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NEUTRAL CONSULS
JUNE - AUG. 1944

Neutral Consuls in Liberated Italy

Rome	Mr. John F. Huddleston	Consul	American
"	Mr. M. Flach	Consul General	French
"	Miss Marie Morescalchi	Consul General	San Marino
"	Mr. Sakir Bengutas	Consul	Turkish
"	Mr. Ilija P. Plamenac	Consul	Yugoslav
Naples	Mr. George F. Brandt	Consul General	American
"	Mr. Georges Carlier	Consul General	Belgian
"	Mr. Harold C. Swan	Consul General	British
"	Mr. D.G.E. Middelburg	Consul General	Dutch
"	Mr. Yves Debreise	Consul	French
"	Capt. Nicholas Michas	Governmental Agent	Greek
"	Mr. Cyril T. Klingenburg	Consul	Norwegian
"	Mr. M. Marietti		Swiss
"	Mr. M. Joran M. Ristic	Consul General	Yugoslav
Palermo	Mr. Alfred T. Wester	Consul General	American
Bari	Mr. F. H. Gamble	Consul	British
"	Mr. Georges Caloutais	Governmental Agent	Greek

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

31 AUG Recd

31 Aug 44

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SUBJECT : Career Consuls in Liberated Italy.

TO : See Distribution Below.

The subjoined list of career Consular officers in Liberated Italy is forwarded for information.

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G. R. UPJOHN, Brigadier,
Vice President, Administrative Section.

<u>American:</u>	Rome: Naples: Palermo:	John F. Huddleston, George F. Brandt, Alfred T. Nester,	Consul Consul General. Consul General.
+ <u>Belgian:</u>	Naples:	Georges Carlier	Consul General.
<u>British:</u>	Naples: Bari:	Harold C. Swan, F. H. Gamble,	Consul General Consul
+ <u>Dutch:</u>	Naples:	D.G.E. Middelburg	Consul General
<u>French:</u>	Rome: Naples:	M. Flach, Yves Debreise,	Consul General Consul.
<u>Greek:</u>	Naples : Bari:	Captain Nicholas Michas, Georges Caloutsis,	Governmental Agent Governmental Agent.
<u>Norwegian:</u>	Naples:	Cyril T. Klingenburg	Consul.
<u>San Marino:</u>	Rome:	Marie Morescalchi,	Consul General.
<u>Swiss:</u>	Naples:	M. Marietti,	
<u>Turkish:</u>	Rome:	Sakir Bengutas,	Consul.
<u>Yugoslav:</u>	Rome: Naples:	Ilija P. Plamenao, M. Joran M. Ristic	Consul Consul General.

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

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Ref/463/21/GA.

7 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Neutral Missions.

TO : R.C. Region IV.

Please note that all applications for passes to leave
HOME by neutral diplomats must be referred to Political Section,
HQ. ACC.

NORMAN D. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: AMHQ G-3.
Political Section.
HQ. AAI GSI(b) - Ref AAI/1401/6/GSI(b)
of 3 Aug 44.

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LA Cas Shaps:

Pl. See 19. As for See PM
Jed. who informed all
Neutrals in Rome. Do
you think we should tell
PM in a U? I don't.

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Wann Reg IV to issue no
passes to ^{neutral} diplomats but send
an to for Sec. Sta Acc.

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Adv. HQ, Allied Armies in Italy

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ATT/1401/6/GSI(b)

Dear *Lush*

3 Aug 44

Thank you very much for your letter 1003/342/EC dated 30 July, enclosing correspondence between yourself and JACKLING regarding the movement of diplomats.

I entirely agree with your reply to AFHQ. I think we know enough here about other operations being mounted by AFHQ to be able to watch their interests alright. If we are in doubt, we can always refer to them. *BA*

We sent you a signal yesterday asking you not to permit members of neutral missions to visit the region of APULIA or the Provinces of NAPLES or SALERNO without reference to this HQ. During the next few weeks we will probably be unable to agree to any such visits.

If you do receive any such applications, perhaps you would be good enough to delay a day or two before passing on the application to us, we would also delay a few days before replying. We might even lose the application!

Yours

Charles Hurvich

Brigadier M.S. LUSH
HQ., A.C.C.

CAB

For action - immediate as regards

Naples & Salerno - in concert with 5203

Per. Sect. *BA*

8/7-

AAI's to 509 Aug 2 rec'd

& Per. Section holding up travel accordingly - R.K.

