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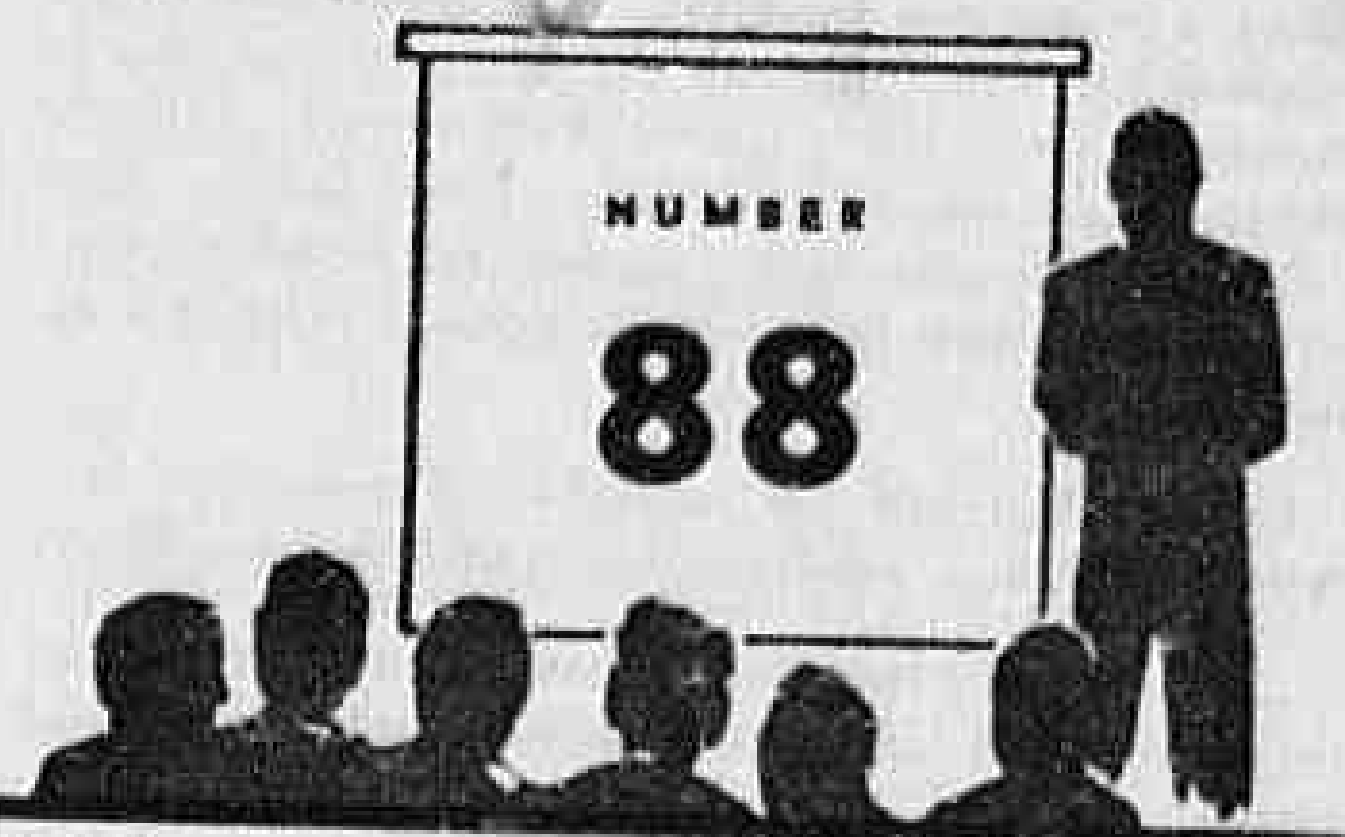
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"When Do I Go Home?"

A Discussion of Demobilization Plans and Policies Based on Official Announcements Made Through 2 September 1945 (V-J Day)

Note For This Week's Discussion:

Many men will already have general information on the plans and policies that have been announced for demobilization. The object of this ARMY TALK is to give a clear and understandable picture of the over-all situation, and to answer some general questions. It will not be possible, of course, to provide answers to all questions that may be raised. The points which should be stressed are: (1) The basic policies which have been announced follow the fairest possible principles, and the point-discharge system which took into account the views of soldiers themselves is still in effect; (2) Demobilization will be accomplished as rapidly as possible; (3) Occupation duties, and the training, supplying, and equipping of troops are all necessary to make victory secure; (4) How well each man does his personal job will have a direct effect on the speed and effectiveness of demobilization—whether that job is training occupation replacements, carrying on essential functions such as supply, transporting troops home, or performing duties directly related to the separation process.

Methods of presenting this material will vary with the individual discussion leader. In every case, however, plans should be made for visual aids to present the essential facts. As a minimum, key figures should be written on a blackboard, or if a blackboard is not available, charts made on large pieces of paper may be prepared for the purpose.

This ARMY TALK is based on information which had been announced through 2 September 1945 (V-J Day). If additional OFFICIAL announcements are made prior to the time this issue is used for discussion, the additional information should be incorporated at the proper places. It is imperative, however, that no information be included which is not taken directly from official War Department releases.

"WHEN do I go home?" For millions of men and women in the Army—as well as in the Navy, Marines, and Coast Guard—this question has now become so important as to overshadow every other personal concern.

This hour of discussion cannot give exact answers to that question for the individual. It will attempt, however, to present the over-all picture and the plans and policies that have been announced to date. By understanding the over-all picture, the individual should have a clearer understanding of his relationship to the demobilization process.

Secretary of War Stimson, in announcing demobilization goals on 15 August, summarized the job ahead this way:

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"I do not believe there has ever been a case in history where so large an army has been so rapidly taken from civilian life, trained, equipped, transported to the fronts and put into battle as the Army of the United States in this war.

"It is our aim and objective to do just as fast and effective a job in the other direction. We intend to make just as good a record in getting these men from the battle front back home and in civilian clothes."

For almost four years the resources and manpower of the nation have been directed at the defeat of the

Nazis, Fascists, and Japanese. Our armed forces have succeeded in accomplishing the immediate mission of destroying the military power of the enemy. Military victory alone, however, does not mean that we have achieved our goal of guaranteeing peace and security. It does mean that the military mission must now be redefined.

General Marshall has outlined the immediate mission of the Army, which can be summarized as follows:

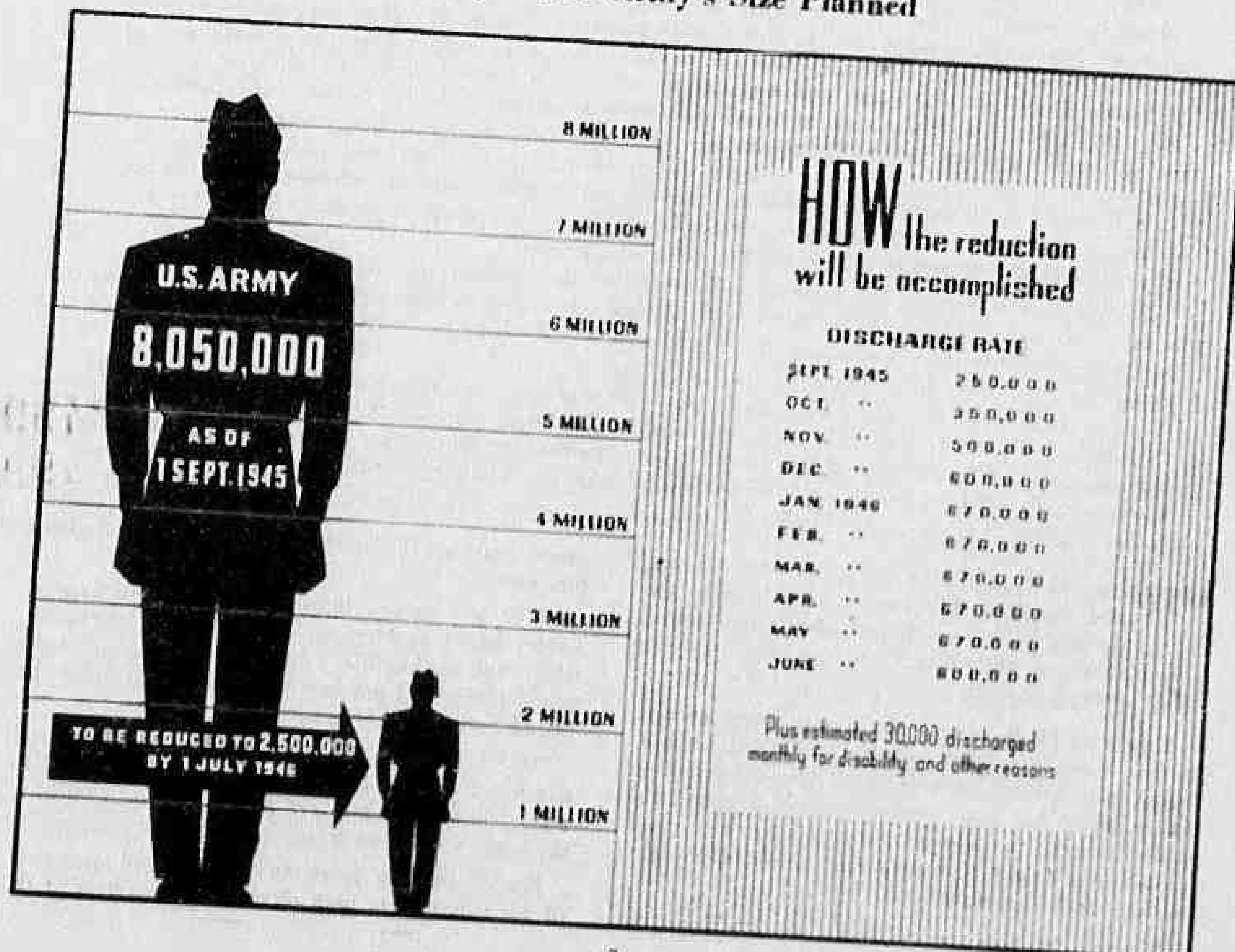
- To quickly demobilize that part of the Army no longer required for national defense and occupational forces.
- To provide the occupational forces in conquered and liberated areas with sufficient trained personnel, supplies, and equipment to make the victory secure.
- To make reasonable provisions for fundamental post-war military requirements and to halt immediately the production of war munitions and release facilities for civilian production.

General Marshall's statement also included this significant directive on basic policy:

"Every member of the Army will be treated as an individual. Primary emphasis will be placed upon the rapid discharge of military personnel in their order of priority as determined by their critical scores. Emphasis will be given to the educational programs and problems concerning personal readjustments to civilian life."

The goal set by the War Department is to discharge at least 6,000,000 men and women in the next ten months, which will reduce the army to 2,500,000 or less by 1 July 1946. For the most part this reduction will be accomplished by progressively lowering the critical point score, which will insure that priority on discharge will continue to go to those who deserve first consideration on a basis of: length of service, time overseas, combat service, and parenthood. In addition to those discharged under the point score system, or for age, an estimated 300,000 will be separated for reasons of disability and other causes.

Steady Cut In Army's Size Planned



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(Note: Either write essential figures on a blackboard, or refer to previously prepared visual aids as those figures are discussed.)

The present estimate of the area distribution of the Army, as of 1 July 1946, is:

370,000 for occupation of Germany.

830,000 for occupation of Japan.

115,000 in other outposts.

1,185,000 for the Zone of Interior, including troops in training and those required to service the overseas forces and for national defense.

First Steps

Immediately after the surrender of Japan, the following steps were taken:

1. All eligible enlisted personnel with 85 points or more, and WACs with 44 points or more, were given immediate priority on discharge.

2. The age at which enlisted personnel could apply for immediate discharge was lowered from 40 to 38, and it was announced that those who applied for discharge under this provision would be released within three months after application had been received.

V-J Day Policies

The following are the major steps which take effect after V-J Day:

1. The critical score is reduced from 85 to 80 as the first reduction for enlisted men; for WACS the reduction is from 44 to 41.

2. A new adjusted service rating score will be computed for each individual below the critical score and for those inducted since 12 May 1945. This means that all points earned since 12 May of this year will be added to each original score.

The new "box score" for each individual will be figured on the following basis:

Service Credit—1 point per month for service from 16 September 1940 to V-J Day (2 September 1945).

Overseas Credit—1 point per month overseas service since 16 September 1940 to V-J Day.

Combat Credit—5 points for each battle participation star and decoration including the Distinguished Service Cross, Legion of Merit, Silver Star, Distinguished Flying Cross, Soldiers Medal, Bronze Star, Air Medal, and the Purple Heart based on service prior to V-J Day. (Holders of the Medal of Honor may apply for immediate discharge regardless of points.)

Parenthood Credit—12 points for each child under 18 up to a limit of three children (born prior to V-J Day).

3. Enlisted men, 38 years of age or more, are eligible for discharge regardless of length of service. Men 35 to 37 years of age inclusive, who have served honorably for two or more years, are also eligible for release. Eligible personnel desiring discharge because of age must submit a written application stating their desire for separation from the service. Separation of "overage" men will be made within 90 days of receipt of application.

The lowering of the critical score, the re-computation of scores, and the reduction in age to 35 years will make about 1,100,000 men and women eligible for discharge in addition to the 400,000 who already have more than 85 points. In other words, a total of approximately 1,500,000 men—or 25 percent of the total of 6,000,000 to be separated prior to 1 July 1946, are now eligible for discharge.

(The answers to the following questions provide additional information of general interest. One way to use the information is to read off the question and ask how many would be interested in knowing the answer to that particular question.)

1. How has V-J Day affected "85-point" men?

The new critical score and computation will not affect those who have 85 points (44 for WACs). Those who have 85 or more points will continue to have the highest priority on return and separation. It is estimated that all those with 85 points or more in the European and Mediterranean theaters will be back and out of the service by 31 October.

There will be a slightly longer delay for the return of the men now in the Pacific. All of the eligible men in this area cannot be started home until it is known definitely that the occupation is successful and that further complications are not likely to develop. If the occupation continues to go smoothly, all of the 85-point men from the Pacific will be returned and discharged by the end of November. 4992

2. Can a man be held from discharge because of military necessity?

No enlisted personnel with sufficient number of critical points will be kept because of "military necessity" except those classified in one of three essential technical skills. These essential classifications are: orthopedic mechanics (who fit artificial limbs), transmitter attendants (radio), and electro-encephalographic specialists (who operate electro-cardiac equipment).

Even though an enlisted man has one of the three skills listed above as critical, he cannot be held for

more than six months after he becomes eligible for release under the point system.

It is intended that no one eligible for release will be held in the Army because there are men with higher scores who have not been returned home. There will be no delay in the separation of eligible personnel who are present in the United States.

3. Will high point men be returned first from overseas?

Yes! Enlisted men and women and officers with sufficient number of critical points for separation are now being returned to the U. S. as quickly as transportation allows. Units are being carefully screened to eliminate any men even close to the point or age limits from occupation duty, and this personnel is being given priority return for separation. Both air and sea transportation is being utilized to the maximum to return high score men to their homes. These men will be first out and, as demobilization progresses and the critical point score is reduced, high point men will continue to be given priority return from overseas for discharge.

4. Will men with low point scores continue to be sent out for occupation duty?

The only way that troops serving in occupational forces can be returned home is to replace them with troops from the Z. I. Consequently, some men with low point totals will be shipped overseas to relieve the men there who are eligible to return home.

Enlisted men who, as of 12 May 1945, had critical scores of 45 points or over are being screened from units scheduled for re-deployment to the Pacific and will be retained on active status in the Zone of Interior until they are eligible for discharge. Men 37 years of age, or who are 34, 35, or 36 years of age and have had a minimum of one year of honorable military service, are also being screened from units and will not be sent overseas.

The original 12 May 1945 computation of point scores will be used for the purpose of determining which individuals will be sent overseas until the re-computation of points ordered by the War Department as of 2 September 1945 can be completed. When this re-computation is completed, a revised screening score will be announced.

How long a man will be required to serve in the occupational forces depends on a number of factors as yet undecided. Congress must first decide how large the peacetime Army is to be. Congress must also act on whether the draft will be continued, so as to maintain the necessary flow of new men into the service if present personnel is to be replaced.

Other factors which will have an influence on this question are voluntary enlistments and reenlistments.

Congress may decide to limit the period a man will be required to serve in the Army of Occupation. To do this, a system of replacing the personnel to keep the occupational forces at prescribed strength must first be effected.

5. What About WACs?

As of V-J Day, the points necessary for discharge from the Women's Army Corps were lowered to 41 and recomputation of present scores below 44 will be made as previously explained.

The provision that members of the WAC whose husbands are discharged are eligible for release continues in effect. No more WAC enlistments are being accepted and shipment of WAC contingents to the Pacific has been stopped. The length of time the Women's Army Corps will retain active status will be decided by Congress.

6. How About Officers?

Effective on V-J Day, 2 September 1945, Army officers will be eligible for release on the basis of the following critical scores:

Colonels, Lt. Colonels, Majors	100 points
Captains, 1st Lieutenants, 2nd Lieutenants	85 points
Warrant Officers, Flight Officers	80 points
Nurses	65 points
WAC Officers	44 points
Physical Therapists and Medical Department Dietitians	41 points

Approximately 25 percent of the 800,000 officers of the Army will become eligible for discharge under this program. The critical score will be lowered progressively, proportionate to the rate of the demobilization of enlisted personnel, and approximately 600,000 officers will be separated for all reasons by 1 July 1946.

There will be no consideration of "military necessity" except for individuals whose "military occupational specialty" appears on the list of scarce categories of officer specialists as follows:

MOS	DESCRIPTION
0615	Highway Traffic Engineer (Transportation Corps only).
0815	Superintendent, Water Division (Transportation Corps only).
8101	Legal Officer (With Admiralty Law experience with Transportation Corps).

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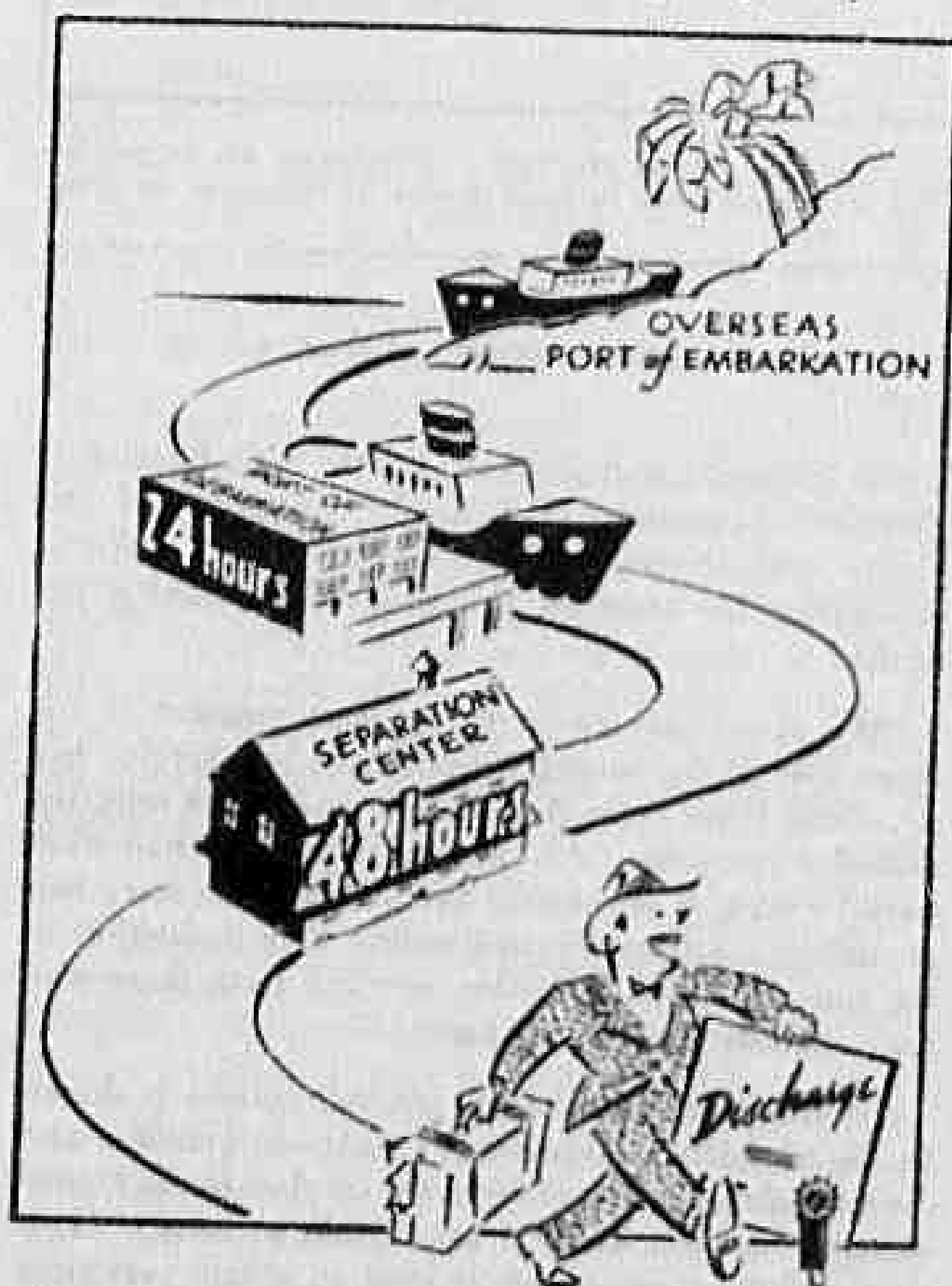
- Officers and Warrant Officers who have experience or training in statutory renegotiation activities.
- Officers and Warrant Officers who have experience or training in contract termination and property disposal activities.
- Civil Affairs or Military Government Officers who are assigned in occupied territories or who are in training for such assignment. (Excludes CA Officers, Internal Security, SSN 9226).

Officers whose MOS appears on this list may be retained in service only for a maximum of six months from the date they become eligible for release.

Officers who desire to be retained on active duty may request extended service for the duration of the emergency and six months, unless sooner relieved.

Releases where necessary on the basis of personal hardship or for the national health, safety, and interest will continue to be made. In addition, officers with scores below the announced critical scores will be released for the convenience of the government where there are no suitable assignments for them.

Discharge Processing Speedy



7. How soon after returning to the states will high point men be discharged?

Returning personnel, who have sufficient points for separation, will be processed and discharged without delay.

Ordinarily the man is on his way to a Separation Center 24 hours after he arrives at the Port of Embarkation. After 48 hours at the Separation Center, his processing is completed and the "veteran" is on his way home to resume civilian status.

By 1 November, Separation Centers will be geared to handle a flow of 500,000 service men and women a month. This capacity will be increased as demobilization continues.

B. What is meant by "The Duration and Six Months?"

All who received their "Greetings" message from the President were informed that under the Selective Service Act, they were inducted for the duration of the present War and six months after the "date of the termination of hostilities." What a great many servicemen want to know is, "What is meant by 'date of the termination of hostilities'?"

First, it must be made clear that this phrase does not mean the end of the cannon-firing. A state of war, once declared, does not end when the fighting stops, but continues until the conclusion of a treaty of peace or until some date is fixed by law. This is demonstrated by a look into the past at World War I when the state of war between the United States and Germany continued until nearly three years after the armistice put an end to the fighting. The armistice was signed 11 November 1918, but the state of war between our nation and Germany actually was not terminated by act of Congress until 2 July 1921.

V-J Day is the official date of the armistice or cessation of hostilities with Japan—not the treaty of peace. The final peace will be established at a later date by treaty, presidential proclamation, or act of Congress.

Accordingly, present personnel of the Army will remain subject to continued active duty for some time after the cessation of actual hostilities with the last of the belligerents with which the United States now is at war.

9. Will Selective Service continue?

Immediately after the Japanese surrender, President Truman ordered that inductions into the Army be continued but cut from 80,000 to 50,000 men per month. At present the draft is continuing at this rate for eligible men 18 to 25 years of age inclusive.

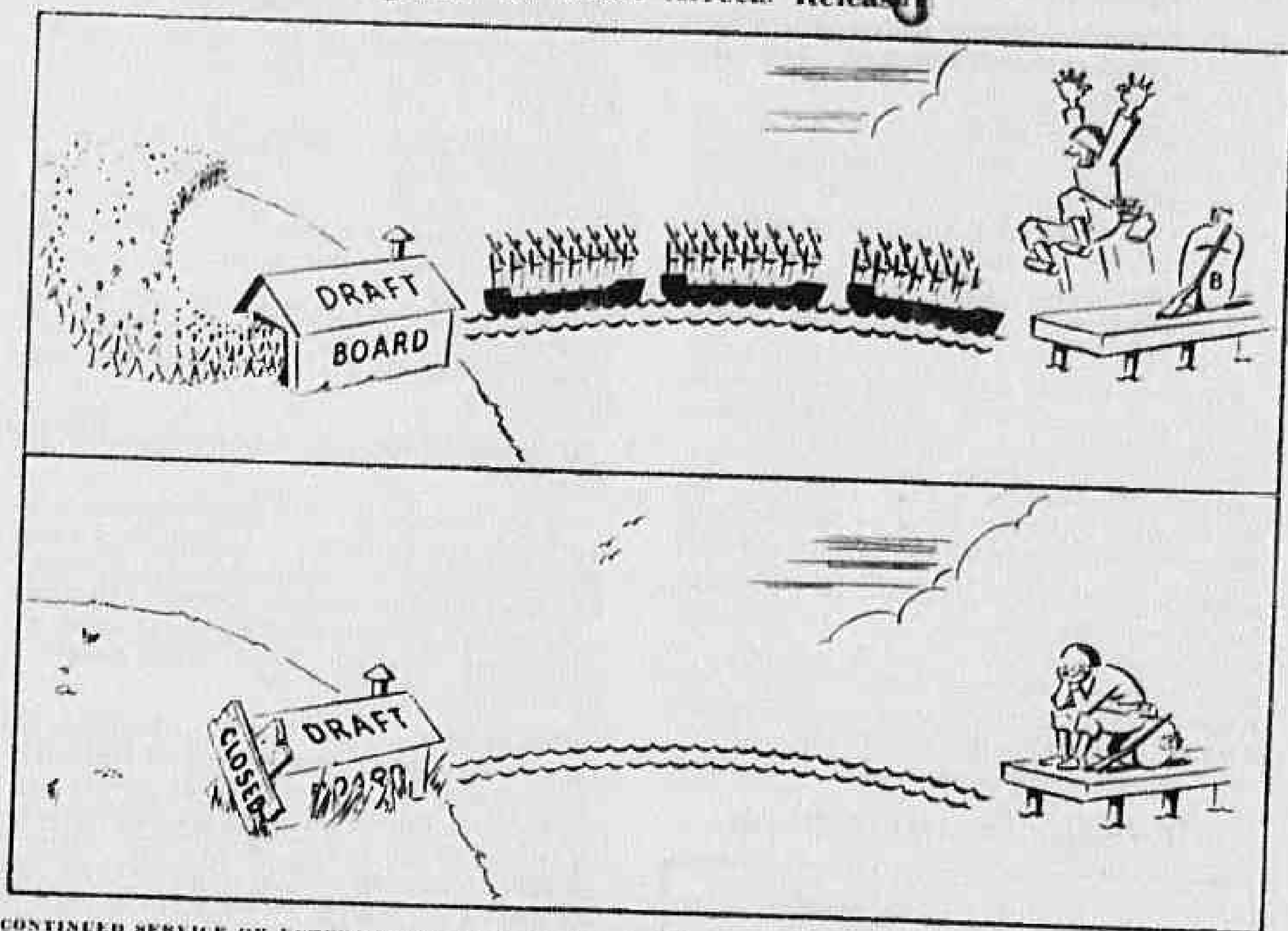
How long inductions are to continue will be up to Congress. Never in time of peace has the U. S. con-

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● Fate Of Draft Affects Release ●



CONTINUED SERVICE OF VETERANS overseas and at home is linked up with fate of the draft. Whether or not inductions continue is up to Congress. President Truman and War Department want draft continued to speed release of long-term veterans.

scripted men for military service, except for the comparatively brief period before Pearl Harbor.

Some predict that Congress will repeal the Selective Service Act soon after it reconvenes this month; others contend that the act will be extended. The questions of required size of the occupational and domestic forces and the length of time occupation of conquered territories will be necessary, must be considered before Congress can terminate the Selective Service system.

The length of time Allied forces might stay in any of the occupied areas is undetermined. President Truman stated that a time limit was not discussed by the Big Three at Potsdam.

The President, on 28 August, prior to the reconvening of Congress, expressed his desire to the House and Senate Military Committees that Selective Service be continued. In his recommendations for the continuation of the draft, the President suggested that a two-year limit on the service of inductees be applied. He also recommended that inducements be set up to

encourage voluntary enlistment of those not subject to draft.

The following paragraphs extracted from the text of President Truman's letter to the Chairman of the Senate and House Committees on Military Affairs, summarize his view on the issue of continuing the draft:

"My great concern at the present moment is for those now in the armed forces whose war service has separated them from their homes and loved ones for extended periods. An unforgivable discrimination would result, if we should favor those who have had no military service by suspending their induction at the cost of requiring further sacrifice from those who have already done their part.

"It is my firm conviction, which I believe is shared by the majority in this country, that war veterans who do not volunteer to remain in the service should be discharged as soon as it is practicable to do so. This means that we must start at once to obtain personnel

exclusive of these veterans to carry the burden of the occupational period. Volunteers should be procured in maximum numbers and the remainder of whatever strength is required obtained by post V-J Day inductions through Selective Service."

It is expected that the President will request Congress to increase substantially the size of the regular peacetime Army. The standing of Army strength now is limited by law to less than 300,000 including some 12,500 officers. What the request for expansion will be has not been announced to date.

The attitude of the War Department on the subject of continuance of the draft was expressed by Secretary of War Stimson in his statement of 15 August on the Army's policy on demobilization. Mr. Stimson said:

"There are now 5,600,000 men in our Army with more than two years' service. If we do not continue a regular induction of men, we doom large numbers—a total equaling the number of men whom we now wish to have inducted—to prolonged service abroad and at home. The President has said we shall continue Selective Service. I am certain that the vast majority of the 8,000,000 now in the Army will agree with that decision."

10. If a man desires to stay in the Army, what sort of deal will he get?

At present, the Army is conducting a recruitment program which affords all enlisted men "now serving honorably and faithfully" the opportunity of applying for discharge for the purpose of enlisting in the Regular Army. Enlisted men of the Regular Army may reenlist, and enlisted men of the Army of the United States may enlist in the Regular Army.

Physically qualified men who have been honorably discharged may also apply for reenlistment in the Regular Army within three months after date of discharge. The term of service for persons reenlisting shall be for the duration of any war in which the United States is engaged and six months thereafter or for three years, whichever is the longer period. In the case of enlisted men now performing full military duty, no physical examination will be required for the purpose of reenlistment.

a. Procedure For Reenlistment:

Regular Army personnel who desire to reenlist and who are qualified for such reenlistment will:

- (1) Be discharged and reenlisted in the Regular Army, unassigned, as of the day following discharge and in the Regular Army grade from which discharged.

- (2) If holding Specialist ratings in the Regular Army, be reenlisted in the corresponding grades as shown in existing conversion tables.

- (3) Be temporarily promoted in the Army of the United States on the day of reenlistment to any higher temporary grade held in the Army of the United States at the time of discharge.

- (4) Be given the same date of rank as that held at the time of discharge, in both the Regular Army grade and any higher temporary grade to which promoted in the Army of the United States.

Enlisted personnel not having a Regular Army enlisted status who desire to enlist in the Regular Army and who are qualified for such enlistment will:

- (1) Be discharged from the Army of the United States and enlisted in the grade of private in the Regular Army, unassigned, as of the day following discharge.

- (2) Be temporarily promoted in the Army of the United States on day of enlistment in the Regular Army to the grade held in the Army of the United States at the time of discharge.

- (3) Be given the same date of rank as that held at the time of discharge, in the Army of the United States.

b. Financial Aspects:

- (1) *Mustering out pay.* Personnel discharged and reenlisted will not be entitled to mustering out pay at that time. Mustering out payments to reenlisted personnel will be dependent upon statutes in effect at final separation.

- (2) *Travel pay.* Personnel discharged for reenlistment purposes are not entitled to travel pay until subsequent discharge at end of term of service. Transportation of dependents and/or household goods at government expense will not be allowed to personnel discharged for reenlistment.

- (3) *Enlistment Allowances.* Regular Army enlisted personnel discharged for reenlistment will be paid bonuses figured on time of service completed. Pending decision as to whether the allowance will be paid on permanent Regular Army grade or temporary higher grade in the AUS held at discharge, the enlistment allowances will be paid on the basis of the permanent Regular Army grade.

Enlisted men of the Army of the United States who are reenlisted in the Regular Army cannot be paid reenlistment bonuses pending enactment of enabling legislation.

c. Reenlistment Furloughs:

Men discharged for the purpose of reenlisting in the Regular Army will be granted furloughs of 90 days or less. Those who have served continuously for three years or more will be eligible for 90-day furloughs. Men with less than three years continuous service will be eligible for furloughs in proportion to actual time served.

Personnel reenlisted in the continental United States will be granted furloughs immediately. Personnel reenlisted outside the continental United States will be granted furloughs at the discretion of the overseas commanders.

For the purpose of computing total service in determining the amount of furlough to be granted, overseas service of an individual will be counted as double time.

(The foregoing information is based on WD Circular 249, August 1945.)

The President has recommended to Congress that added inducements be provided to encourage voluntary enlistments and reenlistments.

11. What about Navy, Marine, and Coast Guard demobilization?

The Navy intends to release 2,830,000 men within the next year. The goal of the Navy Department, as recently stated by Secretary Forrestal, is to reduce the strength of the Navy to an estimated 500,000 men and 50,000 officers within 12 months.

The release formula of the Navy applies to all personnel of the Naval Reserve, inductees, and to those in the Regular Navy who are serving beyond the expiration of enlistment. The formula, as originally announced on 15 August, gives credit for age, length of service, and dependency. As soon as the necessary studies and computations have been made, additional discharge points will be granted for overseas service with possibly no change in critical scores. This computation will take an estimated six weeks to two months to complete. Meanwhile, critical scores will be computed on the following factors:

One-half point is allowed for each year of age figured to the nearest birthday.

One-half point is also allowed for each full month of active duty since 1 September 1939.

Ten points are allowed for dependency, on date of demobilization announcement; only one dependent may be counted. Personnel whose wives are members of any of the armed forces also are entitled to ten points.

Current critical discharge scores established for the different classifications of Navy personnel are:

Forty-four for enlisted male personnel; 49 for male officers except aviators; 44 for aviators; 29 for enlisted WAVE personnel; 35 for WAVE officer personnel.

These scores will be progressively lowered as soon as possible.

Anyone who has received one of the higher combat decorations is entitled to release upon request regardless of critical score. The awards which allow automatic release are the Medal of Honor, Navy Cross, Legion of Merit, Silver Star Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross, and comparable medals of the Army, if such an award was made for combat achievement.

Certain individuals will continue to be eligible for release under conditions such as extreme hardship involving dependency. Enlisted men of 42 years of age and over will be released at their request. Provisions will be made for the more rapid discharge of other categories in which large excesses over present requirements exist.

Under current critical discharge scores, approximately 327,000 are eligible immediately for release. Navy separation centers are being prepared to handle a peak load of nearly 500,000 per month.

Overseas credits, when authorized, will be added to present scores and there will be no upward trends in the total score required for separation. No person now qualified for discharge will be made ineligible by the addition of the overseas credit points.

The Navy Department also announced that it favored retention, at least in cadre strength, of the WAVES as well as SPARS and the Marine Auxiliary.

Personnel who do not wish to be released at the time they become eligible will be allowed to stay in the Navy as long as their services are needed. Commanding officers, in order to avoid the loss of essential personnel, are permitted to delay release of eligible persons until they are replaced, but not for more than 120 days, except for certain essential officers who may be retained in excess of 120 days. Personnel such as the Medical Corps and certain other types of specialists may also be held longer than 120 days until their vitally-needed services can be replaced. Those designated for separation will be processed within 72 hours after arrival at separation centers.

At this time, the Marine Corps is following the Army plan for demobilization, and the Coast Guard is following a plan parallel to that of the Navy.

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WAR DEPARTMENT READJUSTMENT REGULATIONS

PERSONNEL

PLAN FOR READJUSTMENT OF MILITARY PERSONNEL AFTER THE DEFEAT OF GERMANY

War Department, Washington 25, D. C.

4 August 1945

RR 1-1, 15 February 1945, is changed as follows:

12. Selection of Enlisted Personnel for Separation from Service.

c. (1) Enlisted personnel with adjusted service rating scores equal to or above the critical score who have satisfactory records may elect to remain in the service in one of the following classes of volunteers:

(a) *Class I volunteer.* An enlisted man who volunteers for retention in the military service for the duration plus 6 months unless sooner relieved for the convenience of the Government. Such enlisted man will be informed that this decision once made is irrevocable, and he will not again be considered until after the defeat of Japan.

(b) *Class II volunteer.* An enlisted man assigned outside the zone of interior who volunteers for duty in the theater to which he is assigned for the length of time he will be required but not to exceed the duration plus 6 months. When it is determined by the theater commander that his services are no longer required, such enlisted man will again be made eligible for separation under the provisions of the Readjustment Regulations.

[AG 320.2 (6 Jul 45)]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

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12 July 1945

SUBJECT: Amendments to Readjustment Regulations 1-1.

TO: All Concerned.

The provisions of War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-1, dated 15 February 1945, as amended by Changes Number 1, have been further amended by War Department unnumbered cable, dated 10 July 1945, as follows:

"Delete words 'excluding volunteers' from paragraphs 7d (1) and 31b (1) Changes Number 1 to RR 1-1.

"Along with other high score personnel enlisted personnel with scores equal to or greater than critical score who desire to remain in service may be returned to US. Such individuals will be given 30 days temporary duty at their homes and reassigned upon indicating in ZI their desire to volunteer for continued service.

"There can be NO guarantee of permanent duty in ZI."

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

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CHANGE NO. 2 TO)
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NUMBER 8)

6 July 1945

ARMY EDUCATION PROGRAM

Paragraph 32, Section V, MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 8, 1945, is amended by the addition of the following:

"Fees for officers for all other USAFI services and materials will, effective 6 Jul 1945, be the same as those currently in effect for enlisted men."

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

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NUMBER 15)

3 October 1945

UNIT COMMANDERS' GUIDE FOR OVERSEAS MOVEMENT
OF CATEGORY IV UNITS

MTUSA Redeployment Circular Number 15, dated 16 June 1945, is amended by adding sub-paragraph 30a(2)(a) as follows:

"30. 3. (2) (a) So much of the preceding sub-paragraph as requires forwarding true copies of each officer's WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3 to the Major Commands for transmittal to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C., will be complied with only in those cases when an officer is being returned to a Reception Station in the United States for determination of essentiality. If an officer is being returned to a Separation Center for separation this form will not be forwarded to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C."

BY ORDER OF GENERAL HONARMY:

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Col. Parker:

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change, however adjt. Sect. has been
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NUMBER	DATE	FROM	TO	SUBJECT
1	26 Apr 45	WD	All Concerned	Readiness of redeployed units for movement overseas.
2	2 May 45	WD	" "	Revision of "Annex B" "Redeployment movements".
3	13 May 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Redeployment Cir #14, "Unit Commanders' Guide for Overseas Movement of Category II Units".
4	16 May 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Amendments to Readjustment Regulations 1-1.
5	16 May 45	MTOUUSA	" "	WD Plan for Readjustment of Military Personnel.
6	18 May 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Redeployment Cir #1, Policies & Procedures governing the redeployment of the army upon cessation of hostilities in Europe.
7	20 May 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Redeployment Cir #2, Readjustment of Personnel after defeat of Germany.
8		Hq, 2675 Regt		List of EM with 85 points and over, in the 2675th Regt.
9	16 May 45	WD	All Concerned	Advance detachments of units returning to the US.
10	22 May 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Redeployment Cir #15, Unit Commanders' guide for overseas movement of Category II Units.
11	24 May 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Change #1 to Redeployment Cir #14.
12	16 Jun 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Redeployment Cir #15, Unit Commanders' Guide for overseas movement of Category IV Units.
13	18 Jun 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Redeployment Cir #6, Supply and Maintenance Plan.
14	21 Jun 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Change #2 to Redeployment Cir #2.
15	21 Jun 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Readjustment of Personnel after defeat of Germany.
16	23 Jun 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Redeployment Cir #14, Unit Commanders' guide for overseas movement of Category II Units.
17	28 Jun 45	MTOUUSA	" "	Change #1 to Redeployment Cir 15, Unit Commanders' guide for overseas mvmt Category IV units.
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REDEPLOYMENT CIRCULAR)

NUMBER 9)

28 June 1945

DEMOBILIZATION OF CATEGORY IV ELEMENTS AND OVERHEAD UNITS WITHIN THE THEATER

WFOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 9, dated 11 May 1945, and Change 1 thereto dated 13 June 1945, are rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. General

a. This Circular proscribes the procedures to be followed in this theater for the demobilization within the theater of Category IV elements as provided by WD Readjustment Regulation 1-6, 16 February 1945, and of all overhead elements. The following provisions will become effective when this theater is so directed by the War Department. The specific date will be announced by this Headquarters.

b. Category IV Units to be demobilized in this theater will be designated by this Headquarters.

2. Responsibility - Major commanders will be responsible for the processing of Category IV elements under their respective jurisdiction in accordance with these instructions and the following directives:

a. RR 1-6, 16 February 1945.

b. Other instructions which may be published by this Headquarters.

3. Disposition of Unit, Headquarters and Other Non-Appropriated Welfare or Sundry Funds, and Property

a. The following regulations are applicable:

(1) WFOUSA Circular Number 62, "Nonappropriated Funds", dated 21 April 1945.

(2) Section IV, "Nonappropriated Funds - Transfer of United States Government Certificates of Indebtedness, Notes and Bonds", Circular 263, WD, dated 27 June 1944.

b. Prior to the transfer or relief from active duty of the custodian of a nonappropriated fund, the account will be closed, audited and transferred to the successor custodian.

c. Funds will be disposed of in accordance with the instructions set forth below.

(1) Disposition of Fund Property. Property, except cash and

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Securities, will be disposed of as follows:

- Bidders.
- (a) By sale to other welfare and sundry funds as preferred
 - (b) By sale to other purchasers, provided that no military bidder can be found and then only with the approval of the next higher commander.
 - (c) In the event that no purchaser can be found, by transfer to the Special Service Supply Officer of the major command for reissue to other US Army personnel, by donation to other welfare and sundry funds, or by turnover to a salvage officer for disposition. No property will be deliberately abandoned. A receipt will be taken from the responsible officer who receives such property and will be kept to show the disposition of the property.

(d) Property which was donated to the fund will not be disposed of without the prior approval of the donor unless the donor is not available. Any property which was donated by the American Red Cross will be returned to it upon request.

(2) Payment of liabilities and cancellation of bond - The custodian will pay all outstanding liabilities, and will send termination advice with respect to any surety bond in force.

(3) Closing of Account - The custodian will close the account and prepare a letter, in quintuplicate, to the Commanding Officer of the installation at which demobilization is effected, showing the financial condition of the fund and listing any securities and receipt for securities (for sample see Appendix A). All five copies will be signed by the custodian, approved and signed by all council or board members present, and transmitted by the custodian to the auditor. Ordinarily three indorsements will be required to complete the final action.

(4) Auditing of Account - The Commanding Officer of the installation where demobilization is effected will appoint a disinterested commissioned officer as auditor to audit the funds. Upon completion of the audit, the auditor will execute a certificate in the same form as that provided in the sample 1st Indorsement (Appendix A).

(5) Disposition of Cash and Securities of funds other than hospital funds - Except when otherwise provided under paragraph (6) below, the following procedure will be observed:

(a) When the auditor has completed the 1st Indorsement (sub-paragraph (4) above) the custodian will withdraw the entire balance remaining on deposit in any bank in the theater by drawing a check payable to the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA. Any balance remaining on deposit in the United States will be transferred for the account of the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA. To accomplish the transfer, the custodian of the fund will correspond with the bank in which the balance (\$) is on deposit, with request that the funds be transferred to the Fiscal Director, Army Service Forces, Washington 25, D.C., for deposit to the credit of the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA. Any US Treasurer's checks or Postal Money Orders will be

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indorsed or converted so that they may be deposited by the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA. Checks, Money Orders, evidence of transfers, securities, and receipts for securities, together with any currency on hand, will then be transmitted to the Commanding Officer of the installation (see sample 2d Indorsement, Appendix A).

(b) The Commanding Officer of the installation will transmit the currency through Finance Department channels for the account of the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, or exchange it for a US Treasurer's Check made payable to the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA. He will then transmit by the safest possible means, all checks, money orders, securities, receipts for securities, and evidence of transfers, to the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA (see sample 3rd Indorsement, Appendix A).

(c) The Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, will acknowledge receipt on the carbon copy of the letter of transmittal, and return it to the Commanding Officer originating the 3rd Indorsement for filing with the fund records.

(d) Closing of Bank Accounts - Bank accounts will be closed as prescribed in (a) above, and the custodian will obtain final bank statements or make arrangements so that they will be sent to the Commanding Officer of the installation effecting the demobilization to be filed with the fund records.

(6) In accordance with the provisions of letter, this headquarters, file AG 123/514 IG -0, subject "Funds of Inactivated Units", dated 8 June 1945, and with any further instructions which may be issued by this headquarters, Inspectors General and Air Inspectors are authorized to modify the requirement of paragraphs (5)(a) and (b) above, that cash and securities remaining in the fund be transferred to the Theater Central Welfare Fund.

(7) Disposition of Cash and Securities of Hospital Funds.- Cash and securities remaining in funds of numbered medical units which have been accounted for as hospital funds, will, upon inactivation of the units concerned, be transferred to the Central Hospital Fund, Office of the Surgeon General, War Department, Washington 25, D. C., and not to the Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA. Unit funds of such units will be transferred to the Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, in accordance with sub-paragraph (5) above.

d. Commanders of installations effecting the demobilization of organizations or units are charged with the following responsibilities:

- (1) Insuring the execution of the procedures prescribed herein.
- (2) Appointing an auditor who will make the required audits of the funds.
- (3) Providing a salvage liaison officer who will assist in disposing of property.
- (4) Providing such other facilities and assistance as are necessary.

e. Funds of National Guard Organizations - After receipt from the National Guard Bureau through War Department channels of a notification identifying and

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giving the particular National Guard origin of an organization or unit being demobilized in the theater, the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, will transmit the net worth of the organization's or unit's fund, less a reserve for debts and contingencies, to the Army Central Welfare Fund, War Department Washington 25, D. C., as soon as practicable and not later than one (1) year after the demobilization of the organization or unit.

f. Upon discontinuance of the theater, or at such other time as may be directed by the War Department, the funds in the Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, will be transferred to the Army Central Welfare Fund, War Department, Washington 25, D. C.

4. Disposition of Mail

u. When orders are received directing the demobilization (inactivation or disbandment) of a unit, the Commanding Officer of the unit will prepare NAP Form 11 for each member of the unit, including all personnel who have been members of the unit during the past 60 days, showing the unit to which he was or will be transferred. The completed forms will be delivered not later than the demobilization date to the postal officer of the APO serving the unit.

b. All personnel of the unit will be required to notify their emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers of their new unit and APO address on WD AGO Form 971 as soon as it is known, but not sooner than 20 days before the date set for demobilization of the unit.

c. Official and other mail received by the Army Postal Service for demobilized (inactivated or disbanded) units addressed to the unit commander or unit, as distinct from individuals, will be forwarded to the next higher headquarters of the unit. That headquarters will open such mail and take local action when appropriate. Mail which cannot be acted upon locally will be forwarded through channels, with a statement that the unit has been disbanded overseas, until a headquarters is reached where action can be taken.

d. NAP Forms 11, WD AGO 971 and 971-1 are available at all Army Post Offices.

q. All orders issued in the theater directing the demobilization of units in the theater will contain an appropriate reference to the mail instructions contained in the foregoing.

5. Disposition of Organization Property

a. Property will be disposed of in accordance with Section VII, paragraph 35 RR 1-6, 16 February 1945, MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 6, and these instructions.

b. Property required for other purposes may be withdrawn from units upon order of major command commanders, except minimum essential housekeeping equipment.

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c. All property on hand at time of demobilization will be cleaned and turned in to nearest base depot, unless otherwise directed. AAF Technical Supplies (including equipment) will be turned in to the nearest appropriate Air Force Depot.

d. All educational text materials drawn by units for use in the Army Education program will be disposed of as indicated in Section VI Redeployment Circular Number 8, "Army Education Program."

6. Disposition of Organizational Records - Records will be processed in accordance with provisions of paragraph 37 RR 1-6, 16 February 1945, AR 345-10, and War Department Circular Number 416, 1944.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

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APPENDIX "A" to Hq AFMUSA Redeployment Circular #3

SAMPLE LETTER FOR TRANSMITTAL
OF NON-APPROPRIATED FUND

SUBJECT: Disposition of Fund of Demobilized (Organization or Unit).

TO : (Commanding Officer of Installation Responsible for Demobilization).

1. Following is a listing of securities and receipts for securities, and a final financial statement showing the financial status of the (official designation of fund), as of _____, the date of demobilization.

a. Securities and receipts for securities.

Complete Title	Exact Inscription	Issue Date	Serial No	Denomi- nation	Purchase Cost	Face Amount
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Securities:

Receipts for Securities:

b. Final Financial Statement.

ASSETS:

Cash on hand (including checks and money orders) \$ _____
 Cash in AFA Account # _____ in Bank of _____, ITALY _____
 Cash in (Bank), (City), (State), _____

TOTAL

2. I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above statement is complete and an accurate record of the status of the (official designation of fund), all outstanding liabilities have been paid, and all property has been disposed of and accounted for in conformity with (cite applicable regulation.)

(Signature) _____
 (Name) (Serial Number) _____
 (Grade) _____
 (Official Designation of Fund) _____
 Custodian

Approved:

(Signature and grade of each member of council or board. State what members absent, if any).

