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WITHDRAWAL OF AC OFFICERS FR
OCT. 1945 - FEB. 1946

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WITHDRAWAL OF AC OFFICERS FROM ITALIAN GOV'T TERRITORY
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Exec O. (B)

Our letter at 375 was written by me at the direction of the Ex. Com at his conference 2 weeks ago. Have you any comments or reply at 392. Ed Miller
H.S. 8/2
mentions nothing about OR's.

395.

Exec Offr. (B)

Your conclusion is Italian correct. This is an 'ad hominem' recommendation. But we must have U.S. representation in Alto Adige and therefore I think the Ex. Com must carry one or two U.S. Officers. I should be glad that he should do so in addition to his

Br. W/E. Will you explain to him that
A.V.S. Offr. is forced. CEPI is temporary

12/12

Ex. Com. H.S. 14/12 396.

G1 (A) has been witnessed occurring by
Dulbeines 13/2.

B. 11/2

ALCSE

394

- ① Ex. C. may wish to see min 396 3849
- ② See also 398 & 397 from G4 to MHA in reply to their 361: our 373 refers. To me G4's letter

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at 392. Col Miller
mentions nothing about ORO.

H.S. 8/2

395.

Ex Off. (B)

Your conclusion is I think correct. This is an
and hominess' recommendation. But we must have
U.S. representation in Alto Adige and therefore I think
the CRO must carry one or two U.S. Officers. It should
be told that he should do so in addition to his

Br. W/E. Will you explain to him over Paul

A.U.S. Mr. is posted. CRO is temporary

128/7/2

Ex. Com. H.S. 14/2 396.

G1 (A) has been instructed according to
Dulbein 13/2.

H.S. 14/2

A/CSS

399

- ① Ex. C. may wish to see min 396 3848
- ② See 398 & 397 from G4 to MMIA in reply to their
361: our 373 refers. To me G4's letter
seems quite realistic with regard to present
situation but 361 appears to envisage a
more distant period. Do you consider that
G4 should have another shot or if you prefer
I can get MMIA's reactions on 398.

400.

Let B.

get MMIA's reactions, H.S. 14/2

H.S. 14/2

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C80

(366)

1) Re see 357 for info.

2) Is there further action on 355 - or what was the result of the discussion with Brig Parsons?

3) Is not 361 a subject with what Major H.S. might feel.

RB 141

367

Major H.S.

P. 355 - G-13 are taking some action. ^{not taking any}
 you might find out what they are doing & ^{action}
 fix off. B.

2) I think 357 should go to G-48. We don't
 want it on our files. ^{done}

3) P. 361 - will you cope for.

4) Send copies to P. 36708

to G-1 & G-8.

Done.

F. H. 151

~~See attached for information.~~
 371-1

G. 355. Brig Gen. wishes to discuss
 with fix, but as soon as he returns.

Gp. strength are at
 P. 340.

~~1-10-2~~
 221.

(Capt. B)

378

Ex Comm.

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DB 141

367

Major H.S.

P. 355 - G-1B are taking some action. ^{not taking any}
you might find out what they are doing & - action

Ex. Off. B.

2. I think 357 should go to G-4B. We don't want it on our files. ^{done}

3. P. 361 - will you copy it. ^{sent to G-4 for info (361)}

4. Send copies to P. 36708 ^{Paul}
to G-1 & G-3. ^{1st}

~~For attached for signature.~~
371-2

G. 355. Big cur. wishes to discuss
with Ex. Com as soon as he returns.

Gp. strengthen are at
P. 340. ^{22/}

(M.H.B.)
(Capt. B)

378

Ex. Comm.

1. By Kevin Spinks. Strengths at 340. Legal to
Pimente at 377.

2. 376 for info

3. -379

H.L. 281

374

DB 141

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331.

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6-8-60

Letter amending para. 4 to
the KC20 directive submitted for
signature.

23/12.

9a. J. P. McLean

336

6-8-60

2-337

332 - 334 for info.

11/27/60

23/12

339

Notes 332-338 seen by 6-8-60

345

See please see 340-344 for info.

3/1/76

346

Grand for 5/6

Draft Admin. Inst. herewith submitted
for comments. I have checked on para
3 with Brig. Dunlop.
All addresses in Internal
Inst. will be marked.

347

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in future.

23/12.

Pa. Office. McLean

336

Ex. Com.

2-337

332 - 334 for info

23/12

23/12

339

Notes 332-338 seen by Ex. Com. 23/12

345

~~340-344 for info~~

347/76

346

Grand. 16/10/51

Draft Admin. Inst. herewith submitted for comment. I have checked on para 3 with Brig. Dunlop. All addresses in Internal Dist. will be named.

347

EB 5/1

363

May max be signed for rather quickly. I will deal with file after. 14/1

364

Platinum file to me for action after war is named. 14/1

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328. The SACs were attached to letter 328. It was
 decided in Milan to leave the ALOS directive
 as it is. However local Gov. SPC have not
 submitted an amendment of para 4. Amended
 version of directive is therefore at 328a. Ex. Com.
 may wish to consider this new para 4.
 17/12.

329.

Ex. Com. Para 328 - we spoke & agreed that
 amendment was necessary. The 20.1 directive
 is being sent to A-GHQ on file 2606. P/A.
 18/12. 31/12.

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Ex Comm.

See sec 318 for info

CDB 26/11

320

Est SecSignal R.C. Ven Rq approve

his proposal & informing all concerned

(1) at Ex Comm meeting (2) by usual

meas.

17/8/68

322

Executive Committee

Action in above minute at folio 321. a
letter is being sent to the Region. VOS 15/6.

28/4/45.

Rhodesia G-1(B)

323

RG 4/12 Ex. Com. Meeting 29/11 8A. 10/4/11

324

Also Ref your note lagged to 27/5 letter at 325 is
submitted for signature: is this what
you wanted?

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320

Est Dec

Secal R.C. Ven Rq affirmative

his proposal & informing all concerned

(1) at Tex Cons meeting (2) by usual

means.

1/18/68

321

322

Executive Comm in line.

Action - above minute at Feb 321. a
letter is being sent to the Region. VPS 75/c.
28/4/45. Chetlain Gr(B)

323

RG 4/12 Ex. Com. Meeting 29/4 GA 4/12

324

QSO Ref your note lagged to 276 letter at 325 in
submitted for signature: is this what
you wanted?

1/12

327

Ex. Com. 325 forwarding 275 submitted for signature
2 like this is a good idea as at the moment District etc.
cannot have no idea of what our future divisions are & are
supposed to do
Signed 9/12

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D/Ex. Com.

P. 307 submitted for info.

8/11 noted. 7

7/11

(311)

Ent. Sec. (G-18)

Ref: P ³¹⁰ would you be good enough to take the necessary action further to your P. ³⁰⁹ ~~308~~

10/11

33849

~~311~~

(312)

Ex Com Apis

Ref minute ³¹¹ ~~310~~, since I don't know whether Big Luch was aware of my letter at 311 or when basement cable at 310, Col. G. H. Jones did not that the matter handled while the return of Big Luch. May the matter please be brought forward then.

Chelaine
G-18)

15 Nov 45.

8/19/11 for Ex. Com. 7/11/11

~~C-18~~

(313)

G-1-B

No I did not know of your letter. It should have been sent 4 months ago!

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Ent. Sec. (G-11)

Ref. P ³¹⁰ would you be good enough to take the necessary action further to your P. ³⁰⁹

Final 10/11

311/4/11

~~311~~ (312)

Exec Com. Office

Ref minute ³¹¹ ~~310~~, since I don't know whether Big Lush was aware of my letter at 311 when he sent cable at 310, Col. G. H. Jones, directs that the matter be handled under the return of Big Lush. May the matter please be brought forward then.

Phetiching
G-11

15 Nov 45.

B.C. 19/11 for Ex. Com. ~~Final~~ 16/11

~~C-80~~

(313)

G-11 B.

No I did not know of your letter. It should

I course have been sent 4 months ago!

Let it stand & cancel the signal

4/11/11

(314)

Exec Com. Office

Action taken on 313 above.

Phetiching G-11 20/11/45

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DCM/mg

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
OFFICE OF G-4 (B)

Tel: 42908L
Ext: 285.

G4/114/12

8 February 1946.

SUBJECT : Subsistence of British Elements of Liaison Units.

FEB 11 1946

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission (SOUSA).

1. Attached copy of reply from G.H.Q. G.M.F. to this Office letter G-4/100/32 dated 21 January 1946. Your Q.258 dated 12 January 1946 refers.

2. It will be seen that the information supplied is not very helpful and it would appear extremely difficult at the present time to lay down a definite plan for joint subsistence for the future.

3. So far as is known to-date no difficulty has been experienced by any of the A.C. Liaison Groups in the matter of supplies and it is suggested that in the event of any of your units in the future finding difficulty contact be made with the nearest A.C. Liaison Officer with a view to joint subsistence in that area.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE

D.C. MOYLE
Major, R.A.
A/C-4 (B)

Copy to:- Executive Commissioner.
H.Q. Commandant.

Our G-4/100/32 dated
21 January 1946 refers.

See M.399,400,401

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Subject : Subsistence of British
elements of Liaison Units

G.H.Q. C.M.P.

2591/4-1

4 Feb 46

FEB 24 1946

Headquarters Allied Commission

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Ref your letter G4/100/32 dated 21 Jan 46.

1. Present information available makes it extremely difficult to give you any exact locations of depots left in ITALY during the latter half of 1946.

2. We can however say with reasonable certainty that up till the end of September there will be ST & EFL depots at:

VENICE

BOLOGNA

NAPLES

ROME

3. There is no information at present as to which if any of these places will still be open after the end of September.

/s/ J.H.D. Sibree,
J.H.D. SIBREE, Major
for Major General,
MGA.

JHDSVA

See M. 399, 400, 401

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(CPPT B)

Tel. Ext. 510.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM
EXECUTIVE OFFICER (BRITISH)

3 February 1946

TO: Chief Staff Officer,
Office of the Executive Commissioner.

Reference your minute 393.

1. I do not quite understand Colonel Miller's letter; the original suggestion was 1 CLO (British) and 3 LO's (1 British and 2 American). In addition there were 2 Public Safety Officers, both British, 1 Legal Officer (British) and 2 Captured Enemy Material Officers, both American.

2. Now it appears the Colonel Miller wants no Liaison Officers except himself, 2 Public Safety Officers, who will have to be British since there are no American, and 1 Administrative Officer who, since the rest of the team is to be British, should presumably be British also. Parity will thus have gone to the wind.

3. The actual British establishment for Bolzano is:

1 Chief Liaison Officer (Colonel)
1 Liaison Officer (Captain)
2 Public Safety Officers (1 Major
1 Captain)

4. I can only assume that what Colonel Miller wants is himself, 2 Public Safety Officers (1 Major, 1 Captain); an Executive Officer (Captain) to be held against the Liaison Officer vacancy, and that in addition, he wants to keep not only the 2 civilians mentioned in his letter but also the 2 American Captured Enemy Material Officers mentioned in para 1 above.

5. If this is so it seems to me to reduce itself to the question of whether the Executive Commissioner considers the demands of parity are adequately met in this lay out.

Chubb

K. WILHELM-JONES,
Lt Colonel,
Executive Officer (B)

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KWS/er

1/CSO H.S. 9/12

See M. 393. 395-396

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ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of Chief Liaison Officer
BOLZANO

CONFIDENTIAL and
URGENT 392

Ref : ACLO/BZ/1.a 3rd February, '46
SUBJECT : A.C. Liaison Group, BOLZANO.
TO : HQ, ALLIED COMMISSION, CMT -
for Executive Commissioner. ✓ 375

Reference your 7002/EC of 25th January, 1946.

