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SUBJECT: Future Policy Toward Italy.

TO : Supreme Allied Commander, Mediterranean Theater.

1. Italy is at the parting of the ways. Defeated in 1943, she has been fought over and occupied by allies or Germans for ten years; she has suffered civil war in the North where partisans have fought Fascists, and Republican troops have been in battle against the new Italian Army. She is split into eight conflicting political parties with membership of less than 10 per cent of the population and no outstanding leader has risen to the fore; she has had five Governments since September 1947; 4 million of her men have been in exile either as slave labor or as prisoners of war; more than half a million of her people have suffered displacement of home; her financial position is precarious; her economy has been totally disrupted; she has no merchant fleet and few foreign workers; vital coal and raw materials she lacks; unemployment mounting to over 200 million; the country is full of arms illegally held. Like other European countries devastated by the war, she stands in need of a fertile for the rapid growth of the seeds of an economic renaissance captured by means to bring Italy within the sphere of European influence. Already there are signs that, if present conditions last, economic domination will change -- possibly by force.

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2. Communist fronts cannot be blocked by restrictive or repressive measures. Since the situation which exists in any both material and moral, the only hope of restraining it in Italy is to maintain these conditions -- to assist Italy economically, and to lift her morale by admitting her to a position of preponderance in the family of nations.

3. It can be argued that the expiration of Italy's crisis of 1940 must rightly be precipitated indeed, her defeat and the losses of battle since 1943 have tended to ensure that, circumstances of

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Not the will of the Italian nation, will see to it that she will not revert again to the artificial position of a great power which Mussolini's regime achieved. But already her people have shown, by their profession and acts of ac-will-entirety with the Allies, not only in the armed forces of the post-bermistic Italian Government, but among the partisans in the north, that they are willing to abandon totalitarianism and work for the same freedom as the Allies are liberated them. The great majority of Italians desire to see a democratic Italy. They will only permit Communism to take hold because of fear -- since that party is the best organized and best armed in the country -- or because of apathy arising from a senseless of non-participation in democratic political life, the shame of defeat, and the results of privation. Their efforts to attain democracy may be ineffective compared with others; they may appear self-centered, and, like many liberated peoples, show scant gratitude to their liberators. But unless they receive help and guidance from the democracies, particularly the United States and the United Kingdom, they will inevitably turn to the USSR and join the group of "police" states, united by Communism, which is extending its reach from Russia.

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5. An expression of positive policy towards Italy by the US and UK Governments is necessary. The policy should be one which,

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by restoring confidence in herself and in the Allies, will assist Italy towards recovery as a healthy nation politically and socially. However, it is in the interests of the Allies to make use of Italy. She is geographically important in any strategic plan for regional security in the Mediterranean. She has a great fleet (which still exists) which, if properly employed, would be an important addition to regional security. She has a small army which, reorganized under Allied supervision, has her merit and would improve greatly under further Allied help. The industries in North and Italy need only raw materials and coal to be employed immediately for Allied war production and to supplement in the Mediterranean the commodities necessary for the clothing and rehabilitation of Europe.

6. But a change in relationship between the three parties must be effected. Having "worked her passage", Italy must be allowed to emerge from defeat through unobstructedly to the position of an active partner, however small, in the maintenance of post-war security. If she is to serve as a leaven of democracy in Southern Europe, such a recovery is essential and must be encouraged.

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7. The implementation of this policy would require certain positive steps, assurances, and conditions. These might be included in the agreement between the Allies and Italy which would formally terminate the state of hostilities and require the terms of surrender as a prelude to her joining the United Nations now or in the very near future. The agreement might include, among others, the following provisions:

(a) Italy to regain control of her vital lines for employment under any regional security system which might be evolved for the Mediterranean.

The fleet consists of 3 battleships, 9 cruisers, 11 fleet destroyers, 40 small craft and 20 submarines. Two of the battleships are now in the latter state.

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three in forests. It is estimated that it would cost five hundred million lire each to make them fit for service. 13 Submarines are in Allied operations areas. It would require a Navy of 50,000 to maintain the fleet without the battleships, and of 75,000 with them. Even having regard to the comparative ineffectiveness of the fleet, its physical presence would be an assurance towards regional security. But its retention would be a major contribution to Italian morale.

(b) The Italian Army to be maintained at a reasonable strength (say 200,000 or 250,000 men).

In my memorandum 8251/180/EE of 7 June 1945 I have suggested the maintenance of the Italian Army at an initial strength of 140,000 men consisting of five combat groups and one reserve regiment (50,000), three internal security divisions for Sicily and Sardinia, and one internal security brigade for each of ten military regions (40,000), with the remainder to be control and administrative units. In addition, the present strength of 65,000 men of the Royal Carabinieri should be maintained. Such a strength would suffice so long as Allied troops, mentioned in subpara (c) below, remained, but should be increased as these are withdrawn.

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(c) The Italian Air Force to be maintained at a token strength, or at present strength.

It is presumed that no military air force will be maintained but it is suggested that sufficient aircraft be allocated to the Navy and Army for reconnaissance and spotting purposes. If, however, it were considered possible to permit an air force, then it is recommended that it be maintained at its present strength. Therefore

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ation of civil air transport domestically and in the Mediterranean should be encouraged.

(d) To enable her to fill her role as a "junior partner" in the maintenance of Mediterranean security, the Allies should agree to furnish a military mission to assist in the training and organization of the Italian land, sea, and air forces, similar to the pro-war military and naval missions provided by the United States for certain South American republics.

(e) Similarly, an Allied Police Mission to assist the Italian Government in the reorganization and training of the Police Forces of Italy could be offered.

The introduction of an Allied Police Mission of high quality is essential. Although in two years of occupation the Allies have been compelled to employ the existing Italian Police Forces, they still lack the confidence of themselves, the public, or the Allies.

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(d) The retention in Italy of an Allied Military Force of five Divisions (excluding Allied Forces in VENETIA GIULIA) until such time as revitalized Italian civil and military services were in a position to ensure democratic security in Italy.

The role of the Allied troops at all times would be as representatives of the Democracies and it would be necessary to arrange for special instruction and areas training to this end. Intervention in Italian affairs

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except in the gravest emergency would be avoided and the greatest care would be taken in the handling of such administrative problems as transportation and requisitioning. The troops would be not so much forces of occupation in a defeated country but forces of assistance provided by the Allies in order to give confidence to the population and the Government; to strengthen merely by their presence the authority of the Italian machinery of law and order (but only in exceptional cases to supplement it) and to be used in a last resort to prevent the imposition of authoritarian methods by force.

(g) The establishment of an Allied economic organization (joint or separate) to assist Italy in reconstructing the basic structure of her former economy, in the procurement of raw materials and the rehabilitation of her commerce and industry; and

(h) The provision of an annual quota of coal sufficient to enable Italian industry to function.

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its successor. Alternatively, separate U.S. and B.E. economic missions depending from the Ambassador or the Government could be provided. The economic problem of post-war Italy are immense and unless Allied assistance by means of imports and purchases is provided, all other measures to preserve the country may be discontinued.

- (1) The resumption of credits in the U.S. and an increase in credits in the U.S. The latter might well make the form of financial assistance with regard to the import of coal.
- (2) The replacement of the Allied Commission by a multi Allied Mission to coordinate (a) to (b) above and to function as advisors to the Italian Government.
- (3) Arrangements with respect to the Italian colonies to be considered with due regard to the interests of the inhabitants and to the assistance given by Italy as a co-belligerent and to the positive value.

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9. The first and last of these suggested conditions are of course the assurance that would create most satisfaction in Italy and restore the self respect of her people.

10. A further safeguard to preserve Italy among the free nations of democracy, and indeed a duty of the Allies, is the education of the people of the Italian towards a democratic way of life. Not enough has been done in this direction. We have established freedom

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13. Much can be done in this way by institutions such as the British Council, the interchange of American cultural representatives, and by sympathetic treatment of Italian problems in the Allied press. The military mission and the Police Mission could report direct forms of advice. The Allied Mission referred to in paragraph 7(j) should contain a very small number of highly qualified men who, without exercises of control, could be accepted by the Italian Government and act as advisers in their task of setting up a democratic form of administration. Such men might be appointed by special missions to advise on special problems.

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14. The Allied Commission, therefore, should be constituted by an Allied Mission for the following purposes: (a) to visit Italy, and possibly in the Italian Tyrol and provinces, Allied military Government should have disappeared by September 1945. In order to ensure free elections and a free referendum, it will be recommended that a number of Allied officers, under the direction of the Commission or its successor, remain in the provinces, and a considerable number may be required in connection with the rehabilitation of

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Industry. Act 3, the end of 1963, with the resumption of Allied troops, except those recommended in para. 7(f) above, and the transfer of Allied Commission officers to the field, will probably have been completed. It is recommended that the head of the Liaison Office, as well as the United States and British Governments should be charged with the following functions:

(a) As Chief Civil Affairs Officer, the coordination of Liaison Office and the United States and British Governments.

(b) As head of the Liaison Office, the coordination of Liaison Office and the United States and British Governments.

(c) To supervise the Italian Police Liaison Office, the coordination of Liaison Office and the United States and British Governments.

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- (1) To coordinate the work of the military mission or missions.
- (11) To supervise the Italian Relief Mission.
- (111) To supervise the Economic Board or to coordinate its dependent economic missions.
- (17) To coordinate the work of the Displaced Persons and Refugee Sub-Committee with UNRWA, the Inter-Governmental Committee for Refugees, and other organizations, such as UNRWA, over all such functions.

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- (7) To supervise the work of the Army for Veterans National Organization.
- (11) To interpret to the Italian Government the conditions of any agreements with, vide para 7, and to negotiate Allied interests under such an agreement.
- (111) To provide liaison between Allied Military Command or Headquarters and the Italian Government.

13. To ensure in order to prevent Italy from leaning toward the USSR and commencing to its influence, an expression of political non-indifference policy by the UN and its Government is necessary. This policy should have Italy a useful partner of the allies in the Mediterranean and to create a healthy Italy. In present conditions the rehabilitation of her economy by restoring to her the control

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MEMORANDUM ON THE SITUATION IN ITALY.

1. There is at present a grave danger of Italy, the first country in Europe to be liberated from Fascism and Nazism, passing under the yoke of an ever fiercer form of tyranny, Communism.
2. It is in the interests of the United States and Great Britain to prevent this. Quite apart from the historical and moral issues involved, the US must consider her Italian speaking population and the effect of a Communist Italy on her political situation as influenced by them, while Great Britain, in spite of the present public apathy or even antipathy in respect of Italy, cannot lightly regard the emergence, after liberation, of a Communist Italy under Russian influence in the Mediterranean.
3. The historical and moral issues cannot be disregarded. American and British influences, military, political and economic, has been predominant in Italy for two years. Authority will judge hardly if the endeavours of two great democratic states were to result in the institution of a second tyranny.
4. Although the objectives of the Allies have been to prevent disease and unrest in Italy, to maintain it in an adequate state for the prosecution of the war, and to prepare for long term programs of reconstruction on the economic side. As a corollary of these we have supported to the full the Government of the day and from time to time have attempted to minimize the policy of the erstwhile government. We have granted freedom of speech and writing; we have ensured freedom from hunger; we have not ensured freedom from fear.
5. Among the anxiety of the people the fear of Communism remains. Complete eradication of that fear may not be possible in the present political turmoil in man's mind. But it must be admitted that the two democratic Allies have stood by in this country and watched the spread of Communism and still seem the spread of fear of Communism. We have failed adequately to prevent to the Italians the other alternative to democratic way of life). Much has been done in the field by provision of democratic officers. But direction has been lacking. By distribution of literature, through the medium of films and radio, by visits of democratic leaders, more could and should have been done.
6. It is also maintained that after two years of occupation we have failed to produce in Italy a police force which has the confidence of itself, the public and the Allies. With the difficulties of military occupation it may not have been possible to do so. But can that be stilling have ceased as a result, in conjunction with the Italian Govt., take immediate steps to overthrow and possibly reconstitute the whole of the public security apparatus in this country. For this purpose the Public Safety Sub-Com is not suitable. It is not a... that the Public Safety Sub-Com is not suitable.

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7. Another prerequisite towards lasting stability in this country is the reorganization of the Italian Army on a peacetime basis. This matter is already under discussion between the Italian Government and the Land Forces Staff and a rapid decision is required by the GOC and the two Governments. This again demands the retention of a strong military liaison.

8. In addition to these requirements which can and must be done to educate the minds of the Italians with regard to the democratic way of life, we cannot check the march of events but it is not too late to rectify past mistakes and we have our final opportunity in connection with the coming elections. These elections will probably take place before the end of this year. It is essential that they should be carried out on democratic lines and in an atmosphere free from physical fear. The average Italian, if he thinks that the Communists will win the election and will use physical violence against those who have not voted for Communism, will, through fear and with the tradition of 20 years of Fascism behind him, vote for Communism against his own conscience. It is the duty of the Allied and particularly of the Allied Commission to ensure that the first elections in this country are carried out with freedom and equity. We still have a great number of Allied troops in the country. There will be no need to demand the presence of some troops then will normally be maintained for lines of communication and ordinary military security and the time necessary for redeployment. We should maintain a number of officers of the Allied Commission.

9. We have handed over 110-odd miles of the country to the Italian Govt. the remainder is still under Allied military government and there will be pressure brought upon us to remove that control as soon as possible. The presence of ANZAC itself is not necessary to secure free elections and we should not resist this pressure but be prepared to hand over Sicily by Sept. 1st or any other date considered suitable thereafter (this excludes YAGUSTA, UFFICIA, UFFICIA, UFFICIA, and UFFICIA). But we should retain after the removal of ANZAC a considerable number of officers throughout Italy, not only to deal with economic problems but to carry on by their advice and example the spread of the democratic faith, and in particular to ensure, even as observers, that free elections are held.

10. These officers in the field have already proved the best ambassadors of democracy but directions are lacking. These directions must emanate from the two Governing Authorities, through the Ambassadors (GOC and GAI) to the Allied Commission. The GOC is not now that hostilities have ceased a suitable medium for such work and all its activities in Italy should cease. The Allied Governments might find it possible to send out speakers and certainly should assist in every way in the form of literature and films and broadcasts. It might be possible to point, we hope without complacency, to the elections recently held in the US and these about to be held in the UK.

11. Loss of the above measures can be successful unless economic stability is secured. By stability is meant not prosperity but freedom from unemployment, from unemployment. It has already been suggested, the report by

the minds of the Italians with regard to the democratic way of life. We cannot shock them out of events but it is not too late to rectify past mistakes and we have our final opportunity in connection with the coming elections. These elections will probably take place before the end of the year. It is essential that they should be carried out on democratic lines and in an atmosphere free from physical fear. The average Italian, if he thinks that the Communists will win the election and will use physical violence against those who have not voted for Communism, will, through fear and with the tradition of 20 years of Fascism behind him, vote for Communism against his own conscience. It is the duty of the Allies and particularly of the Allied Commission to ensure that the first elections in this country are carried out with freedom and equity. We still have a great number of Allied troops in the country. There will be no need to demand the presence of some troops then will normally be maintained for lines of communication and ordinary military security and the time necessary for redeployment. We should maintain a number of officers of the Allied Commission.

9. We have handed over five-eighths of the country to the Italian Govt. The remainder is still under Allied military Government and there will be pressure brought upon us to remove that control as soon as possible. The presence of AGO itself is not necessary to ensure free elections and we should not insist this pressure but be prepared to hand over N. Italy by Sept. 1st or any other date considered suitable thereafter (this excludes FUSILLI, CIVILLI, BIANCHI, and BELLINI). But we should retain after the removal of AGO a considerable number of officers throughout Italy, not only to deal with economic problems but to carry on by their advice and example the spread of the democratic faith, and in particular to ensure, even as observers, that free elections are held.

10. These officers in the field have already proved the best ambassadors of democracy but directions are lacking. These directions must emanate from the two Governments, through the Ambassadors (DCI and CII) to the Allied Commission. The AGO is not now that hostilities have ceased a suitable medium for such work and all its activities in Italy should cease. The Allied Governments might find it possible to send out speakers and certainly should assist in every way in the form of literature and films and broadcasts. It might be possible to point, we hope without complacency, to the elections recently held in the US and those about to be held in the DE.

11. None of the above measures can be successful unless economic stability is assured. By stability is meant not prosperity but freedom from want, freedom from unemployment. As has already been represented, the important economic goal is a general desire for that stability.

12. To sum up, the long term policy of the Italian Communist Party is clear. With the example of Greece before them it is not their intention to return power by other than constitutional means while Allied troops and Allied control in any form remains in the country. Once, however, the Allies withdraw, the

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Communist Party, which all evidence seem to show only represents the minority, will not hesitate (whether they form part of the Government or not) to adopt methods of terrorism and to use the large stocks of arms which have been hidden away, to impose their will upon the whole population. This threat can, I think, be met:

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- (1) Freely held elections.
- (2) The retention of all officers in the field during and immediately after these elections.
- (3) A strong and efficient police force.
- (4) A re-organized standing Italian army.
- (5) Sufficient coal, raw materials and certain finished products to prevent general unemployment.

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Assistant,  
Executive Committee.

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Brigadier,  
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
Office of the Chief Commissioner  
AFO 394

Col. P. Kane: CP

Ref: 50178.

28 May 1945.

ALIA MEMO FOR LIAISON OFFICER, BERGAMO.

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CHANGE TO PHASE II IN N. ITALY.

It is strongly recommended that, particularly in N Italy, the change from Phase I to Phase II be effected as rapidly as possible. It is impossible for the civil administration of N and NE Italy to be continued in present circumstances by one AAG Headquarters at each Army. In NE Italy this AAG Headquarters is already concerned with the advance into Austria. The Regional staffs are in position in all four Regions and it is essential for the proper functioning of civil administration that full delegation should be made by the Armies to the Regional Commissioners in order to make effective Allied Military Government by decentralization.

RECOMMENDATION: Lt. Gen. Robertson, CAG, AFHQ,  
Chief Commissioner  
G1 Section  
Sops Section  
Int Section  
File 304/30  
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 304  
Establishment Section

*Jun*

LPM/jp  
16 May 1945.

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MEMORANDUM:

TO : Executive Commissioner, Allied Commission.

1. In compliance with paragraph 4 of Minutes of Executive Commissioner's meeting of 15 May, the following is submitted for consideration.

2. It has been observed by the Deputy Executive Commissioner and by other Allied officers present in the Bolzano area (including Merano) that heavy purchases in local shops were being made throughout the area by German personnel. These purchases include principally, such items as clothing, wireless sets, bicycles, and the like.

3. It is considered that the effect of such purchases on the local economy, plus the fact that there has been considerable thieving on the part of the Germans of such articles as indicated above, might well lead to inflationary results. It appears to be for consideration, therefore, whether some representations might not be made to AFHQ to secure correction of this situation.

*L.T.*  
L.T. MONTANT, Jr.,  
Captain, ASD.

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*Col. Kertin*

## SECRET

Originator's No. 5020  
Date/Time MAY 03 1948

Message Control No. 0412408  
Date/Time Received 03/1948  
Priority SECRET

*File*

TO: NAIR 8 ARMY

ACTION PREVIOUS ADV DESERT AIRFORCE INFO 5 ARMY GP, NESTOR, 55 AREA, 61 AREA, NOV ANCONA, ADRIATIC BASE, 7TH ALLIED COMMISSION, NAIR NEAR DESERT AIRFORCE, NAIR 8 ARMY PER DTG 000 A/48

### INFO - ACTION

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Subject is sitting board for TRIESTE. Your PI 0015 of 2 May not to all refer. Agree sitting board assemble 9 May. Suggest reps rendezvous Nq 55 AREA 0900 hrs 9 May addressers to inform 55 AREA number for whom accommodation required giving date. Question of suitable airfield in TRIESTE area being investigated with Desert Air Force and report will follow. For Desert Adv Air Force. Please notify nearest nearest airfield to TRIESTE suitable for DAVOAN available for 8 May.

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## SECRET

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH

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28 April 1945

SUBJECT : Approved Press Plan for Northern Italy.

TO : Col. H. Misko, Deputy Executive Commissioner.

1. On instructions from the Executive Commissioner we are attaching herewith a copy of the P.V.B. Press Plan for Northern Italy which has been approved by AFHQ on recommendation from the Allied Commission and the Allied Publications Board.

*Walter E. Brown*  
for  
G. STEWART BROWN,  
Director,  
Public Relations Branch.

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PSYCHOLOGICAL WARRFARE BRANCH

20 April 1945

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WARFARE FOR WESTERN FRONT

1. This memo is for Western Front operations all previous instructions. Responsibility for carrying out this program lies with 2nd, 15th Army Group, through I.V.S. Chief Press Officer, in conformity with APOG directives, but subject to 15th Army Group Military Command and in strict cooperation with A.C. and Allied Publishing Board.
2. Integration of Combat Reports. On entering a newly liberated town or area, all newspapers and other publications of public interest or papers identified with Fascist leaders, such as Fascism's "Regime Fascista" of Cremona, will be suppressed and not allowed to re-appear.
3. Combat Team Information Sheet. PWB Combat Teams will issue "Combat Alerts" in an emergency news and information sheet. The subject, allocation and location of these Combat Team papers will be an initiative and at the discretion of PWB Combat Teams with the respective armies, acting under General 2nd Army Group directives. In addition to news, they will carry AGO and Army proclamations, as required. The publication of such papers forms a part of PWB 15th Army Group.
4. Methods of Circulation. Newspapers and other publications available by the Allied forces will be published simultaneously with the Allied liberation and continue to publish openly based on their particularity in general, subject to 15th Army Group directives, on the following conditions:
  - (a) Applications for provisional permits (see para. 11) must be made within seven days of the Military Government's proclamation.
  - (b) All papers must be subject to Military censorship (see para. 14).

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subject to 15th Army Group Military Command and in strict cooperation with A.S. and Allied Publications Board.

2. Suppression of Defeatist Propaganda. On entering a newly liberated town or area, all newspapers and other publications of defeatist orientation or papers identified with defeatist leaders, such as Churchill's "British Defeatists of Cremona", will be suppressed and not allowed to re-appear.

3. Combat Zone Publications Board. PWB Combat Zones will issue "Combat Zone Publications" to an emergency news and information sheet. The content, circulation and duration of these Combat Zone papers will be on the initiative and at the discretion of PWB Combat Zones with the cooperative assistance of the 15th Army Group. In addition to news, they will carry AGO and Army proclamations, as required. The personnel of such papers form a part of the 15th Army Group.

4. Treatment of Unreliable Press. Newspapers and other publications favorable to the Allied cause and publishing classically prior to Allied liberation may continue to publish openly, however, their participation in general, should be restricted to the use of letters, on the following conditions:

(a) Application for a provisional permit (see para. 11) must be made within seven days of the military Government's proclamation.

(b) All papers must be subject to military censorship (see para. 14).

Items of the more important classification papers, known to be in existence, in a war region prior to Allied entry, will be supplied to the C.I.C.O. of AGO by the Chief Press Officer, PWB.

5. Non-Propaganda Papers. Non-defeatist papers (if any) and papers of a technical nature may apply to continue publication on the same provisional permit conditions, subject to military needs.

6. Non-Propaganda Papers. Papers that have the exemptions class referred to in paragraph 4 may submit applications for provisional permits to publish.

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7. Pre-Publication Review. Papers with a pre-publication history, which had, however, been shown over the past few years to Periodicals, will be submitted on a trial basis. During the appointment of a Committee by the Joint Political Commission, it is noted that the Committee can show that approval is completed. This review will be allowed to be approved in their own and elaborate titles, but it is important to note information about it. If the Political Commission determines it is necessary or is in accord with the Rules and Regulations in force by responsible elements of the community, a submission of three will be allowed to the final side in a community-wide category. The papers will conform to all standards and other restrictions imposed or existing obligations on the press as a whole.

any article appearing will be taken by the community and will retain control until the next is returned to the Press Administration. Question of ownership and eventual editorial control will then be subject to agreement with the community to be held from by the Italian Government, which has agreed that none of these papers will be returned to the control of Political security.

8. Pre-Information Review. An edition of the Press Administration will evaluate the rights of the Italian to ensure their own information activities or policy in Italy. In addition, the Italian will reserve their own control by doing of weekly material which have been published in the Italian language of the following authors: MURPHY, HUGH, CURRIE, GREGG, VENTON, THURTELL. This review will be limited to the material and administrative, but all existing articles, comments and general layout will remain the property of the Italian Government. The review will be subject to the other conditions mentioned. In no case will articles be removed or altered by their editorial writers.

These information papers will not be published without revision, which may be copied up or down from by the Allied Publishing Board without alteration or reference to any Italian Government or proprietary interest. The Italian Government of the Italian side by the Allied Publishing Board. None of these newspapers will be published without the approval of the Italian Government.

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and deposited. The papers will be returned to the Commission and  
other restrictions imposed by the Commission on the press  
in a book.