(NOTE: Letter prepared in quintuplicate; all signed and given to auditor.)

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1st Ind

(Address and Date)

TO: Custodian, (Official Designation of Fund)

1. I have examined the above fund for the period from (date of last audit) to (date of demobilization) and in my opinion, subject to comments stated below the final financial statement appearing above is correct and the transactions for the above period are proper.

2. Comments:

(Signature) _____
(Name) (Serial Number) _____
(Grade) _____
Auditor

(NOTE: All copies to be signed; original and three copies given to custodian; one copy sent by auditor to Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA)

2d Ind

Custodian, (Official Designation of Fund). (Address), (Date).

TO: (Commanding Officer of Installation Responsible for Demobilization).

Transmitted herewith are the following:

Cash (currency)

US Treasurer's Checks

US Postal Money Orders

Check No. _____ (Bank), (Place), Italy, made payable to custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA which reduces this account to zero

Securities and receipts for securities, as listed in basic communication.

Evidence of instructions to transfer to the Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, balance on deposit in the (Bank), (City), (State), amounting to

TOTAL

\$ _____

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(Signature) _____
(Name, (Serial Number) _____
(Grade) _____
Custodian

____ Incls:
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(Note: Original and three copies all signed and forwarded to installation commander. Installation commander will receipt one copy and return it to the commander of the organization or unit).

3d Ind

Headquarters (Installation Responsible for Demobilization).
(Address). (Date).

TO: Custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, Office of the Fiscal Director, MTOUSA, APO 512, United States Army.

In compliance with (cite applicable regulation), the items enumerated in 2d Indorsement are transmitted. (Check#_____. Treasurer, United States Symbol_____, for \$_____ has been substituted for the currency.) (The currency is being transmitted for your account through Finance Department channels as evidenced by the inclosed (describe papers)).

For the Commanding Officer:

(Signature)
(Name)
(Grade)
Adjutant

Incls
w/d 1 Incl - No_____ (currency)
added 1 Inc - (Treasurer's Check) (evidence of transfer instructions)

(Note: Original and one copy to custodian, Theater Central Welfare Fund, MTOUSA, one copy to Headquarters' Records).

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APPENDIX "B" to Hq MTCUSA Redeployment Circular #9

SUGGESTED CHECK LIST FOR DEMOBILIZING AUTHORITIES

1. Are elements to be disbanded, inactivated, or discontinued specifically directed by unit designation?
2. Is the date of disbandment, inactivation, or discontinuance indicated?
3. Is housing available at the station at which each element is to be disbanded, inactivated, or discontinued?
4. Is the station of demobilization indicated in each instance of disbandment, inactivation, or discontinuance?
5. Is the commander taking the action indicated in each instance of disbandment, inactivation, or discontinuance?
6. Have elements with Negro personnel been indicated by an asterisk (*)? (See AR 220-5.)
7. Is appropriate direct communication authorized commanders of elements to be disbanded, inactivated or discontinued?
8. Have agencies, to be informed of the action taken, been furnished copies of the directive of disbandment, inactivation or discontinuance?
9. In emergency cases, wherein disbandment, inactivation, or discontinuance must be accomplished on short notice, have appropriate agencies been alerted by electrical communication?
10. Has action been appropriately classified as to security measures?
11. Has a liaison officer been appointed by the commanding officer of the installation at which the element is demobilized to expedite the disposition of fund property?
12. Have element commanders been directed to turn over element funds as audited?
13. Have instructions with regard to the disposition of official and personal mail been complied with?
14. Has action been taken to transfer all personnel rendered excess by the demobilization to other units or the proper Replacement Depot for disposition?
15. Are station supply facilities and personnel adequate to receive and process equipment turned in?
16. Have elements been directed to clean and to turn in all equipment, except individual equipment being retained to the appropriate base section depot?
17. Have element commanders been directed to comply with paragraph 6, MTCUSA Redeployment Circular Number 9?
18. Have element commanders been directed to complete element records?
19. Have element commanders been directed to list, box and ship element records to the prescribed records depositories?

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APPENDIX "C" to Hq MTOUSA Redeployment Circular #9

SUGGESTED STEPS TO BE TAKEN BY THE COMMANDING

OFFICER OF A UNIT BEING DEMOBILIZED

1. Steps to be taken by Commander of a Category IV or Overhead Unit being demobilized in this theater:
 - a. Accomplish the reassignment of personnel to other units as directed by the major commander.
 - b. Check clothing and equipment to be retained by the individual.
 - c. Receive clothing and equipment to be turned in.
 - d. Complete the individual records accompanying non-required personnel to Replacement Depot and forward them with group leaders in accordance with Section VII, RR 1-2, 15 September 1944 (See para. 11b (1) and (2), RR 1-6, 16 February 1945.)
 - e. Complete the individual records accompanying any personnel whose ARSC scores are below the critical score being moved in accordance with the desires of the major command concerned. (See para. 11b (1) and (2), RR 1-6, 16 February 1945).
 - f. Clean and turn over organizational equipment to the appropriate base section Depot.
 - g. Dispose of unit funds and fund property in accordance with paragraph 3, MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 9.
 - h. Dispose of organizational trophies in accordance with Section VII, RR 1-6, 16 February 1945.
 - i. Dispose of and report unit records in accordance with paragraph 6, MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 9.
 - j. Clear and inspect unit quarters.

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UNIT COMMANDERS' GUIDE FOR OVERSEAS MOVEMENT
OF CATEGORY IV UNITS

MTOWSA Redeployment Circular Number 15, dated 16 June 1945, is amended as follows:

Paragraph 8b (4) is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"(4) 'Required' personnel as defined in paragraphs 3a and c, MTOWSA Redeployment Circular Number 2, 20 May 1945. Such personnel will be cleared from Category IV elements in accordance with paragraph 5e (2), MTOWSA Redeployment Circular Number 2, 20 May 1945."

Paragraph 8c (3) is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"(3) Personnel attending Army Education Program schools, except 'non-required' personnel attending a particular course of study in accordance with paragraph 3e, MTOWSA Redeployment Circular Number 8, and Change No. 1, thereto, 13 June 1945, who will be reassigned to a Category IV element within the major command."

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Paragraph 8b (4) is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"(4) 'Required' personnel as defined in paragraphs 3a and c, HTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 2, 20 May 1945. Such personnel will be cleared from Category IV elements in accordance with paragraph 5e (2), HTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 2, 20 May 1945."

Paragraph 8c (3) is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"(3) Personnel attending Army Education Program schools, except 'non-required' personnel attending a particular course of study in accordance with paragraph 3e, HTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 8, and Change No. 1, thereto, 18 June 1945, who will be reassigned to a Category IV element within the major command."

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UNIT COMMANDERS' GUIDE FOR OVERSEAS MOVEMENT OF CATEGORY II UNITS

MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14, 1945, is amended as follows:

1. Paragraph 11k, Section III, is added as follows:

"k. Packing of equipment will be completed by the Immediata Readiness Date specified in the Movement Order, except as indicated below:

- (1) In order that units may retain their organizational equipment for training purposes as long as practicable, Base Sections will inform the major command, and the major command will inform the unit commander, of any deferment made possible by delays in availability of shipping or other circumstances which develop subsequent to issuance of movement orders". (A)
(B)

2. Paragraph 36g, Section VIII, is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"g. Each unit being redeployed direct to another theater will have in its possession two (2) sets of current locator cards from the machine records unit (or statistical control unit) servicing the unit. One (1) set will remain with the organization; the other will be delivered to the Theater Postal Officer upon arrival in Overseas Theater or Command." (A)

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

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UNIT COMMANDERS' GUIDE FOR OVERSEAS MOVEMENT
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WFOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14, dated 13 May 1945, and Change Number 1 thereto, dated 24 May 1945, are rescinded and the following substituted therefor. Paragraphs containing changes or new material are marked by an asterisk. In addition Appendices "A", "B", "C", and "D" have been added.

I -- GENERAL

1. Purpose - The purpose of this circular is to assist unit commanders of Category II units in the prompt and systematic preparation and movement of their units to the United States and other theaters. Unit Commanders will be furnished any other instructions from the War Department or this headquarters, which may be pertinent.

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2. Information

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a. In order to indicate clearly the responsibilities of the unit commanders of units being shipped direct to another theater and of those being shipped to the United States, the paragraphs of this circular which apply to units being shipped direct to another theater are indicated in the right hand margin by the letter 'A' and the paragraphs which apply to units being shipped to the United States are indicated by the letter 'B'.

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b. For information only there are attached as Appendix "A" and Appendix "B" the forms of status reports which the major commands are required to accomplish.

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c. For information only there are attached Appendix "C", "Organizational Equipment Flow Chart for units redeployed direct to another theater", and Appendix "D", "Organizational Equipment Flow Chart for units redeployed through the United States".

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MCUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14, dated 13 May 1945, and Change Number 1 thereto, dated 24 May 1945, are rescinded and the following substituted therefor. Paragraphs containing changes or new material are marked by an asterisk. In addition Appendices "A", "B", "C", "D", "E", "F", "G", "H", "I", "J", "K", "L", "M", "N", "O", "P", "Q", "R", "S", "T", "U", "V", "W", "X", "Y", "Z", "AA", "AB", "AC", "AD", "AE", "AF", "AG", "AH", "AI", "AJ", "AK", "AL", "AM", "AN", "AO", "AP", "AQ", "AR", "AS", "AT", "AU", "AV", "AW", "AX", "AY", "AZ", "BA", "BB", "BC", "BD", "BE", "BF", "BG", "BH", "BI", "BJ", "BK", "BL", "BM", "BN", "BO", "BP", "BQ", "BR", "BS", "BT", "BU", "BV", "BW", "BX", "BY", "BZ", "CA", "CB", "CC", "CD", "CE", "CF", "CG", "CH", "CI", "CJ", "CK", "CL", "CM", "CN", "CO", "CP", "CQ", "CR", "CS", "CT", "CU", "CV", "CW", "CX", "CY", "CZ", "DA", "DB", "DC", "DD", "DE", "DF", "DG", "DH", "DI", "DJ", "DK", "DL", "DM", "DN", "DO", "DP", "DQ", "DR", "DS", "DT", "DU", "DV", "DW", "DX", "DY", "DZ", "EA", "EB", "EC", "ED", "EE", "EF", "EG", "EH", "EI", "EJ", "EK", "EL", "EM", "EN", "EO", "EP", "EQ", "ER", "ES", "ET", "EU", "EV", "EW", "EX", "EY", "EZ", "FA", "FB", "FC", "FD", "FE", "FF", "FG", "FH", "FI", "FJ", "FK", "FL", "FM", "FN", "FO", "FP", "FQ", "FR", "FS", "FT", "FU", "FV", "FW", "FX", "FY", "FZ", "GA", "GB", "GC", "GD", "GE", "GF", "GG", "GH", "GI", "GJ", "GK", "GL", "GM", "GN", "GO", "GP", "GQ", "GR", "GS", "GT", "GU", "GV", "GW", "GX", "GY", "GZ", "HA", "HB", "HC", "HD", "HE", "HF", "HG", "HH", "HI", "HJ", "HK", "HL", "HM", "HN", "HO", "HP", "HQ", "HR", "HS", "HT", "HU", "HV", "HW", "HX", "HY", "HZ", "IA", "IB", "IC", "ID", "IE", "IF", "IG", "IH", "II", "IJ", "IK", "IL", "IM", "IN", "IO", "IP", "IQ", "IR", "IS", "IT", "IU", "IV", "IW", "IX", "IY", "IZ", "JA", "JB", "JC", "JD", "JE", "JF", "JG", "JH", "JI", "JJ", "JK", "JL", "JM", "JN", "JO", "JP", "JQ", "JR", "JS", "JT", "JU", "JV", "JW", "JX", "JY", "JZ", "KA", "KB", "KC", "KD", "KE", "KF", "KG", "KH", "KI", "KJ", "KK", "KL", "KM", "KN", "KO", "KP", "KQ", "KR", "KS", "KT", "KU", "KV", "KW", "KX", "KY", "KZ", "LA", "LB", "LC", "LD", "LE", "LF", "LG", "LH", "LI", "LJ", "LK", "LL", "LM", "LN", "LO", "LP", "LQ", "LR", "LS", "LT", "LU", "LV", "LW", "LX", "LY", "LZ", "MA", "MB", "MC", "MD", "ME", "MF", "MG", "MH", "MI", "MJ", "MK", "ML", "MM", "MN", "MO", "MP", "MQ", "MR", "MS", "MT", "MU", "MV", "MW", "MX", "MY", "MZ", "NA", "NB", "NC", "ND", "NE", "NF", "NG", "NH", "NI", "NJ", "NK", "NL", "NM", "NN", "NO", "NP", "NQ", "NR", "NS", "NT", "NU", "NV", "NW", "NX", "NY", "NZ", "OA", "OB", "OC", "OD", "OE", "OF", "OG", "OH", "OI", "OJ", "OK", "OL", "OM", "ON", "OO", "OP", "OQ", "OR", "OS", "OT", "OU", "OV", "OW", "OX", "OY", "OZ", "PA", "PB", "PC", "PD", "PE", "PF", "PG", "PH", "PI", "PJ", "PK", "PL", "PM", "PN", "PO", "PP", "PQ", "PR", "PS", "PT", "PU", "PV", "PW", "PX", "PY", "PZ", "QA", "QB", "QC", "QD", "QE", "QF", "QG", "QH", "QI", "QJ", "QK", "QL", "QM", "QN", "QO", "QP", "QQ", "QR", "QS", "QT", "QU", "QV", "QW", "QX", "QY", "QZ", "RA", "RB", "RC", "RD", "RE", "RF", "RG", "RH", "RI", "RJ", "RK", "RL", "RM", "RN", "RO", "RP", "RQ", "RR", "RS", "RT", "RU", "RV", "RW", "RX", "RY", "RZ", "SA", "SB", "SC", "SD", "SE", "SF", "SG", "SH", "SI", "SJ", "SK", "SL", "SM", "SN", "SO", "SP", "SQ", "SR", "SS", "ST", "SU", "SV", "SW", "SX", "SY", "SZ", "TA", "TB", "TC", "TD", "TE", "TF", "TG", "TH", "TI", "TJ", "TK", "TL", "TM", "TN", "TO", "TP", "TQ", "TR", "TS", "TT", "TU", "TV", "TW", "TX", "TY", "TZ", "UA", "UB", "UC", "UD", "UE", "UF", "UG", "UH", "UI", "UJ", "UK", "UL", "UM", "UN", "UO", "UP", "UQ", "UR", "US", "UT", "UU", "UV", "UW", "UX", "UY", "UZ", "VA", "VB", "VC", "VD", "VE", "VF", "VG", "VH", "VI", "VJ", "VK", "VL", "VM", "VN", "VO", "VP", "VQ", "VR", "VS", "VT", "VU", "VV", "VW", "VX", "VY", "VZ", "WA", "WB", "WC", "WD", "WE", "WF", "WG", "WH", "WI", "WJ", "WK", "WL", "WM", "WN", "WO", "WP", "WQ", "WR", "WS", "WT", "WU", "WV", "WW", "WX", "WY", "WZ", "XA", "XB", "XC", "XD", "XE", "XF", "XG", "XH", "XI", "XJ", "XK", "XL", "XM", "XN", "XO", "XP", "XQ", "XR", "XS", "XT", "XU", "XV", "XW", "XX", "XY", "XZ", "YA", "YB", "YC", "YD", "YE", "YF", "YG", "YH", "YI", "YJ", "YK", "YL", "YM", "YN", "YO", "YP", "YQ", "YR", "YS", "YT", "YU", "YV", "YW", "YX", "YY", "YZ", "ZA", "ZB", "ZC", "ZD", "ZE", "ZF", "ZG", "ZH", "ZI", "ZJ", "ZK", "ZL", "ZM", "ZN", "ZO", "ZP", "ZQ", "ZR", "ZS", "ZT", "ZU", "ZV", "ZW", "ZX", "ZY", "ZZ".

I - GENERAL

1. Purpose - The purpose of this circular is to assist unit commanders of Category II units in the prompt and systematic preparation and movement of their units to the United States and other theaters. Unit Commanders will be furnished any other instructions from the War Department or this headquarters, which may be pertinent.

2. Information

a. In order to indicate clearly the responsibilities of the unit commanders of units being shipped direct to another theater and of those being shipped to the United States, the paragraphs of this circular which apply to units being shipped direct to another theater are indicated in the right hand margin by the letter "A" and the paragraphs which apply to units being shipped to the United States are indicated by the letter "B".

b. For information only there are attached as Appendix "A" and Appendix "B" the forms of status reports which the major commands are required to accomplish.

c. For information only there are attached Appendix "C", "Organizational Equipment Flow Chart for units redeployed direct to another theater", and Appendix "D", "Organizational Equipment Flow Charts for units redeployed through the United States".

*d. Appendix "E" is a check list of principal actions required by unit commanders of Category II units being redeployed directly to another theater. Appendix "F" is a check list of actions required by unit commanders of Category II units being redeployed through or being returned to the United States.

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2. Instruction - Instruction in the provisions of this circular will be given units by Major Commands. It will be made practical and will include instructions in packing, marking, and loading of equipment. (A)
(B)
(C)

4. Definitions

a. "Unit", unless otherwise qualified, is a group of individuals together with its authorized equipment, designated by a shipment number and letter (code designation). Normally this will apply to a regiment, a group, a squadron, a separate battalion, a separate company (or similar organization) or a detachment. (A)
(B)
(C)

b. Impediments is a general term covering all baggage, equipment, and supplies which pertain to a particular unit and which either have been shipped by it or have come under its control for further shipment. (A)
(B)
(C)

c. "Similar commands" includes the commanding generals and commanding officers of major commands in MTOUSA. (A)
(B)
(C)

d. "Base Section" includes Peninsular Base Section and Adriatic Base Command. (A)
(B)
(C)

e. "Authorized allowances of equipment" include that equipment specified by applicable T/E, T/O & W, or Special Lists of Equipment authorized by the War Department, as modified by Movement Orders. (A)
(B)
(C)

f. "Port area", "port of embarkation", and "aerial port of embarkation" are synonymous. (A)
(B)
(C)

g. "Staging area" is an area in the vicinity of a port and under the command of the base section commander, where troops are assembled prior to embarkation. Staging Airdromes. Those airdromes designated by, and under control, of the Commanding General, AAF/MTO at which air echelons will stage prior to proceeding by air to another theater or Zone of the Interior. (A)
(B)
(C)

h. Assembly or Training area, is the station at which the unit is located physically while being processed and/or trained prior to movement either to the staging area or port of embarkation. (A)
(B)
(C)

i. The "call" is the order from the base section commander or Commanding General, AAF/MTO directing movement to the port. It includes the date and time the unit and the equipment accompanying or shipped by the unit will arrive at the port. Exact destination within the port area is also included. (A)
(B)
(C)

j. "Readiness date" is that date by which the unit will be prepared for movement to the port. When impediments are to precede personnel an "Impediments Readiness Date" and a "Personnel Readiness Date" will be included in the warning or movement order. (A)
(B)
(C)

k. "Initial arrival date" is that date by which the port will be prepared to receive shipments of supplies, other than impediments and equipment to fill shortages. (A)
(B)
(C)

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1. "Minimum essential equipment" is the minimum needed by a unit to preserve its integrity during movement, without regard to the performance of its combat or service mission. As used in movement orders, it refers only to four types of equipment, each of which is defined and limited as follows and includes those items listed in Appendix "C" for units proceeding direct to another overseas theater and Appendix "D" for units proceeding to the United States. (A, B, C)

(1) (a) "Clothing and individual equipment" for units proceeding direct to another overseas theater is that authorized in T/E 21 (with modifications shown in the movement order), including officers' trunk lockers (or barrack bags), hand baggage, and bedding rolls. (A)

(b) "Clothing and individual equipment" for units proceeding to the United States is that authorized by and within allowances stated in WD Circular Number 72, 1945, (with modification shown in movement order). (B)

(2) Organizational equipment normally issued to individuals (A & B)

(3) Administrative equipment includes the minimum equipment and records required for carrying on the routine administrative affairs of the unit. (A, B)

(4) Bivouac equipment includes the necessary equipment for establishing an emergency bivouac. (A, B)

m. MTCUSA Movement Orders (referred to herein as "movement orders") are the instructions issued by the theater commander to headquarters in command echelons directing the preparation and movement of troops according to the provisions of the WD Movement Directive. (A, B)

n. Unit Commanders shortage lists

(1) Unit commanders shortage lists are the reports submitted to this headquarters by units scheduled for direct redeployment specifying the shortage of units concerned. The form and method of submission of these shortage lists will be in accordance with policies prescribed herein. (A, B, C)

*o. Appropriate Supply Agency as used in this circular will be considered as Air Force depots for supplies peculiar to the Air Forces and Base Depots for Ground Force supplies and supplies common to both the Air Forces and Ground Forces. (A, B, C)

5. Application

a. This circular is an integral part of movement orders for Category II units and all instructions contained herein are applicable unless specific exceptions are contained in the movement orders. In case of conflict between the movement order and other current instructions including this circular, the provisions of the movement order will govern. (A, B, C)

6. Objectives - To insure that units arrive at destination in the very best condition possible, commanders are responsible for initiating necessary action to complete personnel, equipment, and training of units according to the sequence below: (A, B, C)

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Determination of required quantities and standards

Inspection to ascertain suitability for overseas service

Elimination or rehabilitation of that found to be unsuitable

Determination of shortages not available locally

Report of shortages to agencies responsible for corrective action (A)

Follow-up to insure that proper corrective action is taken (B)

Maintenance of records to show complete status at all times (B)

II--PROCEDURES - PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT

7. Warning Orders - For the purpose of initiating the processes hereinafter prescribed, warning orders may be issued. These orders are issued through command channels and alert the unit for actual movement only when such action is specifically directed therein. (A)
(B)

8. Movement Orders - Headquarters, MTCUSA, publishes the basic theater movement order, in accordance with priorities established by the War Department for the movement of units to the US or other theaters. Distribution of the basic movement order will be made to all interested agencies, including the Base Sections in which unit is located. (A)
(B)

9. Action to be taken concerning personnel without delay upon receipt of warning or movement orders.

a. Warning - AN 22.

(1) Every individual of the unit will be advised of the last sentence of the 23th Article of War, reading as follows: "Any person subject to military law who quits his organization or place of duty with the intent to avoid hazardous duty or to shirk important service shall be deemed a deserter". (A)
(B)

(2) It will be then explained that entrainment or embarkation for duty overseas is considered important service within the terms of the 23th Article of War and that any person absenting himself without leave for the purpose of avoiding such entrainment or embarkation is guilty of desertion in time of war, the extreme penalty of which is death, and all lesser penalties for which are severe and involve forfeiture of rights of citizenship. (A)
(B)

*b. Medical Requirements

*(1) The standards of physical and mental qualifications for overseas service as set forth in WD Circulars Numbers 102 and 164, 1944 as amended and as further amended in paragraph (2) below or their current revisions, will be used as a guide. In considering physical fitness for further overseas service, due consideration will be given to the manner in which the individuals have performed their military duties. The removal of trained personnel for other than definitely disqualifying conditions is a flagrant example of wastage of military manpower.

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and training and is destructive alike to the morale of the individuals and to the efficiency of the units. Therefore, great care will be exercised in arriving at a decision that personnel are physically disqualified for further overseas service. Pending revision of WD Circulars 102 and 164, 1944, personnel who have performed their duties satisfactorily but who ordinarily would be disqualified under the provisions of the circulars referred to above will accompany their units unless they have defects which are subject to complication or aggravation by further overseas service. For the purpose of determining whether or not they meet the qualifications specified above, and in order to establish the physical profile serials of male personnel required by RR 1-1, and in compliance with the provisions of Circular Number 68, this headquarters, 1945, a screening type physical examination will be made on all individuals who are to be redeployed. Detailed instructions for conducting this examination are outlined in Appendix "E". This examination will be supplemented by appropriate special examinations and laboratory procedures when indicated by the medical history or physical findings. Remediable minor defects, disclosed by the above examination, will be corrected according to current policies prior to embarkation but this action will not serve to delay the movement. All personnel found physically or mentally unfit will be cleared from the unit in accordance with current instructions. Personnel found below the physical standards for further overseas service as indicated above and who do not require hospitalization in the United States will not be overcasted as patients. The requirements for embarkation on any type of transportation are set forth in AR 615-250.

(A & B)

*(2) For the purpose of this document and pending revision of the circulars referred to in (1) above, paragraph 1c (6) WD Circular Number 102, 1944 and paragraph 4a (1), WD Circular Number 164, 1944 are amended to read:

(A
(2
(B)**Neuropsychiatric.**

*(a) Psychiatric - Disqualifying defects including psychoses, marked degrees of psychopathic personality, marked mental deficiency, chronic disabling psychoneurotic disorders, and the history of a definite psychosis. Psychopathic personality, and psychoneuroses of mild and moderate severity, or a definite history of such, while not in themselves disqualifying, place such individuals in a borderline group. The decision in such cases will be made on the basis of consideration of the following features:

- *1. The severity or duration of the symptoms.
- *2. The type and degree of external stress precipitating the symptoms (Imminence of departure for overseas, domestic difficulties, recent debilitating physical disorders, serious job misassignments.)
- *3. The individuals basic personality strength and nature of previous adjustment and performance.
- *4. The actual impairment of the individual's functional capacity.

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*(b) Neurologic - All moderate or severe neurological disorders will be excluded from overseas assignment. (Inconsequential paralysis such as those residuals from a mild poliomyelitis or lesions of

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the cranial or peripheral nerves not likely to interfere with military duties and certain variations clearly within psychological limits such as minor tremors will not be excluded from overseas assignments.)

*(3) Identification Tags of all individuals will show blood type, basic tetanus immunization, and when applicable, stimulating dose. (see AR 40-210 and AR 600-35). (A) (2) (B)

*(4) Service Records - Except when data are entered on WD AGO form 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data and the form filed with Service Record, the following data when applicable will be entered on the Service Records: (See TM 12-230) (A) (2) (B)

*(a) Record of all immunizations.

*(b) Prescription and other data concerning eyeglasses, glasses, masks, MI, and spectacles as required in WD Pamphlet 8-5.

*(c) Date of insertion and brief description of artificial dentures.

*(d) Statement of hyper-sensitivity to sera, vaccine or drugs.

*(5) Immunization Registers (WD AGO form 8-117, Immunization Register or WD AGO form 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data. (A) (2) (B)

*(a) All data directed in (3) and (4) above will be entered in WD AGO form 8-117 of all personnel when the form is available and new entries are necessary.

*(b) When prepared WD AGO form 8-117 will be furnished to each individual and a copy retained with an enlisted individual's Service Record WD AGO form 24 or the officers or warrant officers qualification card, WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3.

*(c) Each individual officer or enlisted man will carry on his person a properly authenticated Immunization Register.

*(6) Immunization in conformity with current War Department instructions will be accomplished as follows: (A) (2) (B)

*(1) Routine Immunizations

* 1. Smallpox and typhoid-paratyphoid revaccinations if more than one year has elapsed since initial vaccination or the last stimulating dose.

* 2. Administration of single stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid if no previous stimulating doses have been given and more than one year has elapsed since the initial series of three injections. No further stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid will be given unless the individual is wounded, injured or there is other clinical indication.

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*(b) Special Immunizations - Typhus, cholera, yellow fever (10 days or more prior to arrival at endemic area) and plague immunization will be accomplished in accordance with current War Department directives for movement to or through the area concerned (see AR 40-210 TB Med 114). Special immunizations are not required for units being redeployed via the US except where prescribed by the War Department for land areas to be traversed enroute to the US. Thus for troops returned directly to the US by water via the Atlantic, immunization for cholera, yellow fever and plague is not required.

*(c) Immunizations will be accomplished as prescribed by MTOUSA Circular Number 6, 1945, and will be completed prior to embarkation except where there is insufficient time, in which case provisions will be made to complete the immunization enroute. In the case of individuals whose records of immunization are not available, new immunization registers will be prepared. Lacking evidence to the contrary, the individual's statement will be accepted that the initial smallpox vaccination and initial series of triple typhoid vaccine (paragraph 10, AR 40-210), and the initial series of such special immunization (paragraph 11, AR 40-210) as are required by the War Department for service in the area being departed have been completed. However, when record of tetanus immunization is not available the initial series of tetanus toxoid will be initiated unless contra-indicated by sensitivity. Acceptable evidence of sensitivity will be absence of record of tetanus immunization on the identification tag, or in the absence of the identification tag, the allegation of sensitivity by the individual.

*(7) Movement of Individuals with Venereal Disease

*(a) Individuals with Venereal Disease being moved by water (A transportation will be processed as follows: (& (B

*1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis lymphogranuloma venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be detained and treated prior to embarkation (See TM Med No. 106, 11 October 1944 and any supersessions thereto and circular letter Number 4 Office of the Surgeon, MTOUSA dated 25 January 1945).

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*2. Individuals with gonorrhea, uncomplicated and individuals with an undiagnosed urethral discharge will be embarked. Whenever possible, treatment should be initiated prior to embarkation and continued if necessary while aboard ship (see TM Med No. 96, 21 September 1944 and any supersessions thereto.) A list of such individuals requiring treatment aboard ship will be provided the Transport Commander. These individuals will be placed aboard ship in such manner as to facilitate their identification and treatment.

*(b) Individuals with venereal disease being moved by air transportation will be processed as follows:

*1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis,

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lymphogranuloma venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be treated prior to movement by air.

- * 2. Individuals with gonorrhea should be asymptomatic and bacteriologically negative (smear or culture prior to transfer) (see TB Med No. 96, September 1944, TB Med No. 106, October 1944 and any supersessions thereto).

* (c) Where applicable WD MD form 78 (Syphilis Register now designated as WD AGO Form 8-114) of personnel transferred will be forwarded as prescribed in AR 40-210 and changes thereto, with individual records and other allied papers, and the individual concerned will carry on his person a copy of WD MD form 78a, as prescribed in TB Med 3.

* (8) Individuals requiring spectacles under current policy will be refracted if the prescription is not available or satisfactory. Notation of the spectacle frame measurements and the need for gas mask inserts will be added to the prescription. The prescription and data referred to above will be entered in the service record or WD AGO form 8-117 when available. A copy of the prescription and data including a notation of the number of additional spectacles needed for each individual will be attached to the list required in paragraph (10) below. It is in addition important that the individual concerned have a copy of his prescription on his person in order to facilitate the replacement of lost or broken spectacles. (A) (B)

* (a) Every effort will be made to provide each individual requiring spectacles with two serviceable pairs to be carried on his person and to provide eyeglasses, gas mask, M1 prior to overseas movement. However, the lack of eyeglasses, gas mask, M1 or of a second pair of spectacles will not be sufficient cause to prevent the movement of an individual. (A)

* (b) Individuals requiring spectacles but who have none in their possession will be issued one pair only. (B)

* (9) All necessary dental treatment, from health and functional standpoint, will be provided military personnel prior to their transfer from one theater of operations to another. This dental treatment shall consist of dental correction of all class I cases as outlined in AR 40-510, including Change 1, and as far as practicable correction of class II cases. Other remediable minor physical defects disclosed by the above examination will be corrected according to current policies whenever practicable, prior to embarkation. Action to correct minor defects will not serve to delay the movement. (A) (B)

* (10) A list of unit personnel indicating the name, grade, serial number and physical profile serial in the case of enlisted personnel will be prepared. Where remediable defects have not been corrected the type defect will be indicated on the list (include visual and dental defects indicated in paragraphs (8) and (9) above). Prescriptions for spectacles, frame measurements, number of spectacles required under current policies and the need for gas mask inserts will be attached to the list for individuals who do not have in their possession two (2) pairs of spectacles and/or need gas mask inserts. Three copies of this list will be provided the detachment commander, see paragraph 35.

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- * (11) Unit Commanders will comply with paragraph 17, PR 1-2 and will have prepared and delivered to transport commanders within 48 hours before embarkation a pre-embarkation health certificate substantially the same as provided for in Appendix VIII, PR 1-2. (A) (B)
- * (12) Arrival at the port of embarkation will be presumptive evidence of acceptable physical condition of personnel of the unit concerned. (A) (B)
- c. Personnel to be Cleared from Units and Reassigned Within the Major Command except when otherwise provided for herein. (A) (B)
- (1) Those whose Adjusted Service Rating scores are equal to or above the critical score and whose services are not required to the unit, subject to the restrictions in paragraph 6d, PR 1-1, and PR 1-5. (A) (B)
- (2) Officers recommended for reclassification. Such personnel will be transferred to the 7th Replacement Depot and complete papers forwarded to this headquarters. (A) (B)
- (3) Officers who have been recommended for relief from active duty under the provisions of WD Circular 485, 1944, and MFOUSA Circular Number 15, 1945. (A) (B)
- (4) Officers over age in grade will be cleared from combat units. See WD Circular 6, 1944. (A) (B)
- (5) Enlisted personnel whose discharge is determined to be warranted under current regulations. (A) (B)
- (6) Limited assignment personnel in combat units where appropriate assignment does not exist within the unit. (A) (B)
- * (7) Personnel not physically qualified for further overseas service and not requiring hospitalization. Personnel requiring hospitalization or medical treatment which cannot be given on board ship or in the field at the new overseas destination, and personnel who are already in hospitals, will be transferred to the appropriate detachment of patients before departure of the unit for the Staging Area and disposed of in accordance with MFOUSA Circular Number 84, 1945. (A) (B) 4972
- (8) Applicants for officer candidate school who have been selected to attend a specific officer candidate school or personnel who have been notified by the War Department, Navy Department, or Coast Guard Headquarters of their nomination as candidates to attend USMA, USNA, or USCGA prior to receipt of movement orders by the unit. (A) (B)
- (9) Personnel awaiting trial or result of trial by general courts-martial. Such personnel will be transferred to the organization designated by the commander of the major command to which the unit is assigned at the time of receipt of movement orders by the unit for appropriate disposition. (A) (B)
- (10) Personnel in units under movement orders, who are under investigation for subversion or disaffection. (A) (B)

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(11) Absentees (AWOL's) will be dropped in accordance with the provisions of MPOUSA Circular Number 9, 1945. (A)

(12) Personnel in excess of strength authorized by theater movement orders. See paragraph 30 below. (B)

(13) Officer and enlisted personnel attending schools outside this theater, unless otherwise directed. (A)

(14) Personnel of Japanese ancestry from units shipped direct to Asiatic or Pacific Theaters. (B)

d. Personnel Not to be Cleared from Units - Personnel in the categories listed below will accompany their units: (A)

(1) Disciplinary cases in which discharge is not authorized. (A & B)

(2) Inefficiency or ineptitude cases in which discharge has not been authorized. (A)

(3) Garrison prisoners. (A & B)

(4) Officers over-age in grade who are properly assigned to service units, and limited assignment personnel who are properly assigned to the unit under existing policies. (A)

(5) Aliens, except those transferred under the provision of paragraph 9c above. (B)

(6) Officers and enlisted personnel attending schools other than Officer Candidate Schools in this theater. (A)

(7) All other personnel not specifically designated in paragraph 9c above. (B)

e. Leaves and Furloughs are encouraged and will be granted under current theater policy, where time permits, prior to departure for the staging area. Leaves, or furloughs will not be granted after the unit arrives at the staging area. (A)

f. Requisitioning personnel to fill vacancies

(1) Category II elements redeployed direct to another theater will requisition personnel to fill to T/O strength plus the overstrength authorized by paragraph 30. (A)

(2) Category II elements redeployed through the US will requisition personnel to fill to T/O strength only. (B)

(3) First priority in filling requisitions will be given units in (1) above. (A)

g. Customs Clearance - The inspections and forms necessary for speedy customs clearance in the United States will be accomplished in accordance with WD Circular Number 335, 1944, as amended by Section IV, WD Circular

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Number 31, 1945 and Section III, WD Circular Number 75, 1945.

10. Action to be taken in equipping units

* a. Primary responsibility for completeness and combat serviceability of clothing, supplies, and equipment rests at all times with the unit commander. All items will be properly cleaned and repaired to the maximum extent possible consistent with the capabilities of the Unit. (A) (& (E)

* b. Category II units being redeployed directly to another theater will be completely equipped in accordance with the latest authorized War Department T/O and E and/or SLOC and MTOUSA organizational discretionary items available from theater stocks (except those designated for Arctic use). Clothing and individual equipment for theater of destination will be as prescribed in T/E 21 and as modified in MTOUSA Movement Order. Basic loads for maintenance and depot companies (non-organic) will be shipped as prescribed in MTOUSA Movement Order. The minimum essential equipment accompanying these units will be listed as in Appendix "C". All items will be combat serviceable. (A)

Procedure - Immediately upon notification of a unit being placed under Movement Orders, the procedure outlined below will be followed: (A)

(1) Unit will determine its equipment and clothing status by means of a showdown inspection. From this inspection the showdown shortages will be determined and requisitioned through normal supply channels. Full use will be made of authorized substitutes. (A)

(2) Requisitions for showdown shortages will be compiled separately by each unit for each service. (QM, Ord, etc) on WD AGO Form 145 (AAF Form No. 102, Requisition for AAF Technical Supplies), so as to disclose for each item the following: (A)

(a) Number authorized.

(b) Number on hand, fully combat serviceable or which can be promptly placed in combat serviceable condition as determined with technical inspection personnel of the major command.

(c) Quantity required, i.e., the number of fully combat serviceable equipment required.

* (3) The unit commander will also prepare at the time designated by the major command a Unit Commander's Shortage List on forms indicated by Appendices F-1 and F-2. These lists will be prepared in quadruplicate and classified "Restricted". One copy will be retained by the unit commander and three forwarded to the major command. (Separate instructions for forwarding of Air Force units reports as directed by Commanding General, AAF/MTO.) Negative reports are desired. (A)

(4) Unit Commanders' Shortage Lists will be prepared separately for each service and contain the following information: (A)

(a) The unit designation and code designation of the unit as specified in Movement Order.

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(b) The basis for such equipment (T/E, T/O and E, SLOE, as specified in the Movement Order.)

* (c) The items of equipment short (except T/E 21 items) tabulated by supply service, and by critical and non-critical items as defined in WD Circular Number 100, 1945, or latest revision. Critical items are those items reported in accordance with the provisions of MTOUSA letter AG 400.192/650 D-O, 27 April 1945, subject: "Material in Hands of Troops and Ammunition Status and Expenditure Reports; or current revisions thereof. An asterisk will be used to designate shortages of discretionary items.

(d) Impediments readiness date (date when equipment will be ready to move to staging area).

(5) All items in excess of allowances authorized by MTOUSA Movement Order will be properly cleaned, repaired to maximum extent consistent with the capabilities of the unit and turned in to the appropriate supply agency through normal supply channels. (A)

(6) Requisitions will be signed and submitted through normal supply channels. (A)

(7) Status Reports - Appendices A and B are for the units information only. Status reports will be filled in and submitted by major commands. The purpose of a status report is to present to the War Department, the commanding general of the theater of destination and/or the major command concerned, information on the particular unit and an appraisal of the unit's ability to perform its primary mission in an active theater. (A)

* c. Category II units being redeployed through or returned to the US will be equipped only with minimum essential equipment (Appendix "E") based on the latest authorized WD T/O & E and/or SLOE unless directed otherwise in MTOUSA Movement Order. Clothing and equipment will be as prescribed in WD Circular Number 72, 1945, with modifications shown in Movement Order. Basic loads will be shipped as directed by this headquarters on Theater Shipping Documents based on War Department supply directives. (B)

Procedure

(1) Unit will determine its equipment and clothing status by means of a showdown inspection. From this inspection the showdown shortages will be determined and requisitioned through normal supply channels. (B)

(2) All items in excess of allowances authorized by MTOUSA Movement Order will be properly cleaned, repaired to maximum extent consistent with the capabilities of the unit and turned in to the appropriate supply agency through normal supply channels. (B)

* (3) After requisitions have been filled to the extent of availability, a final showdown inspection will be conducted by the major command at which time the "Report of Equipment Authorized for Return" will be prepared by the units on the form prescribed in Appendix F with the information listed below shown, WD Circular Number 73, 1945, may be consulted for additional details. (B)

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- (a) Organizational designation (or shipment number and letter.)
- (b) Number of table of organization and equipment of the unit, and changes thereto.
- (c) Items authorized for the return movement, using correct nomenclature of items.
- (d) Quantities authorized for the return movement (normally the authorized allowance of the item).
- (e) Quantities actually shipped.
- (f) Shortages by item. (Difference between allowances authorized for return and number of items actually returned).
- (g) Any pertinent remarks as to the status of any item.
- (h) Signature of unit commander.
- (4) Eleven copies of the Report of Equipment will be prepared by the unit commander. The unit will retain two (2) copies and forward nine (9) to the major command. Separate instructions for forwarding of Air Force units (1 reports as directed by Commanding General, AAF/MTO
- (5) It will be noted that only supplies and equipment required (B by the movement order will be listed in the above report.
- (6) Records of Individual Clothing and Equipment - Prior to departure, unit commanders will be responsible that all authorized items (B of individual clothing and equipment are entered on the Clothing and Equipment Adjustment Form in the manner prescribed in Section III, Circular Number 72, War Department, 1945. Individuals will be held responsible for all such items properly charged on clothing and equipment records.

III- PREPARATION OF INSTRUMENTS FOR SHIPMENT

11. Packing

a. Units being redeployed directly to another theater will be responsible for packing (or otherwise preparing for shipment) and marking their own baggage and equipment, except vehicles listed in Appendix 'D'. Standards (A of packing and processing will be in accordance with processing standards outlined in Appendix 'D'.

*b. Organizational equipment (less MEE accompanying the unit) for Army Air Force units will be type unit marked and shipped as type unit assemblies (Appendix S). All other units being redeployed to another theater through the United States, and units being returned to the United States will be responsible for the packing (or otherwise preparing for shipment) and marking of all organizational equipment accompanying the unit. In addition to the foregoing, units will pack such of the balance of organizational

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equipment as may be designated in instructions from Base Sections. In such instances all supplies and equipment will be combat serviceable. Base Sections will furnish units necessary additional instructions for packing, marking and delivery to appropriate depots. All equipment not packed by the unit will be complete, clean and serviceable to the extent of the availability of component items in current stocks and the repair facilities of the unit.

c. Vehicles

* (1) Ordnance vehicle processing installations will be operated (A) by Peninsular Base Section at Naples and Leghorn to process and pack all of (B) the following items shipped through those ports, except those processed at Air (C) Force installations in Caserta, in accordance with the standards listed in Appendix "L".

- (a) Combat vehicles.
- (b) Artillery weapons mounted on trucks.
- (c) General Purpose Vehicles, Trailers and Semi-trailers.

(d) All other trailers and semi-trailers and all other vehicles having an Ordnance or commercial type automotive chassis, including such vehicles peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance. Any equipment peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance, which is mounted upon any of the vehicles or trailers designated above, will be processed for overseas shipment by the organization and/or service concerned prior to the delivery of such vehicles or trailers to the vehicular processing line.

(2) A similar vehicle processing installations will be operated (A) by the Commanding General, AAF/MTO at an Italian East Coast port, to process (B) and pack all items listed in (1) above that accompany Air Force units ship (C) from that port and all Air Force technical and special purpose vehicles otherwise shipped from that port, in accordance with the standards listed in Appendix "L". Appropriate instructions will be issued by the Commanding General, AAF/MTO.

* (3) A similar vehicle processing installation will be operated (A) by the Commanding General, AAF/MTO at Caserta, to process and pack Air Force (B) technical and special purpose vehicles shipped from Naples in accordance with (C) the standards listed in Appendix "L". Appropriate instructions will be issued by the Commanding General, AAF/MTO.

(4) It will be the responsibility of the unit commander to (A) deliver all such equipment on hand to the vehicle processing installation as (B) directed by the Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, or the Commanding (C) General, AAF/MTO. All equipment delivered by the unit will be cleaned and in proper condition for processing and to comply with all on-vehicle or on-carriage equipment.

(5) At the time directed by the Commanding General, (A) Peninsular Base Section, or the Commanding General, AAF/MTO, the unit commander will furnish the necessary information for proper marking of this (B) (C)

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equipment delivered for processing and packing, or of equipment issued as replacement, and/or equipment issued to fill T/E shortages. The personnel delivering this information must also be prepared to accept and sign for items issued and obtain necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form to be submitted in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 12c.

d. Engineer Equipment

(1) Unit's major items of Engineer equipment will be prepared for overseas shipment at Engineer Processing and Packing installations (adjacent to ports of embarkation) to be designated by appropriate base section commanders. (A)

(2) Major Items of Engineer equipment for units being redeployed directly to another theater will be handled as follows: (A)

(a) Major commands will arrange with appropriate base section the schedule desired for delivery of unit equipment and accompanying unit personnel to the processing and packing installation and notify the unit commanders who will be responsible for the prompt dispatching.

(b) Equipment will be prepared for overseas shipment by the unit personnel, utilizing the special processing equipment and materials provided by the installation. Technical supervision will be provided by the base section.

(c) Unit personnel will be responsible for obtaining necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form to be submitted in accordance with provisions of paragraph 12c.

(3) Engineer equipment other than major items will be processed by the unit in accordance with processing standards outlined in Appendix 'L'. (A)

e. Insofar as possible, only items pertaining to the same Service (as QM, Ord, etc) will be packed in any one container. (B)

f. Machine guns mounted as armament for combat vehicles (tanks, scout cars, half-tracks, etc), radios and fire control equipment for these vehicles, will normally be dismounted, boxed, and secured, together with their accessories, to their respective combat vehicles, after proper preparation for shipment. No other equipment that is not a component part of the vehicle will be packed on the vehicle. All machine guns on vehicles other than combat vehicles and all accessories therefor, together with the tripod mounts authorized for their use, will normally be dismounted, securely packed, and shipped as organizational freight. (A)

g. No other equipment will be packed in any case containing weapons or their accessories. (B)

h. Explosives, inflammable materials, or other dangerous articles will not be packed or shipped with organizational impediments as freight or baggage except that inflammable materials such as paint, shellac, varnish, and (A)

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cleaning materials for use during the voyage or immediately after debarkation, may be shipped if packed separately from other materials. Field ranges, water heaters, fuel containers and other articles of a similar nature in which gasoline is customarily used or stored will be completely drained of gasoline and fuel tanks and lines aired before being boxed or crated for overseas shipment. Authorized components of medical kits will not be considered as inflammable material. Shipments of items of Engineer explosives authorized units will be governed by the provisions of Section III, War Department Circular 30, 1945.

1. Wherever possible, two (2) copies of each publication pertaining to the operation, list and end echelon maintenance, and applicable parts list will be packed with the major item of equipment to which it pertains in such manner as to insure against separation or loss by careless handling, pilferage, or damage by water.

2. Packing lists will be prepared as prescribed in paragraph 12. When packing lists are required, each will be inserted in a waterproof envelope. One envelope will then be placed inside each package and two will be securely attached to the outside of each package in the most protected location. One of the outside packing lists will normally be protected by means of a covering plate or cross strip. This covering plate will not be removed nor the list disturbed prior to arrival overseas.

12. Preparation of Records Concerning Shipments

a. Packing Lists - The unit will prepare separate packing lists for each package showing the contents (as described below), except for packages containing only one item or identical items. In such instances the contents will be shown on the outside of the package. No packing lists will be prepared for personal baggage.

(1) Packing lists will include the unit's shipment number and letter, the point of origin, the package number, the set number (if any) of the package, and a list of the contents of the package. Under no circumstances will packing lists contain information which will in any way indicate the destination of the shipment or where its contents will ultimately be used.

(2) The lists will identify contents by authorized standard nomenclature. In addition, the lists will show quantities, sizes and other pertinent information in sufficient detail so that each article can be replaced item for item. Make, model and serial number of Engineer Equipment will be shown on packing list.

(3) When the contents of a package can be identified by an equipment set designation, such as "Unit Equipment, 2nd Echelon Tool Set No. 1" or "Black and White Process Printing Equipment No. 1635", each item thereof need not be listed, although missing items will be indicated.

(4) On a package whose contents should not generally be known, for example, drugs, intoxicating liquors, etc., the outside packing list will contain the information prescribed in (1) above, except that it will not include a list of the contents of the package. However, the inside packing list will include a list of contents.

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(5) Packing lists will be prepared in the following minimum quantity:

(a) By the unit commander:

- One (1) for inclosure within the package
- Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package
- Six (6) for attachment to Consolidated Packing List (see paragraph 12b (5) below)

(A)
(B)
(B)

(b) By shippers, other than the unit commander:

- One (1) for inclosure within the package.
- Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package

b. Consolidated Packing Lists

(1) Consolidated Packing Lists will be prepared for each company or similar organization, or any smaller organization assigned a shipment number and letter for impediments accompanying the unit to the staging area or ports. (See Appendix "G" for model form). The commander of each unit assigned a shipment number and letter will insure that Consolidated Packing Lists are prepared for companies or similar organizations in his unit. Such lists will show each package shipped by the units separately in numerical order by package number. When there is a break in the numerical sequence of package numbers, an entry to this effect will be made in the Consolidated Packing List in the space where the omitted package numbers would appear if there had been no break in the numerical sequence. This entry will be started in the column headed "Package No." and continued horizontally across adjoining columns of the Consolidated Packing List (as "packages numbers A21 - A24 not used"). The Consolidated Packing List will include those packages for which no packing list is required (see paragraph 12a) except personal baggage, which will be shown by quantity of types of baggage only. Property worn or carried by individuals and hand baggage will not be included in the Consolidated Packing List. Weight and cube, set number and other pertinent data will be shown.

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(2) A description of the contents of each package (except personal baggage) will be indicated in the appropriate column of the Consolidated Packing List. For Packages requiring no packing list, quantities and exact nomenclature will be shown. Entries covering packages containing inflammables will include the word "INFLAMMABLE" (in capital letters) after the package number.

(A)
(B)
(B)

(3) The columns on the extreme right of the Consolidated Packing List are for entry of the specific freight car, truck and vessel upon which each package is shipped. It is essential that these columns be properly filled in.