1. I have now had two weeks with this Liaison Group and I consider the following personnel necessary for its efficient working:-

(a) Officers

- 1 C.L.O.
- 2 Public Safety Officers
- 1 Administrative Officer

(b) Civilian Employees

(i) Dr. M. KATZBURG whose long service in the Legal Department here makes him invaluable.

(ii) Mr. E. KLOPPER, an expert in Food matters, Agriculture, Transport and P.O.L. who has long service here, and I wish to retain him awhile to carry out the instructions contained in letter No. 10-8/FOOD dated 17th January, 1946 apart from his use in many other directions.

2. There is full employment for all the above officials and I recommend this establishment should be approved.

S. W. Miller

S. W. MILLER, Colonel,
Chief Liaison Officer,
BOLZANO.

See M. 393 see 394
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Ref: 7002/391/EC

7 February 1946

SUBJECT: Directives for A.C. Liaison Officers.

TO : H.Q., Bari Liaison Group, A.C., APO 394.

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1. Ref your LB/31 dated 4 February 1946.
 2. Herewith copy of directive for A.C. Liaison Officers, ref 7002/EC dated 29 September 1945 as amended by directive 7002/330/EC of December 1945, as requested.
 3. A further directives will be forwarded to you in due course.

For the Chief Commissioner,

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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COPY.

Translation.

ROME. 28 January 1946.
FEB 4 1946

From: Ministry of the Interior.
Cabinet of the Ministry.
To : All Prefects, High Commissioner for Sardinia, Sicily.
Copy: Allied Commission, Rome.

SUBJECT: Allied Commission Liaison Officers.

CIRCULAR - RESERVED.

On the occasion of the transfer of the provinces of Northern Italy to the administration of the Italian Government, the Chief of the Allied Commission made known the directives imparted to all Liaison Officers of the Allied Commission outlining the functions and the tasks of said liaison organs.

Attached is copy of the integral text of the a/m directives so that, bearing in mind the prerogatives and attributions of the Allied Liaison Officers, they should be lent every possible cooperation for the carrying out of the mission entrusted to them, in the spirit of the mutual collaboration sanctioned by the general agreements between the Italian Government and the Allied Commission.

Your Excellencies should also keep in mind that the Liaison officers should not serve as channels of communication between the Italian officials and the Italian Government.

For your opportune information your Excellencies are advised that the above mentioned Liaison officers reside in the cities referred to in the enclosed list and that their offices have jurisdiction on the regions indicated at the side of each residence.

I wish the above directives strictly complied with and am waiting to receive assurances to this effect.

*seen by Rpt Graybrook
CSO 9 EC on file
acc/6/5/4/INT*
THE MINISTER.
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Exp. Comm.

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: LB/81

Message Centre No: G/8642

Date/Time of Origin: 041130

Date Time Rec'd: 04 FEB 1400

Precedence: IMMEDIATE

FROM: ALCOM LG BARI

TO : HQ ALCOM AGRAD

FEB 4 1945

UNCLASSIFIED:

PLEASE SEND COPY DIRECTIVE ON DUTIES OF LIAISON OFFICERS DATED 23 SEPTEMBER 1945
ALSO ANY OTHER DIRECTIVE RELATING TO DUTIES OF LIAISON GROUPS.

AC DISC

ACTION

ACTION: EX COMMISSIONER 2

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

FILE 2

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSIO

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 8273/EC

4 February 1946

SUBJECT: Pantelleria and Lampedusa.

TO : H.Q., Sicily Liaison Group, A.O.

Ref my signal 864 of 2 February.

Herewith copies of the correspondence referred to in the last paragraph.

See folio 100
file 8273/EC

W. R. BRAYBROOKE

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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ABLE FOR NOW QUEEN HAVE ACCEPTED THAT LIAISON OFFICERS ON PANTHERIA
AND LAMPEDUSA MAY BE RECALLED PROVIDED ISLANDS COVERED BY YOU PD THEY
DESIRE INITIAL INSPECTION TO BE CARRIED OUT BY THE THREE SERVICES
SUBCOMMISSIONS PD REPRESENTATIVES WILL LEAVE BY AIR FOR MALTA ABOUT
FEBRUARY FOUR AND TWENTY PROCEED BY SURFACE VESSEL FOR INSPECTION IN
COPIES OF CORRESPONDENCE POLICY PD

Copy to:-

Chief Commissioner
Economic Sec
Polad (A)
Polad (B)
Navy Forces 3/3
Land Forces 3/3
Air Forces 3/3

See 388

Office of the Executive
Commissioner

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Copy K: 7002/EC ✓

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S-E-C-R-E-T

Ref: 3273/ED

2 February 1946

SUBJECT: PANTELLERIA and LAMPEDUSA.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters.
G-5 Section.

1. In accordance with your F 59503, representatives of the three Service Sub-Commissions will depart from Rome on or about February 4, via ALCOM plane to Malta and via surface vessel from that Port for the purpose of conducting an initial inspection of the above-mentioned two localities. The representatives of the three Service Sub-Commissions, as listed below, have been instructed to implement the provisions of paragraph 4b of FAN 634:

Navy Sub-Commission - Lt. H.A.V. HALL, R.N.V.R.

Land Forces Sub-Commission - Captain J.J. WARD, U.S.A.

Air Forces Sub-Commission - Major M.C. MIXSON, USAAF.

2. The above-named Officers will depart from Rome via ALCOM plane on or about February 4 for Malta. Vice Admiral, Malta is being requested by separate signal to furnish transportation via surface vessel for the purpose of the inspection to Pantelleria and Lampedusa.

For the Chief Commissioner

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Chief Commissioner.

Polad (A)
Polad (B)
Economic Sec.
Navy S/C
Air Forces S/C
Land Forces S/C.

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Copy to: 7002/EC ✓

S-E-C-R-E-T

MSC/4535
1 February 1946

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To: Executive Commissioner, Allied Commission.
Subject: Pantelleria and Lampedusa.
Reference: (a) Your letter 8273/95/EC of 29 January 1946.

1. In accordance with reference (a), co-ordinated action has been taken by the Navy Sub-Commission, Land Forces Sub-Commission, and Air Forces Sub-Commission on paragraph 2 of F 59503, regarding an inspection by representatives of the three Service Sub-Commissions to Pantelleria and Lampedusa.

2. A meeting of representatives of the three Service Sub-Commissions was held this date in the Navy Sub-Commission for the purpose of working out the details for this inspection.

3. As a result of the meeting mentioned in paragraph 2 above, the Air Forces Sub-Commission has agreed to furnish transportation by air to Malta, said transportation to be ready by February 4. The following-named representatives of the three Service Sub-Commissions will conduct the initial inspection as called for in reference (a), F 59503, and paragraph 4b of FAN 634:

Navy Sub-Commission - Lt. H.A.V. HALL, R.N.V.R.

Land Forces Sub-Commission - Captain J.J. WARD, U.S.A.

Air Forces Sub-Commission - Major M.C. MEXSON, USAAF.

4. It is requested that Vice Admiral, Malta be requested by signal to make available a suitable surface vessel to transport the above-named Officers from Malta to Pantelleria, Lampedusa and return. It is contemplated that the entire trip should take four to five days from time of departure from Rome.

Copy to:- Chief Commissioner.
Filed (A)
Filed (B)
Room Sec.

G. F. MEYER,
Captain, U.S.N.,
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC,
Acting.

Copy to 8273/EC

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Communications
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25 Jan 46

FEB 2 1946

To : HQ. Allied Commission
CLO, Livorno
" Bologna
" Liguria
" Piemonte
" Lombardia
" Bolzano
SCAO, AMG Venezia Giulia
" AMG Udine

WESTRE MILITARY EXCHANGE - EXTENSION 83

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Date: 11 FEB 1946

(CAPT B)

Ms. 412.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 212/269/EC

1 February 1946

SUBJECT: Allied Commission Liaison Groups Postal Addresses.

NO : See Distribution below.

Reference 212/261/EC dated 4 January 1946, para 3.

The postal addresses of the Liaison Groups will now be as follows:

<u>Official</u>			<u>Personal (British)</u>		
HQ	Naples Liaison Group, AC, APO 394.		HQ	Naples Liaison Group, AC, CMF.	
	Livorno	" "	"	Livorno	" "
	Bologna	" "	"	Bologna	" "
	Liguria	" "	"	Liguria	" "
	Piemonte	" "	"	Piemonte	" "
	Lombardia	" "	"	Lombardia	" "
	Bolzano	" "	"	Bolzano	" "
	Venezia	" "	"	Venezia	" "
	Sicily	" "	"	Sicily	" "
	Bari	" "	"	Bari	" "
	Ancona Liaison Officer (Tn), AC, APO 394			Ancona Liaison Officer (Tn), AC, CMF.	

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Internal Distribution:

Group 1 List A.

Copies to:

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District
District
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AC
G VENEZIA GIULIA
G UDINE

HQ NAPLES LIAISON GROUP, AC
" LIVORNO " "
" BOLOGNA " "
" LIGURIA " "
" PIEMONTE " "
" LOMBARDIA " "
" BOLZANO " "
" VENEZIA " "
" SICILY " "
" BARI " "
ANCONA LIAISON OFFICER (Tn), AC.

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JAN 28 1948

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JAN 30 1948
IMPORTANT

CHIEF LIAISON OFFICERS PISCANES REGION
ALSO: CHIEF OFFICERS (2)

FEB 1 1948

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UNCLASSIFIED.

1. Reference your signal 280. Agree reduction Public Safety Liaison Officers PISCANES region from 4 to 3.
2. Latter figure considered minimum number necessary.

AL VINT

ACTION OF B 3
INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
P SAFETY 30 2
FILE 3
FLOOR

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 8273/95/EC.

29 January 1946.

SUBJECT: PANTALIERIA and LAMPEDUSA.

TO : Navy Sub-Commission.
Land Forces Sub-Commission. (3441A)
Air Forces Sub-Commission.

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1. Attached are copies of this Headquarters' signal 9891 of 3 January 46 and AFHQ's reply (F 59503) of 26 January 46.
2. You are requested to take coordinated action on para 2 of F 59503 and to submit a draft letter to AFHQ for the Executive Commissioner's signature containing your proposals.
3. Please treat this matter as urgent.

O. R. BRAYBROOKE.

For Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Chief Commissioner
Polad (A)
Polad (B)
Econ Sec

Copy to file 7002/EC ✓

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: F 59503

Date/Time of Origin: 261501A

Message Centre No: G/B192

Date Time Rec'd: JAN 27 1200

Precedence: IMPORTANT
JAN 28 1046

FROM: FREEDOM SIGNED SACRED CITE FIVE

TO : ACTION ALCOM RCM

JAN 31 1946

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SECRET.

REUR SIGNAL 9894 OF 3 JANUARY.

1. LIAISON OFFICERS ON PANTELIERIA AND LAMPEDUSA MAY BE RECALLED PROVIDED THAT THESE ISLANDS ARE COVERED BY LIAISON OFFICERS PALESTINE AS PROPOSED BY YOU.
2. IT IS DESIRED THAT AN INITIAL INSPECTION SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT BY REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THREE SERVICE SUBCOMMISSIONS AND THAT THE LATTER SHOULD ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS TO IMPLEMENT THE PROVISIONS OF PARA 4 B OF PAN 634. THEREAFTER OCCASIONAL VISITS OF A LIAISON OFFICER SHOULD SUFFICE PROVIDED THAT HE IS ADEQUATELY BRIEFED BY THE SERVICE S/C S.
3. INSPECTION REPORTS ON THESE ISLANDS SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO AMHQ.