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CA Br.

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Capt. Stone's instructions.
T/S Lt. Col. Munson
Secy Gen Office

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ADV HQ ACC RPTD AFHQ

ADV AAI

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REF MY I(B) 448 DATED 11. MEMBERS NEUTRAL MISSIONS WILL NOT REPEAT BE PERMITTED
TO VISIT FOLLOWING AREAS WITHOUT PRIOR REFERENCE THIS HQ, APULIA.
NAPLES PROVINCE. SALERNO PROVINCE.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394.

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1003/312/100.

30th July 1944.

my dear Hirsch,

I enclose copy of correspondence between AFHQ and
myself. I hope you agree with my reply.

Yours sincerely,

(Sgd) Maurice Lusk.

Brigadier G. E. R. Hirsch,
G. S. I. Branch,
Headquarters,
Allied Armies in Italy.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394

1007/341/23.

30th July 1944

my dear Jackling,

Your letter of 27th July explaining to me the mild concern of G-2 over AAI's telegram 1(B)44d of 11th July, disturbs me. As I understand the situation AAI is still responsible for military security throughout Italy and therefore the AXC can turn to them, and them only, for instructions. I am not aware that AAI has any functional responsibility in this country and I am sure that I should be putting the Chief Commissioner in a difficult position if I accepted the view that orders from the Commander-in-Chief, AAI, would, so to speak, have to be checked by further reference to AAI. As you see from the telegram AAI anticipate certain restricted areas which obviously refer to the mounting of future operations.

I think if G-2 are disturbed and desire any change in procedure they should give instructions to AAI as to their functional responsibility in these matters.

We, of course, in granting these passes and having knowledge of future operations, will be discreet as to the scope for travel given to the diplomats in question.

Colonel D. Jackling,
G-5 Section,
Allied Force Headquarters.

Yours sincerely,
(Sgd) Maurice Lusk.

See 3-5200

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Your letter of 27th July explaining to me the mild concern of G-2 over AAI's telegram 1(B)443 of 11th July, disturbs me. As I understand the situation AAI is still responsible for military security throughout Italy and therefore the AAO can turn to them, and then only, for instructions. I am not aware that AAI has any functional responsibility in this country and I am sure that I should be putting the Chief Commissioner in a difficult position if I accepted the view that orders from the Commander-in-Chief, AAI, would, so to speak, have to be checked by further reference to AAI. As you see from the telegram AAI anticipates certain restricted areas which obviously refer to the mounting of future operations.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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27 July 1944

Dear Brigadier 3408

The cable 1(B)448 of 11 July from Adv HQ AAI to your then Adv HQ for action (paraphrased copy attached) was repeated to this HQ for information and has caused a little mild concern to G-2. It will be appreciated that HQ AAI are not necessarily in the exact picture as to the mounting of future operations not connected with their own command and that to allow neutral missions to travel in Italy south of the Army Boundaries without clearance from here might result in ~~them~~ obtaining information which it is better that they should not have.

In the circumstances G-2 have asked if any permits of the type referred to have been requested, that their issue be delayed until details of persons, itineraries, and dates have been submitted to and cleared with this HQ, and that similar precautions be taken in future cases.

Yours sincerely

Davis for King.

Brigadier Maurice S. Lush, O.B.E., M.C.,
Executive Commissioner,
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission,
APO 394.

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FROM: ADV HQ AAI

TO : ADV HQ ACC INFO AFHQ

I(B) 448

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NONE

CITIZENONE

REF YOUR 351 dated 10 July. Agree your proposal that ACC be authorized to issue in exceptional cases permits to members of SWISS and SWEDISH missions to travel beyond limits of BOME area south of army boundaries. It may however be necessary at later date for this HQ to notify certain restricted areas in south which members such missions may not visit without reference this HQ

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Foreign Interests.

M E M O R A N D U M.

The Swiss Legation, Foreign Interests Division, in charge of the protection of American and British Interests in Italy, recommends to the Allied Military authorities Mr. Guido Riva, Attaché of the Legation.

Mr. Riva is authorized by the Police and Public Safety Division of the Allied Military Government to visit the provinces named herebelow for the purpose of distributing financial relief to allied nationals residing in such localities.

Frosinone, Chieti, Pescara, Aquila, Teramo, Ascoli Piceno
Perugia, Terni and Rieti.

