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ITALIAN CIVILIANS
RATIONS AND QUARTERS
SEPT. 44 - FEB. 46

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
G-1 Section Civilian Personnel

file

Ref/G-1/Civ/Pers/

8 February 1946

SUBJECT. Workmen's Compensation.

TO . Establishment Section

1. Transmitted herewith, as directed in NATOUSA Cir. No. 74, dtd 23 May 1944, and as amended by NATOUSA Cir. No. 126, dtd 19 Oct. 1944, Certificates of Injury pertaining to the following named persons:

RONISVALE Laborio

H. Galkin
HARRY GALKIN
1st Lt. Air Corps
Asst G-1 (A)

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CERTIFICATO D'INFORTUNIO
CERTIFICATE OF INJURY

1) I certify that Signor ROMSISVALLE, Liborio.
Io certifico che il Signor _____
_____ born on 31 March 1918
da via Santa Lucia, 32 nato il _____ data
_____ Carmelo _____
the son of _____ e di _____
figlio di _____ (father's name) _____
_____ (nome della madre)
was injured/incapacitated at 1500 hours on 1 February 1946
è morto/ferito alle ore _____ il giorno _____ data
at Caserma Pastrengo, Viale Romania, Rome.
_____ { exact location of the accident }
_____ { esatta località dell'infortunio }

in an accident arising out of the course of his employment with the
Allied Forces. (L'infortunio è avvenuto mentre lavorava alle dipenden-
ze delle Forze Militari Alleate).

as Deputy Superintendent of Labour
qualità di _____
_____ { exact nature of employment }
_____ { esatta categoria o mestiere }

2) The accident occurred in the following circumstances: Kicked by a horse.
L'infortunio è avvenuto nelle seguenti circostanze:

Give short particulars and state whether the accident was attributable
to any wilful or negligent act of the employee. (Fare dettagliate e
breve descrizioni circa l'infortunio precisando se è stato causato per
negligenza dell'operaio). Not due to carelessness.

3) His daily earnings for each of the fifteen days immediately to the
accident were as follows: (paga giornaliera per gli ultimi quindici
giorni precedenti l'infortunio).

Day giorno	Date Data	Gross Earnings (including overtime) Totale paga (compreso straordinario)	Day giorno	Date Data	Gross Earnings (including overtime) Totale paga (compreso straordinario)
1	13 Jan		9		279.

as Deputy Superintendent of Labour
qualità di (exact nature of employment)
(esatta categoria e mestiere)

2) The accident occurred in the following circumstances: Kicked by a horse.
L'infortunio è avvenuto nelle seguenti circostanze:

Give short particulars and state whether the accident was attributable to any wilful or negligent act of the employee(s). (Fare dettagliate e brevi descrizioni circa l'infortunio precisando se è stato causato per negligenza dell'operario). Not due to carelessness.

3) His daily earnings for each of the fifteen days immediately to the accident were as follows: (paga giornaliera per gli ultimi quindici giorni precedenti l'infortunio).

Day giorno	Date Data	Gross Earnings (including overtime) Totale paga (compreso straordinario)	Day giorno	Date Data	Gross Earnings (including overtime) Totale paga (compreso straordinario)
1	13 Jan		9		
2			10		
3			11		
4			12		
5		515 lire a day	13		515 lire a day
6			14		
7			15		
8			16	31 Jan	

Signature of the O.C. Unit [Signature]
Firma del Comandante l'Unità
Name in block letters **HARRY GALKIN**
Nome in stampatello

Date 5 February 1946 Personal Number
Data No di matricola

4) The Officers of the Institute have been instructed that should they require any further information they should communicate with the CIM Joint Claims Commission. R.A.A.C. should do likewise in case of any difficulty. (Gli Ufficiali dell'Istituto sono a conoscenza che se hanno bisogno di ulteriori informazioni o assistenza devono comunicare con Joint Claims Commission. Le Unità R.A.A.C. devono fare lo stesso in difficoltà.)

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION
(SECTION)

A P O 334

Reference Date 11 January 1946

SUBJECT: Dismissal of Civilian Employees.

TO : Civilian Personnel Section, (Room II - GROUND FLOOR)
Headquarters, Allied Commission.

1. The following named employee of this Division will be dismissed with effect
from 13 December 1945

Name of Employee: Miss Emma MILLER

Classification : Technical Interpreter (F)

Wage Rate : 4580

2. Employee is being dismissed for the following reasons:

(X) Ceased operation.

() Inefficiency.

() Insubordination.

() Dishonesty.

() Security.

() Reduction in staff.

() Remarks. Left voluntarily.

1. The following named employee of this Division will be dismissed with effect from 13 December 1945
- Name of Employee: Miss Emma MILLER
- Classification : Technical Interpreter (F)
- Wage Rate : 4580
2. Employee is being dismissed for the following reasons:
- ☒ Ceased operation.
 - ☐ Inefficiency.
 - ☐ Insubordination.
 - ☐ Dishonesty.
 - ☐ Security.
 - ☐ Reduction in staff.
 - ☐ Remarks Left voluntarily.

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3. Employee has been instructed to report to Civilian Personnel Section
..... for the purpose of obtaining required clearance.
(date)

Name:
RANGE. W. BARNES III
Cavalry
Title: Staff Officer

Civ. Pers. Form 8
Feb. 45

R E S T R I C T E D

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

29 December 1945

Adj: 300. 4

SUBJECT: Travel Orders

TO : All Concerned

1. Mrs. Blease, Italian civilian wife of American soldier will proceed to Naples, Italy on or about 30 December 1945 on temporary duty for a period of approximately seven (7) days to receive papers at American Consulate thereat. Upon completion of temporary duty will return to this station.

2. Travel by government motor transport (Courier) is authorized. Travel directed is necessary in the military service.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

T. H. Fourley
T. H. FOURLEY
1st Lt Inf
Actg Asst Adjutant

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R E S T R I C T E D

Establishment 2

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

29 December 1945

Adj: 300.4

SUBJ: Travel orders

TO : All Concerned

1. Mr. Attoe Bonpard, Italian civilian, attached Food and Agriculture sub-commission, this Headquarters, will proceed Naples, Italy, without delay on temporary duty for a period for a period of approximately three (3) days on allocation of national barley for brewing for EVI. Upon completion of temporary duty will return to this station.

2. Travel by government motor transport is authorized. Travel directed is necessary in the military service.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

T. H. Gourlay
T. H. GOURLAY
Acting Lt. Col.
Actg. Asst. Adjutant

DISTRIBUTION

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CIVILIAN LABOUR
INFORMATION BULLETIN

No# 10

16 JUNE 1945

SEE FILE

42.2 EST 2792

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Subject: Billeting of US Civilian.

File No # 42

TM/5/2.

233 Town Major,
C.M.F.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
APO 394,
Establishment Section. ✓

Duchess Lante della Rovere.

1. Ref. your 42/60/Est., dated 13 Nov.45.
2. Your request re the a/m US Civilian has been passed to US Real Estate Section for attention.

WABM

17 Nov.45.

WB/

Major,
Town Major,
Florence.

C O P Y
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EXCELSIOR HOTEL
Allied Officers Transit Hotel

Subject: Rations & Quarters

To: Duchess Della Rovere (room No 423)

1. The American Management regrets to inform you that due to a change in Army policy, MTOUSA Directive 79 dated 15 Nov. 1945. American Civilians are no longer permitted the use of Army facilities.
2. The only exception to this rule will be a letter from the U.S. Consul stating that in your individual case an emergency exists and request for each specific emergency ~~serv~~ service required from the Army, and the location and duration of each requirement. These requests will be forwarded to the Area Commander who will decide what services shall be made available. The approved request and valid passport must be presented to me before any Army facilities are made available. The charge will then be L. 300 per day per room, L.200 per day per ration, and L. 25 per day service charge.
3. The foregoing must be complied with and your accommodation vacated by Monday 10th December 1945 .

/ Thomas A. Lindo
2nd LT. FA
American Military Manager

of each requirement. These requests will be forwarded to the Area Commander who will decide what services shall be made available. The approved request and valid passport must be presented to me before any Army facilities are made available. The charge will then be L. 300 per day per room, L. 200 per day per ration, and L. 25 per day service charge.

3. The foregoing must be complied with and your accommodation vacated by Monday 10th December 1945 .

/ Thomas A. Lindo

2nd LT. FA
American Military Manager

Excelsior Hotel
Florence
Dec. 4th, 1945

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

Ref/42/Est

27 November 1945

SUBJECT: Meal Ticket Booklets.

TO : Office Space Section.

1. Please issue three booklets of meal tickets covering the period 1 - 15 December 1945 to the following three civilians attached to this Section:

- (a) Mrs. Elena Lante BOUNDER
- (b) Mrs. Emma MILLER
- (c) Mr. Louis PERINO

2. Please find enclosed 675 lire (six hundred and seventy-five lire) to cover the cost of the above three meal-ticket books.

GEO. W. BARNES III,
Captain Cavalry,
Staff Officer.

REF. 42 EST

27 July 1945

HQS /2/II

SUBJECT: Supply of British Rations to Civilian Employees.
TO : Distribution below.

General Routine Order 842 is repeated hereunder for easy reference, as is the previous order referred to therein and will be strictly complied with by all concerned.