AC DIST

ACTION: EX COMMISSIONER (2)

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER

FOLAD A

FOLAD B

BOON (2)

EX O (B)

EX O (B)

FILE (SKELETON)

Copy to: File 7002/EC.

SECRET

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Ref: 7002/380/EC.

31 January 1946.

SUBJECT: Allied Commission CIO VENEZIA.

TO : Adjutant.

Will you please insert the following in the Daily Bulletin:

"Telephone Number - CIO VENEZIA.
Reference para 3 this Office letter 7002/365/EC of 14 January
46 the telephone of the Allied Commission Chief Liaison Officer,
VENEZIA, is now connected direct line MESTRE Military Exchange
Extension 83.

(Office of the Executive Commissioner)."

M. W. HIND-SMITH

Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

Copy to 990/EC.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM
EXECUTIVE OFFICER

REFERENCE : 6-12/11/4

28 January, 1946.

JAN 28 1946

SUBJECT : C.R.'s in Liaison Groups.

TO : Executive Commissioner.

1. All C.I.C.'s have been notified of entitlement of EM/GR's based on proposed W.E. Posting instructions have either been issued, or are awaited from C2E., for all surplus personnel (2r).

2. The only exception to above is non-clerical personnel in ~~PIERCE~~. This will be dealt with as soon as the nominal roll of surplus personnel is received from C.I.C.

H.S. 2811

Whitaker

K. WILBE-JONES,
Lt. Colonel,
Executive Officer.

KWJ/CL.

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JAN 25 1946

(2) AFHQ FOR G-5 (3) AIGOM LO PIEMONTE

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PARA ONE PD ABLE FOX HOW QUEEN DESIRE REDUCTION IN PUBLIC SAFETY
OFFICERS IN LIAISON GROUPS PD

PARA TWO PD REQUEST YOU CONFIRM YOUR AGREEMENT TO REDUCTION IN
PIEMONTE AND STATE MINIMUM NUMBER REQUIRED CMA OR GIVE REASONS
FOR MAINTAINING PRESENT FIGURE WHICH IS FOUR

See In. 378.
See Folio 383

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G J LEONE
CWO USA
ASST ADJUTANT

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Tel. Ext. 510.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM
EXECUTIVE OFFICER

REFERENCE : G-1B/111/A.

26 January, 1946.

SUBJECT : Transportation Officer in NAILES.

1946

TO : Executive Commissioner.

You raised the question of Capt. T.E. RAISBY (A) remaining in NAILES. I have consulted Col. BUCHANAN who states that it is desirable to keep a Transportation Officer for sometime longer in NAILES.

See to 376

W.S. 7811

Whitcomb

K. WILKS-JONES,
Lt. Colonel,
Executive Officer (Br).

WJZ/hb.

fax 27

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Ref: 7002/BO.

25 January 1946.

SUBJECT: A.C. Liaison Group - BOLZANO.

TO : Lt. Col. S. W. Miller, M.C.,
AC Chief Liaison Officer,
BOLZANO.

It is necessary to review very carefully the matter of the personnel in your Liaison Group. Will you therefore forward to this HQ within, say, ten days of your return from LIAP, an appreciation of the personnel situation in BOLZANO, giving your opinion as to whether you consider that the whole of this group is absolutely necessary.

H. W. Hind Smith
Brig

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator's Reference: CM/42

Message Centre No: G/8051

Date/Time of Origin: 24

Date Time Rec'd: JAN 25 1000

FROM: CLO VENEZIA

Precedence: PRIORITY

TO : ALCOM EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER

JAN 25 1946

UNCLASSIFIED.

OFFICE OF CLO VENEZIA NOW CONNECTED DIRECT LINE MESSENGER MILITARY EXCHANGE,
EXTENSION 83.

AC DIST

ACTION: EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER 2

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

FILE 2

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ATTENTION

See 360.

HEADQUARTERS
25 JAN 1946

- c/c.
- 1) Send memo to Asst. for Daily Bulletin.
 - 2) Inform PA to EC. H.S. 28/1

Noted 1/27 3722

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
OFFICE OF C-4 (R)

7002.96

CM/100/32

SUBJECT: Subsistence of British elements of Liaison Units.

TO: G.H.Q., C.M.F.

21 January 1946.

MAIL ROOM

1. Owing to the anticipated closing down of many supply installations in the near future it is feared that difficulty will be experienced by groups of both A.C. and MIA Liaison personnel in obtaining:-
 - a. Rations.
 - b. Petrol.
 - c. EPI Supplies.
2. It is suggested that arrangements may be possible for the joint subsistence of these units as the locations of both are similar. (Unit strength and location chart attached).
3. A request is made for any advance information that could be supplied on the subject particularly with regard to what supply installations it is proposed by G.H.Q. shall remain and where to help both A.C. and MIA in the matter of planning to meet the contingency mentioned in para.1 above, if and when it should occur.

Per the Chief Commissioner

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(Sgt) F.H. McLeary
H.S. LUSH HCN
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copies to:- Land Forces Sub-Commandant
(MIA)
Your O.258 dated
12 Jan. '46 refers.

H.Q. Commandant.

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1. Owing to the anticipated closing down of many supply installations in the near future it is feared that difficulty will be experienced by groups of both A.C. and MIA Liaison personnel in obtaining:-

- a. Rations.
- b. Petrol.
- c. MFI Supplies.

2. It is suggested that arrangements may be possible for the joint subsistence of these units as the locations of both are similar. (Unit strength and location chart attached).

3. A request is made for any advance information that could be supplied on the subject particularly with regard to what supply installations it is proposed by G.H.Q. shall remain and where to help both A.C. and MIA in the matter of planning to meet the contingency mentioned in para.1 above, if and when it should occur.

For the Chief Commissioner

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(Sgd) F. H. McLeary
H.S. LUCH HEN
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Ex Com ✓
Copies to:- Land Forces Sub-Commission (MIA)

Your Q.278 dated 12 Jan. '46 refers.

H.Q. Commandant.

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Wai. H.

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APPENDIX 'A'

GROUP	A.C. Offrs.	A.C. O.Re.	A.C. Total	MIA Offrs.	MIA O.Re.	MIA Total	Combined Strength	Ital. Civil.
MILAN	8	2	10	5	12	17	27	--
LOMBARDIA	8	22	30	--	--	--	30	--
LIGURIA	4	6	10	2	4	6	16	5
PIEMONTE	9	11	20	5	12	17	37	--
VENEZIA	4	7	11	--	--	--	11	--
BARI	2	1	3	2	4	6	9	5
BOLAGNA	3	4	7	2	4	6	13	5
BOLZANO	3	8	11	5	12	17	28	--
NAPLES	2	5	7	5	12	17	24	--
SICILY	1	2	3	2	4	6	9	5
ANGONA	1	1	2	--	--	--	2	--
LEGHORN	1	2	3	5	12	17	20	--

In addition to the above MIA have an approximate strength in Rome
of 200 and in Udine 2 Officers, 4 O.Re. and 5 Italian Civilians.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
OFFICE OF G-4 (B)

370.
Tel: 489081.
Ext: 436.

G4/190/32

21 January 1946.

SUBJECT : Subsistence Liaison Units.

JAN 21 1946

TO : Office of the Executive Commissioner. 3A.

1. Reference your 7002/369/EC dated 16 January 1946.
2. This matter has been discussed with Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. (M.M.I.A.) and the attached letter is passed to you for favour of signature and return to this Branch please.


D.C. MOYLE
Major, R.A.
A/G-4 (B)

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Ref: 7002/369/EP

18 January 1946

SUBJECT: Subsistence-Liaison Units

TO : C-4 (B)

The attached letter received from Land Forces, Q.258 of 11 January 1946, is passed to you for action and preparation of reply for signature of the acting Executive Commissioner.

HS.

Chief Staff Officer
to Executive Commissioner

See 370.372.

[Handwritten signature]

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IN'COMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator's Reference: **F 58898**
Date/Time of Origin: **JAN 051437A**

Message Centre No: **G/6800**
Date Time Rec'd: **JAN 060900A**
Precedence: **ROUTINE**

FROM: **CHQ CMF SIGNED SACRED CITE FROEG**
TO : **ALLIED COMMISSION ROME**

JAN 7 1946

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Reur 9891 of 3rd January 1946.

Views of CINC MED are being obtained after which a decision will be made.

AC DISTRIBUTION

ACTION: **EAEC Comm (2)**
INFO : **CHIEF COMMISSIONER**
: **FILE**
 G-1 (B)
 G-1 (A)

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MR.

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Original on file 8273/EC further action to be taken on 7002/EC

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NOTE: This is only a copy.

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HQ ALCOM

G-5 AFHQ

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DO YOU WISH ABLE MIKE GEORGE OFFICERS PANTELLERIA LAMPEDUSA REMAIN

AS LIAISON OFFICERS PD

SUGGEST THEY BE RECALLED AND THESE ISLANDS COVERED BY LIAISON

OFFICERS PALERMO

Copy to: G-1(B)
G-1(A)

Office of Exec. Commr.

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QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
No. 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

365

Ref: 7002/365/EC

14 January 1946

SUBJECT: Allied Commission Liaison Groups

TO : See Distribution Below

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Reference 212/261/EC dated 4 January 1946, para 3.

1. The Office of the Allied Commission Chief Liaison Officer, Venezia will close at 1400 and open at 1400 w.e.f. 0900 hours 15 January 1946.

2. The location is the Villa Taverna, to the South of TREVISO on Route 13.

3. Telephone number will be notified later.

MESTRE MILITARY EXCHANGE
EXT 83.

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For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Internal Distribution:
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AC CLO ARI

AMFAS

LIVORNO

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LIBOURN (Venezia)

FERRARA (Turin)

LOMBARDIA (Milan)

BOZZANO

VENEZIA (Trevise)

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AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGEG

ALCOM, INFO: XIII CORPS

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In view shortage US officers in VENEZIA GIULIA it may well be advisable to place less qualified officers on duty there as a stop gap until they learn job or until they can be replaced. The fact officers senior in grade to prevent caos need not prevent their temporary assignment. Feel sure they will give loyal service in situation explained to all. VENEZIA GIULIA should have priority over liaison teams except on north-west border. No objection to higher ratio British in liaison teams during readjustment period. Presume you are holding offices on civil affairs duties as presently authorised. With authorised strength 250 officers and present strength 230 officers you are probably better off than any other US Unit in the theater.

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INFO Chief Commissioner
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7002 COPY 361
Subject:- Subsistence Liaison Units.

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME.
Q.258
11 January, 1946.

To:- A.C. for Executive Commissioner. 350

1. This Sub Commission has liaison units in various parts of Italy, corresponding in most cases to the location of A.C. I.Os. as per A.C. letter reference 212/261/EC dated 4 Jan 46.