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8. Propaganda Information. As a result of the Propaganda Information  
by the Commission the rights of the Italian to impose their own  
information literature or policy in Italian letters, the  
Italian will receive their own system by means of openly  
Italian literature in the following format: 300000, 11111,  
11111, 11111, 11111, 11111. These letters will be Italian-  
ized and standardized, but all Italian letters, especially  
the general layout will follow the Italian format. The  
General Layout will follow the Italian format. In no  
case will articles or material be altered by their editorial  
writing.

These information papers will take a special and  
viewed, which may be opened up or closed down by the Italian  
Publication Agency without delay or reference to any  
Italian commercial or proprietary interest other than the  
publication of the Italian letters by the Italian Publication  
Agency. Each of these newspapers will be called "Corriere"  
and in addition of the letters it carries (e.g. "Corriere"  
Sardinian in Bologna). The names of parts of the paper will  
be the same as the Italian. In cases where the Italian  
is desired it is right to be able, provision will be made  
for the continuation of the titles of these papers.

The will also not be published as required, also  
written to parts of the paper of the material.

9. General. In order to prevent discrimination any application  
of the laws of the Italian Government or of any other  
country or foreign power, it is recognized on principle  
that the articles of the Italian shall have first priority  
when applications for published papers are being considered  
generally.

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10. Editorial and Publications. With reference to paragraphs 4, 5, 6 and 7 and with reference to the publication of newspapers in general prior to the restoration of newspaper to regular circulation, all daily papers everywhere should be in circulation sheets only (all party or no party) and party papers should be weekly. However, if the local Communist Party or National Liberation Movement that party organs be allowed to publish and produce such arrangements are approved by the AME. All publications and will judge the matter of publication delay for the point of view of advertisement available. It is recommended that MILAM and other relevant weekly problems in that regard and that if the local Committee of National Liberation and for Party letters, such requests would receive consideration provided that it were possible to supply the necessary newspaper.

11. Provisional Permits. In Army Forward areas provisional permits will normally be issued through the SWB from District, subject to the right of the AME Officer at Army HQ and the S.A.C. AME (as soon as he shall begin to function) to refuse such publications to be any smaller necessary within the framework of this plan.

Such provisional permits are at all times subject to suspension or withdrawal by order of the Military Governor.

12. Allowed Publications and Permits. As soon as conditions permit, all publications shall be subject to provisional permits to which all applications for permits will be referred to be made. Provisional permits provided in accordance with the procedure in paragraph 7 will be referred to those Executive Orders for action by Allied Publications Board. In situations necessitated by the re-establishment and other early publications, Allied Publications Board may issue such into account the requirements of the sub-party refers referred to in paragraph 7.

13. Printing and Manuscripts. With the exception of party's responsibility for the combat "Warrior Allowed" Publications, neither SWB nor AME will concern themselves with the financial or administrative side of newspapers or other publications. In the case of the SWB information papers referred to in paragraph 8, Italian groups will be placed

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essential problems in this regard and that if the local Committee of National Liberation ask for Party leaflets, such requests would receive consideration provided that it were possible to supply the necessary newspaper.

11. Provisional Permits. In Army forward zone provisional permits will normally be issued through the PWS Press Officer, subject to the right of the AMG Officer of Army HQ and the C.S.O. AMG (as soon as he shall begin to function) to authorize such publications as he may consider necessary within the framework of this plan.

Such provisional permits are at all times subject to suspension or withdrawal by order of the Military Governor.

12. Allied Publications Board. As soon as conditions permit, Allied Publications Board will set up Regional Boards to which all applications for permits will thereafter be made. Provisional permits granted in accordance with the preceding paragraph will be referred to those Regional Boards for action by Allied Publications Board. In allocating newspaper to the ex-colonies and other early applications, Allied Publications Board will take into account the requirements of the non-party papers referred to in paragraph 7.

13. Printing and Management. With the exception of PWS's responsibility for the combat "Corriere" illustrated publications, neither PWS nor AMG will concern themselves with the financial or administrative side of newspapers or other publications. In the case of the PWS information papers referred to in paragraph 8, Italian groups will be financially but administratively responsible. PWS will continue to exercise control and supply of operational necessities such as paper and ink.

14. Military Censorship. Military censorship is essential. No permits will be considered or allowed unless military censorship control in the spot can be guaranteed and sustained.

In the broad areas (SICILY, MILAN, TORIN, GENOA, VENICE, TRIESTE) AMG Press Censorship Office will be established and will assume responsibility for military censorship for local Press and Radio, as is present in FLORENCE.

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In facilities other than those mentioned above, censorship will be exercised by responsible persons designated by the Provincial Commanders. These censors will act in accordance with military censorship directives issued by AFHQ, which will be furnished by PWB Combat Team 24th Division. Liaison between AFHQ Press censors in Italy and AFHQ-nominated censors in other localities shall be established as indicated.

15. Circulation Privilege. No party or other newspapers published outside the 15th Army Group area will be allowed to enter any point within the AFHQ area without the specific approval of the Military Commander on recommendation from PWB.

16. Press Stocks. No stock, book or map is entered by the Allied troops, every stockholder of newspaper or printed paper will be required by PWB Printing Officer to insure that stocks are resourced to be in hand and to other purposes they are being used.

17. News Service. PWB will provide on demand a free Italian language news service, editorial articles, maps and photographs to all authorized publications within the limits of other communication facilities exist or may be established. No other news or photographic service will be permitted to operate in the Army Group area until such time as the Allied Commission permits the resumption of normal commercial news and picture distribution.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED  
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN  
OTHERWISE

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Any contract between the Company and any publishing house  
hereinafter called "The Company" shall contain the  
following clauses together with such others as may  
be published hereafter in most special initiatives  
of the Board of Directors of the Local Press Office.  
Such contract shall be initiated and put into  
effect by the Local Press Officer. If there  
is any editorial change, the contract must be  
initiated by the Chief Press Officer. In any  
event all contracts, when agreed upon between the  
Press Officer and the Company, shall be forwarded to  
the Chief Press Officer for transmission to the  
Director of I.P.O.

Article I. The Company reserves to itself, publish and circulate  
"Corrections" in any form I.P.O. and also to place  
its trademark, emblem, and other insignia at the  
discretion of the said "Corrections" with pre-  
cedence over all other non-official publications of  
the Company. Such number shall every prominently  
displayed as on "Corrections" the title "I.P.O.  
P.O."

Article II. The title "Corrections" is the property of I.P.O.  
and no one shall use such name without the con-  
sents of I.P.O. In case of circumstances any  
title of this paper is changed or revised by  
I.P.O. shall be notified of the position of its publica-  
tion by the office.

Article III. I.P.O. reserves the right of appointing the responsible  
editor and chief sub-editor which the Company is to  
employ for the "Corrections"....

Such contracts should be initiated and put into effect by the local Press Officer. If there is any additional change, the agreement must be initiated by the Chief Press Officer. In any event all contracts, when agreed upon between the Press Officer and the Company, shall be referred to the Chief Press Officer for transmission to the Director of F.B.I.

Article I. The Company agrees to print, publish and circulate "Corridor..." a quarterly F.B.I. and also to place its technical, scientific and other personnel at the disposition of the said "Corridor..." with precedence over all other non-military publications of the Company. Each number will carry prominently displayed in an "eye" style the title "a quarterly F.B.I."

Article II. The title "Corridor..." is the property of FBI and in the event the FBI stops publication on the part of FBI, under no circumstances may the title of this paper be altered or revived by any individual group after the expiration of its publication by the FBI.

Article III. FBI reserves the right of appointing the responsible editor and chief subscriber which the Company is to supply for the "Corridor..."

Article IV. The Company shall advise FBI in advance that the responsible editor and the chief subscriber form an editorial staff which may be required for the proper conduct of the "Corridor..." from a financial standpoint by the FBI and shall be subject to the approval of FBI.

Article V. "Corridor..." will be under the editorial direction of FBI. It is FBI's intention to carry straight news and to present to the public a daily news of life and thought in our time. The "Corridor..."

will be used to further the policy of AMIQ. It will present no negative picture of Italian internal affairs and will not participate in Italian party conflicts.

Article VI. Control of circulation figures. Content and the amount of advertising accepted will rest with AMIQ, with the reservation that circulation and format will be governed by the amount of newsprint and transport available for the press in general and that at least one column of advertising per issue be available to the Company if desired.

Article VII. All advertising, circulation and other revenue will belong to the Company.

Article VIII. The Company will bear all costs, printing, paper, and overhead costs.

Article IX. The Company hereby agrees to hold AMIQ and its individual staff free and harmless and to indemnify them against any charges of action that may arise from any transmission.

Article X. AMIQ shall have the right to terminate the publication at any time.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 318  
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

*Ed. Parker*  
**SECRET**

TO: 318

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SUBJECT: Priority List for Northwest Italy

27 April '45

TO: Economic Section  
Civil Affairs Section  
Establishment Section

1. The following extracts are taken from 57 Areas Proposed Priority List for entry into Genoa:

- D represents day Genoa falls.
- D - AC HQXX party only.
- D plus 1 - AC advance party.
- D plus 2 - Displaced Persons Sub-Commission Representatives.
- D plus 3 to D plus 7 - Balance of available AC Officers.

2. This is passed to you for information only.

For the Director:

*H. J. Siff*  
H.J. SIFF, Colonel

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**SECRET**

Col. Field  
Col. Parker } CMP  
Col. Jones }

To help raise funds for information.

See file  
26 April

see memo 2

Attendant's

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

TOP SECRET

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Tel: 300

25 April 1945.

Ref: 503/324/HC.

SUBJECT: Administrative Responsibility and  
Organization of No.2 District in NW ITALY.

TO : Establishment Section(3)

The following extracts from No.2 District revised Administrative Instruction No.1, dated 23 Apr 45, are forwarded for information:

"MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO BE AFFORDED BY AFHQ IN NW ITALY.

2. (e) Training of Drivers.

Training of Italian drivers for vehicles which are under the control of Headquarters, Allied Commission for the delivery of civil supplies.

ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITY OF HQ No.2 DISTRICT.

4. HQ No.2 District is responsible, through the Areas and Sub Areas concerned, for the local administration, as defined in Sec 11 FER Vol 1, and AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No.11 of 1943, of all British troops, included in No.2 District Order of Battle, and within the District boundary as defined in No.2 District Operation Instruction No.22.

5. HQ No.2 District is also responsible for the maintenance of:

(b) Such personnel of Allied Commission as is agreed with HQ Allied Commission."

*E. W. ...*  
Chief Staff Officer,  
To Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
Office of the Executive Commissioner

TOP SECRET

Tel: 300

Ref: 503/325/EC.

25 April 1945.

SUBJECT: Organization of No.2 District for NW ITALY.

TO : Establishment Section (2).

The following extract from No.2 District Operation Instruction No.22, dated 22 Apr 45, is forwarded for information:

"7. Org of 2 District for NW Italy in Phase II

- (a) No.2 District - HQ MILAN
  - 57 Area - HQ GENOVA - compartimento LIGURIA
  - 59 Area - HQ MILAN - compartimento LOGBARDIA  
less the Prov of MANTOVA.
  - 151 Sub-Area - HQ TURIN - compartimento PIEMONTE.
- (b) It is probable that 215 Sub-area will be added to 2 District Order of Battle when 2 District's territory is increased as in 5(b) above. 215 Sub-area will then be responsible for the Provinces of PIACENZA and PARMA in EMILIA. If 215 Sub-area is not available, 2 District will delegate this responsibility to one of its Areas or Sub-areas."

*E. W. ...*  
Chief Staff Officer,  
To Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394

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21 April 1945

SUBJECT: Allied Military Government Plan for Venezia Giulia  
TO : Colonel Norman E. Fiske, Acting Executive Commissioner

1. Herewith is a plan for the military government of Venezia Giulia prepared according to your verbal order of 16 April 1945.
2. The plan includes only the salient features for the initial and early stages of military government as any planning beyond that stage in my opinion and experience would be impractical and wholly imaginary.

*J. D. Bennett*  
J. D. BENNETT, Lt. Col.  
Deputy Regional Commissioner

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VENETIA GIULIA REGION

ROVERETO - Population 205,775  
Comunes 42  
Over 10,000 population 2

- 1 Gorizia
- 2 Udine

TREVISO - Population 370,560  
Comunes 30  
Over 10,000 population 3

- 1 Treviso
- 2 Montebelluna
- 3 Biadene

VENEZIA - Population 109,018  
Comunes 13  
Over 10,000 population 1

- 1 Fiume

PADOVA - Population 307,909  
Comunes 41  
Over 10,000 population 8

- 1 Pola
- 2 Albano
- 3 Camp d'Este
- 4 Dignano d'Este
- 5 Padua
- 6 Montebelluna
- 7 Fiume
- 8 Vicenza

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TOTALS - Population 993,660  
Comunes 136  
Over 10,000 population 16

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PLAN FOR ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT OF  
VENETIA - GIULIA REGION

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OBJECTIVE

The objective of Allied Military Government in Venetia Giulia is to administer the provinces of Gorizia, Trieste, Pola and Fiume inclusive, to assist in establishing and maintaining order amongst the civil population and to render all aid possible to the military units to assist them in accomplishing their mission.

POLICY

Having full realization of the delicate international political implications involved, as well as the assurances given the Italian Government regarding the treatment of the Region of Venetia Giulia until the boundary disputes are settled in Conference, we will use as far as security measures permit, the local governmental agencies and institutions in existence prior to occupation.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- 1 - All governmental officials will be carefully screened and those having any taint of Fascism or German collaboration will be removed and under justifiable circumstances imprisoned. Normal procedure under Executive Memo No. 67, General Order 35 and 35a will be applied.
- 2 - No replacement officials will be brought in from the outside.
- 3 - The M.C.I. and any other national representative organization will be used as consultants only in the selection of new officials.
- 4 - In any part or parts of the Region which have been occupied by Hugo Slav forces and in which military government has been established by those forces, that government will come under the command and direction of Allied Military Government of Venetia Giulia Region.
- 5 - American and British flags will be the only ones flown.
- 6 - Close liaison will be maintained with the Military Commander in all matters pertaining to the military government of the Region.

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PUBLIC SAFETY

- 1 - If it is impossible to take a force of OCGR into the region upon occupation any remaining forces will be utilized.
- 2 - If the remaining forces are inefficient in strength to maintain law and order amongst the civilian population, they will be supplemented by other police forces to be raised locally.
- 3 - They will wear AMG police armbands and carry only such arms as are authorized by the Military Commander.
- 4 - The OCGR of Venetia Giulia will not be counted against the ceiling strength of 55000 for the whole of Italy.
- 5 - The feeding of the OCGR will be a military responsibility.
- 6 - The pay of the OCGR will be an AMG responsibility.
- 7 - The Municipal Guards in principle will be maintained where found operating.
- 8 - The Guardia di Finanza in principle will be maintained where found operating.
- 9 - The Fire Brigade and Civil Defense organizations will be maintained or reestablished.

LEGAL

- 1 - Upon entry into the Region, all Courts will be ordered closed until such a time as the judges and Court officials can be properly screened.
- 2 - Upon the completion of that task, and with the concurrence of the Military Commander, the Courts will be reopened and the prevailing laws will be administered with the exception of those abrogated by Proclamation or General Order.
- 3 - A.M.G. Courts will be established immediately.
- 4 - The usual Proclamations will be posted, and General Orders will be posted as necessary.

EDUCATION

- 1 - All schools will be closed temporarily.
- 2 - The University will be closed temporarily.

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ECONOMIC SITUATION

FINANCE

- 1 - All banks will be closed temporarily and necessary steps will be taken to protect all assets and resources.
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 ADVISORY  
 D. O. M. M.  
 DO. OOL  
 SENIOR OFFICER  
 ASSISTANT SECRETARY  
 S. B. A. A.  
 EDUCATION  
 FOOD  
 LABOR  
 HEALTH  
 ECONOMIC  
 AGRICULTURE  
 W. A. R.  
 H. A. R.  
 TRAIL  
 Safety  
 R. O.  
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 HEALTH  
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REGION HQ	GOETIA	TALISHE	PRINCE	FOGA	TOTAL
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100					100

APPROXIMATE OFFICERS

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NO. OF GROUPS  
OF  
MEMBERS

APPENDIX C  
MEMBERS

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	NO.	MEMBERS	NO. OF GROUPS	MEMBERS	NO. OF GROUPS	MEMBERS	NO. OF GROUPS
MEM. NO.	10	3	2	4	2	31	
ORGANIZATION	5	3	2	2		11	
TELEPHONE	10	3	4			12	
FIRMS	3	2	2			11	
POSTAL	5	2	4			12	
TOTAL	33	16	16	2	57		

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APO 394

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21 April 1945

SUBJECT: Allied Military Government Plan for Venezia Giulia  
TO : Colonel Norman E. Fiske, Acting Executive Commissioner

1. Herewith is a plan for the military government of Venezia Giulia prepared according to your verbal order of 16 April 1945.
2. The plan includes only the salient features for the initial and early stages of military government as any planning beyond that stage in my opinion and experience would be impractical and wholly imaginary.

*J. D. Schulte*  
J. D. SCHULTE, Lt. Col.  
Deputy Regional Commissioner

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VENETIA GIULIA REGION

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<u>GORIZIA</u>	-	Population	205,795	
		Comunes	42	
		Over 10,000 population	2	
		1 Gorizia		
		2 Udine		
<u>TRIESTE</u>	-	Population	570,804	
		Comunes	30	
		Over 10,000 population	3	
		1 Trieste		
		2 Monfalcone		
		3 Muggia		
<u>PIAVE</u>	-	Population	109,018	
		Comunes	13	
		Over 10,000 population	1	
		1 Pieve		
<u>PADA</u>	-	Population	507,983	
		Comunes	41	
		Over 10,000 population	8	
		1 Pala		5 Pordenone
		2 Albano		6 Pinguente
		3 Opa d'Istria		7 Piroso
		4 Dignano d'Istria		8 Pieve
<u>TOTALS</u>	-	Population	993,660	
		Comunes	126	
		Over 10,000 population	16	

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PLAN FOR ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT OF  
VENETIA - GIULIA REGION  
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POLICY

Having full realization of the delicate international political implications involved, as well as the assurances given the Italian Government regarding the treatment of the Region of Venetia Giulia until the boundary disputes are settled in Conference, we will use as far as security measures permit, the local governmental agencies and institutions in existence prior to occupation.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- 1 - All governmental officials will be carefully screened and those having any taint of Fascism or German collaboration will be removed and under justifiable circumstances imprisoned. Marshal procedure under Executive Memo No. 67, General Order 35 and 39a will be applied.
- 2 - No replacement officials will be brought in from the outside.
- 3 - The M.C.L. and any other national representative organization will be used as consultants only in the selection of new officials.
- 4 - In any part or parts of the Region which have been occupied by Hugo Slav forces and in which military government has been established by those forces, that government will come under the command and direction of Allied Military Government of Venetia Giulia Region.
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PUBLIC SAFETY

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- 3 - They will wear AMO police uniforms and carry only such arms as are authorized by the Military Commander.
- 4 - The OCOR of Venezia Giulia will not be counted against the ceiling strength of 55000 for the whole of Italy.
- 5 - The feeding of the OCOR will be a military responsibility.
- 6 - The pay of the OCOR will be an AMO responsibility.
- 7 - The Municipale Guards in principle will be maintained where found operating.
- 8 - The Guardia di Finanza in principle will be maintained where found operating.
- 9 - The Fire Brigade and Civil Defense organizations will be maintained or reestablished.

LAW

- 1 - Upon entry into the Region, all Courts will be ordered closed until such a time as the Judges and Court officials can be properly processed.
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- 4 - The usual Proclamations will be posted, and General Orders will be posted as necessary.

EDUCATION

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MONETARY MEASURES

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	RESEARCH	DEVELOPMENT	TESTING	PRODUCTION	OPERATIONS	MAINTENANCE	ADMINISTRATION	OTHER	TOTAL
RESEARCH	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
DEVELOPMENT	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
TESTING	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
PRODUCTION	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
OPERATIONS	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
MAINTENANCE	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
ADMINISTRATION	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
OTHER	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
TOTAL	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	49

APPENDIX A  
OFF LOGS

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APPROVED BY: [Signature]  
DATE: [Date]

	1	2	3	4	5	6
200-510	0	3	22	6		
200-511	4	2	17	3		
200-512	2	1	10	1		
200-513	2	1	7	1		
200-514	2	1	11	1		
TOTAL	10	7	67	12		



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Col. Ficke  
 Is this for file  
 Sgt. Ray  
  
 yes ✓  
  
Sgt. Ray

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3 Cape of Ischia

21 April

ISCHIA ISLAND

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ISCHIA - Population 25,755  
Islands 62  
Over 10,000 population 8

- 1 Carliola
- 2 Ischia

ISCHIA - Population 37,000  
Islands 30  
Over 10,000 population 3

- 1 Ischia
- 2 Santhomas
- 3 Ischia

ISCHIA - Population 100,000  
Islands 17  
Over 10,000 population 1

- 1 Ischia

ISCHIA - Population 37,000  
Islands 68  
Over 10,000 population 8

- 1 Ischia
- 2 Albano
- 3 Cape of Ischia
- 4 Mignano d'Ischia
- 5 Mignano
- 6 Mignano
- 7 Mignano
- 8 Mignano

TOTAL - Population 95,650  
Islands 136  
Over 10,000 population 14

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ATTACHED BY  
M/S  
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	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	TOTAL
TRINIDAD									
CAROLINA									
ARIZONA									
FLORIDA									
TOTAL	16	6	67	12					

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APPENDIX •  
VEHICLES

NO. OF  
VEHICLES  
IN  
CLASS

VEHICLE	NO. OF VEHICLES IN CLASS				
VEHICLE	10	3	4	2	22
VEHICLE	5	3	2	4	14
VEHICLE	5	3	4	2	14
VEHICLE	5	3	4	2	14
TOTAL	33	16	16	8	67

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6-1(A)

- 1. To see policy, ra for information,
- 2. Would it not be well to take this up with Economic Section and/or Labor S/C with a view to the issuance of appropriate directives on civilian employees.

Withhold

1st Sec  
 16 April  
 Exec Sec.  
 1 Noted

A memorandum was submitted to be for approval to lower point. method in paragraph 3. This amendment apply to civilians employed by management in Region.

END

6-1(C)  
 26 April

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128/601A  
AFB 231300A

1/28/57  
AFB 231900P  
PRIORITY

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UNITED STATES ARMY ALLIED COMMAND

ACTION 5 ARMY MAIN, 5 ARMY REAR, 8 ARMY MAIN, 8 ARMY REAR. INFO: APIS (PHELLO  
PIRELLA, PIRICIS, PIRING, PIRIK, PIRIAR, PIRIAD, PIRICAL DIRECTOR, LANCE MAIP (A) MAIP (B)  
PA MAIP (MAP), 15 ARMY GP, DISTONE, TINTWO, OD MTOUSA, PENSASE, ALAYM, REGIONAL  
COMMISSIONERS PIRICENTE, LOMBAUDIA, V NIBELLA, LIRUNIA, ECILIA, AAFSC/ATO, SA ZIA  
GP RAP.

SECRET

Subject is prices and wage policy for EMILY north of northern boundaries  
of RAVENNA PIRENNE PISTOIA LUCCA AND APUANIA (MARSA) provinces.

1. For prices conform to Directive detailed in ALCOM signal 5920 dated  
23 April 1945.
2. For wages for civilians employed by Allied Forces intention is not to  
exceed rates prevailing in private industry in each locality. pending issue of  
detailed instructions following will apply as interim measure.
  - A. Civilian labour newly engaged will be paid at rate of wages in force  
on 3 April 1945 in private industry in locality where labour is engaged. These  
rates can be ascertained from prefect or employers' industrial union or Camera del  
Lavoro in each locality.
  - B. Where the local prevailing rate for any category is less than the  
minimum in the Allied Force basic wage scale the local prevailing rate will be paid.
  - C. Where the local prevailing rate for any category is greater than  
the maximum in the Allied Force basic wage scale the maximum in the Allied Force  
basic wage scale will not be exceeded.

D. Cost of living and other bonuses now being paid in south ITALY will not be paid in North to newly engaged labour.

J. For civilian labour moved by you into Northern territory above instructions will apply except for essential key technical personnel who have been trained for specific jobs. These may continue to receive present rates but minimum numbers only should be moved.

Dist

Info-action - Eoon Sec (3)  
Info - A/President  
Chief Commissioner  
Labour SC  
File (2)  
Float

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G-1(A)

To see per 3 of wire transfer for  
information only.

Attachment

Ed Sec  
16 April

Ed Sec

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Noted -

G-1 (C)  
19 April

Per DWZ  
to see H2-2K

G-1(A)

To see folio 54 for information

Attachment

Ed Sec  
21 April

Noted

G-1(A)  
21 April

MWD.

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APR 201220B  
PRIORITY

APRIS SIGNED SACRED CITY PHASE PHOS

ACTION HQ ALCON HOME

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SECRET

This Hq concurs in your plan to recognize and maintain, at least for initial period, the reportedly lower prices and wages in north ITALY, as outlined in draft signal quoted in your 5564 of 17 April. Instructions are being issued to AP/HR to take appropriate action in accordance your paragraph 4, and commands are being instructed to cooperate in establishing road block for detection of illegal cargo on military vehicles. Arrangements for checking civilian vehicles at road block will be responsibility of AC/AMC.