842. Supply of Rations to Civilian Employees from British Army Stocks.

1. A considerable number of civilians employed in hotels, clubs, restaurants, etc., are being fed on the complete British Field Service Ration Scale.

2. The normal scale for issue to these civilians is the Italian Armed Forces Scale. The Field Service Scale is issuable only in those limited cases where the provision of separate messing facilities is not practicable. Separate messing facilities for civilians should always be practicable in hotels, clubs and restaurants.

3. Attention is drawn to GRO 520/45; which will be strictly complied with. (Applicable to all troops).

520. Supply of Rations to Civilian Employees from British Army Stocks.

GENERAL

1. This order defines the conditions in which local civilian rations. The conditions under which civilian employees may receive a midshift meal and supplementary rations from civilian sources are laid down in separate instructions.

2. The policy is to limit to the minimum the number of civilians receiving rations from Army stocks. The basic principle is that rations should only be issued where it would be impossible for the unit, club, etc., to function unless rations were issued to civilian employees. The fact that it may be more convenient and more efficient to issue rations from Army stocks will not be accepted as a reason for the issue of Army rations to civilian employees.

AREA IN WHICH ORDER IS APPLICABLE.

3. This order is applicable on the mainland of ITALY behind the Army boundaries, in SICILY and in SARDEGNA..

ELIGIBLE PERSONNEL

4. Only civilian personnel who are:

- (a) working for an Allied unit and;
- (b) paid from public funds under due authority for their employment (normally filling a vacancy in E), and
- (c) accommodated by the Allied Forces, and
- (d) for whom the provision of separate messing facilities, at which their civilian rations could be served, is not practicable.

may be fed from British Army stocks.

POWER TO AUTHORIZE ISSUES

5. District and equivalent Commanders are authorized to approve issues in all cases which fall within the provisions of paragraph 4 above.

Cases which are recommended, but which do not fulfil all the conditions of paragraph 4 above, will be referred to AFHQ for decision.

RATION SCALE

6. The scale of rations to be issued when authorized under this order will be:-

- (a) Where provision of separate messing facilities is not practicable.

The same scale as is in issue to the troops of the unit with which the civilians are employed. Free issue rations (tobacco, cigarettes, matches, etc.) will not be issued to the civilian employees.

- (b) Where the provision of separate messing facilities is practicable.

The Italian Armed Forces scale with suitable equivalents as necessary.

DRAWING OF RATIONS

7. Rations required will be shown separately on each unit ration indent (A3 55A), quoting the authority for issue, and will be drawn from the unit's normal DID. *634*

PAYMENT

8. Wage rates will be reduced by thirty lire per day so long as rations are being issued. Such reductions will be recorded on Muster Pay Rolls.

CIVILIAN AND SUPPLEMENTARY RATIONS

9. When rations are issued to civilian employees under this order non civilian ration, supplementary ration or midshift meal will be allowed.

Unit Commanders will be responsible for withdrawing civilian ration of issue of rations from Army stocks. Coupons for all food items will be cut away, leaving intact the portions entitling the employee to soap, matches, etc., and the card then returned to the employee.

ISSUE OF RATIONS TO CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES IN ARMY AREAS

10. (a) In exceptional circumstances, i.e., where subsistence cannot be undertaken under AIG arrangements, Army Commanders have authority to issue rations to civilian labour at a scale not exceeding that laid down for the Italian Armed Forces. Normally, however, it should not be necessary to issue the full scale laid down. All issues will be on repayment, i.e., by a deduction from the employee's wage and recorded in the Muster Pay Roll. Repayment price of the Italian Army ration is 30 lire per day. Where less than that scale is issued commodities will be costed separately according to the current price list of supplies, plus the appropriate addition for freight and departmental expenses.

(b) In special cases; where the provision of separate messing facilities is not feasible, Army Commanders may authorize the scale laid down in para 6 (a) above.

This para is applicable to Army areas only.

REVIEW OF AUTHORITIES

11. All authorities granted under the above order will ²⁷⁸⁶ reviewed by District or equivalent Commanders at least every three months.

RETURNS

12. A monthly return of the number of rations issued under this

order by Armies and Districts will be prepared, in accordance with departmental instructions issued by DST, AFHQ, and forwarded through Service channels to AFHQ by the 10th of each month.

(Applicable to all troops in Italy, Sicily and Sardinia).

R.H. Robertson colonel
Rq. Commandant.

DISTRIBUTION:

O.C., British Detachment
Catering Advisor
Billeting Officer
ROMS

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Allied Commission 42
R-E-S-T-R-I-C-T-E-D

HEADQUARTERS ROME AREA MTOUSA
APO 794, US ARMY

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JWB/jlc/mtp
20 November 1945
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AG 366.2 (IG)

SUBJECT: Billeting of Civilian Personnel in American Requisitioned Property

TO : See Distribution

Letter this Headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 12 October 1945, is rescinded. The provisions of MTOUSA, Supply Directive Number 74, dated 25 October 1945, will become effective immediately.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL BROWN:

J. W. Baird
J. W. BAIRD
MOJG, USA
Asst Adjutant General

DISTRIBUTION
"SPECIAL"

- 2 - Ea Hotel operated by
Rome Area, MTOUSA
- 1 - Ea Staff O, Rome Area,
MTOUSA
- 3 - UMRPA
- 3 - FEA
- 3 - PRO
- 3 - ARC
- 3 - USA
- 3 - American Embassy
- 3 - Allied Commission
- 3 - P/B

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H.Q. MTOUSA - LETTER . SUBJECT:

DELEGATION OF ADM. OF CIV. PERSONNEL
DATED NOV. 16-1945.

SEE FILE NO# 145.1/EST.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

File.

Ref/42/60/1st.

NEP/esp
13 November 1945

SUBJECT: Billeting of US Civilian

TO : Town Major, Florence.

US citizen Duchess Lante della Rovere nee Anita Russell Allen, at present resident in Florence, has asked that permission be granted to billet and mess at the Excelsior Hotel, Florence.

Any courtesy that can be extended to her will be much appreciated.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

C.C.: Director, Excelsior Hotel, Florence.

Norman E. Fiske, at present resident in Florence, has asked that permission be granted to billet and mess at the Excelsior Hotel, Florence.

Any courtesy that can be extended to her will be much appreciated.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

C.C.: Director, Excelsior Hotel, Florence.

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COMPANY "J"
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION (OVERHEAD)
APO 394
US ARMY

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2 November 1945

SUBJECT: Feeding of Civilian Personnel (Italian)

TO : Establishment Section, Headquarters, Allied
Commission (Ovhd), APO 394, U. S. Army.

1. Request the following information regarding the
feeding of Italian Civilian Personnel:

- (1) What is the ration of Mess Attendants allowed
for 60 Officers and 57 Enlisted Men?
- (2) What control measures must be instituted if
we were to draw "Native Civilian Rations"
for both Mess Attendants (3 meals a day)
and a Midshift Meal (1 meal a day for Office
Workers)?
- (3) What procedures are to be followed on the
turn over of monies collected.

2. Require this data immediately as we have been
asked to assume our share of responsibility in feeding
Italian Civilian Personnel employed by this headquarters.

GEORGE H. BRENNER
1st Lt, Inf
Commanding Co "J"

Copy to:
Hq. Commandant
Executive Officer

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

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26 September 1945

SUBJECT : Civilian Mass - Office Employees
TO : HQ. COMMANDANT, H. A.C.

1. Reference is made in Daily Bulletin No. 269, Para. 8, 26 Sept. 1945.
2. Manual roll of Italian Civilian Employees in this Office as listed below
Mrs. Elena Lante Sordani.
3. Enclosed is 225 lire to cover the cost of one booklet of tickets covering the period 1 - 15 October 1945 inclusive.

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Recd 225 1/4
a.d.

L. T. MONTAGNE Jr.
Captain A. C. D.
Establishment Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 39
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

42/EST

April 28th 1945

SUBJECT : Civilian Mess - Office Employees

TO : HQ. COMMANDANT, HQ. A.C.

1945. 1. Reference is made in Daily Bulletin No. 116, Para. 5, 26 April

below : 2. Nominal roll of Italian civilian employee in this office listed

Mrs. Elena Lante Scudler - 209

3. Enclosed is 150 lire to cover the cost of one booklet of tickets covering the period of 1-15 May 1945 inclusive.

*Recd. 1512
JHC 335*
L.T. MOFFATT Jr.
Captain A.G.D
Establishment Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 334
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

42/EST

29 March 1945

SUBJECT : Civilian Mess - Office Employees

TO : HQ. Commandant, HQ. A.C.

1. Reference is made in Daily Bulletin No. 85, Para. 5, 26 March 1945.
2. Nominal roll of Italian civilian employees employed in this office listed below :

Mrs. Elena Lante Scudder

3. Enclosed is 150 lire to cover the cost of one booklet of tickets covering the period of 1-15 April 1945 inclusive.

S/Sgt M. Day
Establishment Section

2. Nominal roll of Italian civilian employees employed in this office
listed below :

Mrs. Elena Iante Scudder

3. Enclosed is 150 lire to cover the cost of one booklet of tickets
covering the period of 1-15 April 1945 inclusive.

Received 15-10-45
Ryder H. H. H.