2. Some of these liaison units are a distance from Allied Supply Installations and the number of such cases is likely to increase in the near future. In view of the fact that your liaison units will no doubt be in the same position, this Sub Commission is desirous of arranging a co-ordinated plan for maintaining these units, and would like to receive any proposal you might have regarding their joint subsistence.

signed.....

for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to:- S. & T.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 700156/20

11 January 1945

SUBJECT: Directive for A.C. Liaison Officers

TO : A.C. Chief Liaison Officers:

NAHLES	(5)
LIVORNO	(5)
BOLOGNA	(5)
LIGURIA (GENOA)	(5)
PIEMONTE (TURIN)	(5)
LOMBARDIA (MILAN)	(5)
EMILIA	(5)
VENEZIA (PADOVA)	(5)
SICILY (PALERMO)	(5)
BARI	(5)

A.C. Liaison Officer (Th.) ANCONA (4)

Ref. Directive for A.C. Liaison Officers of 29 December 1945 under reference 7001/342/20, addressed to:

Regional Commissioner, Liguria Region
" " " Piemonte Region
" " " Lombardia Region
" " " Venezia Region
Commissioner, Livorno Zone
" " " Naples Zone

Please amend para 3(e) to include the following information:

(XI) Ancona
Capt. K.F. Vaughn (B)

(XII) Rome
Capt. S.G. Hall (A): with Italian State Railways.

Copies to: C.A. Section (10)
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Executive Officer B
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C-1 (B) (3)
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Land Forces Subcommission
Air Forces Subcommission
Communications Subcommission
PIO
A. C. L. O. 2 District

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A.C. Chief Liaison Officers:

(5) NAPLES
(5) LIVORNO
(5) BOLOGNA
(5) LIGURIA (GENOVA)
(5) PIEMONTE (TURIN)
(5) LOMBARDIA (MILAN)
(5) BOZZANO
(5) VENEZIA (PADOVA)
(5) SICILY (PALERMO)
(5) RARI

A.C. Liaison Officer (Th.)

ANTONA

(4)

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7001/342/EC, addressed to:

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Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7002/EC

11 January 1946

SUBJECT: Duties of A.C.C.L.O., Bolzano

TO : A. C. Chief Liaison Officer, Bolzano

Reference the Directive for A.C. Liaison Officer forwarded under cover of 7002/EC, dated 29 September 1945.

Due to the exceptional situation in Bolzano Province the following addition to Para 2 of the Directive is forwarded for information and necessary action:

"(a) A special responsibility will devolve upon the Liaison Officer in BOLZANO Province by virtue of the existence, in that Province, of two ethnic groups with different viewpoints.

(b) In the normal course of his duties he will visit and talk with representatives of all parties; but it will not be desirable for him to receive formally either petitions, letters or delegations. Such communications should be referred either to local or Central Italian Governmental Authorities. He will explain to applicants that he is an observer only, and will invariably maintain an attitude of strict impartiality in his own speech and approach to the problem.

(c) He will on no account commit himself to any expression of opinion on behalf of the Commission or of the Allied Powers. He will endeavour, by example and demeanour, to encourage mutual understanding and tolerance between the two groups.

(d) It will be his duty to give early information to Headquarters, Allied Commission, of any circumstances which appear likely to cause a worsening of local feeling. In such cases, it would be proper for him to recommend to Headquarters, Allied Commission, the steps necessary in his judgement to prevent such a deterioration of the local position.

(e) The intervention of Italian troops in any ethnic dispute would obviously be an event likely to have serious repercussions. Liaison Officers will be scrupulously careful not to commit themselves to any action which might imply either acquiescence or disapproval of such intervention. They will however immediately report such matters to Headquarters, Allied Commission. 3611

(f) They will at all times keep an Allied Commander informed of the course of events. Should Allied lives or property appear to be endangered, they will advise the Allied Commander accordingly repeating the information to this Headquarters."

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ACOLIO: Naples
Bolzano

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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SUBJECT: Duties of A.O.C.L.O., Bolzano

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ACOLO: Naples

Livorno

Bologna

Liguria (Genoa)

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: RXII ADM 121

Message Centre No: G 7125

Date/Time of Origin: JAN 100945

Date Time Rec'd: JAN 101730

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG VENEZIA REGION

TO : HQ ALCOM

JAN 11 1945

UNCLASSIFIED:

Office of Chief Liaison Officer Venezia will close at Padova and reopen at Villa Taverna 0900 hrs 15 January. New location is South of Treviso on road to Mestre. Phone no will be notified later.

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ACTION : EX COMM

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER

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Ref: 7002/356/EG

9 January 1946

MEMO TO : Executive Officer (A)
Executive Officer (B)

Attached is a copy of a letter received from G-5, AFHQ.

Reference is also made to AFHQ Signal FC57958 of 6 Jan.
(action G-1 (A), Inf: Est Sec G-1 (B) etc.).

Brigadier Parsons will be visiting Allied Commission
tomorrow, 10 January at 1200 hours and it is proposed to discuss
the matter with him.

C. R. BRAYBROOKE

Chief Staff Officer
to Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 211 Liaison Officers.

7 January 1946

JAN 9 1946

SUBJECT: Liaison Officers.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

1. It is observed that your initial plan for the deployment of Liaison Groups in the Provinces of Italy under Italian Government jurisdiction make provision for approximately 23 Liaison Officers, 18 Public Safety Officers and a small number of specialist officers.

2. It must be the basic policy to keep these liaison groups to the very minimum. They should only be located in areas where there are Allied Military interests of sufficient importance to justify the retention of Civil Affairs Officers.

3. It is considered that the number of Public Safety Officers is over generous and they should be reduced. The following priority for the employment of Public Safety Officers will govern:

- a. Maintaining the TO/VE of Venezia Giulia.
- b. Completing the requirements of MMIA.
- c. Retention in Liaison Groups of an absolutely essential minimum. *see 359.*
- d. Any surplus British public safety officers after the requirements of a, b and c above have been met, will be made available to other theatres.

4. It is requested that in the light of the above you review your plan for the deployment of Liaison Groups and submit as soon as possible after 21 January 1946, your detailed recommendations, with justifications for those Groups which it is considered essential to retain. In the meantime, however, as a matter of urgency you will put into effect the policy outlined in paragraph 3 above.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

8 JAN 1946

Hamblen
A. L. HAMBLIN 370
Brigadier General, GSC
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Copy to:

G-3 (AFHQ)
G-SD (CMF).

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Copy 6: 9-1(B).

See M.371. See F.356

(Capt. B)

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ROUTINE

HQ ANG VENEZIA REGION

JAN 9 1946

ALCOM

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Ref your letter 7001/342/EG dated 29 December 1945.

Following errors noted.

Captain J.W. BROWN (B) INDUSTRY DIV. Para 3B and
Captain S.F. CRAMER (B) FOOD AND AGRIC para 3D both S.O.S. VENEZIA
REGION on release.

This HQ signals R 12/ADM/177.7 dated 10 December 45
and Casualty serial number A113 of same date.

Captain D.J. FRASER (B) FINANCE DIVISION para 3F
proceeding on release next week.

First Lieut. W.S. ALLEN proceeded to U.S. on release
11 December 1945.

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Action : Est Sect

Info : Chief Commissioner

G-1 (B)

G-1 (A)

File.

NOTE FROM G-1(B).

Attached signal passed to you
for info. It is confirmed that the
facts stated are correct.

(Sgd) S.S. Cullen.

maist.

8/Jan.

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Exp. Comm. (354)
INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: PR/ADJ1
Date/Time of Origin: JAN 071000A
FROM: HQ AMG PIEMONTE REGION
TO: ALCOM AC EX COMM
Message Centre No: G/6914
Date Time Rec'd: JAN 080920 A
Precedence: IMPORTANT
JAN 8 1946

UNCLASSIFIED, 1 Jordan
I assumed command of Allied Commission liaison group at Turin 5 January 1946.

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ACTION : EX COMMR 2
INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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JAN 8 1946

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7002-214-353
6 January 1946

Chief Commissioner:

The position and functions of the A.C. Liaison Officers in Bolzano require special consideration. Both the State Department and the Foreign Office take particular interest in this province and the ethnic question as a whole. We must also remember that the Austrian side of the problem is being pressed with considerable force by the Allied Commission for Austria (U.S., British, and undoubtedly French) direct to their respective Governments. The Italian side is represented chiefly, I suppose, by Italian M.F.A. through their respective ambassadors to the Allied Governments and therefore has not so much force.

Both Embassies here will expect much information from the AC Liaison Officers in Bolzano.

I asked Brigadier Dunlop to draft a special paragraph for Bolzano to be inserted in the general directive to ACLOs. Opposite is his draft.

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Draft directive to be submitted.

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Chief Commissioner:

The position and functions of the A.C. Liaison Officers in Bolzano require especial consideration. Both the State Department and the Foreign Office take particular interest in this province and the ethnic question as a whole. We must also remember that the Austrian side of the problem is being pressed with considerable force by the Allied Commission for Austria (U.S., British, and undoubtedly French) direct to their respective Governments. The Italian side is represented chiefly, I suppose, by Italian M.F.A. through their respective ambassadors to the Allied Governments and therefore has not so much force.

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Copy to: Brig. Dunlop.

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He will on no account commit himself to any expression of opinion on behalf of the Commission or of the Allied Powers. He will endeavour, by example and demeanour, to encourage mutual understanding and tolerance between the two groups.

It will be his duty to give early information to Headquarters, Allied Commission of any circumstances which appear likely to cause a worsening of local feeling. In such cases, it would be proper for him to recommend to Headquarters, Allied Commission, the steps necessary to prevent such a deterioration of the local position.

The intervention of Italian troops in any ethnic dispute would obviously be an event likely to have serious repercussions. Liaison Officers will be scrupulously careful not to commit themselves to any action which might imply ^{either} acquiescence or disapproval of such intervention. They will, however, immediately report such matters to Headquarters, Allied Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner
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4 January 1946.

Ref: 212/261/AC.

SUBJECT: Allied Commission Liaison Groups.

TO : See Distribution below.

1. W.c.f. 1 January 1946, consequent upon the hand back to the Italian Government of all AMG territory with the exception of VENETIA, GIULIA and the Province of UDINE, Allied Commission Liaison Groups have been established as follows:-

- A.C. Chief Liaison Officers:
- NAPLES
 - LIVORNO
 - BOLOGNA
 - LIGURIA (GENOA)
 - PIEMONTE (TURIN)
 - LOMBARDIA (MILAN)
 - BOLZANO
 - VENETIA (TR-VISO)
 - SICILY (PALERMO)
 - LARI

A.C. Liaison Officer (Tn.) ANCONA

2. These groups include Economic advisors and Public Safety Officers. The functions of the Groups are not executive but are to observe and report and to maintain liaison between the Italian officials, local Allied military commands and Allied Commission.

3. It is to be remembered that AMG Regions will have been wound up by 24 January 1946 therefore no new correspondence should be initiated with them. Correspondence will be addressed as in para 1 above, with the temporary exception of VENETIA which at present still deals with mail for BOLZANO, UDINE and TR-VISO from the former Region address at PADUA. The final move of the VENETIA Liaison Group to TR-VISO will be notified at a later date.

4. The areas, other than those which are self-explanatory, are as follows:-

- NAPLES includes CAMPANIA and CALABRIA,
- BARI includes PUGLIA, LUCANIA and ABRUZZI,
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- BOLOGNA includes EMILIA

For Liaison Lt Col

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Internal Distribution:

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- Copies to:
- G-5, AMHQ
- 2 District
- 3 District

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For details see Lt Col M.L.

For Executive Commissioner,
Brigadier,

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FUNCTIONS OF ALLIED COMMISSION LIAISON OFFICERS.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7002/346/EC

4 January 1946

SUBJECT: Copy of Directive for A.C. Liaison Officers, ref. 7002/EC, dated 29 September 45 as amended by Directive, ref. 7002/330/EC, of December 1945.

C O P Y

TO : EC, Liguria Region (10)
EC, Piemonte Region (15)
EC, Lombardia Region (15)
EC, Venezia Region (15)
Commissioner, Livorno Zone (5)
Commissioner, Naples Command (5)

1. Attached in sufficient number to allow distribution to Provincial Headquarters is the Directive defining the functions of AC Liaison Officers who will assume their duties when the territories of the Northern Regions, Livorno Zone and Naples Command are restored to the Italian Government.

