe così evitata la nuova occupazione di un
albergo tanto importante come il Diana.

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Prov. BELLUNO:

Cortina d'Ampezzo

1° Cristallo

1° Savoia

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Miramonti

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Ampezzo

2° Bella Vista

2° Parco Concordia

2° Cortina

2° Corona

2° Croce Bianca

2° Posta

2° Regina

2° Venezia

2° Vittoria

2° Italia

2° Maioni

3° Europa

3° Fabrizi

3° Franceschi

3° Girardi

3° S. Marco

3° Al Sole

4° Pileto

Prov. BOLZANO:

Bressanone

3° Savoia

4° Centrale

4° Posta Reifer

Fortezza

Prov. TRENTO:

Rica sul Garda

4° Miravalle

2° Colomba d'Oro

Prov. VERONA:

3° Ferrara

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Brenzone	4°	Boschelli
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Bologna	2°	Stella d'Italia
	3°	Moderno
	3°	Regina
		<u>TOSCANA</u>
<u>Prov. FIRENZE:</u>		
Firenze	1°	Minerva
	1°	Regina
	1°	Savoia
	2°	Boncianni
	2°	Elvetia
	2°	Porta Rossa
	2°	Ravasso
	3°	Atlantico e Aquila d'Oro
	3°	Columbia-Parlamento
	3°	Melegnano
	3°	Sempione e Nettuno
	3°	Universo
	3°	Aurora
	3°	Panorama
Piesole		
Ruggello		
<u>Prov. Grosseto:</u>		
Grosseto	4°	Giappone
<u>Prov. Livorno</u>		
	1°	Palazzo
	2°	Castello
	4°	Amico Fritz
<u>Prov. PISA:</u>		
Volterra	3°	Nazionale
		<u>MARCHE</u>
<u>Prov. PESARO:</u>		
Fano	2°	Hotel Lido
	2°	La Perla
	3°	Moro Nolfi
	3°	Vittoria

Bologna

2^a Stella d'Italia
3^a Moderno
3^a Regina

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T O S C A N A

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2^a La Perla
3^a Moro Nolfi
3^a Littoria
3^a Torretta
3^a Garibaldi

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<u>Prov. Aquila:</u>		
Aquila	1°	Grand'Hotel
	3°	Sole
<u>Prov. Pescara:</u>		
Caramanico	3°	Grand'Hotel Matella
<u>C A M P A N I A</u>		
<u>Prov. Napoli:</u>		
Napoli	1°	Terminus
	1°	Turistico
	2°	Patria
	3°	Nazionale
	3°	Del Golfo
	3°	Primus
<u>Prov. Avellino:</u>		
Avellino	4°	Roma
<u>S I C I L I A</u>		
<u>Prov. Palermo:</u>		
Palermo	1°	Delle Palme
	2°	Excelsior Palazzo Savoia
	2°	Panormus
<u>Prov. Messina:</u>		
Taormina	lusso	S. Domenico
	1°	Excelsior
	2°	Metropoli
	4°	Pichera

Elenco degli alberghi della prov. di Venezia a requisiti
dalle Forze Alleate

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Venezia	1°	Europa Danieli Regina Londra e Bella Riva Internazionale Saturnia Jolanda Gabrielli Germania e Stazione Continente Unione Antico Panada Stella d'Oro & Bella Vista Excelsior Palazzo al Mare Lido
Venezia Lido	1°	
	2°	Spiaggia Villa Regina Miramare Bortoli Dardanelli Venier e Villa Marina Riviera Urania Belvedere Elvezia Villa Nora Marino Esperia Bologna e Stazione Bagni e Miramare
Venezia Mestre Isola	2°	
	3°	

Visto, IL CAPO DEL SERVIZIO

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AUG 29 1946

HEADQUARTERS
ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND

RES 600

28 August 1946

SUBJECT: Accommodation

TO : HQ Allied Commission
(Attn Executive Commissioner)

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Further to DO/10 dated 22 August 1946.

It will be possible in the very near future to release the School of Aerial Warfare.

Actual dates are as yet not known but your office will be informed immediately we have arranged a final date with the vacating unit.

The Italian Government has been informed.

A. E. Knapp S/capt. R.
Brigadier
Commanding
British Troops in Rome

(Capt K)

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Ref: 62/61/32.

26 August 1946.

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My dear Dr. Prunas:

I have taken up the matter of Palazzo Vidoni mentioned in your letter of August 5th with the Rome Area Allied Command. Brigadier Low is considering into the possibility of release of this building and I will let you have his view in due course.

In the meantime I think I should advise you, if you are not already aware of the fact, that the Palazzo Vidoni is the property of the Italian Ministry of War who have on numerous occasions approached Rome Area Allied Command to effect its release. It would seem, therefore, that if it is released there will be at least two candidates for the building amongst the Italian Ministries.

In this connection Brigadier Low reminds me that early in this year the Ministry of Foreign Trade called upon him with a view to finding accommodation for that Ministry. Brigadier Low is under the impression that provision was supposed to be made for this Ministry when the Allied authorities released the Italian Air Ministry building.

If, however, as it seems, the present accommodation is not sufficient, Rome Area Allied Command have the following suggestions to make, exclusive of the Palazzo Vidoni.

At the present moment Brigadier Low is trying to arrange to vacate the School of Air Warfare adjacent to the Air Ministry Building and also the Villa Torlonia in Via Laurentina. No promise can be made for the immediate release of those buildings but you might like to consider whether if they are to be released they would be suitable for the Ministry of Foreign Trade.

