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P. N. F.

GIOVENTU' ITALIANA DEL LITTORIO

COMANDO FEDERALE DI MATERA

Comando G. I. L. di Fascio di _____

CARTELLA PERSONALE

della Giovane Fascista _____

Tessera Anno 19____ - A. F._____ - N._____

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La Giovane Fascista _____

è passata ai Fasci Femminili il _____ 19____ - Anno_____

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Via _____ N. _____

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passata al P. N. F. con la _____ leva fascista il _____

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Piccola Italiana scelta _____

Piccola Italiana vice caposquadra il _____

Piccola Italiana caposquadra il _____

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Giovane Fascista scelta il _____

Giovane Fascista vice caposquadra il _____

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

Ref/AG/87/CA. 4 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Assignments - Officers.

TO : Establishment Officer.

1. Reference Special Orders No.59 of 1 April 44. Appendix "L".

2. Please note that Lt.Col.C.W.I.SHIFF. KAR (E) was assigned to Civil Affairs Branch in accordance with Special Orders No.44 para.4. of 17 March 1944, and is not assigned to AAI Fifth Army (CAB) as stated in the above-mentioned Appendix.

NORMAN H. [redacted]
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/313/30/CA.

4 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Re-establishment of "Consigli Provinciale Economici".

TO : Economic Section.

1. Attached is copy of a letter from R.C. Region I apparently protesting against the re-establishment of Consigli Provinciale Economici.

2. I believe that these Provincial Councils are not really a part of the Fascist Sindicalisti structure and that, provided a purging of Fascists is done, there will be no objection to their revival.

3. May I have your views on this before I reply to the R.C.

L. E.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

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Ref/113/78/CA.

4 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Armistice Terms.

TO : R.C. Region VI.

Captain Talbot's visit to your Region is delayed a few days. His E.T.A. will be advised.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/291/29/GA.

4 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Licensing of Publications.

TO : R.C. Region III.

1. Reference your letter of 23 March 1944 enclosing a draft order regarding the Licensing of Publications.

2. The draft order has been carefully considered at this H.Q. at a conference with Col. Monroe and other members of the Allied Publishing Board and as a result I am directed to inform you that this order is not approved.

3. The Allied Publications Board do not wish this matter to be the subject of a Regional Order. They are very anxious to have an amended Italian decree which would be operative in occupied and unoccupied territory. The principals of such a decree have been discussed and the matter is being taken up with the Italian Government forthwith.

NORMAN E. FISK
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/302/99/CA. 4 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Clothing and Equipment of Carabinieri.

TO : ACAO. AAF. Fifth Army.

1. Reference your letter 5AF/1002 of 27 Mar 44.

2. The request contained in the above cited letter has been passed to the Public Safety Sub-Commission for appropriate action.

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/298/6/GA. 4 April 1944

SUBJECT: Independant Port Authority of Naples.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section (for Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Herewith are enclose copies of translation of letter and proposed decree changing the control of the port of Naples over to the Italian Government.

2. Region III advises it has no objection to such a decree provided AMG retains its present authority in controlling the port of Naples.

3. Will you please examine this decree and advise us of your disposition in the matter.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/19/30/CA.

4 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Requisitioning of Property.

TO : R.C. Region IV.

Reference your letter R4/386.8 and 386.81 of 28 Mar 44.

1. Enclosed herewith are copies of Establishment Memoranda Nos. 5 and 5A, which it is believed covers the subject in question.

2. These Memoranda have not as yet been circularised, as they are now being incorporated in a booklet now being published.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/75/175/UA. 4 April 194.

SUBJECT: Refugees Region II.

TO : Lt.Col.Hulls, Italian Refugee Branch.

1. In accordance with discussion at Conference this morning copies of correspondence recently received from R.C. Region II are forwarded herewith.

2. Will you please let me have your comments so that we can work out an answer.

NORMAN E. PEEK
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

52/CA
3 April 1944

SUBJECT: Code Addresses and Cable Procedure

TO : Deputy Chief Commissioner A.C.C.

Reference this HQ's 52/15/CA dated 7 March 44.

1. Since the above mentioned request relating to Code addresses was forwarded, the question of Cable Procedure has been considered resulting in the submission of the attached Draft Memorandum.

2. It is requested that the Telecommunication & Posts Sub Commission take notion to obtain the necessary approval and publication by AFHQ of the amended list of "Non-secret Short Titles Unit Designations".

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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

52/OA
March '44

SUBJECT: Cable Procedure.

1. (i) In order to improve efficiency in the transmission of cables, the number of groups should be kept to a minimum and the preparation simplified.

(ii) The undermentioned procedure, which supersedes all previous instructions, is issued.

2. Six copies of outgoing cables in literal text will be prepared for A.C. distribution. Extra copies may be prepared and despatched as required.

3. (i) The inclusion of "signed Macfarlane" and also the mention of an officer's name, in the addressee portion of the cable, will be discontinued, except in the case of "PERSONAL FOR".

(ii) The use of "PERSONAL FOR" should be cut down to the minimum and only used for personal reasons or when it is desired to bring the cable to the attention of a particular officer for special reasons.

4. (i) The attached list of "War-secret Short Title Unit Designations" will be used.

(ii) Application has been made to AFHQ for various branches of A.C.C. to be added to this list. When approval has been given and announced by AFHQ these short titles will be adopted and will easily indicate which branch of A.C.C. is concerned.

5. (i) Cables addressed to a HQ. are automatically transmitted to MAIN HQ. unless qualified "REAR" or "ADV" etc.

(ii) It is to be taken for granted that it is the addressees' responsibility to take ACTION, and that "REPEATED to other addressees" means "REPEATED for information".

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M.S. LUSH
Brigadier, G.S.
Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

AG 312.4-1 SIG-AGM

14 March 1944

SUBJECT: Non-Secret Short Title Unit Designations.

TO : All Concerned.

1. The following non-secret short titles have been approved by AFHQ for use in this Theater. These short titles are not secret code words for units, but are merely to be used for brevity in place of the full name of the organization when messages are transmitted by electrical means.

2. For uniformity and to avoid confusion, no other non-secret abbreviations or short titles will be used. The short title is to be used in the text of the message in place of the whole name of a unit or installation and are not to be used in addressing official correspondence. All new short title names or changes in non-secret short titles will be approved and announced by AFHQ.

UNIT	NON-SECRET SHORT TITLE UNIT DESIGNATION
Administration Movement Control, N.A. Dist.	NAMOVE
Air Commander, Corsica	ACCORS
Air Force, Twelfth	12AF
Air Force, Fifteenth	15AF
Air Force Service Command, XII	XII AFSC
Air Force Service Command, XV	XVAFSC
Air Force Training and Replacement Command, XII	XIIAFTRC
Air Support Command Headquarters, XII	XIIASC
Algiers Sub-District Headquarters	ALSDIST
Algiers Garrison Headquarters	ALGARR
Allied Control Commission, Headquarters, Main	FATIMA
Allied Control Commission, Headquarters, Rear	FATIMA REAR
Allied Force Headquarters	FREEDOM
Allied Force Headquarters Advanced Command Post	FAIRBANKS
Allied Force Headquarters Accommodation Detachment	FAIRFIELD
Allied Force Camp (Near ACMF)	FAIRWAY
Allied Force Headquarters ADV ADM Echelon	FLAMEO
Allied Central Mediterranean Force Headquarters (Main)	FILPOT
Allied Central Mediterranean Force Headquarters (Rear)	FANTOX
Allied Central Mediterranean Force Headquarters (Tac)	FINBAT
Allied Garrison Commander, Sardinia	FALCON
Allied Ground Forces and Service Troops in Sardinia	SARDEPOT
Headquarters, 2665th Quartermaster Base Depot	FABLE
Hdqrs, Region 6, Allied Control Commission, Sardinia	ABCMTO
Army Air Force Engineer Command, MTO, (Prov)	AAFMTO

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Hdqrs, Region 6, Allied Control Commission, Sardinia	FABLE
Army Air Force Engineer Command, MTO, (Prov)	AECMTO
Army Air Force Headquarters, MTO	AAFMTO
Army Air Force Service Comd., MTO	ASCMTO
Atlantic Base Section	ABS
Bone Sub-District Headquarters	BONSDIST
Bougie Garrison Headquarters	BOUGAR
British Army Staff Headquarters (In USA)	MILSTAF
British Military Mission, Washington, D.C.	BRITMAN
Canadian Military Force Headquarters (In UK)	CANMIL
Commander-in-Chief, Headquarters, Mediterranean	CINCMED
Commander United States Amphibious Forces Northwest African Waters	COMPHIBNAW
Commander United States Naval Forces Northwest African Waters	COMNAVNAW
Constantino Garrison Headquarters	CONGAR
Eastern Base Section	EBS
Eighth Army Headquarters	EIGHTARMY
European Theater of Operations, Hq., U.S. Army (In UK)	ETOUSA

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1st Army Group Headquarters, London	USFAG
Force 133, Adv. Hq., ACMF	FOUNDRY
French Command in Corsica	JUPITER
General Headquarters, Mideast	MIDEAST
G-4 (Mov), AFHQ	FREEMOVES
Gibraltar Headquarters	CHIEF GIBRALTAR
Inter-Services Signals Unit No. 6, RAF	FELLOWSHIP
Island Base Section	IBS
Joint Rearmament Commission	REARMCO
Malta Headquarters	COMMANDETH MALTA
Mediterranean Allied Air Forces	MAAF
Mediterranean Air Transport Service	MATS
Mediterranean Base Section	MBS
Mediterranean Allied Strategical Air Force Headquarters	MASAF
Mediterranean Allied Tactical Air Force Headquarters	MATAF
Moroccan Sea Frontier Forces, Commander	COMOROCCANSEAFRON
North Africa District Headquarters	NADIST
North African Theater of Operations, U.S. Army	NATOUSA
North African Wing, Hq., ATC, Station No. 1, Tunis	NAFWING
Northern Base Section	NORBASE
Number 1 District Headquarters	DISTONE
Number 2 District Headquarters	DISTWO
Number 3 District Headquarters	DISTHREE
Peninsular Base Section	PENBASE
Persia and Iraq Command	PAIC
Philippeville Garrison Headquarters	FILGAR
Planning Groups from Tactical Units at AFHQ	FORTUNE (Units)
Port Commandant, Algiers	ALEMBARK
Port Commandant, Bone	BONEMBARK
Port Commandant, Bougie	BOUGEMBARK
Port Commandant, Naples	NAPBARK
Port Commandant, Philippeville	FILEMBARK
Port Commandant, Sousse	SOUEMBARK
Port Commandant, Tunis	TUNEMBARK
Prisoner of War - Sub-Commission, Italy	POWCOM
Q(Mov), Algiers	ALMOVES
Q(Mov), Constantine	CONMOVES
Q(Mov), Tunisia	TUNMOVES
Services of Supply, Dakar	AMPLIFIER
Services of Supply, European Theater of Operations, United States Army (In UK)	SOSETOUSA
Services of Supply, North African Theater of Operations, United States Army	SOSNATOUSA
SPAX Garrison Headquarters	SPAGAR
Seventh Army Headquarters	SEVENARMY
Southeast Asia Command Headquarters, New Delhi	COPIR
Special Forces, AFHQ	FIGLEAF
Tactical Bomb Force Headquarters	TBF
Tripoli District Headquarters	TRIPDIST
Tunis Sub-District Headquarters	TUNSDIST
Tunis Garrison Headquarters	TUNGAR
XII Air Support Command Headquarters	XIIASC

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

Ref/307/40/CA

NLF/mrd
3 April 1944

SUBJECT: Discipline - Allied Military Forces

TO : HQ., A.A.I.

1. The Chief Commissioner has directed me to forward to you the attached copies of correspondence relating to an alleged unprovoked attack upon an Italian officer by an American Military Police.

2. From reports that reached the Commission this is not an isoluted incident, but this particular case is reported in such detail that it can no doubt be properly investigated.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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FROM : AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, C.M.F.

TO :

TO : HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

DATE : 1st APRIL 1944.

REF : ASC/11.

Major Ferdinando CARPI.

1. The attached report of Major CARPI of the Italian Air Force is forwarded to you for your information.

2. It is hoped that you may consider it of sufficient gravity to warrant some action being taken in the matter.

3. Major CARPI is a man in the middle fifties, and had been sent from Bari to Naples for a Medical Board.

s/ W. L. Minter
(W. L. Minter)
Wing Commander,
for: Air Commodore,
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING.

3.05

(For attention Brig. M. S. LUSH).

COPY

TO: ITALIAN AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS

NAPLES

Yesterday, 27th.inst., at about 1800 hours, I was proceeding with Captain Mancuso along via Constantinopoli as I had to go to the H.Q. at Cavour Barracks.

When I had reached the Military Hospital occupied by the American Forces, in that same street at No. 107a, and not being able to distinguish whether the guards at the entrance of the said Hospital were Italian or formed part of Allied Forces - I am blind in one eye and the other has poor vision - and hearing Italian spoken, I approached the guards politely, giving the military salute, and asked them whether they could tell me where the Italian Air Force H.Q. was situated and whether - as I thought - an Italian airman had entered there.

By way of reply I was struck with the fist in my left eye by an individual whom I subsequently found to be of American Nationality.

The first blow was followed by many others as four more individuals of the same nationality joined their comrade.

I was unable to oppose any resistance as I would have liked, being absolutely blinded and because of loss of blood from mouth and nose which upset my faculties.

One of our Sergeants, of whom I do not know the name, came to my assistance. Subsequently an American Military Police intervened who, instead of protecting me as might have been expected, or attempting to put an end to the blows which were raining on me from all sides, having had it explained to him that I am a

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Captain Mancuso, who was some ten metres away, attempted to come to my help but when he reached me all he could do was to take me by the arm, pick up my cap and glasses and lead me elsewhere.

Naples, 28th March 1944

Signed Ferdinando CARPI
MAJOR A.A.R.S.
4th Zone H.Q. B A R I

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R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/343/5/CA.

3 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Marriage of Soldiers with Civilians.

TO : R.Cs. Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI.
SCAO's 5th and 8th Armies.

1. Supplementing our letter 343/2/CA of 25 March 1944.

2. You are requested to advise the proper church authorities in your respective Regions that it is necessary for U.K. personnel to produce properly executed Forms "B" (vide App. "A" to AMG C.R.O. No.162 of 1944) prior to performance of the marriage ceremony, in addition to fulfilling all requirements of the Italian laws.

3. You are further requested to ask these church authorities to circularise this information among all Priests under their jurisdiction.

NORMAN E. FISKN
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/343/6/CA. 3 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Marriage of U.K. Personnel.

TO : HQ. A.A.I. (Admin Sch).

Reference your letter AAI/5035/A(PS) of 29 Mar 44.

1. In reply to the inquiry contained in para.2 of your letter, we regret to state that we have no facilities available for checking Italian civil personnel. This is done by CIC, which is not under our jurisdiction.

2. The request contained in para.3 of your letter is being complied with.

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M. S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Regional Control and Military Government Section

3rd April 1946.

Ref: 319/7/CA.

SUBJECT: Carabinieri at FRIGNANO MAGGIORI.

TO : Vice President, Adm Section.
(For Public Safety Sub-Com).

1. Attached is a copy of a report received from M.C.T., A.F.H.Q.

2. Our attention is called to the very apparent non-co-operation on the part of the Carabinieri officer concerned.

3. Will you please enquire into the matter and inform this section of the result.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

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3 April 1944.

Ref/118/23/CA

SUBJECT: Yugoslavs -- Italian Citizens.

TO : Army Sub-Commission Main

Copy of a letter from H.Q. A.A.I. (Adm Eoh) is forwarded for action as necessary.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 367/8/CA. 3rd April 1944.

SUBJECT: Italian Touring Club.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Region III.

Reference your letter of 21 March 1944.

There is no objection to the re-establishment of the Italian Touring Club Company in NAPLES.

NORMAN K. FISKE,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

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3 April 1944.

Ref/383/8/CA

SUBJECT: Regulations in Italian Government Territory.

TO : M.G.S., A.F.H.Q.

1. Reference your 010.5 of 20 March.

2. Control of Movement. In Italian Government Territory free movement of civilians is allowed except that Railway travel is restricted to persons having permits from the Italian Police. The Italian Government is, however, in course of issuing identification documents and all civilians will be required to produce these documents before they can move by rail or road.

3. Curfew. The original Curfew restrictions of July 25, 1943 are still in force in Italian Government Territory but they are varied by agreement between the British Authorities and the Italian Local Authorities through A.C.C.

4. Possession and use of Radio Receiving sets. A Fascist law controlling the use of private receiving sets capable of being tuned in to foreign stations still exists but since the Armistice has not been enforced by the Italian Government.

5. Arms and Ammunition. A Law of June 18, 1931 is still in force in Italian Government Territory in regard to Arms and Ammunition. The main provisions are:- 3098

(a) Sale and purchase of arms and ammunition has to be notified to the Police.

(b) Licenses from the Police are required for the carrying and possession of arms and ammunition for personal protection and sporting purposes.

6. Registration of Aliens in Italy. Registration of Aliens is being undertaken by the Displaced Persons Sub-Commission. Good progress is being made. Regional Commissioners are to be asked to send in returns of all aliens in their areas.

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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3 April 1944.

Ref/297/8/CA.

SUBJECT:- General Martini a Fascist of Sardinia.

To:- M.G.S. A.F.H.Q.

1. Enclosed herewith copy of letter No L/1415 dated 28 March, received from R.C. of Sardinia (Region VI), also copy of a report enclosed with said letter, these being self explanitory.

2. Will you please advise this Headquarters as to how in the future, you wish this matter handled.

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref/355/15/CA

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3 April 1944

SUBJECT: Prefect of Naples Province

TO : Vice President, Administrative Section

1. The Regional Commissioner, Region III, has suggested the name of Avv. Francesco Selvaggi to be Prefect of Naples Province. Avv. Selvaggi is no doubt well known to the Italian Government. He is about 60 years of age, born in Abruzzi but has lived many years in Naples.

2. The Italian Government has, I know, been canvassing the field for a suitable candidate for this office and would no doubt be glad to express its views on the nominee of the Regional Commissioner.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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3 April 1944.

Ref/21/30/CA

SUBJECT: Rome

TO 1 Economic Section
(For Agricultural Sub-Commission)

1. Reference AGR/10000 of 24 March AGR/WAH/11.

2. A.M.G. 5 Army (CAS) have agreed to the inclusion of a representative of the Agricultural Sub-Commission in the A.M.G. 5 Army team to enter Rome.

3. This Officer will be attached to and under Command of A.M.G. 5 Army for all purposes.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref: 323/3/CA.

3rd April 1944.

SUBJECT: Control of Photography.

TO : Vice President, Adm Section.
(for Legal Sub-Commission).

1. Herewith is forwarded copy of memorandum No. 312/PS/3 of 17 March from 312 P.S. Section to Regional Security Officer, Region III.

2. If you think proper, will you please draft an order on this subject covering all AMG territory.

For

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

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3rd April 1946.

Ref: 322/3/CA.

SUBJECT: Power of Arrest - Civil Police.

TO : Vice President, Adm Sec.
(for Public Safety Sub-Com).

1. Enclosed herewith is copy of letter MGB-250.3 of 31. March received from A.F.H.Q., M.G. Section.

2. Will you please let this Headquarters have your comments on the subject.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 302/96/CA. 3rd April 1944.

SUBJECT: Carabinieri.

TO : Vice President, Adm Section
(for Public Safety Sub-Com).

1. This Headquarters is advised that some 2300 officers and men of the Carabinieri Reale contingent are yet to be fitted out in clothing and equipment. A schedule of their particular requirements is attached hereto.

2. Will you please handle this matter.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref/53/59/CA.

3 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Routing of Correspondence.

TO : S.C.A.O. AMG Fifth Army.

1. In reply to your memorandum of the 25 March 1944 on the subject of incorrect routing of correspondence. I agree that the letter from the Army Sub-Commission should have been sent to AMG Fifth Army. This is being drawn to their attention together with the correct location of your H.Q. It is also being suggested to them that the recovery of military personnel in forward areas should be linked up with the Italian Refugee Branch.

2. The attention of the Agriculture Sub-Commission is being drawn to Daily Bulletin No.62 of 28 March, and to previous publications of this order, which insists that officers wishing to visit forward areas must make application through the SCAO. AMG. of the Army concerned.

NORMAN H. FIELD
Colonel, 3091
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/317/CA.

3 April 1944.

SUBJECT:- Prisons in Region II.

To:- V.P. Admin Section (for Legal Sub-Commission).

Reference your letter ACC/4041/L of 30 March.

The matter referred to in your letter has been called to the attention of R.C. of Region II, a copy of our letter being enclosed.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 57/10/CA. 3rd April 1944.

SUBJECT: British Troops in SARDINIA.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Region VI.

Reference your letter HQ/1024 of 25 March 44.

1. Administrative Memorandum No.80, Allied Force Headquarters, dated 14.Nov.1943, is quoted in part as follows:-

"2. COMMAND. (a) Initially, the Commanding General, 42 Bomber Wing, is designated as Allied Garrison Commander of SARDINIA, and will command all Allied army and air force troops in the island. He will be provided with a separate staff to assist him in his duties as Garrison Commander, as distinct from his operational duties as Commanding General, 42 Bomber Wing."

(c) The Naval Officer in Charge, MADDALENNA Naval Base, will command all Allied naval forces in SARDINIA."

2. We are advised by HQ. A.A.I. that so far as is known, no change has been made in the above command.

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NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

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MIXED CLAIMS
ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
R.H. and M.G. Section
ACC 554.

3 April 1944.

Ref/217/4/34.

SUBJECT:- Issue of British Cards.

TO:- R.Cs. Regions II, III, IV, and V.

A reply to our 217/1/34 of 15 March is requested.

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Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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3 April 1944.

Ref/172/13/CA.

SUBJECT:- DARCH Family.

To:- M.G.S. A.F.H.Q.

The enclosed copy of a letter from Displaced Persons Sub Commission is forwarded reference para 2 of your MCS 383-9 of 1 March (D/thh).

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref/288/50/CA.

3 April 1944.

SUBJECT:- Italian Legislation.

TO:- V.P. Admin Section. (for Legal Sub-Commission).

Reference ACC/4010/L of 27 March 1944.

The Finance Sub-Commission requests that para II(c), concerning R.D. Law No 74 be included in the indorsement.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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APO 394.

Ref/AC/34/CA.

3 April 1944.

SUBJECT:- Regional Order No.30

TO:- R.C. Region III.

1. The Italian version of the above order has been received in this office.

2. Will you please furnish us with the English translation of this order.

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NORMAN H. FISER,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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3 April 1944.

Ref/75/174/CA

SUBJECT: Evacuation of Part of Termoli.

TO : A.C.C. Liaison
A.A.I. H.Q.

1. Copy of a letter from A.M.G. Eighth Army is attached.

2. Can you please take action as at para 3.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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3 April 1944.

Ref/169/12/CA.

SUBJECT: Italian Army Personnel Collection of.

TO : Italian Refugee Branch.

Civil Affairs Branch file no. 169/CA with correspondence on the the above subject is passed to you for retention and necessary action in view of your IRB/2 of 6 March 44 para 1b, at folio 6 of this file.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/118/19/RA.

2 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Yugoslav family at BARI.

TO : R.C. Region II.

1. Copies of the following correspondence are enclosed :

(a) Letter from MMB, AFHQ, ref. MMB-383.7 to ACC H.Q. dated 29 March 1944.

(b) Letter from C-in-C. M.E.F. ref. 13630/5/MI(ALS) to MMB, AFHQ dated 24 March 1944. (2 copies)

2. If you see no objection to the movement of this family, will you please have the necessary action taken as required in para.2 of letter from AFHQ of 29 March 1944.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/166/20/CA. 2 April 1944

SUBJECT: Compensation of Italian Civilians.

TO : Finance Sub-Commission.

1. Forwarded herewith is letter No. 2201/52/A of 28 March, also letter for Hq. Claims Commission, CMF, No. CH/41/C/25 of 22 March; letter from RLO Region II, No. 2201/52 A of 15 March, and undated petitions and translation thereof made by Zara Albina Palmieri Vedova Carriero.

2. It would appear, from the record evidence submitted, that (1) Giuseppe Carriero was in the employ of ACC; (2) that during the course of said employment he rode in a jeep; (3) that thru no fault of his own the jeep became stalled in a desolate place and under severe weather conditions and (4) by reason of the last contributing factor, he suffered exposure and died.

3. Under the analysis made in par. 2 above, it would appear, the widow's petition is well founded.

4. Will you please advise how proper compensation may be paid the widow of Giuseppe Carriero?

NORMAN F. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/75/169/CA. 2 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Civilian POWs from PADULA Camp.

TO : SCAC. AMG 8th Army.

1. Confirming telephone conversation of 31 Mar 44 between Major Talbot-Capt. Talbot.

2. Attached are two lists of civilians who have been released from PADULA Camp and most of whom are desirous of going to destinations within the 8th Army area.

3. These persons are being held at Salerno by the Italian authorities who have been told that they cannot be allowed to move into 8th Army territory until 8th Army have vetted them from the security standpoint.

4. This H.Q. will appreciate anything you can do to make early action taken on this matter since the present accomodation of these persons at Salerno leaves very much to be desired. Leave

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NORMAN E. EDSON
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Admin. Section, Near HQ.
R.C. Region XIII for SCAC SALERNO.
Please issue instructions to enable these persons on list B who are desirous of proceeding to Benevento Province, to do so. The Security Branch of this HQ is satisfied that it is in order for them to proceed.

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Ref/73/168/CA. 2 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Civilian P.O.Ws. from PAOLA Camp.

TO : R.C. Region XXI.
(For SCAO Salerno Province)

1. Attached are two lists of civilians released from PAOLA Camp and who are desirous of proceeding to Naples and Foggia.

2. The Security Branch of this H.Q. is satisfied that it is in order for these persons to proceed and this H.Q. will be obliged if you will issue the necessary instructions to enable them to do so.

NEGLIAN E. FIENE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: R.C. Region V (with copy of relevant list)
Admin Sect, Rear HQ.

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Ref/143/76/CA

2 April 1944

Major D.G.H.H. Smith
13 Corps

Dear Major Smith:

I am deeply appreciative of the many kindnesses which you showed me and Captain Cunliffe in our recent visit to your Corps. I wish to thank you for personally conducting us to Mignano and explaining the points of interest and reclamation work there. Your assistants, Captains Duncan and Erskine seem to have the situation well in hand and I was very grateful to have seen Major Stoner at work in his town.

Captain Cunliffe will inform you as soon as I have news regarding the case of Captain Kohn and the suggested "guide for Sicily", both the replies I hope will be favorable.

Daveys
If you get word of Colonel Basil, I would appreciate knowing of his whereabouts.

Sincerely,

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/143/75/CA 2 April 1944

Major L. A. Stonor
13 Corps

Dear Major Stonor:

I wish to thank you for the hospitality and generous giving of your time during our recent visit to your "foothold in Frosinone?" I was impressed by the progress you have made and very interested in your views regarding evacuation problems. It is most gratifying to find our representatives "really carrying the ball" where the plays mean so much.

Give my regards to Lieut. Glasspool. Hoping your neighbors do not cause you too much difficulty or hinder your continued progress, I am.

Sincerely yours,

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/145/74/CA

2 April 1944

Capt., G.C.F. Duncan
13 Corps
Liaison Officer for 78 Div.

Dear Captain Duncan:

I sincerely appreciate the courtesies extended to Captain Cunliffe and me by you in guiding us through your area last Saturday. I regret not being able to see the General or to visit the town of San Pietro; both were things which I wanted very much to do.

I shall make it a point to return to your area in the near future. I hope the information regarding Colonel Basil Daveys can be obtained before this trip.

Thanking you again for making our visit so interesting, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/117/24/01.

1 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Yugoslav Partisans.

TO : Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q.

1. The Director of the Displaced Persons Sub-Commission has written to say that the Foreign Secretary of Yugoslavia was approaching Marshal Tito with a petition to the effect that the Refugee Camp in EGYPT was not a suitable place to which to send refugees. I think this is the camp that was the subject of a report forwarded by you to us under cover of your letter No. MIS 254 of the 11th March.

2. Colonel Kirkwood is of the opinion that there may be some justification for their petition as the camp in EGYPT is a tented camp and he states that the extremes of temperature are very apparent to the Yugoslavs.

3. A deputation consisting of the following representatives of the Yugoslav Partisan Organisation :

MATO JAKSIC, representative of the Regional National Liberation Committee of Dalmatia.
Dr. SLOVEN SMODLAKA, secretary to the Foreign Secretary of Yugoslavia.
RUZICA MARKOTIC, representative of the Central Refugee Committee.

asked whether further evacuation of refugees to EGYPT might be held up pending a reply from Marshal Tito. They were informed that the policy with regard to refugees was one for decision by the Allied Governments and that their request would be referred higher.

4. Will you please say whether you agree to their request, stating what action you require taken by these H.Q.

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieut-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Copy to: Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

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31 March 1944

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)
NUMBER 48)

DIVISION OF RESPONSIBILITY
Between Educational Sub-Commission and Regional Educational Officers.

I

1. The division of responsibility hereinafter set out, between the Educational Sub-Commission ACC and Regional Educational Officers, applies to all regions while under Allied Military Government. There is also setforth, herein, the general lines of responsibility for advice and assistance to be given to Italian Educational Officials, in territory under the Italian Government and Allied Control Commission.

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Responsibilities of the Education Sub-Commission will include the following:

1. Establishment of general policies, applicable to more than one region, in regard to:
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   b. Conditions under which schools and universities may be opened or closed.
   c. Matters of school programs, text books, and organization.
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3. Production, approval or disapproval of all text book or parts thereof.
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   b. Presidi of Faculties;
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III

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2. Approval, appointment and dismissal of all personnel for universities and institutions of University rank, except:

   a. Rectors or heads of such institutions;
   b. Presidi of Faculties;
   c. Titular, Professors, members of the senatus academicus and persons of corresponding rank subject only to Hq. policies as to conditions affecting such appointments.

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3. All local provincial or regional administrative matters connected with universities, and other higher institutions, elementary and secondary schools, kindergartens, and out-of-school youth and adult education programs, within the general framework of headquarters policies.

4. All arrangements for covering "ordinary" expenses of educational institutions, heretofore paid on a provincial level.

5. All arrangements for covering "extraordinary" expenses for repair of bombed or damaged buildings, etc. subject to approval of this plan by the CFO.

6. The opening of state and church schools, under general policies of Hq.

7. The opening of establishments of new state or church schools subject only to conformity with Hq. policies.

8. Determination of dates of opening and closing schools, (Hq. to be kept informed).

9. Same for opening and closing of universities (Names to be added).

10. The Regional Commissioner, of the Region concerned, shall be advised of any action taken under sub-paragraphs 1 to 9, inclusive, above.