2. This advance distribution of the Directive will permit officers, when assigned thereto, to readily familiarize themselves with the functions of their new AC Liaison duties.

3. A further distribution of the enclosed Directive will be made when offices of Liaison Groups and Officers are established.

(s) F.H. McCleary
Lt. Col.

for Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Copies to: CA Section (10)
Eccon Sec (15)
Estat Sec (6)
Navy S/C
Land Forces S/C (RMIA)
Air Forces S/C
Communications S/C
P.R.O.
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AC LO 2 District
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29 September 1945.

MILLET W. STONE
Rear Admiral
Chief Commissioner

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Ref: 7001/345/EC.

4 January 1946.

SUBJECT: Formation of Liaison Groups.

TO : Polad (A)
Polad (B)
Navy Sub-Commission
Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)
Air Forces Sub-Commission

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Attached for your information is paraphrase of a signal dated 20 December 45 on the formation of AC Liaison Groups.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APC 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7001/342/EC

29 December 1945

SUBJECT: Directive for AC Liaison Officers

TO : RC, Liguria Region (10)
RC, Piemonte Region (15)
RC, Lombardia Region (15)
RC, Venetie Region (15)
Commissioner, Livorno Zone (5)
Commissioner, Naples Commune (5)

Reference memorandum No. 7002/EC of 29 September 45 and 7002/330/EC of December 45, not to all addressees.

1. The Office of Economic Commissioner, Northern Italy, as created by Executive Order No. 84 of 28 November 45, is abolished as of midnight, 31 December 45. The Economic Commissioner, Northern Italy, is permitted a reasonable time (2-3 weeks) after the turnback of Northern Provinces on 31 December 45 to terminate AEC operations and close station.

2. It is not contemplated to establish an Economic Liaison Group in Northern Italy.

3. The following shows new assignments of officers of the Office of Economic Commissioner, Northern Italy to be effective on or before 21 January 1946 as AEC operations are terminated in Northern Italy as indicated in paragraph 1 above. Assignment orders from Establishment Section implementing the following will be issued in due course and also in the case of those officers against whose name no new assignment is shown.

(a)	<u>Economic Commissioner</u> Colonel A. N. Hancock (B) Mr. L. V. R. White (A) F/O E. H. Lloyd (B)	<u>New Assignment</u> Chief A.C. Liaison Officer, Lombardia Office AV/P, Economic Section. Venezia Giulia (Commerce).
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(b) Industry Division.

any liaison work in Italian Government territory with respect to Industry and Commerce functions will be carried out by personnel assigned to Industry & Utilities Sub-Commission, HQ., A.C., Rome, who when working outside Headquarters Rome will come under the command of the A.C. Liaison Officer concerned.

<u>Name</u> Mr. E. W. Rembert Lt. Col. S. A. Crump Maj. A. MacNaughton- Wright Maj. K. C. Wilson Capt. J. C. Elliott Capt. J. C. Stott Mr. E. R. Whitehead Major J. Riddell	(A) (A) (B) (B) (B) (B) (A) (B)	<u>New Assignment</u> Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm. Assignment to be directed. ditto. Venezia Giulia (Ind) Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm. Venezia Giulia (Commerce) Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm. ditto.
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 RC, Venezia Region
 Commissioner, Livorno Zone
 Commissioner, Naples Commune

7002/330/EC of December 45, not to all addressees.

1. The Office of Economic Commissioner, Northern Italy, as created by Executive Order No. 84 of 28 November 45, is abolished as of midnight, 31 December 45. The Economic Commissioner, Northern Italy, is permitted a reasonable time (2-3 weeks) after the turnback of Northern Provinces on 31 December 45 to terminate AEC operations and close station.

2. It is not contemplated to establish an Economic Liaison Group in Northern Italy.

3. The following shows new assignments of officers of the Office of Economic Commissioner, Northern Italy to be effective on or before 21 January 1946 as AEC operations are terminated in Northern Italy as indicated in paragraph 1 above. Assignment orders from Establishment Section implementing the following will be issued in due course and also in the case of those officers against whose name no new assignment is shown.

<u>Economic Commissioner</u>		<u>New Assignment</u>	
(a)	Colonel A. N. Hancock	(B)	Chief A.C. Liaison Officer, Lombardia
	Mr. L. V. R. White	(A)	Office A/P, Economic Section.
	P/O E. H. Lloyd	(B)	Venezia Giulia (Commerce).
(b)	<u>Industry Division.</u>		

Any liaison work in Italian Government territory with respect to Industry and Commerce functions will be carried out by personnel assigned to Industry & Utilities Sub-Commission, HQ., A.C., Rome, who when working outside Headquarters Rome will come under the command of the A.C. Liaison Officer concerned.

<u>Name</u>		<u>New Assignment</u>	
Mr. E. W. Rembert	(A)	Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm.	
Lt. Col. S. A. Crump	(A)	Assignment to be directed.	
Mr. J. A. MacNaughton-Wright	(B)	ditto.	
Maj. K. C. Wilson	(B)	Venezia Giulia (Ind)	
Capt. J. C. Elliott	(B)	Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm.	
Capt. J. C. Stott	(B)	Venezia Giulia (Commerce)	
Mr. H. R. Whitehead	(A)	Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm.	
Major J. Riddell	(B)	ditto.	
Major R. T. Harris	(B)	ditto.	
Capt. J. Stopford	(B)	ditto.	
Capt. W. King	(B)	Venezia Giulia (Ind)	
Capt. J. W. Brown	(B)	Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm.	
Capt. S. Midlow	(B)	Udine (Industry)	
Capt. A. C. Laphorne	(B)	Commerce (FT) - Sub-Comm.	

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(c) Public Works & Utilities Division

All WW Public Works & Utilities activities are to be closed out and turned over to the Italian Government on or before 15 January 1946.

<u>Name</u>	<u>New Assignment</u>
Lt. Col. W. Knight	Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm. (B)
Major A. C. Evans	Udine (PW & U) (B)
Major A. J. Green	Assignment to be directed. (B)
Major A. Haben	Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm. (A)
Capt. L. J. Hodges	Assignment to be directed. (B)
Lt. Col. P. S. Lee	" " ditto. (B)
Capt. J. R. Brownlee	Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm. (A)
1st Lt. W. J. Alsop	Venezia Giulia (PW & U) (A)
Capt. J. W. L. Butcher	Venezia Giulia (PW & U) (B)
Capt. A. G. A. Saul	Udine (PW & U) (B)

(d) Food & Agriculture Division

The following Food Officers are to be retained at the locations hereafter indicated to carry out supply liaison functions under the command of the A.C. Liaison Officer concerned, until the Allied Commission is relieved of supply responsibility by COS (ATHQ) and turnover of functions is effected with UNRRA.

(i) <u>Lombardia (Milan)</u>	
Lt. Col. R. E. Horn	(B)
Capt. R. E. Richert	(A)
(ii) <u>Liguria (Genoa)</u>	
Capt. E. C. Toomer	(B)
(iii) <u>Piemonte</u>	
Capt. C. D. Perry	(A)
(iv) <u>Venezia (Venice)</u>	
Capt. O. C. Venus	(B)

Balance of Food & Agriculture Division officers disposed of as follows:-

<u>Name</u>	<u>New Assignment</u>
Capt. J. D. Lester	Assignment to be directed (B)
Capt. J. F. Keim	Venezia Giulia (Agr.) (A)
1st Lt. S. H. Condict	ditto. (A)
Capt. A. H. Bird	Assignment to be directed (B)
Maj. S. E. McCreadie	ditto. (B)
Maj. J. K. Wilson	ditto. (B)
1st Lt. J. S. Cammerata	ditto. (A)
Maj. A. T. S. Lockwood	Assignment to be directed or (A)
Maj. H. Dring	Venezia Giulia since he is Class A (B)
Maj. R. Russell	Assignment to be directed (B)
Capt. K. C. Black	Udine (Agr.) (B)
Capt. W. G. Hall	Assignment to be directed (A)
Capt. S. F. Crane	Assignment to be directed (B)
Capt. G. L. MacLachlan	Assignment to be directed (C)

Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm.
 Udine (PW & U)
 Assignment to be directed.
 Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm.
 Assignment to be directed.
 ... ditto.
 Industry & Utilities Sub-Comm.
 Venezia Giulia (PW & U)
 Venezia Giulia (PW & U)
 Udine (PW & U)

(d) Food & Agriculture Division

The following Food Officers are to be retained at the locations hereafter indicated to carry out supply liaison functions under the command of the A.C. Liaison Officer concerned, until the Allied Commission is relieved of supply responsibility by COS (AFHQ) and turnover of functions is effected with UNRRA.

- (i) Lombardia (Milan)
 Lt. Col. R. E. Horn (B)
 Capt. R. E. Richard (A)
- (ii) Liguria (Genoa)
 Capt. R. C. Toomer (B)
- (iii) Piemonte
 Capt. C. D. Perry (A)
- (iv) Venezia (Venice)
 Capt. O. C. Venus (B)

Balance of Food & Agriculture Division officers disposed of as follows:-

Name	New Assignment
Capt. J. D. Lester (B)	Assignment to be directed
Capt. J. F. Keim (A)	Venezia Giulia (Agr.)
1st Lt. S. H. Condict (A)	ditto.
Capt. ... H. Bird (B)	Assignment to be directed
Maj. S. P. McCreddie (B)	ditto.
Maj. J. I. Watson (B)	ditto.
1st Lt. J. S. Comarata (A)	Assignment to be directed or
Maj. A. T. S. Lockwood (A)	Venezia Giulia since he is Class 4
Maj. R. Dring (B)	Assignment to be directed
Maj. R. Russell (B)	ditto.
Capt. R. C. Black (B)	Udine (Agr.)
Capt. W. G. Hall (A)	Assignment to be directed
Capt. S. F. Crum (B)	Udine (Food)
Capt. G. L. MacLachlan (C)	Assignment to be directed

(e) Transportation Division.

The following Transportation Officers are to be retained at the locations hereafter indicated to carry out transportation and supply liaison functions under the command of the A.C. Liaison Officer concerned until the Allied Commission is relieved of responsibility by COS (AFHQ) and turnover of function is effected with UNRRA.

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- (i) Lombardia (Milan)
1st Lt. R. T. O'Donnell (A)
Major H. A. Sargent (B)
- (ii) Liguria (Genoa)
Capt. J. H. Lloyd Davies (B)
- (iii) Piemonte (Turin)
Capt. Paul E. Hannon (A)
- (iv) Venezia
Maj. H. J. O. Prinsloo (B)
Lt. W. J. D. Evans (B)
Verona
- (v) Florence
W. O. (JE) W. W. Hill (A)
- (vi) Bologna
Capt. W. H. Munn (B)
- (vii) Livorno
1st Lt. G. Lester (A)
- (viii) Naples
Capt. E. E. Ramsey (A)
- (ix) Brindisi
Lt. R. F. Lewis (B)
- (x) Pari
Mr. S. P. France (A)

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- (xi) Ancona
Capt. K. F. Vaughan (B)
- (xii) Rome
Capt. S. E. Hall (A):
with Italian State
Railways.