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- Action - Room Sec (3)
- Info - J/President
- Chief Commissioner
- File (2)
- Float

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APR 16-3

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17 APRIL 45

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URGENT 17

SUBJECT IS NORTH ITALY PRICE AND WAGE POLICIES PD

PARA ONE PD FOLLOWING IS DRAFT OF SIGNAL PROPOSED FOR DISTRIBUTION TO REGIONS  
PIEMONTE, LIGURIA, LAZIO, EMILIA AND VENETIA; AMB 4 CORPS; G 5 SMO 5 ARMY;  
AMB 8 ARMY; FOR INFORMATION TO G 5 SMO 15TH ARMY GROUP AND AFIELD. YOUR  
CONCURRENCE REQUESTED MFD

PARA TWO PD REPORTS FROM NORTHERN REGIONS INDICATE SOME WIDE VARIATIONS FROM  
SOUTH ITALY PRICE AND WAGE SCALES THAT IT IS VITAL TO SEPARATE THE TWO ECONOMIES  
FOR SOME INITIAL PERIOD PD ECONOMIC BOUNDARY LINE IS SET AT NORTHERN BOUNDARIES  
OF RAVENNA, PIEMONTE, PISTOIA AND LUCCA PROVINCES PD WIDE PRICE DIFFERENTIALS  
WILL MAKE BRIBERY AND BLACK MARKETING ALONG THE ECONOMIC BOUNDARY PROFITABLE  
FOR BOTH CIVILIAN AND MILITARY VEHICLES (ALLIED AND ITALIAN) PD EFFECTIVE  
BLOCKADES MUST BE ESTABLISHED TO PREVENT ILLEGAL MOVEMENTS OF GOODS NORTH OR  
SOUTH ACROSS BOUNDARY PD

PARA THREE PD GENERAL ORDER AND DETAILED DIRECTIVES ARE BEING PREPARED PD IN  
THE MEANTIME IT IS DEEMED THAT THE FOLLOWING GENERAL POLICIES WILL BE EFFECTIVE  
NORTH OF THE ECONOMIC BOUNDARY SUPERSEDING ALL PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS PD (A)  
PRICES OF ALL NON EXPORTED ITEMS ON WHICH THERE WAS AN OFFICIAL PRICE IN THE  
NORTH AS OF 3 APRIL ARE TO BE HELD OR ROLLED BACK TO THAT PRICE AS MAXIMUM PD  
OTHER ESSENTIAL NON EXPORTED ITEMS ON WHICH THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL NORTHERN  
PRICES AS OF 3 APRIL SHOULD BE PRICED ON BASIS OF THE NORMAL PRICE RELATIONSHIP  
TO OTHER ITEMS DURING MAY 1945 PD (B) EXPORTED COMMODITIES OTHER THAN FOOD WILL  
BE PRICED AT LARGEST NET PLANT COST OF DISTRIBUTION PD (C) SUGAR AND OTHER  
CEREALS WILL BE ADJUSTED AT THE 3 APRIL LISTING PRICE PD

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(D) ALL FOOD IMPORTED OR INDICATED TO THE NORTH MUST BE PRICED AT 3 APRIL PRICES  
 PD (E) A PRICE SCALE FOR MEDICAL SUPPLIES WILL BE ISSUED SHORTLY PD IN THE  
 INTERIM APPLY LARGEST COST PLUS COST OF DISTRIBUTION PD (F) ALL TRANSPORT RATES  
 WILL BE FIXED AT 1942 LEVEL FOR ENTIRE NORTHERN AREA SCALE TO BE ISSUED SOON PD IN  
 THE INTERIM APPLY 50 PERCENT OFF 30 JANUARY 45 RMAC TARIFF CHARGE FOR FREIGHT  
 ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TERRITORY PD

PARA THREE PD THE FOLLOWING WAGE POLICIES WILL APPLY PD (A) FOR PRIVATE  
 INDUSTRY WAGES IN FORCE ON 3 APRIL WILL BE RECOGNIZED AS APPROPRIATE PD RIGHT  
 OF NEGOTIATION FOR WAGE CHANGES AT LATER DATES IS RECOGNIZED BUT APPLICATION OR  
 CHANGES IS FORBIDDEN WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL BY AEC REGIONAL PROCEDURES TO BE DE-  
 SCRIBED PD (B) STATE EMPLOYEES FOUND IN THE NORTH WILL BE PAID AT RATES APPLICABLE  
 3 APRIL 45 PD THOSE TRANSFERRED FROM THE SOUTH WILL BE PAID IN CASH IN NORTH AT  
 3 APRIL NORTHERN RATES AND CREDITED IN HOME FOR THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE NORTHERN  
 AND SOUTHERN RATES PD CASINIERI WILL BE PAID IN CASH AT SOUTHERN RATES WHETHER  
 TRANSFERRED FROM SOUTH OR TAKEN ON IN THE NORTH PD (D) BOTH IN PRIVATE INDUSTRY  
 AND IN STATE EMPLOYMENT THERE WILL BE NO REPEAT NO AUTOMATIC APPLICATION OF  
 COST OF LIVING BONUS OR OTHER WAGE INCREASE DECREE OR CHANGES IN FORCE IN SOUTH PD  
 PARA FOUR PD IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT ALLIED WORKERS BASIC WAGES AND BONUSES BE  
 MODIFIED FOR APPLICATION IN THE NORTH SO AS TO CONFORM TO THE ABOVE POLICIES FOR  
 PRIVATE INDUSTRY PD FOR APPEL PD REQUEST YOU ISSUE NECESSARY INSTRUCTIONS PD

*Originated by Economic Section*

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

MBT/wh  
Phone 489081

R11/3/Tb 1

10 April 1945

Transportation Sub-Commission Officers - Northern Italy 51

1. When AC/AMD take over in N.W. Italy, it is proposed to establish an Advanced Echelon of the Transportation Sub-Commission. Its duties will be as follows:

a. To coordinate, on behalf of the Director of the Transportation Sub-Commission, movements and transportation work in the regions of Piemonte, Liguria, Lombardia, and such other provinces as may be considered as 'N.W. Italy' from time to time.

b. To coordinate movements and transportation work with the military authorities.

c. To control the general distribution of AC and civilian transport in N.W. Italy.

d. To see that movements programs are carried out in accordance with established priorities, particularly programs affecting more than one region.

2. a. Regional Transportation Officers will arrange all local movement within N.W. Italy as far as possible from their own local resources; they will contact each other as necessary; and they will also work closely with military movement officers.

b. Demands for local movement within the N.W. area that cannot be met as outlined in (a) above and movement to or from places outside N.W. Italy will be referred to the Advanced Echelon of the Transportation Sub-Commission, who will try to meet such demands (1) by adjustment of AC controlled capacity, (2) by further contact with military movement headquarters in N.W. Italy, and (3) by reference to Transportation Sub-Commission, Rome.

3. The following officers are nominated for the Advanced Echelon of Transportation Sub-Commission:

Lt. Col. M. Harris (A) (1/c)  
Major H. S. Talbot (B)

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One other officer with railway operating experience will be nominated later.

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SECRET

4. The Advanced Echelon of the Transportation Sub-Commission will be located near HQ, 2 District.

5. All railway engineering work will continue as at present to be dealt with by Transportation Sub-Commission at HQ, and not by Regional Transportation Officers; the following HQ officers are nominated for detachment to Northern Italy:

Railway Civil Engineering - Major P. G. Buckley (B)

Railway Mechanical Engineering - Major E.N.B. Jeffrey (B)

They will keep in touch with Lt. Col. Harris as necessary, but will report direct to their respective branches in the Rail Division of Transportation Sub-Commission, Rome.

By command of Rear Admiral STONE:

*M. R. Thomas*  
M. R. THOMAS, Colonel  
Deputy Director

DISTRIBUTION:

List 'A', plus  
HQ 2 District  
C/M) o/c HQ 2 District  
D.M.W.S.  
HQ Fourth Corps

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 32  
ENTAILMENT SECTION

56.2/33/ST

13 April 1945

SUBJECT: Personnel and Supply for N.W. ITALY  
TO : HQ, No. 2 District

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1. Acknowledgment is made of your 1790/15/1, of 9 April 1945, addressed to the Secretary, N.W. Italy Planning Committee.
2. The attached tabulation is given as a preliminary figure of the officers and N1/2R to be assigned to the Northern Regions. More detailed figures will be supplied you within a week.
3. The supply of rations to U.S. personnel is expected to follow normal American procedure, with the various units submitting requisitions to the nearest Quartermaster Station HQ. No special procedure has been established for such supply.
4. Your attention is invited to the attached copy of letter to the Regional Commissioners concerned. They will communicate directly with your Headquarters under authority of this letter, and will be in a position to supply more precise figures as to numbers of personnel and locations.

C. H. FURKES,  
Colonel, Inf.,  
A/Vice-President

2 incls: copy letter, 56.2/31/ST  
12 April, 1945

tabulation, men to be  
assigned to Northern Regions

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See 56.2/31/ST for  
complete correspondence

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PERSONNEL TO BE ASSIGNED TO EASTERN REGIONS

<u>LOCATIONS</u>	<u>OFFICERS ASST</u>	<u>TECHNICAL CRT</u>	<u>ASSISTANTS IN</u>
Lombardia Region	211	100	79
Piemonte Region	158	120	74
Liguria Region	98	70	49
Emilia Region	58	50	26
Toscana Region	82	45	32

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
G-5 Section  
APO 394

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Ref. P-15

9 April 1945

SUBJECT: Accommodation in N.W. ITALY

TO: Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394

1. It is presumed that you have already been in touch with HQ 2 District, who are doing the detailed planning of accommodation in N.W. ITALY and that you have informed them of your accommodation requirements.

2. Will you please confirm that this is so.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

*V. P. CROOK-JOHNSON*

V. P. CROOK-JOHNSON  
Lt. Colonel  
Economics & Supply Div.

56A.8/1945 to: HQ 2 Dist.

1st Ind.

RE: Allied Commission, Office of the Vice President, Establishment Section, 11 April 45

TO: G-5 Section, AFHQ

1. The question of accommodations for AG/AMC in N.W. Italy, considered at the various meetings of the N.W. Italy Planning Coordinating Committee, held at HQ, A.G., was delegated to the various Regional Commissioners concerned.

2. These Regional Commissioners have cleared the question of their accommodation requirements with the appropriate Sub-areas and Areas, which, presumably, have taken the matter up with District, for coordination.

*G. M. PARKER*  
G. M. PARKER,  
Colonel, Inf.  
A/Vice-President

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SUBJECT: Future Plans NW ITALY -  
Accom & Rations for AO Personnel

HQ No. 2 District, GMP  
1730/TB/01  
9 April 45

The Secretary,  
NW ITALY Planning Committee,  
HQ Allied Commission.

Early information will be appreciated regarding approximate numbers of Allied Commission personnel who will be proceeding to NW ITALY. This information is required, both in connection with allocation of accommodation and provision of rations, and should be furnished under the following heads:

- (a) Location.
- (b) British personnel - Officers and Ots (shown separately).
- (c) U.S. personnel - Officers and E1 (shown separately).

2 Will you please say what system you envisage for the supply of rations to U.S. personnel, particularly in outlying towns. If you have no information on this subject, it will be referred to AFSA by this HQ.

Major-General,  
Commander, No. 2 District.

*original to S.O.(B), for action par 1.*  
*Copy to G-4(A), " " par 2.*  
*10/4/45.*

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**HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION**

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File \_\_\_\_\_ Date *14 March*

FROM \_\_\_\_\_ TO \_\_\_\_\_

Deputy Ex. Commissioner

→ Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

G-4 (B)

Headquarters Consultant

Adjutant

*N.W. Italy Planning* ←  
*Committee*

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
G-5 Section  
APO 512

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G-5: 306.2

12 March 1945

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SUBJECT: Existing Establishments Suitable for Billets  
in the PO Valley.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 390.

Hereto attached are two copies of OBL/OI(Y)/389.260.8  
dated 27 February 1945 for your information.

For asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

E. F. BARRACK,  
Jr. Comdr.

Incl:  
as above

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ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS  
Office of Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2  
(Operational Intelligence Section)

27 February 1945

CAI/OI(T)/58,260.8

SUBJECT: Existing establishments suitable for billets in the FO Valley.

1. For the purpose of billeting Allied troops and the establishment of P/W camps in the FO Valley, upon Allied occupation, the following report is submitted. No allowance has been made for reduction of accommodation owing to bomb damage.

2. Area south of the FO River and north of Highway No. 9.

A.	BOLOXIA	5,000 men
B.	BISSIAS	15,600 men
C.	MICOLI	9,000 men
D.	P. BELL	8,400 men
E.	SEGGIO MELLA	7,500 men
F.	LAVERDA	<u>4,400 men</u>
	Total	80,900

3. Area north of the FO River and the area west of PLACENZA which lies south of the FO River.

A.	MILAN	85,000 men
B.	TURIN	53,000 men
C.	ALBA/NOVARA	7,500 men
D.	CUNEO	8,800 men
E.	BIELLA	22,600 men
F.	VERONA	19,300 men
G.	MONFALCONE	<u>2,500 men</u>
	Total	205,500 men

4. Total for the FO River Valley.

286,400 men

5. City jails have not been included.

6. Additional and up to date information is being collected. In view of the numerous sources involved some delay is likely to occur.

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2. Area south of the PO River and north of Highway No. 9.

A. BOLOGNA	35,000 men
B. FIRENZE	16,500 men
C. SIENA	9,000 men
D. PISA	8,400 men
E. FLORENCE	7,500 men
F. LIVORNO	<u>4,100 men</u>
Total	80,900

3. Area north of the PO River and the area west of FLORENCE which lies south of the PO River.

A. MILAN	85,000 men
B. TURIN	53,000 men
C. ALESSANDRIA	7,300 men
D. GENOVA	8,800 men
E. MONZA	22,600 men
F. VERONA	19,300 men
G. MANTUA	<u>9,500 men</u>
Total	205,500 men

4. Total for the PO River Valley.

286,400 men

5. City Jails have not been included.

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6. Additional and up to date information is being collected. In view of the numerous sources involved more delay is likely to occur before another report can be issued.

7. Appendix "A" is a list of existing establishments suitable for billets in the PO Valley, based on present available information.

For the A. C. of S., G-2:

*H. L. Jones*  
 H. L. JONES  
 Major, G-2, C.  
 C.I. (Topographical)

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1. ALACALA

The estimated total public accommodation is sufficient for 15,000 men.  
 The facilities are:

a. Hotels.

	118 rooms	5 bath	garage	147 beds
ADRIANA	254	8	garage	150
ALBA	82	60	garage	126
BILIBILINGO	46	8		62
PLAZA	51	2		60
LA VILLA	118	56	garage	168
LA VILLA	45	9		78
LA VILLA	63	14		95
LA VILLA	59	3	garage	80
LA VILLA	75	12	garage	115
LA VILLA	71	16	garage	106
LA VILLA	47	13	garage	64
LA VILLA	47	1		67
				Total
				1855

In addition there are 10 hotels the accommodation of which is as shown.

b. Schools, Colleges, Institutions.

Elementary Schools	45
Private Schools & Colleges	42
Secondary Schools and Technical Institutes	20

Sufficient for 15,000 men.

There is also a large University which should afford ample accommodation.

c. Theatres and Cinemas.

ALBA	Sufficient for 20,000 men.
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2. ALACALA

The estimated total for public accommodation is 16,600. The facilities are:

Hotels



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There are 4 more hotels with unknown accommodation.

b. Schools, Colleges, Technical Institutes.

There are 15 such buildings with sufficient accommodation for about 6,000 men.

c. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 10 of these providing sufficient accommodation for 10,000 men. CA. MALLA, KAROL. NAUVO. DIALA. JULIA. REPOLI. KALLI. RISSORI. MANTON. PLAGH-ANGIC.

d. Institutions.

There are 9; sufficient for 600 men.

3. LAKE.

The estimated total public accommodation is sufficient for 9,000 men. The facilities are:

a. Hotels. There are 12 in all, 7 of which are:

	17 rooms	1 bath	Garage	24 beds	Total of 280
(1) GIMBERT.	52	1	66	50	
(2) CALABRIGIO	21			40	
(3) LINDINI.	27	1	60	60	
(4) ALLAMO	14	1	45	45	
(5) LAURE	30	1	22	22	
(6) S. LAURO	15	1			
(7) SACCO D'ITALIA.					

The accommodation in the 5 other hotels is unknown.

b. Schools and Technical Institutes, Colleges, etc.

There are 90 of these, with accommodation for 1,500 men.

c. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 9 in all.

MANTON  
D'ANGELI  
MANTON  
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4. Institutions.

There are 5; sufficient for 600 men.

5. Schools.

The estimated total public accommodation is sufficient for 9,000 men. The facilities are:

a. Hotels. There are 12 in all, 7 of which are:

	17 rooms	1 bath	Garage	24 beds	Total of 283
1) <u>CHIYEN</u>	52			66	
2) <u>OLIMPIO</u>	21			50	
3) <u>ILICHI</u>	27	1 bath		40	
4) <u>ALIBO</u>	14	15	Garage	60	
5) <u>ELABO</u>	30	1	Garage	38	
6) <u>SOLDO D'ITALIA</u>	13	1	Garage	22	

The accommodation in the 5 other hotels is unknown.

b. Schools and Technical Institutes, Colleges, etc.

There are 30 of these, with accommodation for 3,500 men.

9. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 9 in all.

- MONTELIBRE
- BUZZI
- MARLINO
- CLAPPI
- CHIYEN
- OLIMPIO
- ALIBO
- ELABO
- VITTORIO MANZINI

\* Sufficient for 3,000 men.

4. Institutions.

Sufficient accommodation for 500 men is provided by these.

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COMPLEMENTS

4. Public

The estimated total public accommodation is approximately 6,400. The distribution for public billeting is as follows:

3. Hotels. There are 15 of these.

BOYD	46 rooms	8 baths	60 beds	garage
CANTON	21 "	1 "	30 "	
CHAMBERLAIN	48 "	7 "	55 "	garage
FAIRBANKS	10 "	1 "	14 "	
LEWIS	14 "	2 "	18 "	
MASTERS	12 "	1 "	20 "	
MILANO	50 "	6 "	65 "	garage
MURPHY	12 "	1 "	45 "	garage
ROBERTSON	12 "	0 "	15 "	
STANLEY	27 "	5 "	36 "	
T. GIBSON	10 "	0 "	16 "	

The accommodation of the four remaining hotels is unknown. The total number of beds in the above named hotels is 374.

5. Schools, Colleges, and Technical Institutes.

There are 10 of these, with accommodation for about 2,000 men.

6. Theaters and Clubs.

There are 10 of these, with accommodation for about 6,000 men. They are: FORTY-FOUR, KALIA, KAUAI, KAUAI, KAUAI, KAUAI, KAUAI, KAUAI, KAUAI, KAUAI, KAUAI.

7. Institutions.

There are 22 of these, with accommodation for about 400 men.

8. Public Buildings.

The estimated total public accommodation is sufficient for 7,500 men. The facilities are:

4. Hotels.

KALIA	22 rooms	2 baths	24 beds	garage
CHAMBERLAIN	10 "	1 "	16 "	garage
CHAMBERLAIN	10 "	0 "	13 "	
CHAMBERLAIN	23 "	10 "	33 "	
CHAMBERLAIN	52 "	2 "	66 "	

ALBINO	12	*	*	50	Garage
ESPAÑOL	12	*	*	45	Garage
FRANCÉS	27	*	*	25	
ITALIANO	10	*	*	50	
				16	

The accommodation of the four remaining hotels is unknown. The total number of beds in the above named hotels is 374.

b. Schools, Colleges, and Technical Institutes.

There are 30 of these, with accommodation for about 2,000 men.

2. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 10 of these, with accommodation for about 5,000 men. They are: HITSARD, NERIO, NEDICH, GRISO, CANTILLAS, CONSIDORI, SIKON, YUBERSE, LUX, VERDI.

d. Institutions.

There are 22 of these, with accommodation for about 400 men.

5. PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

The estimated total public accommodation is sufficient for 7,500 men. The facilities are:

<u>a. Hotels.</u>	22 rooms	2 baths	24 beds	Garage
BOLIVIA	10	1	18	Garage
CAROLIN D'ORO	10	0	15	
OSORIO D'ORO	25	10	53	
ALABO	52	2	44	
FRANCÉS	10	1	24	
SAVANA	36	1	39	
ACUÑO DE ALVILA	29	2	40	

Giving a total of 225 beds.

b. Schools, Colleges and Technical Institutes.

There are 19 such buildings with an approximate accommodation figure of 3,000.

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2. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 5, which will house about 4,000 men. They are: SICHFO, SOLANO, T. LEBETO, AICIA, AMICIFAIN, DEAN, B. JIBU, D.L.A.

3. Institutions.

There are 13, including the civilian hospital, sufficient for 500 men.

4. Hotels.

The estimated total public accommodation in S. VIZCA is approximately 4,400. The distribution is as follows:

Hotels	rooms	1 bath	25 beds	Total of 131 beds
CAZULLO	20	1	42	} plus (average) 68 beds
CAZULLO	30	1	21	
CAZULLO	17	1	12	
CAZULLO	9	1	68	
CAZULLO	48	7	10	
CAZULLO	7	0		

5. Schools.

There are 13 schools providing sufficient accommodation for about 3,000.

6. Theatres and Cinemas.

ALBUQUERQUE and FLORES. ALBUQUERQUE, providing sufficient accommodation for about 2,000 men.

7. Hotels.

The estimated total accommodation in public buildings is 85,000.

8. Hotels (104) + with garage.

Hotels	rooms	baths	beds	Address
CAZULLO	78	15	114	VIA AGUILLO 2
ALBUQUERQUE	110	57	175	CAZULLO, DEL ORO
CAZULLO	66	10	104	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	82	94	117	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	128	28	191	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	160	95	240	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	90	28	115	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	120	63	150	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	160	85	240	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	70	47	107	VIA AGUILLO 2
CAZULLO	70	9	100	VIA AGUILLO 2

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City	Rooms	Baths	Plus average	Total of beds
ALBANY	30	1		42
ALBANY	17	1		21
ALBANY	9	1		12
ALBANY	48	7		68
ALBANY	7	0		10

b. Schools.

There are 10 schools providing sufficient accommodation for about 5,000.

c. Churches and Clinics.

ALBANY and FLORENCE, providing sufficient accommodation for about 2,000 men.

d. Institutions 400 men.

7. MILIT.

The total total accommodation in public buildings is 85,000.

2. Hotels (104) - with garage.

City	Rooms	Baths	Beds	Address
ALBANY	75	18	114	VIA ARSIZIO 2
ALBANY	215	37	175	G. MARINI, MIL. CORSO
ALBANY	66	18	104	VITT. EMANUELE
ALBANY	61	54	117	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 14
ALBANY	128	28	191	PIAZZA PORT. MIL. 5
ALBANY	160	95	280	VIA MARCONI 7
ALBANY	90	28	113	VIA PI. VI. 42
ALBANY	150	53	190	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 2
ALBANY	262	85	265	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 5
ALBANY	70	47	107	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 5
ALBANY	70	9	100	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 5
ALBANY	93	13	137	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 5
ALBANY	93	57	140	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 5
ALBANY	17	17	100	VIA BR. VARGAS 19
ALBANY	159	97	214	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 11
ALBANY	107	46	253	VIA PORT. MIL. 5
ALBANY	110	27	160	PIAZZA MON. D'ARZ. 5
ALBANY	514	45	645	VIA PORT. MIL. 5
ALBANY	110	65	235	VIA PORT. MIL. 5

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The remaining 85 hotels have approximately 3,600 beds, making a total of 7,000 beds.

b. Schools, Colleges, and Technical Institutes (200)

Possible accommodation for 30,000 men.

c. Theatres and Cinema (65)

Possible accommodation for 50,000 men.

d. Institutions and Reformatories (60)

Possible accommodation for 5,000 men.

e. Hospitals (7)

The city hospital (connected with university - serves for teaching) has 5,000 to 4,000 beds and includes:

- (1) HOSPITAL MICHIGNE (old building in city centre, may be closed since opening of new hospital, HOSPITAL DEL FIDELIS, in 1939-1940).
- (2) HOSPITAL DEL FIDELIS (In northern outskirts of city).
- (3) HOSPITAL DEL FIDELIS (City Centre).
- (4) HOSPITAL PASTORALE. Has from 600 to 700 beds and is semi-private.
- (5) HOSPITAL DEL SACRAMENTO. Children's Hospital.
- (6) INSTITUTO MICHIGNE VITE. HOSPITAL III, for the study and care of cancer has 250 beds.
- (7) HOSPITAL S. JESU. Care for patients under social security system.