IV

The Education Sub-Commission retains the authority to establish policies of dismissal, and also the power to dismiss any teacher personnel of any educational institution over which the Allied Control Commission has jurisdiction; and nothing herein above set forth shall be construed to abrogate or limit this authority.

M.S. LUSH
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. de M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/357/46/CA. 2 April 1946.

SUBJECT: Prefect of CHIETI.

TO : Adain Section - For Interior Sub-Commission.

1. In reply to your ACI/42/14/Int of the 7th March 46, a reply has been received from AMG Eighth Army signifying their agreement to the appointment of GAETANO PERELLA as Prefect of CHIETI.

2. SCAO Eight Army asks that the new Prefect should go to VASTO as soon as possible to make preliminary arrangements regarding his accommodation etc before finally taking up his official duties. It will be appreciated if instructions could be issued to this effect and the date of his departure to VASTO notified direct by you to Eighth Army with a copy to this H.Q.

[signature]
MILLAR H. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: SCAO Eight Army.

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EMS/163/46/Ch. 2 April 1946.

SUBJECT: Occupation of essential Municipal Buildings VASTO.

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

1. In reply to your letter CA/175/2A of 22 Mar 46, this matter has again been raised with HQ No.2 District. While sympathising fully with the needs of AMG and being most willing to help, they have replied that they are unable to agree to the release of the Consorzio Agrario, or suitable accommodation in lieu, at the present time. This decision was reached only after investigation on the spot by Comd. No.2 District, and Comd. No.60 Sub-Area.

2. The matter will, however, be kept in view by them and should conditions change they will, at the very earliest opportunity, take steps to release suitable accommodation to you. It is hoped that you will be able to make some suitable alternative arrangements as it is not thought advisable to press the matter any further at present.

NORMAN E. FIELD
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.
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Copy to: HQ No.2 District.
HQ No.60 Sub-Area.

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Ref/276/63/Cn. 2 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Modification of AMG Fire-arms Proclamation.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section - For Legal Sub-Commission.

1. Herewith is enclosed copy of letter received from R.C. Region III.

2. Will you please draft a proclamation or order in line with this approved suggestion.

M. S. LUSH
Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

Encl.
Letter dated 26 Mar 44
from R.C. Region XII.

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Ref/307/36/CA. 31 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Discipline - Allied Troops.

TO : H.Q. A.A.I. (Attain Ech).

1. The Provincial Commissioner of COSENZA has called attention to a disturbance in a brothel in COSENZA on the night of March. 18, created by five American soldiers who refused to leave the place. The Carabinieri are powerless to deal with such matters and A.C.C. has no military personnel to deal with such matters. It is stated such occurrences are frequent.

2. It is requested that one British and one American M.P. be stationed at COSENZA, while military personnel frequent the town, to keep the personnel out of brothels and from creating disturbances such as mentioned.

M. S. LUEN,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

This letter not sent out, but turned over to Maj Brown, H.Q. for handling
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Ref/352/4.2/CA.

2 April 1944

SUBJECT: Capt. Dominici, CCRR

TO : V.P. Admin. Section (for Legal Sub-Commission)

1. This Headquarters has no record of your letter ACC/4.083/1/L of 27 February 1944, relative to to the above named person.

2. Will you please supply us with a copy of same.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/385/1/CA

1 April 1944.

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)
NUMBER 47)

ESTABLISHMENT OF A
PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH

1. A Public Relations Branch of the Allied Control Commission, is established as of this date. It shall consist of one Director, two Deputy Directors and an establishment of Public Relations Officers, Conducting Officer and EM/OR's, of which a table of personnel will shortly be published.

2. The appointments of Regional and Army A.M.G. Public Relations Officers are abolished. Personnel hitherto holding these appointments are hereby transferred to the Public Relations Branch at Headquarters, A.C.C.

3. The Director of Public Relations will report directly to the Chief Commissioner through the Secretary-General.

4. The Public Relations Branch will be responsible for providing all facilities required by the Press in connection with the work of the A.C.C. They will be responsible for providing transportation and making all arrangements for members of the Press who desire to study the work of A.C.C. in the field.

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Noel Mason-Macfarlane

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant General
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Lieutenant General
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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APO 394

Ref/384/3/CA. 1st April 1944.

SUBJECT: Proposed Regional Order by Region III.

TO : Admin. Section - For Legal Sub-Commission.

1. The attached copy of a revised draft sent forward by Region III, who proposed to issue it as a Regional Order, is forwarded.

2. I have discussed this order with Col. Young of Public Safety Sub-Commission who is in agreement with the draft but considers that it should apply to the whole of AMG territory. He also thinks provision should be made to exclude refugees who are temporarily residing in camps set up under A.C.C. control. If this is done the matter of registration of these refugees after they leave the camp can be taken up separately with the Italian Refugee Branch.

3. I am in agreement with Col. Young's suggestions. The situation appears to be the same as the recent proposed order by Region III on the subject of publications. Would you please let me have your comments on this proposed order.

HERMAN H. FISHER
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to: R.C. Region III.

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Ref/369/11/CA.

1 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Hunting Parties organised by civilians in GARGONA PENINSULA.

TO : H.Q. Allied Armies in Italy.

1. The question of security in connection with hunting parties was originally raised in North Africa through parties approaching the restricted frontier zone on the Moroccan border. You will see from correspondence in the accompanying file that AFHQ consider the matter in North Africa to have civilian reperaussions and passed it to MEB. MEB have now forwarded the matter to this H.Q. since they think that the GARGONA Peninsular is also affected. This matter appears to have been drawn to their attention by H.Q. 12th Air Force (see Tab "B" in file).

2. The Public Safety Sub-Commission have been consulted on this point and it is thought that any orders regarding the proposed control of hunting parties are primarily a military concern and should be issued by your H.Q. Would you please say whether you agree with this so that I can reply to H.Q. A.C.C. letter of 26 March. May the file please be returned with your reply.

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M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.
For Chief Commissioner.

Incl.
1 File as above.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/21/43/CA. 31 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Rome Food Arrangements.

TO : Admin. Section.
(Attention : Lt.Col.R.C.B.Spicer.
Interior Sub-Com.)

1. Further to this H.Q. letter Ref/21/23/CA of 13 Mar 44.

2. A reply has now been received from C.I.C. Detachment, P.B.I., reference 1631-2773-P dated 16 March and is forwarded herewith for necessary action.

3. Would you please arrange direct with AMG Fifth Army as to the employment of these officials.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: AMG Fifth Army. (CAS)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/112/2/CA. 31 March 1944

SUBJECT: Belgian Subjects in Italy.

TO : AFHQ (for M.G. Section)

1. This Headquarters is in receipt of the following request:

"Please inform us as to what the policy is and procedure to be adopted in regard to Belgian subjects displaced or resident in Italy wishing to join the Belgian Army in Great Britain or in Belgian Congo".

2. We fail to understand why any Belgian would wish to join the Army in the Belgian Congo. However, we will appreciate your advising us on this entire query.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
A.C. & H.Q., C.M.F.
APO 394

Ref/326/33/CA.

March 31, 1944

SUBJECT: Control of Civil Movement.

TO : HQ. Allied Armies in Italy.

Reference A-1/1st/10/1 (Ib) dated 26 March 1944

1. I fully appreciate your concern on the problem of civilian movement having regard to the security responsibilities existing at the present time. I am entirely sympathetic with your views and assure you that this Commission will do everything possible to assist.

2. The present policy of this Commission in liberated Italy is to ensure as far as possible a full resumption of the normal economic life unrestricted by movement control orders which experience has shown cannot be satisfactorily enforced over so large an area.

3. I understand that this subject was recently discussed between your Lt.Col. Hibbon and Col. Young of this Commission, when it was agreed that the introduction of "ramp" control points throughout all areas should be limited without any re-introduction of movement control or passes would provide a satisfactory solution. Subject to your agreement I would suggest that such controls be operated by your Field Security Sections assisted by local Carabinieri. If this proposal is acceptable to you I will see that the Carabinieri Command is informed so that its officers are prepared to cooperate in these duties. Instructions have already been issued to SCAO's of Fifth and Eighth Armies asking them to afford you every possible assistance in their power.

R. E. Hull
Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.
For Chief Commissioner.

Copy to: Admin. Section - For Public Safety Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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APO 394

31 March 1944

Ref /75/150/CA

SUBJECT: Italian Civilians of Termoli.

TO : Interior Sub-Commission.

1. This office is advised by Hq. Region V that Termoli is ready for return of 2000 evacuees sent to Kings Italy in January and February.

2. We are requested to ask you to take this matter up, and advise Region V when the Italian Government will be ready to return these people to their homes.

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, A.C. & M.G.Section.
31 March 1944.

TO: Vice President, Administrative Section

It is recommended that the action envisaged in the basic letter be authorized if approved by you and by the Army Subcommission.

For Colonel Norman E. Fiske:

J. Wm. CUNLIFFE
Capt., A.C.D.

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Ref/173/19/CA

NEF/mrd
31 March 1944

SUBJECT: Rewards for Italian Civilians

TO : S.C.A.O., 5 Army (Field)

1. Reference is made to your letter S-347 of 7 March and two letters from 10 Corps, copies attached. The Allied Control Commission proposes to grant a monetary compensation in both of the cases cited and further, to recommend the individuals for citations.

2. It is requested that you undertake to secure full information, including supporting affidavits from any available witnesses and that you forward this information to the Commission with recommendations in each case. The information should be in the form of a draft citation and should include full details as to the identity and residence of the individuals concerned.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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APO 394

Ref/173/18/CA

NEF/mrd
31 March 1944

SUBJECT: Rewards for Italian Civilians

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III

1. Reference is made to letter of 20 Feb. 1944, copy attached, the Allied Control Commission proposes to grant a monetary compensation to Sergeanto Franco and further, to recommend the individual for citation.

2. It is requested that you undertake to secure full information, including supporting affidavits from any available witnesses and that you forward this information to the Commission with recommendation on the case. The information should be in the form of a draft citation and should include full details as to the identity and residence of the individual concerned.

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NORMAN E. FISH
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/314/37/CA.

31 March 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Maggiore Terrizzi.

TO : The Provost Marshal, Military Police, U.S. Army. Prov. of Foggia (Thru channels).

1. The following listed documents are forwarded herewith.

a) Report of Public Safety Sub-Commission No. ACC/14760/21/PS of 25 March 1944.
b) Letter of Region III Public Safety Office No. PS/15.3 of 21 March 1944.
c) Report dated 21st March 1944 from Regional Public Safety Officer, Region III.
d) Report dated 18th of March 1944 from Provincial Commissioner; Benevento.
e) Report dated 16th of March 1944 from Provincial Public Safety Officer, Benevento.
f) Statement dated 7th of March 1944 of R.R.C.C. Maresciallo Maggiore TERRIZZI.
g) Statement dated 7th of March 1944 of Gaetano Marotti.
h) Statement dated 10th of March 1944 of Maria D'Onofrio.
i) Statement dated 7th March 1944 of Anna Mucciaccito.
j) Report dated 7th March 1944 from Cpl. Victor Visconti, with Cpl. Visconti's report.
k) Enclosure, undated, apparently from Ettore Romolo PETTECCHIA.

2. 1) Criminal record of PETTECCHIA.

2. Your attention is invited to paras. 2 and 3 of Public Safety Sub-Commission letter ACC/14760/21/PS of 25 March.

3. It is felt that the complaint against Corporal Visconti is well founded, on the documentory evidence, and is not in accordance with the principles of training of the Military Police of the United States Army, but is derogatory to its fine reputation.

4. You are requested to advise this section what action is taken as to Corporal Victor Visconti.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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R.C. & M.G. SECTION
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Ref/314/36/CA. 31 March 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Maggiore TERRIZZI.

TO : R.C. Region V.

1. This section is in receipt of a complete report showing that on March 5th, the above named carabaniere stationed at San Bartolomeo in Galdo, Benevento Province was arrested by one Corporal Victor Visconti of the U.S. Army Military Police, stationed in Foggia Province.

2. This report shows that said corporal Visconti, prior to making the arrest, contacted Capt. Mann, Provincial Officer at Lucera, and informed Capt. Mann of his intention to arrest Maggiore Terrizzi and that Capt. Mann declined to interfere or take any action as Terrizzi was in Benevento Province.

3. It is felt that if Capt. Mann had advised the corporal properly, this entire affair could have been avoided. It is true Capt. Mann exercised no jurisdiction over Benevento Province, but as officer of AMG it is his duty to always safeguard and protect civilian affairs. If the Captain had employed common judgement, this letter would not need to be written.

4. You are requested to call this matter to Capt. Mann's Attention.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/314/35/CA. 31 March 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Maggiore TERRIZZI.

TO : V.P. Admin Sec (for Public Safety Sub-Com)

Reference your letter ACC/14760/21/P3 of 25 March 1944.

1. Request contained in par. 3 of your letter has been complied with.

2. Request contained in par. 5 of your letter has been complied with.

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NORMAN C. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/56/43/GL.

31 March 1944

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)
:
NUMBER 46)

ITALIAN GOVERNMENT MESSAGE TRAFFIC

1. INTERNAL.

(a) Italian Government messages within Government territory are not subject to censorship; messages may be in clear or in cipher. They may be subject to inspection, if required, to check the official nature of the message.

(b) Italian Government messages will be accepted and passed over the military operated submarine cables from Naples to Palermo (Sicily) and thence to Cagliari (Sardinia), taking priority after military and United States and United Kingdom Government traffic.

The detailed procedure for dealing with this traffic is given in Appendix "A".

2. EXTERNAL.

(a) Italian Government messages may continue to be passed in Allied ciphers over the military radio circuits to Algiers for addressees abroad. The rules for and procedure for dealing with this traffic are established.

(b) Italian Government messages may be passed over the commercially (Cable and Wireless) operated submarine cables from Naples to Malta or from Brindisi to Malta, for the Italian Government offices in Madrid or Lisbon only. Messages are subject to the approval of the Political Section, Allied Control Commission; they may be in clear or in the codes and ciphers approved by Allied Force Headquarters. The detailed procedure for dealing with this traffic is given in Appendix "B".

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Brigadier,
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APPENDIX "A"

Procedure for dealing with Italian Government traffic over the military operated cables Naples-Palermo and Palermo-Cagliari.

1. Messages will be handed in by the Italian Government to the H.Q. Adjutant's Office, Room 21, Provincia Building, Naples. (Arrangements for transmission between Palermo and Naples will be made by the Italian Government.)

2. The H.Q. Adjutant's Office will type the message on the form required for transmission by the military unit operating the cable, authenticate, and pass to the Signal Office concerned.

3. Incoming messages from Palermo or Cagliari will be delivered by the Signal Office of the unit operating the cable to the H.Q. Adjutant's Office, Allied Control Commission, Naples, via Allied Control Commission Signal Center, from where they will be collected by Italian Government courier.

4. Similar arrangements, as convenient locally, will be made at Palermo and Cagliari.

5. At no stage is translation or deciphering required, but copies of messages should be retained for reference.

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APPENDIX "B"

Procedure for dealing with Italian Government traffic over the commercially operated cables Naples-Malta and Brindisi-Malta.

1. All messages will bear the message instruction "FIL" (to be transmitted by landline or cable only) at the beginning.

2. Outgoing messages may only be addressed to the Italian Government Offices at Madrid or Lisbona.

3. Outgoing messages for transmission in clear. Messages will be handed by the Italian Government to the Political Section, Allied Control Commission, Salerno, which will either approve locally or forward to the Political Section, Allied Control Commission, Naples, for approval. In either case, after approval they will be forwarded by the Political Section to the H.Q. Adjutant's Office, Allied Control Commission, Naples, with an endorsement on one copy "Approved for transmission over commercial cables in CLEAR" signed by the endorsing officer. The message will then be authenticated by the H.Q. Adjutant's Office and passed via Allied Control Commission Signal Center to Peninsular Base Section Signal Center for transmission.

4. Outgoing messages for transmission in cipher. Cipher and clear text copies will be handed by the Italian Government to the Political Section, Allied Control Commission, Salerno, which will either approve locally or forward to the Political Section, Allied Control Commission, Naples, for approval. In either case, after approval they will be forwarded by the Political Section to the H.Q. Adjutant's Office, Allied Control Commission, Naples, with an endorsement on one cipher copy " "Approved for transmission over commercial cables in CIPHER " signed by the endorsing officer. A ciphered copy will then be authenticated by the H.Q. Adjutant's Office and passed to Peninsular Base Section Signal Center via Allied Control Commission Signal Center for transmission. A second cipher copy together with a clear copy will be sent by the H.Q. Adjutant's Office to Allied Control Commission Signal Center, Naples, for check. After check both copies will be forwarded by Allied Control Commission Signals Center to the Political Section, Naples, with any necessary comment. It should be noted that cipher copies of approved messages may be passed for transmission without being delayed for the check by Allied Control Comission Signals for agreement of texts.

5. Incoming messages. Incoming messages for the Italian Government 3052 in clear or in cipher will be delivered by Peninsular Base Section Signal Center to the H.Q. Adjutant's Office, Allied Control Commission, Naples, via Allied Control Commission Signal Center who will pass them without delay to the Italian Government, sending a copy of each message to the Political Section (via Allied Control Commission Signals for deciphering if in cipher). Messages need not be delayed for the check by the Political Section before being delivered to the Italian Government.

6. All charges by the cable company will be met by the Italian Government.

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APPENDIX "C"

Procedure for dealing with Italian Government traffic over the commercially operated radio circuits Naples-United States and Naples-United Kingdom.

1. Outgoing messages may be addressed to any address dealt with by the operating companies.

2. Messages will be in clear only, and will only be of an entirely non-secret nature such as press releases.

3. Messages will be handed to the Political Section, Allied Control Commission, Salerno, who will forward to Political Section, Allied Control Commission, Naples. If approved, they will be sent by the Political Section to the H.Q. Adjutant's Office, Allied Control Commission, Naples, with an endorsement on one copy "Approved for transmission over commercial radio IF CLEAR subject to Field Press Censorship approval" signed by the endorsing officer. The message will then be authenticated by the H.Q. Adjutant's Office and passed to the Field Press Censorship office, C/o Allied Force Headquarters Public Relations Officer, 8 San Felice, Naples. If approved they will be duly endorsed and forwarded by that office to the radio operating company for transmission.

4. Incoming messages will be sent by the Field Press Censorship Office to the H.Q. Adjutant's Office, Allied Control Commission, Naples, who will pass them without delay to the Italian Government, sending a copy to the Political Section, Allied Control Commission.

5. All charges by the commercial radio company will be met by the Italian Government.

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APO 394

Ref/311/44/CA.

31 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Restriction on Purchase of Civilian Supplies.

TO : Hq. AAI (Admin. Eoh).

Ref. yours AO/118 of 21 March 1944.

1. We are again advised by the SCAO of 8th Army AMG of continued activity on the part of French Military personnel, in purchasing of civilian food supplies. This is in direct disregard of para. 5 P.B.S. Circular No. 8 Section I dated 11 January 1944.

2. Particular cases are cited as where at Cantalupa on March 2nd., French officers sought to buy 250 head of sheep; and where on the 14th of March a French lieutenant stopped at Frosolone and carried away four sheep, two kid goats, and attempted to take away two sacks of grain.

3. It is requested that this subject be taken up with the proper French Military authorities.

M.S. LUSH
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Copy to:

AMG 8th Army

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HEADQUARTERS
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R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/125/24/CA. 31 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Islands of Cyprari and Gorgona.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section.

1. AMIQ. MIS. by letter No. MIS:014.14-9 dated 15 Mar 44 agreed that officers on the above-named islands should function under Region VI.

2. Region VI requests advice as to which Proclamations and Orders shall be published under Military Government for these islands.

3. Will you please advise us on para.2 above.

NORMAN E. FISK:
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/295/6/CA. 31 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Armistice Terms.

TO : R.C. Region VI.

1. Copy of letter from AFHQ reference MED: 337.4 of 25 March 1944 is enclosed.

2. Capt. Talbot of the Civil Affairs Branch of R.C. & M.G. Section will be visiting your Headquarters on or about Tuesday, 4 April.

3. Will you please arrange to hand him the Armistice Terms.

NORMAN E. FISH
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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R.G. & M.G. Section
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Ref/307/32/GA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Black Market Region V.

TO : Military Government Section.
A.F.H.Q.

1. References your 65309 of 16 March 1944 and our 2983 of 28 March 1944.

2. Attached is copy of report on the subject this day received from Region V.

3. The letter accompanying the report advised five more Allied Government trucks had been apprehended, since the capture on which the report is based.

4. Request has been made as to the disposition of the military personnel offenders.

5. The Regional Commissioner of Region V has been advised that such court sentences, as reflected by the report, are wholly inadequate and has been requested to so advise the R.L.O. The Legal Sub-Commission has also been advised of our views on the subject.

M.S.LUSH
Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref/113/3/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Displaced Persons - Chinese.

TO : Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

The attached copy of MCS 363-13 of 24 Mar. 44 from H.Q.S., A.F.H.Q., together with enclosures mentioned therein, are forwarded for action indicated.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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30 March 1944

Ref/125/23/CA.

SUBJECT: Prefect of Campobasso.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section.

Forwarded herewith is letter from the Director, Interior Sub-Commission to the Italian Minister of the Interior on the above subject. Will you please transmit this letter to the Minister of the Interior.

NORMAN E. WISE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

The letter of Director, addressed the person whose name was submitted for Prefect of Campobasso, was not accepted by the Director of the Italian Sub-Com-

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Ref/282/75/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Region III General Order No. 31

TO : VP, Admin Sec (for Public Security Sub-Commission)

Herewith is enclosed copy of the above order for your information.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/311/43/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Publications of Court Martial Sentences for Black Market Offenders.

TO : CG AAI (For Admin. Eoh).

Ref. your letter AAI/3063/18/A (P3) of 28 March.

1. We are pleased to note the terms of a proposed order to be published by you relative to the Black Market.

2. The Black Market situation appears to be growing even more serious and we feel every effort should be used to stop it.

NORMAN E. FIKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/278/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Proclamation, General Orders etc.

TO : R.C. Region IV.

Reference your letter R4/990.7(G) of 28 March 1944.

1. In reply to par. 1 of your letter, you are advised that the matter on distribution was settled upon only after conference, and therefore is now established. Due to the paper shortage situation, it is absolutely necessary that proper use be cut to the minimum.

2. In reply to par. 2 of your letter, we advise it is not the intention to cancel memorandum 278/57/CA of 21 March.

3. In reply to par 3, of your letter, we advise that the proposal made in your letter was considered, in the conference mentioned, and the same was considered inadvisable at this time.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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APO 394

Ref/278/76/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: General Order No. 6 and Proclamatio No.15

TO : Admin. Sect. (for Legal Sub-Comm.)
Admin. Sect. (for Property Control)
R.C. Region IV, and R.C. Region III.

In accordance with ACC/009/DO of 25 March the above mentioned publications have been distributed as follows:

(a)	Legal Sub-Commission	25	copies
(b)	Property Contro	475	"
(c)	Region IV	3,000	"
(d)	Region III	5,500	"

NORMAN F. FISHER
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/311/41

29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Black Market Prosecutions.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section (for Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Attached is copy of letter addressed to R.C. of Region V, also copy of report on certain Black Market activities in that Region.

2. Your particular attention is invited to par. 4 of the report. We believe you will concur in our view, that Black Market operations cannot be stopped, or even hindered, when sentences such as shown given, are meted out to offenders. The Black Market situation has assumed serious proportions and unless these offenders are sentenced in accordance with the seriousness of their offense, efforts to stop the Black Market are hopeless.

NORMAN E. FISER
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

This is the Bourno Case

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Ref/188/7/CA.

30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Correspondence with 9A Sub-Area.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II.

Reference our 88/4/CA of 13 Mar 44 and Lantenar 188/5/CA of 25 Mar 44, a reply is still awaited on the above subject.

HERMAN M. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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APO 394

Ref/314/33/GA.

30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Arrest of Civilians.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III.

1. The Chief Commissioner has noticed from an extract of No.3 District Security and Intelligence Summary No.3 dated 16 March 1944 that the following six individuals were interned for sending threatening anonymous letters to Italians who had been cooperating with the British authorities in NOCERA :

CROCCHERELL WALTER
FERRENTINO VINCENZO
VILLANI LUIGI
ABRUZZESE ARIELLO
RUPINO UGO
ESPOSITO MARIO

2. On enquiries from No.3 District it was found that the arrests had been effected after consultation with Major Green, SCAPO Salerno, and with his concurrence.

3. While it is not intended to infer that these individuals were not guilty of the actions charged against them, it is felt at this H.Q. that it would have been better to try them for this specific offence and sentence them, if convicted.

4. Would you please take up the matter on these lines with No.3 District.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/278/CA/77 30 March 1946.

SUBJECT: Publications for Dispatch.

TO : Hq. Commandant.

The undermentioned copies of Proclamation No. 15 and General Orders No. 6 are ready, bundled and labelled for dispatch to addresses indicated, it would be appreciated if the matter could be treated urgent.

1 Bundle to Legal Sub-Commission.

2 Bundles to Property Control Sub-Commission

6 Bundles Hq. Region IV

12 Bundles Hq. Region III.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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

Ref/153/9/CA

NEF/mrd
29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Excess Payments to Civilian Personnel

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III

1. The Chief Finance officer has forwarded to this office a list of employees of Region III whose salaries appear to be inconsistent with the maximum rates as established for equivalent grades of civilian employees in PBS and in the Italian Government. The Labor Subcommission is being asked to examine the list with a view to prescribing the rates that should be paid.

2. In the meantime your comment is desired and also a report from you as to why the officer who is responsible has fixed these rates, if that officer is now under your command. If not, it is desired to know by whom they were fixed.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
Labor Sub-Com.

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

Ref/153/8/OA

NEF/nrd
29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Excess Payments to Civilian Personnel

TO : Labor Subcommission

1. The Chief Finance Officer has submitted the attached papers which appear to indicate disproportinate salaries being paid to civilian employees of Allied Control Commission in Region III. Could you examine the positions and prescribe maximum and minimum rates of pay for each; rates that would be applicable to all Regions.

2. Please return the attached correspondence.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CO[illegible]OL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/159/18/CA. 29 March 1944

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SUBJECT: Decree Instituting a Civil High Commissariat for Sicily.
TO : V.P. Admin. Sect, (and for Legal Sub-Com.) Economic Section (and Finance Sub-Comm.)

1. Forwarded herewith are copies of Decree appointing a High Commissioner for Sicily, which it is thought will be of interest to the Administrative Section,(2) the Legal Sub-Commission, (3) The Economic Section, and (4) the Finance Sub-Commission.

for NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/159/17/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Decree Instituting a Civil High.

TO : R.C. Region I

1. Reference your letter RC/013 of 25 March.

2. The suggestion contained in para. 2 of the above letter has been followed.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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APO 394

Ref/163/39/GA.

30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Accommodation - CASERTA.

TO : Regional Commission, Region XIII.

1. The attached copy of a letter from C.A.O., Hq. A.A.I. (Admin Sch) is forwarded and you are requested to investigate the possibilities of making sufficient accommodation available in CASERTA to meet the wishes of the Army.

2. You should take such action as you consider necessary and render a report to this H.Q. as early as possible. It is important that the wishes of the Army should be met, but whether this involves evacuation of 400 of the inhabitants as stated in the last para. of the C.A.O's letter is left to your discretion.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/163/39/GA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Accommodation - CASERTA.

TO : Regional Commission, Region III.

1. The attached copy of a letter from C.A.O., HQ. A.A.I. (Admin Sch) is forwarded and you are requested to investigate the possibilities of making sufficient accommodation available in CASERTA to meet the wishes of the Army.

2. You should take such action as you consider necessary and render a report to this H.Q. as early as possible. It is important that the wishes of the Army should be met, but whether this involves evacuation of 400 of the inhabitants as stated in the last para. of the C.A.O's letter is left to your discretion.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/163/38/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Accommodation - CASERTA.

TO : Chief Administrative Officer,
H.Q. A.A.I. (Admin Sch).

1. Your letter No.2030/26/Q2 of 25 March 1944 is acknowledged.

2. Regional Commissioner Region III has been instructed to take steps as requested in your final paragraph.

M.S.LUSH
Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref/107/14/CA.

30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Regional Commissioners Conference.

TO : See Distribution Below.

1. Reference memorandum 107/13/CA of 29 March 1944.

2. The precis of remarks requested in para. 2 (c) of above-quoted memorandum is required by the Secretary General by 1200 hrs on day previous to meeting.

3. Will you please make the necessary amendment.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

DISTRIBUTION:
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Ref/291/R/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Licensing & Publications.

TO : R.C., Region III.

It is hoped to give you an answer on this subject tomorrow as soon as a reply has been received from Legal Sub-Commission, Salerno.

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NORMAN E. FISHER
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/163/45/GA.

30 March 1944

SUBJECT: Occupation of Essential Municipal Buildings by Military.

TO : SCAO, AMG 8th Army, Main.

1. It is the main function of A.M.G. to assist the Army and secondariably to see to the civil population.

2. It would appear from the letter of Hq. No. 2 District, No. 1468/5/Q2 of 17 March that the building you desire and all other buildings occupied by the military at Vasto, are occupied as a matter of military necessity.

3. Prior to complying with the request made in para. 5 of your letter, we would like to have some definite statement from you that the building desired or another in Vasto, is not essential to military use, contrary to the statement given you.

NORMAN R. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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

Ref/129/43/CA.

30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Proposed Regional Order No.33.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III.

1. In reply to your letter on the above-mentioned subject of 23 Mar 44, the matter has been looked over very carefully at this H.Q. and has been submitted to the Legal Adviser at Salerno for comments, which has accounted for the time taken in replying.

2. It is felt that although instructions from the Combined Chiefs of Staff recently received have indicated that a more liberal policy should be adopted in granting permits for political meetings, the order proposed by you goes rather further than was intended. The C.C.S. directive permits attendances at "meetings of Political Committees.... and such other activities of a similar nature as you may deem to be advisable". Such meetings are, however, all governed by the opening words of the directive, namely, "within your discretion".

3. The Regional Order proposed by you runs directly counter to this directive because the discretion as to the holding of the meetings is to be vested in the Questore (see Art.II, Sec. 1 and Art. III) and NOT in the Allied Military Government; the real effect of the order is to divest the Allied Military Government of discretion in the matter, nor is it any answer to this to say that a copy of the permit is to be sent to the Provincial Commissioner (Art.III, Sec. 1), for the person, under the order, to exercise the discretion is the Questore and not the Provincial Commissioner.

4. It is felt by this H.Q. that the Italians should understand that meetings are held only at the discretion of the Allied authorities, and it is therefore regretted that it is not possible to agree to the publication of this order.

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M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref/78/16/CA.

30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Nominal Roll British O.Rs.

TO : O.C. British Detachment, HQ. A.C.C.