S/Sgt M. Day
Establishment Section

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EXT: 301
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

27 March 1945

42/55/Est

SUBJECT: Officer Status and Messing Facilities, IIRC Representatives
TO : Vice President, Civil Affairs Section

1. Relative to the verbal request made this date to Establishment Section by Major REAKES, respecting the granting of messing and other facilities to Mrs. Cora Battiatì, of the Italian Red Cross Central Committee, and five of her co-workers, the following information is submitted:

a. Establishment Memorandum No. 4, 1945, sets forth the circumstances under which Italian civilians may be fed from Army stocks. Under the terms of this instruction, it is not possible to arrange to extend to Mrs Battiatì the privileges of AC/AMG officers' messes.

b. There is no objection to the granting of a letter of identification to Mrs Battiatì and to her fellow-workers, in order to facilitate their mission.

2. There is, of course, no objection to Mrs Battiatì being entertained as a guest in the various AC/AMG officers' messes, where such privilege is not at variance with the rules established by the respective mess committees.

For the Acting Vice President:

L. T. MONTANT, JR.,
Captain, AGD
Staff Officer

incl: Est. Memo, No. 4
21 March 1945

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

13 March 1945

42/EST

SUBJECT: Civilian Mess - Office Employees

TO : HQ. Commandant, HQ. A.C.

1. Reference is made to Daily Bulletin No. 71, Par. 7, 12 March 1945.
2. Nominal roll of Italian civilian employees employed in this office listed below:

Mrs. Elena Lante Soudier

3. Enclosed is 160 lire to cover cost of one booklet of tickets covering the period of 16-31 March 1945 inclusive.

S/Sgt Day
Establishment Section

*Received 160 lire
JH 330*

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Phone 301

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

File

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LTM/mrd
14 March 1945

SUBJECT: Billeting and Messing of Italian Personnel

TO : Headquarters Commandant, Hq., A.C.

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1. Reference your HQC/6 of 8 February 1945.
2. A revision of Establishment Memorandum #18, 1944, is in the course of preparation and will issue shortly. This should cover the points raised in your letter.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Phone 301

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

Ref/42/Est

LTM/mrd
14 March 1945

SUBJECT: Billeting and Messing of Italian Personnel
TO : Headquarters Commandant, HQ., A.C.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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ALLIED [REDACTED] COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: *Authority for Ration Issuance* FILE No.

TO : G-4 (B)

20 February 1945

Right. Apparently a revision of
Establishment memorandum No. 18 is very
much in order. Would you draft and
check with G-4 (A), please.

It is noted in Para 7 of folio 3 that
"Hq AAI have agreed that Patriot Representatives
shall receive a free issue of rations."
Perhaps Patriots Branch could produce
this.

(7)

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L. H. [unclear]
for VP, [unclear] Sec.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

Date 9 Feb

FROM

TO

Deputy Chief of Staff

→ Staff Officer

Executive Officer (US) *[Signature]*

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

← (2)

G-4 (B)

← (3)

Headquarters Commandant

Adjutant

FOR: *Comment, please*

Draft of reply for signature of
Please see/telephone me about this
Investigation and report
Answer
Signature
Approval/Disapproval
Your Information and return
Your File

W. H. Mountaintz

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

Date

17 Feb

FROM

TO

Deputy Chief of Staff

→ Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

G-4 (B) ←

Headquarters Commandant

Adjutant

FOR:

Comment, please

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W. L. Luntz

ALLIED ~~CONTROL~~ COMMISSION
INTER OFFICE MEMO

From: REGIMENTAL SUPPLY OFFICE

SUBJECT: Billeting and Messing of Italian Personnel

FILE No. 430.1 S-4

TO: Captain Montant, C of S Section

16 February 1945

1. Rations for the Italian military based on the approved scale, will be handled as outlined in letter Allied Force Headquarters, subject: "Supply Procedure and Accounting for Supplies and Equipment Issued by Allied Depots to Italian Armed Forces (Army, Navy and Air)", dated 6 October 1944, file AG 400/031 GDS-O. Italian officers will mess with Italian units located here in Rome. ①

2. No rations will be drawn for Italian civilian personnel other than those classified as "Cooks, Waiters and Mess Attendants" or "Native Civilians" in Section II, Pars e. and g. NATOUSA Circular No. 116, dtd 18 Sept 44. ②

For the Regimental Supply Officer:

Livio Viarengo
LIVIO VIARENGO
CWO USA
Assistant S-4

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Billeting Officer

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AAG/ejb

8 February 1945

HQC/6

SUBJECT: Billeting and Messing of Italian Personnel.

TO : Vice President, Establishments Section.

1. Until 25 January 1945, this Headquarters was housing and feeding Italian officer personnel that was assigned to or attached to this Commission for duty. A short while previous to this date we were informed by the Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) that this was illegal and contrary to the regulations set forth by AFHQ. Consequently, arrangements were made by this office through Land Forces Sub-Commission to feed these officers at an Italian Army Officers' Mess located a short distance from this Headquarters on Via Quattro Fontane. At the same time these people were asked to leave the hotels occupied by Allied Commission officers and were billeted at the Albergo Colonna. This arrangement both as to housing and feeding seems to be working out satisfactorily.

2. In order to relieve this Headquarters from the financial responsibility caused by the difference in the cost of the "B" type American ration and the cost of the Italian Army ration, application has been made to AFHQ to authorize Land Forces Sub-Commission to place the difference as a charge against the Italian Government. The cost of the "B" type ration in the American Army is \$0.75 per ration, while the cost of the Italian Military ration is \$0.2034 per ration.

3. On 5 February 1945, Captain V. B. Hatcher, in behalf of the Acting Regional Commissioner of Lombardia Region, presented a request for rations for one Major Mario Bersellini, a Military Patriot Representative attached to the Regional Rear Headquarters in ROME, claiming that said officer was entitled to draw rations under authority Civil Affairs Section (Patriots Branch) Headquarters Allied Commission Directive 36/PAT, dated 30 October 1944. This requisition was not accepted by the Headquarters Supply Officer, and a further request was made to the Headquarters Commandant. This office, at the suggestion of the Headquarters Commandant, tried to clear the matter with Land Forces Sub-Commission. The latter, however, turned down the request for the reason specified in its letter attached hereto. (3)

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4. Since requests of this nature are made to us very frequently, and since there appears to be a conflict of authority on the subject, it is kindly requested that there be a general clarification relative to all Italian personnel attached to the Allied Commission for duty in regard to rations and billets.

For the HEADQUARTERS COMMANDANT:

Alfred A. Guarino

ALFRED A. GUARINO,
Captain, F.A.,
Billeting Officer.

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C O P Y

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (MMIA)

FILE NO: AQ/2-b

DATE: 7 Feb. 45.

SUBJECT:

TO : Billeting Officer
HQ AC

1. Invite your attention to para. 7 AFHQ Ltr. 400/033 GEG-0 of 13 Jan. 1945, subject, "Rations, clothing, hospitalization, and transportation for patriots".
2. Rations will only be issued to patriots by authority of Army Commanders through MMIA to Italian patriots at reception camps forward of Army Rear Boundaries.
3. Therefore, we regret to inform you that individuals who represent themselves as patriots in the rear areas, are not entitled to Italian military rations, but to only be subsisted as an ordinary civilian.

/s/ Tommy T. Rose, Lt.Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

TTR/ri
Copy to: ST (for information)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

42/EST

27 February 1945

SUBJECT: Civilian Mess - Office Employees

TO : Hq. Commandant, Hq., A.C.

1. Reference is made to Daily Bulletin No. 56, para. 6, 25 February 1945.
2. Nominal roll of Italian civilian employees in this office listed below:
Mrs. Elena Lante Sculder - 381
3. Enclosed is one hundred fifty lire (L.150) to cover cost of one booklet of tickets covering the period of 1st to 15th of March inclusive.

S/SGT. M.R. DAY
Establishment Section

*Received 150 lire
By G3r*

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45.

Finance Sub-Commission:

1. Attention in order to folio 44.
2. Doyon have any further comment?

Atkinsonland
for Col. DAB'S

Gen. Sec.
14 Feb

46.

To: Establishment Section

1. Returned: no further comment at this time.

RAF Winnipeg
Major
for Brigadier
Gen. Director
Finance etc

23 Feb., 1945

received
this time.

23 Feb., 1945

RF Timmons
Major
for Brigadier
Genl. Director
Finance S/C

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SWM/smd

INTER OFFICE MEMO
OFFICE OF G-4 (B)

Ext. 285

G4/114

12th February, 1945.

SUBJECT: Rations for State Employees

TO: D/C.O.S.,
Establishment Section.

Reference the attached.

1. The policy is not to grant rations to civilians, particularly as an inducement to enter Allied employment.
2. We could make application under AAI R.O. No. 252 - 44 if
 - (a) The Italians are working for an Allied unit.
 - (b) Are paid from public funds under due authority for their employment (filling a vacancy on W/E).
 - (c) Accommodated by Allied Forces.
 - (d) Cannot be messed separately on Italian civilian rations.
3. I take it that (a) and (c) are in order and that (d) could be reasonably supported, as the people concerned are single persons, presumably living away from their districts.
4. I therefore consider we can reasonably support (b), if the officials concerned are paid from AFA funds, but not if they are paid by the Italian Government.

