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ADMIN VEHICLES, ITALIAN GOV'T
MAR. - AUG. 1945

SO to CC:

Ref. folio 21 - Requisition Division of Economic Section has now prepared a HOC airgram requisition for these cars but are holding it pending Italian Government making up its mind as to what price class of cars they desire: £850, \$1,200 or \$2,000.

29 Mar 45.

JCR.
Major.

ET. 30/3.

2.

CSO to Ex Com.

Thank you. Noted.

JAC. 30/3.

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Note: No action necessary on 23. Quirrit replies to 18 and 19. (RMK 28/7)

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Ref: 5826/28/EC

16 August 1945

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs

TO : Ministry for Foreign Affairs

1. Reference is made to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs' memorandum 6/1868/865 dated 25 June 1945 on the above subject.

2. The Allied Commission regrets that all efforts to trace the vehicles listed have so far failed. The search was rendered most difficult because nearly all Targa plates have been removed.

27 *refers*

R. W. KEMSLEY

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: TN/78

Date/Time of Origin: AUGUST 14/1135B

Message Centre No: E/3877

Date Time Rec'd: AUGUST 14/1715B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM ALCOM VENEZIE

TO HQ ALCOM

AUG 15 1945

UNCLASSIFIED.

Reference your 5826/19/EC date 20 July. unable to trace motor cycles.
Economic control police still have matter in hand

HEADQUARTERS
14 AUG 1945

ACTION

DIST

ACTION : EX COMMISSIONER (2)

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
FILE (2)
FLOAT

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(Hansley)

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HEADQUARTERS
VENETIAN REGION
Allied Military Government
Transportation Division
APO 394

Ex Commr 26

AUG 5 1945

3 August 45

TO :- P.C. VENETIA *25*

Copy to :- H.Q. A.C. (your 5826/25/EC dated 30th July refers)

SUBJECT :- Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry
for Foreign Affairs.

FILE No.:- RXII/TN/4.1.

1. Ref. this office letter of even number dated
26th July 45.

2. Can you please give any information now.

J.S. Woodger

J.S. WOODGER
Colonel
REGIONAL TRANSP. OFFICER

Box P/A

1106
PA
7/8

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Ref: 5826/25/EC.

Tel : 478201

30 July 1945

SUBJECT : Motor Vehicles belonging to the
Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Venezia Region.

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With reference to our letter 5826/19/EC dated 20 July 1945,
we should grateful to know if you have obtained any information on the
motor cycles mentioned.

R W Keady

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

See 26121

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Noted 8/8
10/7/45
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RC/4160

7th Ind.

JUL 27 1945

HQ. AMG. LOMBARDIA REGION, APO 394, 26 July 1945

TO: HQ AC., APO 394 (Attention of the Executive Commissioner)

1. Forwarded.

By order of Colonel POLETTI:

27 JUL 1945

FORM 13-1000'S
SAC, FALCON 20-21-22

Neil C. Baker
NEIL C. BAKER
Captain, QMC
Adjutant

*See file at 1172
also no 24.*

W. S. 1707

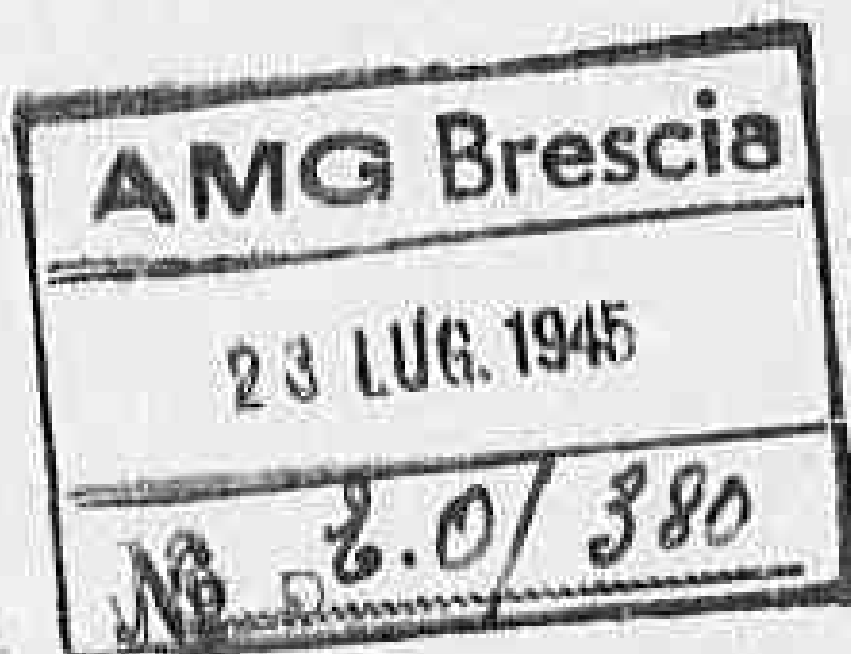
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5th Ind.