1. Reference Daily Routine Order No.443 of 28 Mar 44.

2. Herewith nominal roll of British O.Rs. employed in Civil Affairs Branch of R.C. & M.G. Section.

NORMAN E. PISICK
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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NOMINAL ROLL OF BRITISH O.Rs. EMPLOYED IN CIVIL AFFAIRS BRANCH, R.A.O.C. A.M.G. Section

AS AT 30 MARCH 1944.

1. RANK.	2. Full christian names & surnames	3. Number	4. Regt. or Corps	5. Employment
A/SSM	WARDM, Leslie	S/322205	R.A.S.C.	Chief Clerk - C.A. Branch
WO3/Sgt.	THOMPSON, Sydney	S/4347724	"	Clerk - C.A. Branch.
P/A/Cpl.	MIDDLETON, Thomas Monro.	S/14329151	"	" "
L/Cpl.	GILLELAND, John	S/4979133	"	Clerk to Exec. Commissioner.
L/Cpl.	COOPER, Ronald Arthur.	S/13034368	"	Clerk - C.A. Branch.
L/Cpl.	HESLAM, Stanley	S/10691735	"	Clerk - Rome Planning Staff. (AMG 5 Army)
Pte.	THORNTON, John	S/14554346	"	" C.A. Branch.
Pte.	LEWSEY, Charles Albert	5116917	R.Warwicks. Regt.	Runner - C.A. Branch.

The following additional particulars are submitted in respect of Cpl. MIDDLETON (new arrival since last month's return) :

6.	Med. Category:	A1.
7.	Whether permanent or attached:	Permanent.
8.	If, attached parent unit or Region to be stated:	----
9.	Date of Birth:	28 June 1924

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Plat 6/3

Ref/513/27/CA. 30 March 1944

SUBJECT: Dismissal of Fascist from Public Office.

TO : MGS, APHQ.

1. Reference your 091.112-2 of 6 March 1944.

2. The following documents are enclosed:

a) Memorandum written by Maj. Knight to Regional Commissioner Region III on 10 January with a summary of removals of fascist officials on Appendices 1,2 and 3.
b) Memorandum from Adjutant General Region III to SCAOS of this Region dated 20 December.
c) Memorandum from Region III to ACC Hq. dated 10 February.
d) Region III Political Report for December 1943 prepared by Maj. Knight.
e) Region III Political report for January 1944 prepared by Maj. Knight.

3. Major Knight is not clear what is meant by the "Campagna Report" but it thought that document A is probably the report so styled. As regards the discussion before the advisory council Major Knight has no written record of that but he has informed this Hq. that to the best of his knowledge all the points discussed are embodied in the documents attached.

4. Please inform this Hq. if they can be of any further assistance in this matter.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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APO 394

Ref/291/14/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Licensing & Publications.

TO : R.C., Region III.

It is hoped to give you an answer on this subject tomorrow as soon as a reply has been received from Legal Sub-Commission, Salerno.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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30th March 1944.

Ref: 15/39/CA.

Subject: Civil Labour.

To : Chief Commissioner.

After the meeting of 18th March to discuss labour and the threatened strike of electrical workers, I wrote the summary of the decisions to H.Q. A.A.I. (at Colonel Adams' suggestion), copy attached. I have received the attached answer from General Robertson.

I am afraid my own letter was not very tactfully worded but the reactions of the C.A.C. do not appear to be very helpful. Our representative on the Local Resources Board can, I think, iron the matter out at their next meeting on 3 April 1944. Our representative on this board is Col. W. S. Evans.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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APO 394.

Ref/178/5/CA. 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Baggage - Lt. Col.G.W.I.Shipp.

TO : G-4.

1. Further information has come to hand with regard to the suit case which was despatched to me from G.H.Q., M.E.F. and reported to you in my letter of 10th March 1944.

2. The suit case was despatched through M.F.O. on the 28th Dec. 1943 against receipt No.007376 dated 27 Dec 1943.

G.W.I.Shipp
Lieut.Col.

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

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Ref/57/7/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: British Troops in Sardinia.

TO : CG, AAI (for G-1)

1. The Regional Commissioner of Sardinia requests information as to who is the commanding officer of British troops on that island.

2. Will you please supply this Section with this information.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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R.C. & M.G. SECTION
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NEF/mrd
29 March 1944

Lt. Col. Henry Parkman, Jr.
Acting Chief of Section
A.F.H.Q., M.G.S.

Dear Colonel Parkman

Your letter reporting the good news of favorable action on the promotion of American officers was very reassuring and deeply appreciated.

Since promotions have been opened, we are receiving recommendations for promotion from all Regions and Heads of Subcommissions of A.C.C. We are attempting to make our recommendations cover all deserving officers in the same grade at the same time, starting with Second Lieutenants. This seems to be fairest to all concerned and will eliminate much misunderstanding caused by the promotion of officers with less service who have done no better job than the officer temporarily passed over. We are actually checking the recommendations against the rosters to ensure that no one has been overlooked.

It is believed that it would be much more equitable to consider all recommendations as a whole rather than to consider separately the small group previously recommended by Colonel Spofford. In some cases the officers recommended by Colonel Spofford have insufficient service in grade to be favorably considered by NATOUSA, who are measuring length of service of non-combatant branches against the average length of time spent in grade by officers of the Fifth Army. In other cases, Colonel Spofford's recommendations are based on AMG service only and there are many officers who have had much longer service in grade, most of which was in other organizations. Some of these other officers have been previously recommended for promotion but were transferred to ACC/AMG prior to receiving the promotion. These officers deserve early consideration in the same category as the officers who have had longer service in AMG.

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We will furnish you lists of officers recommended from time to time and appreciate your interest and assistance in getting favorable consideration for them.

Sincerely,

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/20/19/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Publications - Offensive Matter.

TO : Lt. Col. Munroe,
Press Chief
PWB Italy

Copy of letter from AMG 5th Army is enclosed for necessary action.

HOWARD R. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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29 March 1944

Ref: 107/13/CA
SUBJECT: Regional Commissioners Conference

TO : See Distribution.

1. This is to confirm that as arranged at the last Regional Commissioners Conference the next conference will be held at Hq. ACC, Provincia Building, Naples on Friday April 14 and Saturday April 15, 1944.

2. The Chief Commissioner will preside at the Friday meeting which will commence at 0900 hours.

The agenda will be:

a) Address by Chief Commissioner.
b) Reports by Regional Commissioners and SCAO's AMG Armies.
c) Reports by Head of Sub-Commissions (to be so prepared that they can be delivered in a maximum of 5 minutes) and Vice Presidents of Sections. (Officers making reports are requested to furnish the Secretary General with a precis of their remarks immediately before the meeting).

3. The Executive Commissioner will preside at the Saturday meeting which will commence at 0930 hours. Attendance of heads of sections and Sub-Commissions may be required by agenda items, at times to be notified before the meeting.

4. Regional Commissioners and heads of Sub-Commissions are invited to submit suggestions for inclusion in the agenda of the Saturday meeting. The suggestions should be accompanied by a brief statement on the points to be discussed, which will be circulated to all concerned before the meeting. Suggestions should be in the hands of the Deputy Executive Commissioners, R.C. & M.G. Section by 4 April 1944 latest.

5. Officers attending from outlying stations should assemble in Naples at least one day prior to the opening of the conference. R.C. & M.G. Section should be notified of expected time of arrival in order that accomodation and transport may be arranged where necessary.

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6. The Secretary General will act as Secretary on the Friday Meeting.

A staff officer of the C.A. Branch R.C. & M.G. Section will act as secretary of the Saturday meeting.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/155/27/CA.

29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transfer of Communes.

TO : R.C. Region II.

1. I am detailed to inform you that the Chief Commissioner has decided not to intervene in the transfer of communes referred to in your letter No. A/30/12 of 24 February 1944, since this is a matter for the Italian Government to decide for themselves.

2. It has however been brought to the notice of the Minister of the Interior that this Hq. is not satisfied with the manner in which this decision of the Italian Government has been taken, without any prior consultation with the Allied Control Commission and a protest has been lodged with him.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/21/41/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Rome Food Arrangements.

TO : Interior Sub-Commission.

Ref. your letter ACC/65/Int. 6 March.

You are advised that the two individuals named have been approved by CIC.

NORMAN .K FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/159/21/OA. 29 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Appointment of Italian Official.

TO : Economic Section (For Labor Sub-Commission)

1. The Italian Ministry of Industry and Commerce has submitted the following names, for the appointments designated:

"1. Instituto Nazionale for Social Relief: Commissioner prof. Luigi Lordi, permanent instructor of financial and accounting mathematics at the R. Naval Instituto Universitario.

2. Institute Nazionale for the insurance against work accidents: Commissioner the Accountant Renato Rabelli, administrative department inspector of the Institute for the regions of Campania and Calabria.

3. Ente Nazionale for relief and care of the State employees: Commissioner prof. Alessandrio Graziani, permanent instructor of law at the R. University of Naples."

2. We would like to have your approval or disapproval of each of the above named persons, and in case of disapproval the reasons therefor.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 233/ /CA 26th March 1944

SUBJECT: Assignment of Nurse Corps Officer to Public Health Sub-Commission.

TO : Military Government Section, Allied Force Headquarters.

1. I refer to HQ. Allied Military Government letter AMG/3006/PH dated 30 December 1943 and equire whether any steps have been taken to obtain the services of a specialist in public health nursing with qualifications as listed on the schedule attached hereto, and already forwarded with the above-numbered letter.

2. In view of the fact that this matter is now becoming urgent, your prompt attention and reply is requested.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

MJS/JC.

Copy to: Public Health Sub-Comm.

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Ref/380/4/GA. 28 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transport for Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

TO : Economic Section.
(Road Haulage)

1. Will you please authorise the issue to the above Sub-Commission 16 roadworthy trucks (3 ton) now understood to be ready for delivery at 32 Vehicle Co. (MONOPOLI).

2. Please inform this section of action taken with copies for Displaced Persons Sub-Commission (Naples and Bari Offices).

3. Drivers are ready to take delivery.

NORMAN E. FISH
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/348/65/CA.

29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Promotion of Italian State Employees.

TO : Economic Section (For Labour Sub-Commission)
Admin. Section (For Interior Sub-Commission)

1. Copies of the following are enclosed:

a) Letter T3/4/7/19 of 24 March 1944. Telecommunications & Posts Sub-Commission.
b) Letter Region III of 21 March 1944.
c) Letter Administration PP.TT of 7 March 1944.
d) Request, Luigi Cioffre.

2. It is requested that consideration shall be given to the general policy to be adopted in all such cases, and recommendations on such policy be formulated and submitted to the Executive Commissioner, in order that the Italian Government may be advised.

3. It is suggested that consultations be arranged in the first instance to include a representative of Telecommunications & Posts Sub-Commission.

4. If considered necessary a further conference may be called to embrace the Finance Sub-Commission and any others likely to be effected.

5. Please submit report at earliest.

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to: Telecommunications & Posts Sub-Commission.

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Ref/

29 March 1944

MEMORANDUM

TO: Lt. Col. Shipp.

With reference to attached memorandum inquiry as to sitreps Nos. 5550, 5497, 5537, and 5499:

1. On sitreps Nos. 5550 and 5497 see copy of letter attached.

2. On sitrep No. 5537, this was intended for Region I and not Region III. It was answered by Clark of Displaced Persons, Region I, to which it applied. Reply from Clark, dated 21 March 1944, No. G-8560, advised that sitrep 5537 has been acted upon.

3. On sitrep No. 5499, see attached copy of Labor Sub-Commission Reply.

FRANK L. PEYTON.
Captain.
R.C. & M.G. Section

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Ref/316/32/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Control of Movement.

TO : Admin. Section (Attention: Public Safety Sub-Commission. Col. Young)

Confirming our telephone conversation (Col. Young-Lt. Col. Shipp) will you please comment on attached copy of letter from Hq. AAI, No. AAI/1401/10/G(Ib) of 26 March 1944.

NORMAN E. FINKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/2178/104/INFO 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Clearence of Roads in Vesuvius Area.

TO : R.C. Region III.

1. Confirming telephone conversation of even date (Lt. Col. Forester-Lt. Col. Shipp).

2. Copy of Distress signal No. 306 of 28 March 1944 is forwarded herewith.

NORMAN .E FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/302/95/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: C.C.R.R.

TO : Admin. Section
(Att: Public Safety Sub-Commission)

Attached copies of correspondence regarding C.C.R.R. are forwarded for information.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref /21/4.0/OA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Security Check on Italian Officials for Supply.

TO : SCAO, AMG 5th Army.
(Attention: Major Ames)

Will you please confirm in writing, your verbal statement that the two names forwarded by the Italian Government for assisting in supply arrangements for AMG(OAC) have been passed by CIC, P.B.S.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/56/39/CA

NEF/mrd
29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Civil Telephone and Telegraph Facilities

TO : HQ, Allied Armies in Italy, G.I.B.

1. Reference is made to your letter AAI/1401/12/GIb) of 23 March 1944, authorization is requested from the "Security" standpoint for the resumption of the following telegraph and telephone services:-

a. Civil telegraph services in areas where postal services are permitted.

At the moment, civil telegraph services have been authorized within the ten provinces (Bari, Brindisi, Taranto, Lecce, Potenza, Salerno, Matera, Catanzaro, Cosenza and Reggio) and within Sicily and Sardinia, and from the ten provinces to Sicily (not to Sardinia). It is now desired to extend this to include Naples City and Avellino Province, and shortly to include Benevento Town, up to the line agreed for postal services.

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b. Civil telephone services.

(1) Within Provincial boundaries
(2) Inter-Provincial

At the moment, civil telephone services are permitted within urban areas only. It is considered that it might now be authorized within Provincial boundaries, and inter-Provincial in some or possibly all areas.

2. Before any action is taken, after your authorization, it will be confirmed that whatever censorship restrictions you require can be effectively applied and that there is no objection to the traffic load from the point of view of the military signals concerned.

Copy to Pa-Sec. &c.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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NLF/mrd
29 March 1944

Ref/545/45/CA

SUBJECT: Recommendation

TO : Chief Legal Officer

1. Reference your letter ACC/4070/1/L of 26 March, the reported investigation was transmitted to Captain Stone for any further action inasmuch as Lieut. Comdr. Musmanno is an officer of the Navy.

2. The inclusion of any reference to this matter in the Region V monthly report was unfortunate and the Regional Commissioner has been advised not to include such items in the future.

3. If Captain Stone desires further investigation he will refer directly to you.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
Capt. Stone

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Ref/363/29/CA.

29 March 1944.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Lt. Col. Shipp.

Per your request of 27 March for comment on Administrative Instructions Nos. 18 and 19 of Region III, the following is made:

1. Admin. Instruction No. 18 has been referred to Legal Sub-Commission for suggestions and comments. It is the view of the writer that such cases should be handled by the Italian courts, as they hold primary jurisdiction, and such cases only tend to increase the work of our courts. Region III tried over 4,000 cases in February. Commenting of para. 2 of this directive, the definition of a "prostituée" is considered poorly worded and inadequate, in the writer's personal opinion.

2. Admin. Instruction No. 19 is considered sound, and meets the need of a situation, all to prevailant among Italians to evict present tenants of property in order to raise rents on prospective new tenants.

FRANK L. PEYTON
Capt.
R.C. & M.G. Section

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Ref/381/5/CA. 29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Air Raid Alarm.

TO : R.C. Region III.

1. Reference your letter of 27 March on the above subject.

2. Your request has been complied with.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/280/17/CA.

29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Case of Lo Piano Salvatore.

TO : R.C. Region I (for Senior Legal Officer).

1. This office is in receipt of a letter from the attorney for the above named accused, tried by the Superior Court of Caltanisetta, stating an appeal in this case was filed but no action was had on the appeal.

2. The Chief Legal Officer advises this accused was sentenced to three years imprisonment, which sentence was confirmed by the Reviewing Officer 3 December 1943, and that a receipted copy of the Reviewer's decision bearing the signature of the SCAO and dated 13 December 1943 was received back.

3. You are requested to advise Arcatto Emanuele Russo, 21 Redentore Street, Caltanisetta, of the action taken in this case, and advise him that he may file a petition for clemency, if the circumstances warrant.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to C.L.O.

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Ref/381/4/CA. 29 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Air Raid Alarm.

TO : CO, F.B.S. (for CO Anti-Aircraft Defenses).

1. We wish to advise that two direct telephone lines have been installed between the gun operations room and the air raid alarm room in the Prefettura Building, these being one way lines only. Operatorsare on duty 24 hours a day, seven days a week in the alarm room. If an alert is given by the gun operations room to the alarm room, 36 sirens will go into immediate operation.

2. It is requested that when the gun operations room receives its notice from the Roder equipment and alerts the anti aircraft batteries the air raid alarm room be also alerted.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Repairs.

TO : G4, Office Space Officer.

Please arrange for a carpenter to report as soon as possible to room 48, 2nd floor to repair 1 cabinet (2 hinges required) and one door (new lock required).

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/367/5/CA.

29 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Italian Touring Club.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section.

A reply is requested to our 367/4/CA of 24 March 1944.

NORMAN R. FISHER
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/222/13/CA

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29 March 1944

SUBJECT: Rations for Civil Police

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III

1. The basic ration for police agencies, other than CC.RR. and Guardia di Finanza, has been reconsidered. The Executive Commissioner does not agree with the recommendation of putting the agents of PS and Metropolitani, the Municipal Guard, the Forest Guards, the Prison Guard and the Fire Brigade on the same ration scale with the CC.RR.

2. Because the situation clearly requires some readjustment, it has been suggested that these Public Safety organizations be put on the Heavy Worker Ration which consists of the following:

275 Grams of bread per man per day
30 Grams of dehydrated soup per man per day
700 Grams of Pasta per man per week

3. The Director of the Labor Subcommission has approved this solution but advises that the cost of this Heavy Worker Ration is as yet undetermined.

4. In the event that such an adjustment is made, the Heavy Worker's Ration is to be used in place of what ever ration is now being issued and not in addition to it.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
Pub. Safety Sub-Com.

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28 March 1944.

Ref/360/4/CA.

SUBJECT: Unauthorised removal of material.

TO : R.C. Region III.

1. I am directed to inform you that all demands made by Allied Units for release of stores from the Italian Direzione di Artiglieria in NAPLES must be addressed to M.M.I.A.

2. Artillery Directorate of the Italian Ministry of War have been so instructed.

THOMAS H. FEIKS
for Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Army Sub-Commission (Adv HQ)

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Ref/3/70/OA

28 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transmission of Correspondence

TO : SCAO 8 Army.

Attached copy of letter 2155 of 20 March 1944 from Presidenza Del Consiglio Dei Ministri Gabinetto is forwarded for necessary action.

NORMAN E. PISE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/3/71/CA. 28 March 1944

SUBJECT: Addressing Correspondence by Italian Government.

TO : Admin. Section.

Attached letter 2155 of 20 March 1944 fr Presidenza del Consiglio Dei Ministri Cabinetto of which has been forwarded to SCAO 8 Army with an amended address is forwarded in order that you may point out to the Italian Government that Col. Polletti has no jurisdiction in the area referred to in their letter and that it should have been addressed to this Section for transmission to the SCAO 8 Army.

NORMAN S. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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AMZ/361/28/AG. 28 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Participation by the French Red Cross in measures for the relief of Displaced Persons in Italy.

TO : Director, Displaced Persons Sub-Com.

1. A copy of memorandum received from M.M.S.A.F.H.Q. reference FHQ: 000-1 of 24 March 1944, is forwarded herewith.

2. Will you please inform the Chief of the French Mission as in para.3 of the above-quoted memorandum and report completion to this H.Q.

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ROBERT E. FITZ
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: P.W.B. Sub-Com.
Italian Refugee Branch } For information.
Major Attayer.
Political Section

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Ref/278/72/CA

NEF/mrd
28 March 1944

MEMORANDUM

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I
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S.C.A.O., 5 Army
S.C.A.O., 8 Army

1. Public Relations Branch have asked to be supplied with copies of such orders as may be issued by Regional Commissioners and Senior Civil Affairs Officers.

2. It would be appreciated if you would place on your distribution list such orders:-

Public Relations Officer
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission
APO 394

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
P.R.O.

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Ref: 80/79/CA. 28th March 1944

SUBJECT : Assignment of Officer.

TO : Secretary General.

1. The Executive Commissioner has asked me to submit the attached cable received from Middle East regarding Major Heathcote Smith in case the Chief Commissioner would like to know of the impending arrival of this officer.

2. Major Sir Clifford Heathcote Smith was for many years Consul-General in Alexandria and retired from the Consular Service about a year ago when he was granted a commission and joined Civil Affairs in Eritrea. He is coming to Naples as representative for the Inter-governmental Committee for Refugees and the Executive Commissioner thinks that his services will be of great assistance in dealing with the refugee problem.

A.J. STEWART,
Captain,
PA to Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref: 80/80/CA. 28th March 194

Subject: Personnel

To : Establishment Officer.

Lieut. Correa, who is working with Colonel Poletti against the black market, racket, has asked for the services of:-

Cpl. Paul E.CASSEB, A.S.N.38367280,
381st Coy., 3rd Bn.,
2nd Replacement Depot,
(Forward Echelon).,

This EM speaks five languages, including Italian, fluently, and would be a great help to Lieut. Correa. Would it be possible to get him posted?

A.J. STEWART,
Captain,
PA to Executive Commissioner.

AJS/JC.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/53/ /CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Communications.

TO : Regional Commissioners,
Regions I & II.

You are requested to direct your Provincial Commissioners not to communicate direct with A.C.C. HQ. in the future, but to address their communications to the R.C. or through the R.C. to A.C.C. HQ.

NORMAN H. FISHER
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/35/T/CA.

28 March 1944

SUBJECT: Return to United Kingdom of long Service Personnel.

TO : G-1 (B)

Ref. para. 15 of ACC Routine orders No. 2 dated 13 March 1944.

The following is submitted:

NAME	RANK	PERSONAL NO.	REGT or CORPS	DATE OF EMBARKATION
LUSH, M.S.	Brigadier	NYA	G.S.	13 Oct. 1919
SHIPP G.W.I.	Lt. Col.	NYA	Camerons	10 Feb. 1939
STEWART, A.J.	Capt.		G.L.	24 Aug. 1939
WARDM, L.	W.O.I.	8/322205	R.A.S.C.	29 Dec. 1939

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/31/18/CA. 28 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Allied Censorship Control Officers.

TO : AFHQ. M.G. Section.

Ref. your letter MIS 000.73-2 of 8 March.

1. Request contained in para. 3 of your communication has been complied with.

M.S. LUSH
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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28 March 1944

Ref/91/17/CA.

SUBJECT: Allied Censorship Control Officers.

TO : R.C.S Region III, V and SCAO 8th Army AMG.

1. A request has been received to assist in the securing of civilian vehicles for Allied Censor Control officers, in the provinces of Salerno, Naples Benevento, Campobasso and Foggia.

2. You are requested to make available requisitioned civilian vehicles to such officers, when needed by them.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/276/60/CA. 28 March 1944

SUBJECT: Regulations in Italy.

TO : Administrative Section.

A reply to our 276/59/CA of 23 March 1944 is requested.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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

Ref /125/20/CA 28 March 1944

SUBJECT: Powers and Rights of Allied Forces and AMG in unoccupied territory.
TO : Legal Sub-Commission.

1. As requested in your ACC/4102/2/L of 26 March 1944, attached hereto is copy of AAI/3064/A(O) of 15 March 1944 dealing with above subject.

2. Please acknowledge receipt.

for NORMAN E. FIBKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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APO 394

Ref/107/12/CA.

28 March 1944

SUBJECT: Minutes of Conference.

TO : MGS, APHQ.

1. As requested in your MGS 337-5 undated, 4 copies of Minutes of Regional Commissioners Conference held on 4 March 1944 are forwarded for information.

2. Copies of minutes for the 3 March 1944 have already been forwarded by the Secretary General.

for M.S. LUSH
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
P.C. & M.O. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/Sus/mst /CA

NEF/mrd
27 March 1944

SUBJECT: Recommendation

TO : Captain E. W. Stone

1. I am referring this matter to you as the Senior Naval Officer at Headquarters, Allied Control Commission for such action as you may deem appropriate in the circumstances.

2. It does not appear from the investigation that Lt. Commander Kusmanno was given an opportunity to present his side of the picture and to comment on any of the statements made by the witnesses that were interviewed. I had not intended taking any action until the reported investigation has been submitted but I find that while I was away Lieut. Commander Kusmanno was returned to Region IV by orders from this Headquarters.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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

Ref/288/39/CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Allied Property in Sardinia (PTEROY).

TO : R.C. Region VI.

1. Reference our letter 288/35/CA of 19 Mar 44.

2. Attached is copy of letter No.AGO/2021/CP of 24 March 1944, received from the Property Control Sub-Commission, which is self-explanatory.

3. Will you please comply with the request contained in the Property Control Sub-Commission letter.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/22/38/Gen.
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27 March 1946.

SUBJECT: Food Supplies - Rome.

TO : FCWTF.

1. It is requested that approval may be given to send the 39 schooners now lying at NAPLES, near Naples, loaded with some 2,000 tons of food up to ANZIO to discharge their cargo. This food is required to be held in readiness for civilian supply needs in ROME.

2. All arrangements in connection with this move have been made by these H.Q. and the approval of C.C.S. 5 Army has already been obtained to the reception of the food at ANZIO.

3. It is requested that an early answer may be given as it is desired to commence building up a stockpile there as soon as possible.

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BRIG. MAJOR MACFARLANE
Lieut-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Copy to: HQ. AAI (Admin Sub).
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AMG. 5 Army (CMS).

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

Ref/302/90/GA.

27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Cooperation of Italian Forces.

TO : S.C.A.O. 8th Army.

1. Reference your letter GA/31 of 21 Mar 44.

2. Herewith forwarded copy of AGCF/1402/8/C(Ib) dated 29 Feb 44, as requested.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/3/69/CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transfers of Officers of the R.Finance Guard.

TO : Admin. Section - For Public Safety Sub-Com

A reply is requested to our 3/61/CA. of 20 Mar 44 relating to the above subject.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.[illegible] & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/105/17/3A. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Property of Arrested Persons.

TO : V.P. Admin Sec. - For Legal Sub-Com.

1. Reference your letter ACC/1034/1 of 16 Mar 44.

2. In compliance with the request contained in para.5 of the above reference, HQ. A.A.I. (Admin Sub) has issued a directive, a copy of which is enclosed herewith.

NORMAN F. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R... & M.G. Section
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Ref/350/11/CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Appointment of Mayor of CASTELFRENTANO.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section.

1. Reference our letter 350/11/CA of 7 Mar 44.

2. Will you please request the Minister of the Interior to have Dott. Mantanti to report direct to P.C. CHIETI Province, if Dott. Mantanti has not already left for his assignment. This request cancels that made in para.3 of our previous letter.

3. Please inform the S.C.A.O. 8th Army AMG of the action taken in this matter.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: SCAO. AMG 8th Army. Ref CA/72 of 24 Mar 44.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. Section
APO 394.

Ref/3/68/GA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of correspondence.

TO : R.O. Region V.

The attached correspondence is forwarded for transmission to the Italian authorities concerned, provided there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALL[illegible] CONTROL COMMISSION
P.W. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/268/40/CA 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Allied Property in Sardinia.

TO : Property Control Sub-Commission.

1. Reference your letter AAI/2021/CP of 24 Mar 44.

2. Your request has been complied with.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/352/35/OA.

27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Appointment of New Questore at ENNA.

TO : R.C. Region I.

1. Reference your cable S-8505 of 20 Mar 44.

2. This matter has been referred to the Interior Sub-Commission for handling.

3. Your attention is invited that all orders established under AMG have been abrogated in Region I, and therefore no longer apply.

NORMAN E. FIKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/351/36/CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Appointment of new Questore at Milan.

TO : Interior Sub-Commission.

1. Reference Cable S-8505 of 20 Mar 44 from Region I.

2. Pursuant to telephone conversation this date, this matter is referred to you for handling.

GHP

ROLLIN H. FIRKS
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/177/ /GA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Railway Disaster at BALVANO.

TO : Director-General, Allied Military Railway Services.

1. With regard to the recent disaster in the tunnel at BALVANO, it has been drawn to the attention of this H.Q. by the Regional Commissioner, Region II, that there have been other incidents, some of them fatal, of the same nature over the previous few months.

2. For instance, on March 6th a train stalled in a tunnel close to the Railway Station of CAMPOMAGGIORE, Potenza Province. The train was reversed and backed from the tunnel but the firemen and engineer of the locomotive collapsed from the effect of the fumes and the fireman later died.

3. On March 7th a troop train proceeding from SALERNO to POTENZA passed through these tunnels without stopping but at a low rate of speed. Three soldiers collapsed from the effects of the gas fumes but were revived.

4. It is also reported that there have been other cases of members of train crews having died during the past few months from the effect of fumes.

5. If these reports are correct it would appear that the BALVANO disaster was not an isolated incident. No doubt this matter is being considered by you from the point of view of danger to military passengers, and it would be much appreciated if an expression of your views on the likelihood of a recurrence of such an incident might be given.

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M. S. LUSSI,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: R.C. Region II.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
M.G. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/223/13/GA.

27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Use of Explosives for Fisheries.

TO : H.Q., A.A.I.
Army Sub-Commission (Main)

1. It has been brought to the attention of this Headquarters, that both Allied and Italian military personnel in the Naples area have been using various forms of explosives off the beaches and in certain salt water fish rearing ponds, namely Lake Lentini at POZZUOLI and Lake Fusaro at BAIA, for the purpose of obtaining fish.

2. Fishing Regulation No.7 issued by AMG Provinces of Naples states "no explosives may be used for fishing or carried in any fishing craft".

3. Since, as is well known, the use of explosives has a permanent damaging effect on fishing grounds, it is requested that you issue orders to ensure that this practice will cease.

/ B. Schuberth
Lt. Col. GSC.
Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to: Army Sub-Commission (Rear)
R.C. Region XIII.

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

Ref/26/20/OA.

27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Naples Marine Zoological Institute and Aquarium.

TO : Economic Section, Finance Sub-Commission.

1. On February 1st A.F.H.Q. was advised by this H.Q. that the research programme of Dr. Montalenti, Professors Ranzi and Paloski, also bibliographical work by social professors at University of Naples could not be carried on without financial assistance. Also that the Aquarium could not be made available to the general public owing to its financial situation. It was suggested that a financial grant from the Royal Society of England would be acceptable, and that this grant would be operated through the Regional Finance Officer on an approved budget.

2. This date we are advised that the Royal Society will remit up to One Thousand (£1,000) Pounds through the Bank of England and Bank of Sicily to the Director of the Aquarium. It is further stated that it is assumed the Regional Finance Officer can arrange the necessary control of the disbursements through the Bank of Sicily, Naples, to ensure conformity with the approved budget.