S. W. Miller
S. W. MILLER,
Lieut. Colonel.
G-4 (B).

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTER OFFICE MEMO

(3)

From: OFFICE OF G-4 (A)

SUBJECT: Rations for Italian Civilians

FILE No. _____

TO: Deputy Chief of Staff

13 February 1945

1. Rations for Italian Civilians cannot be drawn from military stocks except for mess attendants and even then they are on a different scale.

2. It may be possible to make an arrangement with the Food Sub Commission.

Clayton C. Craig
CLAYTON C. CRAIG
Major, Infantry
G-4 (A)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FINANCE SUB COMMISSION
Tel: 478604



7 February 1945.

13065/F

SUBJECT: Provision of Rations for Italian Officials
sent forward to assist AMG in budget work.

TO : Establishment Section. ✓

1. In Allied Military Government territory the financing of all public offices, both State and local government, is based on three-monthly budget estimates founded on the normal Italian procedure but adapted to the special circumstances.
2. This system is essential to the proper control of public monies, and in order to ensure, as far as possible, the efficient and economical management of the offices and organisations concerned.
3. To carry out the work of budget control effectively a Finance Officer must acquire a good working knowledge of the Italian financial administration, so that he may make decisions which are in accordance with the law or the relative regulations.
4. Although the paramount importance of this work cannot be stressed too highly, the volume of documents is so great that it would be beyond the capacity of a single officer to give them the detailed scrutiny that is essential. For example in Lombardia Region approximately 12,000 budget estimates would be processed each quarter.
5. It must be remembered also that copies of these budgets are furnished to the Italian Government when territory is returned to its jurisdiction, and used to modify the State budget. These budgets will not only show what credits have been advanced, and for what purposes, but will serve as a record of the good stewardship of Allied Military Government, demonstrating a sound and prudent use of public funds, and preventing uncontrolled prodigality.
6. It has been found that the detailed examination of budget estimates is much facilitated and more competently performed if the work is done by an Italian official trained in public accountancy. Such officials are available and can be sent to AMG territory to assist Finance Officers in the field.
7. Difficulties of pay and lodging for these Italian officials can be overcome, but it has been found impossible to retain their very valuable services because they are unable to obtain sufficient food.

8. In view of the great assistance these officials can render to Allied Military Government, and in view of the fact that the work of each official releases at least one Allied officer, it is suggested that authority be granted to provide these Italian civilian liaison officials with rations. The total number of officials involved will be one per province, and one or two at each Regional headquarters.

9. Establishment Memorandum No. 18, Section C, para 3, provides that "Officers and officials of the Italian Government may be rationed in accordance with the scale shown in Schedule E." The D.I.D. is not however empowered to issue rations without the approval of the District Commander. Although A.A.I. R.O. 253 of 1944, dated 1st September, 1944, does not specifically mention Italian Government officials, it is urged that these officials should be regarded as key personnel working for an Allied unit. It is requested therefore that the approval of the District Commander No. 2 District be obtained for the issue of rations to the Italian officials concerned while they are engaged on budget work.



A.P. Graberhuth
Col.

Joint Director,
Finance Sub-Commission.

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INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM EXT: 301

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

SUBJECT: Billeting and Messing of Italian
Personnel

FILE No. 42/EST

TO : Headquarters Commandant

23 February 1945 *41*

1. Reference is made to your HQC/6 of 22 February.
2. Your HQC/6 of 8 February is now in the hands of G-4(B), who are preparing a revision of Est. Memo No. 18, 1944, covering the points raised in this letter.

For the Vice President, Establishment Section:

L.T. MONTANT, JR.
L.T. MONTANT, JR.,
Capt., AGO

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ALLIED COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE HEADQUARTERS COMMANDANT

SUBJECT: Billeting and Messing of Italian Personnel.

FILE No. HQC/6

TO Vice President, Establishments Section.

22 February 1945

Reference this office letter, over signature of the Billeting Officer, this Section, dated 8 February 1945, subject and file reference as above.

May a reply to this communication now please be forwarded.

R. H. Robertson
R. H. ROBERTSON
Hq. Commandant.

Colonel

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File

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ROUTINE

AMG TOSCANA REGION SUPPLY OFFICE
ALCOM FOR FOOD SC

INFORMATION ONLY

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IN CLEAR.

Your 168 of 19 January. Number of AMG employees receiving meals in this Hq and AREZZO, GROSSETO, PISA and SIENNA as follows. Soup meal 243. Heavy laborers midshift meal 8125. Not receiving either meal 1152. Returns not yet to hand for LIVORNO instructed to forward direct.

Dist

Action - G-1 (A) Civilian Pers
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
Est
File (2)
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HEADQUARTERS
15 FEB 1945 2760
A. C.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

42/EST

13 February 1945

SUBJECT: Civilian Mess - Office Employees

TO : Hq. Commandant, Hq., A.C.

1. Reference is made to Daily Bulletin No. 43, para. 5, 12 February 1945.
2. Nominal roll of Italian civilian employees in this office listed below:

Mrs. Elena Scudder

3. Enclosed is one hundred thirty lire (L 130) to cover cost of one booklet of tickets covering the period of 16 to 28 February, inclusive.

S/ST. M.R. DAY
Establishment Section

Received L 130

14/2/45 Scudder

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

6 February 1945 37

SUBJECT: Civilian Mess - Office Employees

TO : Hq., Commandant, Hq., A.C.

1. Reference is made to HQC/5/4 of 3 February 45.
2. Nominal roll of Italian civilian employees in this office listed below:

Mrs. Elena Soudder H27

3. Enclosed is eighty lire (L 80) to cover cost of one ticket for period 8 Feb. to 15 Feb.

S/Sgt M. R. Day
Establishment Section
Phone 710

Received on this
date 8.2.45
Payment for 2758
Book
Pec 9.9.45

42/EUP - Col. Fiske
TO: AMG TOSCANA REGION (ACTION) REPEAT TO ALCOM LIECHORN (INFO) REPEAT TO
FIFTEENTH ARMY GROUP (INFO)

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25 January 1945

PRIORITY

SECRET pd

1. Subject is ration scales.
2. Popular kitchen meals authorized for LIVERNO. Ration scale follows,
per person per diem, dried vegetables/pasta 28 grams, dehydrated soup 23 grams
oil 5 grams.

3. For variety dried vegetables may be used alternatively for pasta.
No repeat no foodstuffs will be issued except through medium of popular
kitchen meals. Organization will be regional and provincial responsibility.
One of attached food officers will be nominated expressly for supervision
and coordination with local authorities. Inform Hq ALCOM state of readiness
for authority for release of supplies.

Copy to: COS

FOOD SUB-SUBMISSION

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FOOD SUB-COMMISSION

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION

APC 334

Office of the Headquarters Commandant

3 February 1945

HQC/6/4

SUBJECT: Civilian Mess - Office employees.

TO : All Sub-Commissions, Sections and Branches,
this Headquarters.

1. The Italian civilian employees' mess will commence on Thursday, 8 Feb 1945.

2. The mid-day meal will only be served on production of a ticket which is valid for one day only.

3. Booklets of tickets, costing ten (10) lire per ticket and covering the period 8 Feb to 15 Feb will be sold in Room 33, 1st Floor, on Monday and Tuesday, 8 and 9 February, between the hours of 0800 and 1200, and 1400 and 1600. Booklets will not be sold outside the above dates or times.

4. To obtain booklets, Sub-Commissions, Branches, etc. should prepare nominal rolls in duplicate of all employees wishing to avail themselves of the mid-day meal. These rolls, together with cash, i.e. 50 lire per person to cover the period stated above, will be forwarded to Room 33, 1st Floor. The duplicate copy of nominal roll will be returned, receipted for the cash received, and the required number of books; the original copy will be retained by this office for reference and as a receipt for the number of booklets issued.

5. Booklets are not transferable from one employee to another and no reimbursement will be made for unused tickets, except on termination of employment.

6. Under AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No. 47, dated 16 Nov 44, two (2) lire per day will continue to be deducted from the pay through payrolls of civilian employees partaking of the mid-day meal.

7. Heavy Labourers. - Booklets of tickets will also be issued to those employees classified for heavy labourers' meal. These employees will be shown separately on the rolls. No further change will be made against these employees.

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2. The mid-day meal will only be served on production of a ticket which is valid for one day only.

3. Booklets of tickets, costing ten (10) lire per ticket and covering the period 8 Feb to 15 Feb will be sold in Room 33, 1st floor, on Monday and Tuesday, 5 and 6 February, between the hours of 0800 and 1200, and 1400 and 1600. Booklets will not be sold outside the above dates or times.

4. To obtain booklets, Sub-Commissions, Branches, etc. should prepare nominal rolls in duplicate of all employees wishing to avail themselves of the mid-day meal. These rolls, together with cash, i.e. 80 lire per person to cover the period stated above, will be forwarded to Room 33, 1st floor. The duplicate copy of nominal roll will be returned, receipted for the cash received, and the required number of books; the original copy will be retained by this office for reference and as a receipt for the number of booklets issued.

