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PERMITS, FOOD & MOVEMENTS
JULY, AUG. 1944

HEADQUARTERS
JLIND: CENTRAL COMMISSION
R.C. AND R.O. SECTION
ATO 394

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Ref/309/201/02

26 August 1944

SUBJECT: Army purchase of potatoes.

TO : Head Sub-Commission, A.G.C.

1. Attached are copies of a) a letter dated 24 August 44 Ref/15/515/14 from the Executive Officer Region 5; b) a letter dated 25 August 44 Ref/15/515/14 from the Agricultural Officer Region 5; c) a letter dated 24 August 44 Ref/15/515/31 from the Executive Officer Region 5 and; d) a letter dated 25 August 44 Ref/15/511/19 from the R.L.O. Region 5.

2. These communications are all forwarded to you for your comment and action.

3. Would you please inform R.C. and R.O. Section of your recommendation.

W. S. Dilland, May

for *WILLIAM R. PIERCE*
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

REF: 15/515/14 24 AUG. 1944
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To: HQ AGO (RC and HG Section) ←

From: HQ Region 5 AGO.

Subject: Army Purchase of Potatoes.

Ref: R5/515/14.

Date: 24 August 1944.

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1. Enclosed is a report on the stopping of an Army truck on the Avezano-Rome road on Tuesday last, for such action as you may consider warranted.

2. It is useless for us in the Provinces to get either your, or our instructions obeyed if our own troops take no notice of them.

3. This is not by any means an isolated instance.

For the Regional Commissioner:

C.H.A. French
C.H.A. FRENCH.
Lieut. Colonel.
Executive Officer.

CHAF/RY

Copies to: Public Safety Sub-Commission.
RPSO, Region 5.



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To : R.E.O. Region V A.M.G.
 From : Capt. LOCKWOOD, Region V A.M.G.
 Subject : Army Purchase of Potatoes.
 Ref : R 5/515/14
 Date : 23 Aug 44

1. On 23 Aug 44 between 1700 and 1800 hrs on the Avezzano -
 Roma road at the Provincial road block near Carsoli the following
 occurred:-

2. A US Army truck in charge of st. Sgt.
 Harold A. Lincoln, ASN 6566061 with
 T. Lela " 31170289
 A.P. Cobb " 31171535

was stopped for examination. The driver immediately produced his papers from 17 Troop sqd. Carrier signed A.P.O 650 US Army signed by Homer A. Petty Capt Air Corps, Adjutant to purchase food supplies. This the sergeant had done. No criticism of the Sergeant for fulfillment of these orders is implied.

3. On questioning him he had paid 9 lire per kilogram for the potatoes.

4. The Consorzio Agrario is the only sales agency permitted to sell surplus potatoes in the Aquile Province at a fixed price of 7 lire per kilogram.

5. This Italian Agency maintains an office at Avezzano and road blocks will honor sales slips signed by Leandro Corbi the sales agent.

6. The amount of potatoes purchased was small but the excess price paid by army tends to break down the established price and force the army to pay more for much larger amount to be delivered later.

7. The truck was also transporting four civilians without passes to ride in W.D. vehicles. Apparently the Sergeant's good nature had been imposed upon. No control of refugees or civilians can be maintained under such action.

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A. J. L. Lockwood

A.T.S. Lockwood, Capt. AUS 4334
Agriculture Officer:
Region V. AMG.

Harold A. Lincoln, ASM 656061 VITA

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F. Lela

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A.F. Cobb

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To: HQ AGO (R and AG Section)

From: HQ Region 5 AGS.

Subject: Potatoes.

Ref: RS/515/31.

Date: 24 August 1944.

1. An officer from the Agricultural Sub Commission visited this HQ yesterday to investigate the alleged turning back of 4 trucks which had gone to Avezano for potatoes, stated to be with the proper authority from the Consorzio Agrario.

2. He was informed that NO trucks with proper authority had been turned back, but that some 40-50 without the necessary Consorzio Agrario authority had been so turned back, and further that we should impound any trucks found loaded with potatoes that did not carry a movement ticket signed by the Consorzio Agrario, Avezano.

3. The officer in question arrived with the story that there had been rioting in Avezano over the potatoes, but there is no confirmation whatever of this, and enquiries made in Avezano yesterday from the P.C., the Sindaco and the head of the Consorzio Agrario obtained no information in this respect. The probability is that the drivers who were being turned back because they had no proper authority to purchase potatoes have invented the story.

4. I would point out that along the Avezano-Nase road every Italian driven lorry is carrying large numbers of civilians and goods not shown on the documents. These trucks are purposely taking small legitimate loads as a cloak to the practice of carrying civilians and contraband goods.

5. In this respect I attach a copy of a report (not to Agriculture Sub-Commission) of a special road check made by three of my officers this week.

6. It is quite obvious that there is no control on transport. Trucks sent out with authority on specific journeys cannot possibly be performing those journeys to the satisfaction of the unit employing them. The drivers of the trucks are using the lorries which they drive for their own nefarious purposes, and the transport is being used in a proportion of about one-tenth for unit purposes, as against nine-tenths for the drivers.

7. I submit that the transport situation is as difficult as it is owing to the fact that we are getting only about 20% use out of that which is allotted to us.

8. I suggest there is unlimited scope for the Public Safety Sub-Commission to make the situation of transport as bad for the manufacturers, that

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8. I suggest there is unlimited scope for the Public Safety Sub-Commission to make the misuse of transport so hot for the malefactors, that we should have transport on our hands if it were put to legitimate uses *only*.

For the Regional Commissioner:

W. French

W.H.A. FRENCH. 4333
Lieut. Colonel.
Executive Officer.

CHAF/REG.

Copies to: Agricultural Sub-Commission.
Transportation Sub-Commission.
Public Safety Sub-Commission.

SUBJECT : Report on Potato Situation.

TO : Executive Officer.

85/511/19.

From : HIO

23 August 44.

1. In order to obtain first hand information regarding the potato situation the movement of which within the Province of Aquila is banned except on the authority of the Consorzio, Lt. Col. MIDDLEWOOD, Capt. LOCKWOOD and I visited a road Block. The road block was about 4 Miles west of Carsoli on the Rome Road. Time of visit 1700 hours-18 Hrs.
2. Only one CC.RR. was on duty.
3. On arrival there was a crowd of civilians at the block with luggage, obviously there with the intention of getting a lift.
4. All vehicles entering or leaving the Province during our visit were stopped. In every case the driver's papers were examined. Every lorry contained a large number of civilians either entering or leaving the Province. Every civilian was individually examined, and in no case was any one in possession of an A.B. pass. Without exception all civilians had a typewritten "authority" signed by a Sindaco. All civilians were removed from the lorries, which were allowed to proceed without them subject to their papers being in order.
5. At the block one lorry loaded with potatoes was found to be without the necessary authorization. This lorry was impounded at the Caserma and the driver will be charged.
6. One American Army truck was found to be carrying vegetables and civilians. The civilians were ejected. This will be subject of a separate report by Captain Lockwood (Copy report annexed hereto).
7. In Carsoli we found another lorry loaded with potatoes. This had broken down. Two nuns were with the lorry. They told me that they have bought potatoes in Aversaano for the children at the Vatican. Their papers were not authorized by the agent of the Consorzio. We had this lorry impounded and the driver will be charged.
8. In Carsoli we stopped a three tons lorry. This was properly authorized to collect and transport almonds from Aquila to Rome. There were two bags of almonds on board. The rest of the lorry was filled with furniture and civilians. The latter had grain flour and potatoes without authorization. The almonds would easily have been carried in a "Topoline". The lorry was impounded and the Maresciallo of CC.RR. ordered to take the driver into custody.
9. A private car was stopped as it had no sticker. An authority was subsequently produced. This had been issued in Rome and covered

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10. that province, Rieti and Aquila. The purpose was for agriculture. In fact the driver was only looking at cattle. It is submitted that the issue of a pass in these circumstances was unnecessary. Particulars of two passengers who had no permit to enter Aquila Province were taken and they will be charged.

11. One further lorry loaded with potatoes was stopped. This had the proper authority. Three WD petrol cans, one filled with red coloured petrol, were however taken from the lorry.

12. On the return journey to Aquila about 2030 hrs., a crowd of about 10 persons were seen collected on a hillside, far from any habitation. All had luggage of varying types. It appeared that this was a rendez-vous for the collection of passengers on trucks.

13. From the foregoing I submit that the following points emerge:-

- a. Lorries are being used for the transport of goods not covered by the authorisation.
- b. Passengers are being carried on such lorries, presumably for the personal reward of the driver.
- c. There is an uncontrolled movement of civilians into and out of the Province. No attempt is made to obtain the necessary AMG pass.

J. L. WILLIS,
Lt. Colonel,
HQ.

Copies to Regional Agricultural Officer
R.P.S.D.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. Section
APO 394

25 August 1944.

Ref/309/195/CA.

SUBJECT: Passes to Rome.

TO : S.C.A.O. AND Eighth Army

1. Attached is copy of memorandum from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs with reference to the movement of an official from the Province of Pescara to Rome.
2. If there is any difficulty about this will you please let us know. Otherwise he should be granted a permit.

HUBERT R. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

R. MINISTERO
DEGLI
AFFARI ESTERI

Capt. Guazzaroni
No. 6/333/15

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
POLITICAL SECTION

Signor Cesidio Guazzaroni, a Junior Official is, as the A.C.C. is aware, scheduled to take up his duties at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. He however reports that he is still at Loreto Aprutino, in the Province of Pescara, as the local authorities refuse him the necessary permit to reach Rome.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs would be grateful if the Allied Control Commission could kindly approach the competent authorities so that Signor Guazzaroni be enabled to reach Rome as soon as possible. *CCB*

ROME, 25th August 1944.



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YOUR CS/11/2/55 OF 18 AUG 44. AFTER CONSULTATION WITH CSO
 REQUEST VISIT NOT ACCEPTABLE TO TOWNS IN THE ARMY AREA AT THIS
 MOMENT. PERUGIA FARNIENO IESI ANCONA MUST BE EXCLUDED VISIT OF
 DOHAVENTURA REMAINING TOWNS AGREED.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED GENERAL COMMISSION
R.O. AND M.G. SECTION
APO 394

WAC/309/192/GA

24 August 1944

SUBJECT: Admission of Italian officials to ports for the purpose of accepting delivery of imported foodstuffs.

TO : Director of the Food Sub-Commission, A.C.C.

1. Attached is a copy of a letter sent over the Acting Chief Commissioner's signature to G-5, AFHQ. 184
2. 114 Our letter was sent after consultation with you on 21 August 1944 when we left for the information of your Section a copy of the original letter sent over the Acting Chief Commissioner's signature on the 2 August 1944 WAC/309/114/GA.
3. When the Food Sub-Commission and the Economic Section have drafted detailed plans may we have the draft for forwarding to G-5.

W.G.S. Dillard
for WILLIAM H. FINE,
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

ENC: copy of letter 309/184/GA

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REFERENCE YOUR SIG MAL 2036 OF 21 AUGUST, LIVERED IS STILL CLOSED AREA. IN ADDITION
VISIT AT THIS TIME IS OPERATIONALLY NOT CONSIDERED ADVISABLE. SUGGEST VISIT POSTPONED
UNTIL SEPTEMBER. CITE OUR 245.

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U. S. ARMY

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22 August 1944

23 AUG Recd

SUBJECT: Control of Foodstuffs and Vegetables
in Naples Province

TO : His Excellency the Prefect
Naples Province

THRU : Provincial Commissioner
Naples Province

1. Whereas by your Prefectorial Decree dated 21 July 1944, Gabinetto No. 9238, Circolari No. 132, the movement of the above commodities was blocked by you, instructions have now been received from the Executive Commissioner, Headquarters, Allied Control Commission that these orders and any others issued by you in this same connection shall be cancelled immediately.