3. Col. Neilson, Regional Finance Officer, has been contacted by telephone and he advises that when this matter was brought to his attention some time ago, he was of the impression that no funds would be available from the Royal Society and the matter was closed. He further advised he knew nothing of an approved budget, or how the same might be arrived at.

4. This matter is referred to you for appropriate action, and you are requested to advise this office of what action is taken.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. A.G. Section
APO 394

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Ref/13/30/CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Travel Orders.

TO : Adjutant, H.Q. A.C.C.

1. Travel Order is requested in respect of the undermentioned to enable them to travel to SARDINIA on or about 28 March 1944 on temporary duty in connection with A.C.C. activities.

Capt. BRADBERRY (Br) Region XXI.
Col. CANA (Italian Carabinieri).

2. Travel by M/A is requested.

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

27 March 1944.

Ref/166/13/CA.

SUBJECT: Petition.

TO : R.C. Region II.

A reply to our 166/12/CA of 21 Mar 44 is requested.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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R.C. & H.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/317/11/CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Civil Prison at Brindisi.

TO : R.C. Region XI.

1. Reference our letter 317/10/CA of 22 Mar 44.

2. You are requested to advise if para.2 of above reference has been complied with.

HERMAN E. PEEK
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Public Safety Sub-Commission
Legal Sub-Commission
Navy Sub-Commission

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ALLIED CONTR[illegible] COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/6/84/GA.

27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Disbanded Troops in Sicily.

TO : Army Sub-Commission (Main) (Rear)

Reference your G3/mms of 14 Feb 44, a reply has now been received from Region I, as follows:

(a) Enquiry has been made through civil police channels and from information obtained a rough estimate of the total numbers of disbanded troops amount to 68,000.

(b) It has not been possible to ascertain the number in the employ of Allied Forces.

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/316/28/GA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Control of Movement.

TO : AMG 8th Army.

1. The attached copies of correspondence together with a paper issued by C.A.O. ITALIA are forwarded.

2. The regulation referred to in para.2 of the letter of 18 March from HQ. A.A.I. is that set out in the letter of 23 Nov 43 from HQ. 15 Army Group. An Italian soldier can only spend his leave outside the Army areas, and his leave pass should be endorsed to this effect.

3. Please remind your officers of this regulation.

NORMAN S. PIKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: HQ. A.A.I. - Ref your AAI/11401/10/G(Ib) of 18 Mar 44.
Army Sub-Commission (Main) - For action last sentence of para.

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

Ref/23/37/CA. 27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Agricultural Team for Rome.

TO : S.C.A.O. 5 Army AMG.

1. The Director, Agriculture Sub-Commission, has represented that at least one representative of the Sub-Commission should be included in the team to enter Rome with the troops.

2. This representative would be charged with the responsibility for agricultural records, organisation etc.

3. May we have your comments please.

for NORMAN E. FIELD
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

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26 March 1944

Ref/154/18/CA.

SUBJECT: Colonelo Francesco Maestri.

TO : Commanding Officer, 371 P.O.W. Camp (PADULA)

1. The above named Italian Officer, Baraghieri recently of the 207th Infantry Depot then at Catanzaro was, in December last, placed in custody by the Allied Military authorities.

2. His present whereabouts are not known and it has been suggested that he may be located in the P.O.W. camp under your command.

3. An order for his release is held at this Hq. Would you please inform us if you have any knowledge of him.

for NORMAN E. FIKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to: Maj. Attayer, Displaced Persons Sub-Comm. for information and check in file ~~1656~~ 383.6 handed to you by Message Center, for any other correspondence concerning the above named Italian Officer.

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

191/CA

26 March 1944

SUBJECT: P.O.L. Estimates and bids.

TO : Regional Commissioners Region I, II, III, IV, V, VI.
SCAOS's 5th and 8th Armies, AMG.

1. Reference - Regional Commissioners Conference. (See minutes, Saturday March 4th 1944 Item No. 5 last line on page 7).

2. It was there agreed that returns on petrol supply bids be rendered quarterly and not monthly.

3. Petroleum Section, Admin. Sch., A.A.I. has now represented that from further experience the only possible method of maintaining control of so vital a product is to receive as much pertinent information regarding it as frequently as can possibly be effected.

4. It has therefore been decided that returns on petrol supply bids must be rendered monthly in accordance with previous instructions.

5. It is also pointed out by Petroleum Section that there is considerable variance in figures submitted especially in the relation of lubricating oil requirements to petrol or diesel oil consumed.

The following is therefore given as a guide:

PRIVATE CARS	UNDER 12 H.P.	OVER 12 H.P.
Doctors	40 Litres	60 Litres
Public Officials	70 "	100 "
Others	35 "	50 " " "

TRUCKS

Capacity under	10 Quintals		50 Litres
10 "	but under 20		100 Litres
20 "	" " 40		150 "
40 "	or over		300 "

Lubricating Oils not more than 5% of Petrol

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to: Petroleum Section HQ AAI (Admin. Sch)
Economic Section (3)

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R.C. & R.G. SECTION
APO 394

26 March 1944.

To Military Authorities controlling
traffic on Highway Naples to Salerno.

The Bearer, Sig.Ing.Camillo Tiseano, Director General of the Italian Ministry of Public Works, must make frequent and urgent trips between Naples and Salerno in connection with Public Works, and the reconstruction of Military Highways including the Naples - Salerno road.

It is requested that his passage be facilitated on this highway.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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

Ref/3/65/Ca. 26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region V.

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/3/66/CA. 26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : S.C.A.O. AMG 6th Army.

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

NORMAN E. WEINZ
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/3/67/CA. 26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region III.

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, provided there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

/s/ Fiske

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/79/44/CA.

26 March 1944

SUBJECT: Re-assignment - Officers.

TO : Establishments Branch.

1. Ref. No. ACC Special Orders No. 57 dated 10 March 1944 para 5.

2. Agreement has been reached with all concerned for the posting of Major NORMAN T. [redacted] (A) 0905915 to AFHQ 8th Army for work in connection with Monuments and Fine Arts.

3. May the necessary orders be issued please. He should report to SCAO 8th Army without delay.

for NORMAN E. [redacted]
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copies to: Additional 2 (for G-1 (A) and Adjutant
No. ACC (Main)
Admin. Section (Ref 20200 (Navy)/AFAA

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
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REFERENCE : 94/CA 26 March 1944

SUBJECT : Personnel - Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

TO : A.A.I., Admin Hq.

Reference your 3010/2/A(O) dated 19 Mar 44.

1. There is no fixed Establishment for the Displaced Persons Sub-Commission. All personnel for this Sub-Commission are found from the Global W/E of the Allied Control Commission, and are allotted as required.

2. I wish to point out that there is, in Allied Control Commission, a very great shortage of Clerks. We have now 225 against a War Establishment of 498. Against this there is a surplus of General Duty personnel. The extra General Duty men are all required, as the Food, Italian Refugee and Displaced Persons Sub-Commissio, are all operative; whereas the present W/E was made up on the basis that the functions of the Allied Control Commission would be advisory and supervisory only. The situation will, it is hoped, improve as more Italian personnel become available. There are however, certain duties - e.g. Displaced Persons Sub-Commission, for which it is not desirable to employ Italian personnel only.

3. We have at present attached to the Displaced Persons Sub-Commission a number of Officers and O.Rs. on loan from the Prisoners of War Sub-Commission. M.G.S., A.F.H.Q. has asked for a list of Officers and Other Ranks whom we wish to have transferred to Allied Control Commission from the Displaced Persons Sub- Commission. For your information I attach hereto list showing :

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List (a). Officers whom it is desired to retain and who should be posted to the Allied Control Commission. A similar list has already been sent by cable to M.G.S., A.F.H.Q.

List (b). Officers for whom there are no vacancies and whom it is not desired to retain. This list has not been sent to M.G.S., A.F.H.Q. I suggest that you have these Officers posted elsewhere.

4. I shall be glad if authority may be given for the retention of the Officers in list (a) pending a decision from A.F.H.Q. as to their disposal. They have all their own appointments in the Displaced Persons Sub-Commission organization, which has been built up with their help and they have now learned and got into their work.

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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

Ref/89/2/CA.

25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Location Statement.

TO : ~~A.C.A.O. 5 Army.~~
~~R.C. & M.G. 5 Army.~~

1. Please forward to this H.Q. to reach this H.Q. as soon as possible after the dates stated below in this para. a location statement showing the location of your officers as at the 1st and 15th of each month. The information should be, if possible, in the form requested in letter No. AG1/7/2/5 of 27 Jan 44.

2. The exact form in which it is rendered will probably depend on existing security regulations in the Army concerned. It may not be possible for instance, though it would be desirable, to give the name of the formation to which an officer was attached as well as the location of that officer.

3. Para.3 of the above quoted letter of 27 Jan is cancelled.

4. It is not intended to cause unnecessary work and providing the information required is made available, the exact form in which the report is sent in is left to your discretion.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/25/32/CA.

26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Communications with the Vatican.

TO : R.C. Region III.

1. Reference is made to our 25/25/CA of 18 March 1944.

2. Copy of a letter from MGS AFHQ together with the correspondence enclosed therein are forwarded.

3. It is directed that you return the correspondence to the Cardinal Archbishop of Naples pointing out to him that it is not official ecclesiastical mail and cannot, therefore, be passed through Vatican channels as it is clearly laid down in our memorandum referred to in para. 1 above.

4. On the assumption that the instructions contained in para. 7 of our memorandum under reference have been complied with and the Cardinal Archbishop told of the new restricted service, you are directed to inform him that his action in enclosing private correspondence of a non-ecclesiastical nature in an envelope marked "Official Diplomatic Mail" and bearing his own stamp, constitutes a grave abuse of the facilities provided by the Allied Governments and that a repetition of such an abuse may result in the facilities being withdrawn.

/s/ Norman E. Fiske
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Copy to: MGS, AFHQ.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/289/16/CA.

SUBJECT: General Order No.23.

TO : Lt. Panelli, Printing Officer.

1. Herewith Italian version of General Order No.23.

2. Please arrange for 11,000 copies to be printed.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/363/27/CA. 26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Administrative Instruction No.18 of Region III.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section - For Legal Sub-Com. (Attention : Col. Upjohn)

Forwarded herewith is copy of Administrative Instruction No.18 issued by Region III, upon which we would like to have your opinion and comment, especially as to para.2 thereof.

T.H.P.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/39/29/CA.

26 March 1944

SUBJECT: Establishment Memorandum No. 8

TO : Establishment Officer.

Reference para. 2 of Establishment Memorandum No. 8 it has been brought to our attention that confusion may be caused by the omission of the words "Admin. Ech" after the words "HQ AAI".

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/278/63/CA

26 March 1946

SUBJECT: Regional Orders.

TO : Public Relations Branch.

Ref. your letter PRB/13 of 24 March:

1. All Regional Orders must be approved by RC and MG Section of the Executive Commissioner.

2. It would be rather difficult for this section to supply you with all copies of such orders, as you have requested.

3. If you desire, we can request all RC'S to send you, in the future, copies of such orders.

NORMAN E. PISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/291/12/CA. .26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Proposed Legislation Region III.

TO : Admin. Section - For C.L.C., Legal Sub-Commission.

1. Reference conversation Colonel Upjohn - Colonel Shipp of 26 Mar., herewith files No.129/CA and 291/CA.

2. I will be grateful if you would scrutinize the proposed orders and let me have your opinion on them.

3. I would be grateful if the files could be returned with your comments as soon as possible.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Copy to: File 129/CA.

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Ref/13/25/CA

NLT/mrc
25 March 1944

SUBJECT: Authority to Issue Travel Orders

TO : Brigadier C. C. Duchesne,
Army Sub-Commission

1. Authority is hereby granted for you to issue Air Travel Orders to officers and EM/ORs of your Sub-Commission in the name of the Allied Control Commission for necessary air travel in Italy, Sicily and Sardinia for members of your Mission, except those travelling from points at which the Commission now has or may establish facilities for issue of such orders.

2. Your attention is directed to AFHQ, Administrative Memorandum No. 3, dated 10 January 1944 which stresses the necessity for limiting air travel "to those persons whose transportation by this means is of importance to the war effort". Every effort will be made to keep air travel of your personnel to the minimum.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Copy to: M.A.T.S.

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NaF/ard
25 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transmission of Correspondence

TO : A.F.H.Q., M.G.S.

Forwarded for such action as you may deem proper. The Commission has no objection to the letter going forward.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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25 March 1944.

Ref/111/2/Gen

SUBJECT: Greek Subjects In Italian Prisons.

TO : Internees and Displaced Persons Sub-Commission, (BARI).

1. Reference IDP/370/101-6 of 19 March 44, inquiries are being made in respect of the three Greek subjects indicated in para.2 as being in the prisons of Naples.

2. With regard to MOSCOS DEMETRIOS is it possible to qualify ST. STEFANO in order to facilitate inquiries, as there are several places of that name in Allied occupied Italy, e.g.

S. Stefano in Aspromonte
S. Stefano del Sole,
etc.

3. Would you also verify APHOOIDA as no such place-name can be found in the Gazetteer. Is PHOOIDA intended ?

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for NORMAN E. FISCH
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Region III.

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Ref/111/3/GA.

25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Greek Subjects in Italian Prisons.

TO : R.C. Region III.

Reference attached copy of IDP/870/101-6 of 19 Mar 44, will you please take the necessary action and submit a report to this H.Q.

Incl.
as above.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/274/5/Cit.

25 March 1944.

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SUBJECT: Lectures - Instructional.

TO : S.C.A.O. AMG 5 Army - For Major Rowell.

A copy of letter received from the School of Administration, reference T.20 of 20 Mar 44, is forwarded for your information.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/280/13/CA.

25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Case of Lo Piano Salvatore.

TO : V.P. Admin Section (For Legal Sub-Commission)

1. The above case was tried by the writer while serving as Superior court for the province of Caltanisetta. The facts in the case are not recalled.

2. A letter has been received by attorney of the accused dated 15 March 1944 and stating an appeal was duly filed but no action received up to date.

3. Will you please advise me what action has been taken in this case, and if there is any question in the case, if you will send me the file, I will be glad to review it and render any further opinion I might have on the subject.

FRANK L. PEYTON
Captain, CMP
R.C. & M.G. Section

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Ref/169/9/CA.

25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Collection Italian Army Personnel Escaping into Liberated Italy.

TO : Army Sub-Commission (Main H.Q. LECCE)

1. Reference your letter G/19/2 of 18 Mar 44 para.2.

2. The copy of your G/19/1 of 11 Mar to Italian General Staff was not enclosed as stated. Will you please forward a copy so that the necessary action can be taken.

for NORMAN E. FISKE 2435
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/228/30/CA.

25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Hospital Report for Catania.

TO : Admin. Section - For Public Health Sub-Commission.

Forwarded herewith is a report by Col. French on hospitals in the Province of Catania.

NORMAN E. FIEKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/161/32/CA.

25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Italian Army Vehicles.

TO : R.C. Region II.

1. Reference is made to your letter A/32/17 of 7 Mar 44 and our 161/26/CA of 12 Mar 44 to Land Forces Sub-Commission, a copy of which was sent to you.

2. The period of two weeks referred to in para.3 of our 161/26/CA of 12 Mar 44 expires tomorrow and the handing back of the 5 Lancia Trucks to 36 (CMP) Italian Heavy Mobile Workshops must take place as soon as possible.

3. Please advise this H.Q. when this action has been taken.

/ Lieut Col 2933

NORMAN B. FISKE
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Army Sub-Commission.

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25 March 1944.

Ref/163/32/3A.

SUBJECT: Italian State Railway Equipment.

TO : R.C. Region XIX.

1. Reference the attached copies of correspondence, it is now necessary that the two vehicles of which temporary retention was requested by P.C. SALERNO in para.3 of his letter of 3 Mar 44 be handed back to the 2nd Italian Railway Engineer Group.

2. Please advise this H.Q. when this action has been taken.

NORMAN H. PEEK
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Copy to: Army Sub-Commission

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25 March 1944.

Ref/53/52/Q1.

SUBJECT: Postal Address.

TO : Liaison Officer, HQ. A.A.I. (Admin.Edit.)

1. Please would you make enquiries with regard to the postal address which is now in use "H.Q. Allied Control Commission, C.M.F.".

2. It is now thought that perhaps it should be "H.Q. Allied Control Commission, A.A.I."

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/343/3/GA. 25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Marriages.

TO : GG, 3 District, CMF.

1. Reference your letter 364A of 18 March 1944.

2. The request made has been complied with.

MORGAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/278/62/CA. 25 March 1944

SUBJECT: Proclamations and General Orders.

TO : R.C. Region IV.

References your letter R4/990.7(E) of 21 March.

1. The suggestions made have been noted.

2. There is now being distributed our letter 278/60/CA of 24 March 1944, which is deemed meets the exigencies of the suggestions.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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APO 394

Ref/72/20/CA. 25 March 1944

SUBJECT: Displaced Persons - Communication Records and Enquiries.

To : Director, Internees and Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

1. Reference is made to your IDP/75/350 of 12 February 1944 and copy of MCS 321-12 of 20 March 1944, as forwarded herewith.

(Note: 72/14/CA of 14 March not copied to you was a request for IDP/75/350 which was omitted from 72/11/CA.

2. a) Regarding para. 1(a) of attached, Telecommunications & Posts Sub-commission has been consulted in conjunction with Lt. Col. Fothergill and advise that the address for communications made through the Civil Postal Services should be:

Records Bureau,
Internees & Displaced Persons Sub-Commission
Allied Control Commission (in full)
CMF (Italy).

b) Arrangements will be made by the Telecommunications & Posts Sub-Commission that all correspondence so addressed shall be delivered to the postal Hq. most conveniently located to the Bureau.

c) Will you please cable agreement to this address or suggesting a suitable alternative. 2378

3. Regarding para 1(b) further information will be passed to you when received.

4. Para. 1(c) is beingtaken up with Establishments Branch.

5. The remainder of the letter is self explanatory, it being assumed that the bureau is in a position to function and handle enquiries.

for Difficult Duties Only Major Gl
NORMAN R. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
COMMISSIONER

Copy to: AFHQ, MIS.
TELECOMMUNICATIONS & POSTS Sub-Commission.

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Ref/343/2/CA. 25 March 1944

SUBJECT: Marriage of Soldiers with Civilians.

TO : R.C. Region I, II, III, IV, V. VI.
SCAO 5th and 8th Armies.

1. You are requested to advise the proper church authorities in your respective regions and districts that it is necessary for a soldier to procure the written consent of his District Commander or his senior administrative Staff Officer, to the soldier's marriage with a civilian, before the marriage can be solemnized.

2. You are further requested to ask these church authorities to circularize this information among all priests under their jurisdiction.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/47/44/CA.

25 March 1944

SUBJECT: Accounting for Medical Supplies.

TO : Medical Supply Officer (Col. Griffin)
P.H. Sub-Commission (Main).

1. Reference Finance Sub-Commission letter Hq/CA/13 of 21 March 1944 the amendments therein submitted will be incorporated in the printed copy of the Executive Memorandum, as requested.

2. To avoid misunderstanding the word "also" has been introduced at the beginning of the sentence to be added to para. IV J (see para. 3(c) of the letter under reference).

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/188/6/CA. 25 March 1944

SUBJECT: Correspondence with G-4 Sub-Area.

TO : Region II. (for the Regional Commissioner)

A reply to our 88/4/CA of 13 March 1944 is requested.

NORRUCH A. FIGGE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/53/49/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Use of Abbreviation - C.A.O.

TO : MFS, AFHQ.

1. Reference letter MFS/312.4 of 13 March 1944 enclosed is copy of this Hq. Executive Memorandum No. 21 issued on 15 February 1944 authorising a change of title from "Civil Affairs Officer" (C.A.O.) to "Provincial Officer" (P.O.).

2. It will be noted that para. 2 of the Executive Memorandum indicates that titles in AMG Armies would remain unchanged.

3. On this point enclosed are copies of letters that have passed between SCAO 8th Army AMG and this Hq.

4. It is considered that in view of these arrangements confusion should not now exist.

NORMAN K. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/133/46/CA. 24 March 1946

SUBJECT: Molfetta Seminary.

TO : R.C. Region II.

1. I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. RG/2/36 of 20 March 1946 announcing the most satisfactory conclusion of this matter.

2. I am to inform you that the Executive Commissioner is most appreciative of the efforts of yourself and your staff (and in particular of Lt. Col. Vining) in obtaining this successful result.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/143/ /CA. 25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Agricultural Survey of Beachhead
Major Andrews.
TO : Economic Section.

1. Ref. your file E3/6 and correspondence, SCAO 5 Army AMG regrets that he is unable to obtain permission to the projected visit by Maj. Andrews for the following reasons:

a). All visits have to be sanctioned personally by the Army Commander who will only consider strongly recommended applications.
b). Visits to the beachhead are being discouraged at this stage.
c). The SCAO beachhead has asked that no specialists be sent for the time being.

2. SCAO 5 Army AMG suggests that information required be put in the form of a questionaire by Agriculture Sub-Commission and every effort will be made to get the answers.

3. A further application at a later date will be given due consideration.

ROSWAK K. FLOCH
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to: SCAO 5 Army AMG (att. Lt.Col. E.B.Myers)
Confirming telephone conversation of 24 March 1944.
Economic Section (2) (For Maj. Andrews)

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Ref /60/82/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Situation Reports (SITREPS)

TO : R.C. Region V.

1. Reference weekly "SITREP" sent in codified form I am desired by the Executive Commissioner to point out that these reports are intended to show the situation as at the time of reporting.

2. These reports should not therefore be used as a vehicle for recommendation or requests.

3. Recommendations and requests should be made the subject of separate communications by letter except in cases of emergency when quicker means may appear desirable.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/13/ /CA.

25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Travel Orders.

TO : Adjutant HQ. A.C.C. (Main)

1. Please issue Travel Order for Major W. Driffield-White (B) 83647 to proceed on temporary duty to Region I, Sicily, on or about 29 March 44, returning to permanent station on completion.

2. Travel to Palermo (Sicily) and other places therein by M/A and/or other Government transport is authorised.

MORGAN W. FISH
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: C-1 (B).
C-4.

Weight of Officer 170 lbs.
Weight of baggage 40 lbs.
Billet - Toledo Hotel.

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Ref/2443/ /Ops

25 March 1946.

SUBJECT: Visit - H.Q. Staff.

TO : R.C. Region I.

1. Major W. Driffield-White, General List, of the staff of R.C. & M.G. Section (Civil Affairs Branch) will visit your Headquarters for a few days to discuss matters pertaining to the branch with you and your staff.

2. Expected time of arrival - morning plane, Wednesday, March 29 1946.

3. Will you please arrange for him to be met at the airport and for accommodation.

4. This officer would also like to visit some of the provincial H.Q. if such visits can be conveniently arranged.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: G-2.(B)

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Ref/ 367/4/CA

NEF/mrd
24 March 1944

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Administrative Section

1. I am enclosing correspondence from Region III relative to the reestablishment of the Italian Touring Club known as the C.I.T. It seems desirable to reestablish this organization in Executive territory as well as in Italian territory. We should like to have your views in the matter before taking action, especially since this organization was mentioned in respect to the proposed licensing of motor vehicles.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/234/43/CA. 23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Venereal Disease.

TO : Regional Commissioners,
Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VIII, & IX.
SCAO AMG 8 Army.
SCAO AMG 5 Army.

1. Further to this H.Q. letter 234/13/CA of 8 Mar 44.

2. With reference to para.4 of the above quoted letter, it should be noted that so far as Italian agencies are concerned, the primary responsibility for the enforcement of such laws rests upon the Agenti di Publica Sicurezza, and not upon the Carabinieri.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Copy to: Admin. Section - For P.S. Sub-Commission.

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Ref/278/60/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Regional Orders and Proclamations.

TO : All Regional Commissioners.
SCAO's 5th and 8th Armies.

1. It has been suggested that Orders and Proclamations issued by one Region may be of interest and value to other Regions. At present it is noted that copies of such orders and proclamations are not distributed outside the Region which publishes them.

2. One copy of every order or proclamation issued by a Region will be forwarded to every other Region and to SCAO's 5th and 8th Armies. One copy should also be sent to A.C.C. HQ, R.C. & M.G. Section, for record.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Regional Control and Military Government Section
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Ref/316/26/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Control of Movement.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Region I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VIII, IX.
SCAO., AMG 5 Army.
SCAO., AMG 8 Army.

1. Further to instructions issued by these H.Q. in letter 316/16/CA of 12 March 1944, it should be realised that although restrictions on the movements of civilians in AMG territory in rear of the Army boundary has been lifted, it is necessary to help the Army by every means in our power in their search for enemy agents, a number of which are known to be operating behind our lines.

2. Consideration should be given to the establishment or increase if already in existence of check posts by the Carabinieri, or Guardia di Finanza, near points where roads and railways cross Provincial boundaries. These need only be manned for a few hours daily at irregular times.

3. Attention is drawn to the need for the strictest enforcement of the ten kilometer limit on civilian movement inside the Army boundaries.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to: HQ. AAI (Ref. our 316/20/CA of 19 March 1944)
HQ. No. 1 District.
HQ. No. 2 District
HQ. No. 3 District.
Public Safety Sub-Commission

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Ref/161/29/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Army Sub-Commission

TO : Army Sub-Commission (Adv)(Salerno)
(Attention: Lt. Col. Quin Smith)

1. Reference letter Q898 of 14 March 1944 arrangements have been made which it is hoped, will clarify the position of the Advanced and Main Hq. of the Army Sub-Commission and facilitate the distribution and routing of correspondence.

2. Attached is a copy of a notice that has been issued to the Central Registry and the C.A.Br. Registry (which deals also with correspondence and files of R.C. & M.G. Section).

3. Executive Memoranda.

A copy of Executive Memorandum No. 32 is enclosed. A complete collection of all ACC Memoranda is being published shortly - it is now in the press. Your suggestion regarding limited distribution is being adopted.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/45/2/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Executive Memoranda.

TO : Telecommunications and Posts (Attention Col. Henderson)

1. Pursuant to telephone conversation we are forwarding you herewith copies of Executive Memorandum No. 20 dated 19 February 1944 and Executive Memorandum (no number) dated 24 February 1944.

2. The reason you have not received copies of these memoranda is due to the fact they have only as yet been mimeographed for incorporation in the book now in process of being published.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/20/13/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Gazettes.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section (For Legal Sub-Commission)

1. MG Section of AFHQ requests ten (10) copies of the various Italian Gazettes which have been printed.

2. It is also requested that future publications of the Gazette be forwarded MG Section of AFHQ.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/20/14/Gh. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Gazettes.

TO : AFHQ (For MCS)

Reference your letter MCS/461 of 10 March 1944

1. Your request has not been met, as all sources contacted advise copies of the gazettes are not available.

2. Effort will be continued to obtain copies of the gazettes.

3. A request has been made that all future publications of the gazette be forwarded you.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/316/25/CA. 24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Control of Movement.

TO : Hq. No. 3 District.

1. Reference your 22/GS (1) of 18 February 1944.

2. Enquiries have been made regarding the issuance of a pass to one Vincenzo TATEO to enable him to travel from AVELLINO to LECCE and back last January, and it is clear that the instructions in regard to the issuing of passes were, in this case not followed, that the pass should have been numbered and stamped and that TATEO did in fact obtain the pass on a false pretence.

3. For the latest instructions in regard to the Control of Movement please see our 316/16/CA of 12 March 1944.

NORMAN E. FUHR
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to: Region III

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Ref/35/6/CA. 24 March 1944.

SUBJECT:- Return of Warlike Stores.

TO:- G-4.

Reference A.C.C. Routine Order No.7 herewith return of Warlike Stores:-

Name	Make of Pistol or Revolver.	Calibre	No.	No. of rounds.	Remarks.
Brig. M.S.Lush	Enfield Mk.1	.38	19006	-	-
Lt.Col. Farley-Smith	Webley	.45	-	8	Own weapon not on charge to any unit.
Lt. Col. G.W.I.Shipp	Webley	.45	-	12	-
Major Driffield White	No. 2 Mk.1x	.38	03439	12	-
Capt. E.Talbot.	Webley	.45	136947	12	-
Capt. A.J.Stewart.	Colt.Auto	.32	394730	6	-
Capt. F.K.Gillett.	Smith & Wesson	.38	-	12	-
Capt. C.R.Braybrooke	Webley	.38	-	12	-

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

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NcF/mrd
24 March 1944

Ref/1585/CA

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Brigadier Carr, Region VI

Dear Brigadier:

You might be interested in the enclosed memorandum. The conversation was held by Captain Peyton with an officer of the U. S. Army Air Force staff in Sardinia. Whatever the facts may be the conversation at least reflects his opinion.

I trust that you are enjoying your work in Sardinia and hope that I shall be able to pay you a visit in the near future. With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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NEF/mrd
Ref/119/4/CA 24 March 1944

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Security Branch .

1. The Chief of the Royal Yugoslav Military Mission has asked that the following officers be recognized as officials of the Mission:

Captain Dobrivoje Cirovic
Captain Dragoljub Stojanovic
Captain Borisav Dacic

2. Before submitting their names to the Chief Commissioner, I should like to have your comment.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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NEF/mrd
24 March 1944

Ref/184/6/CA

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Allied Civilians

TO : S.C.A.O., 8 Army

1. In reply to your letter CA/72/ of 16 March 44, the Political Section informs us that it would be quite impracticable for us here to issue any memorandum on the immigration laws in the United States and Canada. It would have to be done by Washington and Ottawa.

2. For your information, however, I am enclosing a copy of a letter on the repatriation of United States Nationals in Italy which reflects the general views of the United States Department of State.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Civil Affairs Office

March 3, 1944

TO: Military Government Section, AFHQ

SUBJECT: Repatriation of American Nationals in Italy.

1. With reference to the Military Government Section's communication of February 28, concerning the disposition of persons claiming American citizenship in Italy, the Department of State has not, in view of present transportation problems and other physical difficulties, evolved any general program of repatriation for American nationals in Italy.

2. If it is apparent, in certain specific cases, that continued stay in Italy will result in extreme hardship, the appropriate officers of the Department of State will be glad to consider possible repatriation. However, consideration would be made only in cases of persons who have been caught in Italy by the outbreak of war and forced to remain by circumstances beyond their control. Repatriation will not, except under most unusual conditions, be undertaken in cases of persons who were residing outside the United States for a considerable period prior to the war.

3. The above policy as outlined is an interim one and will be reconsidered when conditions are more propitious for civilian travel to the United States.

4. With reference to the specific cases which are mentioned in the Military Government Section's letter under reference, the Civil Affairs Section has fairly complete information concerning these three men from the Prisoner of War Sub-Commission's report of January 17. In this regard, it does not appear that any of these men would be eligible for repatriation under the general lines of paragraphs 1 and 2 above, particularly if they are able to obtain employment in Italy.