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7. Heavy labourers. - Booklets of tickets will also be issued to those employees classified for heavy labourers' meal. These employees will be shown separately on nominal rolls. No further charge will be made against these employees, other than the seven (7) lire per day as at present being deducted on the payrolls.

8. Organizations, etc. whose employees are not being paid from A.G. funds will draw booklets at the rate of twelve (12) lire per day for office personnel and seven (7) lire per day for heavy labourers.

R. H. Robertson Colonel
R. H. ROBERTSON
Hq. Commandant.

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LABOR DIVISION AND 5TH ARMY

ALCOM

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FOR INFORMATION

IN CLEAR.

Estimate of figures derived from reports as of 19 January follows.

Heavy workers midshift meal, 29350. Soup meal, 210. Employees not partaking of either, 2000.

Number of employees fed 3 meals per day from Army stocks, 5400.

Employees prefer new Army messes, providing 1 or 3 meals per day, to hvy worker ration as provided for from ALCOM stores.

LIST

FOR INFORMATION

INFO-ACTION: G-1(A) Civ Pers 2
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Ext Sec
Labor S/O
File 2
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27 JAN 1915

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ALLIED COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE HEADQUARTERS COMMANDANT

SUBJECT: Rations - Civilian Drivers.

FILE No. HQC/10/12

TO : Deputy Chief of Staff, Establishments Section. 23 January 1945

Reference letter 42/23/EST, dated 22 January 1945, enclosing extract letter from Regional Commissioner, Southern Region.

It would appear that the drivers referred to were in NAPLES on duty with assigned vehicles. The Dispatch Office invariably checks to insure that drivers of pool vehicles are in possession of rations and blankets. It is doubtful if the rations can be described as adequate, but the scale is as laid down by the Food Sub-Commission and is in accordance with Daily Bulletin No. 150, dated 24 June 1944.

R. H. Robertson
R. H. ROBERTSON
Hq. Commandant.

Colonel

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ROUTINE

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HQ ALCOM

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1. Subject is your signal 168 of 19 January.
2. Total civilians employed by British Forces is 6650. Neither midshift nor soup meal issued.
3. Total employed by US Navy is 3200. Midshift meal issued to 2900. Soup meal not issued.
4. Total employed by Allied Commission is 450. No midshift or soup meal issued.

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Action - G-1 (A) Civilian personnel
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
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8.04/ES

LDD/ee

4 January 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, FOOD S/C -

Subject: Feeding of Civilian Employees, HQ, AC

1. Reference attached

- a) Ltr 3 Jan 45, ref 8.04/ES, from Col. Bensmore to Food S/C, with attachments
- b) memo 4 Jan 45, Ref 43-3/ / Food, to Col. Bensmore from Col. Legg.

2. The Chief Commissioner was very much disturbed this morning at the Vice Presidents' meeting when I reported that in order to solve the situation with respect to providing a proper meal for employees of HQ, AC, we were working with ONAMRO. He expressed his appreciation for the willingness of the Church organization to assist but felt that it was unfair to use their resources for employees of the Allied Forces.

3. Would you please indicate to me just what contribution ONAMRO will make and the part we will play in the matter?

4. The Chief Commissioner is most desirous that the food be obtained from Allied sources or from imported civilian supplies, if this is at all possible. He had directed the Chief of Staff to write a strong letter to AFHQ with respect to AFHQ Administrative Memo. #56 of 9 Dec 44 which provides that office personnel will receive only dehydrated vegetables and soup powder.

5. The Chief Commissioner has indicated that while he does not want to turn to ONAMRO in order to provide the meal for HQ AC civilian employees, yet he will not deny the employees such assistance. It appears that our inability to provide is due to the AFHQ directive and the extreme tightness of the supply situation and availability of miscellaneous supplies.

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6. The above information is submitted to you as it is felt you would need it in connection with your 5 January 1945 meeting on this matter.

L. D. DENSMORE
Colonel, F A
ADCOS, E/S

cc: COS
VP, Est Sect

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ROUTINE

INFO REAR 8 ARMY
HQ ALONG INFO HQ 15 ARMY GP FOR CIVIL AFFAIRS

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RESTRICTED.

Your 158 of 19 January. Midshift meal not provided in this
area.

Dist

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Action - G-1 (A) Civilian Exp ()
Info - a/Pres
Chief Commissioner
Ext Sec
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22 JAN 1950
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Establishment Section

19 January 1945

Ref./42/22/EST

SUBJECT; Supplementary Rations for Civilian Workers
TO ; Allied Force Local Resources Section A.F.H.Q.

1. Reference is made to your letter LRS/213D/46, -24
dtd 16 Jan 45.
2. Information submitted as requested in your letter
(LRS/213D/43) in reference. Copy attached.

3. It is pointed out that figures submitted pertain
only to Headquarters of Allied Commission, and do not in-
clude Regions. This Headquarters will contact regions for
required information and submit same, if desired.

N.E. Fiske
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff.

Incl.
Ltr., 42/17/EST.AC.,HQ.,
Establishment Section Dtd. 15 Jan 45

ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
A.F.L.R.S.

LRS/213D/46.

Postal Address
AFIRS, Rome Area
Allied Command
C.M.F.
TEL : ROME 66275
16 January 1945.

SUBJECT : Supplementary Rations for Civilian Workers.
TO : C-in-C, Med.
D.Lab., AFHQ
G-4 (A) GPA, AFHQ
Comdr., U.S. EIGHT Fleet
NAAF (A).
Chief of Staff, HQ, AC.

1. In order that the extension of the Midshift Meal can be studied, an early reply to this office letter LRS/213D/43 - 10 dated 6 JAN 45 would be appreciated.

/S/
/T/ THOMAS R. GIBSON, Col, AUS,
Chief of Section (US),
A.F.L.R.S.

SJDL/ga.

/S/
/T/ A.A. CURRY, Brigadier,
Chief of Section (ER),
A.F.L.R.S.

Copies to:- HQ, AC, Food Sub-Commission
HQ, AC, Labour Sub-Commission
AFIRS, AFHQ (CASERTA).

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

42/23/EST

22 January 1945

SUBJECT: Rations - Civilian Drivers
TO : Hq. Commandant

The attached extract of a letter received at this Hq. from Brigadier J. K. Dunlop, O.B.E.; M.C.; T.D., Regional Commissioner, Southern Region, is forwarded to you for your information and any action considered necessary.

NORMAN R. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff

cc: Assistant, A.C.
(for publication of appropriate notice in Daily Bulletin)
R.C. Southern Region

incl: Extract letter, R.C.
HQ. Reg., Fd/ER/1,
19 Jan. 1945

SUBJECT:

Personnel on Temporary Duty.

RED/ER/1
19 Jan 45

HQ.,
Allied Commission.

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2. Several cases have also occurred of civilian drivers accompanying officers on duty from Rome, arriving without adequate rations. This HQ has no authority to feed civilian drivers, and, therefore, I should be grateful if you would take steps to ensure that civilian drivers who accompany officers from Rome to this Region on temporary duty, are adequately provided for before they leave

Field
C.M.F.
R.A.S.

s/Dunlop, Brig,
Regional Commissioner,
Allied Commission, Southern Region.

Copy to: S.O. (Adm), Region HQ.

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BUCK SLIP

DATE:

January 1945.

HEADQUARTERS

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

From

To

	Col. A. P. Graftey-Smith	
	Col. E. H. Foley, Jr.	
	Col. H. G. Crawshaw	
	Lt-Col. A. H. F. Stephan	
	Lieut-Comdr. J. J. Lawler, USCGR	
	Major J. H. Penick	
	Major B. E. L. Timmons	
	Major A. J. Baxter	
	Major J. Osmon	
	Major P. D. Banning	
	Major W. E. Price	
	Major J. R. H. Hall	
	Capt. A. Kamarek	
	Capt. A. B. Hecker	
	Capt. V. A. Catozella	
	Lieut. H. J. Tasca, USNR	
	Lieut. (Jg) J. E. Hicks, USCGR	
✓	SSM Angibault	
	<i>Establishment Section</i>	✓
	Economic Section	
	Message Center	

FOR:

..... Recommendations & Remarks Necessary Action and return
✓ Information & Retention Perusal & Return
..... Approval or Disapproval Filing
..... Investigation & Report Despatch
..... Necessary Action and retention

REMARKS:

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

Date *15 Jan 45*

FROM

Finance Sub-Com

TO

Deputy Chief of Staff

☒ Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

G-4 (B)

Headquarters Commandant

Adjutant

FOR:

Draft of reply for signature of

Please see/telephone me about this
Investigation and report

Answer

Signature

Approval/Disapproval

Your Information and return, *please*

Your File

K.T. Houlant

ALLIED COMMISSION	
OFFICE OF THE HEADQUARTERS COMMANDANT	
15 JAN 1945 FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION	JR. DIRECTOR CH. ACCT. HQ. A. F. A. C. R. O. FILE No. HQC/7 INSURANCE BUDGETS 13 January 1945 P. C. DIV. BANKS & STATS.

SUBJECT: Billeting - Civilian Personnel.

TO : D.C.O.S.
Establishments Section.

Reference Finance Sub-Commission letter 13128/F, dated 10 January 45, addressed to you and which is returned herewith.