8. THEATRES 3000

Estimated total public accommodation is 53,000. The distribution in public buildings being as follows:

a. Hotels

HOTELS	59 rooms	30 beds	103 beds	average
CASA DI MARCHI	65 "	5 "	100 "	"
STORIA	76 "	7 "	102 "	"





TONICINE  
 CORSO EUG. MARCONI, 104  
 VITTORIO BELINZAGHI  
 VIA MESSINI 15  
 V. RITA LUZZI  
 75, VOLTA 5

d. Institutions, Porphyrans (60), and Hospitals (15).

Sufficient accommodation for 4,000 men. The following is a list of the chief hospitals with number of beds and addresses:

- \* S.M. M. EL. ONI ENI (0-300 rooms) City Centre.
- \* OSPEDALE MADONNA DI S. GIOV. BATTISTA (1,500) 1/2 miles from old Fiat factory. Corso MARCONI 56 etc.
- \* "COTTOLINGO" (956) Via COTTOLINGO 14
- \* "L. EL. VITTORIO" (600) Via SEBASTI 3
- \* "NOVO MARTINI" (120) Corso ZANUCCI 48
- \* "FRANCESCO" (56) Via BENTIVOGLIO 26
- \* "ALESSANDRO DI S. VITO" (180) Corso J. MARCONI 120 for infectious diseases
- \* DI S. M. L. (95) Via G. MARCONI 23
- \* INF. ST. VITO "S. M. BENEDETTI" (110) Via F. MARCONI 6
- \* OST. S. VITO (250) Via S. VITO 19
- \* OSPEDALE RICCHIARDI DI PORTO (625) Via GIULIO 22 etc.
- \* OSPEDALE DI S. M. S. VITO (146) Via S. VITO 14
- \* DI S. M. VITO (61) Corso EUG. MARCONI 8 etc.
- \* "S. VITO" (60)
- \* S. VITO (300-400)
- \* S. VITO (0-200 rooms)

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- \* OSPEDALE DI S. M. S. VITO (970) Strada ORLANDINO 139
- \* "S. VITO DI VITO" (150) Corso J. MARCONI 120 bis

There is a new built-up camp, outside the town, west of piazza D'ELI, consisting of 12 large huts each probably supplying accommodation for about 250 men, giving total of 3,000.

9. INSTITUTIONS

The estimated total accommodation in public buildings is 7,500. The distribution in public buildings is as follows:

Institution	Rooms	Baths	Beds
DUC S. VITO	9	1	11
OSP. S. VITO	27	2	35
OSP. S. VITO	20	2	34

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GEORGE	17 rooms	1 bath	25 beds	garage
CLERINO	15 "	1 "	20 "	"
LEON D'ORO	20 "	2 "	34 "	"
GIUSEPPE	26 "	3 "	40 "	"
S. VITO	19 "	2 "	28 "	garage
FRANCESCO	55 "	3 "	50 "	"
FRANCO	55 "	2 "	40 "	"

giving a total of 520 beds.

b. Schools, Colleges, Institutes.

There are 20 in all, giving accommodation for 2,500 men.

c. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 8, sufficient for 5,000 men. They are: AMERICA, ANDREOTTI, FRANCIS, VIRGINIA, MAKIN, BARBERA, VITTORIO.

d. Hospitals

There are 3, with known accommodation for 1,500 men.

e. Institutions.

There are 2, estimated to house a total of 500 men.

10. GERMANY

The estimated total accommodation in public buildings is 6,800. The distribution in public buildings is as follows:

<u>a. Hotels.</u>	12 rooms	1 bath	18 beds	garage
BERGOL	16 "	1 "	23 "	"
ZUCCH	13 "	1 "	20 "	"
GALLIA	29 "	16 "	40 "	"
LAZZARI	40 "	2 "	50 "	"
ZUCCH	45 "	6 "	57 "	"
S. GIACOMO	54 "	3 "	44 "	"
S. GIACOMO	24 "	1 "	20 "	"
THE STUBBS	8 "	1 "	12 "	"

Giving a total of 284 beds.

b. Theatres and Cinemas.

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There are 20 in all, giving accommodation for 2,500 men.

c. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 8, sufficient for 3,000 men. They are: AMFICIPAL, ALBERTINO, MIN, ADRESO, FRANCIS, VIRGIL, MARDI, LUIGIO, VITTORIO.

d. Hospitals

There are 3, with known accommodation for 1,500 men.

e. Institutions.

There are 24, estimated to house a total of 300 men.

10. OTHERS.

The estimated total accommodation in public buildings is 8,800. The distribution in public buildings is as follows:

	12 rooms	1 bath	18 beds	garage
<u>REGGIO</u>	16	1	23	"
<u>GENOVA</u>	13	1	20	"
<u>LAZIO</u>	29	16	40	"
<u>RAVENNA</u>	40	2	50	"
<u>ROMA</u>	45	6	57	"
<u>SAN GIUSEPPE</u>	4	3	44	"
<u>SAN MARCO</u>	14	1	20	"
<u>THE SILENCI</u>	9	1	12	"
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Giving a total of 284 beds.

b. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are: FORCELLI, VIGI, DONOLVINO PROVINCIALI, SEIWO, ITALIA, ITALIA, FILED.

accommodation for 4,500 men.

c. Schools, Colleges and Technical Institutes.

There are 21 of these, sufficient to accommodate 2,000 men.

d. Hospitals.

There are 4; the known accommodation being 2,000 men.

e. Institutions.

There are 15 which will house a total of 300 men.

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11. Hotels

The estimated total accommodation in public buildings is sufficient for 22,600 men. Distribution in public buildings is as follows:

	30 rooms	6 baths	42 beds	
BRASOIL	37	4	57	
ZUBOPE	40	2	60	garage
G. J. B. C. I. R. O.	15	1	25	"
M. G. A. N. T. A.	43	8	51	"
M. A. S. C. H. I. N. O. G. A. L. L. O.	16	2	25	"
O. P. E. L. O. G. I. C.	30	1	45	"
V. I. C. C. H. I. C.	29	1	40	"
E. S. T. I. A.	31	1	53	"
R. O. L. A.	48	4	66	"
T. A. R. S. I. N. U. S.	55	23	81	garage
V. I. T. T. O. R. I. A.				

Giving a total of 545 beds.

b. Schools, Colleges, and Technical Institutes.

There are 45 in all, sufficient for 9,000 men.

c. Theatres and Cinemas.

There are 24 in all, sufficient for 10,000 men.

d. Institutions, Nursing Homes, and Poor Housing.

50 in all; accommodating 1,600 men.

12. Yards

Total public accommodation is estimated as sufficient for 19,500 men. Distribution in public buildings is as follows:

	76 rooms	20 baths	128 beds	
Q. U. A. L. I. A.	43	2	71	
Q. U. I. L. I. N. G. H. O. U. S. E.	42	10	65	garage
O. C. C. I. A. T. I. O. N. E.	40	5	60	"
C. A. S. I. A.	54	8	78	"
S. I. L. V. I. O.	54	8	82	"
R. I. V. I. A. D. E. L. L. I. N. G.	50	8	80	"
T. A. R. S. I. N. U. S.				



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1. Hospitals. (3)

known accommodation for 2,000 men.

2. Institutions.

will accommodate 400 men. To the north-east of the town there is a large group of carefully laid out buildings, apparently a barracks, it is adjacent to the road and surrounded by a wall. It has 18 large buildings, 3 smaller, and 9 small buildings or huts. Should house about 3,000 men.

3. Accommodation.

The estimated total public accommodation is sufficient for 9,500 men.

4. Hotels.

There are 10 hotels. Total beds 193.

5. Theatres and Cinemas. (6).

Accommodation for 1500 men.

6. Schools etc. (10).

Accommodation for 3,000 men.

7. Hospitals. (2)

Accommodation for 2,000 men.

8. Barracks.

(1) Infantry barracks, Via BELL'ALCANTARA, 2 - 3 stories, 656 ft. long. Accommodation for 1500 men.

(2) GARIBOLDI barracks. North east of town. Accommodation for 1500 men.

(3) Large building, Via TRIESTE. Accommodation for 1500 men.

(4) ZUCCHETTI barracks, Via SOLFERINO. 2 stories, 260 ft. wide, 430 ft. long. Has large court yard. Accommodation for 1500 men.

10. The following is a list showing some of enemy installations in the area south of the River 10 and north of Highway No. 9.

The estimated total public accommodation is sufficient for 9,500 men.

5. Hotels.

There are 10 hotels. Total beds 193.

6. Theatres and Cinemas (6).

Accommodation for 1500 men.

7. Schools etc. (10).

Accommodation for 3,000 men.

8. Hospitals. (5)

Accommodation for 2,000 men.

9. Barracks.

(1) Infantry barracks, Via R.D. Bull' D'Al., 2 - 3 stories, 536 ft. long. Accommodation for 1500 men.

(2) SAFARI barracks. North west of town. Accommodation for 1500 men.

(3) Large building, Via ILUVO. Accommodation for 1500 men.

(4) PARCIST barracks, Via SOLIMENO, 2 stories, 260 ft. wide, <sup>700 ft.</sup> 300 ft. long. Has large court yard. Accommodation for 1500 men.

14. The following is a list showing some of enemy installations in the area south of the River PO and north of Highway No. 9.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| M - 023525 Hospital                    | L - 9691 2 hospitals                      |
| M - 002501 "                           | L - 5299 Hospital and small occupied area |
| M - 009584 "                           | P - 4901 Hospital                         |
| L - 012550 "                           | P - 448021 "                              |
| L - 954522 "                           | P - 5902 5 hospitals                      |
| L - 5506 <u>PL Camp 700 x 500 yds.</u> | L - 3697 2 hospitals                      |
| L - 621963 Hospital                    | L - 3496 2 hospitals                      |
| P - 662022 "                           | L - 4189 2 hospitals                      |
| P - 680077 "                           | L - 4097 2 hospitals and occ. area        |
| L - 7865 3 hospitals                   |   |
| L - 8574 4 hospitals and storage area  | L - 5501 4 hospitals                      |
| L - 8166 Hospital and storage area     | L - 4580 Hospital                         |
| P - 8705 3 hospitals                   |   |

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- L - 3760 Hospital
- F - 141002
- L - 0985 - 2.8km - 25 huts at L - 104868; 8 huts at L - 092840; stores dump at L - 114864.
- Hospitals at L - 065860, 065886, 063854, 093053, 069045, 099842, 061837.
- M - 158394 - small hospital in villa.
- M - 152407 - latrine used as HQ.
- M - 2347 - 4 hospitals
- M - 1842 - 4 blocks of buildings every occupied.
- M - 199309 - block of occupied buildings.
- M - 1732 - 1735 - 5 large blocks of buildings used as hospitals.
- M - 0043 - 16 long buildings (probably bombed out).
- L - 909472 - 12 large buildings (probably bombed out).
- M - 433747 - Possible barracks building.

- M - 1752 - 1753 - 5 large blocks of buildings used as hospitals.
- M - 0043 - 16 long buildings (probably bombed out).
- L - 9094, 72 - 12 large buildings (probably bombed out).
- M - 4337, 7 - Possible barracks building.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APD 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

REFERENCE : 0-15/11/44

SUBJECT : Ceilings - Officers

TO : Distribution below

Attached is an analysis showing the intended distribution of the 135 Officers of the Allied Commission on the liberation of all Italy.

It will be noted that :

- (1) All Fifth and Eighth Armies are not shown. Their staff will be (a) sent to enter Austria (b) absorbed into a Province of a Region.
- (14) The number of presently assigned Officers to Berlin, Berlin, Toscana and Emilia Regions is small compared with other 146 Regions. The majority of the 30 Officers earmarked for Austria will, however, be attached to those Regions with the occupation of Austria begins; by this time it is anticipated that a great part of those Regions will be under Italian jurisdiction.

In view of movement, elasticity may be maintained and while these allocations may be considered first they are objective rather than rigid.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE

*[Signature]*  
Rear Admiral,  
Executive Commissioner.

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Civil Affairs Section, 15 Army G.C. (2)

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the US Officers of the Allied Commission on the liberation of all Italy.

It will be noted that:

- (1) The Fifth and Eighth Armies are not shown. Their staff will be (a) about to enter Austria (b) absorbed into a Province of a Region.
- (11) The number of permanently assigned Officers to Trentino, Trieste and Venetia Regions is small compared with other Ad Regions. The majority of the 300 Officers earmarked for Austria will, however, be attached to those Regions until the completion of Austria Region; by this time it is anticipated that a great part of these Regions will be under Italian jurisdiction.

In times of movement, elasticity must be maintained and while these allocations may be considered firm they are objective rather than rigid.

STAFF OF THE ALLIED COMMISSION

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ADMINISTRATIVE

- Office of Chief Commissioner {2}
- Office of Executive Commissioner {2}
- Civil Affairs Section, 13 Army Gp. {2}
- Vice President, Civil Affairs Section {10}
- Vice President, Army Section {2}
- Vice President, Public Section {1}
- Director, Public Relations Branch
- Director, Communications Sub-Commission
- Director, Air Services Hospital Sub-Commission
- Regional Commissioner, Trentino Region
- " " South Tyrol Region
- " " Venetia Region
- " " Trieste Region
- " " Trentino Region
- " " Venetia Region
- " " Trieste Region
- " " Trentino Region
- " " Venetia Region (1)
- S.C.A.O. and 54 Fifth Army
- S.C.A.O. and 142 Fifth Army

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TOTAL Number of Officers allocated to U.S. AO. and Regions.

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Italian Govt. Territory. }	26 including 7 Officers earmarked for AUSTRIA.
TOBRUK Region }	31 including 5 Officers earmarked for AUSTRIA.
LIBYA-MARSA Region }	65 including 14 Officers earmarked for AUSTRIA.
TOBRUK Region }	104 including 22 Officers earmarked for AUSTRIA.
LIBYA Region }	115 including 24 Officers earmarked for AUSTRIA.

	M.G.	Prof. Off.	P. Safety	P. Health	Legal	Gen.	M. P. A. & J.	Agric.	Industry	Commerce	Labour	Post	P. & U.	Spec.	Other P.C.
Italian Govt. (a)		6	1						1				1	1	
Territory (b)														1	1
Southern (a)	1		1	3	3					1		1	2	4	9
(b)	1		1		1					1				1	
Umbria (a)	6	10	3	3	6			2				6	3	3	6
Lazio (b)	1	2	1	1				1				2	1	2	
Toscana (a)	8	13	9	4	8		1	3	1	2	2	6	6	7	10
(b)	1	5	3	1	1							2	2	3	4
Emilia (a)	9	16	12	3	7	1	1	4	2		1	8	5	4	8
(b)	1	8	4	1	2							2	1	2	3
Liguria (a)	6	22	8	4	6	1	2	2	5	4	2	6	8	9	13
(b)															
Piemonte (a)	10	47	12	6	12	2	1	3	5	5	2	11	11	7	17
(b)															
Lombardia (a)	12	61	13	9	16	2	2	5	6	7	5	16	11	12	22
(b)															
Venezia (a)	9	61	15	3	13	2	2	4	3	3	2	13	12	9	17
(b)															
Venezia Giulia (a)	6	20	10	1	8							3		4	
(b)															
R.G. (a)	158		24	14	8	3	4	9	15	10	8	42	11	22	35
(b)															
TOTALS (a)	238	250	107	25	57	11	13	32	39	12	28	86	70	121	131
(b)	6	15	9	3	4			1		1		6	4	9	11

(a) Shows proposed allocation of Officers within the national T.V./E.

(b) Shows additional Officers allocated but earmarked for Austria.

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P. Safety	P. Health	Legal	Med.	M.F.A. & A.	Agric.	Industry	Commerce	Labour	Food	P. & U.	Cyber.	Fin. & I.C.	Comm.	Total
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											1	7		8
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12	6	12	2	1	3	5	5	2	11	11	7	17	2	133
18	9	16	2	2	5	6	7	5	16	11	12	22	2	208
10	8	13	2	2	4	3	3	4	13	12	9	17	2	172
10	1	8							5		4	6		60
14	14	8	3	4	4	13	10	8	12	13	52	30	8	178
107	53	87	11	13	32	39	32	22	86	70	121	158	30	1152
9	3	6			1		1		6	6	9	14		70

including 31 M.F.A. & A. Officers AC 21/68

the proposed allocation of Officers within the reduced 70/81.  
 own additional Officers allocated but earmarked for Austria.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
F. W. WEALE  
Coordinating Planning Committee

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Meeting of H. G. Allied Coordination  
3 March 1945.

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Inv: AG. 145  
1945/03/03/1

AGENDA

Brigadier M. A. Lamb, CB, CBE, MC, JP.  
Regional Commissioners and Staff's

Regional Commissioner  
Representatives

- Administrative Commissioner
- LUSITANIA
- LONGWELLIA
- PLUMPTRE
- VERMONTIA
- Civil Affairs Section
- Economic Section
- Intelligence Section
- Public Relations
- AFHQ G-5
- Royal Navy, Northwest Area HQ.
- 5 Army AGC
- 2 District
- 57 Area
- Special Forces.

1. EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

a. Report conference on last plan 177 did not affect basis of plan. 2877

b. Chief Administrative Officer AFHQ has stated that various figures of 500 have a day to be delivered at D-Day for AGC could be supplemented by an additional tonnage of 500 tons a day at another rail/roadhead as yet unspecified.

Meeting at B.O. Allied Commission  
3 March 1945.

PRESENT:

Brigadier H. S. Luck, CB, CBE, MC,  
Regional Commissioner and Staff's

Regional Commissioner  
Representatives

- Executive Commissioner
- LINGALA
- KACHAVULA
- PLIMMER
- ZIMMERS
- Civil Affairs Section
- Economic Section
- Establishments Section
- Public Relations
- AFHQ G-5
- Royal Navy, Northern Area Navy
- 5 Army AFHQ
- 2 District
- 57 Area
- Special Forces.

1. EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER'S STATEMENT

a. Recent conference on Log Plan 277 did not affect basis of <sup>2877</sup> Plan.

b. Chief Administrative Officer AFHQ had stated that tonnage figures of 500 tons a day to be delivered at Fuala for AFHQ would be supplemented by an additional tonnage up to 500 tons a day at another rail/roadhead as yet unspecified.

c. Executive Commissioner referred to representations that future meetings of NW Policy Committee might be unnecessary since negotiations had reached the stage of almost planning between Nations and Army Group or Delta concept.

2. A. FACTS

i. Decisions for feeding and clothing of patriots as a military responsibility is advised from Combined Chiefs of Staff. AFHQ is asked to press for early advice.

ii. Executive Commissioner requested AFHQ G-5 to ensure that acceptance of a military responsibility of such nature is not to be would not mean in loose form of the handling over of the problem to AFHQ.

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iii. It was agreed that the wearing of patriots must be done by those who first contact them. In the initial stages this will generally be the Army, when the patriots get back to the reception centers it will be an ASF responsibility. The question of a ceremonial parade for the laying down of arms was discussed, and it was agreed that this method might be used when suitable.

2. FINANCIAL

- i. Public Works & Utility Offices - all regions expressed concern of shortages.
- ii. Labour Offices - COMARCA } requested additional strength.  
                           - FUSCINO }  
                           - PARMA }

iii. Director Labour Sub Commission agreed to advise Provincial Commissioners at meetings to be arranged by SOs on labour problems anticipated for 19 Italy.

iv. Austria limits likely to be determined this weekend.

v. Colonel Piana expressed on SOs the necessity for prompt forwarding of Italian Civilian Staff.

vi. SOs requested early film shipment of Provincial and Specialist officers to regions to enable formation of teams to be determined.

3. ADMINISTRATION

i. 2 Districts said that the plan was that they should enter 19 Italy as the Administrative Section of IV Corps, and that therefore they would be able to assist in the lifting of civil supplies.

ii. Commission Sub Commission vehicle requirements - determined there was a problem for priority assessment by SOs.

iii. Freight tariff rates - agreed that GIC tariff be considered as maximum rate for truck pools, and that SOs set rates within these figures but coordinated to meet program by 1978 even in 19 Italy.

In general 1978 considered GIC rates 10% too high for introduction in 19 Italy. 1978 Sub Commission will consider

14. Labour Officers - LOMBARDIA  
- PIRELLA } requested additional strength.  
- VIGNOLA }

15. Director Labour Sub Commission agrees to advise Provincial Commissioners at meetings to be arranged by ILO on labour problems anticipated for NW Italy.

16. Austria lists likely to be determined this weekend.

17. Colonel Pisto impressed in ILO the necessity for prompt receipt of Italian Civilian Staff.

18. ILO requested early firm allotment of Provincial and Specialist Officers to regions to enable formation of teams to be submitted.

19. TRANSPORTATION

i. District said that the plan was that they should enter NW Italy to the Administrative Section of IV Corps, and that therefore they would be able to assist in the lifting of civil supplies.

ii. Commission's Sub Commission vehicle requirements - suggested these must be a problem for priority assessment by ILO.

iii. Freight tariff rates - agreed that 1940 tariffs be considered as maximum rate for truck loads, and that ILO set rates within these figures but negotiated between regions by ILO reps in NW Italy.

In general ILO considered ILOAL rates 50% too high for introduction in NW Italy. ILO Sub Commission will consider taxation and revenue a pending issue.

iv. Civilian Transport and Bus - agreed that rates be approved in accordance with local Italian prices and in agreement with neighbouring regions. ILO Sub Commission representative to coordinate.

20. MILITARY SAFETY

i. Expected strength figures would be:

	Expected	First increment
LOMBARDIA	150	150
LAZIO	150	211
PIEMONTE	177	240

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ii. It was agreed that CO. 58 found in the North should be taken on after screening up to the limit of the drilling. Above this ceiling they could be taken on as special police, and this would reduce them as patriots.

iii. Pozzetta - travel 10 hrs. and short guns. Legal and Public Safety instructed to review professional and reviews affecting limitation of travel and possession of firearms with a view to their practical application in NW Italy.

3. PLANNING FOR G.M.M.

- i. Progressing satisfactorily.
- ii. Plan by plan of G.M.M. has been submitted by 2 District to AMO.
- iii. Possibility of use of SAVINA as a POST is under investigation.

4. CONCENTRATION AREAS

- i. 2 District would have a planning staff at LARCA, and the Executive Commissioner considered that one or two AMO officers should join this staff. AMO Provincial teams should go in with Area teams.
- ii. LIGURIA - preliminary concentrations at GENOVA
- iii. LOMBARDIA - MILAN City and Province - SUSA Regional concentration at GINGO area SUSA.
- iv. PIEMONTE - preliminary concentrations with 151 Sub Area at ALESSANDRIA.

5. PUBLIC RELATIONS

- i. Press, Radio and films preliminary plans were read and discussed.
- ii. Question of sponsorship of papers by AMO referred to NW for reconsideration.
- iii. Question of early recognition of former pro-fascist papers like "Corriere della Sera" and "La Stampa" referred to NW to ascertain view of Italian authorities.

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AMO 6-7 informed that matter may be brought up by Chief

- 1. Progressing satisfactorily.
- ii. First key plan of GURIA has been submitted by 2 District to IWS.
- iii. Possibility of use of LUCINA as a PACT is under investigation.

P. CONCENTRATIVE AREAS

- i. 2 District would have a planning staff at LUCINA, and the Executive-Commissioner considered that one or more AMS officers should join this staff. AMS Provincial teams should go in with Area teams.
- ii. LIGURIA - preliminary concentrations at CECILIANINO
- iii. LOMBARDIA - MILAN (City and Province) - SUSA  
Explored concentration staging area SIMLA
- iv. PIAEMONTE - preliminary concentrations with 151 Sub Area at CUCULLINO.

Q. PAPERED POLICY

- i. Press, Radio and Milan preliminary plans were read and discussed.
- ii. Question of ownership of papers by AMS referred to IWS for reconsideration. 3870
- iii. Question of early recognition of Pannas pro-fascist papers like "Corriere della Sera" and "la Stampa" referred to IWS to ascertain view of Italian authorities.  
AMS Q-5 inferred that matter may be brought up by Giulio Dominiconer at Political Meeting of IWS.
- iv. Question of limitation of circulation of papers printed in liberated Italy referred to IWS for reconsideration.
- v. Stressed that in broadcasts it was essential IWS originate idea on matter of both policy and detail for London coverage.  
This to be given to action of IWS as well as IWS Group for consultation with IWS, and possibly a further point for Political Meeting of IWS.

R. PAPER OF CUMULATIVE

Instructions for organization in IWS territory will be issued by Economic Section in accordance with Italian Government procedure.

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1. WAGE SURVEYS & SOCIALIZATION OF ITALIAN WORKERS

Questions under discussion by Labour, Finance and Italian Government.

2. HEADQUARTERS, 2 DISTRICTS.

Likely to be MILAN or MILAN AREA and NOT ALASSANDRA.