Very truly yours,

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Dr. Renato Prunas,
Secretary General,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs,
Italian Government,
Rome.

Copy to: Chief Commissioner,
HQ RAC (Attn: Brig. Low).

DO/10

Headquarters,
Rome Area Allied Command.

22nd August, 1946

In reply to your 525/EC dated 12 August 1946.

I too am somewhat at a loss to understand why there should be the necessity for the French Army to maintain so considerable a headquarters in Rome. That however is a matter which is rather outside my scope though one which perhaps you might take up with the French representative of your Commission.

Given however that there is a French headquarters present in Rome it is clearly my affair to allot its accommodation and I will approach them to ascertain their views in regard to giving up Palazzo Vidoni. There may be some little delay since I understand that General de Caumont is at present away from Rome and I do not know precisely when he will return. I should not be surprised either if I find him somewhat unyielding in the matter. I will see what can be done.

There are however one or two other points in connection with the business which I should like just to put to you.

Is there any assurance that the Palazzo Vidoni will be made available for the Ministry of Foreign Trade in the event of our releasing it? This building, as no doubt you know, is the property of the Italian War Ministry who have on numerous occasions approached us to try and effect its release. On other occasions in the past you will recall that the Ministry of War has been by no means accommodating in the way of making room in any of its property for other Ministries. You will recall that on several occasions we have released buildings for specific purposes represented by the Italian Government and your Commission only to find that after we had let them go the War Ministry have stepped in. We have in fact at times thought the Italian Army rather a dog in the manger. I agree that this is a matter for the Italian Government but cannot help doubting whether in the event of our getting the property released it will much help the Ministry of Foreign Trade.

I recall that early in the year the then Minister for Foreign Trade called on us with a view to finding accommodation for his Ministry. At that time he was asking for No 25 Corso d'Italia. We were not able to release that place but we made several alternative proposals. I cannot remember exactly what we decided but it is my recollection that I thought we had satisfied them and I am not at all sure that they were not one of the Ministries for which provision was supposed to be made when we released the Air Ministry Building.

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AUG 23 1946

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I will let you know further about the Piazza Vidoni when de Caumont returns.

This letter is intended to be helpful though it may not appear so.

Prizedier M.S. Lush, CB, CBE, MC,
Executive Commissioner,
Headquarters Allied Commission.

Yours Ever
Albanus
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Ref: 625/57/73

22 August 1946

SUBJECT: Accommodation in Rome.

TO : French Representative to A.C.

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Receipt is acknowledged with thanks of your letter No 2946 dated 19 August 1946 regarding accommodation for your officers and troops in Rome.

I have discussed this matter with the Real Estate Section of RACI, who state that, at present there is no immediate prospect of de-requisitioning the Plaza Hotel.

However the subject is being investigated in accordance with the suggestions contained in your letter and I will keep you informed.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

A. W. Kalsely

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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PA 12/8/46
J. G.

Ref: 625/56/R

22 August 1946

SUBJECT: Accommodation in Rome for French Representative to A.C.I.

TO : H.A.A.C.
(Real Estate Section.)

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I enclose a copy of letter No 2946 dated 19 August 46, from the French Representative to A.C.I.

In accordance with the conversation of Major Kelly and Capt. Knisely, your comments would be appreciated.

FOR THE CHIEF COMUS-10000 :

A. W. Knisely.

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Office of the French Representative

A P O 394

Rome le 19 Août 1946

N° 2946

Le Lieutenant-Colonel C R O S
Représentant Français P.I. à la
Commission Alliée en Italie

à
Monsieur l'OFFICIER de LIAISON
Exécutive Commissioner A. C.

1.-

J'ai l'honneur d'attirer votre attention sur
le point suivant:

Il est possible que dans un avenir plus ou moins
prochain on soit appelé à modifier le régime des
logements du personnel militaire à Rome.

Actuellement le personnel militaire français de
liaison auprès de l'Allied Commission et qui est
destiné à être le dernier élément français demeu-
rant en Italie est logé à l'Hôtel PLAZZA.

Il serait souhaitable que, le plus tôt possible,
et en tout cas au moment où, éventuellement, le
Plazza cesserait d'être réquisitionné, des mesures
soient prises ou envisagées pour le logement de ce
personnel et de leurs familles.

2.-

Actuellement ce personnel comprend:

- 1 officier supérieur marié avec 2 enfants
- 1 officier supérieur marié avec 3 enfants
- 1 officier subalterne marié avec 4 enfants

see F 106

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- 1 officier subalterne célibataire
- 1 sous-officier marié avec 2 enfants
- 1 sous-officier marié avec 1 enfant
- 2 sous-officiers célibataires
- 5 hommes de troupe.

3.- La meilleure solution serait de réquisitionner au profit de ce personnel une villa de dimensions suffisantes. Cette solution permettant de grouper les moyens serait en sus, la plus économique.

4.- Je vous serais reconnaissant de me faire connaître votre point de vue à ce sujet.

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ALLIED COMMISSION

(LIAISON)

CUNEO - TENDA

L. O. LI. COL. A. H. GARDNER R. A.

To The Executive Commissioner, HQ. A.C., Date 8th August 1946.

A.P.O. 794, C.M.F.

Re PAC/CU/12.

AUG 16 1946

SUBJECT :- Accommodation.

1. Reference verbal instructions received by the A.C.O., Tenda and Brigade, from the Executive Commissioner, regarding accommodation enquiries have been made and it has been ascertained that there is little possibility of obtaining rooms in an hotel or finding a suitable house or villa in or near Limone before the end of September as until then, everything is solidly booked by holiday-makers.