Arrangements have been made to accommodate Mr. George J. Boyer at the civilian hostel, Albergo Colonna. He should be instructed to report in the first instance to the Billeting Officer, Capt. Guarino, Room 48, 1st Floor, please.

Seen	
A.P.G.S.	
J.J.L.	
B.E.L.T.	
R.H.A.	
P.F.P.	

R. H. Robertson Lt. Col.
R. H. ROBERTSON
Hq. Commandant.

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Action taken
by [signature] Capt R.A.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

Ref: I3128/F

Subject:- Civilian Personnel

To:- Deputy Chief of Staff, Establishments Section,
H.Q. Allied Commission.

10 January 1945.

GEORGE J. BOYER.

1. It will be appreciated if permission to live at the Pensione Marini can be granted to the above-mentioned civilian employee of this Sub-Commission. The circumstances of his case, which are detailed below, lead us to think that everything possible should be done to assist this man.
2. Mr. Boyer is a British Subject, who was brought to Italy from the Riviera, after the Italian declaration of war, and spent four years in an Internment Camp, during which time he took steps to renew his British Passport, through the Swiss Legation. Upon being freed in June 1944, he made for Rome, and within five days of arriving here, he was engaged by the Allied Commission, with whom he has worked continuously since.
3. It would appear that the only argument against his being accommodated at the Pensione Marini is that he is not an employee brought to Rome by the Allied Commission. You will observe, however, that in his case, this is a technicality, as he has in fact, no home in Rome, or anywhere else in Italy. Furthermore, it is a poor return for this employee's loyalty to the country of his nationality that he should find himself at a disadvantage in this particular matter, as against Italian civilians who were brought to Rome by the Commission.
4. Mr. Boyer is a valued employee of this Sub-Commission, whom we do not wish to lose, and is giving very good service with the Accounting Sub-Section, for which he is amply qualified. It is therefore hoped that you can see your way to granting this request.

A. J. Grassie Smith
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JOINT DIRECTOR,
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION. 2744

HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. ARMY

File
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R/3230

5 January 1945

SUBJECT: Rations for Civilian Drivers

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, (Attention: Establishment Section)

1. Reference your 42/EST, above subject, dated 22 December.
2. Certain ambiguities have arisen in connection with the issuance of rations to civilian drivers. Paragraph 10 of Daily Bulletin, Headquarters A.C.C., No. 217, dated 30 August was not taken into consideration by this headquarters since it seemed to pertain only to Headquarters Allied Commission. A letter was written by this headquarters to the Establishment Section on the subject of civilian employees' travelling allowance, R/4265 dated 22 November and an answer was received from the Establishment Section, Ref 42/EST dated 12 December, copies of both letters are inclosed for your convenience.
3. Today the Company Commander of Co. "C" has been authorized by telephone from 2675th Regiment to issue Army rations to civilian drivers driving American officers when they are taken outside of their normal place of employment. Up to the present, the British detachment has received no equivalent orders for the drivers of British officers. It had been understood that civilian drivers were to carry with them on trips to Rome or any other trips outside of their home boundaries those civilian rations authorized to civilian drivers for which they pay from 300 to 400 lire per month. It was then up to each driver to use those rations for travelling outside his home district. This was in accordance with your letter Etab/386.2, Rations and Accommodation, dated 29 September 1944, a copy of which is attached.
4. For a period, American rations were being issued to civilian drivers until it was discovered that no authority had been received by the American Company for the issuance of these rations. From this point on, no more rations were issued until authority was received today as stated above.
5. It is requested that a clarification be made or authority be given for the issuance of military rations from both American and

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British sources, as well as a clarification for the payment of travelling allowance for civilian drivers as requested in our abovementioned letter R/4265 dated 26 November, herewith attached.

For the Regional Commissioner:

/s/ Paul Revere
/t/ PAUL REVERE
Major, AGD
Adjutant

- 3 Incls.
Incl 1. Copy of ltr Estab/386.2 of 29/9/44
Incl 2. Copy of ltr R/4265 of 22/11/44
Incl 3. Copy of ltr 42/EST of 12/12/44

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Clayton C. Craig
CLAYTON C. CRAIG
Major, Infantry

430.0 S-4 1st Ind. CMP/CCC/tbw
HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION, ESTABLISHMENT SECTION, APO 394, US ARMY,
17 January, 1945.

TO: Regional Commissioner, Southern Region, Allied Commission, APO 394,
US Army.

1. It is regretted that your letter is based on misinformation and a misunderstanding of authorization.

2. There is no authority to feed Italian civilian drivers rations from US Army stocks. Par 10, Daily Bulletin No 217, this Headquarters, refers to a non-military ration provided by the Food Sub-Commission. Par 3, Daily Bulletin No 150 and Par 2, Daily Bulletin No 151, this Headquarters, also refer to non-military rations provided by the Food Sub-Commission and not drawn from military stocks.

For the Deputy Chief of Staff:

3 Incl: n/c

C. M. PARKIN
Colonel, Infantry
Executive Officer (US)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

42/17/EST

15 January 1945

Subject: Supplementary Rations for Civilian Workers.

To : Allied Forces Local Resources Section, AFHQ.

1. Ref. atchd ltr., (IRS/213D/43) Allied Forces Local Resources Section, AFHQ., dtd 6 Jan 45. *21*

2. Information submitted as follows:

(a) Employees receiving "Soup Meal"	450
(b) Employees receiving heavy laborer "Mid-Shift Meal"	710
(c) Employees not partaking in either (a) or (b) above	50

3. It is logical to assume that if the Mid-Shift meal as now provided to heavy laborers should be extended to all other employees of Allied Commission, figures quoted in (a) and (c) would be absorbed in (b) above making a grand total of 1210.

N. F.
NORMAN F. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff

1 Incl.

Ltr., IRS/213D/43, Allied Forces
Local Resources Section, AFHQ
dtd 6 Jan 45.

ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
A.F.H.Q.

LRS/213D/43.

Postal Address :
AFHRS, Rome Area
Allied Command,
C.M.F.
TEL : ROMAN 66275

6 January 1945

SUBJECT : Supplementary Rations for Civilian Workers.

TO : 1 G-1/G, Med.
D.Lab., AFHQ.
G-4 (A) CPA, AFHQ.
Comdr., U.S. EIGHTH Fleet.
MAAF (A).
MAAF (B).
Chief of Staff, HQ, AC.

1. To permit the Food Sub-Commission of HQ AC to estimate the commitment which would arise if the Mid-Shift meal, as now supplied to heavy workers, should be extended to all other employees of the Allied Armed Forces, will you please forward to this Section the numbers of such employees employed by you who are not at present entitled to a Mid-Shift meal.

G-1 AMERICAN
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Thomas R. Gibson

THOMAS R. GIBSON, Col., AUS,
Chief of Section (US),
A.F.L.R.S.

SRL/SS.

A. A. Gorry

A. A. GORRY, Brigadier,
Chief of Section (BR),
A.F.L.R.S.

Copies to:- HQ, AC, Food Sub-Commission.

HQ, AC, Labour Sub-Commission.

AFHRS, AFHQ (CASERTA).

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HEADQUARTERS
8 JAN 1945
A. C.

Ext: 301

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

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5 January 1945

Ref/42/EST

SUBJECT: Accommodation

TO : All Regional Commissioners.

1. In the past there has been difficulty of officers of this Headquarters when visiting Regional and Provincial Headquarters securing accommodation for their drivers when these are either Italian Army or civilian personnel, and it is suggested that in order to help in the easy procurement of such accommodation, as it is necessary for this Headquarters to employ both Italian Army and civilian personnel as drivers, a list should be maintained at your Headquarters and at each of your Provincial Headquarters of suitable lodgings where drivers can be accommodated.

2. All drivers leaving this Headquarters are furnished with the rations to cover their period of absence; they also carry with them their own blankets. Consequently, all that is required is somewhere where they can be furnished with a bed and some cooking facilities.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

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Ref 42/EST

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N. E. Fiske
NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff

EXT: 301

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

22 December 1944

42/EST

SUBJECT: Rations for Civilian Drivers.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region.

1. Your Headquarters is making a practice of sending civilian drivers to this Headquarters on a 2-day journey with travel orders but with no rations. These drivers have very little money and are unable to obtain food.

2. In the past this Headquarters has been able to issue civilian rations in accordance with Daily Bulletin No. 217, dated 30 August 44, but it has been impossible to collect the payment for such rations issued.

3. My instructions please be issued that all civilian drivers proceeding to this Headquarters should be issued with rations in accordance with the aforementioned Daily Bulletin notice, so that your civilian drivers when in ROME may have their own rations.

4. Facilities exist in this Headquarters for accommodating such drivers, along with facilities for the cooking of rations which they bring with them.

Key
NORMAN B. FISKE,
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff

cc: Hq. Commandant

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

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Date

FROM

TO

Deputy Chief of Staff ☒

☒ Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

G-4 (B)

☒ Headquarters Commandant

Adjutant

FOR:

Approval

Draft of reply for signature of
Please see/telephone me about this
Investigation and report
Answer
Signature
Approval/Disapproval
Your Information and return
Your File

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DRAFT

21 December 1944

SUBJECT: Rations for civilian drivers.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region.