*Handwritten signature*

L. MERLINI-PRODOTTA,  
Via Calceolari,  
Brescia,  
NW Italy Coordinating Committee.

DISSEMINATION

- Chief Commissioner
- Executive Commissioner
- One copy each member WFO
- Mr. J. A. Mulvey, VASSALIA
- Office of Executive Commissioner
- Establishments Section
- Public Safety Sub Commission
- Victoria Branch
- Civil Affairs Section
- Public Relations Branch
- Records Section
- Transportation Sub Commission
- Food Sub Commission
- Labour Sub Commission
- Finance Sub Commission
- Communications Sub Commission

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Executive Training Committee

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L. G. E. Y. L. A.

for U. S. I. S. Conference - 2 March 1954 - 1000 hours.

1. Statement of Executive Committee.
2. Committee progress report, including:
  - a. Minutes. Extent of military responsibility. District level. (6-1)
  - b. Personnel. (6-1)
  - c. Officers. (6-1)
  - d. Non-officers. (6-4)
  - e. P. M. / O. M. (6-4)
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3. Method of evaluation of:
  - a. Progress of discharges.
  - b. Transportation of Supplies & Personnel.
    - i. Storage facilities.
    - ii. Vehicle arrangements and positions.
    - iii. Distribution & COMING & GOING.
  - c. Communications Sub-Comm.
4. Public Safety.
  - i. Information is strength figures.
  - ii. Plans for treatment & use of COMING & GOING in city.
  - iii. Investigation formed of company & occupation.

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- 2. Committee program report, including:
  - a. District. Scope of Military responsibility. District branch.
  - b. Personnel.
    - i. Officers. 1-1
    - ii. Top personnel. 1-1
    - iii. Deficiencies. 1-1
    - iv. S.M./O.R. 1-1
    - v. S.O./M.S. 1-1
    - vi. Non assigned. 1-1
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  - c. Materiel - requisition of. 1-1
  - d. Progress of discussions. 1-1
  - e. Transportation of Supplies & Personnel. 1-1
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  - g. Vehicle assignments and numbers. 1-1
  - h. Construction & Camp. 1-1
  - i. Communication Sub-Com. 1-1
  - j. Public Safety. 1-1
  - k. 1. Alterations in strength figures. 1-1
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  - o. Policy for sexual liaisons in POW camps. 1-1
  - p. Extension of 15th rule. 1-1
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  - r. Evaluation of supplies from application of order. 1-1
  - s. Missives for POWs. 1-1
  - t. Progress report. 1-1
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- i. Press.
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2. Member of Congress.

Classification of JMW action in accord with  
II, Govt. Secrecy.

3. Coordination of planning with

- a. R.F.
- b. 4 40278 280
- c. 5 40047 280
- d. 15 40077 280 (with revision)
- e. 2 4100000 and 4100005.

4. Other Instructions.

5. Date of next meeting.

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Purpose to initiation of meeting of 12 7/78 and communication  
on 2/28/78 at 14 p.m.

The conference session for 26 p.m. will now be held as above  
on 2/28/78, 1st floor at 1000 hours.

AGENDA

1. Statement by Executive Management.
2. Committee Progress report, including:
  - a. Exhibits
  - b. Neurological
  - c. Exhibits - Organic
  - d. Exhibits, presentation of
  - e. Organization of meeting
  - f. Public safety - apparatus and recording
  - g. Meeting time of 12/28/78
  - h. Personal communication plans
  - i. Public Information
    1. Speech
    2. Media
    3. Public
3. Communication of planning with
  - a. 12/28/78 - 12/28/78
  - b. 12/28/78 - 12/28/78
  - c. 12/28/78 - 12/28/78
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4. Other business
5. Date of next meeting.

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ALLIED MILITARY COMMISSION  
W. G. F. 442  
Coordinating Planning Committee

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24 Feb 45

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ALLIED MILITARY COMMISSION

Meeting at U.S. Allied Commission,  
12 Feb 45

PRESENT:

Brigadier J. Lash, C.S., C.I.F., S.I. - Chief of Staff, A.C.  
Regional Commissioners and Staff:

- LITHUANIA
- HUNGARY
- POLAND
- YUGOSLAVIA

Regional Commissioners

- Vice President - Representatives
- Executive Director & Representatives
- Representatives
- Civil Affairs Section.
- Economic Section.
- Political Section.
- Administrative Section.
- Public Relations.
- A. G. O. S.
- Royal Navy, Southern Area (II).
- 15 Army Grp, Civil Affairs.
- 3 AFHQ, A. G. S.
- 2 AFHQ, A. G. S.
- 5 AFHQ.
- Medical Bureau.

AGENDA:

1. Chief of Staff, A.C. in opening the meeting stated that the intention was to go through the detailed responsibilities for various problems affecting the A.C. which had arisen out of meetings of the A.C. The coordinating committee, the programme held at A.C. by J.L. on 18 Feb, and other Commission A.C. items.
2. As soon as the A.C. planning was completed, similar steps should be taken to plan the occupation of A.C. 1945.
3. The progress report of the A.C. 1945 Coordinating Planning Committee (W. G. F. 444) would be taken up next.



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- b. 15. 5000 of 5 AS-1 and 8 AS-2 were asked to forward to A.C. any pertinent additional information on the political situation within their knowledge.
- 2. Public Safety.
- 3.
  - 1. Public. The increased figure of 65,000 had been approved at A.C. and was now dependent on final approval by Combined Chiefs of Staff.
  - 11. Chief of Staff instructed Public Safety to plan for taking on CC, IS found in AS-1 as fight necessary within terms of ceiling, or on temporary special police duty.
- d. Proposition - JUNE and OCTOBER 1944.  
 Chief of Staff ruled that normal figure of distribution based on number of CC, IS relations be accepted, but every effort must be made to maintain equal proportions for large towns.
- e. Low Forward.
  - 1. Responsibility for moves of CC, IS were within AS-1 area - 5 AS-1
  - 11. 5 AS-1 will call forward thru P. Safety s/c.
  - 111. P. Safety will bid for necessary transport on - 1000 S/C.
  - iv. 1000 S/C accepted responsibility for provision of 1000 with limited availability and according to priority limitations of distribution board.
- f. Quarantine operations.
  - 1. Chief of Staff ruled that CC, IS were not feasible and should not be asked for or used as such. They would be used for police duties.
  - 11. Establishments stated that the ceiling of 1000 AS-1 available for A.C. was not sufficient and it approved 275 men might be available. Chief of Staff ruled that National Organization should submit a bid for guards to establishments. Establishments would take 1000 AS-1 into consideration before any allotment.
- g. Quarantine in Germany.
- h. Use of CC, IS to be determined by Dept of CC/PA planning sub-committee.
- i. Combined Police Units.

b. Discussion - JMWL and 37th JMWL

Chief of Staff ruled that normal figures of distribution based on number of D.O. stations be accepted, but every effort must be made to maintain equal provisions for large towns.

c. Love Barracks

- i. Responsibility for norms of CO.200 areas within ABZ area - S. 48.2
- ii. S. 48.2 will call forward thru D. Safety S/C.
- iii. D. Safety will bill for necessary transport on - (PDD) S/C.
- iv. (PDD) S/C accepted responsibility for provision of rot with limits available and according to priority decisions of authorities involved.

d. Dispersal of Agribusiness

- i. Chief of Staff ruled that CO. 200 areas not guards and should not be asked for or used as such. They would be used for police duties.
- ii. Establishment stated that the ceiling of 170000 (200) available for Ag. was not yet released and if approved 275 men might be available. Chief of Staff ruled that Regional Commissioners submit a bill for guards to Establishments. Establishments would take (S. 48) (PDD) into consideration before any allotment.

e. Quarties de Japonais

Use of (S. 48) to be determined by Dept of (S. 48) planning sub-committee.

f. Debriefed Police Patrols

Chief of Staff requested D. S. and P. (S. 48) and (S. 48) to plan with D. Safety for establishment of the earliest amount practicable of Joint Naval/Military and (S. 48) Police Patrols.

g. Military

- i. 2 (S. 48) ordered to conduct with transport of (S. 48) in emergency.
- ii. The question of provision of (S. 48) (S. 48) was discussed and Chief of Staff ruled that the matter be studied by (S. 48) and (S. 48) and raised at a later meeting.

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2. Coordination of Units of Disturbance Policy.

Agreed that close coordination would be necessary between DISTURBANCE AND SUPPRESSOR. Contact first with Labor and P. Safety was essential.

3. Frontier Policy.

4.2.3.8. 0-2 was expected to issue directive shortly.

Represented by Chief of Staff that individual Liaison officers can not be appointed from A. S. to Frontier Bureau; but Chief of Staff ruled that the closest touch be maintained between such Dr. Vincent, S. of a Frontier Bureau thru his A. Safety Officer with Frontier Bureau.

5. 5.04 represented that Frontier Bureau within boundaries should come under control of P.O. and P. Safety.  
2. If other concerned.

For consideration by A. S. S. S.

6. Represented to A. S. S. S. that 02.15 would not normally be called upon for Frontier Bureau. 02.17 was the better agent.

7. 2.17.1948 agreed to hold a special meeting in Frontier Bureau control policy. Those interested would be A. S. S. S., 0-2, Public Safety, S. S. Regional Public Safety Officers, S. S. S.

8. 1. Agreed that no movement of Frontier Bureau should be authorized over Frontier Bureau at least 30 days, and in all cases to be in agreement with Displaced Bureau Administration (02-17), A. S.

9. D. P. A. S. Sub-Coms. advised that that sufficient representatives agreement would be attempted across the Frontier on first about immediately after liberation.

10. 2.17.1948 conference on Frontier Bureau would also examine question of method of securing early admission from any representatives for certain individuals or officials to be made here A. S.

4. Disposal.

11. Lt Colonel D. Jackson, representing A. S. S. S., 0-2 said that A. S. S. S. was prepared to accept the responsibility for footing on 11. Military scale of 100,000 (maximum) Displaced Bureau (02.17), of which 50,000 were estimated for 11.17.1948. Pending to be determined by a maximum period of 3 months. 3860

12. This was subject to Combined Chiefs of Staff approval.

6. G-5 represented that Frontier Force within provinces should come under control of P.O. and J. Authority.  
2 in 1952 concerned.

For administration by A.S.S.G.

8. Represented to A.S.S.G. that G-5 would not actually be called upon for Frontier Force. G-5 were the latter agent.

9. 2 December agreed to hold a special meeting to discuss Frontier Force policy. These interviews would be A.S.S.G., 7-2, Public Safety, A.S. Regional Public Safety Officers, A.S.S.G.

10. 1. Agreed that no movement of 20 strikers should be authorized over Frontier Force at least 30 days, and in all cases to be in agreement with Displaced Persons Administration, A.S.S.G., A.S.

11. D.F. 2 B. Sub-Group advised that that unofficial organization movement would be attempted across the border on first almost immediately after liberation.

12. 2 December interviews on Frontier Force would also discuss questions of method of analyzing early reports from any STRIKERS for certain individuals or officials to be named there A.S.

3. Prisoners

a. Lt Colonel E. Jackson, representative A.S.S.G., G-5 said that A.S.S.G. was prepared to accept the responsibility for feeding on 10, Military scale of 100,000 (maximum) prisoners for 2, 1953, of which 50,000 were estimated for 1953. Feeding to be continued up to a maximum period of 3 months. 3869 This would involve provision of food from civilian stocks.

b. This was subject to Combined Chiefs of Staff approval.

c. Combined Chiefs of Staff were also being asked to approve scale of clothing set forth in A.S.S.G. A.S. letter 400/011/0112 of 15 Jan.

4. Hospitalization

a. Emergency assistance to be given by both border during the period of A.S. control as at present.

b. Arrangements for 17A.247 11.2.53. Hospitalization will apply to 10 para 7b of A.S.S.G. A.S. letter 13 Jan.

c. Retirees would be on 10, Military scale.

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- e. E DURETTE favored no difficulty in finding arrangements.
- f. H.H. and Military authorities were requested by Chief of Staff to give preferential treatment to Patriots wherever possible in allocation of work, leave and recruiting officers would be at such Patriot Centers.
- g. Chief of Staff agreed to investigate reconsideration of provision of one Patriot Officer for each Anglian H.Q. if H.Q.s made representations.
- h. In Provision the Patriot Officer would be assigned by P.O. Given his I.C.O. Staff.
- i. Chief of Staff ruled that Patriot plans would include collection of Patriots by I.C.O. at centers or camps under Divisional H.Q. arrangements. If these centers or camps would be made to achieve a state of Patriot Disarmament. Centers would be administered by staff to be found from Patriots.
- j. Special Agents requested that Patriots recruiting for I.C. Army might be considered on basis in case of certain small units.
- k. H.H.H.G., (S-7), stated this was under consideration.
- l. Chief of Staff stressed that primary object of Patriot policy was to make good citizens of them as far as possible.
- m. Local Government.
- n. GUYE, A.V. said that national policy was to provide local non-military administration was on call. A pool of suitable reserve non-regulars.
- o. Agreed that GUYE, A.V. would require certain arrangements for British officials advised former.
- p. Chief of Staff instructed A.V. to be law abiding of S.I.R.T. A.V. to any Prefect.
- q. Agreed that former officers responsible local government sub-branch would work in Anglian and Divisions they could manage.
- r. Secretary and Deputies.
- s. No discussion necessary.
- t. Local.

10. Classified

1. Chief of Staff ruled that Patriot Clubs could include collection of Patriots by A.S.S. at churches or camps under Provincial U.S. arrangements. At these centers an endeavor would be made to achieve a state of Patriotism. Centers would be administered by staff to be found from Patriots.

2. Special memo requested that Patriot recruiting for U.S. Army might be considered on basis of certain small units.

3. A.S.S. stated this was under consideration.

4. Chief of Staff stressed that primary object of Patriot policy was to make good citizens of them as quickly as possible.

5. Local Government.

6. CIVIL AFFAIRS said that general policy was to provide local merchandise administration as far as possible. A pool of multi-tasking parent Vice-Professors.

7. Agreed that CIVIL AFFAIRS would require transit arrangements for Italian officials ordered forward.

8. Chief of Staff instructed S.A.S.S. to draw attention of S.A.S.S. to desirability of conducting the Provincial Commissioner before appointing any Prefect.

9. Agreed that forward officer representing local Government Sub-Comm would work in Region and Province type small details.

10. Migration and Defectors.

11. No discussion necessary.

12. Legal.

13. No discussion necessary.

14. Education.

15. No discussion necessary.

16. Arguments, J. Pines, April.

17. No discussion necessary.

18. Also discussed.

19. Low level clearance part of U.S.S.A. Approved by 57 April 48 as Acta responsibility in collaboration with S.A.S.S. All will be made in A.S.S.

- b. Special have asked to obtain all possible advance information on disposition of mine fields.
- c. 5 AFM - 2 DIVISION and Public Notice to forward all information on mine fields to Regions.
- 11. Public Health.
  - a. 5 AFM and 2 DIVISION asked to consider what civilian hospitals are likely to be required for conversion, and to notify Regions accordingly.
  - b. Information requested by A.C. on probable employment needs requirements - 5 AFM, 2 DIVISION.
  - c. 2 DIVISION and A.C. are to consider obtaining hospital requirements of A.C., and A.C.
- 12. Deployed Personnel.
  - a. Coordination requirements would be discussed directly between Sub-Com and Regions, 5 AFM or 2 DIVISION also being interested.
  - b. Sub-Com will submit info to A.C. Dept Transportation, Supply, etc.
- 13. Questions of status of ex B, W, and Alphas, and a recommendation is being submitted by Chief Commissioner for consideration A.C., P.H.
- 14. Salvage.
  - a. Question arose whether responsibility for control and disposal of ex German army material was that of Military Salvage Offices, or of A.C. For Material Disposal Sub-Com.
  - b. Answer - For Material Disposal Sub-Coms directive is that any captured material not required for operational or research purposes will be offered to Sub-Com for disposal.
  - c. The importance of links between Sub-Com Salvage Dept and Military Salvage Offices was explained.
- 15. Public Relations.
  - a. Chief of Staff asked for 3 AFM, A.C. plan for 2 AFM, also for 3 AFM drawn up with P.H. has provided A.C. at early stage by P.H.

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1. The... of... and... will obtain... hospital requirements of... and...

12. Disposal...  
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13. Question of status of... is being submitted by Chief...  
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14. The importance of liaison between...  
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15. Disposition...  
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2. Chief of Staff instructed Economic Section to work out in consultation with J. [redacted] the proportional allocation of funds, petrol etc supply requirements to be used in ratio 60:40 A.S.I. 4. Damage figure at 100%. E.C. to be represented at meetings.

A. Evacuation and fire.

i. Chief of Staff stressed that even in the event of evacuation A.S.I. 4. should be in forward areas, and should fire early.

ii. 2. [redacted] agreed any action approved by A.S.I. 4. should be decided under A.C. 1. when it would apply for vehicles A.S.I. 4. decision.

iii. A.C. 1. 2. agreed that a table of drivers was available to regulation for use likely to drive vehicles underground, but the power of regulation should exist as a point of emergency.

iv. Chief of Staff instructed Economic Section to complete T.O. 7. 2. if necessary with requisitioned vehicles in view. E.C. should that a large percentage of vehicles are deployed.

16. A.S.I. 4.

Plans ready: dependent on transport being forwarded.

17. Food.

Food Sub-Com agreed that number of food rations for British should be deducted from number of rations ration to be issued in appropriate locations.

18. Agriculture.

Chief of Staff instructed arrangements to be made for transport of Sub-Com to contact J. 10.2 and discuss policy.

19. Army and Employment.

Information requested of [redacted] under various regulations. A.S.I. 4. 10. 10. 10. 10.

20. Economic Section requested in preparation of report of military impact on industrial economy from [redacted]

A. 10. 10. 10. 10.

14. R.O. and S. M. agreed that a study of the man responsible to regulation as long first in drive vehicle immediately, but the year of acquisition should exist as a threat or fire emergency.

15. Chief of Staff instructed technicians to complete T.O. 7, 8, if necessary, will requisitioned vehicles in view. 3.0a stress that a large percentage measurement of vehicle traffic is necessary if facilities and vehicles are analyzed.

16. E.O. 7

17. Plans ready; Government in business moved forward.

18. Food

Food Sub-Group agreed that number of food portions for Berlin is should be deducted from number of vehicles available to be issued in respective localities.

19. Agriculture

Chief of Staff instructed arrangements to be made for delivery of Sub-Group to contact S. M. and discuss policy.

20. Labor and Employment

a. Information requested of same applies under German occupation. A.P.O. 15 AT. CR.

b. Economic Section requested in preparation of office of military impact on industrial output. 5 AT. CR. 2 DISCUSSION

c. Asked that a Patriot who refuses to provide right to benefits.

d. Trade Restrictions (Price Controls).

e. Chief of Staff instructed S. M. Field Committee to confer with Bureau in Berlin and provide, clarify and submit policy if trade restrictions for T.O. 7, 8.

f. Any necessary revision of General Orders as attached to be considered simultaneously.

g. Policy of Price Control to be considered at same meeting.

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21. Finance.  
Discussion not required.
22. Price Control.  
See 20.c. above.
23. Industry & Commerce.
  - a. Commerce Sub-Comm to start producing a manual on procedure in accordance with A.P.D.P. Policy.
  - b. Recommended by S.C. and P.D. Sub-Comm but an instruction defining higher industrial policy is required from A.P.D.P.
24. Public Works.  
Programs and priorities to be submitted.
25. Energy.  
Brief discussion as in Program Report.
26. Coal.  
Further discussion not required.
27. Communications.
  - a. 2 REPORT also includes P.D. from S.C. to S.C.P.
  - b. Utility problem to be taken up by Region with P.D.
28. L.S./S.S.
  - a. Chief of Staff agreed to include survey problem of S.S. as required in existing figure.
  - b. Regional District Officers to be considered.
  - c. Sub-Committee were instructed in consultation with S.C. to make definite assignments to S.C. as, essentially, more officers were, and also to make at 40 hour rates.
29. Chief of Staff assigned S.C. to make survey report S.C. also assigned with the report provided by the S.C. as a result of the S.C. report.

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- 3. Approved by J.C. and 2. Discretion over an investigation defined after the initial policy is required from J.C./J.C.
- 24. Public Policy.
- 25. Programs and priorities to be submitted.
- 26. Funds.
- 27. Brief discussion as in Program Report.
- 28. Goals.
- 29. Further discussion not needed.
- 30. Comments.
- 31. 2. DISTRICT signal plan includes I.I. from S.O.s to A.O.s.
- 32. Liability problem to be taken up by Regions with I.C.
- 33. J.C./J.C.
- 34. Chief of Staff agreed to include entire picture of S.I. in required in coming figure.
- 35. Regional Patriot Officers to be considered.
- 36. Sub-Committees were instructed in consultation with J.C. to make definite assignments to Regions, activities more off-limits were not made without at 48 hours notice.
- 37. Chief of Staff authorized S.O. to make program subject P.O. in J.C. 3867 approved J.C. S.C.
- 38. Memorandum dated 11/11/68. It should have been ready and would be forwarded to Regions.
- 39. J.C./J.C. Vehicles.
- 40. Memorandum dated that 30 vehicles would be sufficient to complete 7.2a.
- 41. Chief of Staff ruled that question of priority of allotment between J.C. and J.C. still would be left to J.C. In J.C. 11/11/68, vehicles from Southern Region would be allocated J.C. 11/11/68, British vehicles to J.C. 11/11/68.

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30. E. S. / S. 1000 Staff,

4. In general approval of report to be  
from Lando-Gabriele to Lombardini.  
from Alvarado-arcade to Minerva and Liguria,  
from Southern Division to Venezia.

31. Town Planning.

a. NO City Council is envisaged for 1954, when ASBA Code and R.C. will  
arrive simultaneously with R.M.

b. Town Plans to be coordinated between Area and Region, and forwarded for  
approval and wherever possible implementation by 3. 44.

32. Part of ASBA Planning.

a. Captain L. Himmeler-Verstegen, R.M., Chief of Staff to King Officer  
Western Area Administration, said that entry of Liberty ships could not be  
expedited before 7 weeks after liberation of port - smaller vessels might be  
earlier.

b. ST ASBA Code requested notice of available final economic figures for  
Part of 1950.

Chief of Staff stated that an amount of 8,000 tons might be approved  
after 90 days, and instructed economic section to prepare quotation.

3. S.O. ALGERIA requested inclusion in 15 44 of 1951 plan of transport figures  
by road from P.M.A. for his Region.

33. Aircraft Facilities.

2 DEPARTY proposed part facilities of 1945, Part A, 1950.

34. AIR FORCE FACILITIES.

MILITARY, 26 FEBRUARY 45 - 10000 hours  
at Headquarters, United Command, also Conference Room, 3rd Floor.

MINISTERIAL  
Chief of Staff 1.  
Chief of Staff 2.

*Stanley H. Ekin*  
R. VENICE  
Secretary,  
M.I. 1947-2

Chief of Staff 1. R.M. 2

12. Part of Mississippi.

A. Deputy in Domestic-Cleaning, E. J. ... Liberty ...

1. 57 Miss Comd ...

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13. Algebra's ...

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Table with 3 columns: Department/Section, Count, and Distribution/Notes. Includes entries like 'Public Health Section', 'Civil Service Section', etc.

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7. ITALY - COMBINATIONS PLACING COMBINATION  
A 3 B 2 A 1 - 12, 12, 12, 12, 12

July 24/

PROPOSAL  
SUBJECT: ITALY

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1. ITALY  
Main problem is ITALY.
2. Public Safety.
3. Control of Carabinieri insufficient.
4. Disproportion Carabinieri per population  
PROB. OF SOUTH ITALY.
5. Forward more will need coordination  
P. SAVONA  
5. 12. 1. 1. 1.  
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6. Quarta on 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.  
Can 1-200 Italian army personnel  
allotted to by 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. but not included  
by establishments be provided
7. 60-70 and other best of 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.  
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8. Interference.  
a. Ability required for  
Carabinieri.  
b. Coordination of 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.  
for strike policy.
9. Interdict 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.
10. Directive issued from 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.
11. Italian Wishes to ally 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.  
Control system could not be allocated  
on permanent basis from 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.
12. Carabinieri for Premier Control should  
not have off 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.

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- b. Disproportionate Carabiniers per population  
zones of 1000000.
- c. Personnel may still need certification  
P. 1000000  
S. 1000000  
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- d. Guards in A.D. assignments.  
(See 1000000 Station area (personnel)  
allocation by 1000000 but not assigned  
by 1000000) to be posted.
- e. C.I.P. and division part of 1000000.  
Subject for discussion 1000000  
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- f. Disproportionate.  
i. Stability required for  
Carabiniers. 1000000  
ii. Constitution of 1000000  
for 1000000 policy. 1000000
- 3. 1000000 Policy.
- 4. Directive applied from 1000000.
- 5. Liaison Officers to 1000000. 1000000  
Control system should not be allowed  
on permanent basis from 1000000.
- 6. Disproportionate C.I.P. Director Control should  
not come off regional operations.
- 7. Registration not to take place without  
reference 1000000 1000000 1000000 1000000 1000000
- 8. 1000000.
- 9. Derivatives emitted 1000000.
- 10. 1000000
- 11. Method of appointment procedure etc planned.
- 12. Local level rep officer to be forward  
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All are normal channels within systems, reporting to, and being used by him as a Co. as required.