2. You may take this to be an order duly issued to you for the said cancellation, and take necessary steps for its publication in the local press.

Alex. H. White

ALEX H. WHITE

Lt. Col.

Executive Officer in the absence
of the Acting Regional Commissioner.

COPIES TO:

Executive Commissioner, HQ, A.C.C. ✓
Provincial Commissioner, Naples Province
Commissioner of Naples City
Regional Agricultural Officer
Regional Economics and Supply Officer
Director of S.E.F.E.A.L.
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
E.O. & M.C. Section
APO 394

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Ref/309/CA.

21 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Movement of Foodstuffs from NAPLES to ROME.
TO : Executive Officer, Region III.

1. Confirming conversation on telephone (Lt.Col.White - Major Talbot) I am directed to instruct you to obtain the immediate cancellation of the order put out by the Prefect of NAPLES stopping the movement of foodstuffs from NAPLES to ROME.
2. Please confirm that this has been done.

Ly
NORMAN M. FINEK,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Food Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED GENERAL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTIONS
APO 394

Ref/309/188/2A

25 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Visit to bombed Synagogue.

TO : S.C.A.O. A.M.C. 5th Army.

1. This is to thank you for your letter of 17 August 1944 Ref/205/B.
2. We have written the Resident Representative I.O.C.R. to inform him that a pass may be issued with your approval for Mr. Arthur Greenleigh to visit Ardema. We have in fact suggested that he secure travel orders for Mr. Greenleigh.
3. It would be appreciated if you would clarify for us paragraph 4 of your letter 205/B.
4. Do you mean that Mr. Greenleigh in his capacity as representative of Jewish interests would be "a responsible person to inspect the building"? It is also not clear whether the synagogue is in Ardema or in Livorno.

W. S. D. H. H. H.
ROSEMAN E. FISCH,
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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Not sent 20/8/44

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.G. SECTION
A/C 394

Ref/309/169/GA

23 August 1944

SUBJECT: Permit to come to Rome from Gaiola for Count Hercolani.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region V. A.C.C.

1. A request has been presented by Rome Allied Area Command to the Executive Commissioner, A.C.C. for permission for Count Antonio Hercolani, Palazzo Simonetti, Gaiola, province of Macerata to come to Rome.
2. This request is presented to R.A.A.C. by Prince Ghigi, Grand Master of the Knights of Malta.
3. Count Hercolani is senior member of the Order of Malta and Prince Ghigi would like permission to be given to him to come to Rome on business for ten days.
4. It would be much appreciated if this permission could be sent to R.C. and M.G. Section.

*24/8/44
Count Hercolani came to
Rome on a Vatican Com.
mission from the Vatican, but did
not know that we should
allow him to enter Rome.*

NORMAN E. FISKE.
Colonel.
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 334

Ref/309/159/GA

23 August 1944

SUBJECT: Permit to come to Rome from Cairo for Count Marcolani.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region V. A.C.C.

1. A request has been presented by Rome Allied Area Command to the Executive Commissioner, A.C.C. for permission for Count Antonio Marcolani, Palazzo Simonetti, Cairo, province of Modesta to come to Rome.
2. This request is presented to R.A.A.C. by Prince Ghigi, Grand Master of the Knights of Malta.
3. Count Marcolani is senior member of the Order of Malta and Prince Ghigi would like permission to be given to him to come to Rome on business for ten days.
4. It would be much appreciated if this permission could be sent to R.C. and M.C. Section.

NEUMAN E. FISCH.
Colonel.
Deputy Executive Commissioner

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED ORDER OF CHRISTIAN
B.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/509/189/CA

23 August 1944

SUBJECT: Permit to come to Rome from Cairo for Count Hercolani.

TO : Regional Commanders, Region V. A.O.C.

1. A request has been presented by Don Allied Area Council to the Executive Commissioner, A.O.C. for permission for Count Antonio Hercolani, Palazzo Simonetti, Cairo, province of Mantova to come to Rome.
2. This request is presented to R.A.A.C. by Prince Chigi, Grand Master of the Knights of Malta.
3. Count Hercolani is senior member of the Order of Malta and Prince Chigi would like permission to be given to him to come to Rome on business for ten days.
4. It would be much appreciated if this permission could be sent to R.C. and M.C. Section.

HENRY H. FIDEL
Colonel.
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Headquarters,
Rome Allied Area Command.

18th August 1944.

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Dear Lush

Prince CHIGI, Grand Master of the Knights of Malta, has requested that Count HERCOLANI (Antonio), the most senior member of the Order of Malta, be given permission by A.M.G. Eighth Army to come to ROME on business for the Order for ten days.

Count HERCOLANI's address is PALAZZO SIMONETTI, OSIMO, PROVINCIA DI MACERATA.

Will you be so good as to give a fair wind to this application, which he has sent in to this HQ? Rather than to ask him to re-submit I am sending it on to you.

Yours Sincerely

Alfred

25/8/44

Brigadier M.S. Lush,
Executive Officer,

Headquarters, Allied Control Commission.

Col. Shipp agreed that instead of answering this letter by long hand, I might explain verbally to the Brigadier that Count Hercolani had come to Rome as a Veteran and needed permission to make a request for help as a humanitarian. Accordingly, I asked Brig. Lush only and explained the matter to him. He agreed to accept the verbal explanation in lieu of a written answer.

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Send to Reg V or VIII Army

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HEADQUARTERS
AMG FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 U.S. Army

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19th August 1944.

SUBJECT: Passes for transit in Fifth Army territory.

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TO : Major Moody, P.P.S.O. Grosseto Province.

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The attached application, Ref/309/170/CA from R.C. & M.G. Section dated 16th August 1944, is forwarded for action not being in Fifth Army Area.

For the Commanding General:

Walter A. Roberts

Lt. Col.,
for E.B. MAYNE,
Colonel, UDF
Chief of
Staff
AMG 5th Army

Copy to:
— R.C. & M.G. Section, A.C.C.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. AND W.G. EXECUTIVE
APO 394

Ref/309/185/2

21 August 1944

SUBJECT: Authorization for Mr. Arthur Greenleigh to visit Leghorn,
Ancona and Florence.

TO : Mr. Clifford Hawthorne-Smith, A.R. I.C.C.R. A.C.C.

1. As we informed you in our letter of August 1944 Ref/309/150/2a we forwarded your request for Mr. Greenleigh to the A.C.C.'s 5th and 8th Divisions.
2. Although we have not received a written answer from the A.C.C. 8th Army we have been informed verbally that no permits for Ancona or Florence are now being issued. It is suggested that you might renew the request for these two cities in ten days time.
3. We return a copy of a letter dated 17 August 1944 Ref/203/3 from A.C.C. 5th Army to this Division.
4. As you will see a permission may be secured for Ancona but not for Leghorn.
5. It is suggested that the best way to handle this problem would be for you to apply to the Adjutant General A.C.C. for travel orders for Mr. Greenleigh to go to Ancona.

WGS Dillard Major

WILLIAM A. PERKINS
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

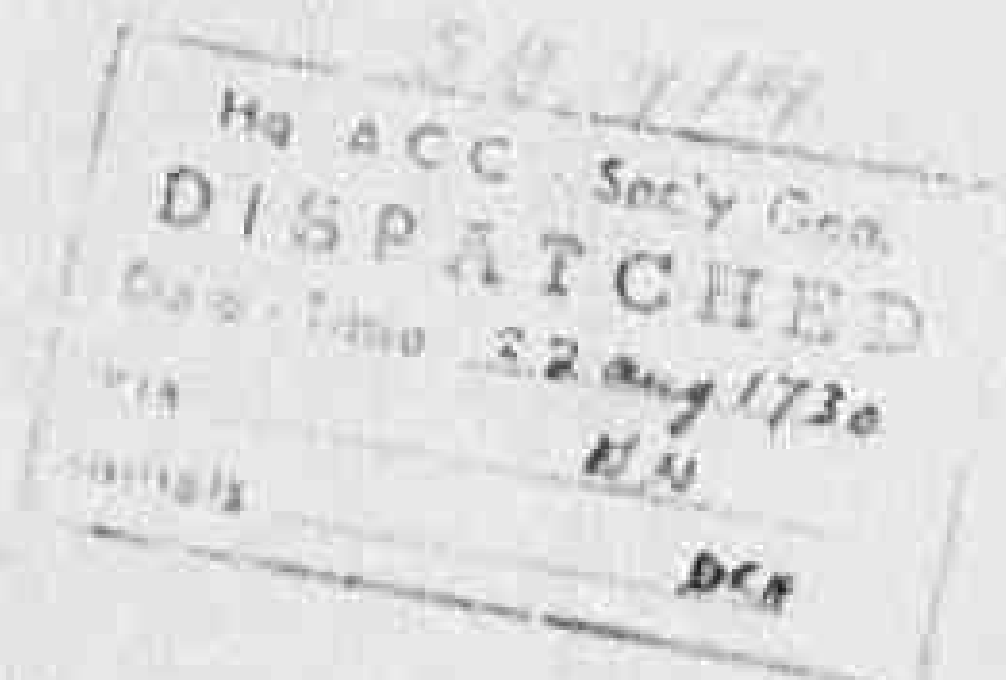
Ref/309/114/CA

21 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Admission of Italian officials to ports for the purpose of accepting delivery of imported foodstuffs.

TO : G-5, A.P.H.Q.

1. This is to acknowledge a signal signed SACRED of 19 August 1944. Ref/309/114/5.
2. To comply with the instructions of this signal we are sending you attached a copy of our letter of 2 August 1944. Ref/309/114/2a.
3. In accordance with your wish to know our proposals we shall send later more detailed plans of the Economic Section.



HEBERT W. SPARK
Captain, U.S.N.R.
Acting Chief Commissioner.

Prepared by Civil Affairs Branch
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INCOMING MESSAGE

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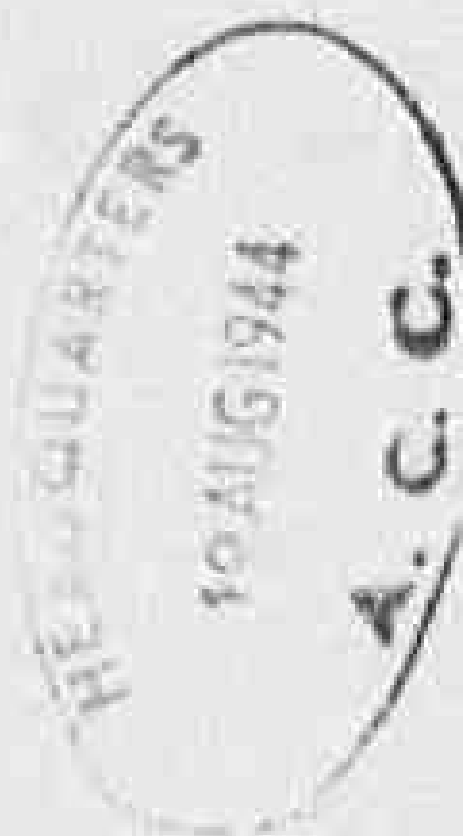
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SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 55/19
 FROM: AFM BUREAU
 CLASSIFICATION: NONE
 REFERENCE No: 700003
 PRECEDENCE: HIGH
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: 19 AUG 1944
 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: AUG 1944

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 SEND QUICKEST COPY YOUR LETTER 309/1114/CA OF 2 AUGUST. WISH TO REPLY YOUR
 PROPOSALS. MOVEMENTS MAY LETTER NOV 5/501/13 AUGUST IN ANSWER YOURS HAS BEEN
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Sen. Helton approved. Mh 21/8.