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cc: Hq. Council

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, ~~Gen.~~,
~~Vice President, Est Sec.~~
Deputy Chief of Staff

Bill: type for Col's signature.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ECONOMIC SECTION

LDD/es

Tel: 546

ES/2B

2 November 1944

SUBJECT: Billeting of Civilians

TO : Establishment Section.

1. Reference is made to 40/Est of 29 October 1944 from Establishment Section, above subject.

2. Preliminary investigation relative to living allowances paid Foreign Economic Administration personnel attached to the AC reveals that this issue concerns every branch of the Federal Government and the UNRRA serving overseas.

3. The FEA civilian personnel received a per diem travel allowance, which was discontinued upon arrival at destination. They each receive a living allowance, scaled according to base pay.

4. It is proposed that until complete docket of information is secured, no action be taken as the prevailing allowance has been determined by the Director of the Bureau of the Budget of the United States for all liberated areas and for all civilian employees stationed therein.

5. Further investigation is being made by the Economic Section and a ruling from Washington by cable will be secured if found necessary. A further report will be made.

For the Acting Deputy Chief of Staff:

L. D. Densmore

L. D. DENSMORE
Colonel, F. A.
Chief Staff Officer
Economic Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

Phone 301

Ref/40/Est

LTM/mrd
29 October 1944

Subject: Billeting of Civilians

To : Vice President, Economic Section, A.C.

1. Attention is invited to the attached correspondence with regard to the accommodation of civilians (American) of Economic Section, assigned to Allied Commission through FEA.

2. In connection with this problem, the following points arise:

a. Is the allowance stated to be paid to the FEA personnel primarily a travelling allowance, to cease upon termination of the travel involved, and arrival at a permanent station of assignment, or is it an allowance intended principally to defray the increased costs of living consequent upon

- (1) assignment outside the Continental U.S.
- (2) living away from home.

b. It is understood that the civilians in question are presently paying for subsistence furnished through Army sources, at the same rate as that charged officers of the Commission (American).

c. It is understood that no payment is currently being made for quarters.

d. Does, in the opinion of the fiscal authorities of the FEA, the type of quarters (and the method by which payment therefor is made) constitute government-furnished quarters, inasmuch as it is believed that actually payment for the requisitioned hotels occupied by the Allied Commission is made by the Italian Government as part of occupation costs under the armistice?

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e. In view of the above, does there exist the possibility that, on final audit of the pay accounts of the personnel involved, the Comptroller General may rule the per diem/ travelling allowance/ living allowance now being paid as irregular, or constituting, at least in part, a double payment by the Government, and order the recoupment of all or part thereof?

3. May this office be supplied with your views on the subject, please?

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Chief of Staff

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE HEADQUARTERS COMMANDANT

SUBJECT: Billeting of Civilians.

FILE No. HQC/7

TO: Vice President,
Establishments Section.

27 October 1944

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The attached letter from the Billeting Officer is forwarded for your information.

I have received numerous complaints in respect of these civilian secretaries, and, although the Flora Hotel was originally reserved for officers of field rank only, I have taken no action to date as it was on the orders of the A/Chief Commissioner that these young ladies were billeted at the Flora.

R. H. Robertson Lt. Col.
R. H. ROBERTSON
Hq. Commandant.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394

27 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Billeting of Civilians

TO : Headquarters Commandant

It has come to the attention of this office that some of the civilians that are reporting to this Headquarters for duty are being paid a per diem for daily living expenses. These per diems vary in amount from three dollars and fifty cents per day to seven dollars per day. These employees are paid this money in order to defray any expenses that they might incur for quarters and rations. At the present time they are living in requisitioned military billets and are paying nothing for their quarters.

A number of the officers who are billeted at the Flora Hotel have complained to this office on the ground that these civilians are being billeted in a hotel that was originally set aside for field grade officers and are paying nothing for their rooms when in fact they are receiving monetary allowances for their quarters from the United States Government. Many of these people are occupying single rooms.

It has been necessary at times to billet some of our field grade officers with officers of company grades in such hotels as the Milano, Esperia, Lugano and Bella Vista. This is due to the fact that there is not sufficient room in the Flora Hotel to accommodate all of our field grade officers as well as all of the civilians that are now working with this Headquarters.

Some of the officers are of the opinion that as long as these people are receiving financial allowances for quarters, they should hire their own billets rather than to occupy rooms requisitioned for the military personnel who do not receive any such monetary assistance.

The number of complaints reaching this office on this question have prompted me to submit this report to you for your information.

Alfred A. Guarino
Alfred A. Guarino 273
Captain FA
Billeting Officer

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

Phone 478153

Ref/952/CA

NEF/mrd
26 September 1944

SUBJECT: Mess and Billets for A.C.C. Civilian
Personnel in Rome

TO : Acting Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission

I am enclosing a report on the situation with respect to the messing and billeting of the civilian personnel which we brought up from the south. You will note that there are presently about fifty people who are receiving rations and quarters. It is recommended that we provide rations and quarters for only those employees who are deemed essential and who are nonresidents of Rome. They are fifteen in number and are checked in blue on the attached enclosure. It is further recommended that any subsequent additions to this list be made only on the authority of the Chief Commissioner. If you concur, I shall issue orders to the Headquarters Commandant giving effect to these recommendations. You may wish too to reconsider the case of members of the Italian Government checked in red on the enclosure.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Tele. 489081 - Ext. 280

23 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Billeting of civilian employees.

MEMO TO: Deputy Executive Commissioner, A.C.C.

1. Herewith report on billeting situation made by the Civilian Personnel Section of G-1. As an enclosure you will find a list of employees with a notation as to whether or not they are key personnel. You will *note* that those indicated as key personnel total fifteen only.

2. I suggest that the following recommendations be made to the Acting Chief Commissioner:

- a. That only key expert personnel be billeted and messed.
- b. That they be non-residents of Rome.
- c. That no civilian employees be billeted without the written authorisation of the Acting Chief Commissioner or an officer designated by him.

3. If you concur in the above, I will immediately issue orders to the Headquarters Commandant giving effect to these recommendations.

E. L. Clough
E. L. CLOUGH,
Colonel, A.C.C.,
Executive Officer.

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INTERNEES & DISPLACED PERSON SUB-COMMISSION,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
C.M.F.

IDP/1720/24

September 22nd 1944.

To:-

Colonel Clough,

~~Assistant Superintendent Officer,~~

SUBJECT: Key civilian personnel.

Bernard DAWSON (British national) - Administrative assistant
Isidor LEVI (Yugoslav national) - Supervisor
Karl W. STEIN (Czech national) - Supervisor

The above-mentioned employees of this Sub-Commission are vital to the operations of our Record Bureau. Due to their key positions, they were brought here from Bari and are not normal residents of Rome. It is therefore requested that their present billeting and feeding arrangements be continued.

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Colonel - Director.

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Colonel - Director.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
G-1 Section Civilian Personnel

Ref/G-1/Civ.Pers./41

22 September 1944

SUBJECT: Quarters and Rations of Displaced Civilian Employees.

TO : Executive Commissioner, ACC.

1. Attached is a petition from civilian employees who have been notified that they can no longer receive quarters and rations after this month.

2. Serious consideration should be given to this petition for the following reasons;

a. Some of the petitioners are actually key personnel in ACC. Their resignations, probable in most cases, would seriously interfere with the efficiency of some offices. See attached letters from Education and Agriculture Sub-Commissions.

b. Actually only fifteen persons are involved. See inclosure No 1.

c. Officer and EM/OR strength of this Headquarters is being reduced, making retention of key civilian personnel particularly advisable.

d. When ACC functions finally revert to the Italian Government key civilians will be most valuable.

3. Data pertinent to the problem are;

a. At present about fifty persons are receiving rations and quarters, of whom fifteen are considered really key employees.

b. British rations are not being furnished. A hotel operating staff of sixteen persons is employed. See attached letter from Billeting Officer.

c. A deduction of 900 lire per month is made from the payrolls of employees receiving rations.

4. It is recommended that the above fifteen persons continue to receive quarters and rations if possible under existing regulations and if not possible higher authority be requested to make a

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 - b. British rations are now being furnished. A hotel operating staff of sixteen persons is employed. See attached letter from Billeting Officer.
 - c. A deduction of 900 lire per month is made from the payrolls of employees receiving rations.

4. It is recommended that the above fifteen persons continue to receive quarters and rations if possible under existing regulations and if not possible higher authority be requested to make a ruling on the case. In the event that rations cannot be furnished by any means it is suggested that quarters be provided and the employees assisted in establishing and operating their own cooperative mess.

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R.R. SMALL
Major, CAC
G-1 Section
Civilian Personnel.

Inclosures;

- Incl. -1 List of essential Employees (in dupl.)
- Incl. -2 Letter and list of employees from Billeting Officer.
- Incl. -3 Letter from Education S/C.
- Incl. -4 Letter from Agriculture S/C.
- Incl. -5 Petition from Employees.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

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19 Sep 44.

SUBJECT : Civilian Employees.

TO : Dep. Ex. Commissioner.