Concerning the citizenship of these men, it appears from the evidence given that Angelo A. PONTILLO and John Z. BE ASICH are probably entitled to consideration as American citizens if their indentity is established. As such they might apply for relief payments under the plan outlined in the enclosure to Civil Affairs memorandum to the Military

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Government Section dated March 1 relating to relief payments to American nationals, provided they are totally without funds and unable to obtain gainful employment. With reference to the case of John LACKLAND, since no documentary evidence relative to his citizenship is available, this office has undertaken to communicate with his parents at the address given to obtain further information. If his claim to American citizenship by birth is substantiated, he may be registered under the Selective Service Act and be liable for induction in this theatre if otherwise eligible. Otherwise, he may either obtain employment or apply for relief as outlined above.

/s/ H. J. L'Heureux
H. J. L'Heureux
Acting Chief Civil Administrator

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Ref/R3c/3/xx

NEF/ard
24 March 1944

SUBJECT: Immunization of Livestock

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III
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" " , " V
S.C.A.C., 5 Army
S.C.A.C., 8 Army

1. The Public Health Subcommission has requested that we extend such facilities as may be practicable to Provincial Veterinarians in connection with the vaccination of livestock which is normally accomplished during April, May and June. Provincial Veterinarians are responsible for the institution and execution of a program whereby all livestock in their provinces will be vaccinated against the most prevalent infectious diseases, with special emphasis on those transmissible to men.

2. The Subcommission suggests that Provincial Veterinarians will require some form of motor transport about two days each week during the months of April, May and June and one day each week thereafter.

NORMAN E. FIGGE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
Public Health Subcom.

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Ref/354/5/CA. 25 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Appointment of Italian Officials.

TO : R.C. Region IV

1. Reference letter R4/091.112 of 17 March 1944, attention is directed to Rules and Regulations pursuant to Art. III Title 2 of General Order No. 5 published 16 January 1944.

2. Rule 5 provides that the Civilian director of Provincial Labour Offices shall be appointed by the Prefect subject to the approval of the Provincial Commissioner who would be acting under the instructions of the Regional Commissioner.

3. The matter of the Foggia appointment is being taken up with Region V.

4. Regarding the standardisation of salaries the conditions and requirements vary so greatly and in the industrial areas will vary to a still greater extent, that it is not thought possible at this moment to attempt any such standardisation.

5. The remaining queries will be found to be covered by the Rules and Regulations mentioned in par. 1 above.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/354/1/CA.

23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Appointment of Italian Officials.

TO : R.C. Region V.

1. In the course of correspondence Region IV has pointed out that the Civilian Director of the Provincial Labour Office, FOGGIA Province, is in receipt of a salary in excess of that of the Prefect of the Province.

2. Would you kindly investigate and report as this seems out of accord with the provisions of the Rules and Regulations governing such appointments under General Order No.5 of 16 Jan 44.

NORMAN E. FISH
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/141/17/04. 23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Burial Reports.

TO : Officer Commanding,
No.70 Squadron, R.A.F.,
C.M.F.

1. Reference your 703/757/196/P.1 of 17 Mar 44, which has evidently crossed with our 141/15/04 of 15 Mar 44.

2. It is regretted that photographs of the graves of the crew are not available.

LUCIAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/53/45/CA

NEF/mrd
23 March 1944

SUBJECT: Channel of Communication

TO : Director, Telecommunications & Posts Subcommission

1. It has come to the attention of the Chief Commissioner that Telecommunications & Posts Subcommission have been corresponding direct with A.F.H.Q., M.C.S. on policy matters. He has asked me to bring this to your attention and to remind you that the channel of communication from Subcommissions to higher or coordinate headquarters of this Commission, except on purely technical matters, is through the Executive Commissioner.

NORMAN S. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
Sec. Gen.

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Ref/115/13/CA.

23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Report on present living and housing conditions and food supplies -- Yugo Slavs formerly interned by Italian Government.

TO : Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q.

With reference to your signal No.59411 of 3 Mar 44, a report as requested is forwarded herewith.

M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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1. EXTRACT FROM REAR HQ. ACC. DAILY BULLETIN No.-

Army Sub-Commission: Attention is directed to the fact that the Army Sub-Commission is divided into an Adv. Section at Rear Hq. ACC, Salerno, and Main Hq, at Lequile near Lecce, Apulia. It is essential that this be considered by all concerned in the dispatch and routing of correspondence for the Army Sub-Commission. Normal correspondence should be addressed to Main Hq. (Ex O).

2. ARMY SUB-COMMISSION, DESIGNATION and LOCATION; FUNCTIONS OF ADV HQ.-

Informed that MMIA to become Army Sub-Commission of the Allied Control Commission.

Location	Main HQ	LEQUILE Q. 9257
	Adv HQ	SALERNO
	Outstations	NAPLES, BARI, CATANZARO, Rear EIGHTH ARMY, Col. F.L. SIMMONS HQ in Cagliari, SARDINIA; Also an LO with each of the two CORPS HQ in EIGHTH Army and with HQ 3 District.

Responsibilities of Adv HQ.

All questions affecting:

(a) Liaison with Commando Supremo.
(b) Liaison with all Sections and Sub-Commissions of A.C.C. Liaison with Navy and Air Force will be run by Main HQ.
(c) CC. RR. and RCP.
(d) Displaced persons incl ITALIAN soldiers of YUGOSLAV origin.
(e) Repatriated ITALIAN P.O.W.
(f) Propoganda and press censorship in relation to ITALIAN Army.

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23 March 1944.

Ref/53/126/CA.

SUBJECT: Evacuation of Refugees to Sicily.

TO : Lt. Col. Mills,
Italian Refugee Branch.

The attached correspondence is forwarded for information.

Maj DWeaver
Capt Talbot
Capt Bright

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/127/57/CA

23 March 1944

SUBJECT: Civil Post Office Services.

TO : Telecommunications & Posts Sub-Commission.

A copy of a letter from AMG 8th Army and a copy of our reply is forwarded for your information.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Subject: Civil Post Office Services.

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

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17 March 1944.

R.C. & M.G. Section,
Main H.Q., ACC
A.P.O. 394.

1. Reference is made to your 127/41/CA dated 11th March, 44, in connection with Civil Post Office Services available to the public.

2. It is observed that Eighth Army do not wish any Postal Services or civilian communications within the Eighth Army area, and it is accordingly requested that instructions to this effect may be issued to those areas where the Civil Post Office Services are functioning, to avoid mail being sent into the Army area.

Group Captain,
Officer Commanding, H.Q.
A.M.G. Eighth Army Main.

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Ref/127/54/CA.

22 March 1944

SUBJECT : Civil Post Office Services.

TO : CC, Hq. AMG 5th Army Main.

1. Reference your OA/141/of 17 March 1944 any mail posted to an address outside these areas where Civil Post Office services are functioning, as laid down in our 127/41/CA of 11 March 1944, will not be delivered and will be returned to the sender.

2. The sending out of instructions as requested in your letter under reference is therefore unnecessary.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/210/72/CA.

23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Laterza Printing Firm at Bari.

TO : Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q.

1. Reference your MGS 095 (Guis Laterza) of 23 Feb 44.

2. A strong case has been put forward by HQ. A.A.I. (Adm. Eds.) that, as a war necessity, the Allied Forces should continue to use the Laterza Printing Works in Bari.

3. Mr. Laterza, however, claims that there are other firms in Bari, now idle, which are capable of handling the work being done by his firm.

4. Mr. Laterza is being asked to implement this claim by naming the firms in question.

5. If, on the receipt of this information, HQ. A.A.I. (Adm. Eds.) are satisfied that suitable alternative printing facilities are available, they have agreed to release the whole or a part of the Laterza firm to enable it to perform the type of work suggested in the letter from the office of the British Resident Minister (reference 11/29/0 of 23 Jan 44) a copy of which was enclosed with your letter under reference.

6. A copy of letter from HQ. A.A.I. (Adm. Eds.) reference 14/4/Q2 of 17 Mar 44 is enclosed for your information.

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M. S. LUSH
Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: HQ. A.A.I. (Adm.Eds.) Ref. your 14/4/Q2 of 17 Mar 44.
P.W.B. (Mr. Minifie). With copy of HQ.A.A.I. 14/4/Q2
dtd. 17 Mar 44.

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Ref/340/27/CA. 23 March 1944

SUBJECT: Historical Monuments.

TO : SCAO 5th Army
SCAO 8th Army
RCAO Region IV
RCAO Region V

Reference memorandum AMG/601/12 7 November 1943 and letter AMG/601/70 12 January 1944.

1. Added are the following:

Serial 7 - Cistercian Abbey of Casamari in Province of Frosinone.
Serial 8 - Dominican Villa at Romeno
Serial 9 - Villa San Grolamo at Giesole
Serial 10- Casa de Virra via Chimbini eight Florence.
Serial 11- Institute Santa Raparata via Santa Reparata nine one Florence.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
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23 March 1944

Ref/283/65/CA.

SUBJECT: Allied Court in Unoccupied Territory.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section (For Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Reference your letter ACC/4002/L 20 March 1944.

2. The request contained in second par. has been complied with.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/276/59/CA. 23 March 1944

SUBJECT: Regulations in Italy.

TO : Administrative Section.

1. Attached copy of letter from AFHQ, MGS C10.5 of 20 March is forwarded.

2. Please provide the necessary information to this Section in order that a reply may be made.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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23 March 1944.

Ref/307/28/GA

SUBJECT: Discipline-Restrictions in Naples.

TO : R.C. Region III

1. Attached copy of Hq. AAI (Admin Sch) AAI/5063/21 1a (AS) of 20 March 1944, is forwarded for information.

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Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/143/61/CA.

23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Agricultural Survey - Beachhead.

TO : A.C.A.O. AAI: 5 Army.

1. Confirming conversation (Major Driffield-White - Lt.Col.N.B.Mayne) can approval be given for a visit to Anzio beachhead by Major Andrews, Agriculture Sub-Commission.

2. The officer is to make a survey with a view to determining number of livestock, their condition, probable seed and other material requirements in the event of possible food production this year.

3. Visit may extend over two or three days.

4. Would you please telephone reply to Vapour 158, confirming by letter.

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for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to Economic Section.

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Ref/125/18/CA. 23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Powers and Rights of Allied Forces and Allied Military Government in Unoccupied Italy.

TO : See Distribution Below.

1. HQ. A.A.I. (Admin. Echelon) C.M.F. has issued an Administrative Instruction to all Military formations outlining the situation in general terms and substantially as stated in memoranda from this HQ dated 23 Jan and 31 Jan already in your possession.

2. The following extracts are quoted for your information :

(a) Although there will be officers of the Allied Control Commission in unoccupied ITALY they will be there to advise and control the Italian Government and not as governors. One of the most important functions of the Regional and Provincial Officers of the Commission will be liaison between Allied Military formations in the area and the Italian administrative officials. All but the most routine dealings between the Italian administration and the Allied Military authorities must be conducted through the Commission. When the Italian Government is directly represented on a control board or committee, the Military may, of course, deal directly with that organisation without the intervention of the Commission.

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(b) Requisitioning.

The Allied Forces have retained the power and right to requisition private and public property and services in unoccupied ITALY - this right must be exercised sparingly and only for reasons of genuine military necessity. This right will be exercised through the Italian authorities. If, for example, a building is needed by the military it should be requisitioned through the Sindaco of the town where the building is situated, with the assistance of the Provincial Officer of the Commission. The usual formalities of requisitioning used in occupied territory should be strictly followed in unoccupied ITALY. The property of dissolved fascist societies must not be seized without giving a receipt and then only if required for reasons of military necessity.

(c) Allied Military Courts.

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As the Proclamation of the Military Governor ceases to operate in unoccupied ITALY, all crimes will normally be tried under Italian law and in Italian courts. The Allied Forces, however, have reserved to themselves the right to hold Allied Military Courts in unoccupied ITALY for the trial of civilians who commit acts seriously hostile [illegible] to the Allied Forces and to punish them in accordance with the Italian Penal Codes.

The reservation of this right is not intended to encourage the trials of civilian offenders by Allied Courts but only to deal with the most serious offences against Allied personnel or property which cannot be properly dealt with by the Italian Courts. If such an offence has been committed the Military Authorities should give a full statement of the facts to the local representative of the Commission with the request that an Allied Military Court be convened to hear the charges. It will be the responsibility of the Commission to frame the charges and constitute the Court.

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Consequent on reservation of the power to try such offenders there is reserved to the Allied Forces the power to arrest persons who are believed to have committed such offences. High ranking Italian officials and officers of the Italian Armed Forces should, however, only be arrested in collaboration with the appropriate Italian official (e.g. the Prefect or the Commanding Officer of the officer concerned). In all cases of arrest the agreement of the local officer of the Allied Control Commission will be obtained beforehand, except in an emergency, when he should be informed immediately after the arrest.

(d) The right is reserved by the Commander-in-Chief to declare specific areas in unoccupied ITALY to be Military Zones. Should the situation in any area become such as to convince the District Commander that such action is necessary, he should, after consulting the Regional Commissioner, report accordingly to HQ. A.A.I. giving full reasons to justify his view. It may happen that the local Italian authorities may ask for the assistance of Allied troops in quelling civil disturbances. If such request is made the local commander will point out that the quelling of civilian riots or disturbances is a matter for the Italian Administration and he will refuse such assistance unless he is of the opinion that it is necessary for the protection of Allied Military interests. Before rendering such assistance the local commander will warn the local official requesting his assistance that the territory in question will be made forthwith an Allied Military Zone. If time permits the local commander will consult the local officer of the Commission before giving assistance.

(e) Prisoners of War and Civilian Internees.

The Allied Forces may continue to hold or require the Italian Government to hold in Custody military or civil prisoners of war in unoccupied ITALY. If the Allied Forces require to arrest any person for security or other reasons such arrest should be carried out in collaboration with Italian officials unless in any particular case it is thought that a request to the Italian police to arrest a suspect would be ineffective. In all cases, except in emergency, the local officer of the Commission must be informed of the intention to make any such arrest, whether by the Allied or Italian authorities. If he is not in agreement the matter will be referred to higher authority. Normally such persons will be detained in 371 P.W. Camp.

(f) Process in Italian Courts.

No member of the Allied Forces may be prosecuted or sued in Italian Courts.

(g) The agreement now reached with the Italian Government makes the rights of the Allied Forces in the Provinces of Apulia identical with their rights in the areas recently transferred from Allied Military Government to Italian Government.

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3. The instruction emphasises that except where, in emergency, immediate action is required by the Allied Forces for their own protection and security, all action required from the Italian Administration should invariably be taken through the medium of the Regional or Provincial Commissioner.

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It is further notified that where immediate action is taken without previous reference to the Allied Control Commission for emergency reasons, the appropriate officer of the Commission will be informed as soon as possible.

4. It will thus be appreciated that HQ. A.A.I. are seeking to obtain the fullest co-operation between military commanders and the Allied Control Commission. It should be your constant endeavour to reciprocate.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

DISTRIBUTION:

All Regional Commissioners.
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Ref/283/65/CA. 22 March 1944

SUBJECT: Allied Courts in Unoccupied territory.

TO : R.C. Region III.

1. At the request of the Legal Sub-Commission, there is forwarded herewith two copies of our Directive 283/42/CA 5 March 1944.

2. You are requested to deliver one copy of this Directive to the R.L.C. Region ~~IV~~. III

MORGAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 317/10/CA.

22nd March 1944

SUBJECT : Civil Prison at Brindisi.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II.

1. Some weeks ago I informed Flambo that prison at Brindisi was available for military use a detention barracks. Instructions were given that it should be vacated by Italian civilians and Naval personnel.

2. I am informed that there are still 358 civilians and 49 Marines in the prison. Please arrange with the Italian authorities to have them evacuated forthwith and report when this has been done.

MSL.JC.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Public Safety Sub-Commission.
Legal Sub-Commission.
Navy Sub-Commission.

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Ref: 162/26/CA

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22nd March 1944.

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SUBJECT : Red Cross Clothing for Civilians.

TO : Vice President, Economic Section.

1. I refer to Freedom telegram 61093 of 9th March which was received here on 10th March.

2. It refers to clothing about to be or already shipped to this country for the civilian population. Hence my interest.

3. We were asked to reply as soon as possible after consultation with Jefferson of the American Red Cross. A memorandum from Captain Peyton dated 21 st March shows that the matter was bandied about from officer to officer for 11 days before a reply was sent. Eleven days is a long time for a person denuded of clothes to wait. Can something be done in such cases to hasten replies.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

MSL/JG.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 129/20/CA. 22nd March 1944.

SUBJECT : Freedom of Political Activities.

TO : Military Government Section,
Allied Force Headquarters.

1. I refer to your MGS: 000.1 of 4 March 1944 and am directed by the Chief Commissioner to state that the Regional Commissioner, Sicily, reports that SESSA Cesare and DIANA Paolo were released from prison on 8 January 1944. A full report on the reasons for their detention follows.

2. I should be gratefull for any further information regarding Fardella and Di Jesu. The only persons of these names so far traced in the records of Palermo prison were held for petty theft and not for any political reason. They have both been released.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

MSL/JG.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/127/34/CA.

22 March 1944

SUBJECT: Civil Post Office Services.

TO : CC, Hq. AMG 8th Army Main.

1. Reference your CA/141/ of 17 March 1944 any mail posted to an anddress outside these areas where Civil Post Office services are functioning, as laid down in our 127/41/CA of 11 March 1944, will not be delivered and will be returned to the sender.

2. The sending out of instructions as requested in your letter under reference is therefore unnecessary.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/65/42/CA.

22 March 1944

SUBJECT: Black Market Prosecution.

TO : Admin. Section (For Attention Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Reference this Hq. memorandum No. 65/41/CA of 16 March 1944 and attached extract from Region V report for the month of February 1944.

2. The Chief Commissioner considers that this case should have been prosecuted without regard to the extent to which an individual member of the Allied Control Commission might become involved. He desires your advise as to whether this case could be prosecuted successfully if reopened now.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to Region V
For Information
The legal Sub-Commission will deal with your Hq. direct with reference to the last sentence of above memorandum.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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22 March 1944

Ref/224/10/GA.

SUBJECT: Traffic in unauthorized Amassi Supplies by Italian Navy Personnel.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Hq. Region V.

1. Reference your R5/507/6 of 21 February 1944.

2. This matter has been investigated by the Naval Sub-Commission and attached copies of correspondence showing action taken is forwarded for information.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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22 March 1944

Ref/361/15/OA

SUBJECT: International Red Cross Message Service.

TO : AMG 5th Army (Field)

1. Reference your 14/1 of 17 March 1944. Arrangements for the International Red Cross Message Service are not quite complete, but it is expected that within 2 or 3 days full directions will be issued to the public through the Red Cross and the postal authorities informed by the Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 75/123/CA/

22 March 1944.

SUBJECT : Evacuation of Refugees

TO : Brigadier General, DD/CAO, AAI

1. Attention is called to para. 1 (e) of your letter AIH/jrs dated 13 Feb. 44.

2. Construction of the two mentioned (1,000 capacity) has been completed. I am most grateful. It is requested that the initial layout for 4,000 be continued with.

3. It is desired for other reasons (i.e. other than having capacity for the numbers as planned) to have this camp available with as little delay as possible. It is the only mobile camp which Refugee Branch has available, and in the event of the front moving forward it would form their total camp capacity in new locations, until such time as they could augment it with static camps, as they have done in this region (e.g. Aversa Asylum)

4. The Italian Military Staff, numbering 40 all ranks, for Capua Camp, is due here today, consequently they can be made available to PBS Engineers to assist in providing labour for this work. If required, a further 30 (Italian Military personnel) can also be made available temporarily.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to:
Italian Refugee Branch.

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Ref A26/8/CA. 22 Mar 44.

SUBJECT:- Office Equipment.

TO: Comandat ~~C.A.~~, FN., A.C.C.

1. Underwood typewriter No. 4327705-$\frac{46}{1}$ 12" carriage is submitted for repair and general overhaul.

2. The following defects are brought to your notice:-

Screw missing from right hand side of front bar,
Back spacer, Margin release and Shift lock out of order,
Left hand paper guide missing.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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22 March 1944

Ref/278/58/GA.

SUBJECT: General Order No. 6 and Proclamation No. 15

TO : V.P. Admin. Section (For Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Nine thousand (9000) copies each of General Order No. 6 and Proclamation No. 15 are now ready for distribution.

2. Will you please advise how you desire this distribution to be made.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/234/42/CA. 22 March 1944

SUBJECT: Venereal Deseane.

TO : Vice President, Admin. Section,
Regional Commissioner Region III

1. Further to this Hq. letter 234/31/CA of 16 March 1944.

2. Attached copies of note on V.D. by No. 3 District commander are passed for information of R.C. Region III, Public Health and Public Safety Sub-Commissions.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/13/23/CA. 22 March 1944

SUBJECT: Travel Orders.

TO : Adjutant, A.C.C.

1. Travel Order is requested in respect of the under mentioned YMCA lady to enable her to travel to Bari on or about 23 March 1944.

Mrs. N. COLMORE

2. Travel by M/A is requested.

NORMAN E. PISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/T/22/Cr.

21 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Car Requisition.

TO : A.C.C. Liaison, HQ A.A.I.

1. Reference your ACCL/76 of 4 Mar 44.

2. Royal Navy have agreed to return Marchesa di Monte Vivo her car less the tyres.

3. A signal has been sent to Bari ordering the immediate return of the car.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/357/40/CA.

22 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Prefect of Campobasso.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region V.

As requested in your R5/514/17 17 Mar 44, particulars of Signor LEONE are attached hereto.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/278/52/CA. 21 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Orders regarding Italian Nationals.

TO : Liaison Officer, H.Q. A.A.I.

1. Copy is attached of Executive Memorandum which is being sent out by this H.Q. to Regional Commissioners etc., at the request of the Legal Sub-Commission.

2. The reason for the request is that the Legal Sub-Commission wish to have for ready reference copies of all orders affecting matters on which they may be asked to give advice.

3. Would you please approach the appropriate officer at A.A.I. and ask whether we can obtain their cooperation in this matter and also what would be the best way, if they agreed to assist us, in sending out such a demand to Districts and Areas.

N.E. Pike

NORMAN E. PIKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/163/24/CA. 21 March 1944

SUBJECT: Accommodation - Command Pay Office CMF

TO : R.C. Region XII

1. Reference this Hq. letter 163/2/CA of 2 March 1944 and correspondence. Information has not been received, in response to our representations, that the Command Paymaster will accept "Instituto del Case Popolari" instead of one of the three other buildings originally suggested.

2. District Three Hq. has been instructed to arrange requisitioning and selection of suitable personnel accommondation.

3. Please give any assistance possible.

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/278/57/CA. 21 March 1944

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)
:
NUMBER 43)

TO: Regional Commissioners - 10 cn.
SCAOs 5th and 8th Armies - 5 cn.
P.R.O. for APB 5

The Legal Sub-Commission requires for its proper functioning a copy of all orders or other publications controlling conduct of, or prescribing any form of procedure with regard to Italian nationals. It is desired that you furnish to the Legal Sub-Commission copies of such orders and publications as may now be in force, and that in future you send a record copy to the Legal Sub-Commission whenever any such documents are published.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/166/12/GA. 21 March 1944

SUBJECT: Petition.

TO : R.C. Region II

1. The original and a translation of a letter received at this Hq. is forwarded with the request that a report on the matter be submitted as soon as possible.

2. Please return the original letter with your report.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/16120/791/G-1

NEF/mrd
21 March 1944

Lt. Col. G. H. McCaffrey
Regional Commissioner, Region II

Dear Colonel McCaffrey:

Captain R. M. F. Hawkin, who is now your Provincial Commissioner at Taranto, is due to return to the U.K. In the effort to find someone to replace him I have asked the War Material Disposal Subcommission to release Lt. Col. F. H. McCleary. I do not know him personally but from inquiry here he strikes me as being the sort of man you could use on that job. I am appending a penciled memorandum of his service.

The Subcommission does not wish to release him for another two weeks. I should like, therefore, to have your views as to whether or not you wish to have him assigned to you as replacement for Captain Hawkins.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/352/3/CA. 21 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : Tele-communications & Posts Sub-Commission.

Correspondence forwarded for comments and return.

NORMAN E FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Enclosure 1 to 451

Ref/289/14/CA. 21 March 1944

SUBJECT: Land Transfers.

TO : V.P. Administration Section (For Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Your memorandum of 6 March 1944 approved the attached General Order No. 23 as to form.

2. Will you please have an Italian language translation made of this and forward to us for printing, together with any other instructions or comments you have to make on the subject.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Reg/47/36/CA.

21 March 1944

SUBJECT: Administration Instructions and Reports.

TO : Hq. Region VI.

Reference your Hq/1019 of 12 March 1944. The draft documents forwarded to you under cover of ACC/42/3/Int dated 6 February 1944 were forwarded to you for information, they will soon appear in Booklet form together with other executive memoranda, on receipt of the booklet all necessary action should then be taken.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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21 March 1944

Ref/288/37/CA.

SUBJECT: Italian Legislation.

TO : V.P. Administration Section (For Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Reference ACC/4010/L of 10 March 1944.

2. The Finance Sub-Commission requests that paras. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 concerning R.D. Laws No. 69, 70, 71 and 72 and Ministerial Decrees of 25 and 27 February be included in the indorsement.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/139/21/CA. 21 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Repatriation - Entitled passaged.

TO : Director, Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

1. In reference to your IDP/57/633 of 9 March 1944 you are hereby authorized to grant "entitled passages" at your discretion for the movement of civilians by sea.

2. A record should be kept by you showing the name and nationality of persons for whom transport is provided which should be available for inspection by Director Finance Sub-Commission when required. Such records should contain sufficient information to allow the question of ultimate payment to be considered at a later date.

M. S. LUSH
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to Economic Section for
Finance Sub-Commission

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Ref/15/28/CA

NEF/mrd
21 March 1944

SUBJECT: Threatened strike of Electrical Workers

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I
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S.C.A.O., 5th Army
S.C.A.O., 8th Army

1. The following memorandum of telephone message from Regional Commissioner, Region II is quoted for your general information:

"Strike threatened at SILA Power Plant. Am sending Capt. Frazer, Labour Officer with the following message:

> There is a war going on. A continuous power supply is necessary for the Allied armies to carry on that war. Interruption of power supply is sabotage. Penalties for sabotage include death. There should be no strike, continue to work and if you have any grievances tell them to Capt. Frazer. If they are justified grievances we will do our utmost to remedy them.

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SILA Power Plant supplies Apulia and Foggia."

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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APO 394

Ref/92/9/CA

NEF/mrd
21 March 1944

SUBJECT: 1001 G.T. Co. (Italian)

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II

1. Reference is made to your letter Ref. ROA/40/27 of 16 March 1944. You have no responsibility in connection with the 1001 G.T. Company and will not take it over until it is ready for the road.

2. Maj. Craig's report is being given attention in this Headquarters with a view to expediting the action suggested.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/294/3/CA. 21 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Renewal of Passport.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II.

1. Reference your letter W/4/ of 13 Mar 44 and enclosure which is returned herewith, I am directed to say that the necessary machinery for effecting renewal of passports is being set up.

2. The applicant in this case should be informed that it will be necessary to await the re-opening of the Consulates of the Government concerned.

3. A record of the application should be preserved as the date thereof may materially affect the retention of nationality when the case comes up for official consideration.

for MILTON E. FISHER
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Copy for P.C. Lecce.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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NEF/mrd
21 March 1944

Ref/135/2/CA

SUBJECT: Financial Aid to Catholic Churches

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III

Reference is made to your letter of 15 March. The problem presented has received previous consideration by the Commission and it is the policy of the Chief Commissioner that rehabilitation of churches should remain the responsibility of the ecclesiastical authorities.

ROLMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Copy to Finance Sub-Comm

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

Ref/77/11/CA

NAF/mrd
21 March 1944

TO: General Rossi

Dear General Rossi:

In further reference to your letter to me of the 15 January in regard to Baron Carlo Triago of Trapani, I am happy to be able to inform you that after reinvestigation it has been decided to release him from internment. He will be returned from North Africa as soon as transportation is available and upon his arrival in Italy he will be permitted to return to his home.

Assuring you of my continued regard, I remain

Sincerely yours,

NORMAN A. FINKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/7/19/CA. 20 March 1944.

SUBJECT : Registration of Vehicles.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section.

1. In order to correct certain abuses that are believed to exist in the use of requisitioned transportation by members and employees of the Commission, it is desired to explore the possibility of having all such vehicles registered centrally, probably by the Public Safety Sub-Commission, and marked in a prescribed manner with the licence number furnished from H.Q. of the Commission.

2. If you agree in principle with this suggestion it will be appreciated if you would undertake to have a draft memorandum prepared on the subject by the Public Safety Sub-Commission.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/316/20/CA.

19 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Control of Movement.

TO : H.Q. Allied Armies in Italy.

1. In reply to your ACSF/1401/10/G(Ib) of 11 March 44, it is regretted that our circular letter on control of movement dated 12 March 44 and numbered 316/16/CA crossed your letter and appeared to conflict with your intentions.

2. It has always been the object of this H.Q. to render as much assistance as possible to the Army with the civil police at our disposal, but it is felt that complete restriction of movement between Provinces is not possible to enforce. Even in England, with an orderly population and efficient police force, this is not possible, and it is felt that in this country where the reverse obtains that it should not even be attempted, since the issue of orders which it is not possible to enforce will only bring authority into disrepute.

3. To this end therefore an order was issued lifting the restrictions on the movement of civilians in AMG territory south of the rear Army boundaries. It was also felt that this resumption of movement was essential in order to restore the economic life of the community, but a check has still been retained on vehicles.

4. Instructions will be issued to S.C.A.Os. 5th and 8th Armies requesting them to enforce most strictly the ten kilometer limit, and to Regional Commissioners to establish as many check posts as possible, in accordance with the requests contained in para.5 (a) and (b) of your letter. It is hoped that these steps will be considered sufficient without restoring the previous restrictions on movement, which for the reasons stated above would be against the policy of this H.Q.

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M. S. LUCAS
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Admin. Section - For Public Safety Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/45/33/CA.

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)
:
NUMBER 42)

19 March 1944.

FINANCING OF OPERATIONS OR PROJECTS IN WHICH SUB-COMMISSIONS HAVE AN INTEREST

1. This memorandum will outline the procedure to be observed by all Sub-Commissions in the financing of operations or projects in which they have an interest.

2. In territory now under the control of the Italian Government (Regions I, II, VI and Salerno Province in Region III), the Finance Sub-Commission does not consider requests for funds for individual purposes. The Finance Sub-Commission exercises control over Italian Governmental expenditures through an examination of the Italian Government's consolidated budget covering all Governmental activities. Accordingly, the provision of finance for particular purposes should be discussed by the interested Sub-Commission with its opposite number in the Italian Government. When the Sub-Commission and Ministry concerned are in agreement, the Ministry will then arrange with the Minister of Finance for consideration of the item with a view to its being included in the Italian Government's consolidated budget.