The Swiss Legation would appreciate if the Allied authorities could assist Mr. Riva in fulfilling his duty, as well as procuring lodgings in the various places to be visited.

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R o m e, July 10, 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION VIII

RVIII/47/1.

11th July, 1944.

SUBJECT: Swiss Envoy.

TO : Deputy Exec. Comm (Col. Fiske). Hq. A.C.C. (Adv).

1. Confirming telegram, I find upon my return that although Region VIII has been given the administration of approximately 60% of GROSSETO Province in the western portion, still Army technically retains control. Therefore the Swiss Envoy should not be sent forward at this time.

2. I regret very much having given you wrong information initially, but I was under the impression that since this territory had been given over to us for administration that it was Region VIII territory.

Robert G. Kirkwood
ROBT. G. KIRKWOOD,
Colonel, FA, US Army
Regional Commissioner.

Col Fiske

*I know history of this. Do
PA. Sect wish to see?*

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M E M O R A N D U M.

The Swiss Legation, Foreign Interests Division, presents

its compliments to the Political Section of the Allied Control

Commission and has the honor to request that a permit be

granted to one of its collaborators, namely, Dr. Guido Riva---

who will be accompanied by a chauffeur--to visit various dis-

tricts in liberated Italy for the purpose of paying the monthly

relief to British, American and other allied nationals residing

1/. in such provinces. A detailed list of these is enclosed here-

with.

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will also be noted from the attached list.

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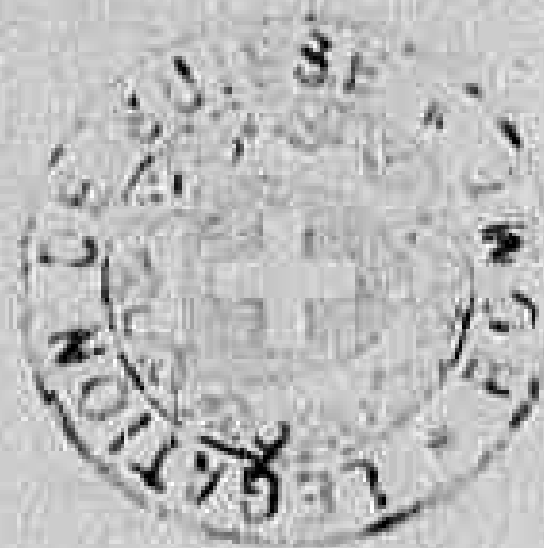
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R o m e, July 6, 1944.

Enclosure:
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A handwritten signature, possibly "Riva", written in dark ink.

LIST OF PROVINCES TO BE VISITED FOR PAYMENTS
OF RELIEF TO BRITISH, AMERICAN AND OTHER NATIONALS

UNDER THE PROTECTION OF THE SWISS LEGATION,

FOREIGN INTERESTS SECTION, ROE.

Ascoli Piceno Reg V

* Frosinone Reg IV

Teramo Reg V

* Rome Rome Region

* Terni 8th Army

* Rieti Reg IV

* Viterbo Reg IV

Pescara Reg V

Chieti Reg V

L'Aquila Reg V

Perugia 8 Army

* Grosseto 5 Army

Ascoli Piceno Reg. V

* Frosinone Reg. IV

Teramo Reg. II

* Rome Roma Region

* Termini St. Army

* Rieti Reg. IV

* Viterbo Reg. IV

Pescara Reg. V

Chieti Reg. V

L'Aquila Reg. V

Perugia St. Army

* Grosseto St. Army

Macerata (probably) St. Army

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Rome, July 6, 1944.

Automobile FIAT 500 - Number plate: Roma 57520
Frame (telaio): 022847 - Motor No. 022949

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AFHQ INFO ADV ACC

ADV HQ AAI

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QY GR 59 1 (B) 424

YOUR MESSAGE FX66946 CITE FHMEG DATED 1 JULY ADDRESSED MAIN ACC RPTD THIS HQ SUBJECT
NETURAL MISSIONS TO QUIRINAL WAS RECEIVED HERE AFTER DISPATCH OUR 1 (B) 414 DATED
5 JULY. FORMER ANSWERS QUERY RAISED IN LATTER. FOR ACTION WE ARE IN THIS MATTER
SEE OUR FORTHCOMING SIGNAL TO ACC WHICH WILL BE REPEATED AFHQ