Balance of the Transportation Officers to be assigned as follows:-

- | Name | New Assignment |
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| Lt. Col. Milton Harris | (A) New assignment to be directed |
| Major D. M. Chapman | (B) ditto. |
| Capt. I. Calvane | (C) Transportation Sub-Com. |
| Capt. R. J. Woodcock | (B) Assignment to be directed. |
| Capt. W. G. Bickley | (A) ditto. |
| 1st Lt. A. N. Pankratz | (A) Venezia Giulia (Transp.) |
| Lt. A. McD. Clark | (B) Assignment to be directed. |
| WO (JE) G. F. Christians | (A) ditto. |
| 1st Lt. W. S. Allen | (A) ditto. |
| Major E. B. Corby | (C) ditto. |
| Capt. J. W. E. Osborne | (B) Udine (Transp.) |
| Capt. J. W. Bowes | (B) Assignment to be directed. |

(f) Finance Division.

- | Name | New Assignment |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Col. E. D. Howell | (A) Assignment to be directed. |
| Major D. B. MacKenzie | (B) ditto. |
| Capt. L. Osmond | (B) ditto. |
| Capt. I. Praeger | (B) Venezia Giulia (Finance) |
| Capt. J. Cuthbertson | (B) AFA |
| Capt. T. C. Evans | (B) Venezia Giulia (Finance) |
| Capt. E. H. Fletcher | (B) ditto. |
| Lt. Col. Paul D. Schriever | (A) Assignment to be directed. |

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Name	Assignment
Col. E. D. Howell	Assignment to be directed.
Major D. B. MacKenzie	ditto.
Capt. L. Camond	ditto.
Capt. L. Preampton	Venezia Giulia (Finance)
Capt. J. Caldwellbertson	APR
Capt. T. C. Evans	Venezia Giulia (Finance)
Capt. E. H. Fletcher	ditto.
Lt. Col. Paul D. Schriever	Assignment to be directed.
1st Lt. John T. Murphy	Udine (Finance)
Capt. E. J. Fraser	Assignment to be directed
Capt. J. W. Harrington	Venezia Giulia (Finance)
Maj. E. White	Assignment to be directed.

(XII) Rome
Capt. S. C. Hall (A):
with Italian State
Railways.

New Assignment

New assignment

(A) New assignment to be directed
(B) ditto.
(A) Transportation Sub-Comm.
(B) Assignment to be directed.
(A) ditto.
(A) Venezia Giulia (Transp.)
(B) assignment to be directed.
(A) ditto.
(A) ditto.
(C) ditto.
(B) Udine (Transp.)
(B) Assignment to be directed.

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(A)	Assignment to be directed.
(B)	ditto.
(B)	ditto.
(B)	Venezia Giulia (Finance)
(B)	AFM.
(B)	Venezia Giulia (Finance)
(B)	ditto.
(A)	Assignment to be directed.
(A)	Udine (Finance)
(B)	Assignment to be directed
(B)	Venezia Giulia (Finance)
(B)	Assignment to be directed.

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(E) Labor Division

<u>Name</u>	<u>New Assignment</u>
Mr. R. C. Airey	(E) Assignment to be directed (21 Jan 46)
Maj. E. Seicluna	(E) Venezia Giulia (Labour)
Maj. T. A. Fisher	(A) Assignment to be directed

(b) Captured Enemy Materials Division

The following officers at present assigned to CEM Division will temporarily continue to perform their present functions under the direction of CEM Branch, Supply Group, Economic Section, HQ, A.C. Rome through the A.C. Liaison Officer, Lombardia. This is an interim arrangement pending the disposition of recommendation to be made by HQ, A.C. that CEM functions be taken over by AFHQ.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Maj. T. J. Roworth (Officer in charge)	Milan
Maj. D. S. Strachen-Ludus	Milan
Maj. D. H. Chapman	Milan. Assignment to be directed.
Capt. F. S. Booth	Milan. Assignment to be directed.
Capt. A. Fryer	Milan.
Lt. W. J. Warren	Milan.
Capt. E. A. Davies	Milan.
Capt. J. S. Arnoore	Turin
1st Lt. S. Nardini	Bolzano.
1st Lt. R. W. Babin	Bolzano.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7002/330/EG

December 1945

SUBJECT: Directive for Allied Commission Liaison Officers

TO : RC, Liguria Region (10)
RC, Piemonte Region (15)
RC, Lombardia Region (15)
RC, Venezia Region (15)
Commissioner, Livorno Zone (5)
Commissioner, Naples Commune (5)

1. Reference this Headquarters' 7002/EG of 23 September 1945.
2. Will you please cancel para 4 of the attached directive and substitute the following:

"4. They will at all times avoid being involved in questions of Italian Local Government and, even if asked, they will NOT give official advice on behalf of the Allied Commission to Prefects or other State employees. They will, in all cases, refer the Italian local official to his Ministry in Rome. The Allied Governments are most anxious to promote free and secret elections and an essential preliminary is the preparation of a proper electoral list. Any points which affect these matters coming to the notice of liaison officers should be included in their monthly reports."

For the Chief Commissioner:

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INFORMAL ROUTING

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SUBJECT: Liaison Teams.

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	G1(B)	Executive Commission.	28/XII/45	Herewith Liaison Teams. The Lombardie Team contains the remnants of former Italian Eca Group which Eca and Section want to remain in the north. Dushe...

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LIASON TEAMS

1	(1) <u>SICILY</u>	Major J. Lund	(A)		18	(9) <u>LOMBARDIA</u>	Col. M.N. Hancock	(B)	C.L.O.	
							Maj. W.H. Savin	(A)	L.O.	
5	(2) <u>NAPLES</u>	Col. J.A.C. Pennyquick	(B)	C.L.O.			Capt. J.B. Fleetwood	(B)	P.S.O.	
		Maj. G.J. Carrillio	(A)	L.O.			Capt. A. Riley	(B)	P.S.O.	
		Maj. H.S. Harris	(B)	P.S.O.			Maj. A.C. Holland	(B)	Comm.	
		Capt. W.L. Wilson	(B)	P.S.O.			Capt. G.L. Haddock	(B)	Comm.	
		Capt. T.E. Ramsey	(A)	Tn.			Maj. H. Symons	(B)	Tn.	
3	(3) <u>BARI</u>	Lt Col. L.E. Vining	(B)	L.O.			1/Lt R.T. O'Donnell	(A)	Tn.	
		Lt. R.F. Lewis	(B)	Tn.			Lt Col. R.E. Horn	(B)	Food.	
		Mr. S.P. France	(Civ(A))	Tn.			Capt. R.E. Richert	(A)	Food.	
5	(4) <u>LIVORNO</u>	Col. L.J. Hensley	(A)	C.L.O.			Maj. T.I. Roworth	(B)	C.E.M.	
		Capt. S. Beatty	(A)	P.S.O.			Capt. A. Fryer	(B)	C.E.M.	
		1/Lt G. Lester	(A)	Tn.			Capt. R.A. Davies	(B)	C.E.M.	
		Maj. C.A. Warren	(A)	L.O.			Lt. W.J. Warren	(B)	C.E.M.	
		WOJG W.W. Hill	(A)	Tn.			1/Lt R.E. Evasick	(A)	Adm.	
							Capt. J.O. Dare	(B)	Adm.	
							Capt. T.R. Swisher	(A)	M.T.	
							Capt. E. Hoyle	(B)	M.T.	
6	(5) <u>BOLOGNA</u>	Lt Col. TWJ Walters	(B)	C.L.O.		9	(10) <u>BOLZANO</u>	Col. S.W. Miller	(B)	C.L.O.
		Capt. H.A. Demasi	(A)	L.O.			Lt Col. L. Neprud	(A)	L.O.	
		1/Lt O.R. Anselmo	(A)	L.O.			Capt. E.R. Fairweather	(B)	L.O.	
		Maj. A.G.P. Way	(B)	P.S.O.			1/Lt R.R. Thompson	(A)	L.O.	
		Capt. L.J. Monson	(A)	P.S.O.			Maj. W. Hare	(B)	P.S.O.	
		Capt. W.H. Nunn	(B)	Tn.			Capt. G.W. Brown	(B)	P.S.O.	
1	(6) <u>ANCONA</u>	Capt. K.F. Vaughan	(B)	Tn.			Maj. C.L.P. Gilshenan	(B)	Log.	
7	(7) <u>LIGURIA</u>	Lt Col. W. Turner-Coles	(B)	C.L.O.			1/Lt J.S. Nardini	(A)	C.E.M.	
		Maj. G.R. Koopman	(A)	L.O.			1/Lt R.N. Bombino	(A)	C.E.M.	
		Capt. J. Kane	(B)	P.S.O.						
		Maj. K.W. Fischer	(A)	P.S.O.						
		Capt. J.E. Tough	(B)	P.S.O.						
		Capt. J.H. Lloyd-Davies	(B)	Tn.						
		Capt. E.G. Toomer	(B)	Food.						
13	(8) <u>PIEMONTE</u>	Col. W.R. Jordan	(A)	C.L.O. until rel'd by Col. M.S. Arnold (A)		11	(11) <u>VENEZIA</u>	Brigadier J.K. Dunlop	(B)	C.L.O.
		Lt Col. A.P. Gardner	(B)	L.O. Tenda.				(until rel'd by Lt Col F.O. 12)		
		Capt. J.A. Fournier	(A)	L.O.				Maj. W.M. Harrison	(B)	L.O.
		Capt. A. Ciliberti	(A)	L.O.				Capt. A.A. Simpson	(A)	L.O.
		Lt Col. F.G. Green	(B)	P.S.O.				1/Lt R.E. Barone	(A)	L.O.
		Maj. W. Ronnie	(B)	P.S.O.				Maj. T.G. Mackenzie	(B)	P.S.O.
		Capt. F. Scaife	(B)	P.S.O.						
		Capt. E.F. Bolter	(B)	P.S.O.				Capt. A.E. Baker	(B)	P.S.O.
		Capt. P.E. Hannon	(A)	Tn.				Maj. H.J.O. Prinsloo	(B)	Tn.
		Mr. C.L. Terry	(A Civ)	Food.				Lt. W.J.D. Evans	(B)	Tn.
		Capt. J.B. Moore	(B)	C.E.M.				Capt. O.C. Venus	(B)	Food.
								Maj. C.I. Turner	(A)	Communicat.
								Capt. C.H.S. Thompson	(B)	Communicat.

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LIAISON TEAMS

J. Lund (A)

18 (9) LOMBARDIA

A.C. Pennyquick (B) C.L.O.
 J. Carrillio (A) L.O.
 S. Harris (B) P.S.O.
 F.L. Wilson (B) P.S.O.
 P.E. Ramsey (A) Tn.

I.E. Vining (B) L.O.
 P.F. Lewis (B) Tn.
 P.P. France (Civ(A)) Tn

J. Hensley (A) C.L.O. } For PBS Livorno
 E. Beatty (A) P.S.O. } and Toscana.
 E. Lester (A) Tn. }
 C.H. Warren (A) L.O. } for Florence
 W.W. Hill (A) Tn. }

L. TWJ Walters (B) C.L.O.
 H.A. Demasi (A) L.O.
 O.R. Anselmo (A) L.O.
 A.G.P. Way (B) P.S.O.
 L.J. Monson (A) P.S.O.
 W.H. Nunn (B) Tn

K.F. Vaughan (B) Tn

L.W. Turner-Coles (B) C.L.O.
 G.R. Koopman (A) L.O.
 J. Kane (B) P.S.O.
 K.W. Fischer (A) P.S.O.
 J.E. Tough (B) P.S.O.
 J.H. Lloyd-Davies (B) Tn.
 E.G. Toomer (B) Food.