3. In territory under Allied Military Government (Regions III, IV, V and the two Army areas) a Sub-Commission interested in a particular project involving expenditure of funds should, in conjunction with the appropriate Regional officials, consult with the Italian official or Governmental agency having jurisdiction over such work or activity in the Region. When it has been agreed that the proposed expenditure should be undertaken, it will be the responsibility of the appropriate Italian official to include such expenditure in the proper budget (State, provincial or communal). Control over the total volume of expenditure is obtained through examination of such budgets by Regional Finance Officers.

4. Nothing in this instruction shall be deemed to alter the procedure in effect in forward areas under control of AMG Fifth and Eight Armies, in those circumstances where direct AMG finance has to be provided.

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M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner

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4. Nothing in this instruction shall be deemed to alter the procedure in effect in forward areas under control of AMG Fifth and Eight Armies, in those circumstances where direct AMG finance has to be provided.

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M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner

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N O T E: The last Executive Memorandum generally issued was No. 33 dated 27 February 1944.

All Executive Memoranda will shortly be published in a book which is now in the press and which will include all missing numbers.

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

Ref/125/15/CA. 19 March 1944

SUBJECT: Outlying Islands - CAPRAIA & GORGONA.

TO : R.C. Region VI

1. Reference your letter "Detachments in Outlying Islands" of 13 February 1944, M.G.S. AFHQ have now agreed that the officers in question should be placed under command of Region VI and should function through the Region.

2. This letter will be regarded as authority for taking the Islands under command for Military Government purposes.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to G-1

Officers concerned are Lt. P.A. WOOD (Caprain)
2nd Lt SCARIANO - attached from
Reg. IX (Gorgone)

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

Ref/3/62/CA.

20 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transfers of Officers of the R.Finance Guard.

TO : Admin. Section - For Public Safety Sub-Commission.

Reference the attached copy of memorandum from the Ministry of Finance, No.3403 dated 17 Mar 44, will you please submit your comments so that a reply may be made.

NORMAN E. FIEKS
Colonel.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Regional Control and Military Government Section

19th March 1944.

Ref: 133/28/CA.

Subject : Requisitioning of Papal Seminaries.

To : Military Government Section,
Allied Force Headquarters.

1. I am directed by the Chief Commissioner to refer to your MGS 601 of 15 March 1944 and to ask that correspondence on this subject should be addressed to the Allied Control Commission at whose headquarters distribution will be affected.

2. Put briefly, the urgency of operational needs is pressing. The attitude of the ecclesiastics at a low level, i.e. Bishops, is co-operative; at a higher level, i.e. Archbishops, it is obstructive. Alternative accomodation at Molfetta is definitely available and at Benevento probably available; the prospect of successfull negotiations is nil unless further instructions to the Archbishops are sent from the Vatican. In my telegram 2130 of 15 March I have already asked you to do this.

3. Broadly speaking, the Archbishops realise that we do not intend to use force and are playing a game of bluff. The result is as you say that the seminaries are not being placed at the disposal of the medical authorities.

Brig[illegible]53,
Executive Commissioner.

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

Ref/56/26/CA. 19 March 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Government Message Traffic.

TO : Director Tel. & Posts Sub-Commission.

1. In reference to your T3/4/18/32 of 12 March 1944 your draft which is returned herewith was referred to the Establishments Branch of this Section who have made some amendments in pencil.

2. It is thought that unless you have already done so the draft should be submitted by you to the authorities concerned for their approval wherever necessary, such as for example the Military authorities with regard to para. 1(a) and (b), and the Political Section with regard to para. 5 of Appendix B.

3. Pending your reply the letter to Region VI is being held in this office so that the instructions may be sent to them in final form.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

19 March 1944.

Ref/302/72/CA.

SUBJECT: Clothing for Carabinieri.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission.

1. It is understood that General Pischo has caused to be submitted to you full demands for all necessary clothing and equipment for the Carabinieri under his command.

2. It will be realised that many of these CC.RR are operating in Army areas whilst a large number are being held in readiness for a certain emergency. The standard of turnout of many of these men is very low, and such that it is considered will militate against their efficiency.

3. It is therefore requested that sufficient priority be given to these demands to enable at least 4,000 CC.RR to be properly clothed and equipped at the earliest possible date.

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

Copy to: Admin. Section (for Public Safety Sub-Commission)
SCAO 5 Army.
SCAO 8 Army.

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

Ref/288/35/CA. 19 March 194-.

SUBJECT: Allied Property in Sardinia. (PIERCY)

TO : R.C. Region VI

1. You are requested to furnish the Property Control Sub-Commission with:

(a) A Copy of Gazette Ufficiale No. 6 of 26 February, containing a decree of the Prefect of Nuori, Sardinia dated 23 December 1943 appointing one Sig. Oscar Salmon sequestrator of a large estate belonging to an English subject, Benjamin Piercy.

(b) Copies of the correspondence between ACC and the Italian Military Commissioner of Sardinia, mentioned in the preamble of the decree.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/288/34/CA.

19 March 1944

SUBJECT: Allied property in Sardinia (Piercy)

TO : Director, Property Control Sub-Commission.

1. Ref. yours ACC/2021/CP of 16 March 1944.

2. The request contained in par. 2 of your letter is complied with.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Float 1137

Ref/127/48/CA.

19 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Civil Postal Services.

TO : Army Sub-Commission (Main H.Q.)

As requested by Rear H.Q. Army Sub-Commission, copy of memorandum 127/41/CA dated 11 Mar 44 relating to Civil Post Office Services is forwarded for your information.

NORMAN E. TISCH
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

19 March 1944.

Ref/120/34/OA.

SUBJECT: Release of Partisan Yugoslavs from Italian Reformatory School.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II.

1. Herewith copy of memorandum from Displaced Persons Sub-Commission dated 13 Mar 44.

2. Will you please make the necessary investigation and submit a report on the situation of the four persons concerned.

NORMAN E. PITTS
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
AFO 394

18 March 1944.

Ref/7/14/CA

SUBJECT : Requisitioning of M.T.

TO : H.Q. A.A.I.
(Adm Echelon)

Ref 57/Q2 of 1 Mar 44.

1. Herewith is a copy of the Decree issued by the Italian Government (English translation attached).

2. The enforcement of this decree will place the Italian Government in possession of information that will enable requisitioning to be controlled .

3. Any further decrees published on this subject will be notified to you.

for NORMAN H. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Incl
As above.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394.

Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 231/27/CA. 19th March 1944.

SUBJECT: Cleaning of Towns and Villages.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I (10)
" " Region II (10)
" " Region III (4)
" " Region IV (4)
" " Region V (4)
" " Region VI (4)
" " Region VIII (1)
" " Region IX (1)
S.C.A.O., AMG, 5th Army (1)
S.C.A.O., AMG, 8th Army (1)

1. I enclose herewith copies of correspondence from G.O.C., No.3 District.

2. Cleanliness in towns and villages is of such importance in the matter of public health and in the interests of Allied troops that every opportunity should be taken to urge the Italians to better efforts. The action taken by G.O.C. No.3 District will be of tremendous help to Provincial officers and I should like Regional Commissioners to suggest to the District HQ. in their Regions that similar action should be taken wherever it is possible. Only by the closest co-operation between Allied military medical authorities and the Italian authorities under the advisory control of the A.C.C. can we get this country into a state fit for Allied troops. If we neglect for one moment our bounden duty in this matter the country will be black with flies, buzzing with mosquitoes and our hospitals will be full of dysentery and malaria cases.

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3. Regional Commissioners and their medical staffs have a very great responsibility in this matter and must see that in the coming hot weather they do not fail.

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Brigadier,

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M S Lush

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to: Public Health Sub-Commission.
Secretary General.

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Maj-Gen A.L. Collier,
Headquarters,
No.3 District,
C.M.F.

7.Mar.44.

Some notes on the 3 District Conference about the cleaning of towns have been sent to you under our letter 196A dated 2 Mar. I hoped that after the Conference we should have been able to send you something a bit more helpful, but the more I think of it the more it seems to be a matter of District, Area, Town Majors and units - or groups of units - forming their own committees and getting down to it with the local Italian authorities. I am very keen too that these committees should deal not only with cleaning up their towns and villages, but should also supervise all anti-malaria activities. If we have two sets of committees for these two purposes there will be over-lapping and waste of effort.

Col STOTT of 1 IRTD has made a most successful start on cleaning up his local villages and I attach some notes from him as to how he has set about it.

I am trying to find out from AMG/ACC exactly the legal action we can take against Italian civilians who fail to obey the sanitation regulations, and will let you know the answer.

As to extra pay for Italian sanitation personnel, Col CRICHTON, Director of Public Health, Region III, has undertaken to go into this. But it will take time and I am sure the immediate answer is for units to engage local labour on the authority of Area Commanders as described in para 3 of Stott's letter.

I shall put down cleaning/anti-malarial work on the agenda for the next Commanders Conference so that Area Commanders can make verbal reports as to the progress achieved, difficulties encountered and new suggestions for coping with the problem.

(SGD) A. L. COLLIER.

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COPY.

Subject: Measures for improving Hygiene and Sanitation in Billets and elsewhere.

3 District
Tel. Ext 18
96/A

2 Mar 44.

"A" 57 Area.
"A" 94 Sub Area

ACC

1. The G.O.C. is much concerned with the state of cleanliness existing in the towns and villages in the District. Almost everywhere there are dumps of refuse, decaying vegetables and filth. In a few weeks time the weather will be getting warmer and these dumps will prove a ready breeding ground for flies.

If the health of the troops is not to be impaired, it is essential that steps be taken NOW to clean up all towns and villages where troops are stationed. This can only be done by every officer and other rank doing his bit. The excuses that a unit is only in temporary occupation or that it is already too busily employed will not be accepted. Man power is much too valuable to run any risks with, an extra hour or two of overtime now may save three or more weeks in hospital later.

2. Existing arrangements.

(a) Military. Units are responsible for cleaning up their own billets and for burning or burying refuse.

(b) Civil. In towns there was in peace a system of street cleaning and garbage collecting under the Podesta. In NAPLES this system has been revived by ACC and PBS and some progress has been made, but not enough. In country towns and villages, although ACC have issued instructions, very little clearance of refuse has been done. The difficulties are:

(i) Shortage of man power
(ii) Low wages
(iii) Lack of transport to remove refuse
(iv) Uncontrolled dumping by householders

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3. Action to be taken on military premises.

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(iii) The troops must be told of the reasons and necessity for cleaning up and keeping billeting areas clean.

(iv) The unit Anti-Malarial squad can combine this with their other duties and they can do a lot to help, but they will require considerable assistance, especially at the outset.

(v) It is permissable to engage labour and clean up areas round billets. These labourers must be properly supervised, or they may merely move the refuse out of sight.

4. Assistance to Civil Authorities.

(a) All units must be prepared to afford some assistance to the Civil Authorities. This can best be done by forming small committees to discuss the best means of help. The committee should consist of:

The Town Major or where none exists.
The senior military officer
A medical officer
Civil Affairs Officer
The Italian Mayor

(b) The loaning of transport by units for carrying refuse is obviously unpopular, but it will have to be done.

(c) Units must insist that their recommendations are carried out by the Italian authorities; only by frequent repetitions can any result be achieved. Civil penalties exist for civilians who fail to carry out instructions given by both ACC and Military authorities. Details of these will be forwarded later.

(d) The GOC on a recent visit to the IRTD CERVINARA saw an example of what can be done to clean up villages. Notes on the methods employed will be forwarded, but a personal visit to the IRTD would be of even more value.

5. Combination of Hygiene and Malaria Committees.

The work of Hygiene and Malaria Committees is so inter-related that they should be regarded as one and work as such.

6. In order to keep a check on progress it will be necessary for monthly reports to be made. These reports should contain:

(a) A survey of work carried out.
(b) Amount of transport that has been used. How difficulties in its provision have been overcome.
(c) Details of extra labour employed.
(d) Any recommendations and suggestions.

7. It is again emphasised what a potential danger to the health of the Forces exists in the present filthy conditions. Every officer and other rank must be told of this and of the necessity for helping all he can to get things better.

(Sgd) I. LOURIE,
Colonel, IC Adm.

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

Ref/361/10/CA.

19 March 1944.

SUBJECT: British and American Red Cross.

TO : All Regional Commissioners & S.C.A.Os. 5 and 8 Armies.

1. For the guidance and direction of all officers of the Allied Control Commission, this directive sets forth the relationship between ACC and the American and British Red Cross Societies.

2. The assistance of the American and British Red Cross Societies is on a voluntary basis. Both groups are distributing clothing through indigenous welfare agencies, with the aid of the Italian Red Cross. The Red Cross Socieities have accepted the responsibility of supervising distribution and performing such welfare activities among the needy populace as ACC may direct. Red Cross participation is of a temporary nature, since it is desired to have local agencies ready to assume the responsibility of caring for themselves in a very short time.

3. Red Cross personnel, assigned to assist ACC in the discharge of their responsibilities are not to be placed in charge of any set program. Red Cross personnel are under the direction of the Allied officers to whom they are assigned and will take orders within the framework of Red Cross policy, reporting regularly to the officer responsible for their work as to the progress or completion of the assignment.

4. One member of the Red Cross staff in each Region will be designated by the Red Cross Director as Regional Supervisor. Through him submissions of reports to Red Cross office will be made. It is understood that the contents of such reports will have been discussed with ACC officers before the Supervisor submits them to Red Cross Headquarters. The Supervisor will also have the responsibility for clearing with ACC officers the details of service in his Region. A member of the Red Cross staff attached to the Italian Refugee Branch, or to the Displaced Persons Sub-Commission, will be designated by the Red Cross Director to undertake similar duties to those of the Regional Supervisors. 2840

5. Red Cross workers will participate in the following :

(a) Joint preliminary planning, for present and future relief operations, in cooperation with ACC.

(b) Surveys of relief needs in cooperation with divisions of ACC (particularly the Sub-Commissions of Public Health and Welfare and Displaced Persons, and the Italian Refugee Branch of R.C. & M.G. Section).

(c) Assisting and advising with ACC on specialized relief projects, particularly with women and children and civilian hospital service

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(c) Assisting and advising with ACC on specialized relief projects, particularly with women and children and civilian hospital service, in cooperation with the other activities of ACC.

(d) Supplying advisory services to ACC on matters pertaining to relief and Red Cross activities which may be of value to the overal administration of the territory under occupation.

(e) Liaison with the Italian Red Cross and/or other indigenous local agencies in the planning for use of their personnel, facilities, and supplies in present and future operations.

6. For the Red Cross to exercise properly these functions, ACC accepts the responsibility for :

(a) Billeting and messing ARC and NRC War Relief Staff on assignment.

(b) Transportation and travel orders of Red Cross Staff, if necessary.

(c) Office space, clerical aid and other assistance as necessary for the proper prosecution of their duties to the extent it is possible for ACC to provide.

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

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Ref/302/72/CA.

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19 March 1944. H-31

SUBJECT: Rations for CC.RR.

TO : Admin. Section - For Public Safety Sub-Commission.

The attached copy of AQ/2 dated 12 Mar 44 is forwarded for information.

NORMAN E. FELT
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/56/27/CA. 20 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Signal Security.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I.

1. Reference your letter RTC/311.2 of 6 Mar 44.

2. It would be inferred from para.1 above reference, No.1 District and I.B.S. approve the re-opening of the civil telegraph system within Sicily.

3. Before compliance can be made with request made in para.3, it is necessary we have written approval from No.1 District and I.B.S. of this proposal, for forwarding to H.Q. A.A.I. Please furnish us with these written approvals.

NORMAN E. FEKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/283/53/tA. 20 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Allied Courts in Occupied Territory.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section - For Legal Sub-Commission.

1. Reference your letter AGC/4002/1. of 17 March 44.

2. The request contained in para.2 of the above reference has been complied with.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/283/62/CA. 20 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Allied Courts in Occupied Territory.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region IV.

1. At the request of the Legal Sub-Commission, there is forwarded herewith two copies of our Directive 283/42/CA of 5 Mar 44.

2. You are requested to deliver one copy of this Directive to the R.L.O. Region IV.

NORMAN E. FIELD
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/C3/43/CA

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20 March 1944

SUBJECT: Correspondence Procedure

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III

1. Reference is made to your letter 3/6146/L of 10 March 1944; the Chief Commissioner has directed me to emphasize that correspondence with Commanding Generals, Armies, Base Sections and Districts on matters of policy is a function of this Headquarters. Regional Commissioners must not address them direct.

2. The Chief Commissioner is always desirous to have the views of Regional Commissioners on policy matters but it is essential that action, as it affects the Allied Armies in Italy, be taken only by him.

NORMAN E. FIKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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

Ref/234/ /CA. 20 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Venereal Disease.

TO : H.Q. 2 District, C.M.F.

1. Reference your 9543 M dated 14 Mar 44.

2. As requested, five additional copies of this H.Q. memorandum 230/15/CA of 9 Mar 44 are forwarded herewith.

NORMAN E. FEICK
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. Section
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Ref/166/6/CA.

18 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Petitions.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region V.

Will you please expedite report called for in this H.Q. memorandum reference 166/4/CA dated 24 Feb 44.

NORMAN E. MISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref /3/58/CA.

19 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. AMG 8th Army.

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref/3/57/CA.

19 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region III

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HERMAN E. PIEPE
Colonel Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region V

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NORMAN R. FISKE
Colonel Cavalry
Deputy Executive
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Ref/364/2/CA. 19 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Return to SICILY from SUHLIN of the Reverend Francesco SCOZZARI.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I.
Admin. Section - For Public Safety Sub-Com.
Security Branch.

The attached copy of A.F.H.Q. memorandum B-389.506/A1 of 13 March 1944 is forwarded for information.

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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VISITS OF ALLIED JOINT COMMISSION PERSONNEL TO ARMY AREAS AND REGIONS.

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Visits to Army Areas will be limited to official business and, in the case of personnel not posted/assigned or attached to AMG 5 or 8 Armies, will not be made without prior approval having been obtained from either S.C.A.C. 5 Army or S.C.A.C. 8 Army.

Personnel who have received permission to visit the Army Areas are reminded that they must go there in transport suitable for any touring that they may have to do there. S.C.A.C's 5 and 8 Armies cannot provide Jeeps for visiting officers.

Personnel visiting Regions and Provinces should wherever possible give prior notice, especially if they wish to be present at any H.Qs. for meals or to spend the night. They will always report their presence and their activities to the senior officer of any Region or Province in which they are working.

Accommodation is very limited, especially in the Army Areas, and officers must take rations and bedding with them.

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Ref/302/70/CA. 19 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Enlistment into Carabinieri.

TO : Admin. Section for P.S. Sub-Commission.

1. The following letter has been received from Region VI Sardinia :

"An investigation of the position shows that in Sardinia 43 members of the Highways and Port Militia have been admitted into permanent service with the Carabinieri.

They are disposed as under :

At CAGLIARI:	1 Capitano	At OLBIA:	1 Maresciallo
	1 Maresciallo		11 Militi
	28 Militi		

The Carabinieri consulted all agree that there is considerable dissatisfaction among the regular Carabinieri because of the admission of these men. The reasons are that the Militia men are reported to be strong Fascists and cannot be trusted to do their job impartially, but show favours to their friends. It is further added that the public has no confidence in them. They wear the same uniform as the Carabinieri except the lapel insignia is worn on the lower part of the sleeve. "

2. This matter was discussed (Col. Young - Col. Shipp) and it is agreed that these 43 members of the Highways and Port Militia should not be allowed to continue to serve in the Carabinieri.

3. Will you please take the necessary action.

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

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Ref/302/72/CA. 29 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Cooperation of Italian Forces.

TO : H.Q., A.A.I.

1. In reply to your ACSF/1402/3/G(Ib) of 29 Feb 44, it is regretted that though much has occurred, this action is contrary to instructions issued to the CC.IT or any other Italian officials in King's Italy. The correct procedure is for any order which is required to be sent from King's Italy into AMG territory to be despatched in an open envelope through AMG channels.

2. Action is being taken by this H.Q. to prevent any recurrence, if possible, of such events, and this particular incidence is being taken up.

M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: AFHQ & Army - Would you please say what action has been taken by you in this matter.
Public Safety Sub-Com.(thru' Admin. Section) with copy of ACSF/1402/3/G(Ib) of 29 Feb 44.
Land Forces Sub-Commission.

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18 March 1944.

Ref/314/26/CA

SUBJECT : Arrest of Civilians.

TO : Regional Commissioners, Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VIII, IX, and SCAOs of 5th and 8th Armies.

1. Further to this Hq 314/19/CA of 12 March 1944, and the enclosure ACSF 1401/7G(IB) of 2 March 1944 it is requested that this Hq be informed of the arrest of Civilian Officials in the following categories:

Prefetti

Vice-Prefetto Vicario

Vice-Prefetto Ispettore

Consiglieri

Direttore degli Affari Religiosi

Sindaci in towns over 15.000.

immediately such arrests are effected with copy to Administrative Section.

2. The report should show:

(a) Full name

(b) Office held and grade

(c) Date of arrest

(d) By whom arrest was ordered

(e) By whom arrest was made

(f) Brief statement of reasons for arrest with special note regarding

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and SCAOs of 5th and 8th Armies.

1. Further to this Hq 314/19/CA of 12 March 1944, and the enclosure ACMF 1401/7G(IB) of 2 March 1944 it is requested that this Hq be informed of the arrest of Civilian Officials in the following categories:

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Vice-Prefetto Vicario

Vice-Prefetto Ispettore

Consiglieri

Direttore degli Affari Religiosi

Sindaci in towns over 15.000.

immediately such arrests are effected with copy to Administrative Section.

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(a) Full name

(b) Office held and grade

(c) Date of arrest

(d) By whom arrest was ordered

(e) By whom arrest was made

(f) Brief statement of reasons for arrest with special note regarding the application of the principles of parms 2 & 3 of the above quoted ACMF letter.

(g) Location of arrestee and date of report.

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NORMAN E. FISKE,
COLONEL, CAVALRY,
DEPUTY EXECUTIVE
COMMISSIONER.

COPY TO : Admin Section (5)
HQ A.A.I. (5)

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Ref/25/23/CA. 18 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Communications with the Vatican.

TO : Regional Commissioners, Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VIII, IX.
S.C.A.Os. 5th and 8th Armies.

1. New instructions have now been received from AFHQ regarding communications with the Vatican.

2. Communication facilities by mail and radio with the Vatican can be made available to ecclesiastical authorities only in Italy, Sicily and Sardinia, subject to the following provisions :

(a) The Communications must, for the present, originate only South of the Northern boundaries of the Provinces of Bari, Potenza, Avellino, Salerno or in Naples City and Benevento town.

(b) All communications will be restricted to ecclesiastical matters.

(c) No communication will be permitted direct with the Vatican, but both mail and radio must always be passed through AFHQ.

(d) Radio messages may be written in the English language only, must be addressed "FREEDOM FOR INC", and dispatched in clear franked "FHL".

(e) Letters need not be written in English, but must be addressed "CARE OF INC SECTION, AFHQ".

3. The procedure to be followed by Regional Commissioners to implement the above instructions will be as follows :

(a) The communications will be transmitted by the representatives of the Roman Catholic Church to the Provincial Commissioner of their Province who will forward them to their Regional Commissioner.

(b) Regional Commissioners will dispose of the communications as follows :

(i) Mail will be addressed as stated in para. 2 (e) and forwarded by normal official mail service.

(ii) Radio messages will be forwarded to ACC Signals, Naples,

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S.C.A.Os. 5th and 8th Armies. VI, VIII, IX.

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(b) All communications will be restricted to ecclesiastical matters.

(c) No communication will be permitted direct with the Vatican, but both mail and radio must always be passed through AFHQ.

(d) Radio messages may be written in the English language only, must be addressed "FREEDOM FOR INC", and dispatched in clear franked "FIL".

(e) Letters need not be written in English, but must be addressed "CARE OF INC SECTION, AFHQ".

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(b) Regional Commissioners will dispose of the communications as follows :

(i) Mail will be addressed as stated in para. 2 (e) and forwarded by normal official mail service.

(ii) Radio messages will be forwarded to ACC Signals, Naples, franked "VATICAN MESSAGE", in addition to "FIL" vide para. 2 (d) above.

4. The necessity for restricting the volume of communications is emphasised. No indication may be given to the ecclesiastical authorities as to the time required to transmit communications.

5. The above arrangements supersede all previous instructions on the subject.

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6. Regional Commissioners of Regions I and II will please note that the instructions contained in AMG 327 of 27th January 1944, and 25/6/CA of 11th February 1944, are hereby cancelled. It will be seen that the new facilities apply to only one of the three categories of mail dealt with in the instructions which are now cancelled. The two services which are now no longer available through Vatican channels (private communications other than Church mail and Prisoner of War mail) are provided for in this HQ Memorandum 127/41/CA of 11 March 1944.

7. Regional Commissioners will arrange to acquaint the civil and ecclesiastical authorities in their Regions with the contents of paras. 2 and 6 above.

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

Copy to: Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.

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18 March 1944.

Ref/105/14/QA

SUBJECT : Property of Arrested Persons.

TO : Administrative Section
(for Legal Sub Commission)

1. Ref your reference ACC/4834/1. of 16 March.

2. The request contained in para 5 is being complied with.

3. It is suggested that, in the future, you might find it more satisfactory to draft the type of letter which you might desire, in such cases. If so, we will be glad if you will submit such a draft with your request.

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NORMAN R. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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18 March 1944.

Ref/105/13/CA

SUBJECT : Property of Arrested Persons.

TO : H.Q. A.A.I.

1. There have arisen a number of complaints in several regions of the Military Police, officers and enlisted men, of disposing of firearms and other property seized at the time of arrest of civilians who are charged with offences to be tried by Allied Government Courts. At the time of trial such property has often disappeared and cannot be produced at the trial of the accused. This failure to produce such evidence often prevents the Court from arriving at a proper adjudication of the case.

2. It is requested that you issue an order to the Military Police, and all other military personnel concerned, requiring all property of arrested civilians be held for disposition of the Allied Military Courts and subject to disposition in accordence with decision of these courts.

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

Copy to : Admin Section
(for Legal Sub Commission)

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18 March 1944.

Ref/47/30/CA.

SUBJECT: Titles of officers.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region IV.

Reference your R4/211 (G) of 27 February 1944.

1. "Operating Staff" mentioned in para 2 (b) of our 47/18/CA of 24 February 1944 refers to HQ Admin. officers, as examples given were intended to indicate.

2. Executive Memorandum No.21 of 15 February 1944 announces the titles of Heads of Special Divisions in Regional and Provincial AMG/ACC Staffs.

3. Where there is more than one officer in a Special Division of Regional or Provincial H.Q., these officers may be referred to by you as "Deputy" or "Deputy Assistant" e.g. Regional Supply Officers, Deputy Regional Supply Officers, Deputy Assistant Regional Supply Officers, according to assignment.

4. It must be understood that the application of any such title may not be considered as admitting any claim to advancement in military rank.

5. It is hoped that the foregoing clears up any doubt you may have had in this matter; a hard and fast ruling hardly appears desirable or necessary.

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

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BY FAST AIR

Ref/160/39/CA.

18 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Int. Administration - Italian Government.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region VI.

1. The following cable was despatched to you today with reference to the attendance of Major Alexander :

"Administration Course Italian Government AC 197 refers Pd Alexander Major will miss all essential lectures Pd Suggest attends complete second course commencing 6 April Pd Look at our 160/18/CA 13 Mar current "

2. A copy of our 160/18/CA of 13 Mar 44 is enclosed for easy reference.

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NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/20F/32/CA.

18 March 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Legislation.

TO : V.P. Admin. Sect. (For Legal Sub-Commission)

1. Ref. ACC/4070/L of 10 March 1944.

2. The Finance Sub-Commission requests that pars. 3 and 4 of the above reference letter, concerning R.D. Laws Nos. 65 and 67 be included in the Indorsement.

NORMAN F. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/309/45/CA.

18 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Improper Permits to obtain foodstuffs.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III.

1. Further to this H.Q. letter 309/39/CA of 1 Mar 44, copy of Regional Order No.19 - Region III clarifying the position as regards permits in general is forwarded for information.

2. The terms of this order have, we are informed, been passed to all C.A.Os and it is hoped that further trouble should not arise.

HERMAN E. PIBEL
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Encl.
As above.

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Ref/79/40/CA.

18 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transfer of Officer - Major H.M.Fiore, C.M.P. (A)

TO: S.C.A.O. AMG 8th Army.

1. It is understood that you had requested consideration of the transfer of the above named officer from 5 Army AMG to 8 Army AMG.

2. S.C.A.O. 5 Army AMG has intimated that he would be glad if Major FIORE could continue as C.A.O. SIENA.

3. Would you, therefore, say whether you still maintain interest in the transfer of this officer, or whether the matter may be allowed to rest for the time being.

for Brigadier Provost Marshal

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

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Ref/293/11/CA. 18 March 1944

SUBJECT: Laws Concerning Hotels.

TO : V.P. Administrative Section.

1. Reference yours 013/1/AS 10 March 1944.

2. The Economic Section has considered the question raised, and recomends adoption of such legislation, if same is not covered by R.D. Law No. 142 of 14 March 1942.

3. It is suggested the matter be referred to the Legal Sub Commission and it is recommended the procedure suggested in par 3a of the Legal Sub-Commission memorandum of 9 March 1944 be adopted; if the Legal Sub-Commission is of the opinion R.D. Law No. 142 of 14 March 1942 does not now apply.

4. See par. 3 of Ind. 1 ref. ours 293/10/CA 13 March 1944.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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18 March 1946.

Ref/120/19/OA.

SUBJECT: Yugoslav Refugees.

TO : Major Attayer.
Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

Reference attached correspondence, would you please pass this to Displaced Persons Sub-Commission for a report in order that a reply may be given as soon as possible.

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

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18 March 1944.

Ref/340/25/CA.

SUBJECT: Archives.

TO : Econ. Section - Attention : Major Thompson.
Admin. Section - " : Major White.

1. With reference to paragraph 8 of the Minutes of the Conference held on 14 March 1944, the attached memorandum of Major White should be discussed by you with your Sub-Commissions so that you will be in a position, at the next Conference to be held, to express their opinion as to whether they are willing to adopt this system or not.

2. Sufficient copies are attached to enable you to distribute to your Sub-Commissions.

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

Copy to: Mr. Hilary Jenkinson. } For information.
Capt. Collins.
Capt. Braybrooke.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/340/28/CA.

28 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Archives.

TO : Econ. Section -- Attention : Major Thompson.
Admin. Section -- " : Major White.

1. With reference to paragraph 2 of the Minutes of the Conference held on 14 March 1944, the attached memorandum of Major White should be discussed by you with your Sub-Commissions so that you will be in a position, at the next Conference to be held, to express their opinion as to whether they are willing to adopt this system or not.