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- 1 Vice President Administrative Section directs me to forward to you the attached letter which has been addressed to Ex. Commissioner with copy to this Section. This is in furtherance of the A/CC's meeting yesterday morning, and our conversation afterwards.
- 2 May this Section please be furnished with a copy of the cancellation of the order to ~~evacuate~~ ^{can providing} these employees with accommodation and rations.

R.R. Cripps
R.R. CRIPPS
for VP Admin Section

Ext. 608
RRC/mt

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Incl. 2

19 Sept 1944

SUBJECT: Civilian Employees Billeted at the Colonna Hotel.
TO : Major Small.

1. Below you will find a list of all of the key civilian employees that are billeted in the Colonna Hotel and to whom we are feeding British rations under the authority as granted by Brigadier Lush at the present time. Previously this authority had been granted by Lt. Gen Mason MacFarlane. In addition to these employees there is billeted a family of five people in accordance with the request made by Lt. Col Brister of the Italian Refugee Sub-Commission. This family by the name of Del Gaizo does not get army rations but is fed by the Italian Refugee Branch. At the present time there is a staff of sixteen people employed at the hotel to care for these key civilian employees. This includes mess as well as hotel personnel. The family of the owner (joint owners) is also housed there but receives no rations from army sources of any kind.. Five (5) of the civilians on attached list are Italian Government officials and stay there at the order of Capt. Stone relayed to this office by Major Severn. The original proposal for the transfer of these people was made by British G-1 in letter 16036/4/9-1 of 1st July 1944. Major Farrar at that time compiled the list. Subsequently Hq. A.C.C. issued the orders on which these people were brought to Rome.

Alfred A. Guarino 2720
ALFRED A. GUARINO
Capt., F. A.
Billeting Officer.

Sig. Salvatore Spalice

Sig. Armando Carta

Sig. Roberto Romano

Sig. Angelo Sullam

Sig. Isodoro Levi

Sig. Eugenio Damiano

Sig. Carmine Marasio

Sig. Giovanni Ascione

Signa. Giuseppina Squillante

Signa. Maria Chiaia (at present housing only)

Signa. Letiza Costa

Signorina Santa Aletta

Sig. Sylvestro De Luca

Sig. Corrado De Luca

Sig. Ezio Catto

Sig. Antonio Pisapia

Signa. Ada Cafaro

Signa. Sera Cafaro

Signa. Lidia Larena

Signa. Maria Buonincontri

Sig. Domenic Fucile

Sig. Federico Gera

Sig. Bernardo Dawson

Sig. Beniamino Vigoriti X

Sig. Alberto Gemelli

Signa Anna Pedretti

Signa Gabriella Rombo

Signa Lidia Rosati

Sig. Oscar Capocci

Signa. Olga Geraci

Sig. Giuseppe Cipolet

Sig. Guido Labriola

Sig. Raffaele Melchionda

Sig. Enrico La Loggia

Sig. Lidio Avallone

Sig. Ulisse D'Antuoni

Sig. Carlo Chimenti

Sig. Carmine Sanges

Sig. Francesco Pironti

Italian Government Officials.

Sig. Giuseppe De Meo

Sig. Antonio Tropeano

Sig. Arturo Giordano

X Sig. Beniamino Vigoriti

Sig. Alfredo De Liguoro

At present out on orders but still
authorized in case of return:
Professor Bergami, Undersecretary
of Agriculture of Italian Gov't.

Signa. Maria Schanzer

Omitted in error as per
Capt., Guarino ;
Scattaretico, Ermanno

Inclosure 5

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

18 September 1944.

TO : Brigadier Lush, Executive Commissioner.
(Through G-I Civilian Personnel)

Sir,

It was a very sad blow to hear that on the 30th Sept. 44, we were to give up the accommodations which were given to us when we first came to Rome.

When the A.C.C. came to Naples and Salerno and needed the help of skilled workers with knowledge of English, we gladly accepted employment, giving up our various occupations which have since been filled by others, then, later, to maintain the efficiency of the ACC office work, you asked us to come with you to Rome, thereby burning our bridges behind us, we also did so most willingly. It would now be exceedingly difficult to return to Naples and Salerno with no definite work in view.

We all have been very happy working for the ACC and if our services have been satisfactory to you, we would like very much to continue. We understand you have difficulties in giving us quarters and rations but we think you should consider our position, being away from home, and the difficulty and very few possibilities of finding accommodation elsewhere. Please try your best to continue helping us as you have done so far.

If quarters and rations are absolutely impossible for you to grant, could you please consider the granting of either one of these. This would enable us to continue our working for the ACC under conditions which, while still very difficult, would not be impossible.

Respectfully

Sara Cafaro

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Respectfully

Sara Cafaro

Ed. Rombos

G. E. Grant

Costa Felixis

Santa Maria
- Ada Cafaro.

Stefano Lellano

RMB
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Francesco Sueni

Guido Galanti

Rosebi Lollia

Maria G. Spicanti

1. 10/10/49 Antonio

Bucurruccini, J. Maria

W. J. J. J. J. J.

Lydia Larena

William L. L. L.

Lydia Larena

(Submitted by committee composed of
Rombos, Gabriella Education S/C
Pironti, Francesco Agriculture
Cafaro, Ada Public Safety)

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
EDUCATION SUBCOMMISSION
APO 394

CWW/r

18 September, 1944.

SUBJECT : Specialist Civilian Personnel.

TO : G-1, A.C.C.
Attention - Major R.R. Small.

REF. : R4/ED/ 1.4

Reference your G-1/Civ.Pers./20 of 9 Sept.

1. This order, under existing circumstances, is tantamount to the dismissal of the specialist civilian staff of the Subcommission; for the lowest cost of three meals a day in restaurants in Rome is 300 lire per day, or 9000 lire per month. Pension is practically unobtainable. I have made enquiries in the eight leading real estate agencies and find that there are no available furnished apartments. It is, therefore, impossible for persons who do not already have their homes and families in Rome to secure food and lodging.

2. Some of the Subcommissions, including this one, made long and diligent search in Salerno and Naples for the best obtainable professional assistants. Having found them and our responsibility being increased while our military personnel was decreased, we came to rely heavily on these Italian specialists. We, therefore, asked them to come to Rome with us. They know our work and policies and would be always very difficult to replace, and in some instances impossible to replace.

3. In the case of the Education Subcommission, our professional assistant, Dr. Gabriella Rombo, is the only person who combines all the qualifications we need. She is highly educated (Ph.D, University of London); highly cultured (daughter of an Italian Admiral and Diplomat); experienced in the field of education (taught seven years at the University of London, then in the University of Naples); and very intelligent,

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efficient, and gracious. Such a person is a rare find and of inestimable value to this Subcommission which must deal with the most highly educated elements in Italy. At the present time she is in the midst of supervising the translation of British and American books in the field of education, to fill a need felt by the Minister of Public Instruction and Italian educators and to make available here this aspect of Allied thought to practice. She is directing a commission on the defascistization of the thousands of secondary school textbooks. She makes almost daily contacts for us with various officials of the Ministry of Public Instruction, saving us endless time and adding greatly to our efficiency.

4. At the present time of changes in Allied military personnel and impending turn-over to Allied civilian personnel, continuity of function makes the retention of highly qualified specialists, who know all the ropes, as important as is the retention of career civil servants at home when governments change. It would be a major catastrophe to our work and that of our successors to lose, now, the best and most qualified of our civilian specialists.

5. You are, therefore, earnestly requested to rescind your order, at least insofar as it applies to specialists who worked with us in Salerno and Naples and who came to Rome at our request because of our urgent need of their help.

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SUBJECT : Discontinuance of Civilian Employees' Quarters and Rations.

TO : G-1 - Section Civilian Personnel
(attention Major R.R.Small).

1. This refers to your G-1/Civ.Pers./20 of 9th September, 44, which states that it will no longer be possible to furnish Quarters and Rations to Civilian Employees.
2. This decision affects three of the employees of this Sub-Commission, namely, Prof. Angelo Sullam, Technical Adviser on bonifica and land settlements; Dr. Oscar Capocci, Legal Adviser, and Dr. Francesco Pirenti, Technical Agricultural Adviser.
3. These three employees will not be able to continue to live in Rome, and their loss will be a serious blow to this Sub-Commission.
4. It is requested that the decision be rescinded, insofar as these three men are concerned, for the following reasons:-
 - a. All three came with the Sub-Commission from Naples after several months of service there, during which they proved their usefulness, and became acquainted with the work of the Sub-Commission.
 - b. They are all three Technicians or Professional men, and have qualifications which make them particularly suited to the work. Dr. Sullam is the outstanding non-Fascist authority in Italy on bonifica, having been associated with the whole development for many years; Dr. Capocci is a well known lawyer with much experience of land legislation, and speaks English fluently; Dr. Pirenti knows the agriculture of Italy well, and has proved to be an exceptionally good man for contacts with Italian Officials and Farmers.
 - c. No one of these three men came for the sake of the money he could earn; all came enthusiastic to help the Allies and Italy.

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d. A further reason for keeping them, is that of the change in personnel of Officers in the Sub-Commission; ~~they~~ are being replaced by Allied Civilians; change in Italian personnel at this time is extremely awkward.

5. We will be extremely grateful if you can make such arrangements as will enable these men to continue their work with the Sub-Commission.

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