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SUBJECT : Travel to Austria.

TO : See distribution list

1. Letter, file number and subject as above, dated 30 June 1945, as amended by letter dated 14 July 1945, copies to you, will be further amended by the addition to Appendix "A", Part I, of sub-paragraph (h) as follows :-

(c) British Subjects employed by Allied Commission Austria (British Element).

2. Authority : AFHQ letter AC 371.2/173 CSI-04 dated 3 August, 1945.

IV Command of Rear Admiral STONE,

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dated 20 June 1945, as amended by letter dated 14 July 1945, copies to you, will be further amended by the addition to Appendix "A", Part I, of sub-paragraph (h) as follows :-

(h) British Subjects employed by Allied Commission Austria (British Element).

2. Authority : AFHQ letter AC 371.2/173 GHI-O dated 5 August, 1945.

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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES FORCES AUSTRIA
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
APO 777 U S Army

CI/POL/3399

10 July 1945

Subject: Travel to Austria

To : All Concerned.

1. Effective 16 July 1945 a limited amount of travel by civilians in the direct interests of the Allied administration of Austria will be authorized into the American and British Zones of Austria.

2. This will be in accordance with Phase 2 of the AFHQ, C-1/Security Instruction (Austria) No. 3 dated 2 May, 1945.

3. The procedure to be followed will be that as outlined in AFHQ letter "Travel to Austria" dated 16 June, 1945.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:

J. A. Crowley
J. A. CROWLEY
Lt Colonel, GSC
Chief, Counter-Intelligence

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COUNTER INTELLIGENCE SECTION (AUSTRIA)
C/O EIGHTH ARMY, CMF.

CI/III/SF/3010

14 July, 1945.
MEF/GW.

TO : See Distribution.

SUBJECT: Travel to and from AUSTRIA - Phasing.

1. Reference AFHQ CI/Security Instruction No 3, AG. 371.2/173 GBI-0 of 2 May, 1945 and AFHQ letter AG. 371.2/173. GBI-0 of 16 June 1945, which was sent out by this office as Airport and Frontier Control Memorandum No 353.

2. It has been decided that the Second-Phase of travel to and from the British and American Zones of AUSTRIA shall open on 16 July 1945. It is NOT proposed to announce this fact to the public, but the measures described in para 2 of CI/Security Instruction No 3 will come into effect from that date, with certain slight alterations as given in para 3 below.

3. These alterations will be:-

a. Reference para 2d (2) of the Instruction.

Local Military Exit Permits (yellow with green diagonal band) will be issued by this office until the quadripartite control of travel is functioning, when the Military Exit Permit (blue with red diagonal band) will be taken into use.

b. Reference para 2d (3) (c) of the Instruction.

The DP2 card is not being used in AUSTRIA. This sub-para will therefore be deleted.

c. Reference para 2d 4 of the Instruction.

This only applies to British, British Commonwealth (incl Indian) and American ex-PW. Other ex-PW are allowed to leave AUSTRIA undocumented provided that they are moving in formed bodies and that Frontier Controls are reasonably satisfied that they are genuine.

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4. Please note that these arrangements do NOT apply to travel to and from JUGOSLAVIA, the frontier to which is still closed.

5. Will all addressees therefore please take with effect from 16 July, 1945, the necessary measures as laid down in CI/Security Instruction No 3.

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D. A. Hamilton
Maj,
For Lt Colonel, G.S.,
CI Section (AUSTRIA)

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HEADQUARTERS UNITED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

AG/14425/ES

14 July 1945

SUBJECT : Travel to Austria.

TO : See Distribution List.

1. Appendix "A", Part I (a), of letter file number and subject as above, dated 30 June, 1945, is rescinded and the following substituted therefor :-

" (a) British and United States Civilians employed by and travelling for the following organizations :-

(i) The Council for Voluntary Work, which embraces:

Catholic Womens League
Church Army
Church of Scotland Huts
Church of Christ Scientist
Jewish Hospitality Committee
Salvation Army
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YMCA
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(ii) American and British Red Cross
(iii) USO
(iv) NSR
(v) NAACP.