(A)
(B)
(B)

(4) At least seven (7) copies of the Consolidated Packing List for each company or similar organization will be prepared. Six (6) copies will have packing lists attached. Packing lists need not be attached to the seventh copy. One (1) copy with packing list attached will be retained by the company

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or similar organization commander. The remaining six copies will be delivered (A
to the unit commander. The unit commander will assemble the copies received (A
from each company or similar organization in his unit into six sets. He will (B
distribute these sets as follows:

(a) The set without packing lists attached (completed (A
through the column headed "Date Shipped" only) will be sent by expeditious (A
means to the port commander on the date the unit's equipment is shipped from (A
the training area.

(b) Three sets will be sent as expeditiously as possible (A
to the representative (if any) of the unit commander at the port or will be (A
delivered to him prior to his departure from the training area. If there is no (B
unit representative these copies will be sent by expeditious means to the (B
port commander.

(c) The unit commander will retain two sets. These will be (A
completed so as to show data concerning rail or truck shipments, if possible, (A
before the unit leaves the training area. Prior to the unit's departure from (A
the training areas, one of these sets, completed as far as practicable, will be (B
sent to the unit representative, if any, at the port otherwise to the port com- (B
mander. The unit commander will bring the remaining set to the port unless it
does not contain complete information concerning shipment from the training area.
In this case it will be left at the training area for completion by a designated
representative by the unit commander. It will be sent to the unit commander at
the port when completed.

(d) The planned establishment and operation by the Air Force (A
of Intransit Depots for controlling the movement of Air Force organization (A
equipment may change the channels of distribution of certain items described (A
herein. The local movement instructions will specify any such changes. In any (B
event, the ultimate preparation and presentation of documents to Theater Trans- (B
portation and Port officials will be as prescribed herein.

(5) Procedure at the port - The unit representative will complete (A
all of his copies of Consolidated Packing Lists to show data concerning ship- (A
ment to and from the port. If early departure of the representative makes this (B
impossible, or if there is no representative of the unit, the port commander (B
will complete the forms. In either case, copies will be distributed as in-
dicated below.

(a) One (1) up-to-date copy will accompany the first over-
seas shipment of impedimenta.

(b) One (1) up-to-date copy will be in the possession of
the unit commander or his representative during movement overseas.

(c) Three copies will remain at the port. The port com-
mander will send one (1) completed copy to the unit commander at overseas
destination, if the last echelon of the unit was forced to depart prior to
obtaining complete data as to ships upon which impedimenta were loaded.
However, these loading data may preferably be sent by radio whenever a brief
statement gives the information desired.

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c. The unit commander will insure that promptly upon being ordered to move, Shipping Data Form, see Appendix "J", is accomplished and one (1) copy forwarded immediately to Chief of Transportation, MTCUSA.

13. Marking

a. Shipment Number and Letter - It is imperative that all organizational type impediments be so marked that it can be easily identified by all handlers (A and carriers as well as by the unit. Therefore, all containers shipped by or (B for the unit will be plainly marked (stenciled) on three surfaces with the unit's shipment number and letter in figures at least two inches high wherever practicable. The shipment number and letters will be marked (stenciled) in prominent places on packages which will not be boxed or crated, such as howitzers, guns, vehicles, five-gallon water cans, shovels, etc. For this and other markings proscribed herein, a black or other contrasting paint (not chalk) will be used on all packages.

b. "TAT" and yellow disc markings - All packages of minimum essential equipment (except personal baggage) and such organizational equipment as may be directed by the MTCUSA movement order to accompany troops overseas will be marked "TAT" and encircled in red, following the shipment number and letter, as R1234-B-TAT (encircled in red). Equipment marked "TAT" is intended to be loaded aboard a vessel carrying the troops. Property which must be accessible during the voyage will be additionally marked with a 3-inch yellow disc near shipment number. Thus, a package which is to accompany troops aboard ship, and which must be accessible during the voyage, will be marked R1234-A-TAT, (encircled in red), and will also be marked with a 3-inch yellow disc. (A) (B)

c. Package number - In addition to the shipment number and letter, each package (except personal baggage) will be marked with an identifying "package number". Package numbers are made up of a number or a letter and a number. They are used to trace packages through the staging area and/or port and aboard ship, to prepare ship's manifest and similar transportation reports, and to check shipments received at destination. Package numbers will be placed on the three surfaces of each container on which the shipment number and letter are marked. The package number identifies the package; therefore tactical markings or other identifying devices will not be used unless specifically requested by commanders of divisions, separate brigades, combat commands, combat teams, similar separate organization commanders or higher organization commanders and authorized by this headquarters. If used, these designs will contain nothing which will indicate unit designation. 4967

d. For Shipments by the Units - Normally package numbers will be assigned in sequence, but the numerical sequence may be broken when it is deemed necessary. In case there is such a break in the sequence, notation to that effect with a record of the missing numbers will be made in the Consolidated Packing List. Packages of minimum essential equipment will be marked with a series of package numbers. The letter part of the package number will be an identifying letter generally as outlined in paragraph 15f (3), AR 850-5. For example, if the shipment number of the 5th Infantry is R1234-A, the accompanying equipment of Company H of the 5th Infantry would bear the marking R1234-A and would be marked additionally H1, H2, etc. Letters especially assigned for the purpose may be used for organization having lengthy or special designations:

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Thus, Headquarters Company, 5th Infantry, might use the identifying letter "Y", while Headquarters, 5th Infantry, might use "H". Packages to be loaded aboard the same ship with troops of the unit concerned will also be marked "IAT" as provided in subparagraph h, above. For marking of organizational equipment, see Appendix I.

g. Blue stripes for AAF equipment - Organizational impediments of AAF (A units ordered overseas will be marked with identifying numbers and letters as indicated in subparagraph 13a above, and additionally as follows: The shipment (B number and letter will be underlined with a blue line approximately two inches wide.

f. Weight and cube - Accurate weight to the nearest pound and volume (A to the nearest cubic foot will be stenciled on one surface to each package (B except personal baggage) on which the shipment number and letter also appears. (B

e. Contents will be indicated on packages (except personal baggage) below the weight and cube as follows:

(1) When no packing list is required for packages of identical (A items (see paragraph 11a) contents will be stenciled on one surface of the con- (B tainer in sufficient detail to identify the contents accurately. (For example: (B range, field, M1937, 1 unit; or 48 bundles, pick, railroad).

(2) Each package containing mixed contents will be stenciled on one surface with information as to the principal items, or the general nature of the contents (for example: office supplies).

(3) Contents will not be stenciled on containers when the nature (A of the contents should not be disclosed (see paragraph 12a (4)). (B

(4) Packages containing inflammables, except medical kits, will (A be stenciled on two surfaces to indicate the contents, as for example: PAINT, (B ENAMEL, LACQUER, SPILLAGE, CLEANING MATERIAL, PRESERVING MATERIAL. (B

*(5) Special Signal Corps packaging and/or processing of a box or crate will be indicated on at least two sides thereof by a special designation as follows: (A

Moisture and fungi proofed - MFP and Date (B

Corrosion proofed - CP (B

Vapor proof packed - VPP (B

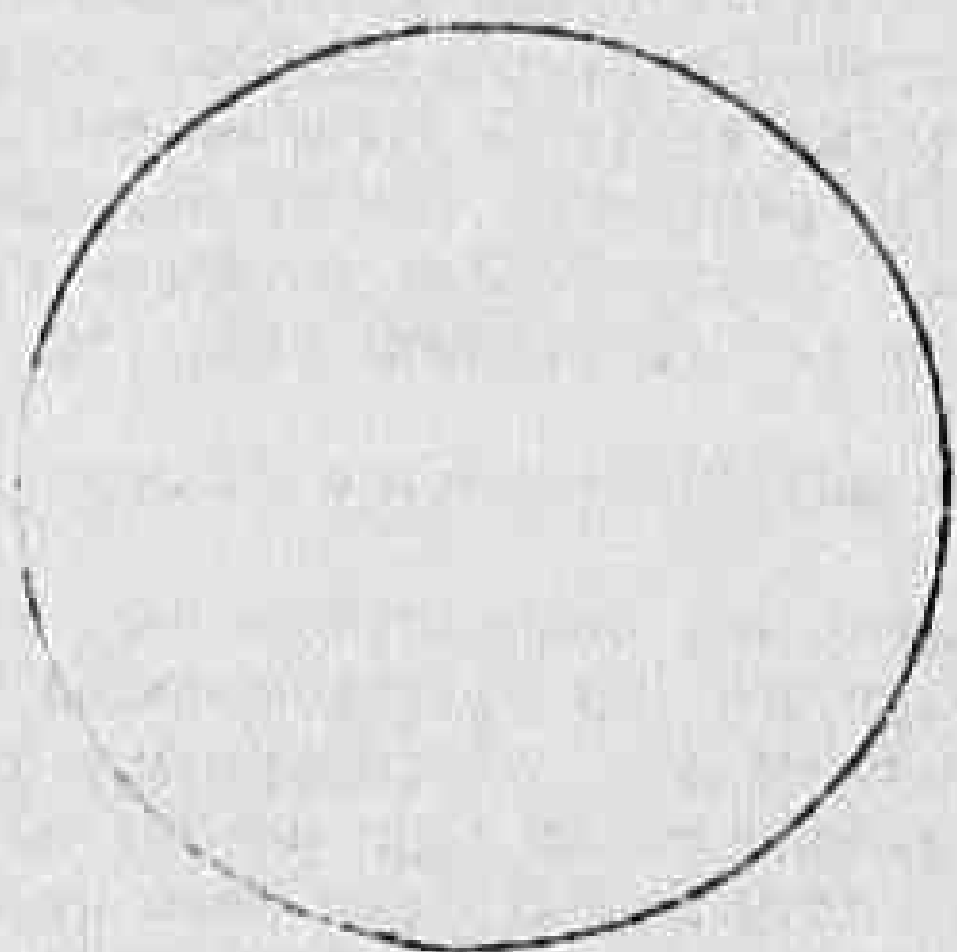
h. Tactical markings and corner colors - Tactical markings or ident- (A ifying devices, if authorized (see 13c above), may be placed near package (B numbers. Corner of packages (containers, of organizational equipment shipped (B by or for units will not be colored, since that type of marking is reserved for shipments of supplies made to overseas depots.

i. Red disc and marking - When a pet is placed in two or more con- tainers all packages containing component parts must be shipped together. In

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such instances, each package will bear, in addition to its own package number, a 2-inch red disc signifying that the package is part of a set. Under this disc will be stenciled the word "SET", followed by the number of the set within the shipment. Under this set number will be stenciled two numbers in the form of a fraction, the numerator of which will indicate the serial number of the container within that particular set, and the denominator the total number of containers making up the set. Thus, a package which is the second of a group of 4 making up a SET 26 would be marked as shown below. The set marking will be placed on a surface upon which the shipment number and letter are stenciled.



(Painted 2" Red Disc) (A)
(B)
(B)

SET 26
2/4

j. Marking of vehicles and mobile equipment - See paragraph 17d and AR 850-5. (A)
(B)
(B)

k. Marking of personal baggage for overseas movement - Personnel baggage (duffel bags, flying bags, trunk lockers, hand baggage and bedding rolls) will be stenciled, using lead paste (paint) with the individual's full name, (first name, middle initial and last name), full serial number, grade in case of officers, and the appropriate shipment number and letter. Officer's trunk lockers will be marked on at least three surfaces. Duffel bags will be marked as shown in Appendix H. Articles of personal baggage will not be assigned package numbers but will be marked with the identifying letter assigned the individual's organization for use in package numbers. This identifying letter (or letters), approximately two inches in height, will be placed immediately below the shipment number and letter on bedding rolls, trunk lockers, hand baggage, and duffel bags. (A)
(B)
(B)

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l. Individual items of clothing and equipment will be marked as prescribed in AR 850-5. (A)
(B)
(B)

(1) Marking of special items of personal equipment - Prior to departure from the training area, the owner's name and ASN will be clearly marked on cameras, flashlights, electric razors, and all other individually owned electrical items. Such articles may be collected before boarding ship and returned to the owner upon arrival overseas. (A)
(B)
(B)

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IV-- SECURITY

14. a. All personnel will be acquainted with the provisions of Section (A) VIII, AR 380-5 (Safeguarding Military Information) and WD TC 99, 1942 and will (& be given adequate instruction in security, pursuant to paragraph 3, Section I, (B of that Circular.

b. Unit Commanders will be held responsible for the packing and (A safeguarding in accordance with AR 380-5, of classified documents and for (E the general security conditions of any camp or station vacated. Prior to (B departure, all classified documents and/or material not accompanying the unit or shipped elsewhere, will be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of para- graphs 32, 54 and/or 60 of AR 380-5.

15. a. Unit commanders are enjoined to take all possible precautions to (A prevent civilians from obtaining knowledge of the pending movement or its (E destination. (B

b. Local currency will be exchanged for United States Yellow (A Seal dollars prior to embarkation. (E

c. Cameras - Unit Commanders will insure that cameras will not be (A accessible to personnel while they are aboard the vessel. (B

d. Any cases of leakage of information regarding troop movements (A will be investigated immediately and the facts reported to the Theater Com- (E mander. (B

16. Intelligence - Upon receipt of warning orders, each commander of (A a unit which does not already have an intelligence officer will designate an (E officer, or senior NCO, if no subordinate officer is in the unit, as represen- (B tative for intelligence. Within twenty-four hours after arrival at a staging (A area, the representative for intelligence will report to the Intelligence Officer of the staging area for instructions.

17. Special instructions for units being redeployed directly to Far East.

a. Unit commander will make every effort to insure that information (A concerning names of organizations, route, names of ships, port of embarkation or sailing date is not discussed with or allowed to reach persons whose official (E duties do not require specific knowledge of the movement. A list of personnel (B whose duties require detailed knowledge of the movement will be prepared by (A each headquarters and dissemination of the information limited to those whose names appear on such list. Persons concerned with the movement but who are not on the list will be given only sufficient information to enable them to perform their duties.

b. Individuals will not, communicate by telephone, mail, radio or (A telegraph, with anyone, or notify anyone of the time of arrival at any station (E along the route, except as may be necessary to the administration or successful (B completion of the movement.

c. Upon receipt of movement orders unit mail censorship will be

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immediately placed in effect. Any references to the future operations of the (A)
unit, the pendency of its movement or its destination will be deleted.

* d. Removal of Markings and Identifications

(1) Unit commanders will remove or effectively obliterate (A)
before departure for a staging area or port of embarkation all army, corps,
divisional, separate brigade, regimental, separate battalion and similar unit
organizational designations and markings from all baggage, property and equipment.

(2) Only the following identifying marks will be left on vehicles (A)
and other mobile equipment shipped on wheels to accompany the unit to the
new theater.

(a) US Registration Number

(b) Shipment number and letters

(c) National symbol

(d) Tactical markings, if proscribed by proper authority.

(3) Colors and standards, distinguishing flags and unit guidons (A)
will be turned in to unit supply officers for safekeeping during movement
to new overseas destination.

18. Special instructions for units returning to the United States

a. Necessary steps will be taken to maintain the secrecy of infor-
mation concerning (1) port of embarkation, (2) Date of departure, (3) name
of vessel, (4) Identity of other units included in the movement, and (5) port (B)
of destination in the United States. Such details will be disseminated only
to those individuals to whom it is essential for the performance of their duties.

b. Personnel will not have in their possession any unauthorized (1) (B)
photographs or sketches, (2) classified allied or enemy documents, (3) classi-
fied allied or enemy materiel, or (4) uncensored mail.

c. All personnel will be advised that, following their return to (B)
the United States, they must obtain clearance from a US Public Relations Office
before publicly lecturing upon or publishing any matters of security interest
concerning their experiences or activities while in the army. 4965

d. All personnel will be advised of the necessity of continuing
security measures and specifically informed that, following their return to
the United States, they are not to discuss:

(1) Operations where the individual saw such operations from
division headquarters or above.

(2) Cryptographic systems.

(3) Classified equipment and materiel.

(4) Locations of any organization at the present time.

(5) Opinions as to future unit operations and locations.

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V --- MOVEMENT TO THE PORT AREA

19. Assistance - Unit commanders will promptly seek advice from Base Section or AAF/ATO transportation officers in all matters pertaining to troop movements or freight shipments by rail or motor vehicles when either warning or movement orders are received. They will furnish such advance information as may be required by Base Section or AAF/ATO transportation officers for obtaining routing and for making proper arrangements for rail transportation. After requirements have been furnished to Base Section or AAF/ATO transportation officers, they will make all necessary arrangements for securing equipment, supervision of loading, preparation and forwarding necessary reports, etc. Air Force units will deal with AAFSC/ATO (Movements and Transportation Section) which will in turn deal with Base Section transportation officers, except as AAFSC/ATO may direct Air Force units to deal directly with Base Sections.

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20. Time of Movement - The unit and its impediments will be dispatched to the Staging Area so as to arrive there at the time specified by the Base Section commander, or AAFSC/ATO H & Tn Section, regardless of progress made in filling shortages of organizational equipment and personnel.

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(B)21. Special Instructions Concerning Shipment of Impediments

a. Shipments on flat cars - If material is loaded on flat cars, special provision must be made for train guards, as prescribed in paragraph 8, AF 55-155, with changes. The port commander concerned will take positive action to insure that such guard personnel is returned to its organization in the staging area, or at destination; whichever action circumstances indicate to be expedient.

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b. The unit commander will promptly furnish the Base Section transportation officer or AAFSC/ATO H & Tn Section with the following information after loading:

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(1) Shipment number and letter used in marking

(2) Detailed lists showing for each car used the initials and car number, with the identifying marks of all packages and the estimated weight and cubage loaded therein.

c. Records - It is essential that the unit commander know at all times the location of all items of unit impediments. To this end, complete and accurate records of all containers and their contents must be maintained including packing lists, consolidated packing lists, tally-outs, etc., together with a record of the cars or motor vehicles in which they are shipped.

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22. Command - Upon arrival in the staging area, units pass to the control of the Base Section Commander, or appropriate AAF/ATO Commander.

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23. Miscellaneous References - AR 55-130, Transportation of Troops and Other Groups, General; AR 55-145, Transportation of Troops, Entaining, Duties on Route, and Detraining; AR 55-155, Transportation of Public Property; AR 55-390, Overseas Movement of Organization, Casuals and Individuals on Army Transports; WD Circular 400, 1944, Troop Train Ration; WD Pamphlet 20-7, Troop Train Commander's Guide.

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VI -- INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO BAGGAGE AND LOADING OF EQUIPMENT ABOARD SHIP

24. Baggage

a. All individuals will pack or carry their belongings so that articles considered necessary during the voyage and immediately thereafter will be readily available.

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b. Baggage of officers, warrant officers, etc.

(1) Baggage of each officer, warrant officer and flight officer will be limited to the following not to exceed 175 pounds. Additional weight as necessary is authorized in movement orders for flying clothing and equipment in the case of personnel on flying status traveling by water:

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1 Trunk locker (duffel bag may be substituted at option of individuals concerned)

1 Bedding roll (not over 50 lbs)

1 Piece of hand baggage, or for personnel on flying status, 1 B-4 bag (not over 40 lbs)

1 Field or musette bag

1 Bag, flyer's, medium, Type A-3 for flying equipment (for personnel on flying status traveling by water)

(2) General officers will be allowed one additional trunk locker or wardrobe trunk.

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(3) Officers will have only the piece of hand baggage (or B-4 bag) and the field or musette bag in their staterooms. As a general rule, bedding rolls and trunk lockers will not be accessible during the voyage.

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(4) In addition to items authorized in (3) above, chaplains will be permitted to carry with them in their staterooms a Mass Kit or Communion Set.

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c. Baggage of enlisted men - all grades - Enlisted personnel will be limited to individual equipment and one duffel bag or for personnel on flying status, one B-4 bag. The duffel bag or B-4 bag must travel with the unit, preferably in the hands of the owner. Barrack bags, if authorized for the movement, will be carried in the duffel bag en route. (Personnel on flying status are authorized, in addition to the above, one bag, flyers' kit, type A-3, not to exceed the weight authorized in movement orders. This bag will not normally be accessible during the voyage). Each enlisted individual is authorized not more than 7 pounds of personally owned items and recreational equipment to be carried on his person or in his baggage. (See paragraph 21 and Circular 344, WD, 1944, regarding authorization for shipment, as organizational equipment, of additional individually owned recreational equipment, including radios).

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d. Itemized Baggage List (IBL) - For all personnel moving overseas by air - Items of AAF clothing and equipment to be carried as hand baggage by all individuals authorized such equipment will be issued to AAF personnel on flying status. Other personnel authorized AAF clothing and equipment will be issued such items prior to departure for new overseas destination. This AAF clothing and equipment will be restricted to the clothing and equipment listed in appropriate sections of Itemized Baggage List prescribed in movement orders. Movement orders for travel by air to new overseas destinations prescribe the applicable itemized Baggage List which specifies the items of clothing and individual equipment which are required to be taken with enlisted individuals, and are recommended to be taken by officers. Clothing and equipment to be carried as hand baggage by all individuals traveling by air to new overseas destinations will include the items prescribed in the Itemized Baggage List specified in the movement orders. Items of AAF clothing and equipment authorized individuals will be issued at home stations prior to movement to Staging Airframes or Staging Areas. (A) (B)

e. Disposition of Excess Baggage of Officers and Enlisted Personnel - Occasion may arise when the personal property of individuals on movement orders will exceed the prescribed weight allowances authorized above and cannot be taken overseas to new destination. In such cases disposition of excess baggage will be made according to the provisions of letter, AG 524 (18 Aug 44) and Theater implementations of subject letter. (A) (B)

f. Restricted Items - Unit commanders will furnish the port of embarkation with a certificate in triplicate stating that no explosives or inflammables are contained in items being shipped as hold baggage. (A) (B)

g. Documentation - The Commanding Officer of each shipment will prepare ten (10) copies of a baggage list for all hold baggage showing name of owner, grade, ASN and type of container. He will deliver nine (9) copies to the port of embarkation and keep one (1) copy on file. (A) (B)

*h. Hand Baggage will be carried by individuals. This baggage will be the only baggage available to the individual while on route; it will include all the items indicated in WD Circular Number 72, 1945, except that liner, helmet and mask, gas, equipped with eyeglasses, gas mask, M-1 will be packed and marked and shipped with the unit equipment. (B)

*i. Hold baggage will accompany personnel on the same vessel or in the same convey. This baggage will not be available to the individual at port of reception station, but will be shipped by the US port commander to the assembly station. This baggage will contain only those items not wanted while on route or on recuperation. (B)

*j. Unaccompanied baggage will be shipped separately from MPOUSA. Upon arrival in the United States, this baggage will be shipped at government expense direct from the port of debarkation to the place of recuperation or other address designated by the individual and will not be available to the individual at port or reception station. (B)

*k. All personnel will be informed of the provisions of par 24h, i, and j above in order that baggage will be packed accordingly. (B)

25. Loading of equipment and supplies accompanying troops aboard shipa. Individual Equipment

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(1) For Units Being Redeployed Directly - Individual weapons, steel helmets and gas masks will be in the hands of troops upon embarkation. Cleaning and preserving materials for individual arms will be loaded aboard ship so as to be available to each organization during the voyage. (A)

(2) For units being redeployed to or through the US, see appendix D for list of items to be packed by units. (B)

b. Sufficient ammunition for all individual weapons carried by the personnel who may be designated for guard duty during the voyage will be loaded aboard ship. (A)
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c. One (1) day's rations, Type V, per individual, unless otherwise directed by MHOUSA Movement Order will be loaded aboard ship so as to be readily available to troops. These rations will be issued to each individual prior to debarkation. (A)
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d. Mosquito control equipment (freon aerosol dispenser; insect repellent, bottle; bars, insect, field; head nets; mosquito gloves) which will be required on debarkation, will be loaded so as to be immediately available. When authorized for the movement, each individual will carry aboard ship and have available at time of debarkation, 1 bar, insect, field, and 1 bottle of insect repellent. (A)
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e. Tools which are to accompany troops aboard ship (see Appendix C) will be limited to those necessary for immediate and efficient operation of an emergency nature at destination. These tools will be selected from authorized T/E, T/O and E or SIOE. The tools selected will be processed, packed and marked as TAT equipment, and will be loaded aboard ship so that issue can be effected promptly at destination. (A)
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f. Covers, protective, and kit, cintment, protective, M5, and eye-shields will be carried in the gas mask carrier. Shoo impregnate will be carried in duffel bag of enlisted individuals and in the hand baggage of officers.

g. Maps - When prescribed by commander of theater of origin, sufficient copies of information and orientation maps of destination and adjacent area will be prepared in sealed packages for study en route. Maps will be loaded aboard transport so that they will be readily available during the voyage, but will not be delivered to unit commander until after sailing. (A)

h. Pets or mascots will not be taken aboard ship.

i. Electric razors will not be used aboard ship.

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VII - POSTAL REGULATIONS

26. Mail

a. Units moving direct to another theater

(1) When units and organizations move direct to another theater the personnel moving with the unit will continue to have their mail addressed to the address (unit and APO) used in this theater until arrival in the new theater and assignment of a new APO number and postmaster address. (A)

(2) The unit commander will prepare an MAP Form 11 for each person separated from the unit before departure from the theater including all personnel who have been transferred during the past 60 days, showing the unit to which he was or will be transferred. A Form MAP 11 will also be prepared (A)

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For each person added to the unit within 60 days prior to departure of the unit showing the unit address and APO number used by the unit in this theater. The completed cards will be delivered to the Postal Officer of the staging area prior to departure of the unit from the theater.

(3) All personnel transferred from the unit prior to departure of the unit from the theater will be required to notify their emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers of their new unit and APO address (A on WD AGO Form 971 as soon as it is known, but not sooner than 20 days before they are transferred from the unit.

*(4) Personnel transferred into the unit prior to departure from the theater will be required to furnish emergency addressee and all correspondents (not publishers) their complete address, that is, unit and APO address used by the unit in this theater, and advise publishers on WD AGO Forms 971-1 to discontinue mailing publications until further advised of a new address. (A

(5) Upon arrival in the new theater and assignment to the organization of a permanent APO number and postmaster, all personnel will be instructed to advise their emergency addressee, correspondents, publishers, and The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C. of their complete new address, using WD AGO Form 971 for that purpose. (A

b. Units moving to another theater through the United States:

(1) When units and organizations move to another theater through the United States, the unit commander will require each person who will move with the unit to complete an MAP Form 11 showing the home or other non-military address in the United States to which he desires his mail to be forwarded. If some personnel desire, they may indicate on the Form 11 that their mail should be returned to sender. Unit commander will collect and deliver the MAP Forms 11 to the Postal Officer of the staging area prior to the departure of the unit from the theater. (B

(2) All personnel who will move with the unit will be required to give immediate notice to emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers to discontinue mailing letters, parcels and publications until further advised as to new address. WD AGO Form 971-1 (V-Mail notice to correspondents and publishers) may be used for this purpose. However, when it is known at the time of the receipt of the movement orders that actual departure of the unit from the theater will be considerably delayed, the notice should not be sent until the approximate date is known. The notice should be sent 20 days before departure date when possible. (B

(3) The unit commander will prepare an MAP Form 11 for each person separated from the unit before departure from the theater including all personnel who have been transferred during the past 60 days, showing the unit to which he was or will be transferred. The completed cards will be delivered to the Postal Officer of the staging area prior to departure of the unit from the theater. (B

(4) The unit commander will take the action required by a (3) and a (5) above. (B

VIII - MISCELLANEOUS

27. Special Lists of Equipment - Normally the proper I/O, T/E or T/O & E applicable to the unit will be specified in the movement order. When a unit or any of its components has no approved T/E, Special Lists of Equipment will be promptly prepared as directed by the movement order. These (A
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Special Lists of Equipment will be distributed to the Unit Commander, the designated base section commander and to others concerned.

28. Disposition of Unit Records of Category II Units

a. Records of Category II units which are redeployed direct to another theater and those redeployed through the United States will be processed as follows:

(1) Prior to departure of the unit for the staging area, the unit commander will:

(a) Segregate organizational records and reference material to be taken to the new theater as prescribed in appendix "C", paragraph 8.

(b) Dispose of non-record material of the categories described in paragraph 3b, AR 345-10.

(c) List and box non-current records which are to be retired to storage as prescribed in paragraph 7a, b, and c, WD Circular 416, 1944, including the following:

1. Morning reports more than 6 months old.
2. Complete sick reports more than 6 months old.
3. Duty roster more than 3 months and less than 1 year old (older rosters will be destroyed).
4. Retained copies of pay-rolls and pay vouchers more than 6 months old. (Note: Does not apply to disbursing officers retained copies)
5. Non-current records, reports, orders, board proceedings, and unit correspondence, the destruction of which is not authorized and which have apparent future value (Historical reports and accompanying papers will be forwarded as required by AR 345-10).

(d) Non-current records of units to be retired to storage as provided for by paragraph b (1) (c) above, will be shipped in accordance with future directive, to be issued by this Headquarters, establishing a temporary records depot in this Theater.

29. Non-Required personnel in redeployed units - The personnel in all units being directly redeployed should be made to understand that even though circumstances may preclude the immediate release of personnel who might otherwise be considered as "surplus", the readjustment plan contained in War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-1 will be applied to them after arrival at their new overseas destination on the same basis as for other personnel at such destinations (see paragraph 6 and 7, RR 1-1).

30. Modification of Authorized Strength of Personnel and Allowances of Equipment

*a. Normally, redeployed units will move to new overseas destination at 3/0 strength, plus overstrength indicated below, unless modified by the War

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a(1) To compensate for normal attrition of personnel during movement, units will move to a new overseas destination with an overstrength not to exceed 2 percent. (A)

a(2) An additional overstrength equal to the number of key personnel whose ASAC score is equal to or above the critical score but who cannot be released by reason of operational necessity. However the total overstrength for any unit will not exceed 10% including that authorized by paragraph 2a(2) above. (A)

b. It is expected that redeployed units scheduled for direct movement to new overseas theater will be completely equipped with authorized allowances of equipment insofar as practicable prior to embarkation. The supply of shortages of such equipment will be effected in accordance with policies of the theater within policies prescribed by this publication. To facilitate identification of certain classes of equipment, the following categories of such equipment are established. War Department movement directives, and subsequent theater movement orders will provide for the disposition or method of movement of such equipment. (A)

(1) Air Observation Section Equipment includes the following equipment for Field Artillery units:

Field Artillery Liaison type airplanes and associated Organization Equipment List

Equipment used for their maintenance

Back, drop, message

Glasses, flying, sun (A)

Parachutes, complete for air observation section of Field Artillery Units.

(2) General Purpose Motor Vehicles - For purposes of overseas movement, the following are considered general purpose motor vehicles:

Car, 5 passenger, light

Car, 5 passenger, medium

Ambulance, 3/4 ton

Motorcycle (A)

Truck, 1/4 ton

Truck, 2 1/2 ton, cargo, or dump, with or without winch

Trailers, 1/4, 3/4 or 1-ton, cargo

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Truck, 3/4 ton, carryall, WC, command, w/ or w/o winch

Truck, 1 1/2 ton cargo, or dump, with or without winch

Truck, 4-ton, cargo

Trailers, 250 gallon, water

*Truck, 2 1/2-ton, cargo, SWB, with or without winch

*Truck, 2 1/2 ton, cargo, equipped with second echelon set. 77 and Ordnance Maintenance Sets which replace Ordnance Technical Vehicles are general purpose vehicles, but the sets will be removed, packed and shipped as organizational equipment, provided the set is included in authorized allowances of equipment.

*Truck, 2 1/2-ton, cargo, SWB, equipped with Transportation Auxiliaries, to serve as searchlight trucks are considered general purpose vehicles. Such Transportation Auxiliaries are considered a part of the vehicle and will not be removed should such trucks be turned in.

Note: General purpose vehicles of the type listed above which have been adapted to receive special equipment and have been issued as special equipment vehicles (as listed in TD Circular 240, 1944) will be considered special purpose vehicles. However, general purpose vehicles of these types loaned as general purpose vehicles and converted locally to accommodate equipment (such as kitchen ranges, radios, machine guns, equipment bins, etc.) will not be considered special purpose or special equipment vehicles.

(3) Combat or Special Purpose Vehicles - The following vehicles are considered combat or special purpose vehicles. Armament and accessories thereto will remain with the vehicles at all times provided they are combat serviceable. This applies whether such equipment is an integral part of the vehicles, included in authorized allowances of equipment for the vehicles, received on the vehicles, or listed in appropriate SRL. All types of the following vehicles are included:

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Car, scout

Car, Half-track (including mortar and personnel carriers)

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Car, armored

Carriage, motor, multiple gun

Carriage, multiple gun

Carriage, motor, gun or howitzer

Carrier, cargo (track laying)

Exploder, mine

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Tanks

Trailer, ammunition

Truck trailer, tank transporter

Vehicle, tank recovery

(4) Ordnance technical vehicles - The following vehicles are considered Ordnance technical vehicles and tools, accessories, and equipment pertaining thereto, as listed in appropriate SHL, will be considered as integral part of the vehicles:

Truck, artillery repair

Truck, electrical repair

Truck, general repair

Truck, instrument bench

Truck, machine shop (load A or B)

Truck, small arms repair

Truck, instrument repair (load A)

Truck, Signal Corps repair

(5) Medical assemblages are the medical components of organizational equipment, excluding organizational medical equipment normally issued to individuals, as listed in authorized allowances of equipment for General and Station Hospitals, Hospital Trains, Hospital Ships, Transport Ship and Ambulance Ships.

31. Non-Appropriated Funds

a. Procedure - Surplus property will be disposed of as provided in paragraph b below, which is in accordance with MROUSA Circular Number 62, "Non-Appropriated Funds", 21 April 1945. The custodian will pay all outstanding liabilities and any bank account maintained in the Theater will be closed and a final bank statement will be obtained or arrangements will be made to have it forwarded. Cash will be converted into US Treasurer's checks (see "c" below) and any US Government securities held as investments will be forwarded to and deposited with the Treasury Department (Division of Security, War Bond Section, Office of the Treasury of the United States, Treasury Department, Washington 25, D.C.) for safekeeping and receipts therefor will be filed with fund records, and the fund account records will be closed and audited.

b. Disposition of property - Property, except cash and securities, will be disposed of as follows:

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(1) By sale to other welfare and cundry funds as preferred bidders.

(2) By sale to other purchasers, provided that no military bidder can be found and then only with the approval of the next higher commander.

(3) By transfer to the Special Service Supply Officer of the Major Command for reissue to other US Army personnel or by donation to other welfare and cundry funds, or turned over to a salvage officer for disposition, in the event that no purchaser can be found. No property will be deliberately abandoned. A receipt will be taken from the responsible officer who receives such property and will be kept to show the disposition of the property.

*(4) Property which was donated to the fund will not be disposed of without the prior approval of the donor unless the donor is not available. Any property which was donated by the American Red Cross will be returned to it upon its request. (A) (B)

*c. Cash - The cash balance will be converted into US Treasurer's checks by presenting the cash to an Army disbursing officer and requesting such checks in any convenient amounts. Not more than ten (10) checks, however, will be requested or issued. Checks will be written in favor of the custodian and not to any individual by name, as shown in the following examples:

Pay to the order of Custodian
Unit Fund
Battery B
304th Field Artillery Bn

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Pay to the order of Custodian
Headquarters Fund
261st Infantry Regt

The notation "Exchange for Cash" will be shown under "Object for which drawn", but the notation "Negotiable only in the United States of America" will not be placed thereon. Treasurer's checks should be cashed prior to the termination of the period of negotiability (explained on the reverse of each check) and issuance of Treasurer's checks of current date requested of the nearest Army disbursing officer. Army disbursing officers are the only authorized facility for converting these funds in the form of Treasury checks into cash. For security reasons no unauthorized facilities will be used. 4960

32. Recreational Equipment, Washing Machines and Orientation Materials

a. Special Service "A" and "B" Kits, as issued, or component items in quantities indicated by this headquarters, will be packed at the home station, marked and shipped as organizational equipment TAT (To accompany troops). In addition, recreational equipment, radios, phonographs, musical items and public address systems procured by units from appropriated or non-appropriated funds or issued through Special Service channels, may be shipped to non-overseas destinations as organizational equipment. Each enlisted individual moving to overseas destinations is authorized to carry on his person or in his authorized baggage, personal items including small games, books, musical instruments, individual athletic items, non-bulky trophies or gifts of a sentimental nature, not to exceed seven (7) pounds in total. Unit commanders may authorize individuals to take individually owned portable radios,

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photographs, musical items and other athletic and recreational items in excess of the seven (7) pounds, by packing such equipment at the home station, marking and shipping as organizational equipment TAT. The total recreational items, less "A" and "B" Kits, shipped as organizational equipment will not exceed aggregate weight of five (5) pounds per individual in unit, except that units of ten (10) men or less are allowed up to fifty (50) pounds. Fully equipment (pool tables, furniture, etc.) with the exception of domestic washing machines, household type, procured by units from appropriated or non-appropriated funds will not be taken.

b. All other athletic and recreational equipment accumulated by units which cannot be taken will be turned into the Special Service Supply Officer of the appropriate supply agency.

NOTE: Because of the scarcity of radio and musical instruments, unit commanders are encouraged to take such items within the provisions of this circular.

c. Orientation, information and educational materials in sufficient quantity to conduct orientation en route to new destination will be procured by companies and similar units being directly redeployed through I and E channels and shipped so as to be available during the voyage. Materials such as maps, pamphlets, guide books, and such other orientation materials as are available and appear appropriate will be procured in amounts to be determined by the unit commander, but in no event to exceed 50 pounds for each company or similar organization and 100 pounds for the headquarters of battalions, regiments, or equivalent and higher units.

***33. Data on Settlement of Personal Affairs**

*a. Personnel will be urged to adjust or settle all personal affairs and problems prior to further overseas movement, i.e., changes in government life insurance, allotments, family allowances, wills, etc. Particular emphasis will be placed on these matters when personnel have married overseas. In appropriate cases, action will be taken by such personnel in accordance with MTOUSA Letter, File AG 371.2/398 A-O, dated 5 June 1945, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas". (Attention is invited to War Department Letter, file, AG 512 dated 23 November 1944, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas").

b. Non-settlement of personal affairs will not act to delay the departure of any individual.

***34. Individual Identification Card**

*a. All individual officers and those enlisted men of the Medical Department under movement orders will have in their possession at all times identification cards as prescribed in MTOUSA Circular Number 26, 1945; War Department Circulars Numbers 82, 1944 and 343, 1943, as amended by War Department Circular Number 113, 1944. Prior to departure from training area, all cards or identifications in the possession of commissioned and enlisted personnel, including credentials, travel checks, drivers permits, etc., will be checked to insure that they will in no way disclose any organization indication pertaining either to the bearer or to the countersigning or approving officer. Check also will be made to insure that personnel have the new (current) WD, AGO Form in their possession and that it shows correct grade and Army Serial Number of the individual.

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*h. Requisitions for new cards and reports of lost cards will be made by units to their major command. Major commands will requisition estimated supply of cards needed from Headquarters, PBS, and will render consolidated reports of lost cards to this Headquarters. (A)
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c. Prior to departure from training areas, unit commanders will insure that identification cards or any similar identifications, credentials, travel checks, driver's permits, etc., in the possession of either commissioned or enlisted personnel in no way disclose any organizational designation pertaining either to the bearer or to the countersigning or approving officer. (A)
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35. Organization of detachment: A small detachment will be organized from personnel of the unit, to be designated as detachment, (name of unit). This detachment will be constituted as indicated below. The purpose of the detachment is to take necessary unit records to the assembly stations in the United States and to aid in the establishment of personnel and supply administration thereof. Although this detachment will not be separated from the unit prior to its arrival in the United States, it will not form a part of any reception station group after arrival in the United States. (B)

a. Personnel of Detachment

(1) Detachment will consist of a minimum of one (1) officer and, in addition, one (1) or two (2) enlisted men as required. The unit commander will designate the personnel to constitute the detachment.

(2) The officer selected will be preferably of senior grade, thoroughly familiar with the affairs of the unit, and competent to discuss any problems of personnel and supply administration for the unit at the assembly station in the United States. Enlisted personnel may be selected after arrival of the unit at the US port of debarkation from qualified personnel living nearest to the assembly station. (B)

b. Duties of the Detachment

(1) The detachment's mission is to establish promptly personnel and supply administration of the unit at assembly station.

(2) The detachment will be prepared to furnish the commander at assembly station information regarding training, personnel and equipment status of unit, the list of remediable physical defects indicated in paragraph 9b (10) above and any other information which will be of assistance in expediting the preparation of the unit for further duty. 4959 (B)

36. Records, Reports and Rosters

a. Service Records - All service records will be checked for completeness and correctness in accordance with the requirements of TM 12-230 and MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 3 (Perfection of Personnel Records). The check sheet required by Section II, MTOUSA Circular Number 13, 1945, will be used and corrective action taken at once on all errors and/or omissions noted in pencil. Whenever necessary, to complete Service Records, personal interview, search of soldier's Qualification Card, and the initiation of (A)
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correspondence will be instituted. In the administrative processing of AAF personnel incident to redeployment, AAF Manual 35-2, "Personnel Processing Manual", March 1945, will be used as a guide except as specifically modified by this Circular.

(1) Inspectors of all units and those from higher echelons will make special checks to insure compliance with paragraph a above.

(2) Inspectors General of the appropriate commands will also make frequent and thorough checks of this phase of administration.

b. Personnel not physically present with unit at the time it moves from the Staging Area to the Port of Embarkation will be transferred to the Staging Area, and Service Records forwarded, and, together with all associated papers and a written report showing status of each individual, delivered to the commanding officer of the Staging Area. Further disposition instructions will be requested from the Base Section Commander. Personnel transferred pursuant to these instructions will be reported on the morning report of the Staging Area, or other appropriate morning report, effective with date of transfer and without regard to ZDCR.

c. Service records and allied papers must be on hand for every man who accompanies the units to the port from the staging area regardless if the unit is moving direct to another theater or to the United States. Service records and allied papers will be kept in field desks or other suitable containers which will be carried by hand and will be readily available at all times.

d. Each officer and enlisted man proceeding by water will carry on his person:

(1) Pay data card, WD AGO Form 77 (Officers) or Soldiers' Individual Pay Records, WD AGO Form 28 (enlisted personnel).

(2) Identification tags (2) worn around the neck.

(3) WD AGO Form 66, Identification Card (Officers) or WD AGO Form 65-10, Identification Card (protected personnel).

(4) Where applicable, WD MD Form 78a, Patients Record of Syphilis Treatment.

(5) WD MD Form 81, Immunization Register (officers and AAF enlisted personnel) or, when available, WD AGO Form 8-117, Immunization Register and Other Medical Data (all personnel).

(6) Personnel on flying status will carry, in addition to the above:

(a) Copy of orders announcing aeronautical rating including AAF Form 3 or 3a - Instrument Pilot Certificate, when appropriate.

(b) Copy of orders authorizing flying status.

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(c) WD Form 81, Immunization Register (enlisted personnel other than AAF) when WD AGO Form 8-117 is not available.

(d) WD AAF Form 121, Individual Issue Record.

(e) AAF Form 206 - Air Crew member physical record card.

g. Personnel moving by air will carry on their person: (AAF)

(1) Applicable records as prescribed in subparagraph d above.

(officers). (2) WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3 Qualification Card.

(3) WD AGO Form 20, Soldiers' Qualification Card (enlisted personnel).

(4) WD AGO Form 32, Individual clothing and equipment record (enlisted personnel).

(5) WD AGO Form 24, Service Record (Enlisted personnel, or WD AGO Form 724 for WAC personnel).

f. Records to accompany units moving direct to United States. (B)

(1) Personnel Records - The following personnel records, accurate and up-to-date, will be moved with the unit as indicated:(a) In the personal possession of the individual:

WD AGO Form 65 or 65-1 (Officers' identification card)

Copy of prescription for spectacles.

WD AGO Form 77 (officers' pay data card)

Copy of orders bestowing aeronautical rating.

Records of leave accrued and granted (to be carried by officers, as prescribed in AR 605-115) (record may be in any form desired by the individual)

Copy of orders placing personnel on flying status.

Individual flight record (WD AAF 5) 4958 with allied papers.

WD AGO Form 28 (pay data card for enlisted personnel)

Instrument pilot certificate (AAF 3 or 6a)

WD AGO Form 8-115 (formerly Form 78a) (treatment record; for individuals under treatment for syphilis)

Physical record card (WD AAF 206)

Copy of orders announcing parachutist and glider rating

WD AGO Form 8-117 (formerly Form 81) (Immunization Register and other medical data)

Copy of orders or certificate placing personnel on parachutist or glider status as required by current regulations.

Identification tags (2)

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(b) Taken by the proper group leader, to the reception station:

WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2 or 66-3
(officer and warrant officer
qualification card)

WD AGO Form 163 (Adjusted Service
Rating Card)

WD AGO Form 20 (soldiers qualifi-
cation card)

WD AGO Form 8-114 (formerly Form 78)
(syphilis register; for individuals
under treatment for syphilis)

WD AGO Form 24 (service record)
with allied papers required by
current directives (see TM 12-
230)

C&E Adjustment Form as prescribed
in Circular 72, WD, 1945

Note: In the case of flight echelons these records will be taken
by each combat crew commander to the port of aerial debarkation; from which
they will be shipped to the assembly station.

(c) Taken by the Detachment commander to assembly station: (See paragraph 35 above).

Copy of board proceedings such as re-
classification, disposition, AR 615-
368 and AR 615-369 proceedings. When
applicable such copy will contain
indorsement by convening authority
and approval of officer having dis-
charge authority.

Standard AAF Medical Statement AAF
Individual Training Record
(reference AAF letter 50-55)
WD AGO Form 8-116 (Dental Identifi-
cation Record)

Copy of Status Report of the unit
Summary of bombing (AAF 12-b) (bom-
bardier only).

Individual Equipment Issue Record
(AAF 121-AAF equipment)

List of physical condition, defects,
and other medical data.

*g. Each unit will have in its possession two (2) sets of current
locator cards from the machine records unit (or statistical control unit)
servicing the unit. One (1) set will remain with the organization; the
other will be delivered to the Theater Postal Officer upon arrival in
Overseas Theater of Command. (A)

h. (1) The last Morning Report to be furnished the theater
Machine Records Unit servicing the organization on the day of departure
will carry the following remark after the last entry: (A
(B

To depart for _____ (destination) at _____ (time
and place of embarkation) under shipment number _____.

(2) A copy of the passenger list will be attached to the
morning report. Final status cards, master organization cards and strength
cards will be forwarded by the Theater consolidating machine records unit
to the War Department or theater of destination by air courier or other
expedient means.

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i. WD AGO Form 41, (Designation or Change of Relative to be Paid Six (6) Months Gratuity in Case of Death) will be executed by each individual if any change has occurred in the eligibility or permanent address of any beneficiary and will be forwarded by the personnel officer to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C. prior to embarkation. (See AR 600-600)

(A)
(B)

j. WD AGO Form 43, (Emergency Addressee Card) will be prepared by each individual accompanying the unit moving direct to another Theater. The personnel Officer will check for accuracy and dispose of forms as prescribed in War Department Circular 447, 1944.

(A)

k. A roster of all personnel who are scheduled to move with units proceeding to the United States will be prepared as follows:

(B)

(1) Preparation of Rosters

*(a) For all units (except AAF flight echelons and air echelons moving by air) prepare rosters containing the name of the unit and the name, grade, serial number, arm or service, SSN and Adjusted Service Rating Score (when available) and address at which temporary duty for recuperation is desired, of each individual. (See Appendix "O") This roster will divide personnel into groups depending upon the reception stations serving the geographic areas in which are located points to which individuals wish to go for recuperation prior to reporting at assembly station. While each unit will move as an organization, under five (5) digit shipment number and letter, all personnel will be canvassed at present stations to ascertain these desired destinations for recuperation so that the rosters may be prepared by reception station groups in the same manner as for rotation personnel. Personnel will be informed that the destination for recuperation cannot be changed except to alleviate a particular hardship which would adversely affect the individual. Group designations (as indicated in paragraphs 24a (1) and (2) of PRI) will not be assigned to the respective group; the groups will be indicated as "Group 1, Group 2, etc", by placing the proper code number of the reception station, to which each group will be moved after arrival in the United States, after the shipment number and letter assigned to the unit. In this connection see List D of Appendix I, RR 1-2 of 11 April 1945 which has supplanted list contained in paragraph 24a (4) of PRI.

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(b) For AAF Flight or air echelons moving by air, prepare one movement order for the entire flight or air echelon of the unit listing each individual in the movement. In addition to the name of the individual, the grade, serial number, SSN, Adjusted Service Rating Score (if available), and desired place of recuperation in the United States will be included. This movement order will serve as a roster at the port of arial debarkation. Each crew will have twenty(20) copies of this order in its possession upon arrival in the United States

1. Rosters of these types are not required by existing directives for category II units moving direct to another Theater. (A)

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2. Passenger Lists - The commanders of air and water Ports of Embarkation will issue the necessary instructions to Unit Commanders upon arrival at the Staging Area on preparation and distribution of passenger lists, and preparation of personnel shortage reports.

(A)
(C)
(B)

*37. To provide appropriate details at assembly stations for handling the reception and for assisting in planning the training of units of the size of separate battalions and larger being returned to the control of Army Ground Forces and Army Service Forces in the Zone of Interior, unit commanders will move advance detachments of such units to the United States in accordance with War Department Letter, File AG 370.5 (1 May 45) OB-S-SPDT-M, dated 16 May 1945, subject: "Advance Detachments of Units Returning to the United States". The primary purpose of these detachments is to make advance preparation for housekeeping, supply and training activities of their parent units after completion of recuperation and arrival at the assembly station in the United States. These Detachments are not to be confused with those required in paragraph 35, above.