2. The Vice-Questore has also been seeking accommodation in this district, but without success.

HR/JBS.

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A.C., Liaison Officer,
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P/A.
10th Aug. 1946
(W. Ronnie)

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Ref:

625/KC

12 August 1946.

Before I take action with the French Representative on this Commission regarding the attached letter from the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, I should be grateful if you could let me have your views on the second part of the penultimate paragraph on the general billeting situation of the French forces in Italy and in particular on the request made for the evacuation of Palazzo Vidoni.

M. S. CUSH

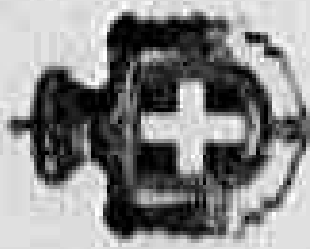
Brigadier Alban Low, CBE,
Commander,
Headquarters,
Rome Area Allied Command.

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE

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Rome, August 8th, 1946

AUG 12 1946

My dear Brigadier Lush,

The French Forces, as you know, have been using for a long time the following buildings in Rome:

1. Palazzo Vidoni - French Headquarters in Rome;
2. Albergo Plaza (a part of it) - French billet and mess;
3. Former Mussolini barracks (quartiere Mazzini);
4. Two garages;
5. Two flats.

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The a/m Ministry are asking us to insist that Palazzo Vidoni may finally be left by the French Authorities so as to transfer their offices there.

You know how important are the functions of that Ministry and, therefore, how necessary it is to find them suitable offices. Anyhow I do not quite see why there are still French Headquarters in Rome and I do not realize what their activities are.

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I would be much obliged to you if you will take this matter into consideration and I beg to remain

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AUG 10 1945

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

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Yours sincerely

Brig. Gen. M.S. LUSH
Allied Commission
ROME

(sld) PUMAS

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE

ROMA, -- 9 AGO 1946

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Caro Generale,

Come Ella sa, i Francesi detengono da tempo a Roma

i seguenti immobili:

- 1 - Palazzo Vidoni - Sede del Comando Francesi a Roma;
- 2 - Albergo Piazza (in parte) - Alloggio e mensa del personale militare e civile francese;
- 3 - Caserma ex Tuscolini (Quartiere Lazzini);
- 4 - Due Garages;
- 5 - Due appartamenti.

Ci risulta che il Palazzo Vidoni è lungi dall'essere completamente utilizzato. D'altra parte il Ministero del Commercio Estero è privo di sede, e da tempo stabilito in locali di fortuna ed ha bisogno urgentissimo di sistemarsi in modo adeguato. Il predetto Ministero mi prega in conseguenza di voler insistere perché Palazzo Vidoni sia finalmente adeguato sito ed esso possa stabilirvi l'urgenza i suoi uffici.

Ella sa quale importante e delicata attività il Ministero del Commercio Estero svolge e come sia assolutamente necessario trovargli una sistemazione. Io non saprei d'altra parte per quali ragioni il Comando francese continui a resistere a Roma e quali precise finalità vi compia.

Le sarò molto grato se Ella vorrà cortesemente intervenire al riguardo e la prego di credere alla mia cordiale

Caro Generale,

Come Ella sa, i francesi detengono da tempo a Roma i seguenti immobili:

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ERLE, Gen. M.S. LUSH
Commissione Alleata

ROMA

R. Lush

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of Executive Commissioner

TO: CSO.

25th July, 1946

There is, I understand, a Captain Contass of the Royal Hellenic Navy who is still living at the Grand Hotel.

I understand that someone discussed the matter with Brigadier Lush and it was agreed that as the Grand Hotel had now been de-requisitioned, Contass might move to the Flora.

Later it was stated that the Greek Government had now resumed relations with the Italian Government and that Contass was no longer entitled to requisitioned accommodation.

Brigadier Low rang me up a day or so ago and said that Contass had stated that he was still entitled to requisitioned accommodation as diplomatic relations had not yet been resumed, they had been agreed in policy and final discussions were taking place.

Brigadier Low requested that Contass should be accommodated in the meantime at the Flora.

After clearing the matter as to whether the Greek Government has yet set up its Embassy here, will you please pass to whoever deals with accommodation and get them to fix the matter.

M. CARR, Brigadier.
Acting Executive Commissioner.

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Ref:

625/EC

13 July 1946.

SUBJECT: Accommodation.

TO : HQ Commandant.

Further to telephone conversation of this morning,
it is confirmed that the Executive Commissioner directs that
the members of the Greek Delegation will continue to be
accommodated in the Flora Hotel.

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PA to Executive Commissioner.

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 8 July 1946
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BRANCHES
 AREA AREA ALLIED COMMAND

SUBJECT: Rome Area

TO : CHIEF CUP (4 copies)

The decline of Rome Area till now has not followed a definite plan of reduction but has rather been haphazard and unbalanced. Many units have been disbanded or transferred elsewhere, but the number still remaining to be administered continues to be considerable. Many of the units which remain have for long been suffering from a wasting disease and are now in a state in which they are not only unable efficiently to carry out their peculiar functions but can no longer really satisfactorily administer themselves. This is illustrated by the notable rise in the incidence of V.D., bad interior economy, increased losses of stores, escapes of prisoners, and some decline in discipline and morale. Consequently the burden of administrative work in the Area has by no means declined in line with the reductions in numbers.