2. Authority. AFHQ letter AG 371.2/173 GBI-O, dated 2 July.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

G.R. UPJOHN
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" (2) British and United States Civilians employed by and travelling for the following organizations :-

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(11) American and British Red Cross

(111) USO

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2. Authority: AFHQ letter AG 271.2/173 GRI-O, dated 2 July.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

[Signature]
S.R. WELCH, Brig.
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Tel : 478800

30 June 1945

SUBJECT : Travel to Austria

TO : See Distribution List

Civil Affairs Section
APO 304

1. ALLIED FORCE PERMITS, endorsed "Valid for entry into Austria", will be required by all persons entering that part of Austria controlled by SACRED, with the exceptions noted in Part I of Appendix "A", on the back hereof. Travel will be restricted to the minimum essential to the Allied administration of Austria. Every application will be considered individually.

2. Applicants desiring to proceed from Italy to Austria will complete IMA application forms. The procedure as laid down in Executive Memorandum No. 61/45, dated 6 June, 1945, relating to the issue of military authorisations, will be followed in all such cases.

3. Unless otherwise endorsed permits will be valid for a return journey.

4. Persons, other than the exempted categories noted in Appendix "A", who arrive in Austria without Allied Force Permits are liable to detention and subsequent deportation to the country from which they start their journey.

5. The provisions of this instruction do not apply to the movement of displaced persons in parties organised by Displaced Persons Branch, AFHQ, in consultation with the appropriate CI Staffs.

6. In countries outside Italy, applications for Allied Forces Permits for entry into Austria will be made to the agency listed in Part II of Appendix "A" on the back hereof.

7. Authority : AFHQ Letter No. 171.7/45 CSI-O, dated 16 June 1945.

By Command of Rear Admiral Stone :

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7. Authority : AFHQ letter AR 171.2/173 GDI-O, dated 16 June 1945.

By Command of Rear Admiral Stone :

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G.R. UPJOHN, Brig
VP CA Sec.

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Consular Section, British Embassy (12)

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Commanding General G. 12
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Commanding General G. 12

APPENDIX "A"
PART I

With reference to paragraph 1, Allied Force Permits will not be required by the persons listed below:

- (a) Allied Service personnel on duty.
- (b) Diplomatic and Consular officials of the United Nations, including UN and EC employees of the State Department and Foreign Office.
- (c) Crews of Allied aircraft.
- (d) British and United States nationals employed by and paid by the following governmental agencies:
 - (i) UNRRA
 - (ii) Office of War Information
 - (iii) Psychological Warfare Branch
 - (iv) War Shipping Administration
 - (v) Ministry of War Transport
 - (vi) Any of the Service Ministries in the United States or United Kingdom providing they are in possession of United States or British Service Identity Cards, e.g., technicians in possession of AGO cards, who are assigned to this theater.

- (e) British and United States civilians employed by, and travelling for the following organizations:

- (i) American and British Red Cross
- (ii) YWCA (iii) YCA (iv) USO
- (v) YMCA (vi) YWCA

- (f) British and United States War Correspondents accredited to Allied Force Headquarters.

- (g) Persons in possession of Joint Chiefs of Staff Permits issued by the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Washington, in force valid for entry into Austria.

PART II

With reference to paragraph 6, in countries outside Italy,

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- (ii) Office of War Information
- (iii) Psychological Warfare Branch
- (iv) War Shipping Administration
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(g) Persons in possession of Joint Chiefs of Staff Permits issued by the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Washington, indorsed valid for entry into Austria.

PART II

With reference to paragraph 6, in countries outside Italy, applications for Allied Force Permits for entry into Austria will be made to the appropriate agency listed below:-

- (a) United Kingdom
Military Permit Office, Passport Office, Dartmouth Street, London, S.W. 1.
- (b) In liberated territory under control of SHEAF
As arranged by Supreme Headquarters, AEF.
- (c) Soviet Union
30 Military Mission United States Military Mission.
- (d) Switzerland, Spain and Portugal.
British or US Consulates General in Bern, Madrid or Lisbon.

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