38. Check List of Principal Actions for Unit Commanders

The Commander of the Category II Units Ordered Overseas, upon receipt of MTOUSA Warning or Movement Order, will perform the following: (A&B)

a. Promptly, upon being ordered to move, accomplish Shipping Data Form, as provided in paragraph 12c. (A&B)

b. Assure full compliance with the requirements of paragraph 9 Section II. (A&B)

c. Insure that he has copy of proper T/O, T/E, T/O and E or Special List of Equipment as proscribed in movement or warning orders. (Copies may be obtained directly from 2602 Publication Depot). (A)
(C)
(B)

d. Promptly conduct a showdown inspection and make an inventory of clothing, supplies and equipment on hand to determine completeness and serviceability. The Base Section or AAF/MTO commander will be called upon for necessary technical assistance in this inspection. (A)
(C)
(B)

e. Submit Unit Commanders' Shortage Lists as outlined in paragraphs 10b (3) and (4), or Report of Equipment Lists as outlined in paragraph 10c. (A)
(C)
(B)

f. Clean and turn in to the appropriate supply agency, through normal supply channels, all items in excess of allowances authorized by MTOUSA Movement Order. (A)
(C)
(B)

g. Insure that shipments of organization equipment packed by the unit are properly and substantially packed and crated, prepared to withstand the rigors incident to shipment overseas, are correctly marked, and that a record is kept of the contents of each container. See Section III and AR 850-5. (A)
(C)
(B)

*h. Company and similar organization commanders will have in their possession the company property book required by MTOUSA Circular Number 45, 1945. Air Force organizations will make available to the port air officer the squadron copy of its Organization Equipment List. (A)
(C)
(B)

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i. Insure that the custodian of the unit fund disposes of the fund's surplus property and converts its cash into checks, and that the fund is closed and audited in accordance with required procedures. (A)
(B)

j. Comply with instructions concerning mail.

k. As directed by the Base Section or AAF/ATO commander, report in person, or by capable representative, to the appropriate port, prepared to accomplish the following: (A)
(B)

(1) Furnish information concerning shipments of organizational equipment made by the unit.

(2) Furnish to port officials information concerning the relative importance of organizational equipment and maintenance supplies of the unit as a guide in determining the order of shipment and manner of loading. Air Force organizations for which organizational equipment lists are prepared, will make the squadron copy available to the port air officer.

l. Insure that personnel records check lists, see Appendix "K", is properly accomplished for each individual prior to departure from staging area. (A)
(B)

m. Insure that sufficient blank forms are available to conduct necessary administrative functions enroute to destination and for a reasonable period after arrival. (A)
(B)

*n. Prior to departure of a unit from this Theater all reports of investigation will be reviewed with the end in view of determining that all reports of accidents or incidents which involve injuries to persons or damage to property of other than US military personnel have been forwarded to the nearest US Claims Service office as directed by Circular Number 74, this headquarters, 1944, as changed. Should any report of investigation be found which has not been sent to the US Claims Service, the same will be dispatched as directed by the above circular without delay. (A)
(B)

*o. Evacuation of Property by Units - Before evacuation by a unit of a unit installation or property, the unit commander will: (A)
(B)

(1) Report the time and date of move to the major command having control of the installation or property in order that a suitable custodian to receive and guard may be designated. (A)
(B)

(2) Leave installation or property in a clean and sanitary condition.

(3) Render such assistance as may be practicable to the base section in dismantling installations no longer required.

(4) Obtain a receipt from the custodian showing condition of the installation or property at the time it is evacuated.

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BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

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Adjutant General

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- Appendix "C" - Minimum Essential Equipment (Inter Theater Movement)
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- Appendix "O" - Personnel Roster
- *Appendix "P" - Report of Equipment Authorized for Return
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Date _____

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, OPERATIONS DIVISION, WAR
DEPARTMENT GENERAL STAFF, WASHINGTON (25), D. C.

SUBJECT: Status Report for Unit Scheduled for Direct Redeployment

(Unit Designation)

Status as of _____
(Date)

Shipment Number: _____

White or Negro _____

Readiness Dates _____

Personnel: _____

Impediments: _____

1. Organization and Equipment Data:

a. Organization basis:

T/O & E, T/O or specific allotment No: _____

dated _____ with _____ changes.

b. (1) Date organized or last reorganized _____

(2) Date arrived overseas _____

(3) Date organized if activated in overseas theater _____

c. Equipment basis:

T/O & E, T/E No: _____

dated _____ with _____ changes; and/or

SLE: _____

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2. Unit Commanding Officer:

Name: _____

Serial No: _____

Date assumed command _____

Period of service with this unit _____

Period of service with any other unit of this type _____

White or Negro _____

Rank _____

Efficiency Rating: _____

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3. Strength: *Off **Nurses *WO *Flt C EM Civ Total

a. T/O & E or T/O

b. #Total Authorized by
WD if different from
T/O & E or T/O (In-
clude specific allot-
ment here)

c. Authorized for this
movement by WD M/D
including any over
strength ##

d. Actual Movement strength.

When applicable indicate male or female.

*Indicate white or negro. **Indicates PT's and HD's.

#Cite WD authorization. ## See paragraph 2a(2) of Annex B.

4. Specialist vacancies which cannot be filled by personnel readiness date with qualified personnel essential to the performance of the unit's primary mission and for which requisition to bring the unit to T/O or authorized WD strength (see paragraph 3a (or 3b if used) above, has been or will be submitted to the WD as prescribed in paragraph 10 of Inclosure No 1 to Annex B.

Number	Grade	%SSN	Number	Grade	%SSN	Number	Grade	%SSN
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%SSN used will be the SSN applicable to the MOS
(Continue listings on reverse side or use inclosure if necessary).

5. Length of time personnel have served with unit:

____ %Officers,	____ % EM less than one (1) month,
____ %Officers,	____ % EM more than one (1) month; less than three months.
____ %Officers,	____ % EM more than three (3) months.

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6. Medical Requirement: Personnel of this unit (have) (have not) been screened in compliance with paragraph 6, Section II, Inclosure No 1 to Annex B, Redeployment Movements. Of the total personnel authorized for this movement by WD M/D, _____% of the officers and _____% of the enlisted men are physically and mentally qualified for further overseas service in an active theater of operations.

7. Training: With due consideration being given to the standards of training prescribed for this type unit prior to its departure from the Zone of Interior for overseas service; to current War Department training directives; to the missions assigned the unit and the assignment and experience of the personnel thereof during overseas service; and to the additional training given in preparing the unit for redeployment, this unit and the individuals, specialists, technicians, crews, sections and teams thereof (are) (are not) qualified in all functions essential to the performance of the unit's primary missions in an active theater of operations. (If the unit or any of the individuals or elements thereof are not completely qualified, indicate below the deficiencies in detail and the type and amount of additional essential training required in such a manner that the information provided can be used as a basis for subsequent training plans.)

8. Firing:

a. Status of qualification firing with individual weapons is as follows:

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Type of <u>Weapons</u>	No. so <u>Armed</u>	No. who <u>have fired</u>	Course <u>Fired</u>	Per cent <u>Qualified</u>
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b. Status of firing with crew-served weapons is as follows:

Type of Weapon	No. of Such Crews	No. of Crews who have Fired	Crews Fired	Percent Qualified (if applicable)
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c. Status of familiarization firing: The following percentages of assigned personnel have not fired within the past 12 months familiarization course with the following types of weapons with which at least 10% of the unit is armed.

Type of Weapon

Per cent Not Fired

9. Equipment authorized the unit for the movement is complete and combat serviceable except as indicated in Inclosure A (information copy of ITCUSA unit Shortage List prepared and submitted in accordance with paragraph 11 of Inclosure No. 1 to Annex B). (Note: See paragraph 10c(4) ITCUSA Redeployment Circular No. 14).

10. Assigned Missions: This unit performed primary missions consistent with the basic purpose for which organized for _____ months. Indicate any inconsistent missions which the unit was assigned and the periods of performance.

11. Summary: This unit (will) (will not) be qualified to perform all phases of its primary missions by the personnel readiness date. If the unit will not be fully qualified, indicate below the reasons therefore.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL, _____

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APPENDIX "B" to H MTOUSA Redeployment
HEADQUARTERS Circular #14

Date _____

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, OPERATIONS DIVISION, WAR
DEPARTMENT GENERAL STAFF, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

SUBJECT: Status Report for Unit Schedule for Indirect Redeployment

(Unit Designation)

Status as of _____
(Date) White or Negro

Shipment Number: _____
Readiness Dates _____
Personnel: _____
Impediments: _____

1. Organization and Equipment Data:

a. Organization basis:

T/O & E, T/O or specific allotment No: _____
dated _____ with _____ changes.

b. (1) Date organized or last reorganized _____

(2) Date arrived overseas _____

(3) Date organized if activated in overseas theater _____

c. Equipment basis:

T/O & E, T/E No: _____
dated _____ with _____ changes; and/or

SLoE _____
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2. Unit Commanding Officer:

Name _____ White or Negro

Serial No: _____ Rank: _____

Date assumed command _____ Efficiency Rating: _____

Period of service with this unit _____

Period of service with any other unit of this type _____

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3. Strength: *Off **Nurses *WO *Flt O EM Civ Total

- a. T/O & E or T/O
- b. #Total authorized by WD if different from T/O & E or T/O (Include specific allotment here).
- c. Authorized for this movement by WD M/D including any overstrength##
- d. Actual movement strength

When applicable indicate male or female.
 *Indicate white or negro. **Includes PT's and HD's.
 #Cite WD authorization. ##See paragraph 12a (2) of Annex B. (Note: See paragraph 30 of MTOUSA Redeployment Circular No. 14).

4. Specialist vacancies which cannot be filled by personnel readiness data with qualified personnel essential to the performance of the unit's primary mission and for which requisition, to bring the unit to T/O or authorized WD strength (see paragraph 3a (or 3 b if used) above, will have to be submitted upon arrival of the unit in the United States.

Number	Grade	%SSN	Number	Grade	%SSN	Number	Grade	%SSN
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%SSN used will be the SSN applicable to the MOS.
 (Continue listings on reverse side or use inclosure if necessary).

5. Length of time personnel have served with unit:

_____ % Officers,	_____ % EM less than one (1) month
_____ % Officers,	_____ % EM more than one (1) month; less than three months
_____ % Officers,	_____ % EM more than three (3) months.

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6. Medical Requirement: Personnel of this unit (have) (have not) been screened in compliance with paragraph 6, Section II, Inclosure No. 1 to Annex B, Redeployment Movements. Of the total personnel authorized for this movement by WD H/D, _____% of the officers and _____% of the enlisted men are physically and mentally qualified for further overseas service in an active theater of operations.

7. Training: With due consideration being given to the standards of training prescribed for this type unit prior to its departure from the Zone of Interior for overseas service; to current War Department training directives; to the missions assigned the unit and the assignment and experience of the personnel thereof during overseas service; and to the additional training given in preparing the unit for redeployment, this unit and the individuals, specialists, technicians, crews, sections and teams thereof (are)(are not) qualified in all functions essential to the performance of the unit's primary missions in an active theater of operations. (If the unit or any of the individuals or elements thereof are not completely qualified, indicate below the deficiencies in detail and the type and amount of additional essential training required in such a manner that the information provided can be used as a basis for subsequent training plans.)

8. Firing:

a. Status of qualification firing with individual weapons is as follows:

Type of <u>Weapons</u>	No. so <u>Armed</u>	No. who <u>have fired</u>	Course <u>Fired</u>	Per cent <u>Qualified</u>
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b. Status of firing with crew-served weapons is as follows:

Type of Weapon	No. of Such Crews	No. of Crews Who Have Fired	Course Fired	Per cent Qualified (if applicable)
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c. Status of familiarization firing: The following percentages of assigned personnel have not fired within the past 12 months familiarization courses with the following types of weapons with which at least 10% of the unit is armed.

Type of Weapon	Per cent Not Fired
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9. Equipment: All equipment authorized the unit for the movement is suitable and serviceable for training, with combat serviceable substituted where available. "Report of Equipment Authorized for Return," has been submitted in accordance with Circular 73, WD, 1945. (Note: See paragraph 10d (3) MTOUSA Redeployment Circular No. 14)

10. Assigned Missions: This unit performed primary missions consistent with the basic purpose for which organized for _____ months. Indicate any inconsistent missions which the unit was assigned and the periods of performance.

11. Summary: This unit (will) (will not) be qualified to perform all phases of its primary missions by the personnel readiness date. If the unit will not be fully qualified, indicate below the reasons therefor.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL, _____

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MINIMUM ESSENTIAL EQUIPMENT

1. a. Personnel will be issued clothing and individual equipment within the allowances prescribed in Table of Equipment No. 21, 1 January 1945, as prescribed or modified in each case by the Overseas Movement Orders of the unit.

b. Each unit will be furnished organizational equipment in accordance with the Table of Equipment prescribed in the Overseas Movement Orders of the unit.

c. The following items of individual and organizational equipment, if authorized by and in the amounts authorized by the Table of Equipment of the unit, constitute minimum essential equipment and will accompany the unit to overseas destination. Additional items falling within the limitations of MEE will accompany the unit, if directed in Overseas Movement Order.

2. ARMY AIR FORCES

Bag, assembly-flyers' clothing, Type E-4.
Bag, aviator's kit.
Glasses, flying, sun (AIF units only).
Goggles, assembly, flying.
Goggles, flying, winter and summer.
Headsets.
Helmet, flying, summer.
Helmet, flying, intermediate.
Jacket, flying, winter, (AGF units only).
Jacket, flying, intermediate.
Kit, bombardier.
Kit, navigation, celestial.
Kit, navigation, pilot.
Mask, oxygen.
Microphone.
Socks, flying, winter.
Suit, flying, summer.
Toolkits of the type normally issued to individuals.
Trousers, flying, intermediate.
Vest, life preserver.
Watch, back.

Additional authorized items listed in the appropriate itemized Baggage Lists (IBL'S) - specified in movement orders.

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3. CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

*Covers, protective, individual (QM Item).
Eyeshields, M1.
Impregnate, shoe, M1 (8 oz. can)*
Kit, ointment, protective, M5.
Kit, repair, gas mask, universal.
Mask, gas.

* To be carried in duffel bags of enlisted personnel and hand baggage of officers. All other items, except Kit, Repair, Gas Mask, Universal, M5, will be carried in the pockets provided in the gas mask carrier.

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4. ENGINEER

Compass, wrist, liquid-filled.
Compass, lensatic, luminous dial type.
Knife, pocket, Engineer, 4 blade, w/clevis.

5. MEDICAL

Brassard; Geneva Convention.
Chest; medical, 1 and 2.
Chest, flight, service, complete.
Chest, ID No 60. (SURG)
Kit, Dental (officer; pvt).
Kit, medical; (officer, MCC, pvt).
Kit, medical, parachutist.
Kit, suction, snake bite.
Kit, veterinary (officer; MCC; pvt).
Packet, first-aid.

6. ORDNANCE

Binoculars.
Clock, message center.
Knife, trench, M3, with scabbard (or bayonet knife, M4, when authorized to replace the knife, trench, M3). (See paragraph 10 below).
Shotgun, riot type.
Watch, pocket or wrist.
Organizational spare parts, tools, and equipment for individual weapons (in addition to accessories).
Individual weapons (carbines, rifles, automatic rifles, pistols, submachine guns), with accessories.
Tool kits of the type normally issued to individuals.

7. QUARTERMASTER

T/E 21 clothing and equipment.
Axe, intramarching, w/handle and carrier.
*Axe, handled, chopping, single bit, 4-lb. (See paragraph 12 below).
Bag, carrying, ammunition.
Bag, money, leather.
Bag, canvas, water, sterilizing c/w cover and hanger.
Bar, insect, field.
Bucket, 1 1/2-gal., general purpose.
Can, water, 5-gal (50 per cent of authorized allowance).
Can, corrugated.
Case, brief, leather.
Case, canvas, dispatch.
Case, carrying, map.
Chest, record, fiber.
Desk, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (QM items only).
Drum, inflammable liquid (gasoline) steel (empty) w/carrying handle, capacity 6 gal. (for field ranges only).
Flags (including colors, standards and guidons).

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Glasses, sun.
 Heater, immersion type for cans, corrugated (authorized substitute heater, water, for range, field).
 Insect repellent.
 Kit, repair (for field range).
 Lantern, gasoline or kerosene.
 Machete, 18-inch, w/sheath.
 Machine, coin counting.
 Machine, computing, listing and nonlisting..
 Machine, duplicating, spirit, stencil or gelatin process.
 Machine, embossing, complete w/plate and roller.
 Machine, numbering.
 Machine, paper-fastening, lever or plunger type, wire staple, perforated light duty.
 Machine, stencil cutting, 1-inch non-adjusting.
 Musical instruments, band.
 Outfit, chaplain.
 Outfit, officers' mess, complete.
 Perforator.
 *Pick, handled, railroad, 6 to 7 lb. or mattock, handled, pick, type II, class F, 5 lb. (See paragraph 12 below).
 Pick, mattock, intr trenching, w/handle and carrier.
 Plates, distinguishing, auto.
 Range, field, complete with authorized accessories.
 Roll, commissary, complete, or chest commissary (as authorized).
 Ruler, office, 18-inch.
 Safe, field, key lock or combination lock.
 *Screen, latrine, od, complete w/pins and poles. (See paragraph 12 below.)
 Seal official.
 Selector, qualification card.
 Sharpener, office, pencil.
 Shears, office, bankers, 9-inch.
 *Shovel, GP, D-handled, strapback, round point, No 2 (See paragraph 12 below).
 Shovel, intr trenching, w/carrier.
 Sling, color web, od.
 Stamp, rubber, official.
 Stamp, time recording.
 Stencil outfits, complete w/figures and letters.
 Stone, sharpening, hand, for machetes.
 Stylus, ball point.
 Stylus, medium loop.
 *Tent, kitchen, flyproof. (See paragraph 12 below.)
 *Tent, squad. (See paragraph 12 below.)
 Tool kit, (w/tools), band instrument repair (brass and woodwind).
 Tool kits, of the type normally issued to individuals.
 Tool set (w/tools) carpenters, No 1 or No 2.
 Trumpet, G, w/slide to F.
 Typewriter, portable and non-portable (QM items only).
 Whistle, thunderer.

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*See paragraph 12 below for the quantity of this item to accompany units as Minimum Essential Equipment.

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8. SIGNAL

Cryptographic equipment (set for Div, Corps, and Army).
Flashlight, TL-122.
Telephone, field, MES () (2 only per company or similar unit).
Wire, field (1 mile only, W110 v/rool per company or similar unit).

9. RECORDS AND REFERENCE MATERIAL

This material will be reduced to minimum essential items, including the following:

*Company or similar unit
Army Regulations (as prescribed in AR 310-200)
Company Punishment Record (applicable to men actually present only).
Council Book (with vouchers from the date of last inspection by an Inspector general only.)
Daily Sick Report (preceding 6 months only).
Duty Rosters (preceding 3 months month).
Morning Reports (preceding 6 months only).
Orders, company (essential current orders only).
Property Book (all).
SML'S, ASF catalogs, as necessary.
T/O & E's, T/O's, T/E's, or SLOE's as necessary.
Complete file of essential training literature, including but not limited to Technical and Field Manuals.
Essential documents, circulars, and bulletins.
Regimental separate battalion or similar headquarters, personnel officer. (See paragraph 36c for disposition of personnel records when traveling by air).
Army Regulations (as prescribed in AR 310-200).
Extracts from Service Records (for former members of organizations who have been transferred, discharged, etc).
Officer and Warrant Officer Qualification Card, WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2 and 66-3.
Pay Rolls and Pay Vouchers, retained copies (preceding 6 months).
Service Records, with authorizations of Class B allotments for purchase of War Savings Bonds, WD AGO Form 29-6, and other documents which are attached to the Service Record as provided in TM 12-230.
Soldiers Qualification Card, WD AGO Form 20.

Regimental or similar headquarters, Adjutant.

Army Regulations (as prescribed in AR 310-200).
Directives, current only.
Message Center Log.
Orders, regimental, file.
T/O & E's as necessary.
Essential documents, circulars and bulletins.

*When moving as a separate organization, also see records prescribed for the personnel officer of regimental or similar headquarters.

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10. MISCELLANEOUS

Investigative equipment for CIC detachments.
Training aids (not to exceed 200 pounds, per company or similar organizations, See Circular 157 ID 4A).
Two pounds per individual of emergency expendable supplies, including cleaning and preserving materials, in accordance with the provisions of Circular 55 ID 4A.

11. This paragraph is specific authorization for the issue at the port of aerial embarkation of one knife, trench, M3, with scabbard, or the bayonet knife, M4, when authorized to replace the knife, trench, M3, for individuals moving overseas by air (except chaplains and medical personnel) when such authorization is not provided.

12. The quantity of the items marked with an asterisk (*) in paragraph 7 of this appendix, to accompany units as Minimum Essential Equipment is prescribed below. This paragraph is specific authorization for issue of the following items when such authorization is not otherwise provided.

a. Each company or similar organization which is authorized cooking facilities for its overseas movement is authorized one each of the items listed below, when placed under overseas movement orders. Each such company or similar organization consisting of more than 250 individuals (for example, a 1,000 bed hospital) is authorized one each of these items for each 250 individuals, or major fraction thereof.

(1) Tent, kitchen, flyproof (fly, tent, wall, large, will be issued pending availability of tent, kitchen flyproof).

(2) Screen, latrine.

(3) Tent, squad (tent, pyramidal, od, w/pins and poles to be issued until exhausted.)

(4) Ax, with handle.

(5) Pick or pick mattock, with handle.

(6) Shovel.

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b. Each company or similar organization of 30 or more individuals which is not authorized cooking facilities for its overseas movement is authorized one each of the items listed below, when placed under movement orders. Each such company or similar organization consisting of 150 or more individuals is authorized in addition to these items, one tent, squad (tent, pyramidal, od, w/pins and poles, to be issued until exhausted.)

(1) Screen, latrine.

(2) Ax, with handle.

(3) Pick or pick mattock, with handle.

(4) Shovel.

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c. Each company or similar organization to which female personnel are assigned or attached is authorized one screen, latrine, in addition to the tentage authorized by a and b above.

13. Special Measurement Clothing.

a. Prior to departure of a unit for direct redeployment requisitions for maintenance requirements for a period of 6 months for special measurement clothing, including special measurement leather footwear, for personnel of the unit will be submitted to the United States port of embarkation responsible for the supply of the theater of destination, by the unit commander through channels to Headquarters MTOUSA for forwarding.

b. For each enlisted man requiring special measurement leather footwear, such units will have, either available in the unit for issue or on order, that part of authorized allowance of such special measurement leather footwear which is in excess of the quantity authorized to be in the possession of such individuals. (See T/E 21 and AR 615-40).

c. Items referred to in a and b above, received after the departure of the unit will be shipped to the individuals concerned at the APO address of the unit in the theater of destination.

APPENDIX "D" to MTOUSA Redeployment Circular #14.

MINIMUM ESSENTIAL EQUIPMENT

(Movement to United States)

*1. Personnel will be issued clothing and individual equipment within the allowances prescribed in WD Circular 72, 1945, except as modified in special cases by Movement Orders of the unit. Clothing and equipment accounts will be adjusted in accordance with the C and E Adjustment Form prescribed in WD Circular 72, 1945.

*2. In the case of units returning to the United States for redeployment or for reversion to the strategic reserve, remaining items of combat serviceable clothing and individual equipment, in the possession of units and authorized in the Column of T/E 21, 1 January 1945 (Mandatory Allowances only), under which the unit is equipped, will be packed, marked and shipped with other unit impediments. Only items authorized in WD Circular 72, 1945 will be in the possession of individuals at time of movement.

*3. Only the following items of organizational equipment, within authorized allowance of the unit (T/O & E), including organizational discretionary items, are authorized for any unit returning to the United States, except where additional items are specifically authorized in Movement Orders of the Unit.

a. Organizational equipment normally issued to individuals.

Brassards
Flashlight, TL-122
Flying clothing and equipment
Trumpet, G, w/slide to F
Whistle, thunderer.

b. Administrative equipment.

Bag, money, leather
Case, brief, leather
Case, canvas, dispatch
Chest, flight, service, complete
Chest, medical, 1 and 2 (Optional)
Chest, record, fiber
*Desk, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (QM Items only). 4948
Kit, barber, w/case
Kit, dental (Officers; privs).
Kit, medical (Officers; NCOs; privs.)
Machine, computing, listing and non-listing.
Machine, duplication, spirit or stencil process
Machine, numbering
Machine, paper fastening, wire staples
Outfits, chaplain
Perforator
Ruler, office, 18-inch
Safe, field, key lock
Seal, official
Selector qualification card
Sharpenor, office, pencil
Sling, color, web, rod
Stamp, rubber, official

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Stamp, time recording
Stylus, medium loop
Typewriters, portable and non-portable.

c. To be packed, marked and shipped by the unit as organizational requirements.

Individual weapons, with accessories therefor
Gas masks, only when fitted with eyeglasses, gas mask, M1 spectacle
ASF kits issued to individuals in accordance with T.O. 00-30 Series
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Helmet, steel with liner

Other items if directed by Movement Orders.

Publications and reference material (such as Army Regulations, WD,
Circulars, SML's, Training Manuals, etc.)

Small arms repair kits.

Training aids not to exceed 200 lbs per company or similar unit.

d. Expendable supplies such as the items listed below are authorized depending upon the estimated length of journey and the strength of the unit concerned.

*Allowances of these items are prescribed in ASF Catalog 34-4 and the ASF Catalog SIG A-1. Expendable supplies will not exceed in weight 2 pounds per individual in each unit.

Blank forms
C and P materials
Clips, paper
Envelopes
Folders, manila
Paper, bond
Paper, carbon
Paper, onion skin
Pencils.

e. Individual Arms

(1) Individual arms as prescribed in (3) above will accompany units returning to the United States for redeployment or for reversion to the strategic reserve.

(2) Only individual arms necessary for possible guard duty while aboard a transport will accompany units returning to the United States for demobilization.

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APPENDIX "E" to MTCUEA
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Instructions for the Conduct of Screening Type Physical Examinations
(See Paragraph 9)

1. The following procedure will be used in conducting the screening type physical examination referred to in paragraph 9:

a. General Instructions.

- (1) Officers and enlisted personnel will be examined in separate groups.
- (2) A medical history will be obtained on each individual, covering such data as serious illness, injuries, or operations since entering the service. Further specific inquiry should be made if subjective symptoms or other evidence of disease warrant. When indicated appropriate special examination or laboratory procedures such as X-ray or serology may be accomplished in order to confirm or negate physical or mental defects suspected as a result of data furnished in the medical history.
- (3) The eyes and ears will be tested routinely for visual and auditory acuity.
- (4) X-rays, blood serology and other special studies will not be made routinely. If physical findings or the medical history indicate their need, however, such procedures will be carried out.
- (5) In order that extended periods of observation of the individual's physical condition and performance in the field might be given due consideration, in the interpretation of the physical findings of the examination and to conserve personnel, medical and dental officers assigned or attached to, or normally serving the unit being examined will perform the examinations insofar as practicable.

b. The Unit Commander will be responsible for:

- (1) Entering the name, grade, serial number and age on WD AGO Form Number 63, worksheet, in the case of officers, and the WD AGO Form Number 91, worksheet, in the case of enlisted personnel.
- (2) Forwarding to the medical examiner the worksheets referred to in (1) above, WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, in the case of officers and WD AGO Form 20 in the case of enlisted personnel.

c. The medical examiner will be responsible for:

- (1) Rendering a decision as to whether the individual is or is not physically qualified for further overseas service.
- (2) Completing the profile serial on the worksheet in the case of all enlisted personnel.

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(3) Recording briefly in non-technical language the physical defect and the limitations in assignment which it creates.

(4) Recording the results of the physical examination on the worksheets. It is not contemplated that each item on the worksheets will be completed routinely. Appropriate remarks will be recorded only when in the opinion of the examiner, such items should be made a part of the record in order to determine the individual's physical fitness for general or limited military duty or to assist in accomplishing a proper profile serial for enlisted personnel.

(5) Forwarding to the unit commander the completed worksheets and the qualification cards.

*c. In the case of enlisted men the unit commander will be responsible for transcribing the profile serial and date under item 23, on the WD AGO Form 20 (Example: 211211, 20 May 1945). He will in addition be responsible for the required transcription from the worksheet in non-technical language of any defect and the limitations on assignment which it creates, to the WD AGO Forms 20 and 24. The worksheets will then be inserted in the WD AGO Form 24.

*d. In the case of officer personnel, the unit commander will be responsible for the required transcription from the worksheet in non-technical language of any defect and the limitations on assignment which it creates to the applicable WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, and the retaining of the worksheet with the applicable form.

*2. The attention of all concerned is directed to paragraph 9 b (1), MTCUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14. The ability of an individual to perform his military duties must be given due consideration in determining his physical fitness for further overseas service. In general, those individuals who have performed their duties satisfactorily will accompany their units unless they have defects which are subject to complication or aggravation by further overseas service.

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UNIT COMMANDERS SHORTAGE LIST
CRITICAL EQUIPMENT SECTION
ORDNANCE

265th Inf.

1 June 1945

Shipment Number: RL234-A

Based on: T/O & E, 7-11 to 7-14 inclusive and 7-16 to 7-19 inclusive
28 Feb 1944 with 2 changes.

Impediments readiness date: 1 July 1945.

1. I certify that all authorized items of equipment are on hand, in combat serviceable condition, except as listed below.

JOHN J. JONES
Colonel, Inf.

Item No.	Stock No.	Nomenclature and model	Unit	Allowance	On hand	Short-ago
1		Launcher, Rocket 2.36" M9A1	ea	112	0	112
2		Launcher, Rocket 2.36" M9	ea	0	(a)65	(a)
3		Finder, Range M9A1	ea	6	2	4
4		Howitzer, 105-mm M3, SB with carriage, M3	ea	6	3	3
5		Mortar, 81-mm M1 with mount M1	ea	18	13	5

Full use
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Note that there
are no stock numbers to be
entered for these particular
items

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(a) Authorized substitute included in amount of authorized item on hand.

(DO NOT LIST ANY T/E 21 ITEMS, ACCESSORIES, OR MISSING PARTS OF SETS)

(Shortage lists to be classified
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UNIT COMMANDERS SHORTAGE LIST
*NON-CRITICAL EQUIPMENT SECTION
SIGMA

265th Inf.

1 July 1945

Shipment Number: R5678-B

Based on: SLOS, SPX 400 (23 Feb 44) CB-S-SPM00-II, 28 February 1944 and
2 changes.

Impediments readiness date: 1 July 1945

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The following list has been examined by me and is forwarded.

1. I certify that all authorized items of equipment are on hand, in combat serviceable condition except as listed below.

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R. F. GREENE
Colonel, FA,

Item No.	Stock No.	Manufacturer and model	Unit	Allow- ance	On Hand	Short- age
1.	613550	Panel set #P50	ea	112	100	12
2.	6Q28205	Climbers LC5	ea	18	10	8

(DO NOT LIST ANY T/E 21 ITEMS, ACCESSORIES, OR MISSING PARTS OF SETS).

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CONSOLIDATED PACKING LIST, IMPEDIMENTA MOVED TO PORT OF EMBARKATION

SHIPMENT RL234-E
CONSOLIDATED PACKING LIST

SHIPPED TO: PORT TRAMS O
MARSEILLES PE
MARSEILLES, FRANCE

(assembly area)

Identifying Letter - "A"

IMPEDIMENTA MOVED TO PORT (EXCEPT PROPERTY HEREON OR CARRIED BY INDIVIDUALS)

PKS. NO.	SET NUMBER	TYPE OF PACKAGE	QUANTITY AND ITEM	WEIGHT	CUBE	DATE SHIPPED	INIT. AND NO. CAR OR TRUCK	VESSEL
C1		Pcx	Message Center Pads & Forms	158	4	15 Jan 45	PLAN 73456	(1)
C2		"	Chest & Message Center Equipment	176	5	"	"	"
C3		"	Message Center Equipment	187	9	"	"	"
C4		"	Message Center Equip. Chest BC-5	194	7	"	"	"
C5		"	Radio Equipment	151	8	"	"	"
C6		"	1 on Typewriter	51	3	"	"	"
C7		"	Radio, Immersion Type	130	8	"	"	"
C8		"	Radio Equipment	203	11	"	"	"
C9		"	Laboratory Table & Repair Equipment	150	8	"	"	"
C10		"	Chemical Warfare Equipment	124	6	"	"	"
C11		"	Power Unit PS-75	420	16	"	"	"
C12		"	1 on Range, Field M-1937	400	17	"	"	"
C31		"	Mass Equipment	92	4	"	"	"
Total				5998	366			
12 Trunk Lockers				900	48			
5 Bedding Rolls				240	20			
				7378	354			

*Attached: 24 Packing Lists
To be filled in at the P of E.

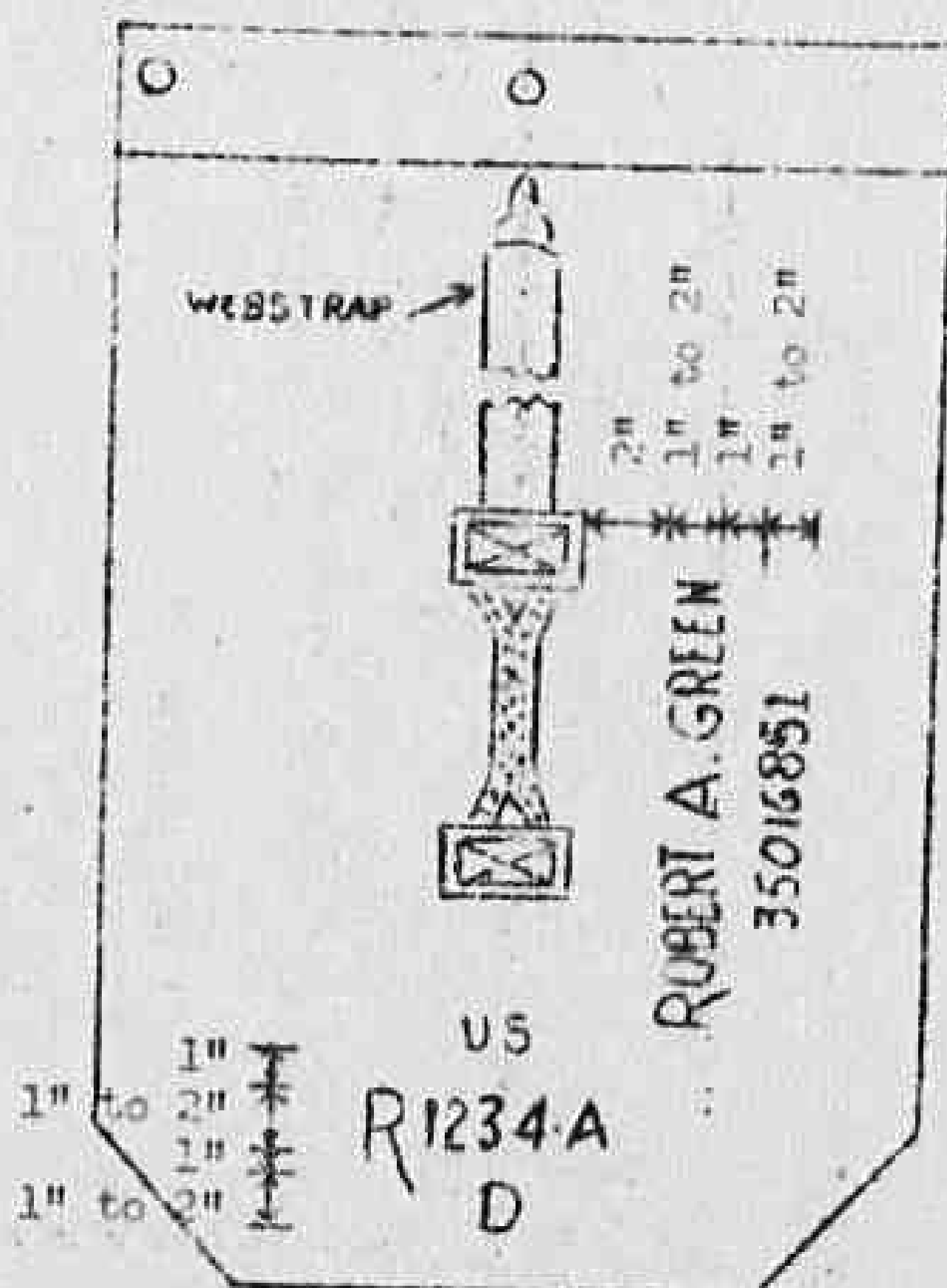
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MARKING OF DUFFEL BAG



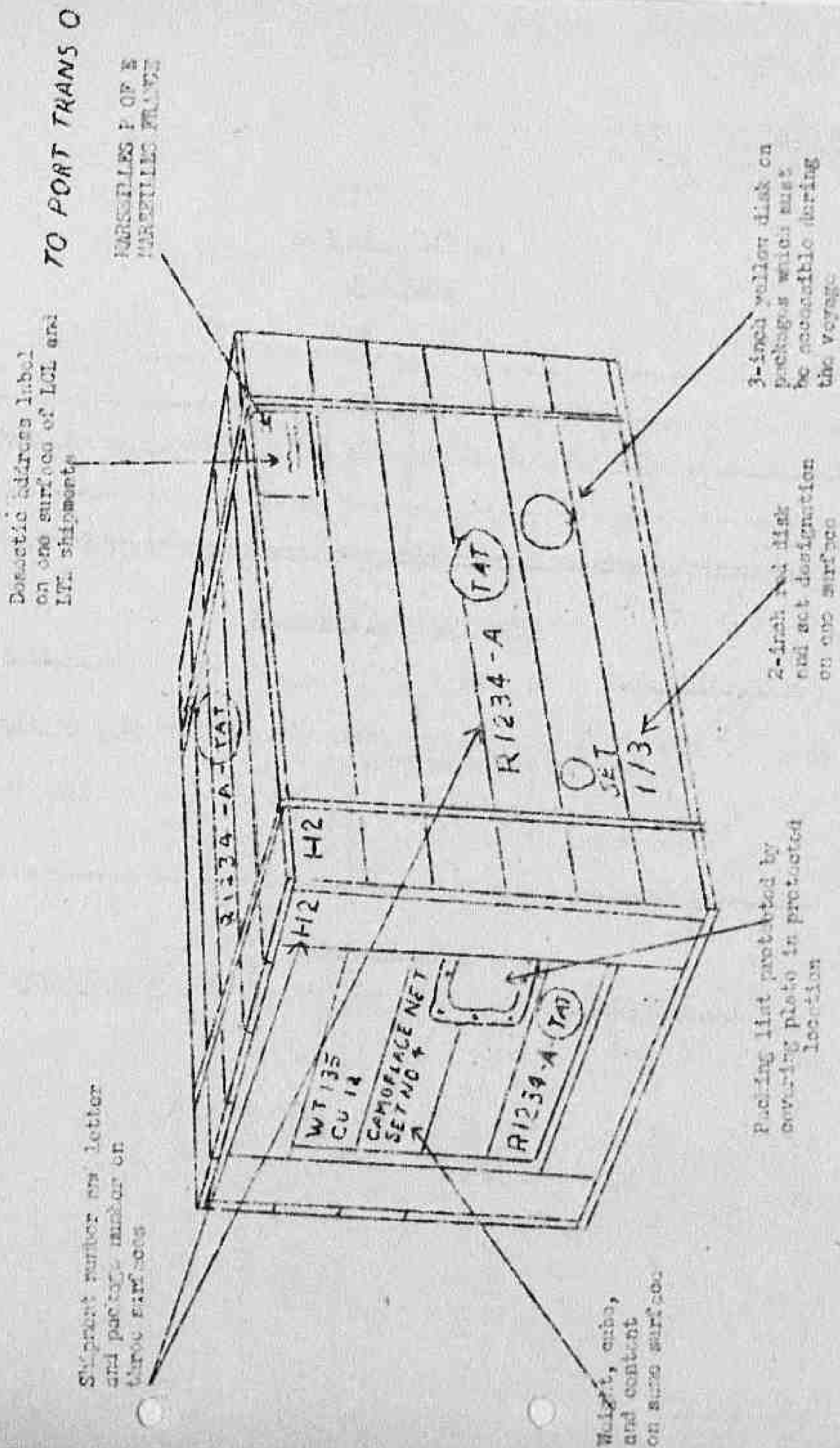
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MARKING OF ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT



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APPENDIX "J" to MTOUSA
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SHIPPING DATA FORM

PERSONNEL

Date Unit Parent Org Base Section

Shipment #	Unit Designation	Location	T/O	Off.	Nurses	V.O.	E.M.	Total

Organizational Equipment

WT - Tons (2240 lbs)

Cubic Feet

- Note: 1. This will include only organizational equipment LESS VEHICLES and equipment loaded therein.
2. Indicate exact Wt. and Meas. for each box or crate exceeding five tons.

VEHICLES

No. of Vehicles

Type and Make

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

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PERSONNEL RECORDS CHECK LIST
(To be inclosed in Records Jacket or similar container)
(Shipping agency Issuing Orders)

Date

LAST NAME FIRST NAME INITIAL GRADE ASN
BRANCH OF SERVICE FORMER ORGANIZATION
CATEGORY DATE PROCESSED

	UNIT	NO	INITIAL	IS	AS
ALL OFFICERS					
ID Card (WDAGO 69 or 65-3) (Carried on Person)					
Qualification Card (WDAGO 66-1, 65-2, 65-3)					
Pay Data Card (WDAGO 77) (Carried on Person)					
Record of Leave (AR 609-113)					
ALL ENLISTED PERSONNEL					
Sol Classification & Qualification Card (WDAGO 20)					
Service Record (WDAGO 24) with allied papers					
Pay Data Card (WDAGO 28) (Carried on Person)					
*C and E Adjustment Form for Indiv Clo & Equip (Cir, WD, 72/45)					
Adjusted Service Rating Card (WDAGO 163)					
ALL PERSONNEL					
Syphilis Register WDGO 8-114 (Formerly WD-73) if applicable					
Syphilis Treatment Record WDGO 8-115 (Formerly WD 78a) if applicable (Carried on Person)					
Immunization Register WDGO 8-117 (Formerly WMD 81) Duplicate (Original on Person)					
Board Proceedings, where applicable, properly accomplished					
AAF ENLISTED PERSONNEL					
Cy orders pertaining Aeronautical Rating					
Orders placing Personnel on flying status					
Individual Flight Record (WD-AF5) with allied papers					
Instrument Pilot Certificate (AAF 6 or 8a) (Carried on Person)					
Summary of Bombing (AAF-12-B) (Bombardier only)					
Physical Fitness Test and Record (AAF 23a)					
Physical Record Card (WD-AF306) (Carried on Person)					
Standard AAF Medical Statement					
AAF Individual Training Record (Ref AAF Box 50-55)					
Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 124)					
PARACHUTE AND GLIDER PERSONNEL					
Cy orders pertaining parachutist or glider rating					
Cy orders or certificates placing personnel on parachutist or glider status as required by current regulations					

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KEY:

POD - US Port of Entry
RS - Reception Station
AS - Final Assignment Station

The above-named personnel records are complete as indicated and are inclosed or are in possession of individual (s) concerned.

Shipping Agency Insert Appropriate Symbol:

X Record inclosed and complete
Ø Record inclosed but incomplete
O Record not inclosed

NAME _____ RANK _____
Shipping Agency Clearance Officer

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APPENDIX I to MTOUSA Redeployment Circular No 14

PROCESSING AND PACKING STANDARDSCHEMICAL WARFARE

1. Items with packages and waterproofing in good condition and in accordance with latest packing specifications giving particular consideration to the 55 lb weight limit required for certain items going to the Pacific Theater, may be shipped direct to other theaters.
2. Items which do not have packages and waterproofing in good condition or do not come within the 55-lb weight limit as specified for certain items will be repackaged in the theater insofar as practicable and if approved by a qualified Chemical Warfare Service Inspector, may be shipped direct to other theaters.
3. Equipment of category as specified in paragraph 2, which cannot be processed to meet inspection in theater, will be returned to the United States to the extent of the quantities which are in excess of the continuing needs of the Mediterranean Theater of Operations.
4. List of items to which the 55-lb weight limit applies for the Pacific Theater is not available at this time but will be furnished separately.
5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-14A (US Navy Specification 39 F 16a).

ENGINEERS

- *1. Items to be shipped to theaters continuing active. Such items will be processed for overseas shipment in accordance with the procedure outlined in TB 5-9711-1 "Instruction for Preparation for the Corps of Engineers Equipment for Export", and such Technical Bulletins as have been prepared for specific items. Such Bulletins are in the TB 5 series, have numbers corresponding with those of the Technical Manuals covering the equipment, and are listed in FM 21-6. Spare parts will be processed in accordance with TB 5-9713-1 Preparation for Export Spare Parts for Corps of Engineer Equipment. The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification 100-14A (US Navy Specification 39 F 16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent. Tropicalization will be accomplished in accordance with TB ENG 58 to the fullest extent consistent with time and materials available.
2. Items to be returned to the United States. Such items should be processed with ordinary commercial standards for preparation of such equipment for export shipment. The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-14A (US Navy Specification 39 F 16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent.
3. Items of Engineer explosives authorized in T/O & E and other War Department directives as a component part of engineer sets will not be packed or shipped but will be issued to the units after arrival from stocks in the theater of destination unless Movement Orders specifically direct otherwise (WD Circular No. 39, 1945).

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4. Major items of Engineer equipment for units being redeployed will be prepared for overseas shipment at Engineer Processing and Packing installations adjacent to theater ports of embarkation to be designated by appropriate base commanders.
 - a. Such equipment as is being shipped by Category II units being redeployed directly to another theater will be delivered to the installation as directed by the appropriate base commander, and unit personnel will be furnished as directed to process and/or pack all such equipment, utilizing the facilities and materials provided by the installation under the technical supervision of base personnel. Unit personnel will be responsible for obtaining the necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form submitted by the unit.
 - b. Major items of equipment accompanying Category II units being redeployed to the United States for station will be processed as indicated above, if directed.
 - c. Base Commanders will be responsible for establishing necessary priorities for receipt and processing of equipment at the processing and packing installations, consistent with the movement of the unit to which such equipment belongs.

MEDICAL

1. Surgical, dental and veterinary instruments will be processed in accordance with one of the procedures outlined below, depending upon materials which may be available, before shipment to the Pacific Area or to the United States.
 - a. Process Number 1 - This process is extracted from Medical Department Tentative Specification Number 1708, Army Medical Purchasing Officer, dated 15 May 1944.
 - (1) MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP
Material
 - (a) Oil. - Shall be a neutral, mobile, saturated, hydrocarbon oil, meeting the requirements of US Army Specification Number 2-120.
 - (b) Aluminum foil. - Shall be fully annealed, free from mechanical and metallurgical defects, and shall contain not less than 99 per cent aluminum. The thickness of the foil shall be between 0.0006 and 0.0009 inch.
 - (c) Envelope, heat sealing. - Shall be a flat, laminated bag of transparent, heat sealing, regenerated cellulose, consisting of a sheet of 450 MEAT 84G, or equal, laminated to another sheet of 450 MEAT 84G, or equal with 18 pounds (three-pound tolerance) per ream (24 x 36 inches 500 sheets) of a permanently plastic, water-vapor-resistant laminating agent.

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(2) DETAIL REQUIREMENTS

- (a) Procedure. - The instruments shall first be thoroughly cleaned by the use of a neutral, chlorine-free, completely volatile, organic solvent, after which they shall be oven-dried at a temperature of from 215 to 230 F. The following operations shall then be performed in the sequence given.
- (b) Oiling. - The cleaned and dried instruments shall be immersed in the oil described in paragraph - 1(a), agitating intermittently to dislodge the air from the crevices, for a period of approximately five minutes. They shall then be removed from the oil bath and suspended to permit the drainage of excess oil.
- (c) Wrapping. - The aluminum foil shall be clamped between the opposing faces of the jaws and between ratchets, and small pieces shall be inserted in the interstices of those instruments having same (for example, in the toggle mechanism of double-action bone forceps). The instruments shall then be wrapped completely in the aluminum foil and the wrapping shall be firmly pressed against the instrument to insure contact over as much of the surface of the instrument as possible. On sharp-pointed instruments, such as scissors, bistouries, etc., the points may be covered with several folds of foil to prevent puncture of outer container. Careful wrapping and pressing of the aluminum foil in the blade area will result in excellent protection, and will not damage the instrument.
- (d) Packaging. - Each such foil-wrapped instrument shall be placed in an individual envelope, of the proper size indicated, described in paragraph - 1(c) and shall be heat-sealed as to form an air and water-tight closure. Certain large instruments, (such as Balfour retractors, plaster shears, or obstetrical forceps) do not readily lend themselves to packaging in the specified envelope. Such instruments may be wrapped, over the aluminum foil, with either Grade A or C paper (as per US Army Specification Number 100-14A) in lieu of the cellulose heat-sealed envelopes.
- (e) Marking of envelope. - The envelope shall be imprinted or marked with the following information, or it may be placed on a separate sheet of white paper and placed with the instrument in the bag so that it may be read through the transparent cellulose:

Item Number

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Name of Item

Do not open until ready for use
Clean before sterilizing

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(3) METHODS OF INSPECTION, TESTS, ETC.

- (a) Examination for compliance with this specification.
- (b) Integrity of seal - After sealing, the bags shall be tested for air tightness by hand compression.

b. Process Number 2 - The applicable processes described in Section XVI of US Army Specification Number 100-14A may be used in lieu of Process Number 1, if materials are not available for Process Number 1.

- (1) X-Ray machines, laboratory equipment, dental equipment, physiotherapy equipment and hospital equipment, which is subject to rapid deterioration when exposed to the elements, will be processed in accordance with the method outlined in applicable portions of Section V and VI, Army Service Forces Manual M 406, "Corrosion Prevention, Processing and Packaging," dated 11 December 1943.
- (2) Packing will conform with "Army-Navy General Specifications for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment 100-14A" insofar as practicable. In this connection, "War Department Supply Bulletin SB3-2, "Packing Room Layouts and Packing of Medical Supplies," supplies specific information for packing medical items. This bulletin will be used to supplement Specification 100-14A, mentioned above.
- (3) In those instances where materials cannot be obtained to comply with the above described standards, methods will be improvised which will afford reasonable assurance that the articles will reach their destination in sound and usable condition.
- (4) Responsibilities
 - (a) The commanding officers of medical units other than hospital units are responsible for:
 - 1 Examining and turning back to medical supply channels, or otherwise disposing in accordance with applicable policies, of those items not considered fit for transport to another theater or the United States.
 - 2 For effecting minor repairs to the maximum of his facilities.
 - 3 For requisitioning replacement items as required.
 - 4 Preparation of the items for shipment in accordance with the prescribed standards.
 - (b) The commanding officers of hospital units will be responsible for:

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1. Turning back to medical supply channels all medical department components of present hospital assemblies.
2. Requisitioning a replacement hospital assembly when required.