At the same time constant changes of staff and replacement of experienced by raw officers has caused a loss of efficiency in the headquarters and has concentrated a higher proportion of detailed work than formerly on the few remaining competent staff officers. This is perhaps not always fully realized when more and more reductions in establishments of administrative headquarters have been imposed.

It is now clear that the wasting diseases of inefficiency and release, aggravated by the recently operations performed by the War Establishment Committee, will by August have reduced this area headquarters to a state of serious ineptitude.

It is necessary to make a plan to meet this situation before it develops, and it is therefore proposed to take measures which will effect a real economy while at the same time improving efficiency.

It is proposed to undertake a drastic and expeditious consolidation of administration. A careful examination will be made of all units remaining in the area and ruthless exclusion from HQ will be recommended of those whose continued presence here is not absolutely essential. Appended is a sample list of some units which it is thought could be spared from HQ.

Vigorous measures will be taken to concentrate those units which must of necessity remain into a few large committees of which the most important will be 60 Rest and Transit Camp. This has already been started; already the DTD, the HQS, the Ordnance Depot are functioning with the camp lights and the personnel of the 3 AGPO will be moving further into the next few days. This process which will be continued will make possible an important economy in administrative personnel including cooks, orderlies, etc, etc, and should result in greatly improved interior

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which:-

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Vigorous measures will be taken to concentrate those units ⁷²⁸ most of necessity remain into a few large communities of which the most important will be the Rest and Transit Camp. This has already been started; already the PIB, the SIS, the Ordnance Dump are functioning with the camp livette and the personnel of the ACPRO will be moving thither within the next few days. This process which will be continued will make possible an important economy in administrative personnel including cooks, orderlies, etc., etc., and should result in greatly improved interior administration of the units concerned. Opposition is anticipated from units who may feel that their isolation and independence is threatened by the severity of their stay in SOG removed, but this also should be brushed aside in the interests of economy.

Particular attention will be paid to administration and the development of welfare facilities within the Camp. Provision for leave will by no means be neglected, and a wing will be retained for this purpose. Actually however the numbers of leave personnel visiting the Camp have for many months been as few that the atmosphere will be improved by the presence of other residents. Every effort will be made by improving amenities to encourage men to stay in the Camp instead of going to SOG for their amusements. And it is hoped that the effort may be seen in a reduction in the incidence of V.D. and of police charges in the City. The time will then be ripe for the closing of the Alexander Club and other activities in the City. Indeed already the retention of the large premises of the Alexander Club is hard to justify in view of the extreme low making use of it. This will release resources of SPI and PIB for the service of other Areas where need is greater.

Continued from sheet 1

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By 15 August it is hoped that to have concentrated in 55 Rest Camp and neighbouring buildings the great bulk of the other ranks of units remaining in Rome, apart from the Allied Commission which is referred to below. At the same time as many officers and families of officers and other ranks will be concentrated in the Centinella and the smallest possible number of other hotels.

If the operation has proceeded satisfactorily it should then be possible for the Command and administration of all British troops in Rome, except the Allied Commission, to be handled by an Officer Commanding Troops. I recommend that this shall be the present Commandant of 55 Rest and Transit Camp, who however leaves due for release (voluntarily deferred for one year) in September 1946.

It may be necessary for the establishment of 55 Rest and Transit Camp to be somewhat augmented above its present establishment. This will be examined.

The administration of personnel living in the Camp would be undertaken by the present Camp staff but it would be necessary for C.O. Troops to have a Red Cross Staff Officer with clerical and accessories to carry on outside work.

The Allied Commission in whatever form it may survive should be treated as a separate body with its own self containing bloc of accommodation and under its own central administration.

Arrangements for the reception and comfort for visiting personnel might be the care of Army Liaison Detachment which would presumably remain in Rome.

At this stage, not later than the end of August, the British component of Rome Area Allied Command should become superfluous and so it probably be abolished.

The only complication is that presented by the presence of large numbers of Polish troops in Rome, but presumably these numbers may now be expected to fall rapidly and steadily, and this problem should not be impossible of solution.

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Brigadier

Commanding

British Troops in Rome

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Brigadier
Commanding
British Troops in Rome

Copies to: S.O. No 5 District
S.O. Allied Commission
Deputy Commander, Rome Area

Annexure to C/36 of

6 July 1946

List of a few units whose continued presence in Rome may be examined:

ANHQ Public Relations Station strength about 40. It is not known whether reduced duties permit any reduction. Such as are necessarily retained will be moved to SG Rest and Transit Camp.

HQ 38 Veh Coy RACQ Closing down of vehicle parks in Southern Italy appears to suggest that it might be in the interests of efficiency for this HQ to move closer either to its parks in the North or to the Ordnance Directorate at Caserta. Some time ago I was asked by a representative of Q, ORQ, if I desired that this HQ should move from Rome. At that time I said that it was immaterial. The situation has now changed and I consider that its move would be welcome.

No 3 Inspectorate of Military Prisons In the near future there will be no establishments, in which this Inspectorate is interested, anywhere near Rome. So far as Rome Area is concerned the sooner it can move the better.

No 2 Claims Commission & Mornings Directorate

No 41 Claims & Mornings
No 53 Claims & Mornings
No 63 Claims & Mornings

It is not known whether any consolidation or reduction is possible.

Transportation (British) Main Nothing is known of the future of this HQ.

No 60 Special Investigation Section CMP This Section, about 23 strong, is engaged in work not particularly connected with Rome Area. Its move elsewhere would accelerate the deflation of Rome Area.