CAO. SALO', Brescia Province, A.M.G., APO 394.- 23 July 1945.
TO : PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONAR, BRESCIA, APO. 394.

- 1) Motor vehicle list turned over to CC.RR. for investigation.-
- 2) Unless motor numbers are furnished the list is valueless,
as practically all the Targa plates have "disappeared."

David Goodman
David Goodman
Capt. CMP.
C.A.O., Salo' District.



26 JUL 1945

6th Ind.

HQ AMG LOMBARDIA. REG Allied Military Government, Brescia Province,
24 July 1945

TO : CAP'T. BAKER, ADJUTANT, LOMBARDIA REGION

Attention is directed to para. 2 in 4th Ind. 1104

For the Provincial Commissioner

Bernard A. Culleton
BERNARD A. CULLOTON, Major
Executive Officer

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3rd Ind.

Headquarters Lombardia Region, Adjutants Section, APO 394, U.S. Army 6 July 1945.

TO: Provincial Commissioner Brescia.

Request information asked for in para. 2 of basic letter be forwarded this Headquarters.

For the Regional Commissioner:

Neil C. Baker
NEIL C. BAKER
Captain, QMC
Adjutant

BR/380

Executive Officer



4th Ind.

Hq. Allied Military Government, Brescia Province. 14 July 1945

TO: CAPT. GOODMAN, C.A.O., SALO'

Request information asked for in para. 2 of basic letter be forwarded this headquarters.

For the Provincial Commissioner:

Bernard A. Culloton
Bernard A. Culloton, Major,
Executive Officer

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1st. Ind.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY APO 464 US ARMY G-5 SECTION

VHR/hdp
2 July 1945

TO: R.C. Lombardia (thru channels)

1. Request that any available information be furnished this Headquarters so that reply may be made as asked for in paragraph 2 above.

/s/ Victor H. Rust
/t/ VICTOR H. RUST
Captain, Cavalry
Admin. Officer.

2nd Ind.

HEADQUARTERS IV CORPS, Civil Affairs Section, APO 304,
U.S. Army 3 July 1945

TO: HQ Lombardia Region

Request any information that you may have as requested in para. 2 of basic letter be forwarded direct to G-5 Fifth Army.

FOR THE SENIOR CIVIL AFFAIRS OFFICER:

/s/ E. Donahue
/t/ E. DONAHUE
WOIJ USA
Admin. Officer

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Tel: 478201

Ref: 5826/19/EC.

20 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Venezia Region.

1. The Ministry for Foreign Affairs has asked us to trace a number of motor cars and motor cycles belonging to it which were taken to the North. Two motor cycles are said to be at VENICE:

Moto Guzzi 500	...	Targa 3024	Roma
Moto Guzzi 500	...	Targa 3026	Roma

2. Will you kindly make some inquiries and if you are successful in tracing please let us know.

12 refers
B/V 2/7/7
Noted
15/ES BORDEN
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

See 25+27+28

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Ref: 5826/18/EC.

Tel: 478201

20 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry
for Foreign Affairs.