ORDNANCE

1. Processing and packing of Ordnance material for shipment overseas will be in accordance with the following instructions and references:

- a. (1) Combat vehicles, artillery weapons, all trailers and semi-trailers, and all other vehicles having an Ordnance or commercial type automotive chassis, will be processed and/or packed in accordance with 'D SE 9-4 and applicable special packing instructions referred to in IS 1000, entitled "Catalog of Approved Packing Instructions for Major Items and Spare Parts for Ordnance General Supplies," dated 1 March 1945, or latest revision, and as indicated below.
- (2) General purpose vehicles up to and including two-and-one-half ton (including two-and-one-half ton dump trucks) will be single unit packed. One-quarter ton and one-ton trailers will be packed two per crate. Artillery and all other vehicles (except truck, bomb service, M7, which will be single-unit packed) will be shipped on tracks or wheels.
- (3) Any equipment peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance, which is mounted upon any of the vehicles and trailers designated above, will be processed for overseas shipment by the organization and/or Service concerned prior to the delivery of such vehicles or trailers to the vehicular processing line.
- b. SML Groups A, B and F - in accordance with instructions in OSSCs-A, B and F, TM 9-2894 entitled "Instruction Guide for Ordnance Packaging and Shipping" and other publications available for reference at Ordnance Installations. Assistance will be given by Ordnance packaging teams at all staging and training areas.
- c. Materials Handling Equipment - in accordance with specifications stated in JGD-1025.
- d. Ammunition - Process in accordance with Parts II of SMLs F, R, S and T.

Packaging--Ammunition which requires repacking before shipment will be packed according to one of the methods listed on drawings referred to in Parts II of SMLs, F, R, S and T. The method selected will be the one most practical for use in MFOUSA.

- *a. Taraulins for Ordnance vehicles will be processed in accordance with TB-QM-19.

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QUARTERMASTER

1. Mechanical items (Mobile Equipments, etc., other than laundry and dry cleaning equipment for fixed installations and fuels and lubricants equipment).

Processing specifications will be found in JGD-1021, Engines; and JGD-1012-K, Spare Parts.

2. Non-mechanical items - (Clothing, Equipage, General Supplies).

*Existing packing and crating instructions are contained in COMC Packing and Crating Requirements, CE-1. Tentage and paulins, with the exception of ton, shelter, half, will be fungus-proofed in accordance with TB-34-12.

3. Laundry and dry cleaning equipment for fixed installations - Standards will conform to Specification CM-1, dated 7 January 1944. Processing, Packing and Crating Laundry and Dry Cleaning Equipment for Fixed Installations for Overseas Shipment.

4. Fuels and Lubricants items

Drums, inflammable liquid (gasoline) steel, with carrying handle, capacity 5 gallons -- when shipped empty, ship in bundles of 2 strapped together with steel bands, all plugs to be wrench tight. If filled, ship as single items.

Pump, oil, barrel, motor oil dispensing, 1 quart, 15 to 60 gallon barrels or drums -- pack for overseas shipment as single items.

Pump, barrel rotary, kerosene or gasoline, with six foot hose and nozzle-pack for overseas shipment as single item.

Containers, collapsible, all types, all sizes -- must be folded and shipped in the same container in which they were shipped originally.

Hose, gasoline, rubber-metal (all types and sizes) -- coil, wrap in burlap before shipment.

Cleaner, drum, portable, gasoline engine driven -- pack for overseas shipment according to TM-5-9711.

Twister, wire, bag tie, heavy spring return -- packaged in lots of 6.

Wire, bag tie double loop, 14 gauge, 7" long -- shipped in rolls of 5000 each.

Gasket, filler plug, all types and sizes;	) in packages
Plugs, steel drum all types;	) not to exceed
Tags, marking, all types;	) 100 pounds in
Clips, marking tag, zinc plated	) weight

5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-14A (US Navy Specification 39P16a).

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SIGNAL

- * 1. All items to be shipped from the theater will be processed in accordance with pertinent publications. This processing will include corrosion proofing, waterproof packaging and moisture and fungi-proofing of equipment, parts and supplies as indicated in existing directives, in special publications and technical manuals. Attention is specifically directed to instructions contained in the following:
 - a. TB-SIG 13 "Moisture and Fungi Proofing of Signal Corps Equipment" and changes thereto.
 - b. Sig C Spec 72-0-1 "Preparation of Gasoline and Diesel Engines, Components of Power Units for Storage and Shipment" w/amendment No. 1 dated 11 Feb 44.
 - c. Sig C Spec 72-0-6 "Signal Pack".
 - d. Sig C Spec 72-0-7 "Standard Pack".
 - e. US Army Spec No. 100-14A Army-Navy General Specifications.
 - f. ASF Manual M-406 "Corrosion Prevention Processing and Packaging".
 - g. "Requisitioning and Marking Supplies for Overseas Shipments", file reference AG 400.161 (5-19-43).
 - h. Special packaging specifications to be made available.
- * 2. Packages in original containers, moisture/vapor proof packed, will not be opened to moisture and fungi-proof the contents.

TRANSPORTATION

Processing Standards for shipments of Transportation Equipment should be the same as those employed in making shipments from the United States. In Shipments made to another theater this is especially true due to the length of exposure and the climatic conditions to be encountered. Packaging and packing should be in accordance with US Army Specification Number 100-14A, 15 February 1943.

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Drums, inflammable, liquid, steel, capacity 55 gallons, ship as single items when shipped full or empty, all plugs wrench tight.

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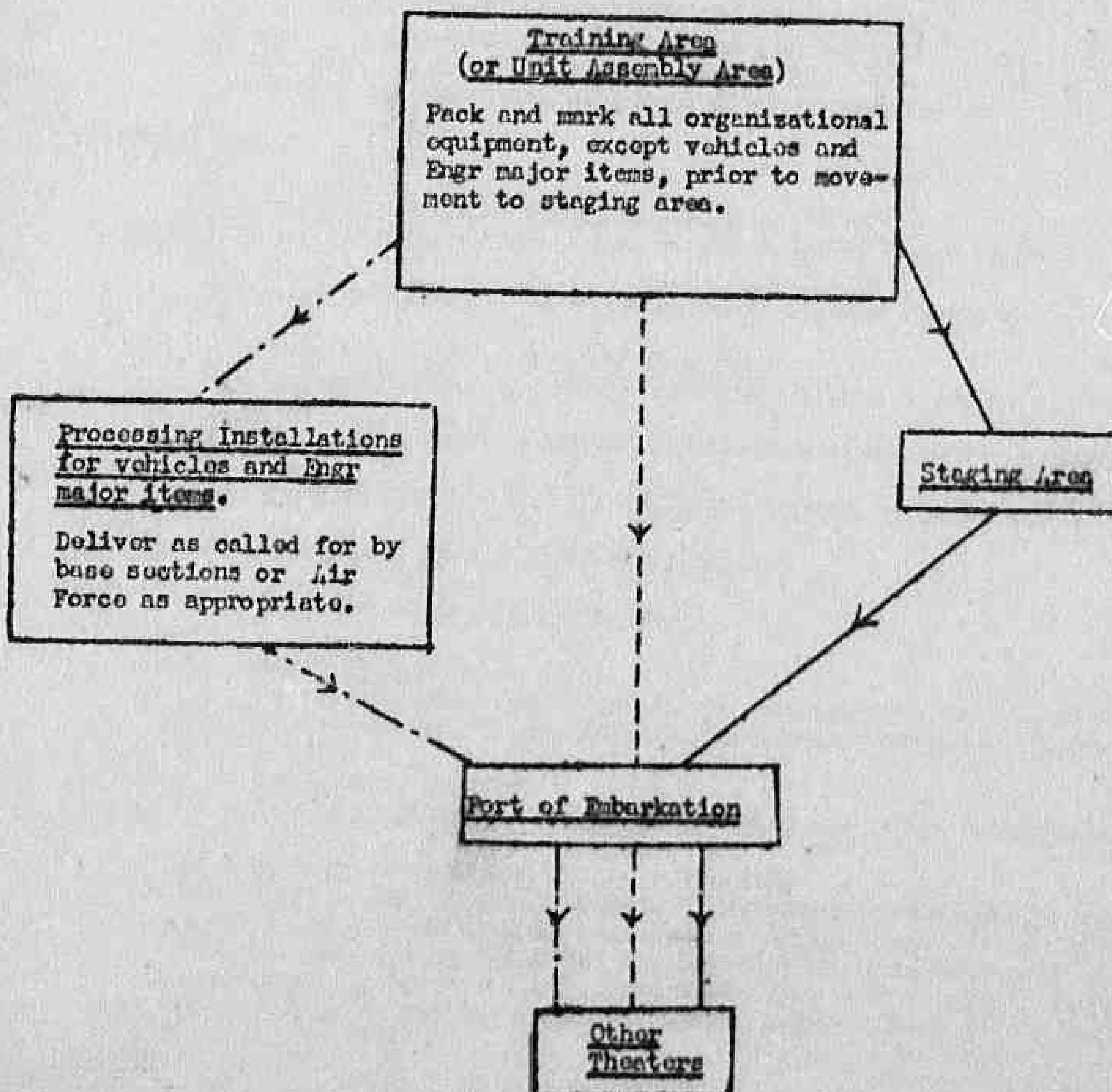
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ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT FLOW CHART
(Category II units being redeployed directly)

LEGEND

- > Minimum essential equipment accompanying units.
- >----- Balance of organizational equipment
- Vehicles and Engr major items



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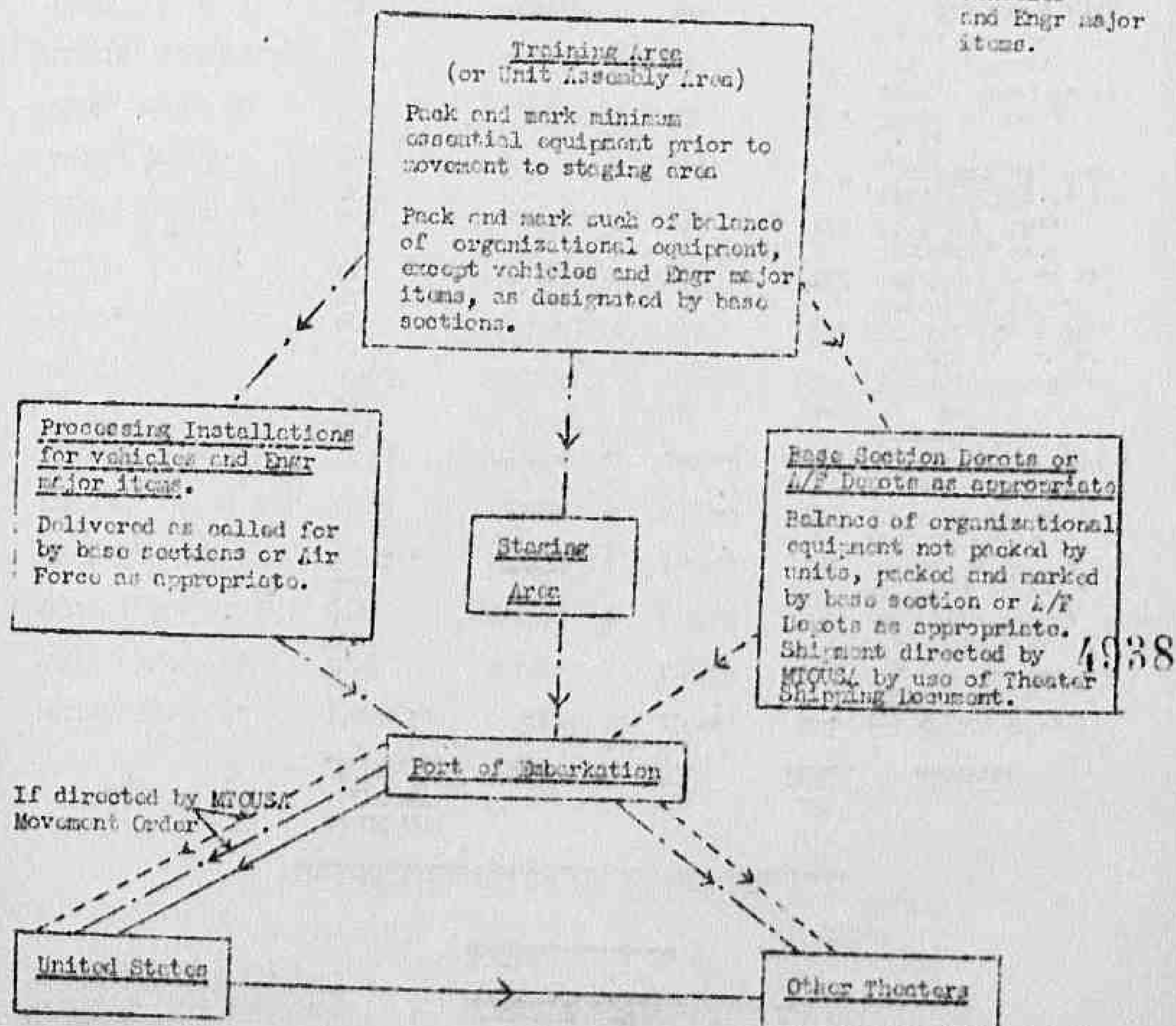
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ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT FLOW CHART

(Category II units being redeployed
 thru the U.S.)

LEGEND

- > Minimum
 essential
 equipment
 accompanying
 unit
 - - - - -> Balance
 of organiza-
 tional equip-
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 -> Vehicles
 and Engr major
 items.



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NAME	GRADE AND ARM OR SERVICE	ASN	CO	MCS NO	ASR SCORE	ADDRESS
MILLER, Frank T.	Lt. Col. FA	043211	Hq	1193-5	181	641 Spring St., Boston, Mass.
MAYER, Simon F.	Capt FA	066666	B	1193-7	180	65, 8th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
BILLUPS, Samuel S.	Capt CAC	098765	B	1172-7	175	21 Turner Drive, Trenton, N. J.
HORSMAN, Harry A.	1st Lt.	077777	A	1542-8	173	RFD No 6, Sleepy Hollow, N. Y.
HEADLESS, Charles D.	2d Lt	063883	C	1542-9	169	196 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn, N. Y.
WANSFIELD, Thomas A.	2d Lt Cav	099962	A	1620-9	198	207 Lindbergh Ave. Newport, Del.
** JONES, William	** S Sgt FA	** 1234567	Hq	** 502	** 187	** 145 Railroad St., Jertortam, N. Y.
FRIED, Emanuel M.	Sgt FA	7654321	C	502	181	207 Van Buren St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
NIRVEN, John F.	Op1	2345678	B	405	182	607 Burnett Ave., Syracuse, N. Y.
ALTON, Joseph P.	Pfc QMC	8432123	C	835	180	2105 38th St., Long Island, N. Y.
ADAMS, John L.	Pfc Sig C	5556667	B	569	167	450 Court St, Utica N. Y.
BECO, Robert H.	Pfc	2883662	C	014	167	85 Ocean Ave., Jersey City, N. J.
CAPILL, Arthur B.	Pfc FA	999443	A	844	169	RFD #2, Reno, N. Y.
HECK, George T.	Pfc FA	5432123	B	844	172	RFD #1, Reno, N.Y.
ANDERSEN, Christian	Pvt Inf	32024076	D	745	174	Penn Ave, Medford L.I., N. Y.
GRUCY, Henry J.	Pvt FA	32828305	B	844	177	19 Tompkins Ave, Yonkers, N. Y.
CRESCO, Julio	Pvt Inf	32163917	D	745	179	222-423 3rd Ave, New York, N. Y.
BURDECK, Joseph F.	Pvt Cav	33113850	C	1736	184	416 16th St, Bever Falls, N. Y.
FARMILL, Joseph T.	Pvt QMC	33178372	A	835	183	141 Christment Rd, Binghamton, N.Y.
GIMELER, William A.	Pvt Sig C	12017988	B	560	189	Renkenkorn, L.I., N. Y.
KING, Thomas J.	Pvt	6785651	C	745	186	133-01 Sanford Ave., Flushing, N.Y.

(List remaining members of unit to be assigned to this group)

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- Note 1: Prepare similar lists for each reception station accounting for all members of the unit. The list for each reception station will be prepared on a separate stencil or group of stencils.
- Note 2: The format illustrated may be modified to permit use of addressing equipment to impress data on stencils provided all information indicated is given. The following is required: (1) Names will be listed in the first column; (2) addresses will be listed in the last column; and (3) a minimum 1 1/2 inches space will be left on the right of the list to permit, when practicable, re-use of the stencils for other purposes at installations in the United States.

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Date _____

Organizational Designation _____

Shipment Number _____

T/O & E and changes thereto_____

*Items Authorized For Return. (Current nomenclature and model No. where applicable)	Quantities Authorized For Return. (Normally the authorized allowance of the item.)	Quantity Actually Shipped	Shortages	Remarks (Any pertinent remarks as to the status of any item.)

(Signature of Unit Commander)

Note: When the MTOUSA movement order directs return with full organizational equipment, the Report of Equipment Authorized for Return will indicate complete T/O & E equipment and shortages thereof; whereas, when the MTOUSA movement order directs return with minimum essential equipment only, report will indicate allowances of minimum essential equipment only and shortages thereof. In all cases where the organization holds authorized substitute items in place of specified items, make separate entries for items specified by T/E and authorized substitutes on hand, in order to clearly indicate what substitutes are held in place of specified items.

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CHECK LIST FOR UNIT COMMANDERS

CATEGORY II UNITS BEING REDEPLOYED DIRECTLY TO ANOTHER THEATER (A UNITS)
 (A Guide Based on Sequence Of Principal Actions)

Action to be taken upon receipt of Warning Or Movement Orders	Reference in Circ #14		Action Completed Or Remarks
	Para	Page	
1. High-score Personnel cleared from units.	9c	9-10	
2. Personnel requisitioned to fill vacancies.	9f 10a	10 29-30	
3. Intelligence officer appointed.	16	22	
4. Last sentence of A.W. 28 read to all personnel and explained.	9a(1) 4(2)	4	
5. Personnel acquainted with Section VIII, AR 380-5.	14a	22	
6. Special security instructions complied with.	17	22	
7. Showdown inspection of clothing and equipment held.	10b(1)	11	
8. Determine combat serviceability of clothing and equipment and repaired equipment to maximum extent.	10a	11	
9. Requisitions for shortages of clothing and equipment prepared.	10b(2)	11	
10. Vehicles delivered to Ordnance processing plants.	11c	14-15	
11. Engr heavy equipment delivered to FBS installations and processed.	11d	15	4936
12. Excess items cleaned and turned in.	10b(5)	12	
13. Markings and Identification of equipment removed.	17d	23	
14. Medical requirements accomplished.	9b(1) 4(2)	4-5	
15. Identification tags completed.	9b(3)	6	
16. Immunization accomplished and entered on Immunization Registers.	9a(5) 4(6)	6-7	

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Action to be taken upon receipt of Warning or Movement Orders	Reference in Circ #14		Action Completed Or Remarks
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17. Individuals with venereal disease processed.	9b(7)	7-8	
18. Spectacles requirements met.	9b(8)	8	
19. Dental treatment accomplished.	9b(9)	8	
20. List of personnel and physical profile serials prepared.	9b(10)	8	
21. Organizational impedimenta packed and prepared for shipment.	11a	13	
22. Authorized recreational equipment, washing machines and orientation materials packed.	32	33-34	
23. Organizational impedimenta marked.	13	19-21	
24. Unit Commander's Shortage List prepared and forwarded.	10b(3) 8(4)	11-12	
25. Service Records checked and completed.	36a,b,c	35-36	
26. All classified documents packed or disposed of.	14b	22	
27. Complied with baggage limitations.	24a,b,c	25	
28. Excess baggage disposed of.	24e	26	
29. Baggage list prepared for all hold baggage and distributed.	24g	26	
30. Packing lists prepared.	12a	16-17	
31. Consolidated packing lists prepared and distributed.	12b	17-18	
32. Shipping Data Form prepared and forwarded.	12c	19	
33. Shipping information furnished base section and movement to port coordinated with Tpm Off, base section.	19,20,21	24	
34. Unit fund accounts closed and audited.	31a	32	
35. Surplus unit property disposed of.	31b	32-33	

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Action to be taken upon receipt of Warning or Movement Orders	Reference in Circ #14		Action Completed Or Remarks
	Para.	Page	
36. Complied with postal regulations and preparation of forms.	26	27-28	
37. Disposed of unit records.	28	29	
38. Individual identification cards checked and in possession of individuals.	34	34-35	
39. Locator cards made out and distributed.	36g	38	
40. WD AGO Form 41 made out and forwarded if required.	36i	39	
41. WD AGO Form 43 made out and distributed.	36j	39	
42. Local currency exchanged for US yellow seal dollars.	15b	22	
43. Complied with instructions on evacuation of property.	38e	41	
44. Preparation and distribution of passenger lists completed.	36m	40	
45. Certificate furnished port commander that no restricted items are in baggage.	24f	26	
46. Insured that individual weapons, steel helmets and gas masks are in hands of troops upon embarkation and cleaning materials available.	25a(1)	27	
47. Insured that cameras are not accessible to personnel aboard vessel.	15c	22	
48. Each officer and enlisted man carries necessary forms.	36d	36-37	
49. Pre-embarkation health certificate prepared 48 hours prior to sailing.	9b (11)	9	
50. Last Morning Report submitted with appropriate remarks.	36h	38	
51. Ammo for guard purposes loaded aboard ship.	25b	27	

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Action to be taken upon receipt of Warning or Movement Orders	Reference in Circ #14		Action Completed Or Remarks
	Para.	Page	
52. One days "K" ration issued to each individual prior to embarkation.	25c	27	
53. Mosquito control equipment procured and loaded.	25d	27	
54. Tools loaded.	25e	27	
55. Gas protective equipment loaded.	25f	27	
56. Maps procured and loaded.	25g	27	

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APPENDIX "R" to Hq MTOUSA Redeployment Circular #14

CHECK LIST FOR UNIT COMMANDERS

**CATEGORY II UNITS BEING REDEPLOYED THRU OR BEING RETURNED
TO THE UNITED STATES (B UNITS)**
(A Guide Based On Sequence Of Principal Actions)

Action to be taken upon receipt of Turning or Movement Orders	Reference in Circ #14		Action Completed Or Remarks
	Para.	Page	
1. High-score personnel cleared from units.	9c	9-10	
2. Personnel requisitioned to fill vacancies.	9f 30a	10 29-30	
3. Intelligence officer appointed.	16	22	
4. Last sentence of A.W. 28 read to all personnel and explained.	9a(1)&(2)	4	
5. Personnel acquainted with Section VIII, AR 380-5.	14a	22	
6. Special security instructions complied with.	18	23	
7. Detachment organized.	35a & b	35	
8. Showdown inspection of clothing and equipment held.	10c(1)	12	
9. Combat serviceability of clothing and equipment determined and equipment repaired to maximum extent.	10a	11	
10. Requisitions for shortages of clothing and equipment prepared.	10c(1)	12	
11. Excess items cleaned and turned in.	10c(2)	12	
12. Medical requirements accomplished.	9b(1)&(2)	4-5	
13. Identification tags completed.	9b(3)	6	
14. Immunization accomplished and entered on Immunization Registers.	9b(5)&(6)	6-7	
15. Individuals with venereal disease processed.	9b(7)	7-8	
16. Spectacles requirements met.	9b(8)	8	
17. Dental treatment accomplished.	9b(9)	8	
18. List of personnel and physical profile serials prepared.	9b(10)	8	

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Action to be taken upon receipt of Warning or Movement Orders	Reference in Circ #14		Action Completed Or Remarks
	Para.	Page	
19. Organizational impediments packed and prepared for shipment.	11b	13	
20. Authorized recreational equipment washing machines and orientation materials packed.	32	33-34	
21. Organizational impediments marked.	13	19-21	
22. Records of individual clothing and equipment prepared.	10c(6)	13	
23. Report of Equipment Authorized for Return prepared and forwarded.	10c(3)&(4)	12-13	
24. Service Records checked and completed.	36a, b, c,	35-36	
25. All classified documents packed or disposed of.	14b	22	
26. Baggage limitations complied with and excess baggage disposed of.	24a, b, c, e, h, i, j, k	25-26	
27. Inspections and forms for customs clearance accomplished.	9g	10	
28. Baggage list prepared for all hold baggage and distributed.	24g	26	
29. Packing lists prepared.	12a	16-17	
30. Consolidated packing lists prepared and distributed.	12b	17-18	
31. Shipping Data Form prepared and forwarded	12c	19	
32. Shipping information furnished base section and movement to port coordinated with Tpn Off., base section.	19, 20, 21	24	
33. Unit fund accounts closed and audited.	31a	32	
34. Surplus unit property disposed of.	31b	32-33	
35. Postal regulations and preparation of forms complied with.	26b	28	
36. Unit records disposed of.	28	29	

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Action to be taken upon receipt of Warning or Movement Orders.	Reference in Circ #14		Action Completed Or Remarks
	Para.	Page	
37. Individual identification cards checked and in possession of individuals.	34	34-35	
38. Locator cards made out and distributed.	36g	38	
39. WD AGO Form #41 made out and forwarded, if required.	36d	39	
40. Local currency exchanged for US Yellow seal dollars.	15b	22	
41. Instructions on evacuation of property complied with.	38o	41	
42. Passenger lists prepared and distributed.	36m	40	
43. Certificate furnished port commander that 24f no restricted items are in baggage.		26	
44. Insured that necessary records accompany unit.	36f	37	
45. Personnel roster prepared.	36k	39	
46. Each officer and enlisted man carries necessary forms.	36d	36-37	
47. Pre-embarkation health certificate prepared 48 hours prior to sailing.	9b(11)	9	
48. Last Morning Report submitted with appropriate remarks.	36h	38	
49. Ammo for guard purposes loaded aboard ship.	25b	27	
50. One days "K" rations issued to each individual prior to embarkation.	25c	27	

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APPENDIX "B" to MTCUSL
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Marking and Shipping of Organizational Equipment for ASF Units Redeployed
Indirectly

1. Balance of organizational equipment for ASF units being redeployed indirectly through the United States will be marked for type units and shipped as type unit assemblies.
2. Basis for shipment will be furnished by WD letters which will indicate the type unit and the proper address overseas.
3. Markings will be as follows:
 - a. Overseas address will be indicated by the use of a four digit shipment number in the 7,000 series preceded by the letter U.
 - b. Component parts of a major type unit will be indicated by a letter separated by a dash.
 - c. Service designation will be shown by using the service abbreviation Air separated by a dash.
 - d. Example:

U - 7321 - A - AIR, U - 7321 - B - AIR would indicate equipment for squadrons comprising a group.
 - e. ASF equipment included in type unit assemblies will be additionally marked to indicate the appropriate technical service.
 - (1) Example:

U - 7321 - A - AIRCRO
 - f. No service color markings will be placed on containers; however, the shipment number and letter will be underlined with a blue line approximately two inches in width.

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NUMBER 2)

21 June 1945

READJUSTMENT OF PERSONNEL AFTER DEFEAT OF GERMANY

MTOUZA Redeployment Circular Number 2, dated 20 May 1945, is further changed as follows:

1. Paragraphs 11d and 11e are rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"d. A report on officers and enlisted personnel on forms prescribed in Exhibit 1-0, HR 1-1, Change No. 1, will be rendered on required personnel of Category IV elements who have not been appropriately reassigned to Category I or II elements, and for whom an immediate assignment to a Category I or II element does not exist. Score groups for officers will be 0 to 75, 76 to 100, and 101 and over. Enlisted personnel reported on will exclude those with specific MOS reported under paragraph e below.

e. A similar report will be rendered on specific military occupation specializations as required by WD Ltr AG MR-M 220.0 (10 May 1945), dated 12 May 1945, subject: "Reports to US War Department Acquired by Par 30B (1) HR 1-1, 15 February 1945." This report will be made by MOS in numerical sequence, showing authorized, actual and over or short. In overhead units or where there is no specific MOS breakdown, the actual spread by MOS will be used also as the authorized spread. Proper methods for determining MOS for this report are found in Paragraph 2, Classification Memo No. 1, dated 12 June 1945.

f. Reports in paragraph d and e will be rendered in triplicate and consolidated by each major command. One copy of the report will be furnished direct to this headquarters and two (2) copies direct to the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA. Report will be rendered as of the end of each month commencing 30 June 1945 so as to reach this headquarters not later than the 10th of each month. Negative reports will be submitted.

g. Major Commanders will report to this headquarters those non-required officers and enlisted personnel (MAC personnel are to be reported separately), other than those assigned to Category II elements, who are qualified to perform efficiently and who have expressed a desire for assignment to another theater, giving name, grade, AST, organization, MOS, ASRC score, and race. Such reports will be rendered on the dates prescribed in paragraph d above, and in triplicate, one copy of which will be forwarded to the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, for information."

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CHANGE NO. 1 TO)
REDEPLOYMENT CIRCULAR)
NUMBER 6)

29 June 1945

SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE PLAN

Paragraph 10, Section I, MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 6, 1945, is amended by the addition of the following:

"d. Informing the major commands of the estimated dates on which unit equipment to be processed and/or packed by the base section must be delivered to the base section."

"e. Informing the major command of any deferment in the Impedimenta Readiness Date prescribed in the Movement Order which may become possible by reason of delays in availability of shipping or other circumstances which develop subsequent to the issuance of the Movement Order."

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REDEPLOYMENT CIRCULAR)

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10 June 1945

SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE PLAN

Supply Plan I
Repair and Rehabilitation of Material and Equipment II

HTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 6, dated 10 May 1945, is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. General

a. In accomplishment of the supply mission on and after commencement of redeployment and readjustment each major command in HTOUSA will continue to perform its functions in accordance with current directives and procedures except for changes as may be noted herein. Such portions of previous supply, repair and rehabilitation plans issued by this headquarters regarding redeployment and readjustment as are inconsistent with this directive are rescinded.

b. The assignment of responsibilities listed herein covers only major operations necessary for the accomplishment of the mission of redeployment and readjustment in HTOUSA and is not all inclusive.

c. For the purpose of this directive a base command will be considered a base section, and both will be considered major commands.

d. Air Force technical supplies are excluded from provisions of this directive excepting insofar as general instructions contained herein are applicable and appropriate. Separate detailed instructions for these items will be issued by Commanding General, AAP/MTO.

1 -- SUPPLY PLAN

2. References and Basis

a. References

(1) Annex A (Supply Plan) attached as an inclosure to WD letter, SO 400 (2 Apr 45) OE-S-2-B, 7 April 1945, subject: "War Department Policies and Procedures Governing the Redeployment of the Army upon the Cessation of Hostilities in Europe".

(2) Annex B (Redeployment Movements) First Revision, attached as an inclosure to WD letter AG 370.5 (25 Apr 45) O-D-S-2-U, 2 May 1945, subject: "Revision of Annex B (Redeployment Movements)".

Supply Plan I
 Repair and Rehabilitation of Materiel and Equipment II
 HTUSA Redeployment Circular Number 6, dated 10 May 1945, is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. General

- a. In accomplishment of the supply mission on and after commencement of redeployment and readjustment each major command in HTUSA will continue to perform its functions in accordance with current directives and procedures except for changes as may be noted herein. Such portions of previous supply, repair and rehabilitation plans issued by this headquarters regarding redeployment and readjustment as are inconsistent with this directive are rescinded.
- b. The assignment of responsibilities listed herein covers only major operations necessary for the accomplishment of the mission of redeployment and readjustment in HTUSA and is not all inclusive.
- c. For the purpose of this directive a base command will be considered a base section, and both will be considered major commands.
- d. Air Force technical supplies are excluded from provisions of this directive excepting insofar as general instructions contained herein are applicable and appropriate. Separate detailed instructions for these items will be issued by Commanding General, AAF/ATO.

I -- SUPPLY PLAN

2. References and Basis

a. References

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 - (2) Annex B (Redeployment Movements) First Revision, attached as an inclosure to WD letter AG 370.5 (25 Apr 45) OF-S-E-B, 2 May 1945, subject: "Revision of Annex B (Redeployment Movements)".
- b. Basis - This directive is based on the above references which may be consulted for additional information.

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3. Theater Supply from the Zone of Interior - Supplies which have been requisitioned for continued theater needs in accordance with MTOUSA Supply Directive Number 13, 1945, and Annex A, will be delivered as scheduled. Other supplies will be diverted by supply agencies in the Zone of Interior.

4. Theater Excess, Surplus and Salvage Supplies and Equipment

a. Theater excess supplies and equipment will be disposed of in accordance with MTOUSA Supply Directive Number 1, 1945, or current revisions thereof.

b. Theater surplus and salvage supplies and equipment will be disposed of in accordance with MTOUSA Supply Directive Number 14, 1945, or current revisions thereof.

5. Basis for Issue to Units and Shipment with Units

a. Theater requirements as a basis for requisitioning against the Zone of Interior will be computed to include only those supplies needed to maintain troops currently in the theater plus the minimum essential equipment and T/E 21 items to be shipped with directly redeployed units, and health and comfort items for indirectly redeployed units. Separate instructions for computing requirements have been issued to the Chiefs of Technical Services, MTOUSA.

b. The basis for issue of organizational equipment to units, and for shipment of organizational equipment and replacement supplies with units being redeployed, is indicated in Inclosure 1. It is not intended that Inclosure 1 be used as a basis for requisitioning against the Zone of Interior, but only as a guide in determining the basis for issue and shipment of supplies.

6. Packing, Marking and Shipment of Supplies and Equipment

a. Packing and Marking of Organizational Supplies and Equipment

(1) Category II units being redeployed direct to another theater will pack and mark all of their organizational supplies and equipment, excepting vehicles as provided in paragraph (4) below, regardless of whether or not such supplies and equipment are to precede, accompany or follow the unit. These supplies and equipment will be packed and marked in accordance with MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14, and MTOUSA Movement Orders unless otherwise directed by this headquarters.

(2) Category II Units being redeployed through the United States and Category II and IV Units being returned to the United States will pack and mark their minimum essential equipment (as listed in Redeployment Circulars Number 14 and 15) and such additional equipment to accompany them as is listed in the MTOUSA Movement Order. In addition to the foregoing, units will pack such of the balance of organizational supplies and equipment as may be designated in instructions from the base sections. In such instances all supplies and equipment will be combat serviceable. Necessary instructions for packing, marking and delivery to appropriate depots will be furnished by base sections.

(3) Balance of organizational supplies and equipment not packed by the unit in accordance with paragraph (2) above will be turned in through normal supply channels. All supplies and equipment turned in by units will be complete and serviceable to the extent of the availability of component items in current stock and the repair facilities of the organization retaining such supplies and equipment.

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Eq II USA Redeployment Circular #6 (Cont'd)

(1) Vehicles - Processing and packing of vehicles and major items of Engineer equipment will be performed at base section or Air Force processing installations as provided in MIOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 12.

b. Shipment of Organizational Supplies and Equipment

(1) Category II Units being Redeployed Direct

(a) Personnel with accompanying Minimum Essential Equipment will be shipped in one convoy.

(b) Balance of organizational equipment will be force-marched and shipped in a separate convoy (loaded in a single ship if possible) to arrive as nearly as possible at the same time as the unit. Normally, fast cargo ships will leave 15 days and slow convoy ships 35 days prior to the departure of personnel.

(2) Category II Units being Redeployed Indirectly through the United States

(a) Army Ground and Service Force Units

1. Minimum Essential Equipment will accompany troops.
2. Balance of organizational equipment will be shipped in bulk and planned for units arriving in the Pacific during each thirty day period. Shipments will be scheduled to arrive at theater of destination prior to or at the same time as the unit. Shipments will be made by appropriate depots as directed by this headquarters on Theater Shipping Documents based on War Department Shipping Orders.

(b) Army Air Force Units

1. Minimum Essential Equipment will accompany troops.
2. Balance of organizational equipment (both AAF and ASF procured) will be type unit marked and shipped as type unit assemblies. (Inclosure Number 3).

c. Packing and Marking of Replacement Supplies

(1) Replacement supplies will be packed and marked by appropriate depots as directed by this headquarters on Theater Shipping Documents based on War Department Shipping Orders.

d. Shipment of Replacement Supplies

(1) Army Air Force Units

(a) Sixty (60) days Class IV E Supplies, (listed in AAF Combat Supply Tables) will be shipped with organizational equipment and in the same ship, as directed by AAF/MTG.

(2) All other Replacement Supplies for AAF, ASF and ASF Units

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(a) Will be bulk shipped as directed by this headquarters or AAF/DO as appropriate, on theater Shipping Documents based on War Department Shipping Orders.

7. Responsibilities of the Commanding General, MTOUSA - The Commanding General, MTOUSA, will be responsible for:

a. SUPPLY

(1) The compilation of reports of theater stock position as directed by the War Department. These reports will be compiled from those received from the major commands in accordance with MTOUSA Supply Directive Number 2, 1945, or current revisions thereof.

(2) The compilation of reports of theater excess and surplus stock position suitable for transmission to the War Department or other theaters according to present procedures and current revisions or as directed by the War Department.

(3) The review of War Department and MTOUSA approved operational projects, SLOE and theater T/E's and special issues, and issuance of necessary instructions regarding turn-in of supplies and equipment no longer required.

b. Equipping of Units

(1) The designation of specific units which fall within certain low priority categories, and the publication of such lists as a basis for withdrawal of supplies and equipment within each major command as provided in paragraph 6f (2) (a) (Procedure for Equipping of Units).

(2) The provision of shortages of authorized equipment and supplies, as requisitioned by base sections by:

(a) Directing shipment from the depot stocks of another base section or command.

(b) Directing the withdrawal and shipment from units of another base section or command.

(c) Directing withdrawal from previously undesignated units within the base section or command submitting the requisition.

(d) Preparation and forwarding of the Theater Shortage List as prescribed in MTOUSA Staff Memorandum Number 31, 1945, subject: "Standing Operating Procedure for Processing Theater Shortage Lists and Reports of Equipment Authorized for Return" and Staff Memorandum Number 33, 1945, same subject, and amendments thereto. The shipment of a unit will not be delayed because of the shortage of any item of supply or equipment.

c. Theater Shortage List for Category II Units being Redeployed Direct to Another Theater

(1) Theater Shortage Lists will be prepared and forwarded as prescribed in MTOUSA Staff Memoranda Numbers 31 and 33 referred to in sub-paragraph (d) above. Negative reports are desired.

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(2) The Theater Shortage List will contain the following information:

(a) The unit designation and code designation of the unit concerned.

(b) The basis for such equipment (T/E, T/O and E, SLOE, as modified by competent authority.)

(c) The items of equipment short (except T/E 21 items) tabulated by supply services, and by critical and non-critical items. Critical items are those items reported in accordance with WD letter AG 400 (13 March 1945) OB-S-D-II, 16 March 1945, subject: "Overseas Supply Reports" and amendments thereto.

(d) The approximate date the unit is expected to arrive at the theater of destination.

d. Report of Equipment Authorized for Return

(1) Copies of Report of Equipment Authorized for Return will be received from major commands for all Category II units being redeployed through the United States and for all Category II and Category IV units being returned to the United States, as provided in paragraph 3c (2) (c) and will be reviewed and forwarded as prescribed in MTOUSA Staff Memoranda Numbers 31 and 33, referred to in paragraph 7b (2) (d) above.

e. Shipping of Supplies and Equipment

(1) The estimation of long range requirements for the positioning and allocation of shipping based on the Redeployment Forecasts.

(2) The placing of available shipping as required by War Department movement orders.

(3) The issuing of necessary Theater Shipping Documents, or MTOUSA Shipping Orders, according to current MTOUSA Supply Directives, for all supplies and equipment to support redeployed units or as directed by the War Department.

f. Inspection - The making of such inspections as may be necessary to insure compliance with War Department and MTOUSA Redeployment supply directives and instructions.

8. Responsibilities of Major Commands - All major commands will be responsible for normal functions, such additional actions as redeployment may require and those specifically enumerated hereafter.

a. General

(1) Maintenance of necessary records and submission of required reports to insure that the Commanding General, MTOUSA, is readily informed at all times of the status of supplies for units or personnel scheduled for redeployment. MINT procedures as provided in letter, this headquarters file AG 400.192/650 D-O, 27 April 1945, subject: "Material in Hands of Troops and Ammunition Status and Expenditure Reports" will remain in effect.

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(2) Distribution to all units of redeployment supply directives, instructions and publications necessary for the complete understanding, preparation and execution of redeployment movements.

(3) Necessary action to insure that stocks in Air Force and Army depots are reduced as rapidly as possible, and all such depots closed out as soon as units under these commands can be supplied directly from base section depots.

b. Supply - The continued supply of troops remaining under their command by submission of necessary requisitions and proper control of stock inventories and stock status reports, in accordance with HQUA Supply Directive Number 2, 1945, or revisions thereof.

c. Reports and Turn-in of Equipment to Base Depots

(1) In order that supply requirements and availability for reequipping and status of serviceability of all supplies and equipment may be ascertained, necessary action will be taken immediately by all major commands to report to the nearest appropriate base section the items listed below. Reports will, whenever practicable, indicate the property classification of the items as defined in paragraph 12, Section II.

(a) All items held as battle reserves.

(b) All issues of supplies and equipment in excess of authorized allowances made under authority of HQUA Supply Directive Number 7, 1945, which are no longer required.

(c) Unserviceable supplies and equipment requiring 3rd, 4th or 5th echelon repairs, not normally repaired by the unit concerned.

(d) All replacement supplies and equipment in excess of current needs.

(e) Materials handling equipment, except that held by Air Force units, such as cranes and roller conveyors now in hands of other than base section units and approximate dates when they will no longer be required.

d. Repair of Items Turned in by Units - Units will be directed to clean, repair and complete all items to the extent of availability of component parts in current stock and the repair facilities of the unit prior to turn-in to depots.

e. Priority of Equipping Units

(1) In order to insure maximum use of resources during redeployment the following priorities are established:

(a) Equipment for troop units under movement order for shipment direct to active theaters.

(b) Equipment and supplies directed shipped to active theaters by Theater Shipping Documents.

(c) Equipment for occupational forces.

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(d) Equipment, as directed by movement orders, for troop units to be returned to the United States for station.

(e) Equipment necessary for training of Category II units pending movement out of the theater.

(f) Equipment and supplies directed shipped to the United States by Theater Shipping Documents.

(g) Equipment, as directed by movement orders, for units being returned to the United States for inactivation.

(h) All other requirements.

(2) Priorities within the above general categories will be on a basis of readiness dates as prescribed in the movement orders, i.e., after the general category has been determined, requisitions from units within that category will be filled in accordance with the readiness dates prescribed in the movement order, those having the earliest readiness date to be equipped first. If a number of units within the same general category have identical readiness dates, their requisitions will be filled on a basis of dates requisitions are received by supplying agencies.

(3) Packing and crating materials for redeployment purposes will be furnished in accordance with the above priorities for equipment.

f. Procedure for Equipping of Units

(1) Requisitions will be filled in accordance with priorities listed above. Class A or combat serviceable equipment and supplies will be issued to the fullest extent for the supply of Category II units being deployed directly to other theaters. Training serviceable equipment and supplies will be issued to the maximum extent for training purposes for all units in order that maximum amounts of Class A and combat serviceable supplies will be available for shipment to other theaters as directed. Authorized combat serviceable substitutes will be issued whenever necessary and practicable in order to fill a T/E shortage of the standard combat serviceable item for Category II units.

(2) Upon receipt of the MTOUSA Movement Order the following actions will be taken in the order listed below:

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(a) Conduct necessary showdown inspections.

(b) Insure that Unit Commanders Shortage Lists for Category II units being redeployed direct to another theater are prepared as directed in paragraph 10c of Redeployment Circular Number 14 and submitted to the Commanding General MTOUSA (Attention Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4) or Commanding General, AAF/MTO (AAFSC/MTO) as appropriate. Lists will be forwarded in duplicate and by the most expeditious practicable means of communication available, but in any event they will be forwarded so as to reach the headquarters no later than twenty (20) days prior to the departure of the unit from the training or assembly area.

(c) Insure that Reports of Equipment Authorized for Return are prepared for all Category II units being redeployed through the United States and all Category II and Category IV units being returned to the United States as

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directed in paragraph 10c of MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14 and paragraph 9c (3) of MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 15. Eight copies will be forwarded by the most expeditious practicable means of communication available in order that they will be received by the Commanding General, MTOUSA, (for Army Ground and Service Force units) and the Commanding General, AAF/MTO (for Army Air Force units) no later than ten days prior to departure of the unit from the training or assembly area.

(d) Require units to submit requisitions for supplies and equipment necessary to equip to authorized scales as shown in Inclosure Number 1.

(e) Fill all requisitions submitted from depots stocks within their command within the limits of availability, and by withdrawing from low priority units within their command designated by this headquarters as provided in paragraph 7b (1). (Also see inclosure Number 2 for sources of supply)

(f) After resources in (e) above have been exhausted, forward through normal supply channels the necessary requisitions to fill remaining T/E shortages. (i.e., major command to base section to this headquarters)

(g) Conduct final inspections to determine status and serviceability of equipment. As between the major command of the using unit and base sections supplying the item, the major command will be the final judge as to the combat serviceability of any item.

(h) Insure that supplies and equipment are packed and shipped as directed in paragraph 6.

9. Responsibilities of Commanding General, AAF/MTO - In addition to the responsibilities of a major command (paragraph 8), the Army Air Forces, MTO, will perform the following functions:

a. The provisions of Air Corps technical supplies in accordance with precedence established by priority of movement lists and the withdrawal of such supplies from lower priority Air Force units if required for this purpose.

b. Packing and marking all supplies and equipment peculiar to the Air Forces for overseas shipment.

c. The preparation and distribution of "Theater Shortage Lists" for Air Force units as indicated in paragraph 7c.

d. The distribution of the "Report of Equipment Authorized for Return" for Air Force units as indicated in paragraph 7d.

e. Proper processing, packing and marking of vehicles as provided in MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 12.

10. Responsibilities of Base Section - In addition to the responsibilities of a major command (paragraph 8), base sections will be responsible for:

a. Furnishing units with adequate instructions for packing, marking and disposition of any additional supplies and equipment as designated by the base section for the unit to pack and mark as provided in paragraph 6a (2).

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(2) When Italian labor costs cannot be determined, \$.50 an hour will be used as a basis for computation.

(3) Parts costs will be estimated in case the official price cannot be obtained.

b. Parts required to bring the item to the standards of repair defined in paragraph 14 below must be on hand or obtainable within the repair time limit.

c. For items which will be repaired regardless of cost and items which will not be repaired, the provisions of War Department Supply Bulletin 38-1 will govern.

d. The chiefs of the special staff sections, MTOUSA, will issue such instructions as are necessary to amend or enlarge the above.

14. Standards of Repair - Repair and rehabilitation of equipment will be in accordance with current directives. In the absence of specific technical standards, the following guide will be used:

a. Textile items will be clean, properly mended and of suitable appearance. Buttons, ties and fasteners will be serviceable.

b. Deteriorating items will have at least 4 months of serviceability at the estimated date of shipment from the theater.

c. First echelon spare parts will be present with the equipment.

d. Essential tools, appropriate technical manuals, spare parts catalogs and WD lubrication orders should be present with the equipment to the extent available.

e. Equipment should operate with 90% of the original efficiency and should have all essential components present. All War Department Modification Work Orders (MWO's) will be carried out to the maximum extent possible.

f. After repair is accomplished, combat serviceable items should have at least 75% and all other items at least 50% of their original life restored.

g. Safety features will be present and operative.

h. The Chiefs of the special staff sections, MTOUSA, will issue such instructions as are necessary to amend or enlarge the above.

15. Priority for Repair will be the same as the priority for equipping of units as prescribed in paragraph 8 above. Maintenance for supporting troops units will be performed only to the extent necessary for operations but without prejudice to the basic priorities for equipping units.

16. Responsibilities of Commanding General, MTOUSA - The Commanding General, MTOUSA, will be responsible for:

a. The planning for and theater coordination of the repair of all equipment for the redeployment program.

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- b. Furnishing major commands schedules of desired receipt in depots of supplies and equipment reported as provided in paragraph 8c.
- c. Proper processing, packing and marking of vehicles and major items of Engineer equipment as provided in MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 12.

II - REPAIR AND REHABILITATION OF MATERIAL AND EQUIPMENT

11. General Policies (in addition to those in paragraph 1)

- a. Serviceable or economically repairable items which are to move to another theater or to the US will be repaired in MTOUSA to the limit of available facilities. Items to be repaired will be confined to US Army standard types and authorized substitutes.
- b. Items which can be restored to combat serviceable standards will be repaired before repairs are undertaken on items which it is estimated can be restored only to training serviceable standards. US Army standard items requiring the least amount of repair will be reconditioned first, consistent with the priorities of equipping units as outlined in paragraph 8c above.
- c. Depot and repair activities will be concentrated in the vicinity of ports of embarkation when practicable.

12. Property Classification

- a. Class A Property is new property.
- b. Class B Property is used property which falls into one of the following sub-classes:
 - (1) Combat Serviceable Property is that property which has been used but which is of such appearance and which possesses such serviceability as to justify issue for the purpose for which it was originally designed.
 - (2) Training Serviceable Property is that property which is not and cannot be made combat serviceable but which possesses such serviceability and life as to justify issue to troops for training purposes.
- c. Class C Property is used and unserviceable but repairable property, the condition of which justifies reclamation or repair. After repair it may fall within either sub-class of paragraph b above. Class C Property may also be returned to the Zone of Interior if excess to the theater.
- d. Class D Property is unserviceable and economically unrepairable property.