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Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Mr. Hillary Jenkinson.
Capt. Collins.
Capt. Newbrooke.
} For information.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/3/54/Ca.

17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region III

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/302/54/DA.

16 March 1944.

Subject: Clothing for Agenti Sicurezza.

To : V.P. Admin. Section.
(Attention: Public Safety Sub-Commission).

It has been decided that clothing and food for members of the Agenti Sicurezza will be provided out of civil stocks. They will receive a ration which is as nearly as possible the equivalent of the CC.RR and Guardia di Finanza scale.

C. W. I. SHIPP

WILLIAM E. WISER
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to V.P. Economics Section for Food Sub-Commission.

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Ref/ 5/56/GA.

17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region V

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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17 March 1944.

Ref/316/10/CA.

SUBJECT: Control of Movement

TO : R.C. Region III.

Ref. your PS/17.5 of 15 March 1944, copy of our 316/6/CA of 21 February 1944 is forwarded as requested.

NORMAN E. FREE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/353/13/CA 17 March 1944

Subject: Prefect of Naples

TO : R.C., Region III

A reply is still awaited to our 6/45/CA of 14 February 1944.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/3153/CA

FLP/mrd
17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Bonnasera Guiseppe

TO : Administrative Section
(for Legal Subcommission)

1. Reference ACC/4083/L of 27 Feb., forwarded herewith is the file in this matter.

2. The Executive Commissioner advises he does not propose to take further action in this case.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/126/G/CA.

16 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Office Machinery.

TO : G-4.

1. Reference Routine Orders, No.2 dated 6 Mar 44.

2. The following British typewriters are in the possession of Civil Affairs Branch and the Office of the Executive Commissioner :

Imperial	18"	Z.083173
"	12"	Z.065825
"	12"	Z.064690
"	12"	Z.065278

for Enfield Lt Col
Major GS

NORMAN E. FEKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/127/45/CA.

16 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmission of Correspondence - Italian.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region VI.

1. Reference your HQ/1041 of 12 Mar 44.

2. Since there are civilian postal facilities between your Region and the Mainland, these facilities must be used for all Italian correspondence.

3. Failure to use these facilities causes difficulties in regard to censorship.

4. The two packages carried by Capt. Bean have been sent to the addressees in this instance.

/s/ Norman E. Ethes
NORMAN E. ETHES
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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R.C.A. & M.C. SECTION
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0 Hqrs/394.

17th March 1946.

Ref 177/5/38.

Subject:- Major Nichols, Provincial Commissioner, Silesia.

TO :- Regional Commissioner, Region II.

The Chief Commissioner directs that the attached memorandum be forwarded to you for record and for any further comments that you may have to make on Major Nichols' services in connection with the military tragedy.

[redacted]

for Deputy Executive Commissioner.

Encl.

Copy to:- C.I. (1) for information & record.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
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EI/mrd
Ref/155/21/CA 17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transfer of Communes from Matera to Potenza

TO : Vice President, Administrative Section

1. Reference your 040-1/AS of 7 March, a report is requested of the action you have taken as a result of the Chief Commissioner's directions on this matter.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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163/13/CA

17 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Inquiries.

TO : R.C. Region III.

Please make inquiries to find out who is occupying two cottages on the "Buria-Pia" estate. A report on the subject contained in attached correspondence is required together with your recommendation to reach this Hq. by 20 March 1944.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/127/46/CA

FLP/mrd
17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Displaced Persons - Correspondence

TO : Displaced Persons Subcommission

1. Communications Censorship Branch, INC Section, AFHQ, and M.G. Section of AFH request that instructions be issued that all mail written by displaced persons in Italy, under your charge, shall be placed in the Italian civil post. Correspondence may not be addressed to the enemy or enemy occupied countries except thru the medium of the Red Cross.

2. You are requested to circularize this information in written form.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/271/37/CA

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17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Military Labour

TO : HQ., ACMF (Adm. Echelon)

1. Reference your 82/82 of 27 February 1944, attached hereto is a copy (translated) of the circular concerning the special session of examinations for military personnel.

2. It is confirmed that there is no need for the release of any personnel for preparatory study. The examinations will take place again at a later date for the benefit of those unable to take them on 15 March 1944.

3. It is regretted that the reply to your memo has been delayed.

NORMAN B. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ROYAL SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENCY OF NAPLES.

Prot. n. 1990 Naples, 10 February 1944.

SUBJECT : Extraordinary session of examinations.

TO : Headmasters and Principals of the Royal Secondary School of Naples and Province

An extraordinary session of examinations for admission, promotion, qualification, graduation for junior schools and graduation for senior high schools, is stated herewith.

Only the candidates who are in one of the following conditions are admitted in this session:

a. soldiers who could not take examinations in any session of the two ones of 1943, because of being in military service.

b. soldiers who could take examinations, without obtaining approval, in one session only of the two of 1943, because in military service.

c. soldiers who could not terminate all the examinations after having passed some of those, because in military service.

d. civilians who returned in Italy from abroad or from overseas on a date after 15 May 1943 and who, despite their right, could not take examinations in one or in both the two sessions of 1943, because of the present events of war.

e. civilians who, despite the fact they were in national territory, could not take examinations in one or in both the two sessions, because of the afore-said reasons of war.

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For the candidates who took examinations in one regular session only and were plucked or sent back to the other session, the extraordinary session takes the place of the Fall session. In such case, the ones, who partook only in the first session, are admitted to pass, in the extraordinary session, both the examinations for which they were sent back to the Fall session and the examinations in which they were eventually absent with justification.

For the candidates who, having partaken in both the two sessions, could not pass, in the second session, always because of mili-

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tary reasons, all examinations to which they were admitted, the examinations will be those which were not passed.

The soldiers, who, after having partaken in the first session of 1943 in the place of a second session took ex-novo examinations in the Fall session and were plucked, can partake in the extraordinary session in the place of a second session.

The candidates, who are in one of the afore-said conditions and who intend to take examinations in the extraordinary session, must forward within 29 February current, a demand in stamped paper of Lit. 6 to the Royal Institute in which they intend to pass the examinations.

A paper, which proves the reasons for which the admission is requested, must be added to the demand.

The Headmasters must communicate the list of the examinations to be passed to all who are requesting for it.

The candidates, who are regularily listed in the ordinary sessions of 1943, must not pay any fees for these examinations. Furthermore, they are not requested to forward, in addition to the demand, the other requested papers in the case of they being still handed by the Institute.

The examinations will take place, from 15 March 1944, according to the orders of the Ordinance Ministeriali 15 April and 19 August 1943 and of the Circular of this office dated 5 November 1943.

The Headmasters, who receive, within the prescribed date, some demands for examinations of graduation, must communicate to the Royal School Superintendent the names of the candidates, within three days from the falling of the same date.

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As to the formation of the Boards of examinations (excepting those fro graduation which will be nominated by this office), and the operations of examinations, the afore-said orders are in force.

The Principals of the Institutes in which the examinations for graduation will take place, must communicate, together with the informations of the number of the candidates, a list of the regular and extraordinary professors (with the information of the year of extraordinary teaching) of the upper classes, in succession of seniority in service and classified for matters of teaching.

The Royal School Superintendent

F. SCAGLIONE

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Ref/138/23/CA 17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Liaison

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II

1. Reference Executive Memorandum No. 26 dated 24 February 1944, under paragraph 1 of which R.C., Region II was appointed Liaison Officer to No. 2 District.

2. It is desired to know whether any officer of your staff has been designated under the provision of paragraph 2 of the Executive Memo. and if so, what directive has been given to him in respect of Liaison duties.

3. You will have received Hq. No. 2 District letter A 146 of 3 March 44. Your reply to that would probably constitute a reply to this letter. Could we please have a copy.

L Dilfield Fiske Major GSC

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/223/9/CA. 26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Expenditure on Italian Merchandise by Allied Troops.

TO : H.Q. A.A.I.(Admin. Echelon).

1. Reference your 126/Q2 of 20 Feb 44 and of 6 Mar 44, and AFHQ's AG 331.3-2 MGS-AGM of 3 Feb 44.

2. Very careful consideration has been given to this problem by representatives from this Headquarters, Peninsular Base Section, and 57 Area, as a result of which the Base Section proposes to adopt forthwith the following measures:

(a) To establish prices for luxury and souvenir goods offered for sale in Naples on the basis of prices two years ago, plus a percentage not yet finally determined which will represent the increase in prices of basic commodities during the two year period. In establishing these prices the Base Section will work in close consultation with Headquarters, Region III, and this Headquarters.

(b) To inspect the shops frequently to determine whether prices higher than the maximum established prices are being charged.

(c) To post notice "Off Limits to Military Personnel" on all shops which persist in charging more than the established prices.

3. The success or otherwise of these measures will be carefully watched with a view to their possible adoption in Rome and other large cities.

4. With regard to the establishing of Central Markets in which approved dealers would operate, and of which the patronage would be limited to personnel of the Allied Forces, it is felt that if the measures outlined in para. 2 above are vigorously handled, the problems will be largely solved. In any case the Base Section is unwilling to make further policing arrangements at the present time.

/s/ Norman E. Fiske
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to
MGS AFHQ
57 Area
Region III
Chief Liaison Officer.

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R.C. & M.P. Section
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16 March 1944.

Ref/212/10/0A.

SUBJECT: Black Powder.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I.

1. Reference your letter RCO 471.5 dated 1 Dec 43 with regard to request from S.O.A.O. RAGUSA for sample of black powder, which was forwarded to Region II for compliance.

2. Samples and details as at 4 Feb 44 have at last been obtained from the 211 Italian Division.

3. There are available at POZZO PIENATELLI :

Black Powder	up to No.1	3,572 kgs.
" "	up to No.2	15,666 "
" "	misc. up to No.1	11,050 "
" "	" up to No.2	5,244 "

Miscellaneous means black powder not of a homogeneous nature, derived from emptied cartridges, mines, etc.

5. It is regretted a reply has not been forwarded to you earlier, but owing to the move of this H.Q. the file in question was not to hand at the receipt of Region II letter.

5. Please advise this H.Q. if you have any further interest in this commodity.

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

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Ref/251/11/CA.

16 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Civilian Supply Accounting.

TO : Finance Sub-Commission.
(Attention : Lt.Col. Miller)

1. Reference the proposed courses of instruction in the above subject, to be given to other regional staffs by Major Hall of Region IV, replies of regions to this office letter 251/4/CA of 25 Feb 44 have been received as follows :

(a) Region I - Officers cannot be released to attend a course owing to pressure of work.

(b) Region II - Not possible to collect officers for course but would appreciate if tour of centres could be arranged or notes of lectures be prepared for distribution.

(c) Region III - Request attachment of Major Hall for a period during March.

(d) Region VI - (Sardinia) Request attachment at a date convenient.

2. As arranged in telephone conversation (Lt.Col.Miller-Major Driffield-White speaking) this is to consult you with regard to the possibility of attempting to meet the wishes of the regions in this matter.

3. No communication has yet been sent to Region IV or Major Hall, pending your reply.

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NORMAN M. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/271/36/GA.

16 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Accommodation.

TO : H.Q. Allied Armies in Italy,
(Admin.Echelon).

1. Reference your 30/7/Q2 of 7 Mar 44 there are forwarded herewith two lists giving details of schools and university buildings urgently required for educational purposes.

2. It is realised that in most cases these lists can only be used as a guide for the action ordered by you in the last sentence of your memorandum, but the Chief Commissioner thinks that you may be able to take immediate action with regard to the University Library at Bari and, that, should No.1 District H.Qs. move from Catania, the buildings in that city could be derequisitioned.

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Admin. Section.
(For attention Education Sub-Commission)
for information with reference to your
ED/3.10 of 10 and 11 Mar 44.

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16 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Carabinieri for Sicily.

TO : Executive Commissioner.

Reference 3.

1. Many previous demands have been made for the use of this force of Carabinieri, but they have all been requests for loans. This is the first time that a permanent withdrawal has been envisaged, and Brig-General Hume does not recommend permanent withdrawal of 200 Carabinieri from his Rome Party for duty in Sicily.

2. Although the Germans are reported to have disbanded the Carabinieri in Rome, it is probable that many will emerge from hiding a few days after occupation, and provided that the question of uniforms for these men can be settled, it is probable that the numbers thus available as reinforcements would more than compensate for the 200 which it is proposed to withdraw now. I sympathise with General Hume's reluctance to release the men asked for, but the need in Sicily is an urgent one and it is not considered that the suggestion in the last para. of his letter to employ Italian soldiers in their place will be acceptable.

G.W.I.SHIPP
Lieut.Col.

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16 March 1944.

Ref/21/23/01.

SUBJECT: Security Check on Italian Officials for Supply.

TO : S.C.A.O. AFW 5 Army.
(Attention: Major Ames)

May a reply now be given please as to whether the two names forwarded by the Italian Government for assisting in supply arrangements for AMG (OMG) under letter ACC/65/Int of 6 Mar 44 have been passed by CIC, P.B.I.

NORMAN E. FIEKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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16 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Window Repairs.

TO : G-4.

1. Please note that as a result of the raid on Tuesday night one window has been broken in Room 47 and two in Room 49.

2. Could arrangements please be made to have these repaired.

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

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Ref/282/ /CA.

16 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Regional Orders.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of copies of Regional Orders Nos. 20, 21 and 22 .

2. You are requested to furnish copies of these orders to the Legal Sub-Commission, also copies of all future orders.

NORMAN E. FIKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/120/26/CA

TFS/mrd
15 March 1944

SUBJECT: Yugoslavs

TO : HeadQuarters, Region VI

1. Reference your FS/1521 of 12 March 1944, the following is a paraphrase of message No. 62972 of 9 March from A.F.H.Q., cite FHOCT to Advance Force 133; The result of enquiries made here on receipt of your SD/252 indicates that there has been great exaggeration in the reports given to you. The facts as known here are as follows: Approximately 21 working Companies totalling about 4200 men of Slovene and Croatian origin were in Sardinia until recently. All but one of these Companies have now been sent to Corsica to work under Allied supervision. The remaining Company is being organized for work with American service groups. There are estimated to be 800 men of Slovene and Croatian origin in the other Italian Army formations in Sardinia. On information available here, no delegations from the Royal Yugoslav Government have visited the island and the Partisan delegation should be informed accordingly and told that it is not feasible to carry out their proposals for discussion with the Advisory Council and for the despatch of a mixed Commission.

2. As there is some contradiction between the above report and the interim report submitted by you it has been repeated to you in order that the final report referred to in your third paragraph may clear matters up. Please forward your report at a very early date.

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:
MG3, AFHQ

For information with reference to your message No. 61805 of 8 March, a copy of the report from Region VI is attached.

for Brig. Gen.

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Boat 380

Ref:/3/50/GA. 14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Dental Equipment and Supplies.

TO : Canadian Section, G.H.Q. 1st Echelon.

1. Reference your 56/17/Eqpt & Sup/1(Dent) of 29 Feb 44.

2. The loan of the six dental chairs in question is extended for a period of two months.

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/s/ Norman E. Fiske
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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NEF/mrd
14 March 1944

Ref/288/21/CA

SUBJECT: Italian Legislation

TO : Legal Subcommission

1. In accordance with paragraph 3. e. of Administrative Section Memorandum of 4 March 1944, subject: Italian Legislation, the consolidated return, with respect to Gazzetta Ufficiale Numero 10 (of memorandum of 5 March 1944) is as follows:

The Agriculture Subcommission requests that RD LAW 25 Feb. 1944, No. 63 be made effective in occupied territory.

The Finance Subcommission requests that RD LAW No. 10 of 26 Feb. 1944 be made effective in occupied territory.

Other Subcommissions: Nil.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/47/28/CA. 14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Executive Memoranda.

TO : S.C.A.O. 5 Army AAF.

Reference your 212/4 of 10 Mar 44.

1. All Executive Memoranda are being published in book form and on completion copies will be issued to you.

2. In the meantime attached are copies of Executive Memoranda Nos.18, 21, and 26 which directly affect you. No.14, 20 and 24 have not yet been issued.

NORMAN E. FIELKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/283/48/CA.

14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Disposal of Property in possession of arrested persons.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region IV.

Reference our 283/48/CA of 8 March and your R4/250.5(P) of 6 March 44.

1. The Chief Legal Officer advises that a new legal handbook will cover the subject of confiscation and disposal of property found in possession of accused persons or the proceeds thereof.

2. The Chief Legal Officer further advises that the subjects raised in para.2 of your letter arise so infrequently as it is thought unnecessary to bring the subject to the attention of H.Q. ACMF.

NORMAN E. FINKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/28/4/CA

NEF/mrd
14 March 1944

SUBJECT: ACMF Adm. Instruction No. 1

TO : S.C.A.C., 5th Army

1. Reference your letter CA/S/2/3A of 8 March 1944, the military designations C.A.C. and D.C.A.C. are not new and it is not deemed desirable to ask ACMF to change them.

2. It is suggested that it might be preferable for you to employ the term Provincial Officer rather than C.A.C. in order to avoid confusion. Such designation would also facilitate subsequent transfer of territory to executive control. & Regional

By Command of Lieutenant General MASON MacFARLANE:

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:

S.C.A.C., 5th Army

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Ref/181/10/CA

NEF/mrd
14 March 1944

SUBJECT: American Academy in Rome

TO : Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q.

1. With reference to your letter 386.2 of 29 Feb. 44, the Chief Commissioner has asked me to say that the disposition of the American Academy in Rome has been discussed with the Commanding General designated Rome Garrison and with the S.C.A.O. 5th Army, A.M.G. Subject to military exigency it is not proposed to use the American Academy in Rome for any purpose except possibly for Monuments, Fine Arts and Education. The matter is, however, purely one of operational requirements and no assurances can be given to the Trustees of the Academy.

For the Chief Commissioner:

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/82/7/GA.

14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Personnel.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region V.

1. Orders were issued on 6 Mar 44 to R.C. Region II that the following officers should report to you with the least practicable delay :

Major	C.O.Sturgis	(B)
Major	W.J.MacCallum	(B)
Capt.	T.S.MacKenzie	(B)
Capt.	F.C.Bader	(A)
Lt.	E.F.Boltzer	(B)
Lt.	T. Marsh	(B)
Lt.	W.T.Boone	(A)
Lt.	J.G.Henshaw	(A)

2. It is notified for information that :

(a) Capt. MacKenzie is in hospital but will report when released.

(b) Major MacCallum is required to continue certain duties for a temporary period but will be relieved as soon as he can be spared from these duties.

for HERMAN E. EISIE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/219/11/CA. 14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Mail Transport.

TO : Economic Section.
Internal Transportation Sub-Commission.

The attached copy of CA/125 of 11 Mar 44 is passed to you for your information.

NORMAN E. FISH
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/155/20/01a. 14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transfer of Consumer from Matera to Potenza.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II.

1. Reference your A/3012 of 24 Feb 44.

2. This matter has not been settled yet but, for your information, the Vice President, Administrative Section, has been instructed by the Chief Commissioner to report on the matter and to take it up with the Italian Government.

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

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Ref/309/43/GA. 14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Permits.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region V.

1. Please see copy letter attached.

2. Would you ask the Liaison Officer (Col. Baker) to take up the matter of "CHARLES BELLACICCO" mentioned in para.4 with a view to preventing further action by that officer, and similar action by other officers, except as may be mutually arranged by yourself and the Commanding Officer, XII A.F.B.C.

NORMAN E. PEEK
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/30/67/CA. 14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Capt. Elmer E. Bennett.

TO : G-1.

1. It is requested that this officer may be transferred from his present duties with AMF 5 Army for duty as an Archivist at A.C.C. HQ as soon as possible.

2. A suitable replacement must be found for Capt. Bennett to take his place in Fifth Army.

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

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
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Ref/312/ /CA

15 March 1944

SUBJECT: Civilian Internees -
371 PW Camp

TO : Economic Section

1. Attached correspondence is passed for attention of Internal Transportation Subcommission.

2. Please inform this Section of action taken.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
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Ref/342/S/CA

ET/mrd
15 March 1944

SUBJECT : Arrangements for Property Control in 8th Army Area

TO : A.M.G., HQ., 8 th Army Main

1. The Controller of Property, Region V, has been made responsible for all property control arrangements within your area.

2. He has been instructed to work in consultation and by agreement with you.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel Cavalry
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to:

Region V
V.P., Adm. Sect.

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Ref/3/52/CA

ET/mrd
15 March 1944

SUBJECT: Correspondence from King of Italy to Italian General Officers, Prisoners of War in India

TO : INC Section, A.F.H.Q.

1. The enclosed correspondence is passed to you for onward transmission.

2. The usual P.O.W. mail service from Naples has not been used in this instance because the correspondence is from the King of Italy.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:

Region III
Ref. TD 152/4 of 12 March 1944

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Ref/268/26/CA

FLP/mrd
15 March 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Legislation

TO : Vice President, Adm. Sect. (for Legal Subcommission)

1. Reference paragraph 3 c, Administrative Section Memorandum 47/AS of 4 March, this communication supplments ours of 268/21/CA, 14 March.

2. The Finance Subcommission requests that decrees published in Gazzetta Ufficiale No. 9 of 23 February, Numbers 6, 12, 13 and 14 be made effective in occupied territory.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/21/24/CA

15 March 1944

SUBJECT : Feeding of Rome by Sea.

TO : D.Q.M.G., H.Q., A.C.M.F., (Adm. Sch.) CMF.
(for Lt. Col. Cooper)

1. It will be recalled that at a meeting at Adv. H.Q. on about 20 Dec. 43. General Robertson ordered that the plan be proceeded with for the allocation of schooners and coasters to be loaded with food and held ready to proceed to Rome for feeding the civil population.

2. The plan was proceeded with involving 41 coasters of 2000 tons capacity and 8 coasters of 8000 tons.

3. On Feb. 10 the 8 coasters were taken away to Sicily and unloaded and put on other work.

4. This entirely upset the plan and it is submitted that a fresh plan properly co-ordinated by the Operational Forces has become urgently necessary.

5. To this end Major Cate (AMG Fifth Army) and Major Clanville (Internal Transportation Sub-Commission) will attend any meeting you desire to convene for the purpose.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel Cavalry,
Deputy Executive,
Commissioner

Copy (2) : AMG 5 Army
Food Sub-Commission
Internal Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 73/94/CA 15th March 1944.

SUBJECT : Displaced Persons, Yugoslavs - Closed Camp at Bari.

TO : Military Government Section,
Allied Force Headquarters.

I refer to your MGS - 254 dated 12th March 1944.

I have discussed the question with the local security authorities. It will be unnecessary to evacuate the static part of this camp. They do not carry on business from the camp but are permanent residents therein. Evacuation would involve the necessity of building a far larger camp elsewhere. I therefore recommend that the authorities on the spot, realising the desiderata, be allowed to arrange the camp in the best manner possible. They are trustworthy people with much experience.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

MSL/JC.

Copy to: Displaced Persons Sub-Commission,
c/o HQ, No 2 District, C.M.F.

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Ref/141/15/CA

15 March 1944

SUBJECT: Burials

TO : O.C. No. 70 Squadron, R.A.F.

1. Reference your letter 70S/757/196/P1 dated 5 Feb., forwarded herewith are Burial Return forms No. W5314, duly executed as requested.

2. Also forwarded, in duplicate, are copies of a report of Lt. F. G. Geach, to this office dated 7 March, relative to this subject.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/105/11/CA

FLF/mrd
15 March 1944

SUBJECT: Property of Arrested Persons

TO : Administrative Section (For Legal Subcommission)

1. Reference yours ACC/4043/L of 12 March and ACC/4002/L of 10 March and ours of 283/47/CA of 5 March, there is an apparent direct conflict between paragraph 3 of yours 10 March and yours 12 March.

2. You are requested to clarify your position and state concisely what is desired.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/289/13/CA 13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Land Transfers.

TO : SCAO, Region III.

1. Reference is made to your letter dated 1 March 1944, on this subject (Ref: 3/6046/L).

2. The Executive Commissioner, by General Order No. 23 dated 12 March 1944, has removed all restrictions on leases and the transfer of lands.

3. This order is now in process of being published and will shortly be forwarded your office.

NORMAN F. PIKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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13 March 1944.

Ref/293/10/0A.

SUBJECT: Law Concerning Hotels.

TO : Economic Section.

1. Investigation and report back to this Section is requested on paragraphs 2, 3, and 4 of letter 013/1/AS dated 10 Mar 44 from the Administrative Section to this Section.

2. It is believed the proposed order would serve a good purpose, as past experience has shown property owners use every means possible to increase house rents, and such an order would serve as a deterrent.

NORMAN E. FIELD
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Reports.

TO : Administrative Section.
Economic Section.

Herewith copies of SCAO 5 Army, SCAO 8 Army and R.C., Region III Reports for February, for your information.

NORMAN R. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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13 March 1944

Ref/47/25/CA

SUBJECT: Executive Memoranda No. 11.

TO : Administrative Section (For Attention Legal Sub-Commission), Rear HQ ACC.

Reference your ACC/4015/L of 27 February 1944 would you please inform this section if the draft memorandum is now ready for the approval of the Executive Commissioner.

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

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Ref/47/26/CA 13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Executive Memoranda.

TO : R.C., Region I.

1. Reference your RSD 319.2 of 2 March 1944.

2. All Executive Memoranda are being printed and issued in book form; when ready, copies will be forwarded to you.

NORMAN F. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/72/11/CA.

14 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Displaced Persons - Communications, Records and Enquiries.

TO : Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q.

Reference this H.Q. memorandum No.72/11/CA of 6 Mar 44 and your Message No.63857 of 13 Mar 44, a copy of DDP/75/350 of 12 Feb 44 is forwarded herewith.

M. S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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APO 394

Ref/GS/5/CA

NEF/mrd
13 March 1944

SUBJECT: Discipline

TO : Commanding General, 3 District

1. The Chief Commissioner has asked me to acknowledge receipt of your letter attaching correspondence of Major H. H. Nichols, Provincial Commissioner, Potenza Province.

2. The letters are, of course, improper both in form and in tone. Major Nichols immediate superior has been informed and has been requested to report the action which he is taking.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/88/4/CA

NEF/mrd
13 March 1944

SUBJECT: Correspondence with 94 Sub Area

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II

1. I am sending you copies of correspondence concerning Major H. H. Nichols, Provincial Commissioner, Potenza Province. The correspondence is self explanatory. I should like to have an early report of your action in the matter in order that I may advise the Commanding General, 3 District.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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A COPY

SUBJECT:- Discipline.

3 District
Tel Ext 17
146 A
2 Mar 44

Main HQ
ACC

1. Attached are two copies of letters written by Major H. H. Nichols, SCAO POTENZA Province, to 94 Sub Area.

2. It will be appreciated if steps are taken to clarify the position of SCAO of a province vis-a-vis the Area Commander.

3. You will surely realize that letters of this kind do not make for good co-operation.

s/ I Caine
Maj Gen
Comd

HBT/EJF

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COPY

A M G

Potenza 24 Jan 44

To : HQ 94 Sub-Area

From: Major H H Nichols SCAO Potenza Province.

Subject: Vehicle Requisition

Ref your 0248 dated 22 Jan 44

1. You do not appear to appreciate the position. The truck RE109105 was acquired by AMG NOT by a civilian. It was being driven by a civilian to bring foodstuffs to the Communes of LATRONICO and LAGONEGRO who could hardly be expected to work if it were not for his own gain.

2. The Italian have NO rights to seize a truck under AMG control. Other arrangements cannot conveniently be made for the carriage of these foodstuffs and AMG is the authority to make the decision.

3. It is not proposed to 'ask' the Italian Government for help.

4. A copy of your letter and my reply has been sent to No 2 District and to AMG Reg 2 HQ

(sd) H H Nichols
Major
SCAO Potenza Province

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A M G
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
POTENZA PROVINCE

TO HQ 94 SUB AREA

FROM MAJOR H H NICHOLS SCAO POTENZA PROVINCE

SUBJECT: Civil Hospital POTENZA

Reference your Q 288 dated 20 Jan 44

1. GOC No 2 District has given instructions that no Civil Hospital is to be requisitioned except with AMG authority

2. The a/m letter is the first official notification I have received on this matter.

3. I have instructed the Director of the Civil Hospital that he is not to allow the move to commence without written orders from me (Copy my letter sent to 48 Town Major and Registrar 16 C G H)

4. AMG permission will be given if and when my medical officer is satisfied that satisfactory alternative arrangements can be made for accommodating the Civil Hospital, which is the only one in this Province.

5. Any further correspondence on the matter should be made through the normal channels namely via Reg 2 HQ

(sd) H H Nichols
Major
SCAO POTENZA PROVINCE

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NEF/mrd
13 March 1944

Ref/227/1/CA

SUBJECT: Issue of Ration Cards

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I
" " , Region II
" " , Region III
" " , Region IV
" " , Region V
" " , Region VI

1. It appears from the records of the Food Sub-Commission that many more Italians are being fed through the rationing system than was anticipated in planning for the supply of food to be furnished. The Commission would like to have your personal and independent estimate as to what you consider should be the percentage of the population in your region to which ration cards should be issued, bearing in mind the predominatly agricultural nature of the occupied portions of Italy. Please expedite.

By Command of Lieutenant General MASON MacFARLANE:

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Ref/160/18/CA. 13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Interior Administration.

TO : Regional Commissioners,
Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VIII, IX.
S.C.A.O. AMG 5 Army.
" " 8 Army.

1. Further to this H.Q. 160/15/CA of 8 Mar 44, para.4, it has been decided that an interval of 7 days will be allowed between each course.

2. The instructional period of first course will be 16 - 28 March, both days inclusive. Officers will report on 15 Mar as originally instructed, rejoining their units on 29 Mar..

3. The second course will, in consequence of para.1 above, commence on 6 April and continue until 18 April, officers reporting to Executive Commissioner at 1430 hrs on 5 April 44.

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

Copy to: Vice President, Admin Section (2) includes
one copy for Interior Sub-Commission,
H.Q. Commandant, HQ. ACC (Rear) Salerno.

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NEF/mrd
13 March 1944

Ref/83/5/CA

SUBJECT: Discipline

TO : Commanding General, 3 District

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 18/3/CA. 13th March 194.

SUBJECT: Enlistment of Italians in Yugo Slav Army.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I.

1. During your visit last week you raised the question of recruitment of Italians for the Yugo Slav Army which is now taking place in Sicily. Marshal Badoglio has raised the same question with the Chief Commissioner (see letter attached).

2. The Chief Commissioner directs me to tell you that the only Italian personnel who may be recruited by the Yugo Slav authorities are Italians of Slav origin who are not in the Italian armed forces: moreover, the permission of the Allied Control Commission must be obtained in all cases.

3. You should inform the Yugo Slav authorities now in Sicily of this ruling and you may tell them that the principle is under consideration by the Allied Governments.