4. Intelligence and Security.

Plans presented and approved.

5. Logistics.

Plans presented and approved.

6. Education.

Plans presented and approved.

7. Communications & Information.

Plans presented and approved.

10. Army Operations.

Plans approved.

System for reporting added across and clearing of major action required to coordinate activities obtained by

a. Ops

5 MAY 68 09:30 AM

b. Communications

FIELD REPORT

11. Public Health.

Plans presented and approved.

12. Military Hospital and Requirements to be supplied by Liaison

1. AF - PUBLIC HEALTH, 2 DISTRICT.

11. H. PUBLIC HEALTH - AFMHS - AFMHS.

13. Medical Services & Requirements.

a. Plans to be reviewed.

b. Details to be forwarded to Director of Requirements for AFMHS, AFMHS and AFMHS.



- 1. Policy that USV do not hand vehicles or spare parts to civilians without concurrence A.S.
- 2. Requested from A.S. 11/6.
- 3. Mission required by policies with SOVIET OFFENSE, A.S. 11/6.
- 4. Public Relations.
- 5. Plans for N.S. 11/6 required from S.S. 11/6, P.H.O.
- 6. Understood N.S. 11/6 require press policy directives from S.S. 11/6.
- 7. Documentation.
- 8. Plans for N.S. 11/6 required from RESEARCH SECTION 11/6.
- 9. Policy possible do to review by A.S. 11/6 of tobacco stores if 500 tons of supplies approved to be delivered by A.S. 11/6.
- 10. Revision required of report tomorrow allotted for report, tobacco, matches, clothing, food, clothing, other items. In favour of food and A.S. 11/6. RESEARCH SECTION.
- 11. Mission required to minimize supply Priority Award between agencies and S.S. 11/6 with 5 A.S. 11/6.
- 12. Decision required on Point of Inspection for A.S. 11/6.
- 13. S.S. 11/6.
- 14. Plans presented and approved.
- 15. Proposed be entered document in arrangements at A.S. 11/6.
- 16. Type Line - will take 5-10 months to lay and open.
- 17. Done.





C. Staff salaries under consideration. 5/18/57  
E. AND Delays: Conditions of Service  
Issuing of Drivers  
licenses. 5/11/57 - Sub-Committee

20. Trade Restrictions.

Policy approved.

21. Imports.

Plans approved.

22. Price Control.

a. Review requested of policy of overall price control as present policy likely to be ineffective. ECONOMIC DIVISION.

b. Directives and price lists H. TPAIF required. ECONOMIC DIVISION.

23. Industry Licenses.

Plans for H. TPAIF not presented.

24. Public Works Utilization.

Plans not presented.

25. Exports.

Planning in connection with EXPORTS progressing slowly.

26. Imports.  
No info to date re mid-year. From U.S. re U.S. of price limits.

NO Imports last 30 days.

27. Communications.

a. Initial mobility requested. Not approved by G-6

b. Conditions of U.S. from Belgium to ALGERIA. ALGERIA. Urgently required.

- 27. Dent.
- 28. U.S./L.S. 0-1  
 Alternative - will I HUBLOT and AHEAD have I.A. link with ALOT.
- 29. U.S./L.S. 0-1  
 Officers  
 1. Colling dismissed, increased & approved.  
 2. Definition - approx 50 O.S. to be found - to used by ...  
 If from U.S., L.O.  
 This will not account for Curious 12  
 G.S. approved by 3 of 5 'if available'  
 3. ... of ability ... than looking.
- 30. Request ... by sub-Commissioners  
 be made definition. for Section 0 of 3.
- 31. Request that ... have authority to change ... with ...  
 Sections ... authority, ...  
 for Section 0 of 3.
- 32. U.S./L.S.  
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11. Request assignments by sub-Commissionary to make definite. For location C of 2.

12. Request that R.C. may have authority to change the P.C. with another within Agency as found necessary, notifying P.C. for location C of 2.

13. R.C./C.20  
1. Plans deficient.

14. No action pending ... determined.

15. R.C./C.1028, 1030, 1031, 1032

16. R.C. discussed and laid down.

17. Schedule not allotted to complete . . .

18. Request reevaluation of priority of . . .

19. Requested release will be required if . . .

20. R.C./C.1077, 1078, 1079

21. Informal that all available issued to location.

22. Agrees that some are available from . . . (last 7 years) etc. Decision of C of 2.

23. 2000 Planning  
Need for 21st year review, if so, the following, . . . or civil authorities by Executive.

24. FORM 101, 102, 103, 104, 105  
in progress.

P.A.  
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Sergeant Major

25. 2000 Planning  
As per Minutes - last meeting 21 Jun 45. [10/2]  
for information.

*Planning Section*  
24 October  
Sergeant Major

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14 Feb.

Sub: Conditions in Harbor of Genoa  
To: R.C. by Reg.

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AGENDA

1. Statement by Chair of Staff.
2. Committee program report, including:
  - a. Budget plan
  - b. Labour plan
  - c. Statement on O.C.T. and O.C.T. strategies
    - i. to be taken into P.T. ITALY
    - ii. to be recruited in P.T. ITALY.
  - d. Details of meeting planning for part of (b)(c)(d).
  - e. Transportation statement, including:
    - i. Food
    - ii. V.O.L.
  - f. Hospitalization of Public Order & Safety Operations.
3. Coordination of Training with:
  - a. 1. Army (MOM - Civil Affairs).
  - b. 5 Army, A.M.C.
  - c. 2 DISTRICT.
4. Other business.
5. Date of next meeting.

*Richard [unclear]*

5. DISTRICT OFFICERS,  
2a. District,  
DISTRICT,  
N.Y. State Coordinating Committee

- 1. Statement by Chief of Staff.
- 2. Committee program report, including:
  - a. Patriot Day
  - b. Labor Day
  - c. Statement on CO. 33 and CO. 33B strengths
    - i. to be sent into V.T. TRAC
    - ii. to be received by V.T. TRAC.
  - d. Details of scheduled planning for part of 1970A.
  - e. Transportation statement, including:
    - i. Ford
    - ii. P.O.L.
  - f. Reorganization of 'White Top' - A Military Question.
- 3. Coordination of Meeting with:
  - a. 12 AMM COM - Civil Affairs.
  - b. 5 AMM, A.M.G.
  - c. 1 DISTRICT.
- 4. Other business.
- 5. Date of next meeting.

*Plan by [unclear]*

F. MURPHY-PIPER  
Lt. Colonel,  
Secretary,  
U.S. Army Coordinating Committee.

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**HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION**

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

Date 9 Feb

FROM

TO

Deputy Chief of Staff

→ Staff Officer

Executive Officer (WS) ← CNP

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 ✓

Your File

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File 5 Feb 45

Col. Parkin:

This was brought up in COS meeting of 17 January by Brigadier Upjohn. COS, consequently, wrote a letter to AFHQ requesting Regions LIGURIA, PIEMONTE and LOMBARDY be placed under "5 Army rather than 15 Army Group".

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Reply from AFHQ states that they (AFHQ) do not anticipate changing this and that it is considered a matter for 15 Army Group.

Minutes of Vice Presidents' Meeting of 1 February, para 14, states "The Chief of Staff reported that several conferences had been held at AC Headquarters, at AFHQ, and at 15th Army Group to plan the establishment of Allied Military Government in Northwest Italy as soon as it should be liberated, and stated that satisfactory progress was being made". However, no report as to exact progress made is on file.

Col. N. E. Fiske

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INFORMATION

CMP

1/2 Box Upjohn above this has been moved out

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**HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION**  
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File \_\_\_\_\_ Date 15 Jan 48

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 Correspondent
	...

*Handwritten notes:*  
 Approved on 15 Jan 48  
 on this  
 C-14

NOTE:  
 Draft of report for signature  
 Please see/telephone me about  
 investigation and report.  
 Answer  
 Signature  
 Approval/Disapproval  
 Your Information and return  
 Your File

*Handwritten signature:* [unclear]

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TOP SECRET

REAGAN/WHITE ALIEN COMMISSION  
AND  
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Vol. Ext. 505

*R/10/6/60*

15 Jan 45. *28*

SUBJECT: Occupation of R.F. Italy.

To: Chief of Staff.

1 I refer to Operation Instruction 'Occupation of R.F. Italy' addressed to 17 Army Group, dated 31 Dec 44, parae 3 and 4. Your reference 507/020 Collis 145.

2 I am by no means clear as to what is meant by para 4 (a) (Phase I):  
"The Regional Commissioners for LIGURIA, PIEMONTE and SARDEGNA with their respective Regional HQs will be placed under command 17 Army Group in order to assist A.M.G."

This may be read to mean that the D.C.C.A.C. (Forward) will come into the chain of command between HQ AC and the Regions; a situation which all are agreed is undesirable and for which purpose the D.C.C.A.C. has no staff.

During Phase I is it not better to continue the present system whereby certain provinces are under 5 Army although administered by Regional personnel?

3 In para 4 (b) (Phase II) nothing is said as to A.M.G. chain of command but I assume that we are covered by para 5, which states AC are responsible for A.M.G.

4 I think the matter requires some clarification and I propose to raise it at the C.J.C. Meeting tomorrow.

*[Signature]*  
Col. W.P.M. Price  
HQ CA Section  
DCS.

Copy to: Economic Section,  
Political Section,  
Establishment Section.

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**HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION**

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File \_\_\_\_\_ Date 9 Feb

- FROM \_\_\_\_\_
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Deputy Chief of Staff
  - \_\_\_\_\_  
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Headquarters Commandant
  - \_\_\_\_\_  
Adjutant

FOR:

Draft of reply for signature of \_\_\_\_\_

Please see/telephone me about this investigation and report

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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Your Information and return \_\_\_\_\_

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Col. Parker (2)  
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HEADQUARTERS MALIA REGION  
ARMED MILITARY COMMISSION  
APO 394

Leahy Col. to Lt  
Col. Parker

SEP/1964  
4 February 1964

REF: 1 10/11/1/1/2

SUBJECT: Space Requirements in Daloga.

TO: 1 Commanding General, 250 5th Army (ATTN: Lt. Col. Jensen).

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1. In answer to your request you are advised that the following will in a general way constitute the space requirements of Malia Region at such time as we may be permitted to enter Daloga:

Office space .....	31,000 sq. ft.
Officers' quarters and mess (including Red Cross).....	26,000 sq. ft.
Relieved Mess' and other Mess' quarters and mess (including Italian Mess).....	17,500 sq. ft.
Garage (with shops, car storage and transportation offices (16,000 sq. ft. unmeasured).....	16,000 sq. ft.
Total space needed.....	90,500 sq. ft.

2. In view of the lack of data as to specific buildings which we shall probably use, it does not seem appropriate to submit any specifications concerning layout, size of offices, etc. If more definite data on these matters is desired or would be useful, we shall see that it is promptly furnished.

3. Space for officers' quarters will be reduced if the officers of the Province of Daloga are billeted elsewhere.

4. We are at the present time principally concerned that those who are most likely to arrive in Daloga first, be cognizant of our needs and keep in mind our general ultimate requirements.

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*Alfred C. Broussard*  
ALFRED C. BROUSSARD  
Colonel  
Regional Commissioner.

1 Encl: Breakdown of Details.

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CA Division, 250th Army Gp  
250th II Corps  
Provincial Commissioner, Daloga Prov.  
1st, Allied Command.

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OFFICERS' QUARTERS AND BUNKS (DETAILED PER OFFICER)

Officer's Mess:

Lounge Room (30 x 30) .....	900	sq	ft.
Reading Room (20 x 30) .....	600	"	"
Bar (20 x 30) .....	600	"	"
Mess Hall (1/3 officers) .....	1000	"	"
Kitchen .....	400	"	"
Storeroom .....	400	"	"
Servants' Room .....	200	"	"

Officer's Quarters:

1 Colonel .....	400	"	"
6 Lt. Colonels ....(single rooms - 300 sq. ft. per off.)	1800	"	"
30 Majors (single rooms - 150 sq. ft. per officer).....	4500	"	"
45 Captains (2 per room - 150 sq. ft. per officer).....	6750	"	"
20 Lieutenants (2 per room - 150 sq. ft. per officer)....	3000	"	"
<b>Net Gross .....</b>	<b>6000</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>20,800</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>
<b>add 1/3 for hall space, etc.....</b>	<b>6,733</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL .....</b>	<b>27,533</b>	<b>sq. ft.</b>	

OTHER BUNKS & OTHER BUNKS QUARTERS & MESS (DETAILED PER BUNK)

Isolated Bunks' Mess Hall .....	1,000	sq	ft.
" " Kitchen and Storeroom .....	600	"	"
" " Day Room .....	600	"	"
" " Quarters (at 5 x 30' per man for 30 men)....	1,500	"	"
" " Storeroom .....	400	"	"
" " Toilet's .....	300	"	"
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>5,400</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>
<b>add 1/3 for hall space, etc.....</b>	<b>1,800</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>7,200</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>

Other Bunks' Quarters and Mess - same space as for BK..... 7,600 " "

Isolated Platform Mess Hall .....	600	"	"
" " Kitchen and Storeroom .....	500	"	"
" " Quarters (300' per man for 30 men).....	1,500	"	"
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>2,600</b>	<b>sq. ft.</b>	
<b>add 1/3 for hall space, etc.....</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>3,467</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL .....</b>	<b>17,267</b>	<b>sq. ft.</b>	

\*These figures are approximate as numbers of officers assigned to Messes are indefinite at this time.

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Garage Space Requirements and Storage Space and Transportation Offices

Storage space for 200 cars at \$4.15' or 180 sq. ft. per vehicle	84,000 sq. ft.	
Add 1800 sq. ft. for static storage space	1,800	
Total	85,800	
Add 1/3 of total for repairs, etc.	28,600	
Total	114,400	

Repair Shop:

Static storage for vehicles	1,800	
Supply Storage -		
Battery charging	400 sq. ft.	
Electrical	400	
Tire Shop	1600	
Stores	8000	
Blacksmith Shop	400	
Welder	800	
Tire Repair Shop	800	
Total	3300	3,300 sq. ft.

Office Space - Garage:

Mechanics	150 sq. ft.	
Motor Pool	150	
Electric	400	
Dispatcher	400	
Total	1100	1,100
Total	11,000	
Add 3000 sq. ft. for halls	3,000	
Total Garage Space	14,000	14,000 sq. ft.

Department Offices:

Transportation Officer	200 sq. ft.	
Executive Officer	200	
Clerk (15)	1050	
Peon (6)	300	
Hall Section	400	
Controller's Office	400	
Total	3000	
Add 1/3 for hall space, etc.	1000	
Total space for Transportation Offices	4000	4,000 sq. ft.

Delivered Vehicles:

Covered space	8000	
Uncovered space	1000	
Total	9000	
Transportation Division Grand Total	23,000	23,000 sq. ft.

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SPACE

1. Office Space .....	38,000	sq	ft.
2. Officers' Quarters and Mess (including and excess personnel) ..	16,933	sq	ft.
3. Enlisted Men's and Other Grades' Quarters and Mess .....	17,352	sq	ft.
4. Garage Work Shops, Car Storage and Transportation Offices ..	21,000	sq	ft.
TOTAL MILITARY REQUIREMENTS .....	93,285	sq	ft.

OFFICERS' QUARTERS .....	16,933	sq	ft.
ENLISTED MEN'S QUARTERS .....	17,352	sq	ft.
TOTAL .....	34,285	sq	ft.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO JFA  
Office of the Chief of Staff  
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*Col. D. S. K.*

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Ref: 504/134/005.

2 February 1945.

SUBJECT: Planning - NE ITALY.

TO : Distribution Below.

1. CAG, AFHQ yesterday gave me some advance information regarding the military administrative organization for NE ITALY:

(a) Ports.

- (i) TRIESTE will be operated by 6 Army as a military port.
- (ii) VENEZIA will not be operated as a military port and the status of military assistance will be available. This may be restricted simply to mine clearance. If the Allied Commission requires the port it may be prepared to clear it and operate.

(b) Railways.

The following railways will be operated:

FAENZA - BOLOGNA  
BOLOGNA - PARMA

Best route from BOLOGNA to the BRESCIA PASS.

The railway BOLOGNA - VERONA - TRIESTE will not be opened under military administration.

(c) Inland Water Transport.

CAG directed close attention to the possibilities of inland water transport.

(d) Gasoline.

No pipe line will be laid further than 100 miles north of BOLOGNA, is, just across the PO. AFHQ may assist in the rehabilitation of the extensive bulk installations in VENEZIA.

(e) Military Administrative Boundaries.

No. 1 District will operate on the right bank so far as VENEZIA CIVILIA but will not include Venezia Civile.

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- (ii) VENEZIA will not be operated as a military port and the minimum of military assistance will be available. This may be restricted simply to mine clearance. If the Allied Commission requires the port it must be prepared to clear it and operate.

(b) Railways. The following railways will be opened:

- FANZA - BOLOGNA
- BOLOGNA - PALMA
- Best Route from BOLOGNA to the BRESCIA PASS.

The railway BOLOGNA - VENEZIA - TRIESTE will not be opened under military administration.

- (c) Inland Water Transport. GAO directed close attention to the possibilities of inland water transport.

- (d) Gasoline. No pipe line will be laid further than 100 miles north of BOLOGNA, i.e., just across the PO. AFHQ may assist in the rehabilitation of the extensive bulk installations in VENEZIA. 385 1/2

- (e) Military Administrative Boundaries. No.1 District will operate on the right bank as far as VENEZIA GIUGLIA but will not include VENEZIA GIUGLIA. PSC will operate from BOLOGNA to the BRESCIA PASS leaving PSC/MA on the East with No.2 District's Eastern boundary as their Western boundary.

- (f) BOLOGNA and PLORENZE will become International HQ under PSC.

2. Heads of Sections and SO, VENEZIA Region will bear the above points in mind for planning for NE ITALY. Planning should now be accelerated in order that AFHQ may be advised.

*MV/col*  
Brigadier,  
Chief of Staff.

ASL/AD.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

- Chief Coordinator SO, VENEZIA Region
- DAGG, Bonn Sec
- DAGG, Set Sec
- DAGG, CA Sec
- AGO 5 Army
- BY Italy Coordinating Committee
- SO, Emilia Region
- DDMAC, 15th Army Group
- SO, Southern Sec (Army, Navy, Air)
- AGO 5 Army

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
D.F. ITALY  
Administrative Planning Committee

1. Staff Planning Conference of M.A.G. ALLIED  
Division - Mon 23 Feb, 1000 hours - Hotel  
Confrence Room, 3rd Floor.

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A.L.L.I.G.

1. Statement by Chief of Staff.
2. Committee program report, including:
  - a. Petrolot plan
  - b. Labour plan
  - c. Statement on G.C. and M.I.T. strength
  - d. To be taken into M.A. ITALY
  - e. To be requested in M.A. ITALY.
3. Details of combined planning for post of staff.
  - a. Transportation strength, including:
    - i. Fuel
    - ii. M.C.L.
  - b. Reorganization of Public Works & Utility Companies.
4. Coordination of planning with:
  - a. 1st ARMY Group & Civil Affairs.
  - b. 5 AFHQ, A.M.G.
  - c. 2 Divisions.
5. Other business.
6. Date of next meeting.

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D. BONDY-FISHER,  
in Charge,  
Secretary,  
M.A. Italy Coordinating Committee.

- 1. Statement by Chief of Staff.
- 2. Offensive progress report, including:
  - a. Detailed Map
  - b. Labour Map
  - c. Statement on CC, SS and W.G.P. strength:
    - i. to be taken into W.G. ITALY
    - ii. to be recruited in W.G. ITALY.
  - d. Details of continued planning for part of GERMANY.
  - e. Transportation statements, including:
    - i. Fuel
    - ii. W.G.I.
  - f. Regrouping of Public Works & Utility Functions.
- 3. Coordination of planning with:
  - a. 1st Army Group - Civil Affairs.
  - b. 5 Army, A.M.S.
  - c. 7 Divisions.
- 4. Staff business.
- 5. Date of next meetings.

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D. MURPHY - FLEMING,  
Lt. Colonel,  
Secretary,  
U.S. Italy Coordinating Committee.

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- 28 AREA (1)
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25 January 1945.

SUBJECT: Planning - NORTHWEST ITALY.

To : Chief of Staff.

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1. Reference your letter of 5 January 1945, same file and subject. I concur with the recommendations in paragraphs 7 and 8 except that I suggest for consideration that a more appropriate location for my Northwest Deputy would be Milan, rather than Alexandria, since Milan is the seat of the CIAI and the base for the proposed political advisor.

/s/ Elery W. Stone

ELERY W. STONE  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Chief Commissioner

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ACTION: PENBASE INFO: ALOOM, MRS ITALY

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Operation of PICHINO as a sub-port of PENBASE is desired. It is felt that this can be accomplished with a cadre from PENBASE, supported with available civilian labor.

It is appreciated the successful operation is contingent upon completion of repairs to railway line, which it is understood has a date of 15 February. PENBASE is requested to investigate and if viewed as practicable, confer with ALLIED COMMISSION and Military Railway Service to determine if opening of railway line cannot be hastened.

It is planned that the port operation will eventually be turned over to ALLIED COMMISSION

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
ALC 374  
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

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25 January 1945

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Employment Problems in Northern Italy  
Report of meeting on 16 January, 1945

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Sub-Commission

Present: Col. A.P. Drafford-Smith, Chairman  
Col. J.R. Smith  
Lt-Col. F.H. Fletcher  
Lt-Col. A.G. Pugh  
Mr. D.C. Seckle  
Major R.S. Green  
Major A.H. Woods  
Major J.C. Houscham  
Major S.P.L. Pincus  
Capt. P.D. Elliott  
Capt. I.P.L. MacDonald

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Labour  
Finance (Piemonte)  
Finance (Lombardia)  
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Economic Section  
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1. The meeting covered at 1500 hours in the office of the Joint Director of Finance Sub-Commission to permit an interchange of views on unemployment problems to be encountered when production in northern Italy are occupied.

2. It was agreed that existing information regarding migration to Germany, hiding to resist compulsory taxation and adaptations of business to German war production is extremely inadequate. The only safe conclusion is that, in view of the high proportion of the country's industrial workers found in the northern provinces (over 60%) and their superiority to other Italian workers in industry and technical proficiency, the Germans have drawn heavily on this area both to run their own war plants and to expand war production in northern Italy. Further information should certainly be sought from JIB, OES and GIC, but it is likely that we shall learn very in the first days of occupation that we can possibly learn in the meantime. Planning should accordingly be flexible so as to meet a situation in which early and better information can be expected to be occasionally available.

3. We may expect the problems in this area to differ from those found elsewhere. Hitherto, great industrial centers have quite generally been ports, the importance for important military purposes has provided reserves of employment opportunities generally adequate to offset the effects of industrial disorganization and displacement. Light manufacturing centers will not be found, the status of these plant and equipment is difficult to forecast as well as the possibility

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Major E.H. Gross  
 Major A.H. Woods  
 Major Joel Rosenbaum  
 Major B.W.L. Fineman  
 Capt. E.G. Elliott  
 Capt. L.H.L. Macdonald

1. The meeting commenced at 1500 hours in the office of the Joint Director of Finance Sub-Commission to permit an interchange of views on unemployment problems to be encountered when prisoners in northern Italy are repatriated.

2. It was agreed that existing information regarding migration to Germany, failure to resist compulsory migration and adaptations of prisoners to German war production is extremely inadequate. The only safe conclusion is that, in view of the high proportion of the country's industrial workers found in the northern provinces (over 60%) and their superiority to other Italian workers in industry and technical proficiency, the Germans have drawn heavily on this area both to run their own war plants and to expand war production in northern Italy. Further information should certainly be sought from FIAT, IRI and ILO, but it is likely that we shall learn more in the next days of cooperation than we can possibly learn in the meantime. Planning should accordingly be flexible so as to meet a situation in which more and better information can be expected to be occasionally appearing.

3. No very exact of the problems in this area to differ from those faced thus far. Hitherto, great industrial concern have quite generally been passive, the two of which for important military purposes has provided a reserve of employment opportunities generally adequate to effect the effects of industrial disorganization and displacement. Heavy manufacturing centers will now be faced, the ability of whose plant and equipment is difficult to foresee, as well as the need for manufacturing them for Allied war production. It is always possible that some of this area may occur after the German collapse.

4. Information is also inadequate as regards the present state of plant and equipment. The equipment is such that with relatively little modification it would be used for producing German types of war material, but little is known of the nature and extent of such transformations. Pictures of war bombings have been examined in Industry Sub-Commission, but they do not permit an accurate appraisal of the degree of the recent loss of the possibility of or the required for repair or replacement. Lots of equipment have undoubtedly been accepted by prisoners, but they have been used to restore themselves as regular such things as they later fall into Allied hands. Undoubtedly some equipment has been withdrawn by the Germans to prevent its falling into our hands and to be used in German plants. Again the extent of such action is difficult to estimate. Some equipment will have been hidden from the Germans through the treatment of such hidden equipment when found by Allied units in Central and Southern Italy has not been such as to encourage the practice.