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A. C. C.

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REFERENCES YOUR JUNEAL 1930. PERMISSIONS GRANTED FOR PELLEGRINI, BERTHO, SANDA CRUX AND AUTISMA BAGLIONI TO VISIT AMY AREAS IN FOLLOWING CONDITIONS.
UNLESS (1) THEY MUST NOT PROCEED FURTHER SOUTH THAN ROUTE 60 (CUCUM-PULTEVA-SIENA)
(2) THEY MUST AVOID ALL AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL WORKS ACTIVITIES EXCEPT
OF OTHER ACTIVITIES. CITE: HR-239

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17 August, 1944

SUBJECT: Signor and Signora Amedeo Fani

TO : Provincial Commissioner, Perugia

W.D.

1. The above have been given permission to go to Perugia for health and family reasons by order of the Acting Chief Commissioner.
2. Unfortunately HQ AMC overlooked the fact that a pass from SCAC Eighth Army was needed. Verbal permission was obtained as quickly as possible, but it may be that the journey was started in good faith and without the necessary pass. If so, there is little that we can do except hope that the Military Police took a kindly view.
3. Signor Fani was Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs from 1925 to 1932. But in view of his health it is desired that no action be taken against him. I enclose copy of Capt. Stone's letter

For the Regional Commissioner:

A. D. Bonham
A. D. BONHAM-CARTER
Lt. Colonel
Executive Officer (Provinces)



Signor Fani's Army (Ref. conversation with W/C Bear at Siena)

TO : Provincial Commissioner, Perugia

D.D.

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For the Regional Commissioner:

A. S. Bonham-Carter
 A. S. BONHAM-CARTER
 Lt. Colonel
 Executive Officer (Provinces)

Copy to : SCAO Eighth Army (Ref. conversation with W/C Peir at Siena)

— P.A.C. Executive Commissioner (Ref. 309/CA of 9 Aug.) with extra copy to cover Sig. Pani en route if he has not left.

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HEADQUARTERS
AND FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 U.S. ARMY

19 AUG Recd

17th August 1944.

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SUBJECT: Civilian Travel.

TO : H.Q., A.C.C., E.C. & E.G. Section.

1. Reference your 309/157/CA, dated 14th August 1944.

2. All passes into Livorno town are issued by G-4., Fifth Army. The town is still evacuated and closed to civilians, due to the existence of mines and booby traps. Consequently, it would be purposeless to visit Livorno, since there is no Jewish community.

3. The population of Livorno is largely scattered in the surrounding fractions and communes. Approval is therefore given for you to issue a pass to Ardenza, the fraction immediately to the south of Livorno, where the communal government is located.

4. As a matter of interest, it has been ascertained from the Monuments and Fine Arts Section that the famous synagogue has been bombed. A visit by a responsible person to inspect the building would be welcomed, when clearance is given.

For the Commanding General:

see 188

E.B. Mayne

E.B. MAYNE,
Colonel, U.D.F.,
Chief of Staff,
A.M.G. Fifth Army.

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Copy in Monuments & Fine Arts Section

HEADQUARTERS
18 AUG 1944
A.C.C.

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H.Q. AND H.Q. BUREAU
AND 394

100/309/179/CA

18 August 1964.

Subject: Authorizing of civilian travel by rail.

To: Regional Commissioner, Region II, A.C.C.

1. In addition to our letter to you dated 18 August 1964, 100/309/576/CA, we are enclosing you enclosed a copy of the letter from the Transportation Sub-Commission to H.Q. and H.Q. Bureau, a letter 100/309/21/64.

2. The letter from the Transportation Sub-Commission points out two examples of persons who were issued only issued for travel on freight trains by Captain H.P. Givens, Prov. Police Officer, Trinidad; and Major J.M. Harrison, Prov. Police, India.

3. It is requested that the H.Q. Region II inform the officers concerned of this action and instruct them to follow orders on this subject.

W. G. S. D. Hall
for HENRY E. FINE
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

DEH: Letter From Transportation Sub-Comm.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
E.C. AND E.S. DIVISION
APO 394

Ref/309/178/21

18 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Authorizing of Civilian travel by rail.

TO: Regional Commissioners, Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X
E.C.A.C. A.M.C. 5th and 8th Areas.

1. We refer again to our letter of May 1944 Ref/309/7/41 on the subject "Authorization for travel by civilians on freight trains."

2. A letter we have received from the Transportation Sub-Commission dated 17 August 1944 points out again that no permits for travel on freight trains may be issued except under authority of this Headquarters; and that instructions have been issued for the withdrawal and cancellation of any such passes issued. Further D.C.H.E.C. has ruled that no permits will be issued for civilian travel on freight trains.

3. It is requested that Regional Commissioners and E.C.A.C.'s enforce these regulations.

W. S. Holland
Major
for HUGH E. FISCH,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Transport Sub-Comm.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMER. COMMISSION
P.O. & S.C. SECTION
APO 384

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22/309/ AM.

13 August 1944

SUBJECT: Visits to Florence.

TO: Mrs. Leonida Perrin P.A.

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1. In reply to your letter dated 15 August AM you will appreciate that FLORENCE and its neighborhood continues to be an area in which military operations are taking place. We cannot preclude any aspect of those operations or allow civilians to expose themselves to unnecessary risk so that, for the present the permission you ask on behalf of Valagi Ugo and Samuel Vasio to visit Florence must be refused.

2. It is suggested that your application is renewed in a month's time when the situation may allow us to reconsider the matter.

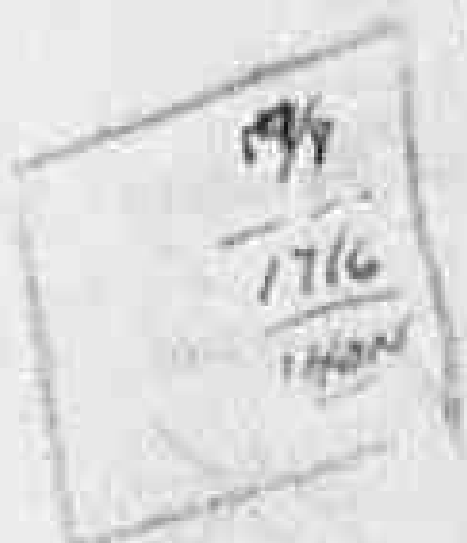
WILLIAM E. FISKE
Chief,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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COLLEGE PONTIFICAL CARDIEN
117, QUATTRO FONTANE
ROME (105)

Security Branch
Rome 17 Aug 1944
15.8.44.

To The "Comando alleato"
of Rome.



However unknown
to you, gentlemen, I can-
not refuse to present you
the request of two good
servants of a villa where
I am now living, compi-
sing in your kindness.

They ask the permission
to make a visit, in Flo-
rence, to their mothers,
wives and children.

They have no news

of their beloved ones
about whom they
are very anxious. -

They say that they
shall be able to find
the way to reach the
city. -

- Their names: Palagi, Ugo.
living in Rome, via Eu-
ralia, No 23. -

- Mammucci, Vasio, living
in Rome, via Vittorici's Em.
mammucci 189.

Please excuse my
if perchance I am

placing an act which
in some way may be
unpleasant to you. -

I shall willingly re-
ceive myself your ans-
wer if you judge appar-
tance to answer.

Monsieur

Levin Leonida

Rector of the Pontificap
Canadian College

Rome 117. 189. Fontane

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Mons. LEONIDA PEICIN, P. A.
CANONICO ELEGANTE
CAPPELLANO DELLA S. CHIESA PER LA CHIESA ORIENTALE
MEMORE DEL SANTISSIMO SACRAMENTO CANONICO

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Major Doherty

I Army report no
Italians may visit
Florence at present.

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18 August 1944.

MEMORANDUM: To Lt. Colonel Shipp.

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The information on the attached signal M 471 has been communicated to:

1. Political Section, with immediate reference to their previous request for Mr. Alberto Marchetti and Mr. Orlandi Contucci.

2. To the following Sub-Commissions and Sections;
Admin. Secretary General,
Economics,
Army,
Navy,
Air,
War Material Disposal,
Communications,
P.B.O.

W.A.S. Dollard

WILLIAM A.S. DOLLARD,
Major,
Civil Affairs Branch.

To see Lt Shipp about permits for
flame.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

TO: HQ ACC FOR CIVIL AFFAIRS BRANCH

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 106/17

FROM: MAIN AMS & ARMT

CLASSIFICATION: RESTRICTED

REFERENCE No: M-473

PRECEDENCE: IMMEDIATE 18 AUG 1944

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: 171530B OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

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REF YOUR 1761 OF 14. CONSIDER AS RESULT OF POSITION IN FLORENCE UNSUITABLE FOR ANY REPEAT ANY ITALIAN AUTHORITIES TO ATTEMPT TO ENTER CITY. ATTENTION DRAWN TO ALL THE C-ALICE OF 14 AUGUST. REQUEST TO ACTION TO ISSUE ANY REPEAT ANY PERMITS UNTIL COUNCIL SHIP RETURNS TO ROME.

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Mr. Smith, P.d. Secretary

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HEADQUARTERS
18 AUG 1944
A. C.

REFERENCE NO: 154A PRECEDENCE: 154A DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: 17 AUG 1944 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: 13 AUG 1944

REF YOUR 1761 OF 14. CONSIDER AS RESULT OF POSITION IN FLORENCE UNSUITABLE FOR ANY RELEASE ANY ITALIAN AUTHORITIES TO ATTEMPT TO ENTER CITY. ATTENTION DRAWN TO AAI TFR 0-4155 OF 14 AUGUST. REQUEST NO ACTION TO ISSUE ANY RELEASE ANY PERMITS UNTIL COLONEL SWIFT RETURNS TO ROME.

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Mr. Schell, Pct. Section
informant verbatim of this
deposited. mD.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Transportation Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel: 478701

Our Ref: ACC/Tn/21/60

Date : 17 August 44

TO : RC & HQ Section ✓
HQ A.C.C.

18 AUG Recd

SUBJECT : Authorising of Civil Travel by rail.

1. Communication has been received from D.G.M.R.S. to the effect that various A.M.G. Officers in the provinces are issuing permits for civilians to travel on trains which don't run for passengers. D.G.M.R.S. points out that the practice creates difficulty in the policing of the trains and should be discontinued at once.

2. Under reference 309/74/CA dated 27 May 44, the issue of permits for travel on freight trains is prohibited except under the authority of this Headquarters; instructions being issued for the withdrawal and cancellation of such passes. D.G.M.R.S. has since ruled that no permits will be issued for civilian travel on freight trains.

Passes as under have been duly collected and cancelled:

No.	Name	Issued by:
129967	Cataldi Luigi	Capt. M.P. Strand Prov. Police Officer Brindisi.
41084	Elia Raffaele	Major W.M. Harrison ACC Police, Lecce.

3. May attention of all concerned please, be drawn to the instructions contained in 309/74/CA dated 27 May 44.

Copy to: D.G.M.R.S.
Rome.

J. E. Williams
J.E. ADAMS
Colonel, C.E.
Tn. Sub-Comm.

SUBJECT:- Admission of Italian officials to
ports for the purpose of accepting
delivery of imported foodstuffs.

Headquarters,
Allied Armies in Italy.
MOV 5/521

To:- Chief Commissioner,
H.Q., A.C.C.

13 Aug 44.

1. It is regretted that, at the present time, it is not possible to accept the proposals contained in your letter 309/114/CA of 2 Aug.
2. The reasons are as follows:-
 - (a) The military operated ports of NAPLES, BARI, BARLETTA, BRINDISI and TARANTO are working to capacity at the present time and are likely to do so for the next two months.
 - (b) In order to make the maximum use of the available capacity, it is necessary to berth ships wherever most convenient and economical. It is not possible to allocate any special berth for handling one type of traffic.
 - (c) The clearance of ships cargo must be effected expeditiously. For this reason, all forms of transport must be controlled by the military and used to the best advantage. This responsibility cannot be handed over to the Italians at present.
 - (d) Many ships carrying military cargo also contain stores and food stuffs for civilian use.