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10 JUL 1944
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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

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FOLLOWING NEUTRAL MISSIONS TO QUIRINAL ARE LOCATED ROME. AFGHAN ARGENTINE IRISH PORTUGUESE SPANISH SWEDISH AND SWISS. AT PRESENT THESE HAVE NO BAG OR CIPHER FACILITIES AND MAY ONLY COMMUNICATE WITH THEIR GOVERNMENTS IN CLEAR THROUGH ACC. THEY ARE PRESSING FOR AT LEAST SAME FACILITIES AS WHEN UNDER GERMAN OCCUPATION VIZ RIGHT TO SEND OFFICIAL BAGS BY COURIER AND TRAIN LANGUAGE TELEGRAMS THROUGH NORMAL POSTAL CHANNELS. THEY ALSO CLAIM GERMANS ALLOWED ~~XXXX~~ CIPHER TELEGRAMS UP TILL ANZIO LANDING. FROM SECURITY POINT OF VIEW WE WOULD GREATLY PREFER CONTINUANCE PRESENT LIMITED FACILITIES BUT REALIZE IMPORTANT POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS INVOLVED. THEREFORE REQUEST YOU MAKE EARLY DECISION AND COMMUNICATE SAME TO THIS HQ AND ACC WHO HAVE AGREED THIS MESSAGE

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ROUTINE

CITE/PHONE

PLEASE GIVE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO MONSIEUR DE SALIS, SWISS CHARGE D'AFFAIRES AT ROME. MESSAGE BEGINS. MOSIMANN LEAVES ALGIERS 8 JULY TO OPEN SWISS CONSULATE IN NAPLES SIGNED SCHLAXTER. MESSAGE ENDS. WEA 1740 B



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PLEASE INFORM NEUTRAL DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS TO QUIRINAL THAT THEY ARE
NOT AUTHORIZED TO TRANSMIT MESSAGES OR DESPATCHES BY W/T AND THAT
SUCH TRANSMITTERS CANNOT BE PERMITTED

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ROUTINE
CITE: FIED

CONSIDERATION HAS BEEN GIVEN TO YOUR 6456. UNITED STATES AND BRITISH GOVERNMENTS HAVE AGREED THAT SWISS GOVERNMENT SHOULD ESTABLISH CONSULATES IN SOUTHERN ITALY. LOCATION AT NAPLES IS APPROVED HERE.

SWISS HAVE SPECIAL POSITION AS PROTECTORS OF GERMAN INTERESTS IN ITALY. SO CASE NOT NECESSARILY A PRECEDENT.

HEADQUARTER FROM ITALIAN GOVERNMENT NOT INVOLVED IN OPENING NAPLES CONSULATE, AND EVEN IF THAT PLACE SHOULD BE RESTORED TO ITALIAN ADMINISTRATION NO DIFFICULTY FORESEEN. IT IS NOT CONSULS FUNCTION TO DEAL WITH ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.

NEITHER CIPHER NOR BAG FACILITIES WILL BE ALLOWED SWISS CONSULS.

*Concurrence to be
initiated*
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Copy has been relayed to A.C.C. Rear.

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4 JUL 1944
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Civil Affairs Branch

He [] with copy of reply to [] coming telegram
No. F58854 from AFHQ, which you requested.

J. M. Dacker
Political Section

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- 3 JUL 1944

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ACTION ACC MAIN FOR INFO AAI AND AFHQ ADV CP

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ROUTINE

CITE PHOS

STATUS OF NEUTRAL DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES IN ROME ACCREDITED TO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IN
SUBJECT. PARA. AMERICAN AND BRITISH GOVERNMENTS ARE AGREED THAT DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS FROM
NEUTRAL COUNTRIES, AND THEIR PERSONNEL, SHOULD BE PERMITTED TO REMAIN IN ROME. YOU WILL
APPLY WHATEVER MEASURES OF SECURITY YOU DEEM NECESSARY WITH RESPECT TO COMMUNICATIONS
(INCLUDING SUSPENSION OF CIPHER AND MAG FACILITIES AND STOPPING TRANSMISSION BY WIRELESS)
AND CIRCULATION OF THE PERSONNEL OF THE SEVERAL NEUTRAL MISSIONS. IF ANY PROTEST IS MADE
YOU MAY POINT TO THE NECESSITIES OF OPERATIONS AND OF SECURITY. SECURITY MEASURES TAKEN IN
ROME MAY BE CITED AS PRECEDENT. OF COURSE YOU WILL RESPECT THE INVIOABILITY OF THE
PERSON AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEUTRAL DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIONS. PARA. FINNISH
REPRESENTATIVES WILL RECEIVE, FROM THE BRITISH MILITARY AUTHORITIES, THE SAME TREATMENT
AS OTHER ENEMY DIPLOMATS. PARA. DANISH MINISTER, IF FOUND IN ROME, SHOULD BE GIVEN
OPPORTUNITY TO DECLARE HIS POLITICAL SYMPATHY AND RENOUNCE RELATIONS WITH DANISH ADMIN-
ISTRATION NOW SUBJECT TO GERMAN CONTROL, AS HIS COLLEAGUES IN WASHINGTON AND LONDON DID