TO : AME Fifth Army. 17 13

1. Your first indorsement dated 15 July is acknowledged. It is noted that our letter 5826/13/EC of 29 June 45 was referred to Lombardia Region.

2. However, it has perhaps escaped your notice that the implication that the vehicles listed were taken to SALO is, of course, that they were requisitioned by Fifth Army. On the assumption that this is correct, action must surely lie with you and it will be appreciated if you would take the matter up with the Section concerned in order to ascertain if any of these vehicles are in the Army's possession. It is not expected that any inquiries possible by Lombardia Region will be productive of results.

3. Venezia Region has been consulted with regard to the two motor cycles said to be at VENICE.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

B/V if answer to 25 comes in
think the cars have been provided -
(see 23)

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1st Inf.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY APO 464 US ARMY G-5 SECTION

15 July 1945

TO: Headquarters Allied Commission

JUL 15 1945

1. This matter was referred to the proper subordinate authorities for information, as per copy attached.

Victor H. Rust

VICTOR H. RUST,
Captain, Cavalry,
Admin. Officer

1 Incl: as listed

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(CAPT. ARNOLDY)

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HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY APO 394 US ARMY G-5 SECTION

VHR/hdy
2 July 1945

TO: R.C. Lombardis (thru channels)

1. Request that any available information be furnished this Headquarters so that reply may be made as asked for in paragraph 2 above.

/s/ Victor E. Rust
VICTOR E. RUST,
Captain, Cavalry,
Admin. Officer

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel. 478201

11 July 1945.

Ref: 5826/15/EC.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

TO : SCAO Fifth Army.

Your reply to my 5826/13/EC dated 29 June 1945, subject as above, would be appreciated.



G. Horden
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 5826/15/EC.

Tel. 478201

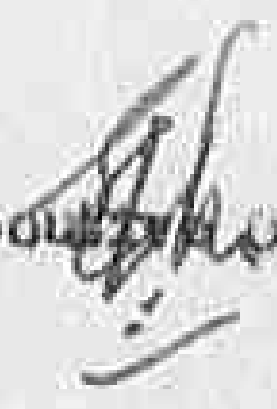
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TO : SCAO Fifth Army.

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Your reply to my 5826/13/EC dated 29 June 1945, subject as above, would be appreciated.


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 5626/11/EG.

29 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry
of Foreign Affairs.

TO : Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italian Government.

Acknowledgement is made of your Memorandum dated 25 June
1945. Inquiries are being made concerning the vehicles listed
and you will be advised of the result in due course.

For the Chief Commissioner.


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 5826/13/EC.

Tel: 478201

29 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

TO : SOAO Fifth Army. *ok*

1. Attached hereto is list of motor vehicles owned by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs which are said to be at SAO and VENICE.
2. The Ministry is anxious to secure the return of its transport and it will be appreciated if you would make inquiries and tell us what the position is.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
as above

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

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JUN 27 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION

Subject: Motor vehicles belonging to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1. Reference is made to the Allied Commission's Note No 5826/2/23 of May 2nd, 1945, on this subject.

2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has been informed that the motor vehicles involved in the above-mentioned case are still in Northern Italy.

3. It would, therefore, be greatly appreciated if the Allied Commission would kindly approach the A.M.F. of Northern Italy in order to obtain that the motor vehicles in question be put at the disposal of this Ministry, as soon as they can be traced.

Rome, June 26th 1945.

Encl.

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ECONOMIC SECTION

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SUBJECT: COM 107

No	Date	To	REMARKS	From
1	31 May 1945	Executive Comm.	The attached signal refers to the purchase of 20 cars for the use of functionaries of Italian Government.	Requisition Branch

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This is COM 1074 (Refer COM Airgram 47.)

Cars for export.

UNITED STATES has very limited number of passenger cars on hand for export and these require strongest possible justification. Before presenting request again, look into possibility of securing from local sources private cars for use in official business.

LIST

ACTION - REQUISITION DIV 3
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
SECY SEC
FILE 2
PLAT

Suggested Dis:

ACTION : Economic Section
INFO : Chief Commissioner
Executive Commissioner ✓
Gen. McKinley
Gen. Anderson
Mr. Antolini

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Ref: 5826/8/EC.