4. The names and details of persons whom they wish to recruit should be reported to you and forwarded to this HQ for scrutiny.

W.S. Lush
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

WSL/JK.

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Copy to: Secretary General.

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Ref/174/3/11A. 24 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Lectures - Instructional.

TO : C.O. School of Administration.
C.M. Training Centre, C.M.F.

1. Reference SCA/A/1 of 26 Feb 44, I am instructed by the Chief Commissioner to say that he welcomes the opportunity of assisting instruction on the lines quoted.

2. The officer designated for the duty is Major T. HOWELL (American), acting as Chief Instructor of the Military Government School in North Africa.

3. This officer will report to you on the date stated. Would you please give location of school and directions for reaching.

NORMAN H. PIKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: S.C.A.C. 5 Army AEF.
Major T. Howell.
ACC Liaison Officer, HQ ACSF.

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Ref/180/5/CA.

12 March 1944.

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SUBJECT: Translation of Evidence and Proceedings.

TO : H.Q., A.C.M.F. (Admin.Sch.) (GSI(b))

1. F.S.S., C.I.C., S.I.B. and other Intelligence organisations make investigations in territory administered by the Italian Government which result in arrest and subsequent prosecution in Italian Courts.

2. Statements in such cases are given in Italian and taken down in English. Reports handed to the Italian authorities are in English.

3. The Italians have no personnel capable of translating these reports into Italian. They will be encouraged to provide translators: but this will be very difficult and it would facilitate matters, and probably produce better results in Court, if Italian version of the investigation, either original or translation, could be provided by the Intelligence organisation initiating the matter.

4. This may not always be possible but an attempt should be made to do so in the interests of justice and rapidity in dealing with the cases in Court.

M. S. LIGHT
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Legal Sub-Commission.
Admin. Section - to approach Italian authorities with view to action as in para.3.

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CONFIDENTIAL

Ref/314/19/CA.

12 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Arrest of Civilians.

TO : R.C. Region I (15)
" " II (12)
" " III (6)
" " IV (9)
" " V (4)
" " VI (4)
" " VIII (2)
S.C.A.O. 5 Army (4)
" 8 Army (4)

Attached is copy of letter issued by H.Q. AMF reference AMF/1401/7/G(Ib) of 2 March 44, forwarded for information and continued cooperation, especially in view of the second part of para.1.

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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COPY

Subject: Arrest of Civilians: Co-operation between Security/ Counter-Intelligence Organisation and A.C.C.

Headquarters,
Allied Central Mediterranean Force

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ACMF/1401/7/G(Ib)

2 Mar 44

Fifth Army.
Eighth Army.
1 District.
2 District.
3 District.
P.B.S.
I.B.S.

1. Throughout our operations in SICILY and ITALY, emphasis has been laid on the need for I(b)/C.I. staffs and F.S./C.I.C. personnel to work in the closest co-operation with A.M.G. in all matters involving security action affecting civilians, particularly civil officials.

In general, this co-operation has been achieved with satisfactory results, both parties being usually ready to appreciate the interests or point of view of the other.

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This does NOT refer to cases where Italian civilians, other than officials, are charged with security offences.

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3. The above principles should normally be applied also in the Regions under Allied Military Government, excluding Fifth and Eighth Army areas.

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AMG/1401/7/G(Ib)

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5. In territory administered by the Italian Government, security arrests should be effected, whenever possible, through the Italian authorities.

(Signed) ????????
For Lieut.General,
Chief of General Staff.

Copy to: SARDINIA Garrison.
G-2, A.F.H.Q.
Executive Commissioner, A.C.C.
16 F.S. Section.

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RMF/292/4/GA.

12 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Trial of Enemy Agents.

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

1. A letter has been sent by C.C.S. AMGF to the Executive Commissioner urging the necessity for setting up a Special Court to deal with spies, and requesting furthermore that the matter be treated as of great urgency.

2. It has been agreed that this Court shall be set up forthwith to work on the West of the Appenines consisting of the following members :

Major Campbell	-	Region I.
Major Elder	-	Region IV.
Major Waugh	-	Region IV.
Lieut.Graziano	-	Region IV.

3. Colonel Young has nominated a Security Officer to act as Prosecutor before the Court, and has stated that Capt. Hare or Lieut. Gale are now in touch with Lt.Col.Gibson.

4. The Court should be convened as a standing Court and should have it's H.Q. at CASERTA. It will act under the general orders of the Chief Legal Officer 5th Army AMG, who will be responsible for ensuring that all cases of espionage are brought before the Court with the minimum of delay.

5. It is understood that Major Elder and Major Waugh are at Caserta now. It is requested that the necessary instructions be issued by Regions I and IV to ensure that Lieut. Graziano and Major Campbell report to Caserta by Saturday, March 18th, to Chief Legal Officer, 5th Army AMG.

6. It is regretted that no transport is available from this H.Q. for these officers, but a request has been addressed to G3I(b) AMGF asking them to provide transport for the Court on demand.

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NORMAN H. FINCH
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: R.C. Region I.
" " IV
Col.Young, Security Branch. HQ., AMGF.
G-1 AGO.

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Ref/91/9/CA

NEF/mrd
10 March 1944

SUBJECT: Transport for M.F.A. & A.

TO : Vice President, Administrative Section

1. Reference 1st Ind. to M.F.A. & A. letter of 3 March, the Executive Commissioner is entirely in accord with the need of the Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives Subcommission for transport.

2. The entire matter of allocation of transport is being surveyed and the requirements of the above Sub-Commission will be fully considered.

By Command of Lieutenant General MASON MacFARLANE:

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

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13th March 1944.

Ref: 271/28/CA.

Subject : Ratification of educational policy directives.

To : Education Sub- Commission.

Reference your ED/3.10 dated 13 March 1944.

The Policy Directives Nos. 1 and 2 stated in the above-quoted letter to be attached thereto, where not, in fact, enclosed. Please froward.

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A.J. STEWART,
Captain,
PA to Executive Commissioner.

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13 March 1944.

Ref/3/49/CA.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : 1 S.C.A.C. AGF 8th Army.

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

NORMAN F. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/126/3/GA. 13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Stationery Supplies.

TO : HQ COMMANDANT.

References Routine Orders, No.1.

1. Supplies, as listed below, are requested for the Offices of the Civil Affairs Branch and Executive Commissioner.

Qty.	Description.
50	Stencils.
100	Manilla Folders.
500	Gum Labels (Medium)
1000 shts.	Thin Typewriter Paper "P" 7x8½.
3 rms.	Black Typewriter Foolscap Carbon.
3 "	" " Quarto Carbon.
6 pkts	Pins
3	Typewriter Ribbons.
3	Typewriter Erasers.
6	Pencil Erasers (Soft)
6 pkts	Paper Clips
2 bottles	Correctine.
6	Red/Blue Pencils.
6	No.3 Shorthand Notebooks.
1 bottle	Typewriter Oil.

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

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/3/48/CA.

13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region V.

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NORMAN E. FISER
Colonel, Cavalry, U.S.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref/AMG/201. 12 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Italian Army Administrative Organisation in Sicily.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission.
(Attention : Lt.Col. Quinnsmith)

1. Reference Q878 of 10 Mar 44.

2. Secretary General (Major Doe) reports as follows :

"This letter (AMG/201 dated 18 Jan WDM/AMG/mrd) undoubtedly passed through my office at Brindisi, inasmuch as all correspondence concerning the work of the Commission did so. However, at this late date I have no means of determining to whom it was passed for action".

3. He is unable to trace or suggest its subsequent disposition.

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

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Ref/77/24/GA. 12 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Libyans from Sicily.

TO : R.C. Region I.

Attached letter 11286/506/GA of 19 Feb 44 from C.A.B., G.H.Q., M.E.F., is forwarded for necessary action. There is no record of Signal AMGOT 257 of 17 Sept 43 here, and it is presumed that this is in your possession.

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

Copy to: C.A.B.,
G.H.Q., M.E.F.
Ref. your 11286/506/GA of 19 Feb 44.

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Ref/36/3/CA.

12 March 1944.

SUBJECT: General Orders.

TO : S.C.A.C. AGO 5 Army (Attention: Major Cate)
Shipping Sub-Commission.
Internal Transportation Sub-Commission.

Copy of General Order No.11 of 4 Mar 44 issued by A.F.H.Q. is passed to you for information.

HERMAN H. FISCH
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/3/46/CA. 13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : S.C.A.C. AMG 8 Army.

The attached letter is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

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

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. Section
APO 394

13 March 1944.

Ref/3/47/GA.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : R.C. Region III.

The attached correspondence is passed to you for transmittal to the Italian authorities concerned, providing there is nothing in the contents to which you have any objection.

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

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

Ref: 13/22/cm

13 March 1944

SUBJECT: Travel Orders

TO : Adjutant, A.C.C.

1. Travel Order is requested to enable Mr. Hilary Jenkinson (B) to travel to Cava, Amalfi, Ratello, Salerno, Bari, Brindisi, Foggia, Lecce, Catanzaro, Cosenza, Potenza, Reggio and other places necessary to complete his mission, on completion of which he will return to Naples.

2. Travel by Military motor transportation is authorized.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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

Ref/282/6/CA. 13 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Regional Orders.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III.

1. With reference to the complete file of Regional Orders published by you from 1st January and forwarded to this H.Q. on the 11 Mar 44.

2. Would you please send to this H.Q. a list of the external distribution of these orders.

for Stuart
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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Ref: 9/59/CA.

12th March 1944.

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Subject : Civilian Prisoners of War.

TO : Vice President, Admin Section.

1. I enclose translation of a letter purporting to come from the Ministry of Interior and addressed to Allied Military Government, Naples and Allied Control Commission, Salerno, making various complaints and criticisms about the treatment of Italian civilian prisoners of war in Italy and especially at PADUA.

2. I should be glad if you would inform the Minister of Interior that these persons are civilian prisoners of war; that they have been made such in order to protect Allied military interests and that so long as their liberty is likely to prejudice Allied Military interests they will remain as prisoners of war.

3. I should be glad, also, if you would inform the Minister of Interior that it is not the intention of the Allied military authorities to give to the Minister of Interior a list of such persons nor to ask for his assistance in examining the reasons for making these persons prisoners of war.

4. I would ask you to add that the cases of these prisoners of war are under constant examination and that persons are released from time to time, and that the Chief Commissioner is satisfied, that the conditions under which they are living are satisfactory.

5. The tone of the letter from the Minister of Interior appears to me to be abrupt and not such as one would expect from a government of a co-belligerent.

(S) M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

MSL/JG.

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

Ref/127/40/CA

11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Civil Postal Service.

TO : R. C. Region III.

Copy of PS/16/2 of 4 March 1944 from Telecommunications & Posts Sub-Commission is forwarded for comment.

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

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
G.S. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/19/24/CA.

11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Requisitioning of Scholastic Premises.

TO : Vice President,
Administrative Section.

1. Reference ED/3.12 of 26 Feb 44 from Education Sub-Commission to yourself.

2. The Chief Liaison Officer has approached Peninsular Base Section on the general question of this requisitioning of scholastic and cultural premises and the result is entirely satisfactory, namely, that the Base Section will make no such requisitions without reference to this headquarters.

3. The above remarks apply for the particular case of the Politecnico Instituto of the Naples University.

ROBERT F. KELLY
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Chief Liaison Officer.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
A.P.O 394

Ref/19/3E/CA

12 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Occupation of Educational Buildings by Military.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region I.

1. Confirming our conversation in Naples at the beginning of the month, G.C.A.C., Catania (Lt. Col. French) addressed a confidential letter to Brigadier Lush on the subject of Catania University buildings and their release for resumption of educational work.

2. An impasse seems to have been reached and Lt. Col. French feels that his efforts would be more fruitful if pressure could be brought to bear from another angle.

3. It is considered that this question can best be handled by personal representations at this stage. Will you, therefore, after consulting Lt. Col. French, see G.C.C. No. 1 District and explore the possibilities, in spite of the fact that, as reported by Lt. Col. French, a request by you to No. 1 District was only recently met by a flat refusal.

4. Would you also re-open the question of the release of the IGNATIANUM, Messina. The PENNISI College buildings at ACIREALE are understood to be part of CATANIA University and are presumably included in the main problem. If this assumption is not correct would you also deal with this.

5. It is suggested that perhaps the presence of the Director, Education Sub-Commission at any conference, might help. The necessary instructions will be given on notification of your wishes.

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

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

Ref/162/26/31. 12 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Italian Army Vehicles.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission.

Reference Executive Memorandum No.32 of 24 Feb 44 and instructions from A.F.H.Q.

1. Please see attached copy letter from Region II.

2. The organisation of Road Haulage Transport is in progress in the area but this progress is slow owing to lack of vehicles and unroadworthiness of the few already supplied.

3. In view of last para. it is requested that the hand over be allowed to remain in abeyance for a further period of two weeks from this date.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Lt Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Region II (Further report requested by 24 Mar 44.)
G-4 (Mr. ACC)

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Ref/237/5/GA. 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Powers of SCAOs and HLOs 5th and 8th Armies.

TO : Admin. Section - For attention Legal Sub-Commission.

The attached copy of Executive Memorandum No.37 is forwarded for your information. Copies of this memorandum have been sent out to SCAOs 5th and 8th Armies, and R.C.s. Regions III, IV, and V, after signature by the Executive Commissioner.

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

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R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/162/17/CA 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Issue of Clothing to Civilians.

TO : SCAO 5th Army AMG.

1. Further to this HQ letter 162/14/CA of 8 March 1944 a supply of men's trousers has now been received by American Red Cross.

2. This item may therefore be added to those given in paragraph 3 above quoted letter.

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Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to Major Goldsmith,
with copy of 162/14/CA.

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

Ref/127/41/CA

11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Civil Post Office Services.

TO : All Sub-Commissions
Regional Commissioners
SCAO's, 5th & 8th Armies.

The following has been prepared by Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission for the information of all concerned:

SUMMARY
OF
CIVIL POST OFFICE SERVICES
available to the Public (excluding military personnel)
as at 1st March, 1944

(a) Internal

1. MAILS.

Letters and postcards collection and delivery in and between liberated Italy+, Sicily and Sardinia (registered letters, packets and parcels NOT accepted).

Postage Rates (as in operation prior to occupation).

	For delivery in town of posting	For delivery outside town of posting
Postcards	15 centesimi	30 centesimi
Letters (for each 15 gms)	25 "	50 "

Present Maximum Weight Limits for Posting.

In Italy and Sardinia: 90 gms
In Sicily : 210 gms

Postage Stamps to be used.

Italy and Sardinia : Italian only (AMG stamps may be used later if necessary)
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(b) Foreign

(i) Civil. - Between all the territories in which the internal service operates and all Allied and neutral countries other than those occupied by the enemy.

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Postage Rates.

Postcards	:	1.50 lire
Letters	:	Up to 20 gms : 2.50 lire
	:	20-40 gms (maximum weight) 4 lire

Postage Stamps. - As for internal mails.

DETAILED REGULATIONS, INCLUDING CENSORSHIP RESTRICTIONS, ARE ON EXHIBITION IN ALL POST OFFICES.

(ii) Prisoners of War.

Letters and postcards, free of postage, for Prisoners of War in both Allied and Enemy hands.

(iii) International Red Cross Messages.

Agencies are established in Naples, Palermo and Cagliari. A limited service now operating will shortly be made available in all the liberated area. Details will be published by the International Red Cross Committee.

2. FINANCIAL SERVICES.

In the postal delivery area: - Post Office Savings Bank, Postal Bonds, Postal Money Orders.

The Post Office Current Account banking service is in operation to a limited extent.

for NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

DISTRIBUTION:
Chief Commissioner
Deputy Chief Commissioner
Secretary General to Chief Commissioner
Administrative Section 10
Economic Section 12
PW & Displaced Persons Sub-Commission
Italian Refugees Branch
Security Branch
Information Branch

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Navy
Land Forces
Air Forces
Telecommunications & Ports Sub-Commission 10
War Material Disposal
Public Relations Officer
Liaison Section HQ AGMF
Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VIII, IX.
SCAO 5th Army
SCAO 8th Army

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B.C. & H.C. [redacted]
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Ref/PS/3b/CX

11 March 1946.

SUBJECT: Reassignment of Officers.

TO : Col (British)
Adjt. HQ ACC.

1. Will you please to do the necessary orders reassigning Major F. A. WILSON (B) from Region III to HQ ACC Public Safety Sub-Commission.

2. Concurrence of R.C. Region III and Head of Public Safety Sub-Commission has been obtained.

3. Major Wilson will be stationed at HQ ACC (rear) Salerno, reporting on arrival to Head of Public Safety Sub-Commission. Travel by Govt Type is authorised.

THOMAS F. TROY,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copies to: R.C. Region III
Public Safety Sub-Commission
(thru Administrative Section)

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

12 March 1944.

Ref/80/64/GA.

SUBJECT: Postings - Officers.

TO : G.-2 (Br).

T/Major A.G.SMYT (152675) I.C.

1. Reference your memorandum 1600.3/G-1 dated 9 Mar 44.

2. The above-named officer has not yet reported to this Branch. No further information of movements is available.

MORGAN E. PRICE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

AMZ/352/22/OA.

11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Civilian Internees - 372 P.W. Camp.

TO : H.Q. A.C.M.F. (Adm. Sec.)
(Attention : Lt.Col. T. Welch)

Reference ACMF/3073/6/A(O) of 4 Mar 44.

1. Confirming conversation of 11 Mar 44 (Lt.Col.T.Welch - Major Driffield-White speaking) it is understood that the commitment mentioned in para.4 is not now in question.

for MERIAM E. PIERCE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: No.3 District.
No.2 District.
Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.
(Sub-Section No.2, Naples)

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

Ref/150/15/CA. 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: P.W. - Mail and Censorship.

TO : S.C.A.C. Pantellaria.
(Through R.C. Region I)

1. This office is advised by the Censor that one ZUCCORINO GIUSEPPE, P.W., Pantelleria, has been communicating by letter with individuals on the mainland, these letters not being by post but through individuals.

2. You are directed to take proper action on the breach of censorship mentioned.

for
NORMAN E. FISKE.
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/3/42/CA. 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Dedicatory Poem.

TO : Military Government Section,
A.F.H.Q.
(Through Civilian Censorship Branch)

The attached documents are forwarded for any action you consider necessary.

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H. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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

Ref/302/57/CA

11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Rations for CC.HR.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission.

A reply to our 302/24/CA of 2 March is required.

NORMAN F. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
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Ref/340/20/GA. 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Historical Monuments.

TO : Vice President, Admin. Section.

1. In reply to your memorandum C40.-S/AB dated 7 Mar 44, the attached draft has been scrutinized and is approved by this H.Q. subject to the deletion of the last sentence in para.4, which it is considered is unnecessary.

2. It is suggested that the Director of Monuments and Fine Arts Sub-Commission should discuss this draft with A.C.M.F. before they issue their instructions.

For Shipp Lt Col
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MORGAN E. FUNK
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/19/35/CA 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Palazzo Reale, Palermo.

TO : R.C., Region I.

1. A copy of a memorandum from the Director of Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives Sub-Commission is enclosed.

2. The Chief Commissioner feels that every effort must be made to have the military personnel now occupying the Palazzo Reale withdrawn.

3. Most of the Allied troops have now been withdrawn from Palermo and it is hard to understand why it has suddenly became necessary to accommodate the Military Police in the Palazzo.

4. I am directed to request you to take up the matter personally with the Commanding Officer, Island Base Section.

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

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

Ref/7/9/CA 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Requisition of Italian Civilian Motor Vehicles.

TO : R. C., Region II.

The inclosed copies of correspondence is forwarded for your attention and report in due course to enable this HQ to reply to No. 2 District.

/s/ [illegible]
NORMAN R. FISK,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/132/13/34. 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Personnel.

TO : Establishments Officer.

1. The Executive Commissioner requires the services of an additional British C.R. Stenographer immediately.

2. L/Cpl. Cooper could be made available from the Mgeria. Civil Affairs Branch, if replaced.

3. Suggested replacements:

T/5 Harper M.R. (33988417) American.
L/Cpl. Siegfried E. (S/181739) British.
(not a Stenographer but a useful typist who knows C.A. Branch routine. We are prepared to use him if it would ease the situation existing due to shortage of stenographers.)

for HERMAN E. PETEK
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copies encl. for :
C-in-C (A)
C-in-C (B)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Ref/169/7/CA

COPY

10 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Collection of Italian Army Personnel Escaping into Liberated Italy.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission.

1. Reference letter from SCAO 5th Army 107/2 of 20 February (Copy of which was forwarded to you on 25 FEB), the matter has been examined at length by the Italian Refugee Branch. It would appear that the Italian Staff is intended to handle the problem on the whole and not in the 5th Army area alone. The Refugee Branch has an Italian Military Division which should be able to deal quite effectively with the escaping Italian military personnel. Present operations are producing refugees but few escaping soldiers. Swiftly moving operations, on the other hand, may disturb civilian populations appreciably less and produce few refugees but large numbers of military.

2. There would appear to be no necessity for creating anew and separate Italian organization, but rather, that the whole matter should be the responsibility of the Refugee Branch who will deal in Italian military matters with General Biglino, the officer presently heading the Italin Military Division of that branch.

for Winfield White
Major G.S.

for NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
5th U.S. Army
A.P.O. 464 U.S. Army

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From SCNO 5 Army.

20th February 1944.

20/2.

Subject : Collection of Italian Army personnel escaping into liberated Italy.

To : H.Q., A.C.C.
AG and AQ Section. (3)

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1. Message No. 0228 dated 9th February 44 from AFHQ to Main 5th. Army (5th Army, etc.,) states that Italian General Staff wish to set up organisation to deal with expected influx of military personnel into liberated Italy as Allied Armies advance north.

2. The proposed organisation for each army appears to parallel almost exactly the existing refugee lay-out, namely,

a. Collecting posts or agencies in forward areas.
b. Small collecting camp in approximate Corps H.Q. area.
c. Reorganisation camp in rear of Army.

and the incoming soldiers will have to be handled in identically the same way as refugees, including the same medical and security examinations.

3. If therefore these escaping Italian soldiers are NOT to be considered the responsibility of the Army, but to be regarded as refugees and therefore the responsibility of AMG while in the Army area, this Italian organisation for 5th. Army should be placed under the control of A.C.C., not 5th. Army.

If this is done, it would be desirable to control of Chief of Refugee Division of A.C.C. 5th. Army.

4. This Refugee division may function with 6 or 7 officers and lower ranks and is expected to handle a greater number of ordinary refugees than the probable number of escaping soldiers. It is therefore not understood how the staff of 50 Italian officers and 200 other ranks are to be employed, and information on this point, and particularly as regards the transport they will have at their disposal, is requested.

5. As there may be long periods when few escaping Italian soldiers arrive, but when large numbers of refugees may have to be dealt with, it is suggested that when the Italian organisation materialises the S.C.A.O. have authority to use it for the benefit of Italian civilian refugees as well.

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6. In order to avoid waste of effort and facilities, and to avoid duplication of arrangements for screening with F.B.I. and C.I.C. and for administration generally, it is strongly recommended that this organization be placed under the S.C.A.O. and combined with the Refugee Evacuation System.

Your remarks are requested before further action is taken with H.Q. Fifth Army or MGIA.

[illegible],
Brigadier General, A.U.S.,
S.C.A.O., APO Fifth Army.

Copies to:
C-1, Fifth Army.
Major Collins,
Lt.Col. Reprud.
Prof. Kirsch

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Ref/283/56/CA

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

10 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Powers of Regional Legal Officers.

TO : R.C., Region IV.

1. Reference your Ra/250.5/(B) of 25 February 1944.

2. Powers of Review. (Your paragraph 3). From the outset it was required under Proclamation No. 4, Article 7, Section 1, that all petitions of review be addressed to the Chief Civil Affairs Officer (now the Chief Commissioner). Executive Memorandum No. 18 (which implements Proclamation No. 14) not only does not provide for further centralisation but, on the contrary, tends to more decentralisation in that petitions for review under Proclamation No. 4 which were previously forwarded to Chief Legal Officer are now forwarded to the Regional Legal Officer (Proclamation No. 14, Article 1) thus enabling the Regional Legal Officer new opportunities for critically examining the work of the courts in his region.

a. It is the opinion of this Headquarters that the power of review on petition should, for the time being, be retained by the Chief Commissioner as now provided under Proclamations 4 and 14. No better means could be contrived for providing the Chief Commissioner with the information and means necessary for the adequate supervision of Allied Military Courts, for securing a uniform and effective administration of justice and an improvement in the standards, which at present are not satisfactory.

b. Experience does not support your statement that serious delay results from the procedure prescribed by the Proclamations No. 4 and 14. Except for some congestion following the disbanding of the 15th Army Group and certain delay consequent on the move to Salerno, reviews of appeals have been disposed of with reasonable speed. In the case of Vitozzi, Francesco, the trial took place in December, the appeal was forwarded on the 17th of January 1944 and sentence of ten years affirmed on the 23rd of February. It would seem, therefore, that about the same period of time elapsed between the trail and the forwarding of the appeal as was connused in the final disposition of the latter.

c. Reference your paragraph 3 b the Chief Legal Officer says "There need be no confusion such as is suggested in the disposition of review of cases in which the sentence does not exceed two years imprisonment or a fine of 50,000 lire. The simple answer is that the Regional Commissioner can in such cases postpone a review until the thirty days have elapsed within which an appeal can be filed."

3. Italian Courts and Personnel. There is as suggested, some ambiguity with regard to paragraph 4 of Executive Memorandum No. 18 and a clarification

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of this whole matte will in due course be sent to y[illegible]

4. Italian Military Tribunals. Enclosed is a copy of 'rules for the establishment of Italian Military Tribunals' as requested by you.

5. Legal Personnel. Your interpretation as to the disposition of legal personnel within your region is correct.

6. Legal Directives and Opinions. All legal questions should be referred to HQ ACC when they involve general questions of legal policy, e.g. general questions which may effect other regions either then or some later date, legal policy with the Italian Government and so on. It is, of course, not intended that the Regional Legal Officer should be prevented from giving advise on legal questions to his Regional Commissioner.

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

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

11 March 1944.

Ref/312/20/CA.

SUBJECT: Civilian Internees.

TO : H.Q. A.C.M.F.
(Attention : SI(b).)

Attached hereto is a copy of H.Q. A.C.M.F. Adv. Echelon memorandum No.3073/4/A.1 of 26 Feb 44, concerning political prisoners in Sicily. This is now a matter which is entirely under your control, but the Security Branch of the Allied Control Commission is willing to assist with personnel for screening should you require them.

Prof Shipp Solot

G. W. I. SHIPP

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

Copy to: HQ.ACMF Adv. Echelon.
No.1 District, CMF.
Public Safety Sub-Commission.
Security Branch, R.C.& M.G.Section.
} For information.

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SUBJECT: Political Prisoners

FHQ Adv Adm Sec,
OMF.

3073/4/A.1

HQ AMG, AOMF

26 Feb 44

1. It has been reported that there are a number of political prisoners in SICILY, many of whom are aged and infirm and hospital inmates.

2. Apart from taking up hospital beds they also require guards.

3. It is considered that the position regarding these political prisoners in SICILY should be reviewed with a view to releasing as many as possible subject to security.

4. Will you please investigate the matter.

Brigadier,
ADAG.

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Copy: 1 District.

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

Ref/312/21/CA. 11 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Civilian Internees & Civilian P.O.W.

TO : Admin. Section.
For attention Legal Sub-Commission.

1. Reference your ACC/4016/L of 27 Feb 44.

2. It is confirmed that the Military Authorities have now assumed all responsibility for civilian internees and civilian P.O.W. who are in fact all treated as civilian P.O.W. No further advice on this matter is required at present.

G.W.I. SHIPP

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISS
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

11 March 1944.

Ref/185/2/GA.

SUBJECT: Deserters from Italian Pioneer Coys.

TO : R.C. Region II.
" " III.
" " V.
S.C.A.C. 8 Army.

1. The attached roll of deserters (in duplicate) whose homes are in your Region has been received from H.Q. No.2 District.

2. It is requested that these names may be passed to the civil authorities concerned in order that as many of these men as can be located may be returned to the Coys from which they have deserted.

3. It is felt that considerable effort should be made to locate and return as many as possible, since this may act as a deterrent to other P.O.Ws.

NORMAN R. FISH
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

11 March 1944.

Ref/21/23/CA

SUBJECT: Rome Food Arrangements.

TO : Lt Col R.G.B. Spicer, Interior Sub-Commission.

1. Reference your ACC/65/Int letter of 6 March 1944 the names of these two individuals were forwarded to CIC Branch, PBS immediately they were received. A few days ago a telephone call was put through inquiring what the position was. They said that they were still investigating the matter but promised to furnish a reply as soon as possible.

2. It is regretted that no definite answer can be given yet but it is anticipated that the services of both these Italians, if passed by Security, will be required.

G W Shipp Lt Col

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

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R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

11 March 1944.

Ref/357/3#/CA.

SUBJECT: Prefect of Chieti.

TO : S.C.A.C. AMG. 6 Army Main.

1. The Italian Minister of Interior has nominated Avv. GAETANO PERRELLA to be Prefect of CHIETI.

2. Some details regarding Signore PERRELLA are enclosed and this H.Q. will be obliged to hear in due course whether or not you approve of this nominee.

NORMAN H. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry.
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: R.C. Region V.

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P.C. & W.C. SECTION
APO 394

10 March 1946

Ref/12/19/CA

SUBJECT: Conducting Mrs. Colmore and YWCA Canteen to 10th Corps Area.

TO : Major Friend Jarad,
Liaison Officer,
HQ. ACC.

1. Confirming telephone conversation 1145 hrs today, it is required to conduct Mrs. Colmore, Officer of the Y.W.C.A., driving a Canteen to 10 Corps Area to contact Lady Brocklehurst, in charge Y.W.C.A. Canteen in their area.

2. Capt. Mynors, or other suitable officer, is to undertake this service. The officer selected will report at HQ. ACC, Room 49, Provincia Building (Major Driffield-White) at 0945 hrs, Sunday, March 12th. Before reporting he will obtain:

a. Information regarding the present location of Lady Brocklehurst.
b. Details of route to be followed.
c. Authority for Mrs. Colmore to travel in 5 Army area.

It will be left to his discretion regarding the means adopted to return from final destination to permanent station.

3. Please report name of officer selected for this duty.

for [illegible] E. FINN,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Major Friend Jarad for the officer concerned.

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R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

NEF/mrd
10 March 1944

Ref/278/49/CA

SUBJECT: Orders and Publications

TO : Vice President, Administrative Section

1. Reference your letter 40/AS dated 24 February, orders and proclamations are now being collected by the Legal Subcommission.

2. The Executive Commissioner suggests that visits in the field by personnel of the Subcommissions might provide the rest of the information desired.

By Command of Lieutenant General MASON MacFARLANE:

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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