W.R. Jordan (A) C.L.O. until rel'd by
 Col. A.S. Arnold (A)

A.H. Gardner (B) L.O. Tenda.
 J.A. Fournier (A) L.O.
 L. Ciliberti (A) L.O.
 G.G. Green (B) P.S.O.
 Ronnie (B) P.S.O.
 Scaife (B) P.S.O.
 E. Bolter (B) P.S.O.
 P.L. Hannon (A) Tn.
 G.L. Terry (A) Civ) Food.
 J.B. Moore (B) C.E.M.

Col A.N. Hancock (B) C.L.O.
 Maj W.H. Savin (A) L.O.
 Capt J.B. Fleetwood (B) P.S.O.
 Capt A. Riley (B) P.S.O.
 Maj A.C. Holland (B) Communications.
 Capt G.L. Maudock (B) Communications.
 Maj H.M. Symons (B) Tn.
 1/Lt R.T. O'Donnell (A) Tn.
 Lt Col R.E. Horn (B) Food.
 Capt R.E. Richert (A) Food.
 Maj T.I. Roworth (B) CEM.
 Capt A. Fryer (B) CEM.
 Capt R.A. Davies (B) CEM.
 Lt W.J. Warren (B) CEM.
 1/Lt R.E. Evasick (A) Adm.
 Capt J.O. Dare (B) Adm.
 Capt T.R. Swisher (A) M.T.O.
 Capt E. Hoyle (B) M.T.O.

9 (10) BOLZANO

Col S.W. Miller (B) C.L.O. ✓
 Lt Col L. Neprud (A) L.O. ✓
 Capt E.R. Fairweather (B) L.O. ✓
 1/Lt R.R. Thompson (A) L.O. ✓
 Maj W. Hare (B) P.S.O. ✓
 Capt G.W. Brown (B) P.S.O. ✓
 Maj C.L.P. Gilshannon (B) Legat. ✓
 1/Lt J.S. Nardini (A) CEM. ✓
 1/Lt R.N. Bombino (A) CEM. ✓
 Capt L.W. Scott (A) Education

11 (11) VENEZIA

Brigadier J.K. Dunlop (B) C.L.O.
 (until rel'd by Lt Col F.O. Maviz (A))
 Maj. W.H. Harrison (B) L.O.
 Capt A.A. Simpson (A) L.O.
 1/Lt R.E. Barone (A) L.O.
 Maj T.G. Mackenzie (B) P.S.O.

Capt A.E. Baker (B) P.S.O.
 Maj H.J.O. Prinsloo (B) Tn.
 Lt. W.J.D. Evans (B) Tn.
 Capt O.C. Venus (B) Food.
 Maj. C.L. Turner (A) Communications.
 Capt C.H.S. Thompson (B) Communications.

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INTERNAL - V.P. CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION, V.P. ECONOMIC SECTION, G - 1 (B)2, G - 1 (A)

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PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS. MAJOR A.G.P.WAY (B) CAPTAIN L.J.MONSON (A)

PARA /3. LIGURIA. LIAISON OFFICER. MAJOR G.R. KOEFMAN (A)
PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS. CAPTAIN J. KANE (B) MAJOR K.W.FISCHER (A)
CAPT. J.E. TOUGH (B)

PARA. 4. PIEMONTE LIAISON OFFICERS. CAPTAIN E.A. VALENTINE (A) CAPTAIN A. CILIBERTI (A)
PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS. LT.COL. F.G.GREEN (B) MAJOR W. RONNIE (B)
CAPTAIN F.SCAIFE (B) CAPTAIN E.B.BOLTER (B)

PARA 5. LOMBARDIA. LIAISON OFFICER. MAJOR W.H. SAVIN (A)
PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS. CAPTAIN J.B.FLEETWOOD (B) CAPTAIN R.A.RILEY (B)
COMMUNICATIONS. MAJOR A.C.HOLLAND (B) CAPTAIN C.G.L.MADDOCK (B)
ADM. OFFICERS. CAPTAIN S.O. DARE (B) 1st. LIEUT. R.E.EVASICK (A)
M.T. OFFICERS. CAPTAIN E.HOYLE (B) CAPTAIN R.T. SWISHER (A)

PARA 6. BOLZANO. LIAISON OFFICERS. LT/COL. L.NEHRUD (A), CAPTAIN E.R. FAIRWEATHER (B)
1st. LIEUT. W.R. THOMPSON (A).
PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS. MAJOR W.HARE (B), CAPTAIN G.W. BROWN (B)
LEGAL OFFICER. MAJOR C.L.P. GILSHENIAN (B)

PARA 7. VENEZIE. LIAISON OFFICERS. MAJOR W.M. HARRISON (B), CAPTAIN A.A. SLIPSON (A)
1st. LIEUT. R.E. BARONE (A).
PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS. MAJOR T.G. KENZIE (B), CAPTAIN A.E.BAKER (B)
COMMUNICATIONS. MAJOR C.I.TURNER (A), CAPTAIN C.H.S. THOMPSON (B)

PARA 8. Names of Economic Section Officers form subject of separate signal.

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Further para 14 this H.Q. signal 9539 of 20 Dec 45.

Economic Section Officers will be retained at locations as follows until this Commission is relieved of Supply responsibility and functions are transferred to UNRRA approximately 1 Feb 46.

Lombardia. Transportation Officers Major H.A. STONES (B) 1/Lt. R.T.

O'DONNELL (A). Food Officers Lt.Col. R.E. HORN (B) Capt. R.E. RICHERT (A).

Liguria. Transportation Officer Capt. J.H. LLOYD DAVIES (B).

Food Officer Capt. E.G. TOOMER (B).

Piemonte. Transportation Officer Capt. P.E. HAINON (A). Food

Officer Mr. C.D. TERRY (A).

Venezie. Transportation Officers Major H.J.O. PRINSLOO (B) Lt.

W.J.D. EVANS (B). Food Officer Capt. O.C. VENUS (B).

Florence. Transportation Officer W.H. HILL (A)

Bologna. Transportation Officer Capt. W.H. NURN (B).

Livorno. ^{Trans. off.} 1/Lt. G. LESTER (A).

Naples. Transportation Officer Capt. T.E. RAMSEY (A).

Bari. Transportation Officer Mr. S.P. FRADDE (A). for ERIDISI

Lt. R.F. LEWIS (B).

Ancona. Transportation Officer Captain K.F. VAUGHAN (B).

Rome. Transportation Officer Capt. S.C. HALL (A).

Captured Enemy Material Personnel will remain located as at present until further orders.

Letter to 9585. Date 22 Dec 45.

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Letter to. 9885. Date 22 Dec 45.

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INFORMAL ROUTING

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

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File:

Date 21. Xir. 45.

SUBJECT: Information Liaison Groups.

DEC 22 1945

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No.	From	To	Date	
	C. (A)	Exec Commission	24/12/45	Att in yesterday's Liaison Group signal. O. H. H. H. Lt Colonel

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SUBJECT: Is formation Liaison Groups which will be as follows:

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1. SICILY - Major J. LUND (A) to report Palermo by 5 January 46.
2. HEADQUARTERS NAPLES for CAMPANIA AND CALABRIA - Col. PENNYCUICK (B) Plus one Liaison Officer and 2 Public Safety Officers.
3. HEADQUARTERS BARI for PUGLIA, LUCANIA and ABRUZZI - Lt.Col. VINING (B) to report by 3 Jan 46.
4. LIVORNO - Col. L.J. HENSLEY (A) and Capt. S. BEATTY (A) for Peninsular Base Section, LIVORNO and TOSCANA and Major C.A. WARREN (A) for FLORENCE.
5. BOLOGNA - Lt.Col. T.W.J. WATERS (B) Plus 2 Liaison Officers and 2 Public Safety Officers.
6. LECCE - Lt.Col. TURNER COLLES (B) Plus one Liaison Officer and 3 Public Safety Officers.
7. PINOCCHIO - Col. W.R. JORDAN (A) Until Relieved by Col. A.S. ARNOLD (A) Plus 2 Liaison Officers and 4 Public Safety Officers, in addition Lt.Col. A.H. GARDNER (B) for TENDA.
8. LOMBARDIA - Col. A.N. HANCOCK (B) Plus 2 Liaison Officers and 2 Public Safety Officers.
9. BOLZANO - Col. S.W. MILLER (B) Plus 3 Liaison Officers and 2 Public Safety Officers.
10. VENICE - Brig. J.K. DUNLOP (B) until relieved by Lt.Col. F.O. HAVIS (A) Plus 3 Liaison Officers and 2 Public Safety Officers.
11. With effect from first January 46 Officers in these Liaison ^{groups} will be only officers who will concern themselves with duties as directed this H.Q. Memo 7002/DC dated 29 Sept 45.
12. Remaining Officers on Regional Staffs will be concerned only with winding up Regional Affairs which will be completed as expeditiously as possible but in any case not later than 24 Jan next.
13. Regional Commissioners will at once appoint records officers to deal with archives and will pay personal attention to this matter.
14. List of Economic Section Officers and names of Liaison and Public Safety Officers will be signalled to respective Regions soonest.

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15. Parity between American and British Officers will be maintained as far as possible.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Public Health Sub-Commission

AC/3118/EH

14 December 1945

DEC 15 1945

Subject : - Liaison Officer for Merano Hospital
To : - High Commissioner for Public Health

1. In view of the imminent hand over of the Northern Regions to the Italian Government it has been decided that the services of a Liaison Officer for Merano and Sondalo will not be required.

2. It is felt that all assistance the Italian authorities need can be provided by the special Liaison Groups which will operate in the Northern areas. There will be one in Bolzano and one in Milan.

G.M. Frizelle
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Colonel
Director
Public Health Sub-Commission

Copy to : - Executive Commissioner, AC
" " VP CA Section
" " R.C. Venezia Region
" " R.C. Lombardia Region
" " P.C. Bolzano Province
" " DEMS No.2 District
" " American Red Cross
" " Mr. P. Sigerist, Merano
" " Ministry of War
" " Ministry of Post War Relief
" " Italian Red Cross
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7002/325/33

9. December 1945

SUBJECT: Directive for AG Liaison Officers

TO : G-5, AFHQ

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1. Enclosed is a copy of a directive which was issued to Regional Commissioners.

2. It is felt that you may wish to distribute this to Military Commands in order that all should be kept informed of the functions of AG Liaison Officers.

For the Chief Commissioner:

M. S. LUSH

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENTS SECTION
G-1 (B)

REFERENCE : G-1B/101/A

29 November 1945

SUBJECT : Move of H.Q. Venezia Region

NOV 30 1945

TO : Distribution below

Authority has been given for the H.Q. of Venezia Region to open in TREVISO. The present target date of the move is 10 Dec next, but a further announcement will be made as soon as a firm date is known. A rear H.Q. will be left at Padova for some weeks after the move.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
VENETIAN REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 524

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TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
Attn: Executive Commissioner

20 Nov 45

NOV 24 1945

SUBJECT: Proposed Move to Treviso

FILE NO: RMIL/850.05

1. Ref. minutes of Executive Commissioner's meeting of 13 Nov, para 3 and in confirmation of conversations Lush - Dunlop.
2. I understand that you agree that the location of the Liaison Group in the North-East should be Treviso. There is no regional capital in the North - East comparable with Milan, Turin or Genoa. Venice is the traditional capital but Padova is becoming the administrative capital for many things. As I have explained to the Executive Commissioner Treviso will have many advantages for a future Liaison Group, including proximity to Treviso air-field with its teletype signal service.

3. I feel that it is neither efficient nor fair to the civil population for us to continue to occupy our present large office and residential accommodation in Padova with our reduced staff. To move to smaller accommodation in Padova would be for many reasons, undesirable.