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5. The existing facilities for providing for unemployed workers were outlined and criticized. The essential relief arrangements vary both as to type (cash or kind) and amount from country to country. Insurance benefits vary from lit. 2.5 to lit. 12.0 daily plus an allowance per child of from lit. 0.6 to lit. 1.2; and the average per family head is only about lit. 10.0 daily. Increases in effect higher living costs are currently receiving consideration. The religious charity groups have been active and helpful in the liberated areas and have offered their machinery for further distribution of necessities in the North when liberated. Public employment offices are being established or revitalized as in new forward, and have cooperated effectively thus far with hiring agencies of Allied Powers. Because of the nature of the territory under consideration they may need to stress to a greater degree civilian as opposed to Allied Forces employment.

6. Further measures may be taken to prevent or offset intervention of famine, the fundamental problem will be to supply the necessities of life, and especially food. The possibility of housing relief and benefit arising to a specially restricted cost-of-living index, was for this reason considered relatively of small loss importance. The supply situation will clearly depend on three factors: available stocks, transportation facilities, and amount of public food that can be brought in by Allied organizations. It was pointed out that the Director of Food Sub-Committee considers to do, on the basis of present stocks and expected shipments, secure a flow sufficient to maintain subsistence.

7. Further measures that should be taken were expounded. Prompt regulation of the unemployed at the employment offices, tabulation of information regarding these workers and discussion of appointment of this labor market with employed units, especially those of Allied Powers, are essential objectives. Provision of plant and equipment, is also indicated, has been a weak point in our efforts to cope with these problems hitherto. There has always been a conflict between the military authorities and the industrial policy, and especially on the most desirable use to which industrial property should be put. In general, technicians acting for any countries have seized such property with an eye to the most immediate objectives only, have retained it long after such objectives were largely or completely satisfied, and have refused to take account of long-range objectives, even those with military significance. The task of leading with these questions has been decided to an industrial Co-ordination Committee, and a sub-committee has been set up and its terms of reference are currently awaiting approval. The two organizations are essential questions involving over-plot of policy as to use of available industrial property, and may to an efficient job if technical experts of all can be in the forward areas to represent the latter interests before a final receipt by Army Commanders is established. This project is all the more important because, in the visible future, imports of machinery and materials and even of necessities are likely to be at an extremely low level.

8. The possibility of unemployment as well as agreed that existing machinery for helping unemployed persons would be unable to cope with the total release and displacement. It was suggested that persons with technical attachments should be

6. Another measure may be taken to prevent or effect interruption of income, the fundamental problem will be to supply the necessities of life, and especially food. The possibility of guaranting relief and benefit scales to a specially constructed cost-of-living index, and for this reason considered relatively of much less importance. The supply situation will directly depend on three factors: available stocks, transportation facilities, and amounts of goods that can be brought in by Allied organizations. It was pointed out that the Director of Food Sub-Commission considers he can, on the basis of present stocks and expected shipments, assure a flow sufficient to maintain subsistence.

7. Further measures that should be taken were explained. Great regulation of the unemployed at the employment offices, tabulation of information regarding those workers and discussion of appointment of this labor service with employing units, especially those of Allied Forces, are curative objectives. Treatment of plant and equipment, it was submitted, has been a weak point in our efforts to cope with these problems hitherto. There has always been a conflict between the military authorities and all an industrial policy, and especially on the most desirable use to which industrial property should be put. In general, regulations relating to the ownership have solved such property with an eye to the most immediate objectives only, have retained it long after such objectives were largely or completely satisfied, and have refused to take account of longer-range objectives, even those with military significance. The task of dealing with these questions has been confined to an Industrial Coordination Committee, and a sub-committee has been set up and its terms of reference are currently awaiting approval. The two organizations can discuss questions involving conflict of policy as to use of available industrial property, and may do an efficient job if technical reports of all can be in the forward areas to represent the latter interests before a final decision by Army Commanders is established. This procedure in all the more important instances, in the visible future, reports of machines and materials and even of manpower are likely to be at an extremely low level.

8. The possibility of unemployment as widespread that existing machinery for helping unemployed persons would be unable to cope with the total volume was discussed. It was suggested that persons with a payroll attachment might be kept on the payroll, and that the employer's organization might be used to distribute relief, whether in cash or in kind. The idea was considered favorably, although the danger of such a procedure (uncontrolled use of labor and generally bad effect of outstanding full payments where work is not done) were pointed out. The employment offices might then be directed to use establishments following this policy as a reservoir of available workers for Allied Forces projects. Needless to say, employers would need reimbursement for payroll outlays beyond those for services rendered, and the State would form the logical source for this.

9. It was agreed that my groups would interest themselves in the situation of unemployed workers in the industrial North following its liberation. Several divisions of AC, other units of Allied Forces and the Italian Government will certainly do so. It is important that these efforts, however separately sustained, should be undertaken in such an atmosphere of cooperation and free interchange of ideas, as will reduce to a minimum waste motion and conflict of method and purpose. Cooperation of all with other Allied Forces units is to assure a broad and far-sighted appraisal of military needs. Cooperation of AC with the Italian Government is necessary also - more so than ever before - (1) because if a German withdrawal or collapse should take place early, the situation may be much shorter than elsewhere; (2) because anxious civilian population consistent with military needs should address our civilian requirements problem throughout the country and (3) because the absence of stable political institutions in the country may depend to a considerable extent on such cooperation.

10. All parties represented agreed that they should keep each other informed regarding future actions taken in this matter. Economic Section accepted the responsibility for distributing information of this kind and available to it.

*Col. Grafton Smith*

Joint Director,  
Finance Sub-Commission

DISTRIBUTION:

- Economic Section
- Finance Sub-Commission
- Food Sub-Commission
- Industry Sub-Commission
- Labour Sub-Commission
- Public Health Sub-Commission
- Representatives present.

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problem throughout the country, and (3) because the abolition of stable political institutions in the country may depend to a considerable extent on such cooperation.

10. All parties represented agreed that they should keep each other informed regarding future actions taken in this matter. Economic Section accepted the responsibility for distributing information of this kind when available to it.

*AD Graffey Smith*  
*Col*

DISTRIBUTION:

- Executive Section
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- Labour Sub-Commission
- Public Health Sub-Commission
- Representatives present.

Joint Director,  
Finance Sub-Commission.

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S.A.C.H.R.T.  
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
N.W. ITALY  
Coordinating Planning Committee

Ref: Int AMG  
NW/CORP/24

24 JAN 45

SUBJECT: Planning 15 Army Gp in connection H.T. HEALY.

Reference is made to Lt. Col Morley-Mitchell's R.Os and Sections of 1/5th Army Group.

1. The Chief of Staff has arranged for a meeting to take place on Monday 24 JAN at 0900 hrs, Room 2 Ground Floor in order to provide certain information presently available by C of S, 15 ARMY GP.

2. The following are requested to attend:

- S.O. LIGNITA
- R.O. FIDELMIA
- Director, Public Security S/O.
- Director, Postal S/O or Lt. COL IRENE.
- Director, Transportation S/O and Lt. Col W. HARRIS.
- Rep (S-1) or Substitution Officer.
- Rep (S-1) or Substitution Officer.
- Major Gusty - Domestic Section.
- Rep - 15 ARMY GP.
- Secretary to Committee (also representative FIENRER).

3. Reps 15 Army Gp proposed to get further details requested for consideration by 2/5th and for which answers will be required before 170 hrs tomorrow. The meeting is now expected to conclude after 1100 hrs.

*Thanks, W. H. Harris*  
D. MORLEY-MITCHELL, C. O. 15 ARMY GP

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B.C. and Stations at 8/67 (except).

1. The Chief of Staff has approved for a letter to be placed on BRMUL 25 JAF at 0830 hrs. from 3 Ground Force Lt. Col. to provide certain information regarding activities by C of S, 15 Army Gt.

2. The following are requested to attend:

- R.C. LAMBLIA
- R.C. LOMBARDA
- Director, Public Safety S/C.
- Director, Food S/C or Lt. Col. JARIN.
- Director, Transportation S/C and Lt. Col. J. J. JARIN.
- Rep G-1 Mr. } or Establishment Officer.
- Rep G-2 Mr. }
- Major Taddy - Economic Section.
- Rep - 15 Army Gt.
- Secretary to Committee (also representative FINMENTS).

3. Reps 15 Army Gt. provides to put forward certain questions for consideration at 8/67 and for which answers will be required before 1100 hrs same day. The meeting is to be expected to conclude by 1100 hrs.

*Philly. H. H. H. 28.66*

D. MORLEY-FLINCHER,  
Lt. Colonel,  
Secretary,  
R.S. Italy Communist Organization.

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- R.C. LAMBLIA, Section.
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- Lt. Col. J. J. JARIN.
- G-1 Mr.
- G-2 Mr.
- Establishments Section

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Reps - 15 Army Gt. - 2  
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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
U.S. MILITARY  
Coordinating Planning Committee

Tel: Int 404  
WH/COM/1A

27 JAN 45

SUBJECT : Progress of Conference.

Ref Minutes and Agenda of 2nd Meeting of U.S. MILITARY  
Coordinating Planning Committee forwarded to Regional, Division,  
Sub-Committee and Divisions affected under ref: WH/COM/1  
of 24 JAN.

1. At the second meeting of the U.S. MILITARY Coordinating  
Planning Committee it was agreed that Special Officers of  
the three Regions should be brought into H.Q. as necessary to  
prepare detailed plans for the U.S. coordinated campaign  
Thomson and with the Sub-Committee concerned, for  
submission to the Committee.
2. A series of meetings have therefore been arranged as  
per attached schedule. In all these were full Committee  
meetings are not indicated, the discussions will be held in  
Sub-Committee offices. Special Officers should call on  
respective Sub-Committee Chief Clerks to inquire location of  
meetings.
3. All meetings of full Committee will be in Room B,  
Ground Floor.
4. Regional Commissioners, Liaison, Liaison and Liaison  
are requested to make officers available as to full time  
when necessary from 7/3 pm to 10 pm present daily per 38  
Regional plans for attached campaign.
4. Specialist Officers are requested to inform Liaison  
to Committee, Room F, Ground Floor, tel: 406, of progress of  
meetings and Sub-Committee progress.

Ref Minutes and Report of the meeting of N.W. ITALY  
Coordinating Planning Committee forwarded to Regions, Sections,  
Sub-Commissions and Divisions affected under ref: NWT/2087/2  
of 24 JAB.

1. At the second meeting of the N.W. ITALY Coordinating  
Planning Committee it was noted that Specialist Officers of  
the three Regions should be brought into N.Q. as necessary to  
prepare detailed plans for the N.W. coordinated with  
themselves and with the Sub-Commissions concerned, for  
submission to the Committee.

2. A series of notices have therefore been arranged, as  
per attached schedule 'A'. In all cases where full Committee  
meetings are not indicated, the discussion will be held in  
Sub-Commission offices. Specialist Officers should send to  
respective Sub-Commission Chief Clerks to insure location of  
meetings.

3. All meetings of full committee will be in Room B,  
Ground Floor.

4. Regional Commissions' INITIALS, LOGS, and MEMORANDA  
are required to make officers available or to send them  
where necessary from 7/3 to be present daily for 38 days  
Regional plans for attached programme.

5. Specialist Officers are requested to inform Secretary  
to Committee, Room B, Ground Floor, 141 451, of progress of  
meetings with Sub-Commissions, and are advised that facilities  
for presentation of explanations will be 141 451.

*Pholey, J. Clark*  
S. MORLEY-FLEMING,  
24, Colaba,  
Secretary,  
N.W. Italy Coordinating Committee.

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- One copy each member of Committee (23)
- Chief of Staff (2)
- Each Section or Sub-Comm affected (14)
- Fifth Army HQ (1)
- Civil Affairs Section (2)
- AFHQ, G-5 (2)
- 2 DISTRICT (2)
- REGIONAL Regions (15)
- REGIONAL Regions (15)
- LANSAROTE Region (15)
- 214 (2)
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EXHIBIT OF MEMORANDUMS FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
ON JAN 27 1966 TO THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - "AGRICULTURE FOR REPORT"

Subject	Reg. Dept.	Sub-Committee	Serial	Date	Subject	Reg. Dept.	Sub-Committee
			11	1070	Rail Seals Water Tot	Reg. Engineer Reg. Tech. Offr. Reg. Fuel Offr.	Transp. S/C Rail Div. Road Div. Port & Other Div.
			11	1070	Part of DOWA	Ag. & Ins. DC, ILLINOIS DC, OREGON	above
			2	1000	Pub Safety	Reg. P.S. Offr.	Pub Safety
			17	1000	Agriculture	Reg. Agr. Offr.	Agr. S/C
Labor & unemployment	Reg. Rep. Committee	Unemp. S/C	18	1000	Ind & Comm.	Reg. Comm. Offr.	Industry & Commerce S/C
	Reg. Labor Offr.	Finance S/C					
	Reg. Fin. Offr.	T. & S.					
	Reg. Tech. Offr.	Utilities S/C					
			1	1015	Pub Health & Welfare	Reg. P.H. S. Offr. Reg. Wel. Offr.	Public Health S/C
Political	R.C.	Political					
Pub Relations	Reg. Rep. Committee	P.R.C. P.R.S.					
Communications	above						
	Reg. Comm. Offr.	Comm. S/C					
Salvage	Reg. Rep. Committee	Tar Material					
	Reg. Comm. Offr.	W. Material S/C					

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DATE	Serial	Title	Subject	Reg. Dept.	Sub-Commission	Serial	Title	Sub-Commission
MAY 3 1970						13	1000	Fin.
						14	1000	Fin.
MAY 5 1970								
MAY 11 1970	17	1000	Finance	Reg. Dept. Committee Reg. Finance Offr.	Finance S/C			
	18	1005	Price Control & Trade	Above & Reg. Commerce Offr. Reg. Industry Offr. Reg. Food Offr.	Finance S/C Commerce S/C Industry S/C Food S/C			
MAY 17 1970	2	1000	Pub. Safety	Reg. Dept. Committee Reg. P. S. Offr.	Pub. Safety S/C			
	3	1005	Patriots	above	Patriots Honor. S/C			
	4	1130	Displ. Persons & It. Refugees	Above Reg. Welfare Offr.	Displ. Persons S/C			
	5	1430	Civil Affairs	Reg. Dept. Committee	Civil Affairs Sec Local Govt S/C			
	6	1535	Miss. Elections	above	Civil Affairs Sec			
	7	1545	Spurious & Defession	above Reg. Legal Offr.	Civil Affairs Sec Local Govt S/C Legal S/C			
	8	1670	Legal	above	Legal S/C			

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SCHEDULE "A"

Subject	Reg. Reps	Sub-Commission	Serial	Title	Subject	Reg. Reps	Sub-Commission
			10	Food	Reg. Food Offr	Food S/C	
			10	Int. Works & Utilization	Reg. Engineer	Int. Works & Utilization S/C	
Finance	Reg. Reps Committee Reg. Finance Offr	Finance S/C					
Price Control	above	Finance S/C					
Trade	Reg. Commerce Offr Reg. Industry Offr Reg. Food Offr	Commerce S/C Industry S/C Food S/C					
Public Safety	Reg. Reps Committee Reg. P.S. Offr	Public Safety S/C					
Patents	above	Patents S/C					
Unempl. Persons	above	Unempl. Persons S/C					
Civil Affairs	Reg. Reps Committee	Civil Affairs S/C					
Immigration	above	Civil Affairs S/C					
Education & Defense	Reg. Legal Offr	Legal S/C					
Legal	above	Legal S/C					

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Date	Serial	Time	Subject	Reg. Rep.	Sub-Commission	Serial	Time
MAY 9 1950	15	1000	Power, Fuel, P.S.L.	Reg Reps Office Reg Fuel Office Reg Commerce Office Reg Veterans	P. The 3 Utilition S/S Commerce - 200 Commerce - 2001 Petroleum Sec.		
MAY 9 1950	22	0930	Establishments T.S./V.S.	Reg Reps Office	Executive Office C of S Rep G-1 G-2		
	22	1130	T.S./V.S.	above	Executive Office C of S Rep G-1 G-2		
	23	1500	Administration	above	C of S Rep G-1 & G-2		
	24	1700	Policy/Directives	above	C of S Office		

MAY 10 1950

MAY 11 1950      All U.S. ITALY COMMITTEE  
Progress Reports.

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Reg. Fuel	Reg Reps	Cities	P. Dec	Utilities			
C.L.	Reg Fuel	Offrs		S/C			
	Reg	Coordinat	Offr	Coordinat	-	IST	
	Reg	Yerra		Coordinat	-	Chil	
				Detachment		Sec.	
Richmond	Reg Reps	Offrs		Executive	Offr		
C.F.S.				2 of 3	Reg		
				G-1			
				G-1			
G-1000	above			Executive	Offr		
				2 of 3	Reg		
				G-1			
				G-1			
Attention	above			2 of 3	Reg		
				G-1			
				G-1			
Directives	above			2 of 3	Offrs		

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ALLIED MILITARY MOVEMENT  
N.W. 17912  
Coordinating Planning Committee

MIL/COM/71

24 Jan 45

MINUTES  
End Meeting 20 JAN 45

PRESENT

- Colonel Robert P. Marshall - R.O. FIFTH ST  
Colonel G.C. Pausoy - R.O. LEWIS
- Major R. Tallent - Colonel H.S. Adams
- Major J.S. Banks - Lt Colonel Eugene McPherson
- Mr. Mr. F.H. Tooty - Lt Colonel H.S. Otter
- Colonel J.J. Stone - Major A.S. Howell
- Lt Colonel Sir J. Mitchell

Lt Colonel H. Morley-Fletcher in Abs in Committee

- AGENDA  
Agreed that agenda attached as app. 11 be a basis for study and eventual reports of the committee.
- STAFF (T.O. - 1.1.1.1 1.1.1.1 - 1.1.1.1)  
Agreed that provision of Personnel including Specialist Staffs be handled as the problem by discussion between Sections and Col.
- REGIONAL REPORTS  
a. Agreed that Chiefs of Regional Special Divisions who are required to join Regional Staffs will to arrange at headquarters an approach ~~to be made~~ by Region.  
b. Agreed that Regional Staffs should arrange for sub-commissions to call in Regional Specialist Officers to arrange up reports plus with a view to submission of coordination plans to the committee.  
c. Secretary to committee instructed to arrange with Regional Staffs the necessary programs for call in to Section 1 Specialist Officers to sub-commission coordinating discussions.  
d. Action is required urgently by sub-commissions and Divisions so that reports may be in hand of committee 3 1st & 2nd for review at meeting 12 FEB.

*Philly White*

Colonel D.S. Adams  
Lt Colonel Douglas McPherson  
Lt Colonel R.S. Giles  
Major A.A. Rowell

Major S. Talbot  
Major J.S. Rankin  
Major F.L. Tooty  
Colonel J.L. Jones  
Lt Colonel Sir J. Ritchie

Lt Colonel D. Morley-Fletcher - Sec to Committee

1. AGREED  
Agreed that agenda attached is appropriate basis for study and eventual report of the committee.
2. CRUISE (C.O. - 7.5.1 - N.F. - G. 1098)  
Agreed that provision of Personnel including Specialist Staffs be handled as one problem by discussion between Regions and G-1.
3. REGIONAL REPORTS
  - a. Agreed that Chiefs of Regional Special Divisions who are required to join Regional Staffs G-1 to arrange a continuity on approach ~~agreed~~ by Regions.
  - b. Agreed that Regional Reports should arrange for sub-commissions to call in Regional Specialist Officers to exchange and reconcile view with a view to submission of coordinated plans to the committee.
  - c. Secretary to committee instructed to arrange with Sectional Officers to sub-commission for a list in Regional Specialist Officers to sub-commission coordinating discussions.
  - d. Action is required urgently by sub-commissions and Divisions so that reports are in hand of Committee about 3 FEB for review at meeting 13 FEB.

*Pharty*  
D. ASSISTANT-SECRETARY,  
Lt. Colonel,  
Sec. to G-1, IV IV  
Coordinating Committee.

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ATTACHMENT

- One copy to the Secretary of Operations (11)
- Chief of Staff (2)
- 8th Section of Operations affected (24)
- 11th Army Staff (1)
- 12th Army Staff (1)
- 13th Army Staff (2)
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- 30th Army Staff (10)

Appendix A  
to SMT/CHY/1  
of 24 JUL 45

S E C R E T

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

W. W. TULLY

Coordinating Planning Committee

AGENDA FOR REPORT

1. CIVIL AFFAIRS DIVISION

(Mr. H. Hopkinson)

2. Public Safety

(Pub Safety Sub-Comm)

- a. Organization of Police Forces
- b. Civil disturbances and strikes.

3. Patriots

(M.M.I.A.)  
(Patriots)

4. Civil Affairs

- a. Prevention of individuals to form pools of officials to fill the higher grade civilian appointments of suitable persons not found in situ.
- b. Policy concerning selection of political or career products, vice-products, etc.

5. Public Health & Welfare

(Public Health)  
(2 District)

- a. Distribution of medical supplies.
- b. Military evacuees:
  - i. civil hospitals
  - ii. supplies
- c. Welfare.

6. Misc. Governmental Activities

(Welfare)

7. Disruption & Infiltration

(C.A. Section)

- a. Displaced Persons & Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- b. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- c. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- d. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- e. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- f. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- g. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- h. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- i. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- j. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- k. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- l. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- m. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- n. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- o. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- p. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
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- r. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
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- v. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- w. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- x. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- y. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)
- z. Evacuee Sub-Comm. (Legal Sub-Comm.)

8. Legal

(Legal Sub-Comm)

9. Evacuee Sub-Comm.

Study & Disruption on basis of existing plan of Economic Warfare

3. Patriotic

(M.M.I.,  
(Factors)

4. Civil Affairs

- a. Prevention of individuals to form pools of officials to fill the higher grade civilian appointments of suitable persons not found in area.
- b. Policy concerning selection of political or career products, vice-products, etc.

{ Education  
{ Legal  
{ Local Govt  
{ Public Health  
{ Public Safety  
{ Sub-Comm.  
{ Local Govt  
{ Sub-Comm. }

5. Public Health & Welfare

- a. Distribution of Medical Supplies.
- b. Military Facilities:
  - i. chief hospitals
  - ii. supplies
- c. Welfare.

{ Public Health  
{ (2 District)

{ Welfare

6. Naval Clearance Service

{ (C.A. Section)

7. Quarantine & Sanitation

{ (C.A. Section)  
{ Legal Sub-Comm)  
{ Local Govt Sub-Comm)

8. Displaced Persons & Military Personnel Organization for Registration, Housing etc of members of displaced persons, & return of refugees to their localities.

{ Displaced Persons  
{ (4 Italian Refugee)  
{ Sub-Comm.)

9. Legal

{ Legal Sub-Comm)

10. Food & Supply

B. Food & Supply Study & Status on basis of Building Plan of Economic Operations 3847 of 30 Nov 44

- a. Imported food
- b. Local resources
- c. Estimates:
  - i. Delivery points
  - ii. Quantities & composition
  - iii. Schedule arrivals
  - iv. Distribution.

{ Food Sub-Comm)

11. Transportation

- a. Status:
  - i. Schedule of reconstruction with priorities.
  - ii. Location railroads.
  - iii. Capacity of movement.

{ (Legal Sub-Comm)  
{ (Local Govt.)

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Appendix A

(Type Sub-Code)  
(Road Section)

- b. Road
  - i. Priorities
  - ii. V.I.D. Vehicles available
  - iii. Length of carriage of Army and/or Transportation S.C.
  - iv. Location of Id Roads.
  - v. Substitution & hiring policy care
- c. Motor Transport.
  - i. Parts - Administration Port of Command
  - operating and use of other parts.
- ii. Details.
- d. Initials in use of Regions.

(Port, Shipment & Warehouse Div)

(Type Sub-Code)

(Labour Sub-Code)  
(Finance Sub-Code)

- 12. Labour & Unemployment.
  - a. Wage Scale.
  - i. Progress
  - ii. of. Service rates.
  - b. Regulation
  - c. Relief Scales unemployed.
  - d. Unemployment works projects.
  - e. Employees & retention employees.
  - f. Strike Policy
- g. Continuance of operation of utility & essential plants.
- h. All employees - (incl drivers)
- i. Conditions of service incl of overtime.
- ii. Wage scales & travel allowances.
- iii. Funding.
- iv. Housing.

(A. Pub Utilities Sub-Code)

(A. Pub Utilities Sub-Code)

(Capitalism Sub-Code)

- 13. Agriculture
  - a. Discussion of Outline Plan
  - proposals - page 4.
  - b. Accounting policy & programs.
  - c. Prices.
- 14. Public Works & Utilities.
  - a. Progress of road reconstruction.
  - b. Programs of public utility.
  - c. Deviated areas & housing.