13. Determination of Economical Repairability - The economical repairability of items will be determined in accordance with current directives. In the absence of specific instructions, the following guide will be used:

- a. The estimated cost of repair including materials and labor should not exceed 50% of the original cost of the item.

- (1) Soldier labor will be computed at \$1.50 an hour.

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b. The assignment or reassignment amongst the major commands of service troops and repair facilities in accordance with the work load and as otherwise necessary to secure the maximum efficiency in their use to accomplish the theater repair and rehabilitation mission for redeployment.

17. Responsibilities of Major Commands - The major commands will be responsible for:

a. Maximum utilization of the repair capabilities of all units under their command in order to:

(1) Place material and equipment returned to stocks in clean, complete and serviceable condition.

(2) Reduce to a minimum evacuation to the higher echelon units and shops which will be taxed to the utmost to meet the requirements of redeployment.

b. Inspection and classification of material and equipment in accordance with paragraph 12 by technically qualified personnel.

c. Determination of the economic repairability and priority of repairs for material and equipment in accordance with paragraphs 13 and 15.

d. Compliance with the requirements of approved repair standards as indicated in paragraph 14.

e. Distribution of the work load to utilize to the maximum all repair facilities and maintenance troop units of the command, including assignment or reassignment among the services of repair facilities and troop units when necessary.

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3 Inclosures:

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BASIS OF ISSUE AND SHIPMENT OF

FORCES OR UNITS	BASIS OF INITIAL ISSUE		MTOUSA AUTHORIZED LEVELS FOR REPLACEMENT	SHIPMENT EQUIPMENT
	Until Receipt of Movement Orders	Upon receipt of Movement Orders		
<u>Occupational Forces (Category I)</u>	Latest authorized WD T/O&E and/or SIOE. All items will be combat serviceable.		60 days maximum supply of all classes based on MTOUSA Repl Factor or consumption rate and usage data. Min level to include equipment for 50% expansion of general and station hospitals. Class IV to incl supplies and equipment required for redeployment mission of MTOUSA during Period I.	
<u>All Forces excepting Occupational Forces</u>	As indicated below.	As indicated below.	60 day maximum of all classes based on ZI Repl. Factors	As indicated below.
<u>Civilian Supplier Units being redeployed direct to another theater (Category II)</u>	As approved by War Department	Latest auth WD T/O & E and/or SIOE. To include MTOUSA auth WD T/O & E and/or SIOE orgnl discretionary items, available from theater stocks (except Arctic). Clothing and ind equip for theater of destination as prescribed in T/E 21 and as modified by Mvmt Order. Basic loads for Maint/and Depot Cos (non-organic) will be shipped as prescribed in Mvmt order. All items will be combat serviceable.		Minimum E as proper Balance of marked and possible Class IV Tables) w front of A will be by quarters.
<u>Units being redeployed to another theater thru US (CAT II)</u>	Same as above	Min essential equip based on T/O&E as prescribed in Redep'l't Cir 14. All items to be combat serviceable.		For Army Ground and Serv: Min essential equip will Redeployment Circular 14, and replacement supplies by Theater Shipping Secur able. For AAF Units Not Schedul: Minimum Essential Equip: organizational equipment arrive in the Pacific pri Replacement supplies will direct units. All items

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BASIS OF ISSUE AND SHIPMENT OF ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPLIES

ISSUE on receipt of Grant Orders	HTOUSA AUTHORIZED LEVELS FOR REPLACEMENT	SHIPMENT OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR REDEPLOYED UNITS
	60 days maximum supply of all classes based on HTOUSA Repl Factor or consumption rate and usage data. Min level to include equipment for 50% expansion of general and station hospitals. Class IV to incl supplies and equipment required for redeployment mission of HTOUSA during Period I.	
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sent with WD T/O & E /or SLOE. To include GUSA with WD T/O & E /or SLOE orgnl discre- onary items, available on theater stocks (ex- pt Arctic). Clothing and d equipt for theater of operation as prescribed T/E 21 and as modified Mvt Order. Basic loads r Maint/and Depot Cos (non-organic) will be doped as prescribed in vt order. All items ll be combat serviceable.		Minimum Essential Equipment will accompany units as prescribed in Redeployment Circular No. 14. Balance of organizational equipment will be force marked and shipped so as to arrive as nearly as possible at the same time as the unit. 60 days Class IV E supplies (listed in AAF Combat Supply Tables) will be shipped with organizational equipment of AAF units. All other replacement supplies will be bulk-shipped as directed by this headquarters. All items will be combat serviceable.
Minimum Essential Equipment based on CEE as pre- scribed in Repl't Cir 14 All items to be combat service- able.		<u>For Army Ground and Service Force Units</u> Min essential equipt will accompany units as prescribed in Redeployment Circular 14. Balance of organizational equipment and replacement supplies will be shipped as directed by HTOUSA by Theater Shipping Documents. All items will be combat serviceable. <u>For AAF Units Not Scheduled for Conversion</u> Minimum Essential Equipment will accompany troops. Balance of organizational equipment will be force marked and shipped to arrive in the Pacific prior to or at the same time as the unit. Replacement supplies will be shipped as indicated above for AAF direct units. All items will be combat serviceable.

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	Until Receipt of Movement Orders	Upon Receipt of Movement Orders	
<u>Units awaiting inactivation in MTOUSA or return to US for demobilization. (Cat IV)</u>	Indiv. clothing & equip and such other Class II equip and supplies as directed by CG, MTOUSA to accomplish currently assigned mission. All items to be training serviceable to extent practicable.	Indiv clothing & equip as in Redep't Circ 15. All items to be serviceable and presentable.	
<u>Replacement and Training Requirements for all Forces in MTOUSA</u>			For the period such forces remain in MTOUSA (but not to exceed 12 months in case of units remaining in theater beyond R-Day plus 12 mos) min essential replacement requirements on the equip authorized may be retained based on Repl Factors of ZI. Not to be used as basis for requisitioning on PEB-BARK. Training requirements for spare and other expendable supplies as determined by CG, MTOUSA but not to exceed 12 mos requirements in case of units remaining beyond R-Day plus 12 Mos.

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BASIS OF INITIAL ISSUE	Upon Receipt of Movement Orders	HTOUSA AUTHORIZED LEVELS FOR REPLACEMENT	SHIPMENT OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR REDEPLOYED UNITS
Receipt of Movement Orders and such Class II and supplies as directed by HTOUSA to fulfill assignment. All to be trainable to the extent practicable.	Indiv clothing & equip as in Redep't Circ 15. All items to be serviceable and presentable.		Individual clothing and equipment as outlined in Redeployment Circular No. 15. All items to be serviceable and presentable.
		For the period such forces remain in HTOUSA (but not to exceed 12 months in case of units remaining in theater beyond R-Day plus 12 mos) min essential replacement requirements on the equip authorized may be retained based on Repl Factors of 21. Not to be used as basis for requisitioning on FEEL-BAPE. Training requirements for ammo and other expendable supplies as determined by CG, HTOUSA but not to exceed 12 mos requirements in case of units remaining beyond R-Day plus 12 mos.	

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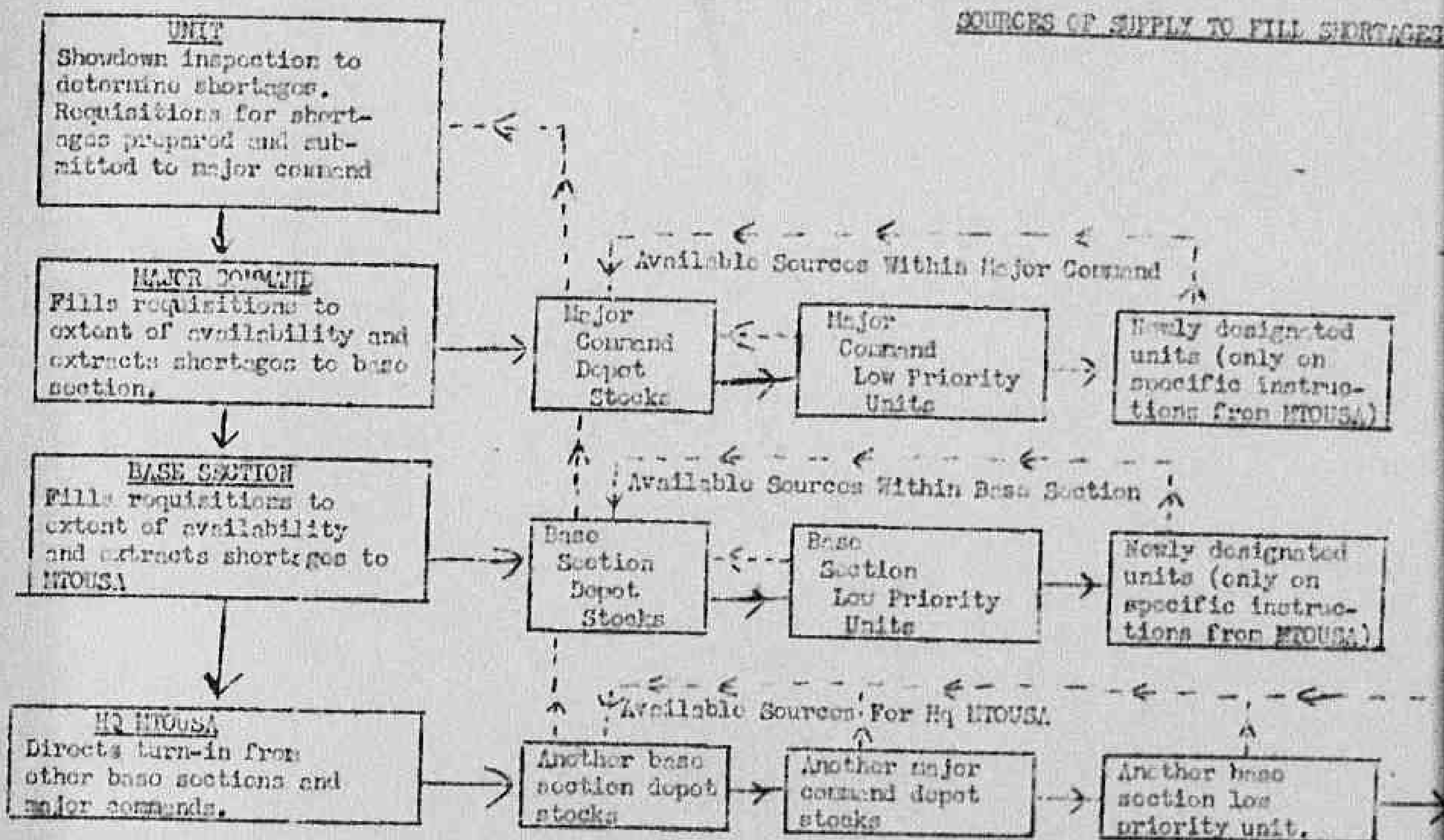
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SOURCES OF SUPPLY TO FILL SHORTAGES

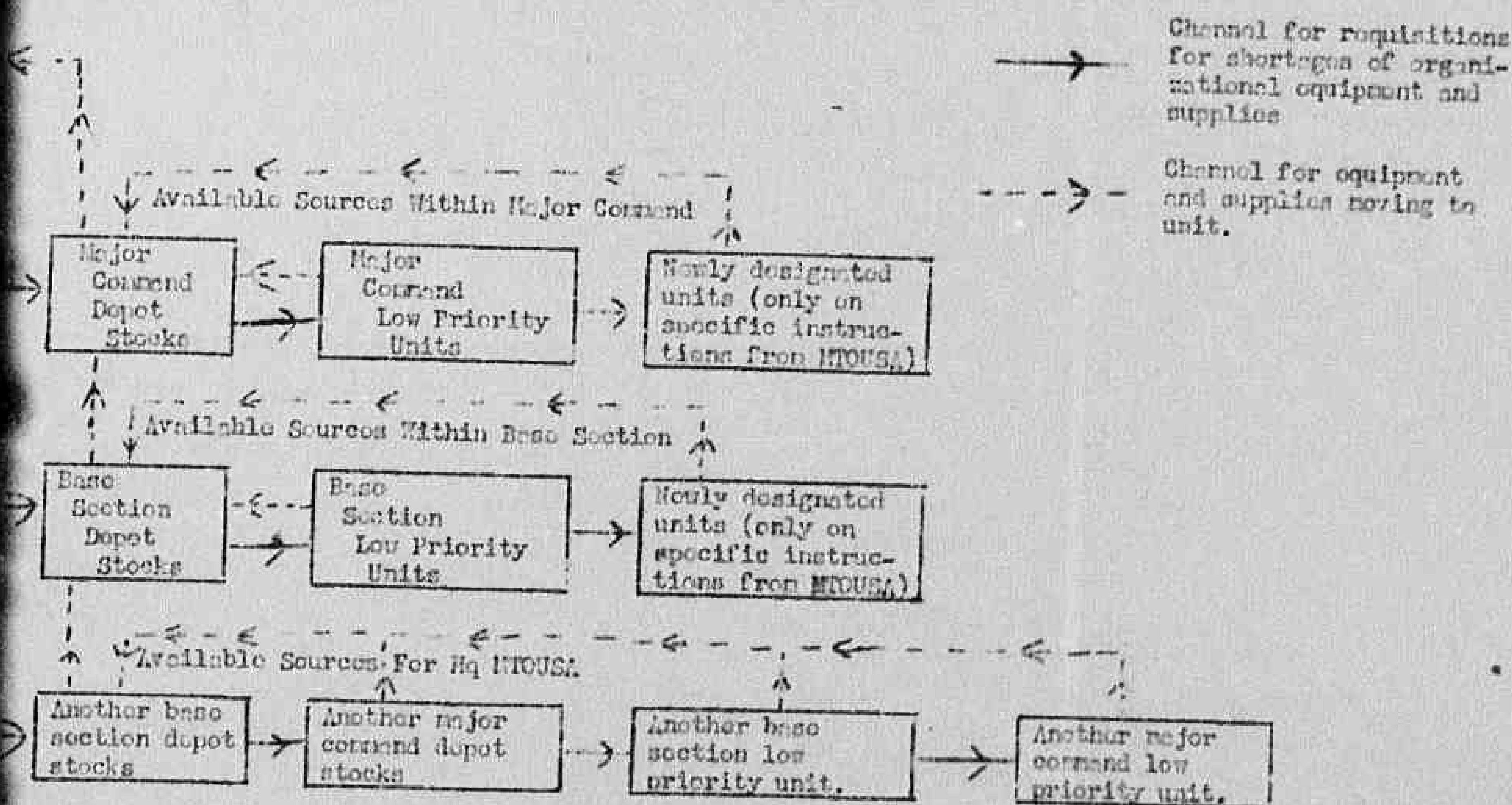


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Reference #3 to Bq MTONS Redeployment Circular #6

Marking and Shipping of Organizational Equipment for AAF Units Redeployed Indirectly

1. Balance of organizational equipment for AAF units being redeployed indirectly through the United States will be marked for type units and shipped as type unit assemblies.
2. Basis for shipment will be furnished by WD letters which will indicate the type unit and the proper address overseas.
3. Markings will be as follows:
 - a. Overseas address will be indicated by the use of a four digit shipment number in the 7,000 series preceded by the letter U.
 - b. Component parts of a major type unit will be indicated by a letter separated by a dash.
 - c. Service designation will be shown by using the service abbreviation Air separated by a dash.
 - d. Example:

U - 7321 - A - AIR, U - 7321 - B - AIR would indicate equipment for squadrons comprising a group.
 - e. ASF equipment included in type unit assemblies will be additionally marked to indicate the appropriate technical service.
 - (1) Example:

U - 7321 - A - AIRORD
 - f. No service color markings will be placed on containers; however, the shipment number and letter will be underlined with a blue line approximately two inches in width.

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d. "Staging area" is an area in the vicinity of a port and under the command of the base section commander, where troops are assembled prior to embarkation. Staging Airdromes. These airdromes designated by, and under control, of the Commanding General, AAF/ITO at which air echelons will stage prior to proceeding by air to another theater or Zone of the Interior.

e. Assembly or Training Area is the station at which the unit is located physically while being processed and/or trained prior to movement either to the staging area or port of embarkation.

f. The "call" is the order from the base section commander or Commanding General, AAF/ITO directing movement to the port. It includes the date and time the unit and the equipment accompanying or shipped by the unit will arrive at the port. Exact destination within the port area is also included.

g. "Readiness date" is that date by which the unit will be prepared for movement to the port. When impediments are to precede personnel an "Impediments Readiness Date" and a "Personnel Readiness Date" will be included in the warning or movement order.

h. "Initial arrival date" is that date by which the port will be prepared to receive shipments of supplies, other than impediments and equipment to fill shortages.

1. MTOUSA Movement Orders (referred to herein as "movement orders") are the instructions issued by the theater commander to headquarters in command echelons directing the preparation and movement of troops according to the provisions of the TD Movement Directive.

5. Application

a. This circular is an integral part of movement orders for Category IV units and all instructions contained herein are applicable unless specific exceptions are contained in the movement orders. In case of conflict between the movement order and other current instructions including this circular, the provisions of the movement order will govern.

II - PROCEDURES - PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT

6. Warning Orders - For the purpose of initiating the processes hereinafter proscribed, warning orders may be issued. These orders are issued through command channels and alert the unit for actual movement only when such action is specifically directed therein.

7. Movement Orders - Headquarters MTOUSA publishes the basic theater movement orders, in accordance with priorities established by the War Department for the movement of units to the US or other theaters. Distribution of the basic movement order will be made to all interested agencies, including the Base Sections in which unit is located.

8. Action To Be Taken Concerning Personnel without delay upon receipt of warning or movement orders.

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a. All personnel will be physically inspected by the unit medical officers prior to shipment to ports or depots. A physical profile serial will be accomplished on all male enlisted personnel with adjusted service rating scores below the critical score prior to their return to the United States as outlined in HTOUSA Circular Number 68, 1945, whenever the profile serial has not been previously recorded. In order that extended periods of observation of the individual's physical condition and performance in the field may be given due consideration in the interpretation of the physical findings and to conserve personnel, medical and dental officers assigned or attached to the unit being examined will perform the necessary examinations so far as practicable. Unit commanders will be responsible for transcribing the profile serial and the required description in non-technical language of any defect and the limitations on assignment which it creates, from the worksheet to the WD AGO forms 20 and 24. The worksheet will then be attached to the WD AGO form No. 24.

(1) Identification tags of all individuals will show blood type, basic tetanus immunization, and when applicable, stimulating dose (see AR 40-210 and AR 600-35).

(2) Service Records - Except when data is entered on WD AGO Form No. 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data, and the form filed with the service record, the following data, when applicable, will be entered in service records:

- (a) Record of all immunizations.
- (b) Prescription and other data concerning eyeglasses, gas mask, M, and spectacles as required in WD Pamphlet 8-5.
- *(c) Date of insertion and brief description of artificial dentures.
- (d) Statement of hyper-sensitivity to sera, vaccine or drugs.

(3) Immunization Registers (WD ID Form 81, Immunization Register or WD AGO Form 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data)

*(a) All data directed in (1) and (2) above will be entered in WD AGO Form 8-117 of all personnel when the form is available and new entries necessary. 7920

(b) When prepared, WD AGO Form 8-117 will be furnished to each individual and a copy retained with an enlisted individual Service Record WD AGO Form 24 or the Officers or Warrant Officers Qualification Card WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3.

*(c) Each individual officer or enlisted man will carry on his person a properly authenticated immunization register, WD ID Form No. 81 or WD AGO Form 8-117.

(4) Immunizations in conformity with current War Department instructions will be accomplished as follows:

- (a) Routine immunizations

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1. Smallpox and typhoid-paratyphoid revaccinations if more than one year has elapsed since initial vaccination or the last stimulating dose.
2. Administration of single stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid if no previous stimulating doses have been given and more than one year has elapsed since the initial series of three injections. No further stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid will be given unless the individual is wounded, injured or there is other clinical indication.

(5) Movement of individuals with venereal disease

(a) Individuals with venereal disease being moved by water transportation will be processed as follows:

1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis, lymphogranuloma, venereal, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be detained and treated prior to embarkation (See TB Med No. 106, 11 October 1944, and any supersessions thereto and Circular letter November 4, Office of the Surgeon, MPOUSA, dated 25 January 1945).
2. Individuals with gonorrhea, uncomplicated and individuals with an undiagnosed urethral discharge will be embarked. Whenever possible, treatment should be initiated prior to embarkation and continued if necessary while aboard ship (see TB Med No. 96, 21 September 1944, and any supersession thereto). A list of such individuals requiring treatment aboard ship will be provided the Transport Commander. These individuals will be placed aboard ship in such manner as to facilitate their identification and treatment.

(b) Individuals with venereal disease being moved by air transportation will be processed as follows:

1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis, lymphogranuloma venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be treated prior to movement by air.
2. Individuals with gonorrhea should be asymptomatic and bacteriologically negative (swear or culture) prior to transfer (see TB Med No. 96, September 1944, TB Med No. 106, October 1944 and any supersession thereto).

(c) Where applicable TD ID Form 78 (Syphilis Register now designated as TD AGO Form 8-114) of personnel transferred will be forwarded, as prescribed in AR 40-210 and changes thereto, with individual records and other allied papers, and the individual concerned will carry on his person a copy of TD ID Form 78a, as prescribed in TB Med 1.

(6) Unit Commanders will comply with paragraph 17, RR 1-2 and will have prepared and delivered to transport commanders within 48 hours before embarkation a pre-embarkation health certificate substantially the same as provided for in Appendix XIII, P 1-2.

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b. Personnel to be Cleared from Units and Reassigned within the Major Command except when otherwise provided for herein

(1) Hospitalized personnel or personnel requiring hospitalization or medical treatment which cannot be given on shipboard. Such personnel will be disposed of under provisions of MTOUSA Circular Number 16, 1945. Personnel in hospitals will be transferred to the appropriate detachment of patients prior to departure of the unit for the staging area.

(2) Absentees (AWOL's) will be dropped in accordance with the provisions of MTOUSA Circular Number 9, 1945.

(3) Garrison prisoners.

(4) Personnel in excess of strength authorized by MTOUSA movement orders.

c. Personnel not to be Cleared from Units

(1) Disciplinary cases.

(2) Inefficiency and inaptitude cases.

(3) Personnel attending Army Education Program schools.

(4) All other personnel not specifically designated in paragraph b above.

d. Leaves and Furloughs - Are encouraged and will be granted under current theater policy, where time permits, prior to departure for the staging area. Leaves, passes or furloughs will not be granted after arrival of units at the staging area.

e. Customs Clearance - The inspections and forms necessary for speedy customs clearance in the United States will be accomplished in accordance with WD Circular Number 336, 1944, as amended by Section IV, WD Circular No. 31, 1945 and Section III, WD Circular No. 75, 1945.

9. Action to be Taken in Equipping Units

a. Clothing and Equipment Allowances will be as listed in Appendix "F" as modified in movement orders.

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ab. Primary responsibility for completeness, serviceability and presentability of clothing, supplies, and equipment rests at all times with the unit commander. Base Section and appropriate AAF/ATO commanders may be called upon for assistance. All items in excess of allowances authorized by MTOUSA Movement Order will be properly cleaned, repaired to the maximum extent consistent with the capabilities of the unit and turned in to the appropriate supply agency through normal supply channels.

c. Action to be Taken by Unit Commander - Immediately upon receipt of MTOUSA Movement Order, a showdown inspection will be held and the following action taken:

(1) Requisitions for "showdown shortages" will be compiled separately by each unit for each service (QM, QM, etc) on WD AGO Form 400, so as to disclose for each item the following:

(a) Number authorized.

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(b) Number on hand, fully serviceable or which can be promptly placed in serviceable condition as determined with technical inspection personnel of the major command.

(c) Quantity required, i.e., the number of fully serviceable equipment required.

(2) Requisitions will be signed and submitted through normal supply channels. Full use will be made of authorized substitutes.

*(3) After requisitions have been filled to the extent of availability a final shutdown inspection will be conducted by the major command at which time the "Report of Equipment Authorized for Return" will be prepared by the units on the form prescribed in Appendix "I" with the information listed below shown. WD Circular Number 73 may be consulted for additional details.

(a) Organizational designation (or shipment number and letter).

(b) Number of table of organization and equipment of the unit, and changes thereto.

(c) Items authorized for the return movement, using correct nomenclature of item.

(d) Quantities authorized for the return movement (normally the authorized allowance of the item).

(e) Quantities actually shipped.

(f) Shortages by item, (Difference between allowance authorized for return and number of items actually returned)

(g) Any pertinent remarks as to the status of any item.

(h) Signature of unit commander.

*(4) Eleven copies of the Report of Equipment will be prepared by the unit commander. The unit will retain two (2) copies and forward nine (9) copies to the major command. Separate instructions for forwarding of Air Force unit reports as directed by Commanding General, AAF/MTO.

*(5) It will be noted that only supplies and equipment required by the movement order will be listed in the above report.

*(6) Records of Individual Clothing and Equipment - Prior to departure unit commanders will be responsible that all authorized items of individual clothing and equipment are entered on the Clothing and Equipment Adjustment Form in the manner prescribed in Section III, Circular Number 72, War Department 1945. Individuals will be held responsible for all such items properly charged on clothing and equipment records.

III - PREPARATION OF IMPEDIMENTA FOR SHIPMENT

10. Packing

a. Units will be responsible for packing (or otherwise preparing for shipment) and marking their own equipment and baggage, in accordance with Appendix "G". In addition to the foregoing, units will pack such of the balance of organizational equipment as may be designated in instructions from base sections. In such instances, all supplies and equipment will be combat serviceable. Base Sections will furnish units necessary additional instructions for packing, marking and delivery to appropriate depots. All equipment not packed by the unit

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will be complete, clean and serviceable to the extent of the availability of component items in current stocks and the repair facilities of the unit and turned in through normal supply channels.

b. So far as possible, only items pertaining to the same Service (as GM, Ord, etc) will be packed in any one container.

c. Organizational trophies, flags, colors, standards and guidons will be packed in accordance with provisions of Paragraph 16, RR 1-2.

d. No other equipment will be packed in any case containing weapons or their accessories.

e. Explosives, inflammable materials, or other dangerous articles will not be packed or shipped with organizational impediments as freight or baggage except that inflammable materials, such as paint, shellac, varnish, and cleaning materials for use during the voyage or immediately after debarkation, may be shipped if packed separately from other materials. Field rangers, water heaters, fuel containers and other articles of a similar nature in which gasoline is customarily used or stored will be completely drained of gasoline and fuel tanks and lines aired before being boxed or crated for overseas shipment. Authorized components of medical kits will not be considered as inflammable material.

f. Packing lists will be prepared as prescribed in paragraph 11. When packing lists are required, each will be inserted in a waterproof envelope. One envelope will then be placed inside each package and two will be securely attached to the outside of each package in the most protected location. One of the outside packing lists will normally be protected by means of a covering plate or cross strips. This covering plate will not be removed nor the list disturbed prior to arrival overseas.

11. Preparation of Records Concerning Shipments

a. Packing lists - The unit will prepare separate packing lists for each package showing the contents (as described below), except for packages containing only one item or identical items. In such instances the contents will be shown on the outside of the package. No packing lists will be prepared for personal baggage.

(1) Packing lists will include the unit's shipment number and letter, the point of origin, the package number, the set number (if any) of the package, and a list of the contents of the package. Under no circumstances will packing lists contain information which will in any way indicate the destination of the shipment or where its contents will ultimately be used.

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(2) The lists will identify contents by authorized standard nomenclature. In addition, the lists will show quantities, sizes and other pertinent information in sufficient detail so that each article can be replaced item for item.

(3) On a package whose contents should not generally be known, for example, drugs, intoxicating liquors, etc., the outside packing list will contain the information prescribed in (1) above, except that it will not include a list of the contents of the package. However, the inside packing list will include a list of the contents.

(4) Packing lists will be prepared in the following minimum quantity:

(a) By the unit commander:

One (1) for inclosure within the package

Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package

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Six (6) for attachment to Consolidated Packing List (see paragraph 11b (5) below)

(b) By shippers, other than the unit commander:

One (1) for inclosure within the package

Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package.

b. Consolidated Packing Lists

(1) Consolidated Packing Lists will be prepared for each company or similar organization, or any smaller organization assigned a shipment number and letter for inclosures accompanying the unit to the staging area or ports. (See Appendix "A" for model form). The commander of each unit assigned a shipment number and letter will insure that Consolidated Packing Lists are prepared for companies or similar organizations in his unit. Such lists will show each package shipped by the units separately in numerical order by package number. When there is a break in the numerical sequence of package numbers, an entry to this effect will be made in the Consolidated Packing List in the space where the omitted package numbers would appear if there had been no break in the numerical sequence. This entry will be started in the column headed "Package No." and continued horizontally across adjoining columns of the Consolidated Packing List (as "packages numbers A21 - A24 not used"). The Consolidated Packing List will include those packages for which no packing list is required (see paragraph 11a) except personal baggage, which will be shown by quantity of types of baggage only. Property worn or carried by individuals and hand baggage will not be included in the Consolidated Packing List. Weight and cube, set number and other pertinent data will be shown.

(2) A description of the contents of each package (except personal baggage) will be indicated in the appropriate column of the Consolidated Packing List. For packages requiring no packing list, quantities and exact nomenclature will be shown. Entries covering packages containing inflammables will include the word "INFLAMMABLE" (in capital letters) after the package number.

(3) The columns on the extreme right of the Consolidated Packing List are for entry of the specific freight car, truck and vessel upon which each package is shipped. It is essential that these columns be properly filled in.

(4) At least seven (7) copies of the Consolidated Packing List for each company or similar organization will be prepared. Six (6) copies will have packing lists attached. Packing lists need not be attached to the seventh copy. One (1) copy with packing list attached will be retained by the company or similar organization commander. The remaining six copies will be delivered to the unit commander. The unit commander will assemble the copies received from each company or similar organization in his unit into six sets. He will distribute these sets as follows:

(a) The set without packing lists attached (completed through the column headed "Date Shipped" only) will be sent by expeditious means to the port commander on the date the unit's equipment is shipped from the training area.

(b) Three sets will be sent as expeditiously as possible to the representative (if any) of the unit commander at the port or will be delivered to him prior to his departure from the training area. If there is no unit representative these copies will be sent by expeditious means to the port commander.

(c) The unit commander will retain two sets. These will be completed so as to show data concerning rail or truck shipments, if possible before the unit leaves the training area. Prior to the unit's departure from the

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training areas, one of these sets, completed as far as practicable, will be sent to the unit representative, if any, at the port otherwise to the port commander. The unit commander will bring the remaining set to the port unless it does not contain complete information concerning shipment from the training area. In this case it will be left at the training area for completion by a designated representative by the unit commander. It will be sent to the unit command or at the port when completed.

(5) Procedure at the port - The unit representative will complete all of his copies of Consolidated Packing Lists to show data concerning shipment to and from the port. If early departure of the representative makes this impossible, or if there is no representative of the unit, the port commander will complete the forms. In either case, copies will be distributed as indicated below:

(a) One (1) up-to-date copy will accompany the first overseas shipment of impedimenta.

(b) One (1) up-to-date copy will be in the possession of the unit commander or his representative during movement overseas.

(c) Three copies will remain at the port. The port commander will send one (1) completed copy to the unit commander at overseas destination, if the last echelon of the unit was forced to depart prior to obtaining complete data as to ships upon which impedimenta were loaded. However, these loading data may preferably be sent by radio whenever a brief statement gives the information desired.

c. The unit commander will insure that promptly upon being ordered to move, shipping data form, see Appendix "H", is accomplished and one copy forwarded immediately to Chief of Transportation, MTOUSA.

12. Marking

a. Shipment Number and Letter - It is imperative that all organizational type impedimenta be so marked that it can be easily identified by all handlers and carriers as well as by the unit. Therefore, all containers shipped by or for the unit will be plainly marked (stenciled) on three surfaces with the unit's shipment number and letter in figures at least two inches high wherever practicable. The shipment number and letters will be marked (stenciled) in prominent places on packages which will not be boxed or crated, such as howitzers, guns, vehicles, five-gallon water cans, shovels, etc. For this and other markings prescribed herein, a black or other contrasting paint (not chalk) will be used on all packages.

b. "TAT" and yellow disc markings - All packages of minimum essential equipment (except personal baggage) and such organizational equipment as may be directed by the MTOUSA movement order to accompany troops overseas will be marked "TAT" and encircled in red, following the shipment number and letter, as RML234 TAT (encircled in red). Equipment marked "TAT" is intended to be loaded aboard a vessel carrying the troops. Property which must be accessible during the voyage will be additionally marked with a 3-inch yellow disc near shipment number. Thus, a package which is to accompany troops aboard ship, and which must be accessible during the voyage, will be marked RML234-A-TAT, (encircled in red), and will also be marked with a 3-inch yellow disc.

c. Package Number - In addition to the shipment number and letter, each package (except personal baggage) will be marked with an identifying "package number". Package numbers are made up of a number or a letter and a number. They are used to trace packages through the staging area and/or port and aboard ship, to prepare ship's manifests and similar transportation reports, and to check shipments received at destination. Package numbers will be placed on

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the three surfaces of each container on which the shipment number and letter are marked. The package number identifies the package; therefore tactical markings or other identifying devices will not be used unless specifically requested by commanders of divisions, separate brigades, combat commands, combat teams, smaller separate organizations commanders or higher organization commanders and authorized by this Headquarters. If used, these designs will contain nothing which will indicate unit designation. For shipments by the Units. Normally package numbers will be assigned in sequence, but the numerical sequence may be broken when it is deemed necessary. In case there is such a break in the sequence, notation to that effect with a record of the missing numbers will be made in the Consolidated Packing List. Packages of minimum essential equipment will be marked with a series of package numbers. The letter part of the package number will be an identifying letter generally as outlined in paragraph 15f (3), AR 850-3. For example, if the shipment number of the 5th Infantry is RN1234-A, the accompanying equipment of Company H of the 5th Infantry would bear the marking RN1234-A and would be marked additionally H1, H2, etc. Letters especially assigned for the purpose may be used for organizations having lengthy or special designations: Thus, Headquarters Company, 5th Infantry, might use the identifying letter "H", while Headquarters, 5th Infantry, might use "HQ". Packages to be loaded aboard the same ship with troops of the unit concerned will also be marked "TAT" as provided in subparagraph b above. For marking of organizational equipment, see Appendix "B".

d. Blue strips for AAF equipment - Organizational impediments of AAF units ordered overseas will be marked with identifying numbers and letters as indicated in subparagraph 12a above, and additionally as follows: The shipment number and letter will be underlined with a blue line approximately two inches wide.

e. Weight and cube - Accurate weight to the nearest pound and volume to the nearest cubic foot will be stenciled on one surface of each package (except personal baggage) on which the shipment number and letter also appears.

f. Contents will be indicated on packages (except personal baggage) below the weight and cube as follows:

(1) When no packing list is required for packages of identical items (see paragraph 11a) contents will be stenciled on one surface of the container in sufficient detail to identify the contents accurately. (For example: range, field, M937, 1 unit; or 48 handles, pick, railroad).

(2) Each package containing mixed contents will be stenciled on one surface with information as to the principal items, or the general nature of the contents (for example: office supplies).

(3) Contents will not be stenciled on containers when the nature of the contents should not be disclosed (see paragraph 11a (3)).

(4) Packages containing inflammables, except medical kits, will be stenciled on two surfaces to indicate the contents, as for example, PAINT, ENAMEL, LACQUER, SHELLAC, CLEANING MATERIAL, PRESERVING MATERIAL.

(5) Special packaging and/or processing of a box or crate will be indicated on at least two sides thereof by a special designation as follows:

Moisture and fungi proofed	- MFP and Date
Corrosion proofed	- CP
Vapor proof packed	- VPP

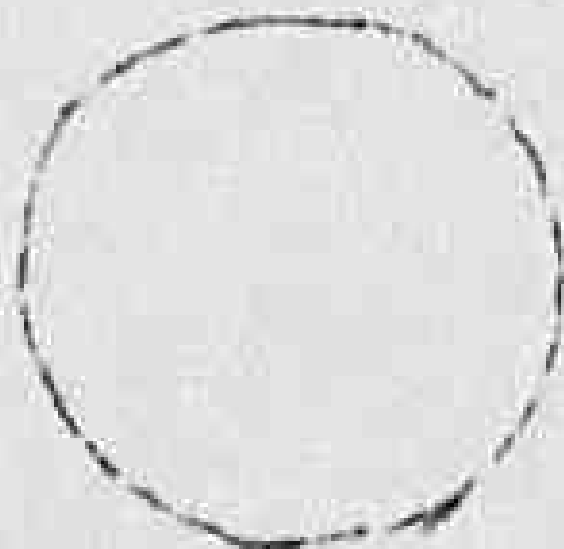
g. Tactical markings and corner colors - Tactical markings or identifying devices, if authorized (see 12c above), may be placed near package numbers.

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Corner of each case (containers) of organizational equipment shipped by or for units will not be colored, since that type of marking is reserved for shipments of supplies made to overseas depots.

b. Red disc not marking - When a set is placed in two or more containers all packages containing component parts must be shipped together. In such instances, each package will bear, in addition to its own package number, a 2-inch red disc signifying that the package is part of a set. Under this disc will be stencilled the word "SET", followed by the number of the set within the shipment. Under this set number will be stencilled two numbers in the form of a fraction, the numerator of which will indicate the serial number of the container within that particular set, and the denominator the total number of containers making up the set. Thus, a package which is the second of a group of 4 making up a SET 28 would be marked as shown below. The set marking will be placed on a surface upon which the shipment number and letter are stencilled.



(Painted 2" Red Disc)

SET 28
2/4

1. Marking of personal baggage for overseas movement - Personal baggage (duffel bags, flying bags, trunk lockers, hand baggage and bedding rolls) will be stencilled, using lead paste (paint) with the individual's full name (first name, middle initial and last name), full serial number, grade in case of officers, and the appropriate shipment number and letter. Officers' trunk lockers will be marked on at least three surfaces. Duffel bags will be marked as shown in Appendix "C". Articles of personal baggage will not be assigned package numbers but will be marked with the identifying letter assigned the individual's organization for use in package numbers. This identifying letter (or letters), approximately two inches in height, will be placed immediately below the shipment number and letter on bedding rolls, trunk lockers, hand baggage, and duffel bags.

2. Individual items of clothing and equipment will be marked as prescribed in AR 850-5.

(1) Marking of special items of personal equipment - Prior to departure from the training area, the owner's name and AFI will be clearly marked on cameras, flashlights, electric razors, and all other individually owned electrical items. Such articles may be collected before boarding ship and returned to the owner upon arrival overseas.

IV - SECURITY

13. Secrecy Concerning Troop Movements

a. All personnel will be acquainted with the provisions of Section VIII, AR 330-5 (Safeguarding Military Information) and WD TC 99, 1942 and will be given adequate instruction in security, pursuant to paragraph 3, Section I, of that Circular.

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b. Unit commanders will be held responsible for the packing and safeguarding in accordance with AR 380-5, of classified documents and for the general security conditions of any camp or station vacated. Prior to departure, all classified documents and/or material not accompanying the unit or shipped elsewhere will be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of paragraphs 32, 54 and/or 60 of AR 380-5.

c. Unit commanders of troops participating in the movement will make every effort to insure that information concerning names of organizations, route, names of ships, port of debarkation, port of embarkation and sailing date is not discussed with or allowed to reach persons whose official duties do not require specific knowledge of the movement.

d. Local currency will be exchanged for United States currency prior to embarkation.

e. Any cases of leakage of information regarding troop movements will be investigated immediately and the facts reported to the Theater Commander.

f. Unit commanders are enjoined to take all possible precautions to prevent civilians from obtaining knowledge of the pending movement or its destination.

14. Security Concerning Post and Return Operations

a. Unit commanders will insure that personnel do not have in their possession any unauthorized:

- (1) Photographs or sketches.
- (2) Classified allied or enemy documents.
- (3) Classified allied or enemy material.
- (4) Uncensored mail.

b. All personnel will be informed that, following their return to the United States, they must obtain clearance from a US Public Relations Office before publicly lecturing upon or publishing any matters of security interest concerning their experiences or activities while in the army.

15. All personnel will be advised of the necessity of continuing security measures and specifically informed that, following their return to the US, they are not to discuss:

- a. Operations where the individual saw such operations from division Headquarters or above.
- b. Cryptographic systems.
- c. Classified equipment and material.
- d. Location of any organizations at the present time.
- e. Opinions as to future operations and locations of units.

16. Caseras - Unit commanders will insure that caseras will not be accessible to personnel while they are aboard the vessel.

17. Intelligence - Upon receipt of warning orders, each commander of a unit which does not already have an intelligence officer will designate an officer, or senior NCO if no subordinate officer is in the unit, as representative for intelligence. Within twenty-four hours after arrival at a staging area, the representative for intelligence will report to the Intelligence Officer of the staging area for instructions.

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V -- POSTAL REGULATIONS

12. Mail

a. When orders are received directing the return of a unit to the United States for demobilization, the unit commander will require each person who will return with the unit to complete a Form MAP 11 showing the home or other non-military address in the United States to which he desires his mail to be forwarded. If some personnel desire, they may indicate on the Form 11 that their mail should be returned to sender.

b. All personnel who will return with the unit will be required to give immediate notice to emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers to discontinue mailing letters, parcels and publications until further advised as to new address. WD AGO Form 971-1 (V-Mail notice to correspondents and publishers) may be used for this purpose. However, when it is known at the time of receipt of the movement orders that actual departure of the unit from the theater will be considerably delayed, the notices should not be sent until the approximate departure date is known. The notice should be sent 20 days before departure date when possible.

c. The unit commander will prepare an MAP Form 11 for each person separated from the unit before departure from the theater, including all personnel who have been transferred during the past 60 days, showing the unit to which he was or will be transferred.

d. All personnel transferred from the unit will be required to notify their emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers of their new unit and APO address on WD AGO Form 971 as soon as it is known, but not sooner than 20 days before they are transferred from the unit.

e. Unit commanders will deliver the MAP Form Number 11, required by sub-paragraphs a and c above, to the postal officer of the staging area prior to departure of the unit from the theater.

VI - MOVEMENT TO THE PORT AREA

19. Assistance - Unit commanders will promptly seek advice from Base Section or AAF/ATO Transportation officers in all matters pertaining to troop movements or freight shipments by rail or motor vehicles when either warning or movement orders are received. They will furnish such advance information as may be required by Base Section or AAF/ATO transportation officers for obtaining routing and for making proper arrangements for rail transportation. After requirements have been furnished to Base Section or AAF/ATO Transportation officers, they will make all necessary arrangements for securing equipment, supervision of loading, preparation and forwarding necessary reports. Air Force Units will deal with AAFSC/ATO (Movements and Transportation Section) which will in turn deal with Base Section Transportation officers, except as AAFSC/ATO may direct Air Force units to deal directly with Base Sections.

20. Time of Movement - The unit and its impediments will be dispatched to the staging area so as to arrive there at the time specified by the Base Section

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Commander, or AAFSC/ADC H & Tn Section, regardless of progress made in filling shortages of equipment.

21. Special Instructions Concerning Shipment of Immediants

a. In all cases organizational records, colors, standards and guidons will accompany the unit. Whenever practicable, subject to cargo space available, other unit immediants will also be carried on the vessel transporting the troops.

b. Shipments on flat cars - If material is loaded on flat cars, special provision must be made for train guards, as prescribed in paragraph 8, AR 55-155, with charges. The port commander concerned will take positive action to insure that such guard personnel is returned to its organization in the staging area, or at destination; whichever action circumstances indicate to be expedient.

c. The unit commander will promptly furnish the Base Section transportation officer or AAFSC/ADC H & Tn Section with the following information after loading:

(1) Shipment number and letter used in marking.

(2) Detailed lists showing for each car used the initials and car number, with the identifying marks of all packages and the estimated weight and cubage loaded therein.

d. Records - It is essential that the unit commander know at all times the location of all items of unit immediants. To this end, complete and accurate records of all containers and their contents must be maintained, including packing lists, consolidated packing lists, tally-outs, etc., together with a record of the cars or motor vehicles in which they are shipped.

22. Command - Upon arrival in the staging area, units pass to the control of the Base Section Commander, or appropriate AAF/ADC Commander.

23. Miscellaneous References - AR 55-130, Transportation of Troops and other Groups, General; AR 55-145, Transportation of Troops, Entraining Duties en route and Detraining; AR 55-155, Transportation of Public Property; AR 55-390 Overseas Movement of Organizations, Casuals and Individuals on Army Transports; Circular 400, WD, 1944, Troop Train Ration; WD Pamphlet 20-7, Troop Train Commander's Guide.

VII - INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO BAGGAGE AND LOADING OF EQUIPMENT ABOARD SHIP

24. Baggage

a. The provisions of War Department letter (AG 524 (15 Aug 44) OS-3-SPIOT-10) 30 August 1944, subject: "Processing of Baggage from Overseas", govern requirements for processing personal baggage during these movements.

b. Unit commanders will furnish the port of embarkation with a certificate in triplicate stating that no explosives or inflammables are contained in items being shipped as hold baggage.

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c. The commanding officer of each shipment will prepare 10 copies of a baggage list for all held baggage. He will deliver 9 copies to the port of embarkation and keep one on file.

25. Loading of Equipment and Supplies Accompanying Troops Aboard Ship

a. One (1) day's rations, type K, per individual unless otherwise directed by MTOUSA movement order will be loaded aboard ship so as to be readily available to troops. These rations will be issued to each individual prior to embarkation.

b. Electric razors will not be used aboard ship.

c. Pets or mascots will not be taken aboard ship.

VIII-MISCELLANEOUS

26. Disposition of Unit Records

a. Administrative and organizational records, current and non-current, will be processed in accordance with provisions of paragraph 15c and d, RR 1-2 and paragraph 33, RR 1-6, WD Circular Number 96, 1945 and MTOUSA Circular 64, 1945.

27. Non-Appropriated Funds

a. Procedure - Surplus property will be disposed of as provided in paragraph "b" below which is in accordance with MTOUSA Circular Number 62, "Non-Appropriated Funds", 1945. The custodian will pay all outstanding liabilities and any bank account maintained in the theater will be closed and a final bank statement will be obtained or arrangements will be made to have it forwarded. Cash will be converted into US Treasurer's checks (see "c" below) and any US Government securities held as investments will be forwarded to and deposited with the Treasury Department (Division of Security, War Bond Section Office of the Treasury of the United States, Treasury Department, Washington 25, D.C.) for safekeeping and receipts therefor will be filed with the funds records, and the fund account records will be closed and audited.

b. Disposition of Property - Property, except cash and securities, will be disposed of as follows: 4914

(1) By sale to other welfare and sundry funds as preferred bidders.

(2) By sale to other purchasers, provided that no military bidder can be found and then only with the approval of the next higher commander.

(3) By transfer to the special service supply officer of the base section for reissue to other US Army personnel or by donation to other welfare and sundry funds, or turned over to salvage officer for disposition, in the event that no purchaser can be found. No property will be deliberately abandoned. A receipt will be taken from the responsible officer who receives such property and will be kept to show the disposition of the property.

(4) Property which was donated to the fund will not be disposed of without the prior approval of the donor unless the donor is not available. Any

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property which was donated by the American Red Cross will be returned to it upon its request.

c. Cash - The cash balance will be converted into US Treasurer's checks by presenting the cash to an Army disbursing officer and requesting such checks in any convenient amounts. Not more than ten (10) checks, however, will be requested or issued. Checks will be written in favor of the custodian and not to any individual by name, as shown in the following examples:

Pay to the order of Custodian
Unit Fund
Battery B,
384th Field Artillery Bn.

Pay to the order of Custodian,
Headquarters Fund,
261st Infantry Regt.

The notation "Exchange for cash" will be shown under "Object for which drawn". Treasurer's checks should be cashed prior to the termination of the period of negotiability (explained on the reverse of each check) and issuance of Treasurer's checks of current date requested of the nearest Army disbursing officer.

28. Data on Settlement of Personal Affairs

*a. Personnel will be urged to adjust or settle all personal affairs and problems prior to further overseas movement, i.e., changes in government life insurance, allotments, family allowances, wills, etc. Particular emphasis will be placed on these matters when personnel have married overseas. In appropriate cases, action will be taken by such personnel in accordance with MTOUSA letter, file AG 371.2/398 A-O, dated 5 June 1945, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas". (Attention is invited to War Department letter, file, AG 510 dated 23 Nov 1944, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas"). Non-settlement of personal affairs will not act to delay the departure of any individual.

29. Identification Cards

a. Section II, MTOUSA Circular Number 74, 1945, governs the issuance of identification cards in this theater.

b. Prior to departure from training area, unit commanders will insure that identification cards or any similar identifications, credentials, travel checks, driver's permits, etc., in the possession of either commissioned or enlisted personnel in no way disclose any organizational designation pertaining either to the bearer or to the countersigning or approving officer.

30. Records, Reports and Rosters

a. Service Records - All service records will be checked for completeness and correctness in accordance with the requirements of TM 12-290 and MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 3 (Perfection of Personnel Records). The check sheet required by Section II, MTOUSA Circular Number 13, 1945, will be used and corrective

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action taken at once on all errors and/or omissions noted in pencil. Whenever necessary, to complete Service Records, personal interview, search of soldier's Qualification Card, and the initiation of correspondence will be instituted.

(1) Inspectors of all units and those from higher echelons will make special checks to insure compliance with paragraph a above.

(2) Inspectors General of the appropriate commands will also make frequent and thorough checks of this phase of administration.

b. Service records and allied papers must be on hand for every man who accompanies the unit to the port from the staging area. Service records and allied papers will be kept in field desks or other suitable container which will be carried by hand and will be readily available at all times.

c. Personnel not physically present with unit at the time it moves from the Staging Area to the Port of Embarkation will be transferred to the Staging Area, and Service Records indexed, and, together with all associated papers and a written report showing status of each individual, delivered to the commanding officer of the Staging Area. Further disposition instructions will be requested from the Base Section Commander. Personnel transferred pursuant to these instructions will be reported on the morning report of the Staging Area, or other appropriate morning report, effective with date of transfer and without regard to EDCR.

d. Personnel records will be returned with the unit or group concerned.