NOTE: This message was serviced --

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- 3 JUL 1944
A. C. C.

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ROUTINE

CITE: FIELD

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NOTE: Sent copy via DR to ACC Rear



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URGENTLY REQUEST REPLY TO OUR F58854 OF 13 JUNE. POINTED OUT THAT PROSPECTIVE CONSUL HERE AND MOST DESIRABLE HE BE PERMITTED TO PROCEED WITHOUT DELAY.

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21 JUN 1944

1. C. C.

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- J.C.C.
C.A.B.
COMMISS. (R)
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21 JUN 1944

A. C. C.

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20 JUN 1944

ATTN FOR G-5 US POLITICAL ADVISER AND BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER

ACC MAIN

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ROUTINE

POLITICAL

ACC HAS NO SPECIFIC OBJECTION TO OPENING OF SWISS CONSULATE IN ITALY AS PROPOSED IN YOUR
FOI FIVE EIGHT EIGHT FIVE FOUR JUNE ONE THREE SIX FOR NEW CHARGE EAST CHARGE PD THERE IS
NO OBJECTION OF PRINCIPLE AS REGARDS NEUTRAL CONSULAR OFFICES TO WARR TO APRIL FOR
DEGREE FIVE USUAL SENIOR POLITICAL ADVISER AND BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER FROM ACC MAIN
ADVISED BACKGROUND PAPER ASIDE FROM DIFFICULTIES CONTINGENT UPON ISSUES OF OTHER NEUTRAL
REPRESENTATIVES TO WHOM IT MIGHT BE DIFFICULT TO REFUSE PERMISSION AFTER CHARTING TO
SWISS ORA ALL PRESENT THIS HAS ESTABLISHED CONTINGENT PRESENCE IN LIBERATED ITALY OF
CONSULS OF UNITED NATIONS ONLY WHO ARE SUBJECT TO ACC PARTICULARLY IN MATTER OF RESIDENCE
AND WHO THEREFORE HAVE NO RESIDENCES FROM OR OTHER DEALINGS DIRECT WITH ITALIAN
GOVERNMENT PD AN PRESENT TREND OF DEVELOPMENTS CONTINGENCES EARLY NATURE OF MORE TERRITORY
TO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT ORA ESTABLISHMENT OF NEUTRAL CONSULATES IN TERRITORY DIRECTED UNDER
ITALIAN ADMINISTRATION WOULD NECESSARILY REQUIRE ADMISSION OF THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT
PD IF IS BELIEVED YOU MAY WISH TO POSTPONE THIS QUESTION UNTIL DECISION REVERSED REGARDING
TERRITORY TO BE ADMINISTERED BY PRESENT GOVERNMENT PD SWISS CHARGE IN NAME CONSULATES
EARLY VISIT TO NAPLES TO DECIDE FUTURE REPRESENTATION SWISS INTERESTS

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ON RECOMMENDATION OF POLITICAL ADVISORS, SAC IS PREPARED TO AGREE TO OPENING SWISS CONSULAR OFFICES IN SOUTHERN ITALY, WITH FIRST OFFICE TO OPEN AT NAPLES, IF AGC AGREES. PROSPECTIVE CONSUL NOW IN ALGIERS. FOR PRESENT, SWISS CONSULS WOULD NOT HAVE EITHER CYPHER OR BAG FACILITIES, BUT WOULD COMMUNICATE THROUGH MILITARY CHANNELS EXCLUDING MILITARY CYPHERS. REQUEST YOUR REACTION.

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