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10000/110/168 REQUISITIONED VEHICLE TAXI HQ.436 1173/EST
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
EXECUTIVE OFFICE

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14 February 1946

SUBJECT: Requisitioned Vehicle Taxi Hq. 436.

TO : Grilli Pietro, Via del Pozzetto, 122, Rome.

1. Reference is made to your letter of 23 January 1946 concerning Taxi Hq. 436 consigned to the Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission.

2. You are informed that instructions have been issued to the Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission to turn in the above vehicle, along with three others, for derequisitioning by 15 February 1946. Final release of the vehicle to the Ispettorato Compartimentale della Motorizzazione Civile should come within the next few weeks.

3. It is therefore suggested that in a few weeks you apply to the above Ispettorato Compartimentale della Motorizzazione Civile for the reconsignment to you of your vehicle.

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

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ALLIED ~~CONTROL~~ COMMISSION
INTER OFFICE MEMO

From: G-4(A)

FILE No. G4/41/A

SUBJECT: Requisitioned Vehicles.

11 February 1946

TO: Staff Officer, Establishment Section.

1. Vehicle subject of attached correspondence was consigned by this office to Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission..
2. Instructions have gone out from this office to that Sub-Commission to turn in subject vehicle, along with three others, for de-requisitioning by 15 February 1946.
3. Final release of the car to Ispettorato Compartimentale della Motorizzazione Civile should come within the next few weeks.

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ODELE M. SMITH
Captain F.A.
G-4(A)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File _____ Date 5-2-46

- FROM _____ TO _____
- Deputy Chief of Staff
 - Staff Officer
 - Executive Officer (A)
 - Executive Officer (B)
 - G-1 (A)
 - G-1 (B)
 - G-4 (A)
 - G-4 (B)
 - Headquarters Commandant
 - Adjutant

FOR:

Draft of reply for signature of *Pls see*

Please see/telephone me about this *we have*

Investigation and report *a definite reply*

Answer *for the Admin.*

Signature _____

Approval/Disapproval _____

Your Information and return _____

Your File _____

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File _____ Date 26/1/46

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 Commandant
- Adjutant

FOR: *This vehicle now*
 Comment *is used by WPRC*
 Draft of reply *L/C. Status of these*
 Investigation and report *cars in controversy*
 Answer *regarding turnover*
 Signature *of WPRC property*
 Approval/Disapproval *to WPRC, but*
 Your Information *we are trying to*
 Your File *call them in for*
 Return, please *de-requisitioning*
on 6 Feb 46

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION

File

Date 11-1-46

FROM

W.P.R. JC

TO

Deputy Chief of Staff

Staff Officer

Executive Officer (A)

Executive Officer (B)

G-1 (A)

G-1 (B)

G-4 (A)

G-4 (B)

Headquarters Commandant

Adjutant

FOR:

W.P.R. JC

- 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

File the report and report

W.P.R. JC

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Capt. Barnes
(Establishment)

Please check into the albid
letty and see what can be
done to straighten the
situation out.

24th Jan

[Signature]
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Rome, 23 January 1945.

Admiral Ellery Stone,
Allied Commission,
R O M E.

Dear Sir:-

Nineteen months ago, immediately after the liberation of Rome, I offered my services as a POW to the Allies. I had had success in rescuing them from the Germans at untold risks and sacrifices.

At that time Capt. Olin promised that I would earn 200-500 lira a day, but later I have not received anything besides my personal wages, and in addition to that, my tax was requisitioned, together with three orders (belonging to Capucci, Sciarra, etc.) which I persuaded to enter your service.

The requisitioning of our taxis came as a rather painful surprise in view of the fact that we had ourselves offered them to you.

Now, after nineteen months, we are still in the same situation, while 47 other taxis, which were in the service at the Supergraves have been requisitioned and now handed back to their owners two months ago.

We applied to Capt. MacPhail, in charge of the Supergraves to have our taxis released, however, he told us that it was not up to him to decide on this matter.

We got the same reply from the Allied Military Government when we also approached in this connection.

On the other hand, the Displaced Persons Department at Cinecitta where we are now in service, and which has now been taken over by the USRA wants to retain us, notwithstanding the fact that their activities have been reduced to dealing with refugees and other departments of the Allied Commission.

Now, another requisition has taken place at the Supergraves, but our taxis were not included in the number of the requisitioned motorcars.

I should be very much obliged therefore if you would

At that time Capt. Olin promised that I would earn 100-150 a month as a Capt. But after I have not received anything re- sponding to my personal needs, and in addition to that, my team was requisitioned, together with three others (belonging to Depuoli, Maistri, etc.), whom I persuaded to enter your services.

The requisitioning of our taxis came as a rather pain- ful surprise in view of the fact that we had ourselves offered them to you.

Now, after nineteen months, we are still in the same situation, while 47 other taxis, which were in the service of the Supercharge have been derequisitioned and were handed back to their owners two months ago.

We applied to Capt. MacPheal, in charge of the Super- charge to have our taxis released, however, he told us that it was not up to him to decide on this matter.

We get the same reply from the Allied Military Govern- ment whom we also approached in this connection.

On the other hand, the Displaced Persons Department at Cincinnati where we are now in service, and which has not been taken over by the UPRRA wishes to retain us, notwithstanding the fact that their activities have been reduced to dealing with re- fugees and other elements of the Allied Commission.

Now, another derequisition has taken place at the Supercharge, but our taxis were not included in the number of the derequisitioned motorcars.

I should be very much obliged therefore, if you would kindly consider my case and have my taxi released. This is all I have been able to do since after 10 years of hard work, and it is the only means by which I can support myself and my family of seven.

Thanking you in anticipation for your kind considera- tion, I remain,

Yours very truly,

*Giulio Pietro
Via del Pozzetto 122 Roma*

(Box H.Q. 436)

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