4. I have therefore provisionally set the target date of December 10th for the setting up, in Treviso, of the Headquarters of the Liaison Group. I suggest that this move should go through irrespective of whether the Northern Regions had or had not been handed over by that date.

In any case a rear party, together with HQ Coy "M", will remain in Padova for some weeks. If the hand over has not taken place by December 10th, a small provincial HQ will be also left in Padova.

5. I am sure that in present circumstances efficiency will be gained by compressing our operating HQ into smaller space.

The following figures may be of interest in this connection:

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The present strength is 22 plus 4 in Venice.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 210/EC

15 November 1945

MINUTES ON EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER'S MEETING - 13 NOV 45

Col Pisko was in the Chair in the absence of Ex Comm on duty.
Land Forces S/C were not represented.

1. Minutes of Last Meeting.

(a) - 2 (b) Italian Manufacture of Warlike Stores. Ecom Sec stated that a meeting had been held last week with all interested S/C's present and the possibility of conducting a survey had been discussed. Dep Ex Comm pointed out the fact that if a survey was conducted by Italian Govt they may think that this was to be used as a means of seeing what was available for reparations. Dep Ex Comm asked that a reply should be prepared to AFHQ's enquiry and Ecom Sec agreed to do this.

(b) - 4 (c) Election Laws. VP of Sec stated that a meeting had been held on 8 Nov to discuss the Italian Govt's decree and that a reply had been sent to Prime Minister on 9 Nov, a copy of which had been sent to all interested sections.

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2. Aliens in Bolzano Area. Dep Ex Comm said that correspondence had been received from Italian Govt on the repatriation of German and French citizens now present in Bolzano area. On Sec understood that there were a number of Germans to be repatriated, that the question of a French repatriation scheme had not yet been brought up. Dep Ex Comm said we should go ahead with repatriation of people who had opted for German nationality. Polad (B) had received memorandum from Morano stating that small groups consisting of 4 Allied Security Officers, 1 GIM agent and 1 German speaking Tyrolean were covering the villages and valleys surrounding up German Gasthof and SS men to be deported; this was having considerable success.

3. Administration in Northern Provinces. Polad (B) asked what northern provinces were still being administered by AMG. Dep Ex Comm said that with the exception of Bolzano, Udine and Venezia Giulia most provinces now consisted only of two Allied officers, 1 Provincial Commissioner and 1 Public Safety Officer. It was proposed to leave small German divisions groups in the Regional Capitals such as Gorizia, Udine and Turin and Pavia and possibly one in Val D'Aosta after the regions had closed down. Ecom Sec asked if their plan of pulling out all Ecom Sec officers in Northern Regions and letting the Milan Economic Group take over could not now be put into effect. Dep Ex Comm instructed Ecom Sec to proceed.

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5. 1946 Supply Programme. A/VP Eoon Sec stated that a telegram had been dispatched to Washington through URR. channels setting forth a firm programme for January loadings and how best to spend 450,000 dollars of URR. funds on supplies to Italy during 1946.
6. ROL. A meeting is to be held this afternoon between Eoon Sec and URR. together with all interested representatives to discuss the supply of ROL in the north after the turnover.
7. UNRR. Supplies. A/VP Eoon Sec had received a letter from Venezia Giulia re distribution of UNRR. supplies in that area and asked if military responsibility were to be turned over to UNRR. The Yugoslavs had put forth a proposal at a meeting of the Joint Economic Committee that Venezia Giulia should be supplied by UNRR. It was agreed that it was not advisable to hand over the military responsibility of supplying Venezia Giulia to UNRR. at present.
8. Transport. Eoon Sec stated that considerable difficulty was being experienced by their officers owing to the ban imposed on travel over 100 miles in RA transport. With the coming of winter it was going to be very difficult, if not impossible, to use aircraft for these trips. Dep Eac. Comm promised to look into this question and instructed Eoon Sec to look into the possibility of obtaining staff cars which would be declared surplus owing to redeployment of military units.

Handwritten: To the Executive Commissioner.
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could re distribution of UMER supplies in that area and asked if military responsibility were to be turned over to UMER. The Yugoslavs had put forth a proposal at a meeting of the Joint Economic Committee that Venezia Giulia should be supplied by UMER. It was agreed that it was not advisable to hand over the military responsibility of supplying Venezia Giulia to UMER at present.

8. Transport. Leon Sec stated that considerable difficulty was being experienced by their officers owing to the ban imposed on travel over 100 miles in transport. With the coming of winter it was going to be very difficult, if not impossible, to use aircraft for these trips. Dep Exc. Com. promised to look into this question and instructed Leon Sec to look into the possibility of obtaining staff cars which would be declared surplus owing to redeployment of military units.

Chief Staff Officer.
To the Executive Commissioner.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 1288
Date/Time of Origin: NOV 9/1030 A

Message Centre No: G/3242
Date Time Rec'd: NOV 9/1300 A
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AMO LIGURIA REGION FROM LUSH
TO : HQ ALCOM CITE EXEC COMM

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See 309-314

Captain WEST Royal Corps Signals at VIA REGGIO should come under command zone commission LIVORNO for all purposes including his liaison duties in LUCCA Province. Instruct LIVORNO and West 92 Division accordingly. End.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
G-1 (B)

REFERENCE : G-1 B/110/1/0

6 November 1945

SUBJECT : AMG Officer at Viareggio

TO : Regional Commissioner, Liguria Region

Reference your ^{302.} LIG/HQ dated 22 Oct. 45.

In the present circumstance of shortage of officers, it has been decided that Capt. G.W. VEST can not longer remain as L.O. with 92 Div.

It is requested therefore that you will pay a personal visit to the Commander, 92 Div, and explain the circumstances to him. Capt. G.W. VEST should then be withdrawn, and ordered to report to G-1 (B) this HQ.

It is appreciated that the work which Capt. VEST has in hand at the moment may suffer to some extent through his withdrawal, but it is regretted that authority can not be granted for this officer to remain any longer in his present employment.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE

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K. WILBE-JONES,
Lt. Colonel,
G-1 (B)

Copy to: Vice President Establishments Section

See M. 310

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VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
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TO : HQ. A.C. -
Office of the Executive Commissioner

5 Nov 45

SUBJECT : Lay Out After Transfer

FILE NO : RXII/025.191

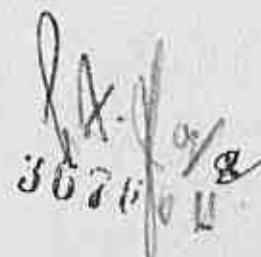
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1. Ref your 7002/301/EC of 24 Oct. This has been discussed on the occasion of the recent visit of Lt. Col. McCleary.
2. I recommend Treviso, or the neighbourhood thereof as the best location for the N.E. Italy Liaison Group.
3. I consider that proximity to the Air Port and good communications with Bolzano, Udine, Venice and Verona are points very much in favour of Treviso.
4. The necessary accomodation could be found.


Regional Commissioner

See M. 308

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Ref: 7802/306/20

November 1965

SUBJECT: AMT Officer at VIZAGAPUR

TO : Establishments Section

302.

Please advise this office what action has been taken in communication from Regional Commissioners, Madras Region (ref: 545/14/23 of 22 October), referred to you for action of 25 October.

Chief Staff Officer
To the Executive Commissioner

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR AT WASHINGTON

TO : Intelligence Section

302.

Please advise this office what action has been taken in connection with the Regional Commission, Ligand Region (ref: LRU/11/23 of 12 October), referred to you for action of 25 October.

Chief Staff Officer
to the Executive Committee

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SUBJECT : MIA Liaison Office SARDINIA

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, AC (MIA)

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29/10/45

TO : Exec COM A.C.
Air Forces Sub-Com, AC

OCT 30 1945

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Attached for information and any action necessary is copy of
letter dated 23 October 45 received from the MIA LO SARDINIA.

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for Major-General
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LIATSON OFFICER
 LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
 ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
 Allied Garrison Sardinia
 A.P.O. 394, U.S.Army

23 October 1945

OCT 30 1945

SUBJECT: 1. AC LO for Sardinia
 2. Italian Air Passage Cagliari-Rome.

TO : Commanding General, Land Forces Sub Com A.C. (MIA).

172B file 4001/EC

1. In accordance with Appendix A (1), AFHQ Adm Memo NO.19 dated 31 March I was appointed to act as General Allied Comm Liaison Officer for Sardinia. NR/EC.

2. Also in accordance with letter Air Forces Sub Com Rome reference 354/6/Org of 17 May 1945 I was authorized to allot the two places on the Italian planes, Cagliari to Rome.

3. In view of the above, request that AC Rome be informed of closing MIA LO Office in Sardinia as of 7 November 1945.

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LESTER R. ALBERT
 Lt. Colonel, Infantry
 Senior Liaison Officer

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7002/303/20

27 October 45

SUBJECT: Insertion in Daily Bulletin

TO : Adjutant

Please have the following inserted in the Daily Bulletin:

WITHDRAWAL OF NMIA LIAISON DETACHMENT IN SARDINIA -- The NMIA Liaison Detachment in Sardinia will be withdrawn on or about 7 November. It has been decided that no further representation of Allied Commission is necessary after the NMIA Liaison Detachment is withdrawn. (Office of the Executive Commissioner)

R. H. McCLEARY

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

Copy to 990/EC file

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LIGURIA REGION

22nd October 1945

LIG/HQ/23

OCT 26 1945

SUBJECT : AMG Officer at VIAREGGIO

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission (Att Executive Comm)

1. When I took over this Region I was informed that there was an AMG Officer, Captain G.W. WEST, attached as Liaison Officer to 92 American Division. I was under the impression that he was liaising with the American Authorities in LIVORNO and have not had any dealings with him.
2. Captain WEST now informs me by telephone that Admiral STONE visited him recently and told him that it was incorrect that he should be a Liaison Officer with 92 Div. May I have instructions as to what the duties of this Officer are to be and whether he is to be under my jurisdiction or directly under A.C.
3. Captain WEST informs me that he is having a tremendous amount of work in connection with claims from civilians in respect of 92 Div. and that he gets very little help from the American Claims Officer in LIVORNO or FLORENCE. He fears that if he does not stay and complete this job himself a number of his claimants will, in fact, never be paid at all.

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J. G. SELBY,
Colonel,
Regional Commissioner.

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Ref: 7002/301/EC

24 October 1945

SUBJECT: Lay Out After Transfer

TO : Regional Commissioner
A.M.C., Venezia Region

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1. I regret the delay in replying to your RXII/025.191 dated 10 October which owing to an oversight has only just been brought to my notice.
2. I would appreciate your views on where you consider the Liaison Group could best be located.

F. H. McCLEARY

Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

10 October, 1945

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
(Att'n: Executive Commissioner)

SUBJECT : Lay Out After Transfer

FILE NO : RXII/025.191

1. I have just received advance warning that there will be a reorganisation of the subordinate formation under XIII Corps. One important result of this will be that 86 Area will move out of the city of Venice into "some more central position on the mainland."

2. You will remember that the selection of Venice for the future site for Headquarters Liaison Group was largely governed by the existence there of Headquarters, 86th Area.

3. A further point of importance is that Headquarters, 6th Armoured Division appears likely to be at Padova, with Brigade areas near Verona and Vicenza.

4. Naturally there will have to be A.C. port and transportation officers at Venice, but it looks as if some site on the mainland might be more suitable than Venice for the N.E. Italy Liaison Group - possibly some convenient locality in the quadrilateral Padova, Cittadella, Treviso, Mestre.

5. Naturally this is a question which must concern the future O.C. Liaison Group. I thought, however, that I should call the matter to your attention.


Regional Commissioner

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