ALL OFFICERS:

- *WD AGO Form 65 or 65-1 (officers identification card).
- WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2 or 66-3 (officer's and warrant officer's qualification card).
- *WD AGO Form 77 (Officer's pay data card).
- *Record of leave accrued and granted (to be carried by officers, as prescribed in AR 605-115). (Record may be in any form desired by the individual).

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ALL ENLISTED PERSONNEL:

- WD AGO Form 30 (Soldier's Qualification Card).
- WD AGO Form 24 (Service Record) with allied papers required by current directives.
- *WD AGO Form 28 (Pay Data Card).
- C & E Adjustment Form, as prescribed in WD Circular No. 72, 1945.
- WD AGO Form 163 (Adjusted Service Rating Card).

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ALL PERSONNEL:

Field Military 201 File. (WD Circular No. 96, 1945).

WD AGO Form 8-114 (formerly form 78) (Syphilis register; for individuals under treatment for syphilis).

*WD AGO Form 8-115 (formerly Form 78a) (treatment record; for individuals under treatment for syphilis).

*WD AGO Form 8-117 (formerly Form 81) (Immunization Register in duplicate; original carried on person).

Copy of board proceedings such as reclassification, disposition, AR 615-368 and AR 615-369 proceedings. When applicable, such copy will contain endorsement by convening authority and approval of officer having discharge authority.

ARMY AIR FORCES RATED PERSONNEL:

*Copy of orders bestowing aeronautical rating.

*Copy of orders placing personnel on flying status.

*Individual Flight Record (WD AAF 5) with allied papers.

*Instrument pilot certificate (AAF 8 or 8a).

Summary of bombing (AAF-12-B0 (Bombardier only)).

*Physical Record card (WD AAF 206).

Standard AAF medical statement.

Army Air Forces individual training record (reference AAF ltr. 50-55)

Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 121-AAF Equipment).

PARACHUTE AND GLIDER PERSONNEL:

*Copy of orders announcing parachutist or glider rating.

*Copy of orders or certificates placing personnel on parachutist or glider status as required by current regulations.

In the event any of the above records are missing and cannot be located, duplicates will be prepared in accordance with current directives applicable. If missing records cannot be replaced or can be only partially reconstructed, a certified statement giving the facts in the case will be forwarded in lieu of the missing record or will be attached to the partially completed duplicate.

*To be carried by each individual.

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e. (1) The last morning report to be furnished the Theater machine records unit servicing the organization on the day of departure will carry the following remark after the last entry:

To depart for _____ (destination) at _____ (time and place of embarkation) under shipment number _____.

(2) A copy of the passenger list will be attached to the morning report. Final status cards, master organization cards and strength cards will be forwarded by the Theater consolidating machine records unit to the War Department by air courier or other expeditious means.

f. WD AGO Form 41, (Designation or Change of Relative to be Paid Six (6) Months Gratuity in Case of Death) will be executed by each individual if any change has occurred in the eligibility or permanent address of any beneficiary and will be forwarded by the personnel officer to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C. prior to embarkation. (see AR 600-600)

g. Rosters

(1) A roster containing the names of all personnel who belong to the unit will be prepared at the appropriate time in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 14a RR 1-2, and be disposed of as provided in paragraph 15b (3) RR 1-2. See Appendix E.

(2) The unit commander will be responsible for forwarding, at the appropriate time, copies of the unit movement order and personnel roster and a true copy of each officer's WD AGO Form No. 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, to the headquarters of the major command, pursuant to paragraph 14b, RR 1-2, dated 11 April 1945. The major commander will be responsible for forwarding these documents in accordance with the above cited regulation. Any corrections made to these rosters, prior to embarkation, will be forwarded directly by the major command to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C. (ATTENTION: Officers Branch (PO-A)), and to the Commanding General, Port of Debarkation, in the United States, using air courier or air mail, whichever is faster. If an officer is added to the roster subsequent to its submission to The Adjutant General, a true copy of the officer's WD AGO Form No. 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, will be forwarded with amendments to the roster to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C. When, at a later date, WD AGO Form No. 66-4 becomes available in this Theater, it will be submitted in lieu of the true copies of WD AGO Form No. 66-1 prescribed above.

h. Passenger Lists - The commanders of air and water Ports of Embarkation will issue the necessary instructions to Unit Commander upon arrival at the Staging Area on preparation and distribution of passenger lists.

31. The Commander of the Category IV Unit Ordered Overseas will perform the following:

a. Assure full compliance with the requirements of paragraph 8 and Section IV.

b. Promptly conduct a showdown inspection and make an inventory of

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clothing, supplies and equipment on hand to determine completeness, presentability and serviceability. The Base Section or AAF/ATO commander will be called upon for necessary technical assistance in this inspection.

c. Promptly prepare and submit to the appropriate supply agency the properly signed requisition for showdown shortages as outlined in paragraph 9c (1).

d. Turn in to the appropriate supply agency through normal channels all unserviceable items and those items in excess of allowances authorized in paragraph 9a, as modified by MTOUSA Movement Order.

e. Insure that shipments of organization equipment are properly and substantially packed and crated, prepared to withstand the rigors incident to shipment overseas, are correctly marked, and that a record is kept of the contents of each container. See Section III and AR 850-5.

f. Company and similar organization commanders will have in their possession the company property book required by WD Circular 405, 1942. Air Force organizations will make available to the port air officer the squadron copy of its organization Equipment List.

g. Insure that the custodian of the unit fund disposes of the fund's surplus property and converts its cash into checks, and that the fund is closed and audited in accordance with required procedures.

h. Comply with instructions concerning mail.

i. As directed by the Base Section or AAF/ATO commander, report in person or by capable representative, to the appropriate port, prepared to accomplish the following:

(1) Furnish information concerning shipments of organizational impedimenta made by the unit.

(2) Furnish to port officials information concerning the relative importance of organizational equipment and maintenance supplies of the unit as a guide in determining the order of shipment and manner of loading.

j. Comply with instructions concerning rosters, paragraph 30g.

k. Evacuation of Property by Units - Before evacuation by a unit of a unit installation or property, the unit commander will:

(1) Report the time and date of move to the major command having control of the installation or property in order that a suitable custodian to receive and guard may be designated.

(2) Leave installation or property in a clean and sanitary condition.

(3) Render such assistance as may be practicable to the base section in dismantling installations no longer required.

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(4) Obtain a receipt from the custodian showing conditions of the installation or property at the time it is evacuated.

1. Insure that personnel records check list, see Appendix D, is properly accomplished for each individual prior to departure from the staging area.

2. Promptly upon being ordered to move, accomplish shipping data form as provided in paragraph 11c.

3. Prior to departure of a unit from this Theater all reports of investigation will be reviewed with the end in view of determining that all reports of accidents or incidents which involve injuries to persons or damage to property of other than US military personnel have been forwarded to the nearest US claims Service office as directed by Circular Number 74, this headquarters, 1944, as amended. Should any report of investigation be found which has not been sent to the US Claims Service, the same will be dispatched as directed by the above circular without delay.

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10 Inclosures:

- Appendix "A" - Consolidated Packing List, Impedimenta Moved to Port of Embarkation.
- Appendix "B" - Marking of Organizational Equipment.
- Appendix "C" - Marking of Duffel Bag.
- Appendix "D" - Personnel Records Check List.
- Appendix "E" - Personnel Roster.
- Appendix "F" - List of Equipment to Accompany Category IV Units Returning from Overseas Commands.
- Appendix "G" - Processing and Packing Standards.
- Appendix "H" - Shipping Data Form.
- *Appendix "I" - Report of Equipment Authorized for Return.
- *Appendix "J" - Check List for Unit Commanders.

DISTRIBUTION:

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- 15 - TAG
- 6 - ETOUSA
- 2 - CG, MTOUSA
- 5 - G-1 (extra)
- 20 - G-4 (extra)
- 4 - QM (extra)
- 12 - I&E (extra)
- 28 - IG (extra)
- 10 - Ord (extra)
- 60 - REFCO (extra)
- 5 - 2629 WAC Bn (extra)
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ITEM NO.	SET NUMBER	TYPE (2) F.C. (2)	Box	Inventory Description	QTY	UNIT	STOCK ID	DATE	YINDEL
C1				Weather Center Radio & Parts	15		15	11/11/55	(2)
C2				Chart & Weather Center Equipment	17				
C3				Weather Center Equipment	157				
C4				Weather Center Equipment	13				
C5				Weather Center Equipment, Sheet 50-6	151				
C6				Radio Equipment	51				
C7				1 on 1 receiver	150				
C8				Radio Equipment	203				
C9				Weather Center Radio & Parts	150				
C10				Weather Center Equipment	1				
C11				Weather Center Equipment	420				
C12				Power Unit 1-78	100				
C13				1 on 1 receiver, Field 1-1037	17				
				Weather Center Radio & Parts	92				
Total					203				
15 Trunk Receivers					500				
3 Reducing 'els					100				
Total					303				

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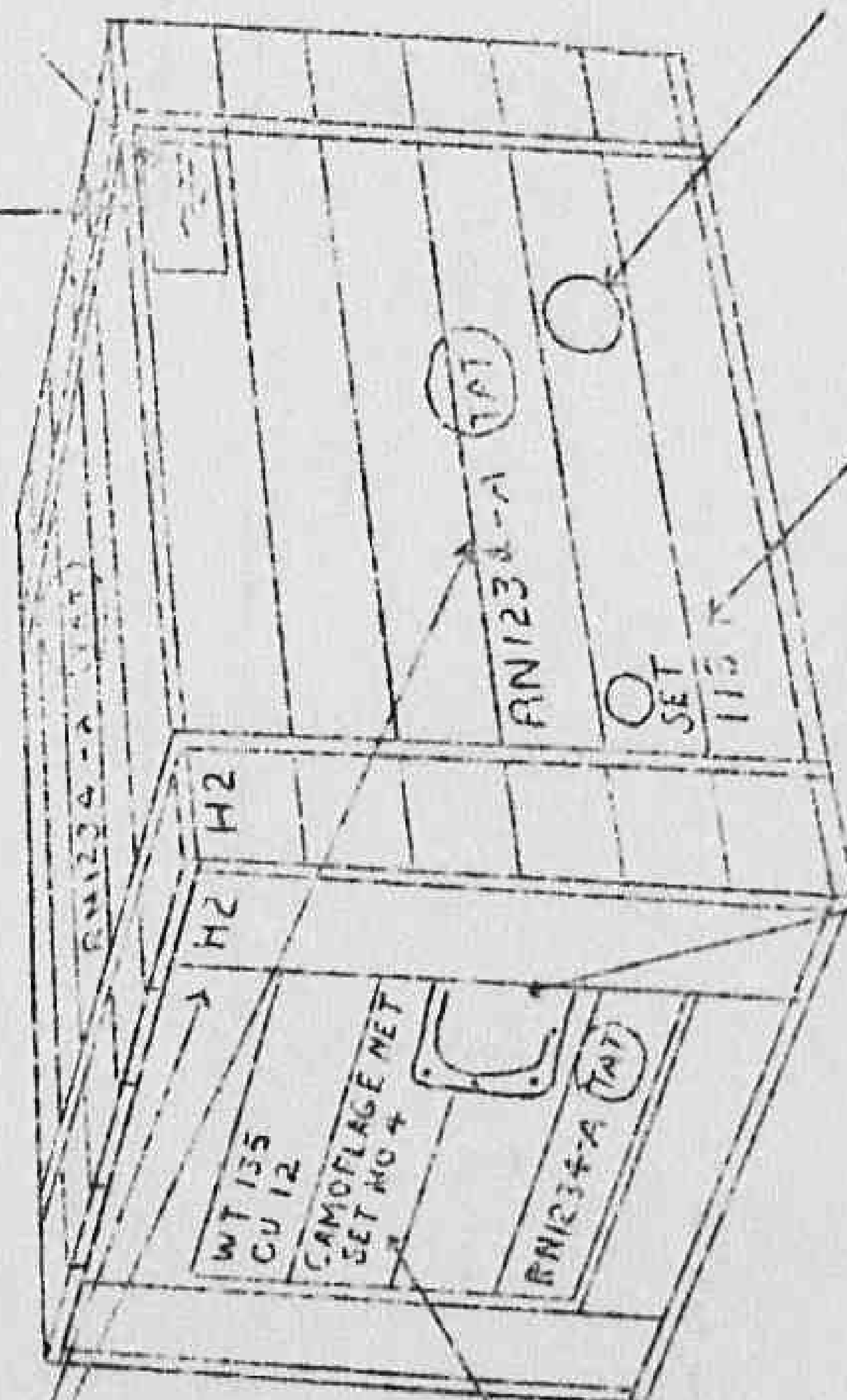
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MARKING OF ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT

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Domestic address label
on one surface of LCL and
LTL shipments

Shipment number and letter
and package number on
three surfaces



Weight, cube,
and content
on same surface

3-inch yellow disk on
packages which must
be accessible during
the voyage

2-inch red disk
and net designation
on one surface

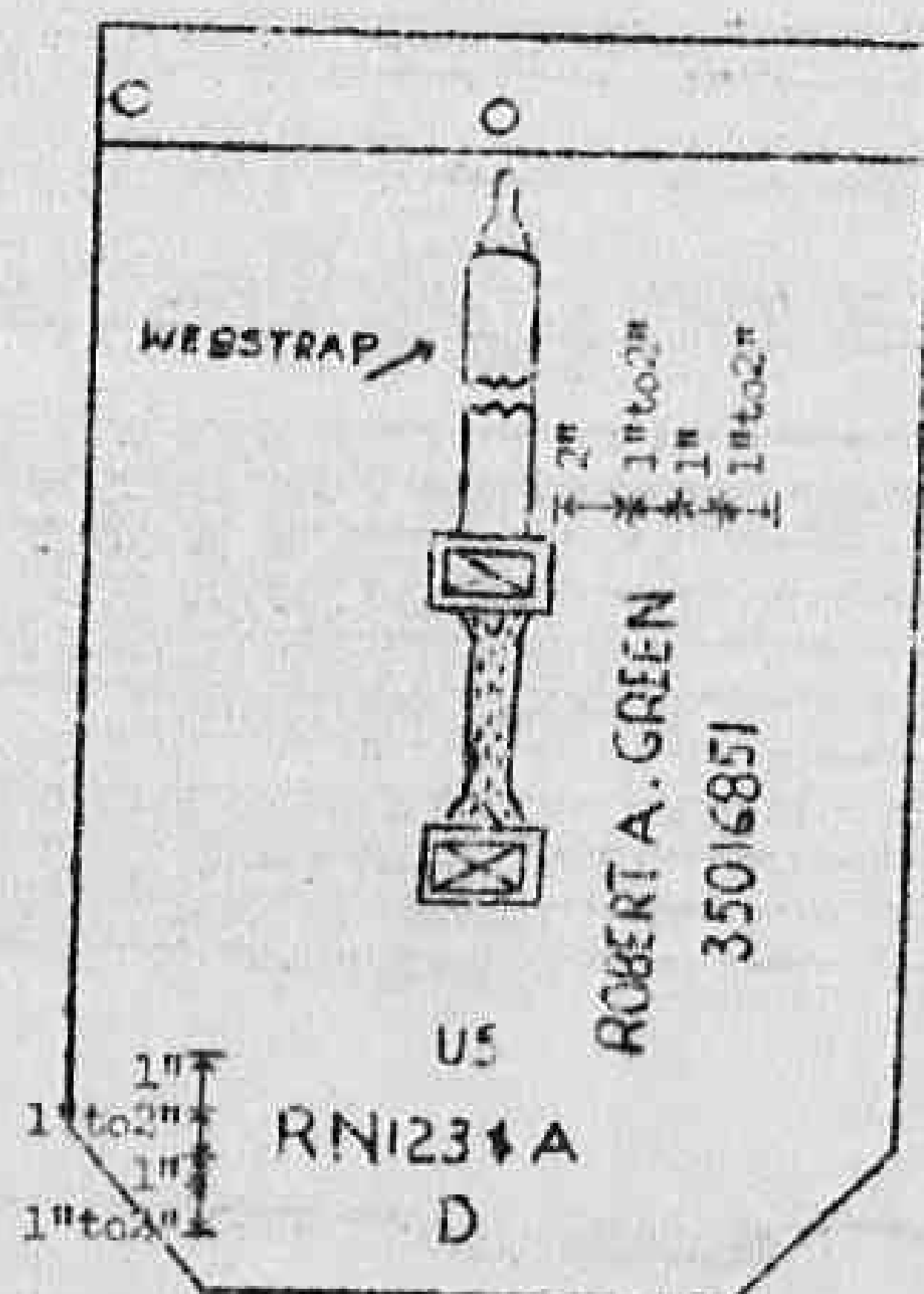
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MARKING OF DUFFEL BAG



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APPENDIX "D" to Hq MTONSA
Redeployment Circular #15, 1945

PERSONNEL RECORDS CHECK LIST

(To be inclosed in Records Jacket or similar container) _____ Date _____
 (Shipping agency Issuing Orders)

LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ INITIAL _____ GRADE _____ ASN _____
 BRANCH OF SERVICE _____ FORMER ORGANIZATION _____
 CATEGORY _____ DATE PROCESSED _____

	UNIT	ASN	ASN	ASN
<u>ALL OFFICERS</u>				
ID Card (WDAGO 65 or 65-1) (Carried on Person)				
Qualification Card (WDAGO 66-1, 66-2, 66-3)				
Pay Data Card (WDAGO 77) (Carried on Person)				
Record of Leave (AR 605-115)				
<u>ALL ENLISTED PERSONNEL</u>				
Sol Classification & Qualification Card (WDAGO 20)				
Service Record (WDAGO 24) with allied papers				
Pay Data Card (WDAGO 28) (Carried on Person)				
C and E Adjustment Form for Indiv Clo & Equip (Cir 72, WD, 45)				
Adjusted Service Rating Card (WDAGO 163)				
<u>ALL PERSONNEL</u>				
Syphilis Register AGO 8-114 (Formerly MD-2) if applicable				
Syphilis Treatment Record WDAGO 8-115 (Formerly MD 78a) if applicable (Carried on Person)				
Immunization Register WDAGO 8-117 (Formerly WDAG 81) Duplicate (Original on Person)				
Board Proceedings, where applicable, properly accomplished				
<u>AAF RATED PERSONNEL</u>				
Cy orders bestowing Aeronautical Rating				
Orders placing Personnel on flying status				
Individual Flight Record (WD AAF 9) with allied papers				
Instrument Pilot Certificate (AAF 8 or 8a) (Carried on Person)				
Summary of Bombing (AAF-12-B) (Bombardier only)				
Physical Fitness Test and Record (AAF 25A)				
Physical Record Card (WD AAF 206) (Carried on Person)				
Standard AAF Medical Statement				
AAF Individual Training Record (Ref AAF Reg 50-55)				
Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 121)				
<u>PARACHUTE AND GLIDER PERSONNEL</u>				
Cy orders announcing parachutist or glider rating				
Cy orders or certificates placing personnel on parachutist or gliders status as required by current regulations				

*Check not required at overseas water ports for movements by water and rail transportation, if made at overseas concentration or assembly areas

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APPENDIX "E" to Hq MTOUSA
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PERSONNEL ROSTERROSTERFOR RECEPTION STATION NO. 2, FORT DIX, N.J.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE AND ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>CO</u>	<u>MOS NO</u>	<u>ASR SCORE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
MILLER, Frank T.	Lt Col FA	043211	Hq	1193-5	181	641 Spring St Boston, Mass
KARNER, Silas P.	Capt FA	066666	B	1193-7	180	65, 8th Street Bayonne, N.J.
BILLUPS, Samuel S.	Capt CAC	092765	B	1172-7	175	21 Warner Drive Trenton, N.J.
MORGAN, Harry A.	1st Lt	077777	A	1542-8	173	RFD No 6, Sleepy Hollow, N.Y.
HEADLESS, Charles D.	2d Lt	082882	C	1542-9	169	196 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn, N.Y.
MANSFIELD, Thomas A.	2d Lt Cav	099962	A	1620-9	198	207 Lindbergh Ave Newport, Del
**	**	**	**	**	**	**
JONES, Will	S/Sgt FA	1234567	Hq	502	187	145 Railroad St Watertown, N.Y.
FREED, Emanuel H.	Sgt FA	7654321	C	502	181	207 Van Buren St Brooklyn, N.Y.
MATWIN, John F.	Cpl	2345678	B	405	162	607 Burnett Ave Syracuse, N.Y.
AARON, Joseph P.	Pfc QMC	8432123	C	835	180	2105 38th St Long Island, N.Y.
ADAMS, John L.	Pfc Sig C	5556667	B	569	167	450 Court St, Utica N.Y.
BOBO, Robert M.	Pfc	8886662	C	014	167	86 Ocean Ave Jersey City, N.J.
CASHILL, Arthur H.	Pfc FA	9994443	A	844	169	RFD #2, Rome, N.Y.
HECK, George T.	Pfc FA	5432123	B	844	172	RFD #1, Rome, N.Y.
ANDERSEN, Christian	Pvt Inf	32024076	B	745	174	Penn Ave, Medford L.I., N.Y.
GRICY, Henry J.	Pvt FA	32828385	B	844	177	19 Tompkins Ave Yonkers, N.Y.
CRESCO, Julio	Pvt Inf	32163917	D	745	179	322-423 Berd Ave New York, N.Y.
EURIECK, Joseph F.	Pvt Cav	33113250	C	1736	184	416 16th St Bever Falls, N.Y.
FARRELL, Joseph T	Pvt QMC	33173872	A	835	183	141 Christmont Rd Binghamton, N.Y.

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NAME	GRADE & D			MOB	ASR	DD FORM
	GRADE	ASR	CO			
CHERRY, William L.	1st Lt	12017000	3	560	109	San Francisco, D.I., N.Y.
ALCO, Thomas J.	1st Lt	1785551	C	745	186	183-01 Sanford Ave Flushing, N.Y.

(List remaining members of unit to be assigned to this group)

Note 1: There are similar lists for each reception station accounting for all members of the unit. The list for each reception station will be prepared on a separate stencil or group of stencils.

Note 2: The format illustrated may be modified to permit use of addressing equipment to impress data on stencils provided all information indicated is given. The following is required: (1) Names will be listed in the first column; (2) addresses will be listed in the last column; and (3) a minimum 1-inch space will be left on the right of the list to permit, when practicable, re-use of the stencils for other purposes at installations in the United States.

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APPENDIX B to H, HRCUS.
Redeployment Circular #15, 1945

LIST OF EQUIPMENT TO ACCOMPANY CATEGORY IV UNITS RETURNING FROM

OVERSEA COMMANDS

(Allowances of the items contained herein are as proscribed in the T/E or T/O & E applicable to the unit, except where otherwise indicated.)

1. Clothing and individual equipment indicated in WD Circular Number 72, 1945 and officers trunk lockers (or barracks bags), hand baggage, and bedding rolls.

2. Organizational equipment normally issued to individuals.

Band instruments, with accessories
Banners
Flashlight, TL-122
Flying clothing and equipment
Trumpet, G w/slides to F
Whistle, thunderer

3. Administrative and Miscellaneous Equipment.

Bag, money, leather
Case, brief, leather
Case, canvas, dispatch
Chart, flight, service, complete
Chart, record, fiber
Colors, standards, and guidons
Desk, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (all items only)
Kit, barber, w/case
Kit, dental (officers; pvt)
Kit, medical (officers; NCO's; Pvt)
Machine, computing, listing and nonlisting
Machine, duplication, spirit or stencil process
Machine, numbering
Machine, paper fastening, wire staples
Outfits, chaplain
Perforator
Ruler, office, 15-inch
Safe, field, key lock
Seal, official
Selector, qualification card
Sharpeners, office, pencil
Sling, color, web, CD
Stamp, rubber, official
Stamp, tin, recording
Stapler, medium loop
Tool kits (w/tools) hand instrument repair (brass and woodwind)
Typewriters, portable and nonportable

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4. Expedient supplies, such as the items listed below, are authorized, depending upon the estimated length of journey and the strength of the unit concerned. Allowance of these items are prescribed in Circular 1-15, HQ AFM 5012 and AFM Catalog SIC 4-1/

Blank forms
C and P materials
Clips, paper
Envelopes

Folders, Manila
Paper, bond
Paper, carbon
Paper, onion skin

Pencils

5. Small arms and ammunition for guard purposes - Such quantities as are determined necessary by the Theater Commander.

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REMARKS

ATTN: HQ to HQ, 1945, Reemployment Circular #15.

PROCESSING AND PACKING OF GOODS

GENERAL RULES

1. Items with packages and waterproofing in good condition and in accordance with latest packing specifications giving particular consideration to the 55 lb. weight limit required for certain items going to the Pacific Theater may be shipped direct to other theaters.
2. Items which do not have packages and waterproofing in good condition or do not come within the 55 lb. weight limit as specified for certain items, will be re-packed in the theater insofar as practicable and if approved by a qualified Chemical Warfare Service inspector, may be shipped direct to other theaters.
3. Equipment of category as specified in paragraph 2, which cannot be processed to meet inspection in theater, will be returned to the United States to the extent of the quantities which are in excess of the continuing needs of the theater area Theater of Operations.
4. List of items to which the 55-lb weight limit applies for the Pacific Theater is not available at this time but will be furnished separately.
5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Navy General Specification for Packing and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-141 (US Navy Specification 39-P-16a).

EXCEPTIONS

1. Items to be shipped to theaters continuing active. Such items will be processed for overseas shipment in accordance with the procedure outlined in TR F-5711-2 "Instructions for Preparation for Corps of Engineers Equipment for Export", and such Technical Bulletins as have been prepared for specific items. Such Bulletins are in the TR F series, have numbers corresponding with those of the Technical Manuals covering the equipment, and are listed in TR 21-6. Spare parts will be processed in accordance with TR F-5713-1, "Preparation for Export Spare Parts for Corps of Engineers Equipment". The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification 100-141 (US Navy Specification 39-P-16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent. Tropicalization will be accomplished in accordance with TR ENG 53 to the fullest extent consistent with time and materials available.
2. Items to be returned to the United States. Such items should be processed with ordinary commercial standards for preparation of such equipment for export shipment. The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification for Packing and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-141 (US Navy Specification 39-P-16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent.
3. Items of Engineer explosives authorized in T/O 1-5 and other War Department Directives as a component part of engineer sets will not be moved or shipped but will be issued to the units after arrival from stocks in the theater of destination unless War Department Orders specifically direct otherwise (A.D. Circular Number 30, 1945).

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APPENDIX "C" to Hq AFMAG. Redeployment Circular #15

4. Major items of Engineer equipment for units being redeployed will be prepared for overseas shipment at Engineer Processing and Packing Installations adjacent to theater ports of embarkation to be demigrated by appropriate base commanders.
- a. Such equipment as is being shipped by Category II units being redeployed directly to another theater will be delivered to the installation as directed by the appropriate base commander, and unit personnel will be furnished as directed to process and/or pack all such equipment, utilizing the facilities and materials provided by the installation under the technical supervision of base personnel. Unit personnel will be responsible for obtaining the necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form submitted by the unit.
- b. Major items of equipment accompanying Category II units being redeployed to the United States for station will be processed as indicated above, if directed.
- c. Base commanders will be responsible for establishing necessary priorities for receipt and processing of equipment at the processing and packing installations, consistent with the movement of the unit to which such equipment belongs.

MEDICAL

1. Surgical, dental and veterinary instruments will be processed in accordance with one of the procedures outlined below, depending upon materials which may be available, before shipment to the Pacific area or to the United States.
- a. Process Number 1 - This process is extracted from Medical Department Tentative Specification Number 1700, Army Medical Purchasing Officer, dated 15 May 1964.
 - (1) MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP.
 - (a) Oil. - Shall be a neutral, mobile saturated, hydrocarbon oil, meeting the requirements of US Army Specification Number 3-120.
 - (b) Aluminum foil. - Shall be fully annealed, free from mechanical and metallurgical defects, and shall contain not less than 99 per cent aluminum. The thickness of the foil shall be between 0.0006 and 0.0008 inch.
 - (c) Envelope, heat-sealing. - Shall be a flat, laminated bag of transparent, heat-sealing, reconstituted cellulose consisting of a sheet of 450 lb. 3.7 140, or equal, laminated to another sheet of 450 lb. 3.7 140, or equal with 15 pounds (three-pound tolerance) per foot (24 x 36 inches 500 sheets) of a permanently plastic, water-vapor-resistant laminating agent.

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(2) DETAIL REQUIREMENTS

- (a) Procedure. - The instruments shall first be thoroughly cleaned by the use of a neutral, chlorine-free, completely volatile, organic solvent, after which they shall be oven-dried at a temperature of from 215 to 230 F. The following operations shall then be performed in the sequence given.
- (b) Oiling. - The cleaned and dried instruments shall be immersed in the oil described in paragraph C-1a, agitating intermittently to dislodge the air from the crevices, for a period of approximately five minutes. They shall then be removed from the oil bath and suspended to permit the drainage of excess oil.
- (c) Wrapping. - The aluminum foil shall be cleaned between the opposing faces of the jaws and between ratchets, and small pieces shall be inserted in the interstices of these instruments having same (for example, in the toggle mechanism of double action bone forceps). The instruments shall then be wrapped completely in the aluminum foil and the wrapping shall be firmly pressed against the instrument to insure contact over as much of the surface of the instrument as possible. On sharp pointed instruments, such as scissors, bistouries, etc., the points may be covered with several folds of foil to prevent puncture of outer container. Careful wrapping and pressing of aluminum foil in the blade area will result in excellent protection, and will not damage the instrument.
- (d) Packaging. - Each such foil-wrapped instrument shall be placed in an individual envelope, of the proper size indicated, described in paragraph, C-1c, and shall be so heat-sealed so as to form an air and water-tight closure. Certain large instruments, (such as Ballour retractors, plaster shears, or obstetrical forceps) do not readily lend themselves to packaging in the specified envelope. Such instruments may be wrapped over the aluminum foil, with either Grade A or C paper (as per US Army Specification Number 100-14.) in lieu of the cellulose heat-sealed envelope.
- (e) Marking of Envelope. - The envelope shall be imprinted or marked with the following information, or it may be placed on a separate sheet of white paper and placed with the instrument in the bag so that it may be read through the transparent cellulose:

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Item Number
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Name of Item
Do not open until ready for use
Clean before sterilizing.

(3) STEPS OF INSPECTION, TESTS, ETC

- (a) Examination for compliance with this specification.
- (1) Integrity of seal - After sealing, the bags shall be tested for air tightness by hand compression.

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b. Process Number 2 - The applicable processes described in Section XVI of US Army Specification Number 100-141 may be used in lieu of Process Number 1, if materials are not available for Process Number 1.

- (1) X-Ray machines, laboratory equipment, dental equipment, physiotherapy equipment and hospital equipment, which is subject to rapid deterioration when exposed to the elements, will be processed in accordance with the method outlined in applicable portions of Section V and VI, Army Service Forces Manual #406, "Corrosion Prevention, Processing and Packaging", dated 11 December 1943.
- (2) Packing will conform with "Army - Navy General Specifications for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment 100-141" insofar as practicable. In this connection, War Department Supply Bulletin SP 8-2, "Packing Room Layouts and Packing of Medical Supplies", supplies specific information for packing medical items. This bulletin will be used to supplement Specification 100-141, mentioned above.

(3) In those instances where materials cannot be obtained to comply with the above described standards, methods will be improvised which will afford reasonable assurance that the articles will reach their destination in sound and usable condition.

(4) Responsibilities

(a) The Commanding Officers of medical units other than hospital units are responsible for:

- (1) Examining and turning back to medical supply channels, or otherwise disposing in accordance with applicable policies, of those items not considered fit for transport to another theater or the United States.
- (2) For effecting minor repairs to the service of his facilities.
- (3) For requisitioning replacement items as required.
- (4) Preparation of the items for shipment in accordance with the prescribed standards.

(b) The Commanding Officers of hospital units will be responsible for:

- (1) Turning back to medical supply channels all medical department components of present hospital assemblies.
- (2) Requisitioning a replacement hospital assembly when required.

ORDNANCE

1. Processing and packing of Ordnance material for shipment overseas will be in accordance with the following instructions and references:

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1. LHM "C" to Hq AFOS Redeployment Circular #15 (Cont'd)

- a. (1) Combat vehicles, artillery weapons, all trailers and semi-trailers, and all other vehicles having an Ordnance or commercial type automotive chassis, will be processed and/or packed in accordance with T.D. SB 9-4 and applicable special packing instructions referred to in PS 1000, entitled "Catalog of Approved Packing Instructions for Major Items and Spare Parts for Ordnance General Supplies", dated 1 March 1945, or latest revision, and as indicated below.
- (2) General purpose vehicles up to and including two-and-one half ton (including two-and-one-half ton dump trucks) will be single-unit packed. One-quarter ton and one-ton trailers will be packed two per crate. Artillery and all other vehicles (except truck, bomb service, '27, which will be single-unit packed) will be shipped on tracks or wheels.
- (3) Any equipment peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance, which is mounted upon any of the vehicles and trailers designated above, will be processed for overseas shipment by the organization and/or service concerned prior to the delivery of such vehicles or trailers to the vehicular processing line.
- b. SNL Groups A, B and F - in accordance with instructions in G630s, B and F, TM 9-20/44 entitled "Instruction Guide for Ordnance Packaging and Shipping" and other publications available for reference at Ordnance Installations. Assistance will be given by Ordnance packing teams at all staging and training areas.
- c. Materials Handling Equipment - in accordance with specifications stated in JAD-1025.
- d. Ammunition - Process in accordance with Parts II of Sals P, R, S and T.
 Packaging—Ammunition which requires repacking before shipment will be packed according to one of the methods listed on drawings referred to in Parts II of Sals P, R, S, and T. The method selected will be the one most practical for use in AFOS.
- ea. Tarpaulins for Ordnance vehicles will be processed in accordance with TB GH 19.

QUARTERMASTER

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1. Mechanical items (Mobile Equipments, etc., other than laundry and dry cleaning equipment for fixed installations and tools and lubricants equipment).
 Processing specifications will be found in JAD-1021, Engines; and JAD-1012-X, Spare Parts.
2. Non-mechanical items - (clothing Equipage, General Supplies).
 Existing packing and crating instructions are contained in A.C. Packing and Crating Requirements, CH-1. Tentage and paulin, with the exception of tent, shelter half, will be hung and packed in accordance with TB GH 19.
3. Laundry and dry cleaning equipment for fixed installations—Standards will conform to Specification 2-1, dated 7 January 1944. Processing, Packing and Crating Laundry and Dry Cleaning Equipment for Fixed Installations for Overseas Shipment.

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4. Fuels and Lubricants Items

Drums, inflammable liquid (gasoline) steel, with carrying handle, capacity 5 gallons -- when shipped empty, ship in bundles of 5 strapped together with steel bands, all plugs to be wrench tight. If filled, ship in single item.

Pump, oil, barrel, motor oil dispensing, 1 quart, 15 to 40 gallon barrels or drums -- pack for overseas shipment as single items.

Pump, hand, rotary, kerosene or gasoline, with six foot hose and nozzle -- pack for overseas shipment as single item.

Containers, collapsible, all types, all sizes -- must be folded and shipped in the same container in which they were originally shipped.

Hose, gasoline, rubber-metal (all types and sizes) -- coil, ship in barrel before shipment.

Cleaner, dural, portable, gasoline engine driven -- pack for overseas shipment according to IS 3-3711.

Winder, wire, 1/2 in. dia, heavy spring return -- packaged in lots of 6.

Wire, tag tie, double to 1/2, 14 gauge, 7" long -- shipped in rolls of 5000 each.

Casket, filler plug, all types and sizes;	} in packages not to exceed 100 pounds in weight
Plugs, steel drum all types;	
Taps, marking, all types;	
Clips, marking tag, zinc plated	

5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Air Force General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-12. (US Navy Specification 39P100).

SIGNAL

1. All items to be shipped from the theater will be processed in accordance with pertinent publications. This processing will include corrosion proofing, waterproof packaging and moisture and fuel proofing of equipment, parts, and supplies as indicated in existing directives, in special instructions and technical manuals. Attention is specifically directed to instructions contained in the following:

a. TM-313 is "Moisture and Fuel-Proofing of Signal Corps Equipment" and changes thereto.

b. Sig C Spec 72-3-1 "Preservation of Gasoline and Diesel Engines, Components of Power Units for Storage and Shipment" a/cam sent No. 1, dated 11 February 1944.

c. Sig C Spec 72-3-2 "Signal Pack".

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- d. Sig C Spec 72-C-7 "Standard Pack".
 - e. US Army Spec No. 100-14. "Army-Navy General Specifications."
 - f. ASF Manual M-406 "Corrosion Prevention Processing and Packaging".
 - g. "Requisitioning and Marking Supplies for Overseas Shipments", file reference AG 400.101 (5-19-43).
 - h. Special packaging and specifications to be made available.
2. Packages in original containers, moisture/vapor proof packed, will not be opened to moisture and fungi-proof the contents.

TRANSPORTATION

Processing Standards for shipments of Transportation Equipment should be the same as those employed in making shipments from the United States. In shipments made to another theater this is especially true due to the length of exposure and the climatic conditions to be encountered. Packaging and packing should be in accordance with US Army Specification Number 100-14., 15 February 1943.

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Drums, inflammable, liquid, steel, capacity 55 gallons, ship as single item when shipped full or empty, all plugs wrench tight.

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SHIPPING DATA FORM

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Date Unit Parent Org. Area Section

Shipments	Unit Designation	Location	T/O	Off.	Cargo	..O.	U..	Total

Organizational Equipment

12 - Tons (22.50 lbs)

Cable Feet.

- Note: 1. This will include only organizational equipment LSS VEHICLES and equipment loaded therein.
2. Indicate exact lb. and lbs. for each box or crate exceeding five tons.

VEHICLES

No. of Vehicles

Type and Make

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Appendix "I" to Hq HTOUSA Redeployment Circular #15

Date _____

Organizational Designation _____

Shipment Number _____

T/O & E and changes thereto

*Items Authorized For Return. (Current nomenclature and model No. where applicable)	Quantities Authorized For Return. (Normally the authorized allowance of the item.)	Quantity Actually Shipped	Shortages	Remarks (Any pertinent remarks as to the status of any item.)

*Cover all items of equipment (except T/E 21 items) prescribed in the movement order.

(Signature of Unit Commander)

Note: When the HTOUSA movement order directs return with full organizational equipment, the Report of Equipment Authorized for Return will indicate complete T/O & E equipment and shortages thereof; whereas, when the HTOUSA movement order directs return with minimum essential equipment only, report will indicate allowances of minimum essential equipment only and shortages thereof. In all cases where the organization holds authorized substitute items in place of specified items, make separate entries for items specified by T/E and authorized substitutes on hand, in order to clearly indicate what substitutes are held in place of specified items.

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APPENDIX "J" to Hq MTOUSA Redeployment Circular No. 15

CHECK LIST FOR UNIT COMMANDERSCATEGORY IV UNITS BEING RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES
(A Guide Based on Sequence of Principal Actions)

Action to be taken upon receipt of Warning or Movement Orders	Reference in Circ #15		Action Completed
	Pars.	Page	
1. Personnel cleared from unit.	8b	4,5	201
2. Personnel instructed to settle personal affairs	28	16	
3. Intelligence officer designated	17	12	
4. Personnel acquainted with Section VIII, AR 380-5	13a	11	
5. Special security instructions complied with	14,15	12	
6. Showdown inspection of clothing and equipment held	9c	5,6	
7. Requisitions for shortages prepared and submitted	9c(1)	5,6	
8. Excess items cleaned and turned in	9b	5	
9. Physical profile serial accomplished	8a	2,3	
10. Identification tags completed	8a(1)	3	
11. Immunization accomplished and Immunization Registers completed	8a(3),(4)	3,4	
12. Individuals with venereal diseases processed	8a(5)	4	
13. Organizational impediments prepared for shipment and packed	10	6	
14. Organizational impediments marked	12	9,10,11	
15. Records of individual clothing and equipment prepared	9c(6)	6	
16. Report of Equipment Authorized for Return prepared and forwarded	9c(3)(4) (5)	6	
17. Service records checked and completed	30a,b,c,	16,17	

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Action to be taken upon receipt of mailing or receipt of form	Reference in Circ. #15		Action Complete
	Para.	Page	
18. Classified documents packed and disposed of.	13b	12	
19. Personal baggage processed.	24a	14	
20. Inspections and fees for customs clearance accomplished.	8c	5	
21. Baggage list for hold baggage prepared and forwarded.	24c	15	
22. Packing lists prepared.	11a	6,7	
23. Consolidated packing lists prepared and distributed.	11b	7,8,9	
24. Shipping Date Form prepared and distributed.	11c	9	
25. Shipping information furnished base section and movement to port coordinated with base section.	18, 20, 21c & d	13, 14	
26. Unit fund accounts closed and audited.	27a, c	15, 16	
27. Surplus unit property disposed of.	27b	15, 16	
28. Postal regulations and preparation of forms complied with.	18	13	
29. Unit records disposed of.	26	15	
30. Individual identification cards checked and in possession of individuals.	29	16	
31. W.D. AGO Form 41 prepared and forwarded, if required.	30f	19	
32. Local currency exchanged for US currency.	13d	12	
33. Complied with instructions on evacuation of property.	31k	20, 21	
34. Passenger lists prepared.	30h	19	
35. Certificate furnished port that no restricted items are contained in hold baggage.	24b	14	
36. Insure that necessary personnel records accompany unit.	30d	17, 18	
37. Personnel roster prepared.	30g(1)	19	

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Action to be taken upon receipt of Notice of Movement Order	Reference in Dir. 15		Action Code Initial
	Para.	Page	
38. Copies of movement order, personnel roster and true copy of DAGO Form # 66-1, 66-2 or 66-3 forwarded.	30g(2)	19	
39. Each officer and enlisted man carries necessary form.	30d	17, 18	
40. Pre-embarkation health certificate prepared 48 hours prior to sailing.	3a(6)	4	(2011)
41. Last morning report prepared and submitted with appropriate remarks.	30c	19	
42. One (1) day's K ration issued to each individual prior to embarkation.	25a	15	

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(b) Stenciled number and letters

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- (a) US Registration Number
- (b) Shipment number and letters
- (c) National symbol
- (d) Tactical markings, if prescribed by proper authority.

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(3) Colors and standards, distinguishing flags and unit guidons will be turned in to unit supply officers for safekeeping during movement to new overseas destination." (A

6. Paragraphs 17 b, page 22, 30 a, page 28, and 30 a (1) and 30 a (2), page 29, are amended by deleting the letter "B" in the right hand margin.

7. Paragraph 31 b (4), page 32, is added as follows:

"(4) Property which was donated to the fund will not be disposed of without the prior approval of the donor unless the donor is not available. Any property which was donated by the American Red Cross will be returned to it upon its request." (A
(B

8. Paragraph 31 c, page 32, is added as follows:

"c. Cash - The cash balance will be converted into US Treasurer's checks by presenting the cash to an Army disbursing officer and requesting such checks in any convenient amounts. Not more than ten (10) checks, however, will be requested or issued. Checks will be written in favor of the custodian and not to any individual by name, as shown in the following examples:

Pay to the order of Custodian
Unit Fund
Battery B
384th Field Artillery Bn

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Pay to the order of Custodian
Headquarters Fund
261st Infantry Regt

The notation "Exchange for Cash" will be shown under "Object for which drawn", but the notation "Negotiable only in the United States of America" will not be placed thereon. Treasurer's checks should be cashed prior to the termination of the period of negotiability (explained on the reverse of each check) and issuance of Treasurer's checks of current date requested of the nearest Army disbursing officer. Army disbursing officers are the only authorized facility for converting these funds in the form of Treasury checks into cash. For security reasons no unauthorized facilities will be used."

9. The reference contained in subparagraph 37 h, page 39, to WD Circular 405, 1942, is amended to make reference to MTOUSA Circular Number 45, 1945.

10. Paragraph 3 b, Appendix "D" is amended by deleting:

"Colors, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (QM items only)"

and by adding:

"Desk, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (QM items only)".

11. Paragraph 3 d, Appendix "D", is amended by changing the second sentence thereof to read:

"Allowances of these items are prescribed in ASF Catalog QM-4 and ASF Catalog SIG 4-1".

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12. Paragraph 1 d, Appendix "E", is amended to read as follows:

"d. Unit commanders will be responsible for transcribing profile serial, in non technical language, of any defect and the limitations on assignment which it creates, from the work sheet to the WD AGO Forms No. 20 and 24 in the case of enlisted personnel. The work sheet will then be attached to the WD AGO Forms No. 20 and 24."

13. So much of Appendix "L", page 7, as relates to the Signal Section is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"SIGNAL"

1. All items to be shipped from the theater will be processed in accordance with pertinent publications. This processing will include corrosion proofing, waterproof packaging and moisture and fungi-proofing of equipments, parts, and supplies as indicated in existing directives, in special publications and technical manuals. Attention is specifically directed to instructions contained in the following:

- (a) TE-SIG 13 "Moisture and Fungi Proofing of Signal Corps Equipment" and changes thereto.
- (b) Sig C Spec 72-0-1 "Preparation of Gasoline and Diesel Engines, Components of Power Units for Storage and Shipment" w/amendment No. 1 dated 11 Feb 44.
- (c) Sig C Spec 72-0-6 "Signal Pack".
- (d) Sig C Spec 72-0-7 "Standard Pack".
- (e) Sig C Spec 72-0-2 "Packaging Guide".
- (f) Sig C Spec 72-0-9 "Signal Pack Instructions".
- (g) Sig C Spec 72-0-10 "Packaging Guide for Signal Pack".
- (h) US Army Spec No. 100-14A Army-Navy General Specifications.
- (i) ASF Manual M-406 "Corrosion Prevention Processing and Packaging".
- (j) "Requisitioning and Marking Supplies for Overseas Shipments", file reference AG 400.161 (5-19-43).
- (k) Special packaging specifications to be made available.

2. Packages in original containers, moisture/vapor proof packed, 4899 not be opened to moisture and fungi-proof the contents".

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Appendix "p" to MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14, "Report of Equipment Authorized for Return".

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Appendix "P" to Hq MFOUSA Redeployment Circular #14

REPORT OF EQUIPMENT AUTHORIZED FOR RETURN

Date _____

Organizational Designation_____

Shipment Number _____

T/O & E and changes thereto.

*Items Authorized For Return. (Current nomenclature and model No. where applicable)	Quantities Authorized For Return. (Normally the authorized allowance of the item.)	Quantity Actually Shipped	Shortages	Remarks (Any pertinent remarks as to the status of any item.)

*Cover all items of equipment (except T/E 21 items) prescribed in the movement order.

(Signature of Unit Commander

Note: When the MTOUSA movement order directs return with full organizational equipment, the Report of Equipment Authorized for Return will indicate complete T/O equipment and shortages thereof; whereas, when the MTOUSA movement order directs return with minimum essential equipment only, report will indicate allowances of minimum essential equipment only and shortages thereof. In all cases where the organization holds authorized substitute items in place of specified items, make separate entries for items specified by T/E and authorized substitutes on hand, in order to clearly indicate what substitutes are held in place of specified items.

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e. Assembly or Training Area is the station at which the unit is located physically while being processed and/or trained prior to movement either to the staging area or port of embarkation.

f. The "call" is the order from the base section commander or Commanding General, AAF/MTD directing movement to the port. It includes the date and time the unit and the equipment accompanying or shipped by the unit will arrive at the port. Exact destination within the port area is also included.

g. "Readiness date" is that date by which the unit will be prepared for movement to the port. When impedimenta are to precede personnel an "Impedimenta Readiness Date" and a "Personnel Readiness Date" will be included in the warning or movement order.

h. "Initial arrival date" is that date by which the port will be prepared to receive shipments of supplies, other than impedimenta and equipment to fill shortages.

i. MTOUSA Movement Orders (referred to herein as "movement orders") are the instructions issued by the theater commander to headquarters in command echelons directing the preparation and movement of troops according to the provisions of the MTD Movement Directive.

5. Application

a. This circular is an integral part of movement orders for Category IV units and all instructions contained herein are applicable unless specific exceptions are contained in the movement orders. In case of conflict between the movement order and other current instructions including this circular, the provisions of the movement order will govern.

II - PROCEDURES - PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT

6. Warning Orders - For the purpose of initiating the processes hereinafter prescribed, warning orders may be issued. These orders are issued through command channels and alert the unit for actual movement only when such action is specifically directed therein.

7. Movement Orders - Headquarters MTOUSA publishes the basic theater movement orders, in accordance with priorities established by the War Department for the movement of units to the US or other theaters. Distribution of the basic movement order will be made to all interested agencies, including the Base Sections in which unit is located.

8. Action To Be Taken Concerning Personnel without delay upon receipt of warning or movement orders.

a. All personnel will be physically inspected by the unit medical officers prior to shipment to ports or depots. A physical profile serial will be accomplished on all male enlisted personnel with adjusted service rating scores below the critical score prior to their return to the United States as outlined in MTOUSA Circular Number 68, 1945, whenever the profile serial has not been previously recorded. In order that extended periods of observation of the individuals physical condition and performance in the field may be given due

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consideration in the interpretation of the physical findings and to conserve personnel, medical and dental officers assigned or attached to the unit being examined will perform the necessary examinations so far as practicable. Unit commanders will be responsible for transcribing the profile serial and the required description in non-technical language of any defect and the limitations on assignment which it creates, from the worksheet to the WD AGO Form 20 and 24. The worksheet will then be attached to the WD AGO Form No. 24.

(1) Identification tags of all individuals will show blood type, basic tetanus immunization, and when applicable, stimulating dose (see AR 40-210 and AR 600-35).

(2) Service Records - Except when data is entered on WD AGO Form No. 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data, and the form filed with the service record, the following data, when applicable, will be entered in service records:

- (a) Record of all immunizations.
- (b) Prescription and other data concerning eyeglasses, gas mask, HI, and spectacles as required in WD Pamphlet 8-5.
- (c) Date of insertion of artificial dentures.
- (d) Statement of hyper-sensitivity to sera, vaccine or drugs.