3. As military traffic into the above named ports decreases, it is intended to close first BARLETTA and then BRINDISI, as far as military traffic is concerned. When this occurs, there will be no objection to your proposals. In fact, the port will be handed over for operation by the A.C.C. In the case of NAPLES it is, however, unlikely that any quays can be allotted to the Italians for some time but it is understood that, in due course, P.B.S. is prepared to hand over the coal piers at POZZUOLI. The final decision must, however, rest with A.F.H.Q.

4. Authority has been given for the Italian military to accept delivery at ships side.

Copy to:- G-4 Mov & Trn, A.F.H.Q.
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Major-General
Chief Administrative Officer.

Brigadier

contained in your letter 309/114/CA of 2 Aug.

2. The reasons are as follows:-

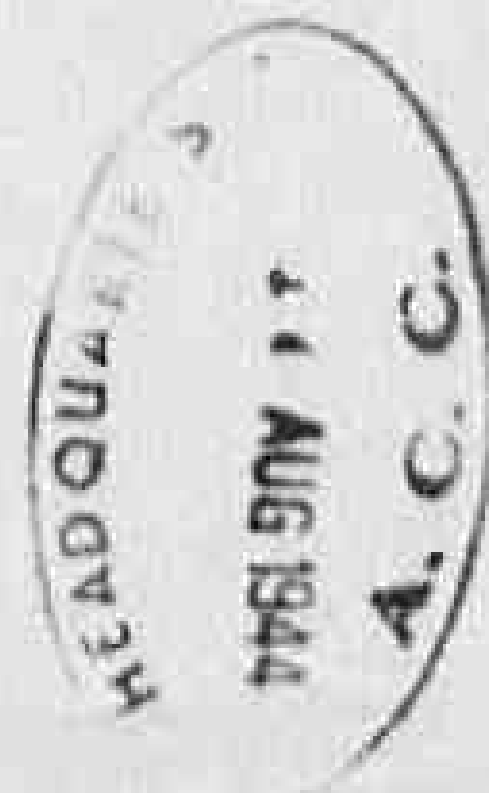
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[Signature]
Major-General
Chief Administrative Officer.

Brigadier

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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES
H.Q. AND H.Q. PROVINCE
APO JNL

Ref/SOS/171/CA

17 August 1966.

SUBJECT: Insertion in Daily Bulletin.

TO : The Adjutant, Headquarters A.F.P.

1. This Section has received a communication from the Executive Officer (Provinces) Region IV, A.F.P., pointing out that Italian Ministers and officials who have been granted passes to visit A.F.P. Provinces have failed to call on Provincial Commissioners.

2. To correct this situation the following notice be inserted in the Daily Bulletin:

"It would be appreciated if all the Sub-Commissioners and Branches of this Headquarters could request Italian Ministers, Officials and Officials who have been granted passes to travel in 5th and 6th Areas A.F.P. territory to call on the Provincial Commissioners in the area in which they are to travel.

This procedure is necessary not merely as a courtesy but for the purpose of keeping Provincial Commissioners in mind of such visits. Provincial Commissioners are anxious to help prevent any incidents which might occur when visitors have not made their identity known to them and moreover Provincial Commissioners would be glad to help the visitors as much as possible."

H. S. Deller
Major
HONORARY S. P. P.
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Lt. Colonel Barker-Carter,
Executive Officer (Provinces), Region IV A.F.P. 4302

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/309/170/GA

16 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Passes for travel in Fifth Army territory.

TO : S.C.A.O. A.M.G. 5th Army.

1. Attached is a copy of a letter from the Transportation Sub-Commission A.C.C. Ref/ACC/Tn/265/1 dated 14 Aug. 44, requesting permission for Italian civilians to travel to Orbetello on business for the Sub-Commission.
2. The same letter contains a request for travel to Castel Vinardo, which has been sent to S.C.A.O. A.M.G. 5 Army.
3. It would be appreciated if the necessary pass could be sent to the R.C. and M.C. Section.

W. A. Dollard
Major

for
BERNARD E. FINE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

ENC: Letter Tn/265/1.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CENTRAL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/309/169/CA

16 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Passes for transit in Eighth Army territory.

TO : S.C.A.O. A.M.G. 5th Army.

1. Attached are copies of two letters from the Transportation Sub-Commission A.C.O. Ref/ADT/TH/263/1 dated 14 August 44, for permission for Italian civilians to travel to Spoleto and Castel Viscardo near Orvieto on business for the Sub-Commission.

2. One of these letters contains a request to travel to Orbetello, which we are referring to the S.C.A.O. A.M.G. 5th Army.

3. It would be appreciated if the necessary passes could be sent to R.C. and M.C. Section.

W. G. S. Dillard
May 4
for ROBERT E. FLETCHER
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Letters TH/263/1

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION IV
APO 394

R/5072

15 August, 1944

SUBJECT: Visits of Italian Officials

TO : HQ. Allied Control Commission
EC and MG Section

1. It would be much appreciated if when Italian Ministers and Officials visit AMG Provinces they call on the Provincial Commissioner.
2. Apart from the question of courtesy we are anxious to avoid any incident to which an unknown visit of this kind might lead.
3. This point has been raised by such a visit to Rieti (which incidentally was Eighth Army Area, so there might well have been annoying results as it is most unlikely that the correct pass was carried).

For the Regional Commissioner:

A. D. Bonham Carter
A. D. BONHAM CARTER
Lt. Colonel
Executive Officer (Provinces)

Copy: PC Rieti

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For the Regional Commissioner:

A. D. Bonham Carter

A. D. BONHAM CARTER
Lt. Colonel

Executive Officer (Provinces)

Copy: PC Rieti

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MAJOR OTTINO FIVE FOUR TWO FOUR WITH DRIVER PROCEED TO FLORENCE AND
AREA IMMEDIATELY IN CONNECTION WITH RECLAIMING ALL VEHICLES AND WAR
MATERIAL PAREN TO SCAG KICHTHARRY FROM AGG PAREN PD PLEASE SIGNAL IF
AGREABLE AS MATTER IS OF CONSIDERABLE URGENCY

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Transportation Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel.: 478701

Our reference : ACC Tn/263/1/

Date : 14 Aug. 1944

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TO : HQ. Civil Affairs Branch.
R.C. & M.G.S.

SUBJECT: Spoleto - Norcia Railway.

1. It is proposed to inspect the above light railway with a view to either reconstructing same ready for operation or review the situation with regard to employing former workmen to guard the property until such time as the line can be reconstructed.

2. For the tour of inspection it is necessary for the President of the Company Signore ALBERICO GENTIL, Via Mercalli 19 passport N° 992493 and Principal Inspector Eng. Dr. GIUSEPPE GIORDANI Pass N° 29315 of the Italian Ministry of Communications to be present on the tour.

3. It is therefore requested that permission for these two persons to visit this area be granted at the earliest possible date for a period of 5 days.

E. J. Adams

for D.S. ADAMS
Colonel, C.E.
Tn. Sub-Comm.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Transportation Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel.: 478701.

Our reference : ACC Tn/263/1

Date : 14 Aug. 1944.

15 AUG Recd

TO : HQ. Civil Affairs Branch
R.C. & M.G.S.

SUBJECT: Passes for Civilians.

1. In connection with the reconstruction of Italian State Railway installations it is proposed to ask the firm of 1788g. Nervi & Bartoli of Rome to tender for certain works.

2. The main works and stores of this firm are situated at Orbetello and Castel Viscardo near Orvieto.

3. Before the firm can tender for any work it is essential to know what plant is available so it is proposed to send one of the firm's engineers to take stock.

4. For this purpose ENRICO RINALDI (Personal document Patente autoveicoli N° 1881 - Roma - 10 - 5 - 1929) has been selected.

5. It is therefore requested that permission be granted for this man to travel to the above mentioned places in a Fiat camion 634 N° 78999, Libretto di circolazione N° 6279 - Permessi di circolazione N° 60439 - with driver VITI LIBERO (Carta di Identità N° 29 Villa Latina - 16 - 6 - 1937) for a period of 7 days.

EJ Rinaldi
for
D.S. ADAMS
Colonel, C.E.
Tn. Sub-Comm.

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ROME AREA COMMAND FOR ACC FOR LABOUR SUBCOMMISSION

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HEADQUARTERS

15 AUG 1944

A. C. C.

ROME

IMMEDIATE

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15 AUG 1944

YOUR RM 1705 DATED 12 AUG AND YOUR 1731 DATED 13 AUG. REQUEST
PARTY NOT TO VISIT THIS HQ AT PRESENT. WILL GIVE PARTICULARS TO
BRIG LUSH WHO WILL BE AT THIS HQ TODAY.

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FROM: HQ AND LIAISON & SIGNAL CENTER

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PERMISSION IS GRANTED FOR HIS EXCELLENCY ATTORNEY GENERAL TO VISIT MOSCOW.

THE 1615 DATED 10 AUG 44 TO AUG 5 1944. TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY PARTY OF 4 ON OFFICIAL

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15 AUG 1944
A. C. C.

ASS. DIR.

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PERMISSION IS GRANTED FOR HIS EXCELLENCY R TITOLO MANUELE ORLANDO TO VISIT ORSSETO.
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CHRYSLER CAR BEARING LETTER S AND REGISTERED INCOME IS BEING USED IN CATANIA DISTRICT ON PRISONS INSPECTING WORK BY DOTTORE ARMANDO CAMILLERI WHO CARRIES PAPERS ENDORSED BY CAPTAIN FREEMAN, SUPERINTENDENT OF PRISONS. ALTHOUGH MARKED AND THE CAR IS THE PROPERTY OF DOTTORE CAMILLERI. THE CAR HAS BEEN SEEN IN CATANIA SEVERAL TIMES LADEN WITH LADIES AND WHEN STOPPED DOTTORE CAMILLERI HAD WITH HIM HIS WIFE, TWO DAUGHTERS, A SON AND TOGETHER RELATIVES 7 PERSONS IN ALL. IN ADDITION TO INSPECTING PRISONS THE PARTY IS ALSO VISITING FAMILY PROPERTY AT CATANIA AND MESSINA. PLEASE VERIFY AUTHORITY GIVE FOR USE OF THIS CAR IN SICILY

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

Phone 42065

CCP/mrd
15 August 1944

Subject: Permit

TO : Colonel C. E. Temperley, P.C. Foggia Province

1. Permission is requested for Count Carlo Frasso, of Carovigno, to travel through Foggia on his trip from Brindisi to Rome for medical attention.

2. Count Frasso has been in ill health for quite some time and a shorter trip through Foggia will prove less strenuous for him.

3. Please reply direct to Provincial Commissioner, Brindisi, for communication to Carovigno.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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REDUCTION OF OPERATIONAL WORK AT HQ 3 ARMY AND FORMATIONS UNDER
TRAIN COMMAND IN NECESSARY TO CURTAIL DRASTICALLY NUMBER OF OFFICERS
VISITING THESE HQS. ADDRESSEES WILL BEWARE THEREFORE THAT NO OFFICER
GOES FORWARD TO VISIT UNLESS HIS BUSINESS IS ESSENTIAL AND CANNOT BE
TRANSACTED IN ANY OTHER WAY OR ON SPECIAL INVITATION FROM HQ COMMANDER.