No 10 Graves Concentration Unit has recently expressed a desire to move from NO CASERTA to ROME. I think there has never been such a unit in 2000, and I do not know what work remains to be done in Rome Area except perhaps at ANHQ. If it comes to ROME it will join one of the larger compounds.

No 1 Base Command Pay Office The personnel - officers and OR - are being moved into the large communities so that they will be accommodated in the most economical way, but it would be an advantage to know for how many months they are likely to stay in Rome. It had of course more than one occasion been confidently stated that a move was imminent.

182 Provost Company A firm forecast of this establishment's probable stay in Rome would be welcome. I have no particular desire for them to go but it would be helpful to have some idea as to when the accommodation at present occupied by them would become free.

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Message from HQ. Commandant:

JUL 1 1945

Reference your telephone conversation of this morning.

HQ Commandant has arranged to find 5 offices for Public Relations (HQ), and also accommodation for 30 ORs.

He will notify Brig. Low direct.

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INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES

Reference: 1/82

Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rome.

8th July, 1946.

Dear Brigadier Lush,

I have just heard from the HQ Commandant that Colonel Tomlin and myself will be able to stay on at the Flora Hotel for the time being.

I am very grateful, since I do appreciate that I was asking rather a lot in writing to you about such a matter, considering all your more important preoccupations.

I am sending a letter to Colonel Tomlin on the subject to-day, and in the meantime convey the thanks which no doubt he will wish to express when he hears of your kind intervention.

With many thanks,

Sincerely yours,

M.E. Jenkins

M.E. Jenkins,
Personal Assistant to
Resident Representative
I.G.C.R. 724

Brigadier M.S. Lush,
Executive Commissioner,
Allied Commission, Rome.

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Reference: 1/82

Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rangoon.

(Telephone: 489081, Dtt. 617
471322)

JUL 6 1946

5th July, 1946.

Dear Brigadier Lush,

Colonel Tomlin told me you kindly said I might appeal to you if any difficulty concerning our position here should arise during his absence.

We have both received notice from the Hq. Commandant to leave the Flora Hotel on the 9th July. The Hq. Commandant is most sympathetic, but says that his instructions from HACO are quite definite, and that Colonel Tomlin and myself are not among the few civilians permitted to stay, nor is BKS mentioned among the non-military organisations in whose favour exceptions can be made.

No alternative accommodation is offered to Colonel Tomlin, though he is permitted an extension by a few days of his stay at the Flora Hotel, to give him time to find somewhere else to stay. I am not permitted any extension; it has been suggested that I might find temporary accommodation at the Y.W.C.A. Victoria Hotel, but on enquiry there I have been informed that it is doubtful whether there will be a room for me, and that in any event I should soon have to move on somewhere else.

I understood from Colonel Tomlin, before he left for London on Wednesday, that he had had conversations both with you and with Brigadier Alban Low about the question of our accommodation and rations, and that it was unlikely that there would be any alteration in our present position before his return to Rangoon.

I therefore think Colonel Tomlin would wish me to approach you in the matter, before seeking accommodation for both of us with UARPA. I should be most grateful, as I know he also will be, for whatever advice you may be able to give us.

Yours sincerely,

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R.E. Jenkins,
Personal Assistant to
Resident Representative,
I.C.C.R.

Brigadier M.S. Lush,
Executive Commissioner,
Allied Commission Headquarters,
Rangoon.

PA/ Please tell her by plane that I will take up
this case. SS (5/7) After with PA 8/7

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HEADQUARTERS
LOMBARDIA REGION LIAISON GROUP
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 794

Office of the Chief Liaison Officer

LOMB/CLQ/19

25 June 1946.

SUBJECT: Hotel Accommodation in Milano

TO : HQ. Allied Commission - Rome

1. The following hotels:

Hotel Diana
Hotel Turismo
Hotel Principe & Savoia

will be de-requisitioned with effect from 30th June 1946.

2. Albergo Excelsior-Gallia, operating under 59 Area, will be the only British Officers Transit Hotel remaining open and part of it will be de-requisitioned at an early date.

3. The officers who intend to visit Milano are advised to book rooms in advance direct with the Military Manager of the Excelsior Hotel as accommodation will be very limited.

4. American Officers should apply to the 2633 Service Coy U.S. Army.

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A. H. GARDNER
Lt. Col. R.A.
Chief Liaison O.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ref. 625/31/53

July 1946

Many thanks for your letter no. D3/40 dated 22 June 1946.

I will be very pleased to accommodate Captain Constan in the Flora Hotel, and suggest that he make arrangements direct with my Headquarters Commandant.

Brigadier Alban LOM C.B.E., M.C.,
Commander
Headquarters RAC

Copy to: HQ Commandant

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28 June 1946

TO : Brigadier Lew,
Home Area Allied Command.

Reference your letter on the subject of accommodation
for Capt. Constan and wife.

The Pass Committee of the Flora Hotel will be pleased
to accommodate Capt. Constan and his wife.

Would you please inform me when they intend moving to
the Flora.

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Headquarters,
Rome Area Allied Command.

22nd June, 1946

Dear Maurice

(JUN 24 1946)

Captain Constat of the Royal Hellenic Navy and a Member of the Greek Delegation to the Advisory Council and Mrs Constat have for some months been accommodated at the Grande Hotel.

It is now our intention drastically to reduce the number of rooms held on requisition in the Grande Hotel and not to accommodate there any permanent residents.

Will it be possible for Captain Constat to be accommodated in the Flora?