(Pub Works & Utilities Sub-Code)

(Economic Justice)  
(Pub Utilities Sub-Code)

- 15. Power, Fuel & Salinity
  - a. Quantity

- 11. Canada.  
 4. Initial results of Regional.  
 (Type Sub-Comm)
- 12. Labour & Unemployment.  
 a. Wage Scale.  
 i. Proposal  
 ii. Cf. Current rates.  
 b. Registration  
 c. Status of workers unemployed.  
 d. Unemployment works programs.  
 e. Employment & retention employees.  
 f. Strike Policy  
 (A Pub Facilities Sub-Comm)
- g. Contributions of operation of utility & essential plants.  
 All employees - (incl drivers)  
 i. Conditions of service incl of overtime.  
 ii. Wage scales & travel allowances.  
 iii. Feeding.  
 iv. Housing.  
 (A Pub Utilities Sub-Comm)
- 13. Agriculture.  
 a. Discussion of Outlook Plans proposals - page 4.  
 b. Assessment policy & programs.  
 c. Prices.  
 (Agriculture Sub-Comm)
- 14. Public Works & Utilities.  
 a. Programs of road reconstruction.  
 b. Programs of public utilities.  
 c. Development of road & housing.  
 (Pub Works & Utilities Sub-Comm)
- 15. Power, Fuel & Pipelines.  
 a. Quantities.  
 b. Local resources.  
 c. Allocations.  
 d. Distribution (incl Pipelines)  
 e. Imports of coal power (Switzerland, France, T)  
 (Economic Section)  
 (Pub Utilities Sub-Comm)  
 (Type Sub-Comm)
- 16. Industry & Commerce.  
 a. Policy for industrial rehabilitation.  
 b. Control of firms with inter-national interests.  
 c. Industrial investigation Committee.  
 d. C.P.L.B. Staff.  
 e. Local resources of raw & finished materials.  
 f. Military local production policy  
 (A 2 DISTRICT)  
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Priority

17. Finance.

(Finance Sub-Comm.)

18. Policy of Price Control & Trade Restrictions.

(Economic Section.)

WAR MATERIALS & DISPOSAL.

(War Materials & Disposal Sub-Comm.)

19. Salvage.

(P.S.O. & P.S.E.)

POSTAL RELATIONS BOARD.

- 20. a. Newspapers.
- b. Propaganda.
- c. Mailbags.

COMMUNICATIONS.

(Communications Sub-Comm.)

- 21. a. Telegraph.
- b. Telephone - incl cable to U.S.A., C.
- c. Postal.
- d. Courier.
- e. Censorship.

MAIL SERVICES.

(Mail Services Section)

- 22. MAILS. - T.N./S.1098.
- a. Airmails.
- b. S.M./D.R.
- c. Registered.
- d. Express.

ADMINISTRATIVE.

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- 23. Trains, buildings, vehicles etc essential to MO or Civil Administration.

FOURTH.

(Office of Chief of Staff)

- 24. Restriction of all plans with direction of other such plan.

24. MO M.

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5. COMMUNICATIONS

- a. Telegraph.
- b. Telephone - incl cables to H.Q. U.S.
- c. Postal.
- d. Courier.
- e. Consularship.

6. INTELLIGENCE

- a. TELETYPE - R.R./A.1098.  
 (1) Officers.  
 (2) P.M./O.S.  
 (3) Vehicles.  
 (4) Cash.

(Administrative Section)  
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(0-1 pr)  
(0-1 pr)

7. INFORMATION

(0-1 )

- a. News, bulletins, official etc  
 educational. All or Civil Serviceable.

8. POLICE

(Review of Chief of Staff)

- a. Background of all persons with direction of report  
 sub-PR.

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Al. Hall

Tel: 478730

13 January 1964

Ref: 50/202/008

SUBJECT: Coordinating Planning Committee for H.V.ITALI.

TO : Regional Commissioners,  
PIEMONTE Region.  
LIIGURIA Region.

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1. On the lines of discussion between Col. FRANKY and the Office of the Chief of Staff you will set up a small Committee to coordinate planning for H.V.ITALI. Col. MARSHALL and Col. FRANKY are appointed the Joint Chairmen for this Committee, and are instructed to work out the terms of reference and procedure for the Committee.

2. It is suggested that the members on the Committee should be a representative from each of the following Sections:

- Civil Affairs Section
- Economic Section
- Political Section

Arrangements should be made to obtain the attendance of members from sub-Commissions of the Sections of this HQ when required, and you may of course order any officers from your own Regions to attend these meetings when convenient.

3. You will arrange that the views of Lombardia Region are adequately represented in addition to those of Piemonte and Liguria Regions. It is suggested that the Committee should sit in HQ HQ, (probably) not oftener than once a week.

4. HQ of your Regions will remain as before at CREMELLA. You should arrange to stay in HQHQ yourselves, and you should hand over control of your Region during your absence to your Executive Officer.

MS [Signature]

Brigadier,  
Chief of Staff.

- Copy to: R.C. Lombardia Region.
- Economic Section
  - Establishment Section ✓
  - Political Section
  - Civil Affairs Section

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TOP SECRET

Ref: 504/—/300.

2 Jan 1944

SUBJECT: Planning - NORTHERN ITALY.

Handwritten number 97

TO : Chief Commissioner.

1. The question of coordinating the work of the Northern Regions and particularly the North western Regions has been under consideration by your Vice Presidents recently. The length of communications both by land and air as well as telegraphic will make the difficulties of coordination and contact with the Northern Regions from Headquarters in Rome very great.
2. I will first consider the problem of North West Italy.
3. Here it seems to me we shall have three, if not four, focal centres.
4. The political focus will be at MILAN, the base of the CLMCI which proposes to have authority over all CLMCI's in Northern ITALY; the economic focus at the Port of GENOA into which all supplies eventually will come and from which they will be distributed to the whole area; the Allied military centre will be at the Headquarters of No. 2 District at ALB SANPIA. It will probably be necessary to have a political adviser at MILAN to keep in close contact with the CLMCI which is proposed to be the Central Committee for that area and to watch political developments from that political centre; it will probably also be necessary to have a projection of the Economic Section in GENOA to coordinate the collection and distribution of supplies; and equally, as we have already agreed, you will have to have a representative at the Headquarters of No. 2 District to advise the District Commander with respect to Civil Affairs generally, and to effect liaison with his staff. Whatever other organization is set up (if any) to coordinate the work of these Regions, these projections of the Commission appear to me inevitable.
5. It has been suggested that there should be set up an advanced Headquarters of the Commission with authority to take policy decisions and with power to coordinate the whole of the work of the three Regions. I do not recommend this. It would inevitably slip into an independent authority and there would be perpetual doubt and friction as to what matters could be settled locally and what matters had to be referred to Rome. Since, for administrative and political reasons alone, the closest touch will have to be maintained with the Italian Government in the conduct of our affairs in North-west Italy, it seems to me that the coordination at a high level must be done in Rome. We should certainly make plans for a skeleton staff to accommodate yourself and Vice-presidents on what must be frequent visits to the area, but we should not, in my opinion, set up a regular advanced Headquarters.

6. Another recommendation is to amalgamate the three regions into one large Region. This would, indeed, effect coordination for all the Provincial Commissioners would look to one Regional Commissioner. The Economic section in particular would favour this alternative, for from the point of view of supplies, repairs and maintenance of railways, roads, electric power and labour, they regard the area as one entity. But from the local government point of view I do not believe this would be workable. We must have an over-all organization in the economic sphere. But I do not believe that it would be feasible or practicable to govern that area from one Regional Headquarters, with 20 Provinces dependent from it. The nature of military government which we must set up demands more decentralization in the initial stages than this could provide. I believe that good government is going to be vitally important from the outset and will need closer contact and shorter lines of communication between Regional Headquarters and Provincial Headquarters than would be feasible in such a scheme. Decisions on matters of great importance will have to be taken in the administrative sphere which the Provincial Commissioners will not be qualified to decide and which must be settled at a Regional level. I would rather have three good Regional teams covering the area than one rather unwieldy team with an excessive number of Provinces.

7. My own opinion which, pending further discussion, I will not submit to you as a firm recommendation, is that we should leave the Regional set-up as it is, with Headquarters at GENOA, TURIN and MILAN, under the three Regional Commissioners and their trained teams; that we should plan for a peripatetic political adviser based on MILAN; a projection of the Economic section at GENOA to build up the supply and transportation organization and to see that it fans out adequately into the regions, and that you should have a representative at the Headquarters of the 2nd District with a skeleton staff very much on the lines of your DCCAG at 15th Army Group.

8. This would have the advantage that in dealing with the whole problem of Northern Italy you would have a Deputy with the military and operational unit which presumably will go North-eastwards, and a Deputy with the static military Headquarters in North-West Italy. Whatever other alternative is chosen these two Deputies are essential. It seems to me that they should serve the purpose of coordination which will be so necessary. It will be necessary to decentralize the executive functions of the Commission in its military government aspect both to the Regional Commissioners and to the projection of the Economic section at GENOA, probably through your Deputy at ALESSANDRIA. The extent to which this decentralization should be done is a matter for further discussion. But we must, in my opinion, maintain one Headquarters to formulate policy and that, for the reasons I have stated above, must be at ROMA.

M. S. Lusk  
Brigadier,  
Chief of Staff.

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THIS MATTER WILL BE DISCUSSED AT  
COE MEETING IN JANUARY.

*ADA*  
L. D. DENMORE  
Colonel, USA  
ACOM, F/S

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11 January 1945

SUBJECT: Organization for Northwest Italy  
TO : Chief of Staff

1. This memorandum refers to the recent discussions of the organization to be adopted in Northwest Italy, and includes the views and opinions of the entire Economic Section.
2. The organization for Northwest Italy was discussed at some length at the Economic Section meeting on 29 December 1944, and the talk generally favored the proposition that the Compartimenti of LIGURIA, PIEMONTE and LOMBARDIA should be treated as one AC region rather than three separate regions. Because of the importance of this matter, we asked for written comments from the Sub-Commissions.
3. It is the unanimous opinion of the Economic Sub-Commissions that some strong AC authority be established in MILAN. Two of the Sub-Commissions talk in terms of an advance HQ, while the remaining Directors describe it as a Region or a Super-region. In fact, however, all of the suggestions amount to having a strong regional HQ in MILAN staffed by top-flight people. Some of the comments of the Sub-Commissions may be of interest in this connection:
  - a. Transportation Sub-Commission is already organizing one complete transportation team to handle all transportation in LOMBARDIA, PIEMONTE and LIGURIA regions in the initial period following liberation. The Director of this Sub-Commission even says that if it is decided to have three regions in that area he would seek permission to operate from a single HQ independent of the regional boundaries, especially during the initial stages.
  - b. The Industry Sub-Commission believes that many minor decisions on industrial problems could be made at MILAN without reference to HQHQ; and that it will be important in the field of industrial coordination, to have an HQ which can give reasonably high-level decisions on questions of requisitioning and operation of productive facilities.
  - c. The Food Sub-Commission believes that uniformity of policy can best be assured by having the Director or Deputy Director of the Food Sub-Commission stationed in the North, in a position to make decisions on all of the major questions.
  - d. The Finance Sub-Commission strongly believes that consolidation of the three Regions into one would make for greater flexibility and more efficient use of the Officer strength available. Procedure with regard to banks and financial institutions, relief to United Nations

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nationals, budget procedure, etc. has now been standardized to such an extent that the work of the Regional Finance Officer has been considerably reduced; so also the centralization of the Finance Accounting and the transfer to various Italian organizations of Supply Accounting has very considerably simplified the work of the Regional Accountant and the Regional Supply Accountant. The volume of work at Regional HQ should therefore be considerably reduced and one well-staffed regional HQ should be capable of handling the problems of the 20 provinces in the area.

g. The Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission is already planning to have its Deputy Director operate from MILAN.

4. In such a Regional HQ covering the whole of the Northwest area, it is suggested the Economic Section would undertake to appoint a high-ranking officer to coordinate the work of the Economic Section Sub-Commissions in the area, and to act as general economic advisor to the Regional Commissioner. It is recommended that if a Regional HQ is set up for the Northwest area it be organized in the same way as HQ AC is organized -- that is, divided into four sections with the Sub-Commission representatives operating under the sections.

5. Below the regional level (assuming the "Regional level" to be at MILAN for the whole area) it is thought there should be some differences in the organizational set-up to perform the various economic functions of AC. Roughly speaking, the work of the Commerce, Food, and Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commissions could be carried out with a local organization; and some of the other Sub-Commissions, such as Agriculture and Industry would probably want to have a few local or moving representatives. In the case of transportation (in the initial stages) and Finance, it is probable that their functions would require a high degree of centralization for the area as a whole. It is therefore suggested that there be established zones within the Northwest region, but that no attempt be made to staff these zones with a full complement of officers representing all specialties. The Regional Commissioner, in consultation with the various Sub-Commission representatives would have to determine the specific functions for which he would be required to interpose a zone HQ between the Region at MILAN and the Provincial Commissioner in the 20 Provinces.

*L. D. DeGroot*  
L. D. DeGroot  
Colonel, P A  
Acting Deputy Chief of Staff  
Economic Section

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cc: Civil Affairs Section  
Establishment Section  
Political Section  
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Ref: 503/103/G.B.

30 December 1944.

SUBJECT: Planning - E. S. Italy.

TO: Political Section, (2)  
Establishment Section,  
Communications Sub-Commission.

1. I attach a copy of the memorandum which was discussed at yesterday's Chief of Staff's meeting on the best way of controlling the Region in E. S. Italy from headquarters, Allied Command.
2. The above mentioned delegation to the Regional Commission was in the spirit of paragraph 5 of the memorandum is intended to mean that Regional Commissioners should have delegated to them the various powers which this Headquarters considers safe to delegate. It may be that full powers are already delegated and in Civil Affairs Sub-Commission I think this is probably the case. Regional Commissioners, as far as this side of the Commission goes, probably have all the powers they require through the Proclamations and General Orders. With regard to Economic Section, however, it may be that the Regional Commissioner will not consider himself capable of dealing with some of the complicated industrial problems arising. This may be due either to lack of powers or to lack of suitable technical advisers. In any case Sections are asked to review the powers already delegated to Regional Commissioners so as to determine whether in their opinion they are sufficient.
3. Will addresses please be prepared to discuss this matter again at the next Chief of Staff's Meeting on Tuesday, 2 January 1945.

L. H. S. P. J. P. J.  
Deputy Chief of Staff.

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SUBJECT: Planning - N.Y. Italy.

TO: Political Section. (2)  
— ~~Establishment Section.~~  
Coordination Sub-Commission.

1. I attach a copy of the memorandum which was discussed at yesterday's Chief of Staff's meeting on the best way of controlling the business in N.Y. Italy from Headquarters, Allied Commission.
2. The three "main" delegations to the Regional Commission on the spot" in paragraph 5 of the memorandum is intended to mean that Regional Commissioners should have delegated to them the main powers which Headquarters considers safe to delegate. It may be that full powers are already delegated and in Civil Affairs Sub-Commission. I think this is probably the case. Regional Commissioners, as far as this side of the Commission goes, probably have all the powers they require through the Proclamations and General Orders. With regard to Economic Section, however, it may be that the Regional Commissioner will not consider himself capable of dealing with some of the complicated industrial problems arising. This may be due either to lack of powers or to lack of suitable technical advisers. In any case Sections are asked to review the powers already delegated to Regional Commissioners so as to determine whether in their opinion they are sufficient.

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Chief of Staff.

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Copy to: Civil Affairs Section. (20 copies of memorandum attached).  
Economic Section.

Chief of Staff.

M.E. Italy - Control from Headquarters, Allied Commission

1. A vital point in the planning for M.E. Italy which so far has not been officially raised at conferences on this subject seems to me to be the site of the Headquarters from which Headquarters, Allied Commission shall retain control of this area.
  2. The situation, as I see it developing, will be affected by the following factors:--
    - (a) The distances of MILAN is nearly double that of Florence from Rome. Roads in the early stages are sure to be difficult and there are the Apennines to cross. Air travel will be limited by weather if the occupation is before summer. Road transport, as we know, is not easy. Allied Commission cars are deteriorating, especially for long distance journeys.
    - (b) Time taken for letters by road will similarly be increased. Completed communications cannot be carried out by telephones, even if the lines are in existence. Signal lines will probably be the best method.
    - (c) Civil Affairs Section in 15 Army Group, will be of no assistance, as M.E. Italy is not in their area. There will be a small Liaison Section with No.2 District, but this will not be sufficiently high powered to act as a forward Headquarters.
    - (d) The most difficult problems are certainly to be encountered in this part of Italy. Here it is that we shall meet the real problems of labour, food distribution, unemployment, patriots, and the dominating political problem of the Committee of National Liberation.
  3. Will it be possible for the Regional Commissioners to manage these matters on their own without reference to Headquarters? The choice, as I see it, lies between dividing the Headquarters up into two, as was done before with very unsatisfactory results, when the Main Headquarters was at Naples and the Rear Headquarters at Salerno. The distance there between the two Headquarters was small, but everyone knows the handicap it imposed. In a certain extent the same situation arose when the Italian Government moved to Rome in June and the move of the Main Headquarters was delayed for a month. The extra distance here made the position that much more difficult. How much more difficult will it not be, therefore, to have a small Headquarters, say, in Rome, to deal with the Italian Government, and the Main Headquarters up at Milan, a distance of 400 miles away.
  4. The alternative to the split of the Headquarters is to maintain the Headquarters here in Rome, and delegate such more power to the Regional Commissioners on the spot. This appears to be the policy of the military authorities. I have not heard of any other military Headquarters for this

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  - 4. The alternative to the split of the Headquarters is to maintain the Headquarters here in Rome, and delegate such more power to the Regional Commissioners on the spot. This appears to be the policy of the military authorities. I have not heard of any other Military Headquarters for this area than No.2 District. Even if AFHQ were to move to Rome they will be no nearer to them than Allied Commissions are to their Regional Commissioners. They appear to be willing to delegate the responsibility to the Commander of No.2 District, but it is not quite a fair assumption from this that Allied Commission should do the same to Regions, because the civil problems in this area are far bigger than the military ones.
  - 5. Nevertheless, under the circumstances set out in paragraph 2 above, it is my opinion that one should attempt to control the situation by making delegation to the Regional Commissioners on the spot, coupled with the best communications which can be made available, so as to enable quick and frequent visits to be made from Headquarters, rather than by a split of Headquarters with the consequent dislocation and disruption which ensues.

(signed) G.H.I. Sharp  
 Lt.-Col.  
 C.S.O.  
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF STAFF  
DATE: 11 December 1944

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be their responsibility. It was also stated that the Italian Government should be notified of any such activities, which involve even if military help was given by open the port, it was certain that the operation of the port would be handed over to the Italian Government at the earliest possible time. It also was still conceivable that the Italian Government could be asked to provide military help to the Government of the Italian Government.

(b) That the Italian Government should take up with the Italian Government to get a measure of Italian administration ready for opening the port.

(c) That the Italian Government should make an application of that nature to the Italian Government with the Italian Government.

Para 18. 7. Mail.

Referred Committee was suggested a different priority. It was agreed that the Italian Government should put up their application to the Italian Government. Sub-Committee also would review the situation.

Para 19. 8. Air Force.

It was also stated that the Italian Government was not willing to help, particularly if and considered by it if there was help as a response and there will be some in parts of it. It is thought that this would justify a further request to the Italian Government for the use of parts in the South of France.

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GAS HQ AAI

ANG EMILIA REGION INFO: ADV NO 2 DISTRICT, ALCOA

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Please send Provincial Commissioner for PIACENZA Province or if unavailable a field officer to Adv No 2 District to join ANG planning staff. He should report nearest to Col JORDAN, AO Liaison Officer, 66 Via DELLA ROBBIA, FLORENCE with car and American or British driver. Signal STA and name of officer selected.

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2nd November 1964.

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SUBJECT: Release of officer for Planning.  
TO : F.O. Nigeria Region.

Reference your HQ/NO/11 of 26th October. There is no objection to the release of Major Myatt. He has today been ordered to report to ~~you~~ ~~headquarters~~ for further instructions.

C.O.C. No. 2 HQ/11

*Eden*  
S. S. WATTS,  
Colonel, HQ,  
Chief of Staff,  
A.M.S. 5th Army.

Copy to S.C.C.A.C., H.Q., A.A.I.  
" " Estab. Branch, H.Q., Allied Commission.

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2nd November 1954.

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SUBJECT: Return to Regional H.Q.

TO : Major Wyatt,  
c/o D.C.A.O. 4 Corps.

1. Following a request from your Regional Commissioner for your release from attachment to A.M.S. Fifth Army you will report forthwith to ~~Headquarters~~ *Headquarters* for further instructions.  
C.O.C. No. 1/0/54

*E. S. Myles*  
E. S. MYLES,  
Colonel, USAF,  
Chief of Staff,  
A.M.S. 5th Army.

- Copy to D.C.A.O. 4 Corps.
- " " H.Q. Nigeria Region.
- " " Detach. Section H.Q., Allied Commission.
- " " D.C.A.O., U.S. A.S.I.

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ALLIED GENERAL REG. IN  
NO 39A

REFERENCE: G-4 TO 1/A 29th October 1944.

SUBJECT : Planning staff.  
TO : Regional Commanders,  
Iberia Region,  
Mediterranean Region,  
Lombardia Region.

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In accordance with the proposal already agreed to, will you please select and send to H. G. No. 2, Marseilles for Planning purposes two Senior Officers. It is suggested that these be:

- The Regional Executive Officer or a Senior Officer to deputise for him.
- The Regional Post Officer or a Senior Officer to deputise for him.

These Officers will be attached to Headquarters No. 2 District for Planning purposes and will remain so attached until the Region is called forward.

These Officers should be despatched as soon as possible to report to Colonel MORAN GRAY at the Hotel de Ville, Marseilles. They will be accommodated at the Hotel de Ville, Marseilles.

Will you please inform R.C.C.I.C., H.G., A.A.I. (Civil Affairs Section), copy to this Office, the names of the Officers selected and their H.I.I.

H.I.I. one car per Region is suggested, should be sent with these Officers if possible.

*R. L. Farnell*  
R. L. FARNELL  
Colonel  
Executive Officer.

HW/SG  
Copy to - R.C.C.I.C. (47)  
Executive Officer (A)  
R.C.C.I.C. Subdivisions. See ✓ J

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Office of the Chief of Staff

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Ref: 303/45/238.

13 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Administration - N.W. Italy.

TO : Acting Chief Commissioner.

1. GAO IAI (Maj. Gen. Robertson) held a meeting yesterday at IAI HQ at which his senior officers, GAO and G-4 5 Army, M's NW Italy, DOW and myself, were present.
2. The GAO explained the tactical appreciation for the occupation of NW Italy which he explained would be carried out by 5 Army troops who would probably find resistance limited to a few Italian divisions already decimated by the partisans and a small nucleus of German troops.
3. He stated that as soon as occupation was completed, by agreement with G-4 5 Army and the C-in-C, a British static HQ (No. 2 District) would be set up with several subordinate military HQs (Areas and Sub Areas). The HQ of the District has not yet been determined but would probably be ALBAVALLE.
4. He explained that in this area in his opinion the duty of the military District was to assist ACD in the administration of NW Italy. The military interests were so small that in this area the rules would be reversed and military interests would probably be subordinate to ACD.
5. After the withdrawal of 5 Army occupational troops the garrison troops of the area would probably be British and Italian. Minimum forces of British troops would be two battalions and one armoured car regiment; the maximum, two tired British divisions with an undetermined number of Italian troops.
6. He laid stress on the difficulties of communications, particularly at the outset before the opening of the port of GENOA and emphasized the fact that it would be impossible to carry much food into the area before that port was open. At this point General Tait, G-4 5 Army, asked it to be made perfectly clear that 5 Army would not provide transport for the haulage of food for civilians.
7. General Robertson stated that he intended to give great weight to the distribution of local resources in the area. A Local Resources Board (Forward) would be set up on which ACD would have the strongest representation. He hoped

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To set up an Industrial Coordination Committee, headed on the AOC with an AOC Chairman whose proposals would carry sufficient weight to be acceptable to the main Board. GAO stated that Major-General Rares, Commanding General designate of the District would set up his Forward HQ near FLEMMING and agreed that it was most desirable that Regional Commissioners should be located near him. HQMS AAI is trying to arrange this.

6. I gave an appreciation of the entry of AOC into this area. Subject to agreement by Commanding General, 5 Army the Regional Commissioners would accompany the task forces with their Provincial teams under the general direction of 5 Army AMB. General Rares proposed and I agreed that it would be necessary for him to have a small AMB liaison staff at his District HQ if it was not located near one of the Regional HQs.

7. General Robertson explained shortly that the role of HQ No.2 District would be as follows:-

- (a) To command the Allied and Italian troops placed in the District for the preservation of order.
- (b) To assist AOC and the Italian Government in the preservation of order, prevention of sabotage, etc.
- (c) To coordinate the utilization by the armed forces of local resources.
- (d) Local administration of all British troops in the District.
- (e) Organization of the overland L of C to FRANCE.

*M.S. Case*

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Brigadier,  
Chief of Staff.

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