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

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TO: A.M.C. EIGHTH ARMY SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 1731
FROM: A.C.C. MAIN CLASSIFICATION: RESTRICTED
REFERENCE No: 1731 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE
DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: 12 AUG. OFFICE OF ORIGIN: LABOR SUB-COM.

PERMISSION REQUESTED BY LABOR SUB-COMMISSION TO
SEND MAJOR ALBRIGHT TO YOUR HEADQUARTERS AND INDUSTRIAL
AREAS IN COOPERATION WITH COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
FOR LABOR WAGE INFORMATION TO PARISH TO AMC EIGHTH ARMY
FROM AGC BATH FROM BATH 300 STORE PAREN.
TO START AUGUST ONE FIVE

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Distribution: E.C. & H.C. SECTION
Authenticated by J.T.R. BAIN, COLONEL
Originator's signature L.T. MONTAGNE
1st. Lt., AGC Adjutant

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
E.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/309/158/CA

14 August 1944

SUBJECT: Request for permission for Mr. Greenleigh to visit
Leghorn, Ancona and Florence.

TO : Sir Clifford Heathcote-Smith, Resident Representative,
I.C.C.R. A.C.C. Headquarters.

1. This is to acknowledge your letter dated 11 August
1944 Ref/108/6/1.

2. Your request for Mr. Greenleigh to visit Leghorn, An-
cona and Florence has been forwarded by us to the S.C.A.O's
5 and 8 Army asking for passes.

3. As soon as we have heard from the S.C.A.O's we shall
communicate with you.

W. S. Dillat
Majr.

for HUGH E. FIBBE,
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED GENERAL COMMISSION
R.O. AND M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/300/157/3A

14 August 1944

SUBJECT: Pass for travel to Leghorn.

TO : S.C.A.O. A.M.G. 5 Army.

1. Attached is a copy of a letter addressed to the Executive Commissioner A.C.O. by the Resident Representative, I.O.C.R., for permission for Mr. Greenleigh to visit Leghorn to superintend relief for Jews.

2. It would be appreciated if you could issue the necessary pass and if you could send it to R.O. and M.G. Section.

William G. Fisher
for WILLIAM G. FISHER,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

RECEIVED:
Copy letter Resident Representative
I.O.C.R. 11 Aug. 44.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.G. SECTION
APO 334

Ref/309/156/CA

14 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Pass for travel to Florence and Ancona.

TO : E.C.A.C. A.M.C. 8 Army.

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1. Attached is a copy of a letter addressed to the Executive Commissioner A.C.C. by the Resident Representative, I.G.C.R. for permission for Mr. Greenleigh to visit Florence and Ancona, to superintend relief for Jews.

2. It would be appreciated if you could issue the necessary pass and if you could send it to R.C. and M.G. Section.

W a S Holland
Major

for JEROME E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

HRB:

copy letter Resident Representative
I.G.C.R. 14 Aug. 44.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

PHONE:
487459

Ref/505/155/C1

15 August 1944

Dear Mr. Schott,

I have sent the application of the Minister of Foreign Affairs, of which you approved to A.M.G. 8th Army to ask them to issue the pass.

I thought you might like to have this news officially so that you could tell the Minister.

As soon as we hear from A.M.G. 8th Army we shall let you know.

18/8/44
Mr Schott informed
verbally of answer 7-174
W.D.

Mr. Schott,
Political Section
A.C.C.

W.D. 31/8/44
WILLIAM A.S. DILLARD
Major,
Civil Affairs Branch.

A signal, as well as a letter,
has been sent Marchese Fares
who came to this office today
knows this W.D.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. AND M.G. SECTION
APO 394

PHONE:
487459

Ref/309/154/01

14 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Passes for travel to Florence.

TO : S.O.A.C. A.M.G. 8 Army.

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1. Attached is a copy of a Memorandum from the Minister of Foreign Affairs requesting permission, on behalf of the Prime Minister of the Italian Government for Mr. Alberto Marchetti and Mr. Ordani Cantacal to travel to Florence on official business.
2. The application has been approved by the Political Section of A.C.C.
3. It would be appreciated if you could issue the necessary passes and could send them to R.O. and M.G. Section.
4. This letter is sent to you as confirmation of our signal No. 1761 sent to day on the same subject.

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W. S. Dillat
Magn
for HENRY E. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

DELA: Copy of Mem. from Ministry of Foreign Affairs. 12. aug. 44.

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NO. 1761.

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RIGHT ARMY.

A.C.C. HQ

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14 AUGUST 1944

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ROUTINE

C.A. HASKIN

REQUEST PASSES RE SENT RE AND RE SECTION FOR MR. ALBERTO MARCHETTI AND
MR. ULRICH GOTTARDI TO TRAVEL TO FLORENCE AND ROME IN SOME DAYS TO
TRACE OFFICIALS OF ITALIAN MINISTRIES SAVED FROM NAZI FASCIST GOVERNMENT. P.D.
RESENT TO RIGHT ARMY FOR AND FROM ACC RE PARGE REQUEST COMES FROM MINISTER
OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND IS APPROVED BY POLITICAL SECTION. P.D. CONSIDERED
URGENT BY ITALIAN GOVERNMENT. P.D. OUR LETTER CONFIRMATION FOLLOWS.

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L.T. MONTAGN,
1st. Lt. A.C.C.
ALFONSO.

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A.M.G. NIGHTMARE

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A.C.G. BAIN

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RESTRICTED
ROUTINE

LABOR SUB-COM.

13 AUG Recd

PERMISSION REQUESTED BY LABOR SUB-COMMISSION TO
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FOR LABOR WAGE INFORMATION TO PARISH TO AMG NIGHTMARE
FROM AGO BAIN FROM BAIN AND OTHER HERE.
TO START ABOUT ONE FIVE

[Handwritten initials]

N.C. & M.G. SECTION

J.T.B. BAIN, COLONEL
L.T. MONTAGUE, JR
1st. Lt., and Adjutant

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~~AMC RIGHTLAND~~

ADD MAIN

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ROUTINE

COMBINE S/A

13 AUG Recd

PERMISSION REQUESTED BY COMBINE SUBCOMMISSION TO SEND CAPTAIN AUSTIN
AND DOCTOR CORAZZINI TO YOUR HEADQUARTERS AND INDUSTRIAL AREAS TO ASSIST
IN OBTAINING INVENTORIES OF ENGINEERING MATERIALS PD PART TO AME
RIGHTLAND FROM ADD MAIN PART TO START AUGUST ONE FIVE

PA 8/15/8

Copy To:

R.C. & M.G. Section

(Orig. Ctr: CAPT. AUSTIN)

RESTRICTED

L. T. MONTANT, Jr.,
1st Lt., AME,
Adjutant.

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

Nr. 6/193/93

12 Aug Reed

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

Mr. Alberto MARCHETTI, Minister Plenipotentiary, Chief of Cabinet, Ministry of Foreign Affairs should reach FLORENCE, as soon as possible, on official business, and remain there a few days on behalf of the Prime Minister of the Italian Government, with the point of training the officials of the Italian Ministries who have been able to save themselves from the Nazi-fascist terror.

Mr. Marchetti will be accompanied by Mr. Oriando CONTUCCI, Vice-Command in active service at the Presidency of Council of Ministers.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs would much appreciate it if the Allied Control Commission could give Mr. Marchetti and Mr. Oriando CONTUCCI the necessary follow passes for the journey. *Ap*

Append for forwarding to
Military Authorities.

12 Aug 44

Rome, August 8, 1944

Transmission

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Approved for forwarding to
Military Authorities

12 VIII. 44.

Rome, August 8, 1944.

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INTER GOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE
ON REFUGEES
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

12 AUG Recd

11 August 1944.

REFERENCE : DCCR/6/1
TO : Brigadier H.S. Lush,
Executive Commissioner, H.Q. ACC.
FROM : Sir Clifford Heathcote-Smith,
Resident Representative, I.G.C.R.
SUBJECT : Authorization for Mr. Arthur Greenleigh to visit:-
Leghorn, Ancona and Florence.

1. Mr. Greenleigh has joined the I.G.C.R. Staff as Representative of the Jewish Distribution Committee for the purpose of superintending relief needs of the Jews resident or found in Rome and Northwards.
2. He works in close touch with the Jewish local Committee - the Delason, and under my general superintendence.
3. I should be glad if authorization can be given him to visit Leghorn and Ancona now, and Florence as soon as you consider suitable.

Clifford Heathcote-Smith
C.R. HEATHCOTE-SMITH,
R.R. I.G.C.R.

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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. BRANCH
APO 324

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12 August 1944

Ref/309/149/03

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Dear Mr. Schott,

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Attached are: 1) a copy of a letter from the Ministero degli Affari Esteri dated 31 July 1944 Nr. 6/108/52, requesting permission for Signor Baldoni to travel to Italy; 2) a copy of the answer of 8th Army on this subject; 3) and a copy of our letter to 8th Army on the same subject.

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Since the request originally came to your office, we thought that you might like to have copies of the attached correspondence so that you can inform the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

William A.S. Dollard
WILLIAM A.S. DOLLARD.
Major.
Civil Affairs Branch.

DEAL: copy of letter Affari Esteri.
copy of letter 8th Army.
copy of letter A.C.C.

Mr. William W. Schott.
Political Section.
A.C.C.

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HEAD QUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY COMMISSION
U.S. ARMY H.Q. SECTION
APO 35A

REF: 407459

100/300/112/3A

11 August 1945.

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Dear Major Ballance,

I am sending you copies of two letters which have been addressed to this Agency, one from A.M.C. 5 Army, the other from Signal 4 on the subject of Control of Movement.

We know that you will want to consider the points raised in this letter for the draft which you are preparing on that subject.

Colonel Shipp is very anxious to have a completed draft and he asked me to find out from you if it would be ready soon.

As Colonel Shipp suggests that the problems involved are so diverse that he thought you might get helpful suggestions from other Sections which are affected by the orders. For example: Colonel Mills of Signal Section has been raising questions and so have the Political Section.

From my experience in Vatican Relations I know that there have been and that there will continue to be requests from the Vatican, the Vicar General and from affiliated agencies such as the Diplomatic Corps accredited to the Vatican, for permissions to travel, particularly to the northern areas. Commander Moore, Group Captain Benson's deputy has been in this afternoon talking over some of the difficulties arising from travel into Army Areas authorized by U.A.C. who do not have a clear understanding of the regulations.

Could it be made clear that travel in these areas is granted only when it is of some assistance to the war effort? Could it also be made specific that travel in that area for Church officials and the Diplomatic Corps can be authorized only for the same reasons.

Col. Shipp has asked me to point these few details out to you in the hope that you will understand that we wish to do your technical job, but to assist you with such information as we can offer.

Sincerely yours,

Wm. A. Ballance
WILLIAM A. BALLANCE
Major.
Civil Affairs Branch.

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Public Safety Section
(Attention Major Ballance)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

TO: HQ ACC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 35/11

FROM: AMO SAGNY

CLASSIFICATION: NONE

REFERENCE No: NONE

PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: AUG 11 1131

OFFICE OF ORIGIN: NONE

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CITE OUR 229. YOUR CABLE 1610 REFERS, THIS CABLE PASSED TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER, REGION C TWO IS NOW IN CONTROL OF GROSSETO PROVING WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO REPLY DIRECT TO YOU.



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FILE (2)
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CITE OUR 229. YOUR CABLE 1646 REFERS, THIS CABLE PASSED TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER, REGION 6 TWO IS NOW IN CONTROL OF GROSETO PROVINCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO KEEPLY DIRECT TO YOU.



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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 324

PHONE:
487459

Ref/309/146/GA

11 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Request from Signor Corrado Baldoni to visit Iesi.
TO : S.C.A.O. A.M.G. 8 Army.