Yours Ever
Albanus

Brigadier M.S. Lush, CB, CBE, MC,
Executive Commissioner,
H.Q. Allied Commission.

See him 27-28-55

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G.H.Q., C.M.E.

6261/7/Q2

4 Jun 46

SUBJECT: Accommodation.

TO : HQ 3 District.

1. It has now been ruled that the majority of accommodation in the MILAN area, provisionally earmarked for the possible accommodation of AFHQ and its associated HQ may now be released.

2. In general, accommodation should only be retained to meet:

(a) Local British requirements.

(b) Requirements of HQ MVOUSA for the operation of Swiss and Paris Tours.

3. With regard to the requirements for Swiss Tours, HQ MVOUSA will arrange for a representative of the Swiss Tours organization to contact HQ Area and arrange details of accommodation required. In this connection, it is hoped, that in order to secure the maximum release of accommodation, it will be possible to operate some suitable hotel in MILAN as an Allied Hotel on the same lines as the COMMISSION in FLORINCE. This has been agreed in principle by GHQ CEF and HQ MVOUSA and details could be agreed between HQ 59 Area and the representative of US Swiss Tours. Final proposals will be submitted to this Headquarters for approval.

4. When considering British Army requirements will you please ensure that provision is made for a continuing British Transit contingent in connection with No. 19 Veh Park MVA.

5. It is hoped that HQ Allied Commission and the MTA will be able to arrange for some of the Barrack accommodation which will now be vacated to be allocated for the accommodation of Displaced Persons. It is understood that the Barracks at NOVIFA would be particularly suitable for this purpose.

Copy to: HQ 59 Area
HQ Allied Commission
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/s/ M.C.E. SHARP 718
M.C.E. SHARP, Brigadier,
for Major-General,
MCA

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/s/ M.C.E. SHARP 718
 M.C.E. SHARP, Brigadier,
 for Major-General,
 MCA

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Ref. 625/24/30

// April 1946

SUBJECT: Accomodation.

TO : Office of the French Representative to
Allied Commission.

Reference your letter n.2824 of 5 April 1946.

The following reply has been received from Zone Area Command :

"It is pointed out that in general the assignment of apartments is confined solely to the rank of full colonel and above.

Accordingly it is suggested that the members of the French Representative to A.C. will find accomodation in the very large Plaza Hotel which is assigned to the French Forces.

P. H. TUNNARD

Brigadier
Acting Chief Commissioner

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
REAL ESTATE SECTION
APO 794 US ARMY

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9 April 1946

APR 17 1946

SUBJECT: Assignment of Flats

TO : H.Q. Allied Commissioner
Office of Executive Commissioner
Liaison Division
APO 394

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1. Receipt is acknowledged of your 625/22/EC of 6 April 1946.

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G.C.L. Ross

G.C.L. ROSS, Major
D.A.Q.M.G.
Real Estate Section

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Ref: 625/22/80

6 April 1946

SUBJECT: Assignment of Flats

TO : Real Estate
R.A.A.C.

This is forwarded for your attention and necessary action.

Please inform this Office what reply may be given to the Office of the French Representative to A.C.

P.H. Tunstard
Capt. Scots Guards

Encls: ltr No 2626 fr French Repr. to A.C of 5 April 1946
translation of the same — 20

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Office of the French Representative

AFC 394

Rome, le 5 Avril 1946

n° 2828

Le Contre-Amiral MOULLEC
Représentant Français à la Commission
Alliée en Italie

à

Liaison Division

J'ai l'honneur de demander que des appartements soient affectés dans la ville de Rome aux membres de la Représentation Française à la Commission Alliée dont les noms suivent :

Lieutenant Colonel CROS - marié - deux enfants - Adjoint Air

Capitaine LUQUET - marié - trois enfants - Adjoint Guerre

X de la Marine Nationale - Adjoint Marine

Officier de 1ère Classe GUYOT - célibataire.

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TRANSLATION

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the French Representative
APO 394

Rome, 5th April 1946

No. 2828

The Rear Admiral MOULLEC
French Representative to
Allied Commission for Italy
to
Liaison Division

I have the honour to ask for the assignment of some flats for the
members of the French Representation to AC with names as follows:

Lieut. Col. CROS - married - two children - Air Attache

Capt. LUQUET - married - three children - War Attache

1st Class Officer GUYOT - single -

s/ Moulec

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

APR 1 1946

G-5: 386.2

26 March 1946

SUBJECT: Request for Accommodation for Chetniks.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

Can you say when an answer to this Headquarters letter
G-5: 386.2 of 14 February may be expected, please. The matter is
urgent.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. HAMBLIN
Brigadier General, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

See folio 18
Capt Nigge says ARAR
gave permission to use
camp but written authority
not received. Will contact
ARAR

23/4 008.

Camp already occupied
according to my Solani
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EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONERS OFFICE

LT-CC. M. LEARY

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 625/18/EC ✓

28 March 1946

Gentlemen

I understand that MFOUSA recently sold to your department, Compound 326, of a Prisoners of War Camp located near Aversa on the south-west side of the Rome-Naples railway. Your department was officially given possession of this camp on 9 February.

Allied Force Headquarters request you allow the British to have the use of the camp, as it is desired to borrow it for approximately 6 months to house Chetniks. I would be grateful if you could inform me at your earliest convenience whether you are able to meet this request.