2 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Removal of Motor Vehicles belonging to the
Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

TO : Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Italian Government.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of letter from the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, reference 6/1148/533 dated 24 April 1945.

2. The present time is not considered propitious for tracing the vehicles which were removed last year to the North of Italy. It is considered that a more expeditious method will be for the Ministry for Foreign Affairs to replace them by means of requisitioning; powers for requisitioning are of course possessed by the Italian Government.

3. The schedule of vehicles is returned herewith.

Incl:
Schedule of Vehicles.

Copy to: Marchese Cittadini-Cesi.

File 5815/EC,

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION

Subject: Motorvehicles belonging to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

1. A certain number of motorvehicles belonging to this Ministry were taken away, prior to June 1944, and transferred to the North of Italy by the self-styled Fascist Authorities.
2. In view of the imminent liberation of that part of the Country, it would be appreciated if the Allied Commission would kindly take the necessary steps in order to obtain, as soon as possible, the return to the Ministry of the aforementioned motorvehicles, the list of which is hereby enclosed.

3. Should this be impossible, the Ministry for Foreign Affairs would much appreciate if the Allied Commission would kindly examine the possibility of derequisitioning an equal number of motorvehicles belonging to private citizens and assign them to this Ministry. In this case the Ministry would drop all claims on the vehicles transferred to the



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North.

EMP

24th. April 1945



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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Office of the Chief Commissioner

APO 394

16 April 1945

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My dear Mr. Prime Minister:

In response to your letter 353 of 24 March 1945, WDC Airgram 47, copy attached, has been sent to Washington asking for the shipment of 23 automobiles complete with spare parts.

I am hopeful that shipment will be made without delays. We will notify you upon receipt of information from Washington relative to expected time of arrival.

Yours very truly,

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Incl.

His Excellency Ivanoe Bonomi
The President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome

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J. J.

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MOC Airgram 47 : 11 April 1945
From : ALCOM CITE ACECO
To : CCAC FOR CLAC
Subject : Requisition Number CLAC I-235, Passenger Cars

SPECIAL PROGRAM: The items listed below are requested by the Italian Government for procurement and shipment to Italy as early as possible.

The Italian Government authorizes payment out of the fund established pursuant to the letter addressed by the Italian Minister for the Treasury to the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury on 20 January 1945 for such of the items listed below as shall be assigned for procurement to the United States.

Ship to : Italian ports to be detailed later.

Consignee : Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero (ICE)

Shipping Documents: It is requested that four copies of the Ocean Bill of Lading be sent by Air Mail to Economic Section AC immediately after ship sails.

<u>Item</u>	<u>Sched.B Number</u>	<u>Schedule B Classification and Detailed Specification</u>	<u>Sched.B Unit</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
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GROUP 7. - MACHINERY AND VEHICLESAUTOMOBILES AND OTHER VEHICLES :

1.	790,700	Passenger Cars and Chassis (New). Not over 850 dollars (list price). Sedans, with 6 months spare parts to scale.	each	20
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JUSTIFICATION:

These cars have been requested by the Italian Government, in a letter addressed by the Prime Minister to the Chief Commissioner, AC, as necessary to Italian Government officials in the performance of their official duties.

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Translation

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(1)

The President of the Council of Ministers

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Rome, 24 March 1945

MAR 26 1945

Dear Admiral,

I would like the Allied Commission to send a request to Washington (B category) for the purchase of 20 cars, complete with spare pieces, to be used by the functionaries of the Italian Government.

The Italian Government was ready to pay these cars out of the fixed fund, as from the letter sent by the Italian Minister of Treasury to the Secretary of Treasury of the United States on January 20th 1945.

I remain,

Yours very truly,

B. I. Bonomi

Admiral Ellery A. Stone
Chief of the Allied Commission
Rome

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ACTION: ECONOMIC SEC.

INFO: CHIEF 1084

: EXEC COMPR

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