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1. This is to acknowledge your letter Ref/GA/57/2 dated 9 August 1944.
2. We are in complete agreement with the position which you have taken on this matter and we regret that the request for this travel was ever presented to you.
3. We should however be grateful if you would send to us such information as the C.A.O. Iesi may discover of the whereabouts of the family of Signor Baldoni and other pertinent details which may be found.

W. G. S. Holland
Major

FOR
HUBERT R. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref 309/145/GA

11th August 1944

I have just received your letter of the 6th of August on the subject of ~~Positive~~ to Enter the Army Area. As I promised at the last meeting at H.Q. A.A.I., a new letter combining all previous instructions is being sent out. This, as you can imagine, is not an easy subject but we are getting on with it as quickly as we can. I have passed your letter to Public Safety Sub-Commission who are actually preparing the draft, asking them to take your points into consideration.

As a matter of interest your letter dated the 6th August was received here only on the 11th. Your sitreps from the 1st to the 4th of August and posted on the 5th were also received here today. I have checked up with communications at this end and I am told that there is a daily ADIS to your area.

I would suggest that if you were to mark your letters with some security classification, you would ensure that they go by ADIS and reach us the next day.

Col. R.B. MAYNE

AME 5 Army

Subject: Civilian Movement

Main H.Q., A.E.G.
Eighth Army.

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9 Aug. 1944. 11 AUG Recd

H.Q. & H.Q. Section,
H.Q., A.E.G.
A.E.G. 394.

1. Reference your 309/125/CA dated 6th August, 44.
2. It is not the policy of this H.Q. excepting in very exceptional circumstances to grant permission to Italian nationals to enter the forward areas on compassionate grounds. The request from Signor Corrado Baldoni to visit IMI appears to be no different from many made to this H.Q. on similar grounds, and unless you especially wish an exception to be made in his case, it is not proposed to grant permission.
3. This H.Q. will however cause investigation to be made immediately by G.A.O. IMI to discover the whereabouts of Signor Corrado Baldoni's family and all possible details which will be forwarded as soon as possible.

Er Beer
for Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., A.E.G. Eighth Army Main.

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HEADQUARTERS
AMG FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 U.S. ARMY

6 August 1944

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11 AUG Recd

SUBJECT : Entry into Army area.

TO : HQ ACC, attn. Executive Commissioner.

From several recent incidents and conversations with senior officers from HQ ACC it appears that considerable doubt still exists as to the procedure to be followed by persons wishing to enter the Army area. The procedure, in so far as this HQ is concerned, is therefore set out below for the different categories of persons affected.

It is suggested that the contents of this letter might be circulated to all Branches and Sub-Commissions in order that misunderstandings may be avoided in future.

1. Allied Officers including members of HQ ACC

No written pass from this HQ is required to effect entry into the Army area, but the Army Commander wishes that officers clear with this HQ by cable or telephone. This is covered by ACC letter 309/102/CA of 29 July but some uncertainty as to the correct procedure still exists even since the publication of this letter.

2. Officers of the Italian Armed Forces operating under aegis of AMG/ACC on duty

The same rules apply as for Allied Officers.

3. Italian Officials taking up permanent appointments.

When this HQ asks for an Italian Official permission is ipso facto granted for the issue of a pass by the Interior or other Sub-Commission concerned both for the Official himself and his immediate family.

4. Visiting Italian Officials and technicians.

Permission is likewise granted for the issue of a pass to any visiting Italian official or technician whose visit is requested by this HQ, provided of course that they have been vetted by Security.

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5. Officials and technicians sent up from the rear.

When however a Sub-Commission wishes to send up a technician without any request having been made from this HQ application must be made in writing to this HQ in order that it may be decided whether his journey is really necessary.

6. Any other Italians.

For any other category of Italians the rules laid down in AOC letter 316/76/CA of 26 April apply, namely that application with full particulars must be made in writing to this HQ before a pass is issued.

For the Commanding General:

E.B. Mayne
E.B. MAYNE,
Colonel, UDF,
Chief of Staff,
A.M.G. 5th Army.

/s/.

Copy to:

A.M.G. 8th Army.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION IV
APO 394

E/5029

10 August, 1944

SUBJECT: Monopolies

TO : HQ. ACC RC and MG

1. It was been reported, by the Prefect of Grosinone, that the Italian Monopoly Offices are still giving orders for trucks to be sent direct to Margherita di Savoia.
2. During July such orders were going direct to Communes. In this latest instance action has been taken on a Provincial level.
3. Apart from the probability of the journey being fruitless and wasting much: Petrol, there is a danger, unless the whole scheme has ACC sanction, that the trucks will be impounded.
4. Will you kindly direct these people into the correct methods or, if the scheme has your approval, inform us.

For the Regional Commissioner:

A. D. Bonham-Carter
A. D. BONHAM-CARTER
Lt. Colonel
Executive Officer (Provinces)

Copy: Regional Supply Officer

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10 August, 1944

R/5029

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Lt. Colonel
Executive Officer (Provinces)

Copy: Regional Supply Officer

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

Mr. 6/193/93

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

Mr. Alberto MARCHETTI, Minister Plenipotentiary, Chief of Cabinet, Ministry of Foreign Affairs should reach FLORENCE, as soon as possible, on official business, and remain there a few days on behalf of the Prime Minister of the Italian Government.

Mr. Marchetti will be accompanied by Mr. Orlandi Contucoli, Royal Vice-Consul in active service at the Presidency of Council of Ministers.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs would much appreciate if the Allied Control Commission could give Mr. Marchetti and Mr. Orlandi Contucoli the necessary yellow passes for the journey. *sf*

Rome, August 5th, 1944.

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ACC HQ

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ROUTINE

CIVIL AFFAIRS BRANCH

REQUEST PERMISSION FOR HIS EXCELLENCY VITTORIO EMANUELE ORLANDO CHIEF OF
THE ITALIAN CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES TO VISIT GROSSETO ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS
ACCOMPANIED BY CARLA GARABELLI MARIA TERESA GARABELLI EMILIA BARGHI AND
CONTE ARNELMO CHAUFFEUR PD PASSEY TO AND FIVE ARMY FROM ACC HQ PASSEY LENGTH
OF STAY APPROXIMATELY TWO WEEKS PD DO YOU APPROVE

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Lt. MONTANT
1st. Lt. AGD.
Adjutant.

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Letter from Camera del Depu
10 Aug 44

Request for
Sg Carla Orlando
Maria Teresa Garabato
Ing Porcchi
Capt. Aslomo

Approved
Revised to Lot Sec

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Regional Control and Military Government Section

Ref: 309/CA ✓

7 August 1944

Signor and Signora Amedeo Fani have been given permission to go to Perugia for health and family reasons. As a result of wounds incurred in the last war and subsequent illnesses, Signor Fani is now almost blind, and suffers from phlebitis and T.B.

In view of the above, and notwithstanding the fact that Signor Fani was Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs from 1925 to 1932 it is desirable that the Fanis be caused no inconvenience and that no measures be taken against them.

Would you please call the attention of the Provincial Commissioner to the contents of this letter, so that he may adhere to this guidance in any matters which may arise concerning the Fanis.

Sgt. M.S. Lusk

Incl-

Copy of ltr fr Capt Stone to Sig. Fani. A/c 014.13 of 7 Aug.

Colonel Charles Poletti,
Regional Commissioner,
Region IV.
Rome.

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PRIORITY

Civil Affairs Branch

HIGHLIGHT

ARMY AUTHORITIES REPORT TRAINING IN YOUR PROVINCE ARE BEING HINDERED BY LARGE NUMBERS
WOMEN AND CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN GIVEN PASSES BY PARAN TO NGOLIA FOR PROVINCIAL
COMMISSIONER FROM ACC HQ PARAN THIS SEEMS TO BE RESULT OF ORDER GIVEN BY REGION
PD ISSUE PASSES ONLY GIVEN FOR GENUINE REASONS AND IN SMALLEST NUMBERS POSSIBLE
AS PRESENT MOVEMENT INTERFERES WITH OPERATIONS PD ISSUING OFFICERS SHOULD SATISFY
THEMSELVES AS TO ADEQUACY OF TRANSPORT BEFORE ISSUING PASSES FOR OTHER THAN LOCAL
JOURNALS

CONFIDENTIAL

L. J. JENNINGS, Jr.
1st Lt. and
Adjutant

COMUNICATO
STAMPA

COMUNICATO
STAMPA

QUARTIERE GENERALE
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
REGIONE IV
AFO 394

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Il Commissario Regionale per la Regione IV - A.
M.G. - Colonnello Charles Poletti, comunica:

"1. Le Cooperative e gli Istituti di convivenza riconosciuti di Roma, possono ottenere un permesso per portare nella Città viveri non razionati (ad eccezione delle patate).

La domanda per il permesso deve essere fatta all'Ufficio Azienda Servizi Annuari - Via Carducci 3.

2. I privati hanno la possibilità di portare in Roma per il loro uso personale fino a 10 chilogrammi di viveri non razionati per il viaggio, (escluso le patate).

Non è necessario per ciò nessun permesso speciale."

TRADUZIONE

Colonel Charles Poletti, Regional Commissioner,
Region IV, announces:

"1. Cooperatives and recognized institutions (convivenze) in Rome City may obtain permission to bring to Rome City non-rationed foodstuffs (except potatoes). Application for permits must be made at the office of the Azienda Servizi Annuari, Via Carducci 3.

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2. Persons will be permitted to bring into Rome City for their own personal use up to 10 kilos per trip of non-rationed foodstuffs, excluding potatoes. No special food permits are necessary."

Subject: Civilian Movement - Passes.

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Main H.Q., A.M.G.
Eighth Army.

08/67/2

1. Aug. 44.

Executive Commissioner,
H.Q. & H.G. Section,
H.Q., A.M.G.
A.P.O. 32.

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1. Attached herewith are two official passes in
connection with the attached correspondence.

~~NOT ATTACHED~~ 29/8 Er Bee. on
for Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., A.M.G. Eighth Army Main.

Passes handed to
PA EE 10/8/44

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PA

Ph

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Subject: Visits of C. Lianna.

309 to A.D.O. 904/33
MAIN H.Q., A.M.C.
Ninth Army.

ON 67/2

6 Aug. 44.

R.C. & R.C. Section,
H.Q., A.C.C.
A.P.O. 394.

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1. The visit requested in your letter Ref: 309/-/CA dated 3rd August, is allowed, and pass to S. GIOVANNI D'ASSO and return to H.Q. is enclosed.
2. Pass has been made out in the name of Cav. CESARE MORONI and is signed and sealed. The pass has been completed as far as possible with the information supplied in your communication.
3. Incomplete portions of pass such as Identity Card no. - expiration date, signature of holder etc. will be completed by your office before delivery to Cav. MORONI.

QUARTERMASTER

ORIGINAL

A.C.

G. J. Malatesta

Staff Capt.
For Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., A.M.C. Ninth Army Main.

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SCAO 5th and 8th ARMY

HQ ACC PUBLIC SAFETY S/O

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ROUTINE

Public Safety S/O

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CONSENT REQUESTED FOR VISIT TO ARMY AREAS CMA OF
COLONEL MEANEY CHAPUBLIC SAFETY CMA HQ ACC PD WARR
TO SCAO FIFTH AND EIGHTH ARMY FROM HQ ACC PAREN
COMMENCING TEN AUGUST FOUR FOUR

Copy to: Admin. Section.
RC & IN Section.

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AND FIVE MORE SIGNED MSG

REF 3357

MSG 7/11/29



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OFF: GIN 213

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REF 3357 GIN GIN 213. REFERENCE YIN CABLE 1345. VISIT OF UNIFORM ARRIVING

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R.C. & M.C. Section, HQ. ACC., APO 394

8 August 1944.

TO: SCAG Fifth Army.
SCAG Eighth Army.