Yours very truly,

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Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Asianda Rilievo Alienazione Residuati
Via Ludovisi No. 16
Rome, Italy.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.E.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/15A/135

13/3/46

SUBJECT : Request for Accomodation for Chetniks

TO : AFHQ
G 5
APO 512

Ref. your G-5:386.2 dtd 14/2/46

The POW Camp 326 near Averan is now the property of
"Azienda Rilievo Alienazione Residui" (A.R.A.R.)
whose office is in Via Ludovici No.16 Rome.
For any request for the assignment of camp in question
you must, please deal direct with this Firm.

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J.E. REGIS
Lieut.Col.
Chief
IPW Div.

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MINISTRY OF WAR
CABINET

File No. 20538/II

Rome 2 March 1946

SUBJECT: Request for Camp for the "Ghettos" (Ghosts).

TO : Land Forces, Sub Commission - A.C. - (M.M.I.A.)
I.P.W. Division, Rome.

The POW Camp 326 near Averea in the property of the "Azienda Rilievo Alienazione Residui" (A.R.A.R.), whose directive offices are situated in Via Ludovico No. 16 Rome.

The request for the assignment of the Camp in question, must therefore be sent directly to that Firm.

Sgd. By the Head of the Cabinet
(illegible)

F.S.

Reply may please to folio (129)

✓ Done
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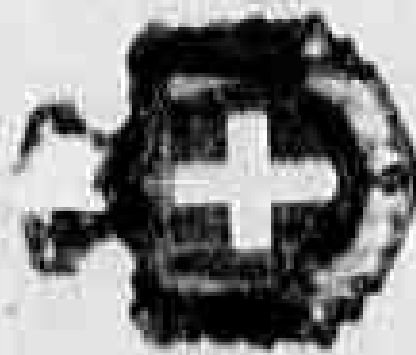
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Gabinetto

Gen. 905381/II

Risposta al disp. del

OGGETTO Richiesta di locali per "Chetniks" (croati).

Roma. - 21 MAR 1948

1 POW.

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION - A.C. - (EMIA)

I.P.W. Division

R O M A

Il campo prigionieri di guerra n. 326 presso Aversa è attualmente proprietà dell'Azienda Rilievo Alienazione Residuati (A.R.A.R.), la cui direzione è in via Ludovisi n. 16 - Roma.

La richiesta per la cessione del detto campo deve quindi essere rivolta alla suindicata Azienda.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

[Signature]

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Regista al capitolo

Oggetto Richiesta di locali per "Chetniks" (croati).

161A LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION - A.C. - (MMIA)

I.P.W. Division

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IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 386.2

1 March 1946

SUBJECT: Request for Accommodation for Chetniks.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

An early reply to the attached letter is requested.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:



F. G. A. PARSONS
Brigadier
Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Incl:

1st a/s dated 14 Feb 46

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 812

PGAP/SRW/jrs

G-5: 386.2

14 February 1946

SUBJECT: Request for Accommodation for Chetniks.

TO : Headquarters Allied Commission,
APO 394.

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2. G-5, CMF urgently desires to borrow the camp for approximately six months to house Chetniks. Will you please request the Italian Government to allow the British to have the use of the Camp.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

P.G.A. PARSONS
Brigadier

Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Copy to:
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.O.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

HMH/tb

IPW/1/16A/130

16 February 1946

Subject : Request for Accommodation for Chetniks.

To : Ministero della Guerra - Gabinetto.

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- 2/. GHQ, CEF urgently desires to borrow the camp for approximately six months to house Chetniks. Will you please state if you are willing to allow the British to use this camp for the time stated.

J.E. ROGIE, Lt.Col.
Chief
IPW Division

Copy to : AFHQ, G-5 Section,
APO 512 (your G-5 386.2 of 14 Feb refers)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 386.2

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F. G. A. PARSONS
Brigadier

Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Copy to:

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
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Reference:

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES

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Allied Commission Headquarters
C.M.F.

5 March 1946

MAR 7 1946

Dear Maurice,

As you know, Mr. Michael Hacking, Assistant Director, and Mrs. Jephson from the Head Office of this Committee in London are coming to Rome shortly on temporary duty connected with refugees in Italy. I should be grateful if accommodations, etc. could be provided for them under A.C. arrangements.

I will be able to give further details in due course to the HQ Commandant if you will be good enough to give covering approval.

I should like to move myself into the Flora or the Eden when they come or as convenient a few days previously, and hope that suitable accommodation of a more permanent nature can be allotted to me.

Yours sincerely,

Julian L. Tomlin
Lt. Col. Julian L. Tomlin,
Resident Representative,
I.G.C.R.

Brigadier Maurice Lush,
Executive Commissioner,
Headquarters Allied Commission,
C.M.F.

See in. 6. + 7.

H.Q. Commandant

Can you allow (1) a nice permanent room for Tomlin

(2) Temp. accom. for the other 702 room for

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Ref: 625/ee

3 December 1945.

SUBJECT: Friends Ambulance Unit.

TO : HQ Commandant.

The Friends Ambulance Unit are in process of liquidation and while doing so ask for accommodation in AC Hotels for 4 men and 1 woman for one month, and then 3 persons until end of April (officer status). They have done good work for us and Italy and I should like to help them. Unless there is anything against it will you arrange otherwise discuss with me. Mr. Rose will call on you 31 Dec 45.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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HQ HOME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 794, US Army

DC/6

30 October 1945

MEMORANDUM

OCT 30 1945

Subject: Officers' Accommodation in hotels etc

1. When the proposal was first mooted that AFHQ and associated HQs should come to Rome, no particular difficulty was anticipated in regard to hotel accommodation. Within the last day or two, however, a new and most unfavourable light has been thrown on the subject by new and hitherto undisclosed and unforeseen requirements as specified below.