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Forwarded for your approval or otherwise.

S
NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

P. H. S.

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AIR FORCE SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
BASE OFFICE

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August 6th 1944.

To : Col. Pike
Sq. A.C.D. R.O. & M.O. Section

Subject : Permits to circulate in Army Areas.

1. The undersigned personnel of the Italian Air Force Signals Section require permits for salvage work to be carried out in Factories & Airfields throughout 5th & 8th Army Areas.
2. Since practically no Industries manufacturing Communications Equipment are to be found in Southern Italy, the I.A.F. is working entirely with salvaged materials. This work is therefore of vital importance & your help will be appreciated.
3. Specific locations for this work are difficult to give since information as to the location of valuable equipment is collected en route and has to be acted upon at shortest notice to forestall looting.

Ten. Col. Pike
Maj.
Ten.
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Majors.
Majors.
Majors.
Serg.

GIAMBERTI Fernando
SPERDINI Alfredo
ITALIANO Antonio
CERINI Egidio
VIGORETTI Aristide
ARCANI Ottorino
CAZZINI Carlo
BUNDO Luigi

DEPUTY DIRECTOR

signed: A.V. ELIOT.
Col., Signal Corps.

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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission
ATC 394.

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ACC/185/PWU

5 Aug. 1944.

6 AUG Recd

Subject : Entry into Army Areas.
To : Deputy Executive Commissioner.
Through Economic Section.

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1. Reference your 309/122/CA dated 1 August 44.

2. Major Robert A. Bell is now in possession of a pass authorizing him to travel in 5th Army Area on AEC/AUC official business in connection with rehabilitation of Electrical Utilities.

H. M. Laffer
W. M. Laffer,
Lieut-Colonel,
Chief Util. & Admin. Div.

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RE AGO FOR TRANSPORTATION SUB COMMITTEE FOR CARRY - CHAL DIVISION

AND FIFTH ARMY FOR HOME

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OPERATIONAL SECURITY

OTIS: NONE

MR. QUARTER
A.C.C.

REFERENCE YOUR LETTER AGO 25/05/199 OF 2 AUGUST AGREE HAVE VISIT VIEWING.
LONDON CANNOT NOT BE ENTERED WITHOUT PERMIT FOR WHICH HE MUST APPLY HERE IN
PERSON. FIRM MUST NOT YET OCCUPIED AND CANNOT NOT BE VISITED. IN ADDITION
POINT OUT THAT REGION RIGHT MOVED FROM CHYINGO TO BIRMA SOME TIME AGO. CITE OUR
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Info: A/ee

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P.A. OR. ✓

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. Section
APO 394

Phone:
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Ref/309/12/CA.

6 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Visits.

TO : SAC Eighth Army.

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1. Attached is copy of memorandum from Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
2. If you see fit to allow Signor Corrado Baldoni to visit ISI will you kindly send permit to us.

By NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Incl
as above

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1. 109. I spoke Col Jeffrey Smith. I think the revised instructions being drafted by P.S. will deal with this.
2. I think 119 & 120 are very interesting as evidence that checking is being carried out.

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Nr. 6/108/52

*Ministero degli Affari Esteri*MEMORANDUM FOR THE POLITICAL SECTION A.C.C.

Signor Corrado Baldoni, Counsellor of Legation, informs that he is in urgent need to reach IASI where he has his family, from whom he has not received news for a long time now.

Signor Baldoni, who is at present in force at the Italian Embassy to the Vatican, intends to leave Rome by car (Fiat 500 CD-Rome 0741 - chassis 019446 - Motor n° 019339) for which has already been granted a permit to circulate in Rome.

In view of the urgency of Signor Baldoni's journey, it would be much appreciated if the Political Section of the A.C.C. would kindly grant, with as little delay as possible, the necessary authorization to travel to IASI and to return to Rome. Identity card n° 401. *Calb.*

Rome, July 31st, 1944.



RECEIVED
ARMED CONTROL COORDINATION
R.C. & R.C. SECTION
APO 308

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Ref: 309/ CA

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Subject: Passes to Members of C.I.R.

To: R.C. Region IV (for Lt. Col. Pollock)

1. In order to facilitate the quick and efficient distribution of R.C.I., members of C.I.R. carrying a letter of authorization from the Personnel Section AMH are to be issued, with AMH passes as required without reference to this R.C.

2. I shall be obliged if you will ensure that such passes are issued with the minimum of delay.

SA
Robert E. Fiske
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commander

Copy to Pers. Sect. II. A.I. (attn. Col. Nyles)

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MEMORANDUM
ATTN: CHIEF OF COMMISSION
R. C. & M. S. SERVICE
NO 32

Ref/309/122/CA

4 August 1944

SUBJECT: Entry into Army Area.

TO : Army Sect. (for Public Works & Utilition Sub-Comm.)

1. Ref/309/122/CA informs this No. that Maj. Robert A. Bell recently visited Havana without obtaining the approval of the SCAG.

2. I shall be obliged if you will ensure that your officers follow the instructions issued on this subject the latest of which is dated 29 July Ref. 309/102/CA.

(S)
HOWARD E. PETER
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & H.C. SECTION
APO 394

Ref /309/121/CA

4 August 1944

SUBJECT: President of Tribunale Grosseto.

TO : AGS 5 Army.

The results made in your 203/CA/66 of 24 July are noted and appreciated. The direct application to Hq. will presumably by Legal Sub-Comm. - was not in order and should have been made to your Hq.

HERMAN E. FISHER
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Food Sub-Commission
A.P.O. 394

YRAG/al

2 August 1944

ACC/92-1/FOOD

4 AUG Recd

SUBJECT: Transport of Civilian Supplies

TO : Supply Officer, Region IV

1. The attached copy of letter has been received.
2. In future you will ensure that driver's permits cover them for the goods they are carrying. If, for instance it is impossible to complete a lorry load with potatoes, the permit should read, so many potatoes, so many mixed vegetables or whatever it may be.
3. It is clearly very difficult for Provost to keep a proper check unless these instructions are adhered to.

BY ORDER OF CAPTAIN STONE, (USNR):

W. J. Legg
W. J. Legg
Colonel

Director, Food Sub-Commission

Copy to:

R.C. & M.C. Section

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COPY

OC
75 Coy.C.M.P. (TC)

Sir,

I have to report that at the junction of Routes 6 and 7 map ref.N.150845 on the 14 July 1944 I found many instances of 10 ton civilian vehicles employed by Alimentation for Civilian Supply, Rome with white permits for carrying potatoes signed and dated by CAPT LESLY, Rome, carrying a lesser quantity of potatoes than stated on the permit, and carrying in addition either a large quantity (20 sacks) of nuts and/or fruit or tomatoes.

The drivers all state that they are allowed to do this, but the permit simply states potatoes.

May a ruling on this matter please be given, as numerous lorries are going from ACERRA to ROME in this fashion. One such was:

DI SALVO BASILIO
174 Via SALARIA, ROME

Driving a FIAT 8.634 with a permit for 60 sacks of potatoes yet carrying 25 sacks of potatoes, 40 sacks of nuts and 22 sacks of fruit. This vehicle passed my point en route for ROME at about 2215 hrs 14 July 44.

I have not stopped these vehicles for fear of upsetting any food arrangements made in Rome.

(Sgn) M.R. Jarret Sgt.
75 Coy.C.M.P. (T.C.)

Field
14 Jul 44

Certified true copy

(Sgn) V.E. Griggs Lt for
Capt
Comd 75 Coy.C.M.P. (TC)

Field
15 Jul 44

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
E.O. & M.C. Section
APO 394

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Ref/309/ /CA.

3 August 1944

SUBJECT: Visits of Civilians.

TO : AMG Eighth Army.

1. Cav. Cesare Moroni, introduced to us by Major H.K. Jacques SD(2) Br., AAI., wishes to visit his son aged 4, left in the care of relatives at S. Giovanni d'Asso, Province of SIENA, and from whom he has not heard for three months.

2. Are you prepared to allow this visit on compassionate grounds? If so will you kindly send us a permit for him.

RUFUS E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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EIGHT ARMY FIVE ARMY

ACC HQ

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2 Aug 44

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ROUTINE

Civil Affairs Branch

PERMISSION IS REQUESTED FOR COL G R WOODS ACTING HEAD OF ADMIN SECTION TO
VISIT BETWEEN 100 BETWEEN EIGHT AND FOURTEEN AND BOTH DATES INCLUSIVE TO
PASSE TO THE EIGHT ARMY FOR AND CMA FIVE ARMY FOR AND FROM ACC HQ PAGE

L.T. MONTANE, Jr.
1st Lt AGO
ADJUTANT

Main Sec

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

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2 August 1944

SUBJECT: Visit to Fifth and Eighth Armies
TO : RCMS Section.

1. It is requested that you secure permission for Colonel G.R. Upjohn, (B), Acting Head of the Administrative Section to visit both Fifth and Eighth Army Headquarters between the periods 8-14 August both dates inclusive.

2. The Acting Chief Commissioner has given his approval.

R.A. Persell
R.A. PERSELL,
Lt. Col. Inf.
For A/Head Admin Sec.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
ECONOMIC SECTION
APO 374

309/100

TEL: 307

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1 August 1944

SUBJECT: Permits to Visit Army Areas.

TO : Agriculture Sub-Commission
Commerce Sub-Commission
Finance Sub-Commission
Food Sub-Commission

Industry Sub-Commission
Labor Sub-Commission
Public Works & Utilities Sub-Commission
Transportation Sub-Commission

1. R.C. & E.C. Section 307/100/CA, 29 of July 44, states that members of ACC are still visiting the Army Areas without first obtaining the permission of R.C.E.C., AND 5th Army or O.C.A.C. AND 8th Army.

2. Please advise members of your Sub-Commission that application should be made direct to the Army concerned, with a copy of the request to R.C. & E.C. Section, and that the journey will not commence until the approval has been obtained.

3. Please instruct officers to visit HQ's of the ACC Armies concerned wherever possible. They may be able to answer queries and may receive useful information for your Sub-Commission.

Gen. Humph. R. G. G.

Copy to:
R.C. & E.C. Section

G. H. HUMPH, 1st Col., R.A.
R.C. 1, (CA), Economic Section

*Executive Commission**114*

A/CC 400.
Ref/309/114/G.

2 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Admission of Italian officials to ports for the purpose of accepting delivery of imported foodstuffs.

TO : HQ. Allied Armies in Italy.

1. It is essential that the Italian Government should be compelled to undertake gradually the maximum of responsibilities and to reduce AOC staffs in areas handed over to the Italian Government.
2. In this connection every effort is being made by the Food Sub-Commission to bring about at an early date the re-establishment of an Italian Government organisation which will accept imported foodstuffs at port of entry, thus relieving AOC staffs from the present burden of accounting for internal distribution.
3. If, however, the Italian Government is to accept ships' manifests as documentation of delivery it must take effective custody of the supplies at ship's side. Up to now this has not been possible (except in one or two very minor ports) the military authorities operating the ports being opposed to any degree of participation by Italian officials in port operations. Consequently, under present conditions the earliest point at which effective delivery to the Italian Government can be made is at the warehouses to which supplies are trucked initially from the ports.
4. The views of the military port authorities are understandable in relation to the earlier military and internal situations and particularly because of the non-existence of any central Italian authority. Having regard to the present situation and probable future developments, however, there are strong reasons for urging that the military port authorities should now begin to invite the cooperation of responsible Italian officials in Italian Government territory. This is an essential step if general demilitarisation is to be concurrent with the assumption of management and control by the Italian Government.
5. I should be grateful if the matter could be taken up with the military port authorities, particularly in BRINDISI, BARI and NAPLES, with directions to them to discuss the matter with the local AOC officials and if possible to reach agreement under the following heads :-

Via A.C.C. Secy Gen.	
DISPATCHED	
Date - 3 Aug 1945	
Via	AG M/C
Initials	<i>[Signature]</i>

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- (a) That Italian officials, appointed by the Italian Government in agreement with AOC, shall be admitted to the ports to accept delivery at ship's side of all foodstuffs imported for the relief of the Italian people, i.e., of all imported foodstuffs for which the Italian Government is required to accept financial responsibility on the basis of ships' manifests.
- (b) That such officials shall be accorded full recognition as representatives of their government and proper authority over supplies in their custody after delivery to them at ship's side.
- (c) The extent and limitations of the operational and administrative authority to be exercised by these Italian officials with particular reference to transportation facilities.