2. There is a very considerable demand from UNRRA and the US State Department. At present UNRRA accommodation is run on an Anglo-American basis, and they pool resources with the State Department. It is understood to be the intention that this is to continue. At present they accommodate in the SAVOIA and ESPERIA Hotels

UNRRA	169
A.C. Civilian Ladies	20
State Department	20

It is understood that the foreseen requirement is for

UNRRA	265
State Department	110
Transit Auchen	50
Total	425

UNRRA has signified that the ESPERIA is entirely unacceptable for continued occupation by them, and it is certainly a very poor class hotel. So far as can be seen there is no compensating reduction elsewhere in Rome.

3. I believe that the State Department requirement specified above is very conservative, and that it is to be expected that considerable numbers of civilians sponsored by the US Govt will be requiring hotel accommodation in Rome. The numbers to be envisaged, however, are, so far as I know, quite uncertain.

4. It must be anticipated that a similar situation will arise with regard to British civilians sponsored by the Government Department and there have been suggestions from the British Embassy of such a requirement in the near future.

5. It had been hoped that before 1st December there might have been a considerable reduction in the numbers of HQ Allied Commission. I learn, however, from Lush, that this is by no means the case, that their present hotel

accommodation is packed...

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accommodation is packed to the lid, and they have no prospect of any reduction at any rate before the end of the year.

6. The original estimate of officers of the US Army expected to accompany AFHQ to Rome was 25. It now appears that this is very much under the mark, and the latest figure given is 100. (I have even heard the figure 125 mentioned). This of course throws a very different light on your undertaking to accommodate the American component of the HQ in existing accommodation. There is no doubt that a separate hotel will have to be allotted.

7. The European Division of the ATC is expected to include in its HQ, I understand, about 150 officers. In addition we now learn that there is the Army Airways Communications system (25 officers) and a Signal Construction Battalion (12 officers) which must be accommodated in proximity to the HQ. It is of course possible that these may be accommodated elsewhere than in hotels, but their presence must of course affect the overall officer situation.

8. The US Army Graves Registration Service, which is expected to be established in Rome probably for years, is to be accommodated. Presumably the number of officers is not very large, but it includes a General officer.

9. We are likely to have to find hotel accommodation for a number of families of British officers and GRCs. The number at present is by no means certain. Originally the number to be accommodated in the Rome Area inclusive of AFHQ was 30, of which it might have been assumed that 20 or so would be the families of officers. There is, however, strong indication that this number may very appreciably be increased.

10. The HQ of the British 2nd A.A. Brigade has been ordered to Rome to take over Train Board control, and is expected to arrive within the next day or two. It includes 25 officers. These of course will not be accommodated in good hotel accommodation, but they add to the congestion.

11. These are the liabilities so far as I know. The assets which we have to meet them are not very impressive. The following are available, or can be made so:

- (a) Regina Carlton Capacity about 150 beds. Recently vacated by the US SIF. This you had had in mind for the European Division of ATC.
- (b) Majestic Capacity about 130 beds. Presumably this must be earmarked for the officers of ETOUSA, or whatever the new name of this HQ is to be.
- (c) Massimo d'Azeglio Capacity about 300. Was originally proposed as part of the accommodation for AFHQ, but was rejected as being insufficiently good class. Recently I proposed that it should be given to the Poles to provide them with some increased hotel accommodation in exchange for the Boston and Ginezen. In view of the deterioration in the situation, however, I recommend that we dismiss the idea of increasing Polish accommodation and that we offer it to UNRRA. Bed for bed it will just about meet their requirements, but in view of the fact that it has been turned down by AFHQ I confess I find it doubtful; ~~we~~ having regard to the civilian status of their people they are in a position to be more particular about their accommodation than soldiers.

/(d) Minerva

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- (d) Minerva which is likely shortly to be vacated by the UDF. It is a large 2nd class hotel. It is gloomy in appearance and it has deteriorated a good deal in the course of 18 months of requisition. I suggest the possibility that this may be used jointly for the use of British civilians and for British officers' families, if and when these latter arrive. It is a solution which I fear will not be hailed with satisfaction.

12. The following hotels have recently been derequisitioned:-

- (a) Hotel de la Ville which was released by order of AFHQ at the specific request of the Italian Govt for the needs of the Constituent Assembly, and has I understand been requisitioned by the Italian Govt. (They asked, of course, for the Minerva, which has apparently traditionally been associated with the Italian Parliament, and they will probably renew their request for it when they hear the UDF are clearing out.)
- (b) Ludovico A poor 2nd class and most inconvenient hotel which so far as I know has reverted to a purely civilian basis.
- (c) Razionale Another indifferent class hotel, also reverted to a civilian basis.
- (d) San Giorgio A good class hotel which I understand now houses representatives of at least one Diplomatic Mission.

It cannot be said that what we have so far been able to release is of the highest class, or very considerable in quantity. I think it would create a very bad impression if we were to find it necessary to resume requisition of any of them.

13. My conclusion is that somebody has got to accept accommodation of a standard lower than what they occupy at present, or than what they think themselves entitled to.

14. Unless something on the lines of my proposals in para 11 is acceptable, I am afraid, shall be in the position of having to report to AFHQ that no accommodation is available in Rome for British families.

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30 October 1945

ALBAN LOW
Brigadier
Deputy Commander
Rome Area Allied Command