6. Until these proposals have been effected it will be impossible to withdraw the Supply Officers from work which is properly the concern of the Italian Government and there will be a shortage of Supply Officers in operational areas in the North.

7. I fully realize the security objection that may be put forward but I would urge that these proposals be considered sympathetically on the broad basis of the proper use of Allied manpower and the necessity of dilution of Italians into every function of the Allied Control Commission as directed by A.F.M.Q. and your Headquarters (vide AAI/3035/A(0) dated 26 July 1944).

ELERY W. STONE,
Captain, USNR
Acting Chief Commissioner

Copy to: V.P., Economic Section

Brig. Lash

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31st July, 1944.

Mr. Antolini,
Executive Officer,
Economic Section.

Herewith letter to AAI. Do you

agree?

H. P. D. G. R.
M. S. LUSH,
Brig.,
Exec. Com.

Brigadier Lush.
I definitely agree.
Many thanks.
[Signature]

21 Jul
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Food Sub-Commission
A.P.O. 394

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24 July 1944

ACC/60-3/FOOD

SUBJECT: Admission of Italian officials to ports for the purpose of accepting delivery of imported foodstuffs.

TO : The Vice-President, Economics Section

1. As you know, every effort is being made by Food Sub-Commission to bring about at an early date the re-establishment of an Italian Government organization which will accept imported foodstuffs at port of entry, thus relieving ACC staffs from the present burden of accounting for internal distribution.

2. If, however, the Italian Government is to accept ships' manifests as documentation of delivery it must take effective custody of the supplies at ship's side. Up to now this has not been possible (except in one or two very minor ports) the military authorities operating the ports being opposed to any degree of participation by Italian officials in port operations. Consequently, under present conditions the earliest point at which effective delivery to the Italian Government can be made is at the warehouses to which supplies are trucked initially from the ports.

3. The views of the military port authorities are understandable in relation to the earlier military and internal situations and particularly because of the non-existence of any central Italian authority. Having regard to the present situation and probable future developments, however, there are strong reasons for urging that the military port authorities should now begin to invite the cooperation of responsible Italian officials in Italian Government territory. This is an essential step if general demilitarisation is to be concurrent with the assumption of management and control by the Italian Government.

4. It is therefore desired to present these arguments to the military port authorities and to reach agreement with them under the following heads:

a. That Italian officials, appointed by the Italian Government in agreement with ACC, shall be admitted to the ports to accept delivery at ship's side of all foodstuffs imported for the relief of the Italian people, i.e., of all imported foodstuffs for which the Italian Government is required to accept financial responsibility on the basis of ships' manifests.

b. That such officials shall be accorded full recognition as representatives of their government and proper authority over supplies in their custody after delivery to them at ship's side.

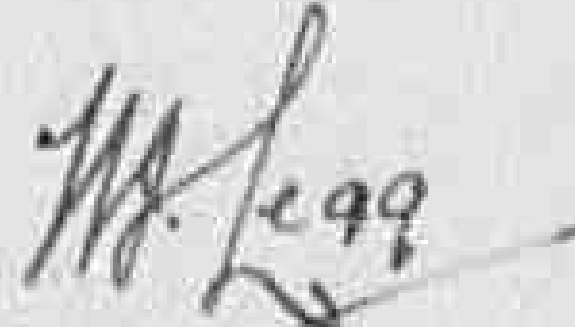
c. The extent and limitations of the operational and administrative authority to be exercised by these Italian officials with particular reference to transportation facilities.

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5. Until these proposals have effect AOC staffs cannot be wholly withdrawn from administrative work which is properly internal to Italy nor can the Italian Government accept without reservation financial responsibility for imported foodstuffs on the basis of ships' manifests. Therefore, failing agreement by the military port authorities, it is suggested that the case should be submitted to the C in C. AFHQ, with a request that a directive be issued to NATOUSA.


W. J. LEGG
Colonel
Director, Food Sub-Commission

Copy to:

Col. CRANSHAW
Major TOBY

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 334

Ref/309/102/QA

29 July 1944

SUBJECT: Visits of Members of ACC into Army Areas.

TO : Admin. Economic and Political Sections
Army, Navy and Air Sub-Commissions
Italian Refugee, Establishment and Patriots Branches
Secretary General
Public Relations Officer
Information Division

1. Cases are still occurring of members of this Commission visiting the Army Areas without first obtaining the permission of the Army concerned through the S.C.A.O.
2. I shall be grateful if you will draw the attention of your officers once more to the instructions on the subject which are clearly laid down in para 2 of Daily Bulletin No. 20 of 9 July 44.
3. Whenever possible officers should call in at the Headquarters of the A.M.G. of the Army concerned.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to:
S.C.A.O's 5 & 8 Areas.

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U. S. ARMY

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23 July 1944

SUBJECT: Irregular Permits from Rome

TO : Executive Commissioner
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission

1. The attached copy of a letter from the Regional Finance Officer is forwarded for your information and such action as you may consider necessary.

John W. Chapman
for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Acting Regional Commissioner

COPY TO:

Regional Finance Officer (Ref. your F/835/105.5/11.
dated 27 July 1944.)

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U. S. ARMY

F/836/106.5/11

27 July 1944

SUBJECT: Irregular permits from Rome.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Hq. Region 3, A.C.C.

1. This office has experienced several cases where bank officials have been sent from Rome to Naples, on official duty without a regular permit from the Public Safety Office, Rome.

2. The statement that these officials are on "bank service", issued by unauthorized officers, does not grant them a seat on the local bus to Rome, and this office has had great trouble in obtaining these officials a return permit from the Public Safety Office, Naples.

3. It is suggested that Headquarters, A.C.C., Rome, be informed to instruct responsible officers that such permits should only be issued by the proper authority, in order to avoid:

a that officials from banks and other institutions remain several days in Naples waiting for a permit;

b that this office be considered responsible for the returning of such officials.

(s) R.M. PEARSON

R.M. PEARSON

Major, R. A.

For

Lt. Col. L.R. BATTENBY

Regional Finance Officer

HCP/am

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HEADQUARTERS
AMG FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 U.S. ARMY.

24 July 1944.

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28 JUL Recd

SUBJECT : President of Tribunale, Grosseto.

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section, A.C.C. H.Q.

1. The following signal Ref. ACC 830 from Legal Sub-Commission to AMG 5th Army for S.L.O. was received at this HQ yesterday.

"Request urgent permission to travel from Rome to Grosseto and Arcidosso for Cavaliere Leone Laneri President Tribunale Grosseto - Identity Card 46205 to assume his office".

2. Almost simultaneously a signal from AAI Advance HQ was received by G-1 Fifth Army as follows :-

"This HQ granted permission to Cavaliere Leone Laneri President Tribunale Grosseto identity card 46025 to travel to Grosseto and Arcidosso to assume his office. This on request ACC."

3. It is clearly desirable that the President of the Tribunale should return to Grosseto and the necessary permission would have been given through this HQ without any delay. It is however suggested that requests for permission for Government or judicial officials to enter the Army Area should be referred to this HQ only as the use of other channels is likely to lead to some confusion.

For the Commanding General:

E B Mayne

E.B. MAYNE.,
Colonel., UDF.,
Chief of Staff,
AMG Fifth Army.

Copy to C.L.O. ACC HQ.

Yes - make clear we did
not enter 7th Army. 22 44

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As C.L.O. has a copy I don't
think we should do more
anything beyond telling
Mayne that his remarks
are correct. 21/7 4336

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HQ AGO FOR FINANCE SUBCOMMISSION

AND 5 ARMY FOR HUMB

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REFERENCE NR 1027

PERMISSION GRANTED FOR EARLY VISIT OF OFFICERS MENTIONED. PLEASE
GIVE DATE OF VISIT. CITE CUE 187.

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HEADQUARTERS

29 JUL 1944

A. C. C.

SW PIA

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Subject:- Passes for Ascoli Piceno (ref: LA/2)

To:- H.Q. A.C.C.
R.C & M.G Section

From:- A.C.C.L. Adv H.Q. A.A.I.

- 77101 I
1. Ref your 309/99/CA of 25 July 44.
 2. Information was passed to Major Friend James by telephone for transmittal to you that Ascoli Piceno is under control Region V, not AMG 8 Army.
 3. We have suggested that a signal be sent by your section for the passes requested in your letter ref above.

CRO/dm

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Cullen
Captain,
A.C.C.L. Adv.

No approval
File Co. B. to Col
pass for Ascoli Piceno
W. 27/10

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. Section
APO 394

Ref/309/104/CA.

1 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Passes and Food Purchase.

TO : R.C. Region IV.

1. Attached is copy of letter dated 26 July 1944 from
AMC Fifth Army together with its enclosure.

2. Will you please investigate this matter and comment
as soon as possible.

103
WILLIAM E. FINK,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: SCAG Fifth Army.

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HEADQUARTERS
AND FIFTH ARMY
APO 166 U.S. ARMY

26th July 1944.

203/5 30 JUL Recd

SUBJECT: Passes and Purchases of Food.

TO : Lt., A.C.C.,
R.C. & H.G. Section.



1. The P.P.S.O. Grosseto Province has called attention to what, on the face of it, appears an irregular issue of an irregular pass by Rome City, a copy of which is attached. (b2)

2. No application was received here for the driver and vehicle to travel from ROME to ORBETELLO in Fifth Army territory.

3. It is requested that an explanation be called as to why A.C.C. Circular No. 116/192/CA dated 21st July was not complied with.

For the Commanding General:

E.B. MAYNE,
Colonel, U.D.F.,
Chief of Staff,
A.M.O. Fifth Army.

/wcp

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COMMUNE di ROMA
AZIENDA SERVIZI ANONARI
CIVILIAN SUPPLIES FOR ROME CITY

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No. 8055

Type of Vehicle -----Autocarro M.M.
Licenze NO-----A.R. 2396
Destination -----Orbetello
Distance in kms.-----330
Type of goods-----Pesce (Fish)
Capacity oil -----20
Gasoline-----Naphta Authorised
Lubricating-----Oil Authorized
Name of Driver-----Giacomeni Finaldo

The goods loaded must
be delivered to-----Azienda Servizi Annonari
Mercato Ovini-----Pollame uova
Firm issuing the vehicle-----Societa Anonima Bonifica Agrana
(CIPA)

ROMA -----15 July 1944.

Stamp of Allied Military
Government.
Police and Public Safety
Division.

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HQ AGC FOR R6 AND R3 SECTION

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ACTION

AGC OFFICERS CONTINUE VISIT FORWARD AREAS WITHOUT ARMY PERMISSION AND WITHOUT VISITING THIS HQ. LATEST EXAMPLES FROM LIVORNO MAJOR ROBERT A BELL PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES SUB-COMMISSION ALSO UNKNOWN OFFICER IN HQ AGC CIVILIAN CAR NUMBER 22. REQUEST ACTION. CITE OUR 181



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