(3) Immunization Registers (WD AGO Form 8-117, Immunization Register or WD AGO Form 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data)

(a) All data directed in (2) (a) and (2) (b) above will be entered in WD AGO Form 8-117 of all personnel when the form is available and new entries are necessary.

(b) When prepared, WD AGO Form 8-117 will be furnished to each individual and a copy retained with an enlisted individual Service Record WD AGO Form 24 or the Officers or Warrant Officers Qualification Card WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3.

(c) All officers and all Army Air Forces enlisted personnel traveling by water and all personnel traveling by air will carry the immunization register, properly authenticated, on their persons.

(4) Immunizations in conformity with current War Department instructions will be accomplished as follows:

(a) Routine Immunizations

- 1. Smallpox and typhoid-paratyphoid revaccinations if more than one year has elapsed since initial vaccination or the last stimulating dose.
- 2. Administration of single stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid if no previous stimulating doses have been given and more than one year has elapsed since the

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initial series of three injections. No further stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid will be given unless the individual is wounded, injured or there is other clinical indication.

(5) Movement of individuals with venereal disease

(a) Individuals with venereal disease being moved by water transportation will be processed as follows:

1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis, lymphogranuloma, venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be detained and treated prior to embarkation (See TB Med No. 106, 11 October 1944, and any supersession thereto and Circular letter November 4, Office of the Surgeon, MTOUSA, dated 25 January 1945).
2. Individuals with gonorrhea, uncomplicated and individuals with an undiagnosed urethral discharge will be embarked. Whenever possible, treatment should be initiated prior to embarkation and continued if necessary while aboard ship (see TB Med No. 96, 21 September 1944, and any supersession thereto). A list of such individuals requiring treatment aboard ship will be provided the Transport Commander. These individuals will be placed aboard ship in such manner as to facilitate their identification and treatment.

(b) Individuals with venereal disease being moved by air transportation will be processed as follows:

1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis, lymphogranuloma venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be treated prior to movement by air.
2. Individuals with gonorrhea should be asymptomatic and bacteriologically negative (smear or culture) prior to transfer (see TB Med No. 96, September 1944, TB Med No. 106, October 1944 and any supersession thereto).

(c) Where applicable WD 1D Form 78 (Syphilis Register now designated as WD AGO Form 8-114) of personnel transferred will be forwarded, as prescribed in AR 40-210 and changes thereto, with individual records and other allied papers, and the individual concerned will carry on his person a copy of WD 1D Form 78a, as prescribed in TB Med 3.

(6) Unit Commanders will comply with paragraph 17, AR 1-2 and will have prepared and delivered to transport commanders within 48 hours before embarkation a pre-embarkation health certificate substantially the same as provided for in Appendix XIII, AR 1-2.

b. Personnel to be Cleared from Units and Reassigned within the Major Commands except when otherwise provided for Herein.

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(1) Hospitalized personnel or personnel requiring hospitalization or medical treatment which cannot be given on shipboard. Such personnel will be disposed of under provisions of MTOUSA Circular Number 16, 1945. Personnel in hospitals will be transferred to the appropriate detachment of patients prior to departure of the unit for the staging area.

(2) Absentees (AWOL's) will be dropped in accordance with the provisions of MTOUSA Circular Number 9, 1945.

(3) Garrison prisoners.

(4) Personnel in excess of strength authorized by MTOUSA movement orders.

c. Personnel not to be Cleared from Units

(1) Disciplinary cases.

(2) Inefficiency and inaptitude cases.

(3) Personnel attending Army Education Program schools.

(4) All other personnel not specifically designated in paragraph b above.

d. Leaves and Furloughs - Are encouraged and will be granted under current theater policy, where time permits, prior to departure for the staging area. Leaves, passes or furloughs will not be granted after arrival of units at the staging area.

e. Customs Clearance - The inspections and forms necessary for speedy customs clearance in the United States will be accomplished in accordance with WD Circular Number 335, 1944, as amended by Section IV, WD Circular No. 31, 1945 and Section III, WD Circular No. 75, 1945.

9. Action to be Taken in Equipping Units

a. Clothing and Equipment Allowances will be as listed in Appendix "P" as modified in movement orders.

b. Primary responsibility for completeness, serviceability and presentability of clothing, supplies, and equipment rests at all times with the unit commander. Base Section and appropriate AAF/MTO commanders may be called upon for assistance.

c. Action to be Taken by Unit Commander - Immediately upon receipt of MTOUSA Movement Order, a showdown inspection will be held and the following action taken:

(1) Requisitions for "showdown shortages" will be compiled separately by each unit for each service (QM, Ord, etc) on WD AGO Form 400, so as to disclose for each item the following:

(a) Number authorized.

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(b) Number on hand, fully serviceable or which can be promptly placed in serviceable condition as determined with technical inspection personnel of the major command.

(c) Quantity required, i.e., the number of fully serviceable equipment required.

(2) Requisitions will be signed and submitted through normal supply channels. Full use will be made of authorized substitutes.

III - PREPARATION OF IMPEDIMENTS FOR SHIPMENT

10. Packing

a. Units will be responsible for packing (or otherwise preparing for shipment) and marking their own equipment and baggage, in accordance with Appendix "C". In addition to the foregoing, units will pack such of the balance of organizational equipment as may be designated in instructions from base sections. In such instances, all supplies and equipment will be combat serviceable. Base sections will furnish units necessary additional instructions for packing, marking and delivery to appropriate depots. All equipment not packed by the unit will be complete, clean and serviceable to the extent of the availability of component items in current stocks and the repair facilities of the unit and turned in through normal supply channels.

b. So far as possible, only items pertaining to the same Service (as GM, Ord, etc) will be packed in any one container.

c. Organizational trophies, flags, colors, standards and guidons will be packed in accordance with provisions of Paragraph 16, RR 1-2.

d. No other equipment will be packed in any case containing weapons or their accessories.

e. Explosives, inflammable materials, or other dangerous articles will not be packed or shipped with organizational impediments as freight or baggage except that inflammable materials, such as paint, shellac, varnish, and cleaning materials for use during the voyage or immediately after debarkation, may be shipped if packed separately from other materials. Field ranges, water heaters, fuel containers and other articles of a similar nature in which gasoline is customarily used or stored will be completely drained of gasoline and fuel tanks and lines aired before being boxed or crated for overseas shipment. Authorized components of medical kits will not be considered as inflammable material.

f. Packing lists will be prepared as prescribed in paragraph 11. When packing lists are required, each will be inserted in a waterproof envelope. One envelope will then be placed inside each package and two will be securely attached to the outside of each package in the most protected location. One of the outside packing lists will normally be protected by means of a covering plate or cross strips. This covering plate will not be removed nor the list disturbed prior to arrival overseas.

11. Preparation of Records Concerning Shipments

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a. Packing lists - The unit will prepare separate packing lists for each package showing the contents (as described below), except for packages containing only one item or identical items. In such instances the contents will be shown on the outside of the package. No packing lists will be prepared for personal baggage.

(1) Packing lists will include the unit's shipment number and letter, the point of origin, the package number, the set number (if any) of the package, and a list of the contents of the package. Under no circumstances will packing lists contain information which will in any way indicate the destination of the shipment or where its contents will ultimately be used.

(2) The lists will identify contents by authorized standard nomenclature. In addition, the lists will show quantities, sizes and other pertinent information in sufficient detail so that each article can be replaced item for item.

(3) On a package whose contents should not generally be known, for example, drugs, intoxicating liquors, etc., the outside packing list will contain the information prescribed in (1) above, except that it will not include a list of the contents of the package. However, the inside packing list will include a list of the contents.

(4) Packing lists will be prepared in the following minimum quantity:

(a) By the unit commander:

One (1) for inclosure within the package

Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package

Six (6) for attachment to Consolidated Packing List (see paragraph 11b (5) below)

(b) By shippers, other than the unit commander:

One (1) for inclosure within the package

Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package.

b. Consolidated Packing Lists

(1) Consolidated Packing Lists will be prepared for each company or similar organization, or any smaller organization assigned a shipment number and letter for impediments accompanying the unit to the staging area or ports. (See Appendix "A" for model form.) The commander of each unit assigned a shipment number and letter will insure that Consolidated Packing Lists are prepared for companies or similar organizations in his unit. Such lists will show each package shipped by the unit separately in numerical order by package number. When there is a break in the numerical sequence of package numbers, an entry to this effect will be made in the Consolidated Packing List in the space where the omitted package numbers would appear if there had been no break in the numerical sequence. This entry will be started in the column headed "Package No." and continued horizontally across adjoining columns of the Consolidated Packing List

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(as "packages numbers A21 - A24 not used"). The Consolidated Packing List will include those packages for which no packing list is required (see paragraph 11e) except personal baggage, which will be shown by quantity of types of baggage only. Property worn or carried by individuals and hand baggage will not be included in the Consolidated Packing List. Weight and cube, set number and other pertinent data will be shown.

(2) A description of the contents of each package (except personal baggage) will be indicated in the appropriate column of the Consolidated Packing List. For packages requiring no packing list, quantities and exact nomenclature will be shown. Entries covering packages containing inflammables will include the word "INFLAMMABLE" (in capital letters) after the package number.

(3) The columns on the extreme right of the Consolidated Packing List are for entry of the specific freight car, truck and vessel upon which each package is shipped. It is essential that these columns be properly filled in.

(4) At least seven (7) copies of the Consolidated Packing List for each company or similar organization will be prepared. Six (6) copies will have packing lists attached. Packing lists need not be attached to the seventh copy. One (1) copy with packing list attached will be retained by the company or similar organization commander. The remaining six copies will be delivered to the unit commander. The unit commander will assemble the copies received from each company or similar organization in his unit into six sets. He will distribute these sets as follows:

(a) The set without packing lists attached (completed through the column headed "Date Shipped" only) will be sent by expeditious means to the port commander on the date the unit's equipment is shipped from the training area.

(b) Three sets will be sent as expeditiously as possible to the representative (if any) of the unit commander at the port or will be delivered to him prior to his departure from the training area. If there is no unit representative these copies will be sent by expeditious means to the port commander.

(c) The unit commander will retain two sets. These will be completed so as to show data concerning rail or truck shipments, if possible before the unit leaves the training area. Prior to the unit's departure from the training areas, one of these sets, completed as far as practicable, will be sent to the unit representative, if any, at the port otherwise to the port commander. The unit commander will bring the remaining set to the port unless it does not contain complete information concerning shipment from the training area. In this case it will be left at the training area for completion by a designated representative by the unit commander. It will be sent to the unit command or at the port when completed.

(5) Procedure at the port - The unit representative will complete all of his copies of Consolidated Packing Lists to show data concerning shipment to and from the port. If early departure of the representative makes this impossible, or if there is no representative of the unit, the port commander will complete the forms. In either case, copies will be distributed as indicated below:

(a) One (1) up-to-date copy will accompany the first overseas shipment of impedimenta.

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(b) One (1) up-to-date copy will be in the possession of the unit commander or his representative during movement overseas.

(c) Three copies will remain at the port. The port commander will send one (1) completed copy to the unit commander at overseas destination, if the last echelon of the unit was forced to depart prior to obtaining complete data as to ships upon which impedimenta were loaded. However, these loading data may preferably be sent by radio whenever a brief statement gives the information desired.

d. The unit commander will insure that promptly upon being ordered to move, shipping data form, see Appendix "H", is accomplished and one copy forwarded immediately to Chief of Transportation, MTOUSA.

12. Marking

a. Shipment Number and Letter - It is imperative that all organizational type impedimenta be so marked that it can be easily identified by all handlers and carriers as well as by the unit. Therefore, all containers shipped by or for the unit will be plainly marked (stenciled) on three surfaces with the unit's shipment number and letter in figures at least two inches high wherever practicable. The shipment number and letters will be marked (stenciled) in prominent places on packages which will not be boxed or crated, such as howitzers, guns, vehicles, five-gallon water cans, shovels, etc. For this and other markings prescribed herein, a black or other contrasting paint (not chalk) will be used on all packages.

b. "TAT" and yellow disc markings - All packages of minimum essential equipment (except personal baggage) and such organizational equipment as may be directed by the MTOUSA movement order to accompany troops overseas will be marked "TAT" and encircled in red, following the shipment number and letter, as RNL234 TAT (encircled in red). Equipment marked "TAT" is intended to be loaded aboard a vessel carrying the troops. Property which must be accessible during the voyage will be additionally marked with a 3-inch yellow disc near shipment number. Thus, a package which is to accompany troops aboard ship, and which must be accessible during the voyage, will be marked RNL234-A-TAT, (encircled in red), and will also be marked with a 3-inch yellow disc.

c. Package Number - In addition to the shipment number and letter, each package (except personal baggage) will be marked with an identifying "package number". Package numbers are made up of a number or a letter and a number. They are used to trace packages through the staging area and/or port and aboard ship, to prepare ship's manifests and similar transportation reports, and to check shipments received at destination. Package numbers will be placed on the three surfaces of each container on which the shipment number and letter are marked. The package number identifies the package; therefore tactical markings or other identifying devices will not be used unless specifically requested by commanders of divisions, separate brigades, combat commands, combat teams, similar separate organizations commanders or higher organization commanders and authorized by this headquarters. If used, these designs will contain nothing which will indicate unit designation. For shipments by the Units. Normally package numbers will be assigned in sequence, but the numerical sequence may be broken when it is deemed necessary. In case there is such a break in the sequence, notation to that effect with a record of the missing numbers will be made in the Consolidated

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Packing List. Packages of minimum essential equipment will be marked with a series of package numbers. The letter part of the package number will be an identifying letter generally as outlined in paragraph 15f (3), AR 850-5. For example, if the shipment number of the 5th Infantry is RN1234-A, the accompanying equipment of Company H of the 5th Infantry would bear the marking RN1234-A and would be marked additionally H1, H2, etc. Letters especially assigned for the purpose may be used for organizations having lengthy or special designations: Thus, Headquarters Company, 5th Infantry, might use the identifying letter "Y", while Headquarters, 5th Infantry, might use "H". Packages to be loaded aboard the same ship with troops of the unit concerned will also be marked "TAT" as provided in subparagraph b above. For marking of organizational equipment, see Appendix "B".

d. Blue strips for AAF equipment - Organizational impedimenta of AAF units ordered overseas will be marked with identifying numbers and letters as indicated in subparagraph 12a above, and additionally as follows: The shipment number and letter will be underlined with a blue line approximately two inches wide.

e. Weight and cube - Accurate weight to the nearest pound and volume to the nearest cubic foot will be stenciled on one surface of each package (except personal baggage) on which the shipment number and letter also appears.

f. Contents will be indicated on packages (except personal baggage) below the weight and cube as follows:

(1) When no packing list is required for packages of identical items (see paragraph 11a) contents will be stenciled on one surface of the container in sufficient detail to identify the contents accurately. (for example: range, field, M1937, 1 unit; or 48 handles, pick, railroad).

(2) Each package containing mixed contents will be stenciled on one surface with information as to the principal items, or the general nature of the contents (for example: office supplies).

(3) Contents will not be stenciled on containers when the nature of the contents should not be disclosed (see paragraph 11a (3)).

(4) Packages containing inflammables, except Medical kits, will be stenciled on two surfaces to indicate the contents, as for example, PAINT, ENAMEL, LACQUER, SHELLAC, CLEANING MATERIAL, PRESERVING MATERIAL.

(5) Special packaging and/or processing of a box or crate will be indicated on at least two sides thereof by a special designation as follows:

Moisture and fungi proofed	- MFP and Date
Corrosion proofed	- CP
Vapor proof packed	- VPP

g. Tactical markings and corner colors - Tactical markings or identifying devices, if authorized (see 12c above), may be placed near package numbers. Corner of packages (containers) of organizational equipment shipped by or for units will not be colored, since that type of marking is reserved for shipments of supplies made to overseas depots.

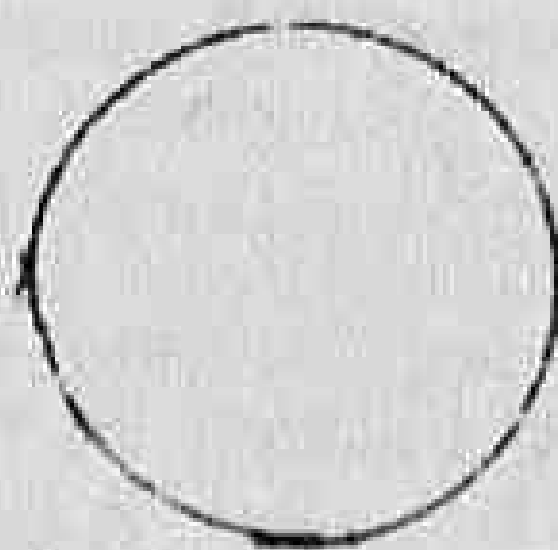
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h. Red disc set marking - When a set is placed in two or more containers all packages containing component parts must be shipped together. In such instances, each package will bear, in addition to its own package number, a 2-inch red disc signifying that the package is part of a set. Under this disc will be stenciled the word "SET", followed by the number of the set within the shipment. Under this set number will be stenciled two numbers in the form of a fraction, the numerator of which will indicate the serial number of the container within that particular set, and the denominator the total number of containers making up the set. Thus, a package which is the second of a group of 4 making up a SET 28 would be marked as shown below. The set marking will be placed on a surface upon which the shipment number and letter are stenciled.



(Painted 2" Red Disc)

SET 28
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i. Marking of personal baggage for overseas movement - Personal baggage (duffel bags, flying bags, trunk lockers, hand baggage and bedding rolls) will be stenciled, using lead paste (paint) with the individual's full name (first name, middle initial and last name), full serial number, grade in case of officers, and the appropriate shipment number and letter. Officers' trunk lockers will be marked on at least three surfaces. Duffel bags will be marked as shown in Appendix "C". Articles of personal baggage will not be assigned package numbers but will be marked with the identifying letter assigned the individual's organization for use in package numbers. This identifying letter (or letters), approximately two inches in height, will be placed immediately below the shipment number and letter on bedding rolls, trunk lockers, hand baggage, and duffel bags.

j. Individual items of clothing and equipment will be marked as prescribed in AR 850-5.

(1) Marking of special items of personal equipment - Prior to departure from the training area, the owner's name and ASN will be clearly marked on cameras, flashlights, electric razors, and all other individually owned electrical items. Such articles may be collected before boarding ship and returned to the owner upon arrival overseas.

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IV-- SECURITY

13. Secrecy Concerning Troop Movements

a. All personnel will be acquainted with the provisions of Section VIII, AR 380-5 (Safeguarding Military Information) and WD TC 99, 1942 and will be given adequate instruction in security, pursuant to paragraph 3, Section I, of that Circular.

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b. Unit commanders will be held responsible for the packing and safeguarding in accordance with AR 380-5, of classified documents and for the general security conditions of any camp or station vacated. Prior to departure, all classified documents and/or materiel not accompanying the unit or shipped elsewhere will be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of paragraphs 32, 54 and/or 60 of AR 380-5.

c. Unit commanders of troops participating in the movement will make every effort to insure that information concerning names of organizations, route, names of ships, port of debarkation, port of embarkation and sailing date is not discussed with or allowed to reach persons whose official duties do not require specific knowledge of the movement.

d. Local currency will be exchanged for United States currency prior to embarkation.

e. Any cases of leakage of information regarding troop movements will be investigated immediately and the facts reported to the Theater Commander.

f. Unit commanders are enjoined to take all possible precautions to prevent civilians from obtaining knowledge of the pending movement or its destination.

14. Security Concerning Past and Future Operations

a. Unit commanders will insure that personnel do not have in their possession any unauthorized:

- (1) Photographs or sketches.
- (2) Classified allied or enemy documents.
- (3) Classified allied or enemy materiel.
- (4) Uncensored mail.

b. All personnel will be informed that, following their return to the United States, they must obtain clearance from a US Public Relations Office before publicly lecturing upon or publishing any matters of security interest concerning their experiences or activities while in the army.

15. All personnel will be advised of the necessity of continuing security measures and specifically informed that, following their return to the US, they are not to discuss:

- a. Operations where the individual saw such operations from division headquarters or above.
- b. Cryptographic systems.
- c. Classified equipment and materiel.
- d. Location of any organizations at the present time.
- e. Opinions as to future operations and locations of units.

16. Cameras - Unit commanders will insure that cameras will not be accessible to personnel while they are aboard the vessel.

17. Intelligence - Upon receipt of warning orders, each commander of a unit which does not already have an intelligence officer will designate an officer, of senior NCO if no subordinate officer is in the unit, as representative for intelligence. Within twenty-four hours after arrival at a staging area, the representative for intelligence will report to the Intelligence Officer of the staging area for instructions.

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V--- POSTAL REGULATIONS

18. Mail

a. When orders are received directing the return of a unit to the United States for demobilization, the unit commander will require each person who will return with the unit to complete a Form NAP 11 showing the home or other non-military address in the United States to which he desires his mail to be forwarded. If some personnel desire, they may indicate on the Form 11 that their mail should be returned to sender.

b. All personnel who will return with the unit will be required to give immediate notice to emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers to discontinue mailing letters, parcels and publications until further advised as to new address. WD AGO Form 971-1 (V-Mail notice to correspondents and publishers) may be used for this purpose. However, when it is known at the time of receipt of the movement orders that actual departure of the unit from the theater will be considerably delayed, the notices should not be sent until the approximate departure date is known. The notice should be sent 20 days before departure date when possible.

c. The unit commander will prepare an NAP Form 11 for each person separated from the unit before departure from the theater, including all personnel who have been transferred during the past 60 days, showing the unit to which he was or will be transferred.

d. All personnel transferred from the unit will be required to notify their emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers of their new unit and APO address on WD AGO Form 971 as soon as it is known, but not sooner than 20 days before they are transferred from the unit.

e. Unit commanders will deliver the NAP Form Number 11, required by sub-paragraphs a and c above, to the postal officer of the staging area prior to departure of the unit from the theater.

VI-- MOVEMENT TO THE PORT AREA

19. Assistance - Unit commanders will promptly seek advice from Base Section or AAF/MTO Transportation officers in all matters pertaining to troop movements or freight shipments by rail or motor vehicles when either warning or movement orders are received. They will furnish such advance information as may be required by Base Section or AAF/MTO transportation officers for obtaining routing and for making proper arrangements for rail transportation. After requirements have been furnished to Base Section or AAF/MTO Transportation officers, they will make all necessary arrangements for securing equipment, supervision of loading, preparation and forwarding necessary reports. Air Force Units will deal with AAFSC/MTO (Movements and Transportation Section) which will in turn deal with Base Section Transportation officers, except as AAFSC/MTO may direct Air Force units to deal directly with Base Sections.

20. Time of Movement - The unit and its impedimenta will be dispatched to the staging area so as to arrive there at the time specified by the Base Section

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Commander, or AAFSC/MTO M & Tn Section, regardless of progress made in filling shortages of equipment.

21. Special Instructions Concerning Shipment of Impediments

a. In all cases organizational records, colors, standards and guidons will accompany the unit. Whenever practicable, subject to cargo space available, other unit impediments will also be carried on the vessel transporting the troops.

b. Shipments on flat cars - If material is loaded on flat cars, special provision must be made for train guards, as prescribed in paragraph 8, AR 55-155, with changes. The port commander concerned will take positive action to insure that such guard personnel is returned to its organization in the staging area, or at destination; whichever action circumstances indicate to be expedient.

c. The unit commander will promptly furnish the Base Section transportation officer or AAFSC/MTO M & Tn Section with the following information after loading:

(1) Shipment number and letter used in marking.

(2) Detailed lists showing for each car used the initials and car number, with the identifying marks of all packages and the estimated weight and cubage loaded therein.

d. Records - It is essential that the unit commander know at all times the location of all items of unit impediments. To this end, complete and accurate records of all containers and their contents must be maintained, including packing lists, consolidated packing lists, tally-outs, etc., together with a record of the cars or motor vehicles in which they are shipped.

22. Command - Upon arrival in the staging area, units pass to the control of the Base Section Commander, or appropriate AAF/MTO Commander.

23. Miscellaneous References - AR 55-130, Transportation of Troops and other Groups, General; AR 55-145, Transportation of Troops, Entraining Duties en route and Detraining; AR 55-155, Transportation of Public Property; AR 55-390 Overseas Movement of Organizations, Casuals and Individuals on Army Transports; Circular 400, WD, 1944, Troop Train Ration; WD Pamphlet 20-7, Troop Train Commander's Guide.

VII- INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO BAGGAGE AND LOADING OF EQUIPMENT ABOARD SHIP

24. Baggage

a. The provisions of War Department letter (AG 524 (18 Aug 44) OB-S-SPMOT-M) 29 August 1944, subject: "Processing of Baggage from Overseas", govern requirements for processing personal baggage during these movements.

b. Unit commanders will furnish the port of embarkation with a certificate in triplicate stating that no explosives or inflammables are contained in items being shipped as hold baggage.

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c. The commanding officer of each shipment will prepare 10 copies of a baggage list for all hold baggage. He will deliver 9 copies to the port of embarkation and keep one on file.

25. Loading of Equipment and Supplies Accompanying Troops Aboard Ship

a. One (1) day's rations, type K, per individual unless otherwise directed by MTOUSA movement order will be loaded aboard ship so as to be readily available to troops. These rations will be issued to each individual prior to debarkation.

b. Electric razors will not be used aboard ship

c. Pets or mascots will not be taken aboard ship.

VIII- MISCELLANEOUS

26. Disposition of Unit Records

a. Administrative and organizational records, current and non-current, will be processed in accordance with provisions of paragraph 15c and d, RR 1-2 and paragraph 38, RR 1-6, WD Circular Number 96, 1945 and MTOUSA Circular 64, 1945.

27. Non-Appropriated Funds

a. Procedure - Surplus property will be disposed of as provided in paragraph "b" below which is in accordance with MTOUSA Circular Number 62, "Non-Appropriated Funds", 1945. The custodian will pay all outstanding liabilities and any bank account maintained in the theater will be closed and a final bank statement will be obtained or arrangements will be made to have it forwarded. Cash will be converted into US Treasurer's checks (see "c" below) and any US Government securities held as investments will be forwarded to and deposited with the Treasury Department (Division of Security, War Bond Section Office of the Treasury of the United States, Treasury Department, Washington 25, D.C.) for safekeeping and receipts therefor will be filed with the funds records, and the fund account records will be closed and audited.

b. Disposition of Property - Property, except cash and securities, will be disposed of as follows:

(1) By sale to other welfare and sundry funds as preferred bidders.

(2) By sale to other purchasers, provided that no military bidder can be found and then only with the approval of the next higher commander.

(3) By transfer to the special service supply officer of the base section for reissue to other US Army personnel or by donation to other welfare and sundry funds, or turned over to salvage officer for disposition, in the event that no purchaser can be found. No property will be deliberately abandoned. A receipt will be taken from the responsible officer who receives such property and will be kept to show the disposition of the property.

(4) Property which was donated to the fund will not be disposed of without the prior approval of the donor unless the donor is not available. Any

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property which was donated by the American Red Cross will be returned to it upon its request.

c. Cash - The cash balance will be converted into US Treasurer's checks by presenting the cash to an Army disbursing officer and requesting such checks in any convenient amounts. Not more than ten (10) checks, however, will be requested or issued. Checks will be written in favor of the custodian and not to any individual by name, as shown in the following examples:

Pay to the order of Custodian
Unit Fund
Battery B,
384th Field Artillery Bn.

Pay to the order of Custodian,
Headquarters Fund,
261st Infantry Regt.

The notation "Exchange for cash" will be shown under "Object for which drawn". Treasurer's checks should be cashed prior to the termination of the period of negotiability (explained on the reverse of each check) and issuance of Treasurer's checks of current date requested of the nearest Army disbursing officer.

28. Data on Settlement of Personal Affairs

a. Personnel will be urged to adjust or settle all personal affairs and problems prior to further overseas movement, i.e., changes in government life insurance, allotments, family allowances, wills, etc. Particular emphasis will be placed on these matters when personnel have married overseas. In appropriate cases, action will be taken by such personnel in accordance with MTOUSA letter, file AG 371.2/398 A-O, dated 6 March 1945, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas". (Attention is invited to War Department letter, file, AG 510 dated 23 Nov 1944, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas"). Non-settlement of personal affairs will not act to delay the departure of any individual.

29. Identification Cards

a. Section II, MTOUSA Circular Number 74, 1945, governs the issuance of identification cards in this theater.

b. Prior to departure from training area, unit commanders will insure that identification cards or any similar identifications, credentials, travel checks, driver's permits, etc., in the possession of either commissioned or enlisted personnel in no way disclose any organizational designation pertaining either to the bearer or to the countersigning or approving officer.

30. Records, Reports and Rosters

a. Service Records - All service records will be checked for completeness and correctness in accordance with the requirements of TM 12-230 and MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 3 (Perfection of Personnel Records). The check sheet required by Section II, MTOUSA Circular Number 13, 1945, will be used and corrective

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action taken at once on all errors and/or omissions noted in pencil. Whenever necessary, to complete Service Records, personal interview, search of soldier's Qualification Card, and the initiation of correspondence will be instituted.

(1) Inspectors of all units and those from higher echelons will make special checks to insure compliance with paragraph a above.

(2) Inspectors General of the appropriate commands will also make frequent and thorough checks of this phase of administration.

b. Service records and allied papers must be on hand for every man who accompanies the units to the port from the staging area. Service records and allied papers will be kept in field desks or other suitable container which will be carried by hand and will be readily available at all times.

c. Personnel not physically present with unit at the time it moves from the Staging Area to the Port of Embarkation will be transferred to the Staging Area, and Service Records indorsed, and, together with all associated papers and a written report showing status of each individual, delivered to the commanding officer of the Staging Area. Further disposition instructions will be requested from the Base Section Commander. Personnel transferred pursuant to these instructions will be reported on the morning report of the Staging Area, or other appropriate morning report, effective with date of transfer and without regard to EDCMR.

d. Personnel records will be returned with the unit or group concerned.

ALL OFFICERS:

*WD AGO Form 65 or 65-1 (officers identification card).

WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2 or 66-3 (officer's and warrant officer's qualification card).

*WD AGO Form 77 (officer's pay data card).

*Record of leave accrued and granted (to be carried by officers, as prescribed in AR 605-115). (Record may be in any form desired by the individual).

ALL ENLISTED PERSONNEL:

WD AGO Form 20 (Soldier's Qualification Card).

WD AGO Form 24 (Service Record) with allied papers required by current directives.

*WD AGO Form 28 (Pay Data Card).

C & E Adjustment Form, as prescribed in WD Circular No. 72, 1945.

WD AGO Form 163 (Adjusted Service Rating Card).

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ALL PERSONNEL:

Field Military 201 file. (WD Circular No. 96, 1945).

WD AGO Form 8-114 (formerly form 78) (Syphilis register; for individuals under treatment for syphilis).

*WD AGO Form 8-115 (formerly Form 78a) (treatment record; for individuals under treatment for syphilis).

*WD AGO Form 8-117 (formerly Form 81) (Immunization Register in duplicate; original carried on person).

Copy of board proceedings such as reclassification, disposition, AR 615-368 and AR 615-369 proceedings. When applicable, such copy will contain indorsement by convening authority and approval of officer having discharge authority.

ARMY AIR FORCES RATED PERSONNEL

*Copy of orders bestowing aeronautical rating.

*Copy of orders placing personnel on flying status.

*Individual Flight Record (WD AAF 5) with allied papers.

*Instrument pilot certificate (AAF 8 or 8a).

Summary of bombing (AAF-12-B0 (bombardier only).

*Physical record card (WD AAF 206).

Standard AAF medical statement.

Army Air Forces individual training record (reference AAF ltr. 50-55)

Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 121-AAF Equipment).

PARACHUTE AND GLIDER PERSONNEL

*Copy of orders announcing parachutist or glider rating.

*Copy of orders or certificates placing personnel on parachutist or glider status as required by current regulations.

In the event any of the above records are missing and cannot be located, duplicate will be prepared in accordance with current directives applicable. If missing records cannot be replaced or can be only partially reconstructed, a certified statement giving the facts in the case will be forwarded in lieu of the missing record or will be attached to the partially completed duplicate.

*To be carried by each individual.

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e. (1) The last morning report to be furnished the theater machine records unit servicing the organization on the day of departure will carry the following remark after the last entry:

To depart for _____ (destination) at _____ (time and place of embarkation) under shipment number _____.

(2) A copy of the passenger list will be attached to the morning report. Final status cards, master organization cards and strength cards will be forwarded by the Theater consolidating machine records unit to the War Department by air courier or other expeditious means.

f. WD AGO Form 41, (Designation or Change of Relative to be Paid Six (6) Months Gratuity in Case of Death) will be executed by each individual if any change has occurred in the eligibility or permanent address of any beneficiary and will be forwarded by the personnel officer to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C. prior to embarkation. (see AR 600-600).

g. Rosters

(1) A roster containing the names of all personnel who belong to the unit will be prepared at the appropriate time in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 14a RR 1-2, and be disposed of as provided in paragraph 15b (3) RR 1-2. See Appendix E.

(2) The unit commander will be responsible for forwarding, at the appropriate time, copies of the unit movement order and personnel roster and a true copy of each officer's WD AGO Form No. 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, to the headquarters of the major command, pursuant to paragraph 14b, Rd 1-2, dated 11 April 1945. The major commander will be responsible for forwarding these documents in accordance with the above cited regulation. Any corrections made to these rosters, prior to embarkation, will be forwarded directly by the major command to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C. (ATTENTION: Officers Branch (PO-A)), and to the Commanding General, Port of Debarkation, in the United States, using air courier or air mail, whichever is faster. If an officer is added to the roster subsequent to its submission to The Adjutant General, a true copy of the officer's WD AGO Form No. 66-1, 66-2 or 66-3, will be forwarded with amendments to the roster to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C. When, at a later date, WD AGO Form No. 66-4 becomes available in this Theater, it will be submitted in lieu of the true copies of WD AGO Form No. 66-1 prescribed above.

h. Passenger Lists - The commanders of air and water Ports of Embarkation will issue the necessary instructions to Unit Commander upon arrival at the Staging Area on preparation and distribution of passenger lists.

31. The Commander of the Category IV Unit Ordered Overseas will perform the following:

a. Assure full compliance with the requirements of paragraph 8 and Section IV.

b. Promptly conduct a showdown inspection and make an inventory of

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clothing, supplies and equipment on hand to determine completeness, presentability and serviceability. The Base Section or AAF/MTO commander will be called upon for necessary technical assistance in this inspection.

c. Promptly prepare and submit to the appropriate supply agency the properly signed requisition for showdown shortages as outlined in paragraph 9c (1).

d. Turn in to the appropriate supply agency through normal channels all unserviceable items and those items in excess of allowances authorized in paragraph 9a, as modified by MTOUSA Movement Order.

e. Insure that shipments of organization equipment are properly and substantially packed and crated, prepared to withstand the rigors incident to shipment overseas, are correctly marked, and that a record is kept of the contents of each container. See Section III and AR 850-5.

f. Company and similar organization commanders will have in their possession the company property book required by WD Circular 405, 1942. Air Force organizations will make available to the port air officer the squadron copy of its organization Equipment List.

g. Insure that the custodian of the unit fund disposes of the fund's surplus property and converts its cash into checks, and that the fund is closed and audited in accordance with required procedures.

h. Comply with instructions concerning mail

i. As directed by the Base Section or AAF/MTO commander, report in person or by capable representative, to the appropriate port, prepared to accomplish the following:

(1) Furnish information concerning shipments of organizational impedimenta made by the unit.

(2) Furnish to port officials information concerning the relative importance of organizational equipment and maintenance supplies of the unit as a guide in determining the order of shipment and manner of loading.

j. Comply with instructions concerning rosters, paragraph 30g.

k. Evacuation of Property by Units - Before evacuation by a unit of a unit installation or property, the unit commander will:

(1) Report the time and date of move to the major command having control of the installation or property in order that a suitable custodian to receive and guard may be designated.

(2) Leave installation or property in a clean and sanitary condition.

(3) Render such assistance as may be practicable to the base section in dismantling installations no longer required.

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(4) Obtain a receipt from the custodian showing condition of the installation or property at the time it is evacuated.

l. Insure that personnel records check list, see Appendix D, is properly accomplished for each individual prior to departure from the staging area.

m. Promptly upon being ordered to move, accomplish shipping data form as provided in paragraph 11c.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

OFFICIAL:

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Major General, GSC
Chief of Staff

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Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

8 Inclosures:

- Appendix "A" - Consolidated Packing List, Impediments Moved to Port of Embarkation.
- Appendix "B" - Marking of Organizational Equipment.
- Appendix "C" - Marking of Duffel Bag.
- Appendix "D" - Personnel Records Check List.
- Appendix "E" - Personnel Roster.
- Appendix "F" - List of Equipment to Accompany Category IV Units Returning from Oversea Commands.
- Appendix "G" - Processing and Packing Standards.
- Appendix "H" - Shipping Data Form.

DISTRIBUTION:

- Z
- 15 - TAG
- 6 - ETOUSA
- 2 - CG, MTOUSA
- 5 - G-1 (extra)
- 20 - G-4 (extra)
- 4 - QM (extra)
- 12 - I&E (extra)
- 28 - IG (extra)
- 10 - Ord (extra)
- 60 - REPCO (extra)
- 5 - 2629 WAC Bn (extra)

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CONSOLIDATED PACKING LIST, IMPEDIMENTA MOVED TO PORT OF EMERSON

SHIPMENT RUM-B
CONSOLIDATED PACKING LIST
SHIPPED TO: PORT TRANS O
MARSEILLES PE
MARSEILLES, FRANCE

(assembly area)
Identifying letter - "c"

IMPEDIMENTA MOVED TO PORT (EXCEPT PROPERTY FORN OR CARRIED BY INDIVIDUALS)

U.S. NO.	SET NUMBER	TYPE OF PACKAGE	QUANTITY AND ITEM	WEIGHT	CUBE	DATE SHIPPED	INIT. AND NO. CAR OR TRUCK	VESSEL
C1		Box	Message Center Pads & Forms	158	4	15 Jun 45	FLAN 73456	(1)
C2		"	Chest & Message Center Equipment	176	5	"	"	"
C3		"	Message Center Equipment	187	9	"	"	"
C4		"	Message Center Equip, Chest B3-5	194	7	"	"	"
C5		"	Radio Equipment	151	8	"	"	"
C6		"	1 ea Typewriter	51	3	"	"	"
C7		"	Heater, Immersion Type	130	8	"	"	"
C8		"	Radio Equipment	203	11	"	"	"
C9		"	Lineman's Table & Repair Equipment	150	8	"	"	"
C10		"	Chemical Warfare Equipment	124	6	"	"	"
C11		"	Power Unit PE-75	420	16	"	"	"
C12		"	1 ea Range, Field H-1937	400	17	"	"	"
C13		"	* * * * *	*	*	"	"	"
		"	Mass Equipment	92	4	"	"	"

12 Trunk Lockers
5 Bedding Rolls

Total 5938
900
240
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286
48
20
334

Attached: 24 Packing Lists
To be filled in at the P of E.

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MARKING OF ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT

TO POAT TRANS O

Shipment number and letter
and package number on
three surfaces

MARSEILLES P. OF E
MARSEILLES FRANCE

Domestic address label
on one surface of ICL and
IFL shipments

Weight, cube,
and content
on same surface

Packing list protected by
covering plate in protected
location

2-inch red disk
and set designation
on one surface

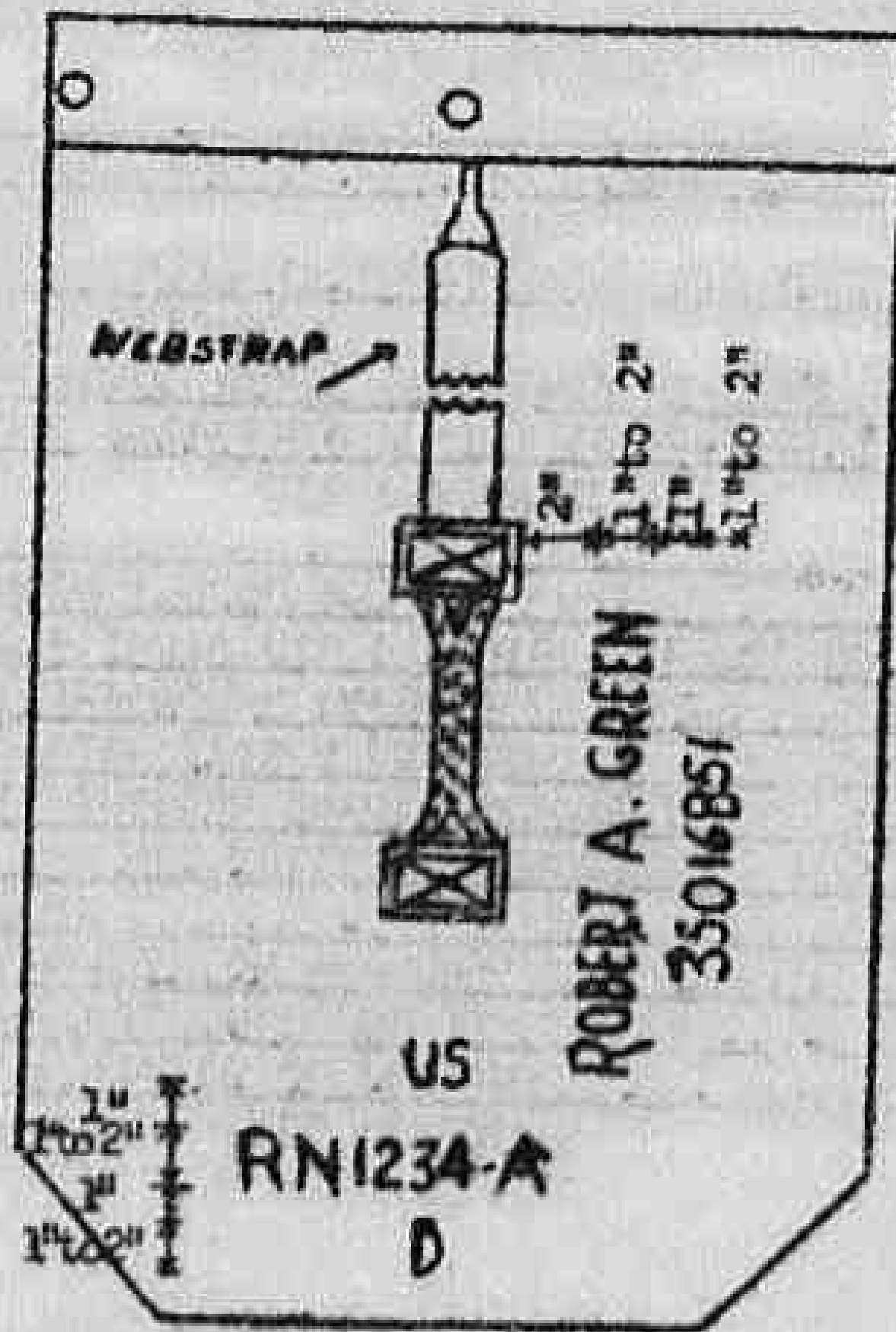
3-inch yellow disk on packages which must be accessible during the voyage.

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MARKING OF DUFFEL BAG



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RESTRICTEDAPPENDIX "D" to Hq MTOUSA
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PERSONNEL RECORDS CHECK LIST

(To be inclosed in Records Jacket or similar container) _____ Date _____
(Shipping agency Issuing Orders)

LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ INITIAL _____ GRADE _____ ASN _____

BRANCH OF SERVICE _____ FORMER ORGANIZATION _____

CATEGORY _____ DATE PROCESSED _____

	UNIT	POD	RS	AS
ALL OFFICERS				
ID Card (WDAGO 65 or 65-1)(Carried on Person)				
Qualification Card (WDAGO 66-1, 66-2, 66-3)				
Pay Data Card (WDAGO 77)(Carried on Person)				
Record of Leave (AR 605-115)				
ALL ENLISTED PERSONNEL				
Sol Classification & Qualification Card (WDAGO 20)				
Service Record (WDAGO 24) with allied papers				
Pay Data Card (WDAGO 28)(Carried on Person)				
C and E Adjustment Form for Indiv Clo & Equip (Cir 72, WD, HS)				
Adjusted Service Rating Card (WDAGO 163)				
ALL PERSONNEL				
Syphilis Register AGO 8-114 (Formerly MD-78) if applicable				
Syphilis Treatment Record WDAGO 8-115 (Formerly MD 78a) if applicable (Carried on Person)				
Immunization Register WDAGO 8-117 (Formerly WDID B1) Duplicate (Original on Person)				
Board Proceedings, where applicable, properly accomplished				
AAF RATED PERSONNEL				
Cy orders bestowing Aeronautical Rating				
Orders placing Personnel on flying status				
Individual Flight Record (WD AAF 5) with allied papers				
Instrument Pilot Certificate (AAF 8 or 8a)(Carried on Person)				
Summary of Bombing (AAF-12-B)(Bombardier only)				
Physical Fitness Test and Record (AAF 28A)				
Physical Record Card (WD AAF 206)(Carried on Person)				
Standard AAF Medical Statement				
AAF Individual Training Record (Ref AAF Reg 50-55)				
Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 121)				
PARACHUTE AND GLIDER PERSONNEL				
Cy orders announcing parachutist or glider rating				
Cy orders or certificates placing personnel on parachutist or gliders status as required by current regulations				

*Check not required at overseas water ports for movements by water and rail transportation, if made at overseas concentration or assembly areas

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RESTRICTEDAPPENDIX "E" to Hq MTOUSA
Redeployment Circular #15, 1945PERSONNEL ROSTERROSTERFOR RECEPTION STATION NO. 2, FORT DIX, N.J.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE AND ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>CO</u>	<u>MOS NO</u>	<u>ASR SCORE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
MILLER, Frank T.	Lt Col	043211	Hq	1193-5	181	641 Spring St Boston, Mass
MARNER, Silas P.	Capt FA	066666	B	1193-7	180	65, 8th Street Bayonne, N. J.
BILLUPS, Samuel S.	Capt CAC	098765	B	1172-7	175	21 Warner Drive Trenton, N. J.
MORSEMAN, Harry A.	1st Lt	077777	A	1542-8	173	RFD No. 6, Sleepy Hollow, N. Y.
HEADLESS, Charles D.	2d Lt	088888	C	1542-9	169	196 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn, N. Y.
MANSFIELD, Thomas A.	2d Lt Cav	099962	A	1620-9	198	207 Lindbergh Ave Newport, Del
***	***	***	***	***	***	***
JONES, Willie	S Sgt FA	1234567	Hq	502	187	145 Railroad St Watertown, N. Y.
PERKINS, Emanuel M.	Sgt FA	7654321	C	502	181	207 Van Buren St Brooklyn, N. Y.
RENNETT, John F.	Cpl	2345678	B	405	182	607 Burnett Ave Syracuse, N. Y.
MADON, Joseph P.	Pfc QMC	6432123	C	835	180	2105 38th St Long Island, N.Y.
ADAMS, John L.	Pfc Sig C	5556667	B	569	167	450 Court St, Utica N. Y.
BOBO, Robert H.	Pfc	8888662	C	014	167	86 Ocean Ave Jersey City, N. J.
CAMILL, Arthur H.	Pfc FA	9991443	A	844	169	RFD #2, Rome, N. Y.
HECK, George T.	Pfc FA	5432123	B	844	172	RFD #1, Rome, N. Y.
ANDERSON, Christian	Pvt Inf	32024076	B	745	174	Penn Ave, Modford L.I., N. Y.
CRUCY, Henry J.	Pvt FA	32828385	B	844	177	19 Tompkins Ave Yonkers, N. Y.
CRESPO, Julio	Pvt Inf	32163917	D	745	179	322-423 Bard Ave New York, N. Y.
EURECK, Joseph F.	Pvt Cav	33113850	C	1736	184	416 16th St Bever Falls, N.Y.
FARRELL, Joseph T.	Pvt QMC	33178872	A	835	183	141 Christmont Rd Binghamton, N. Y.

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE AND ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>CO</u>	<u>IKS NO</u>	<u>ASR SCORE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
GIMLER, William A.	Pvt Sig C	12017988	B	560	189	Nonkonkoma, L.I., N. Y.
KING, Thomas J.	Pvt Inf	6785651	C	745	106	133-01 Sanford Ave Flushing, N. Y.

(List remaining members of unit to be assigned to this group)

Note 1: Prepare similar lists for each reception station accounting for all members of the unit. The list for each reception station will be prepared on a separate stencil or group of stencils.

Note 2: The format illustrated may be modified to permit use of addressing equipment to impress data on stencils provided all information indicated is given. The following is required: (1) Names will be listed in the first column; (2) addresses will be listed in the last column; and (3) a minimum 1 1/2 inches space will be left on the right of the list to permit, when practicable, re-use of the stencils for other purposes at installations in the United States.

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APPENDIX "F" to HQ MTOUSA
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LIST OF EQUIPMENT TO ACCOMPANY CATEGORY IV UNITS RETURNING FROM

OVERSEA COMMANDS

(Allowances of the items contained herein are as prescribed in the T/E or T/O & E applicable to the unit, except where otherwise indicated.)

1. Clothing and individual equipment indicated in WD Circular Number 72, 1945 and officers trunk lockers (or barrack bags), hand baggage, and bedding rolls.

2. Organizational equipment normally issued to individuals.

Band instruments, with accessories
Drumsticks
Flashlight, TL-122
Flying clothing and equipment
Trumpet; G w/slide to F
Whistle, thunderer

3. Administrative and Miscellaneous Equipment.

Bag, money, leather
Case, brief, leather
Case, canvas, dispatch
Chest, flight, service, complete
Chest, record, fiber
Colors, standards, and guidons
Desk, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (QM items only)
Kit, barber, w/case
Kit, dental (officers; privs)
Kit, medical (officers; NCO's; Privs)
Machine, computing, listing and nonlisting
Machine, duplication, spirit or stencil process
Machine, numbering
Machine, paper fastening, wire staples
Outfits, chaplain
Perforator
Ruler, office, 18-inch
Safe, field, key lock
Seal, official
Selector, qualification card
Sharpening, office pencil
Sling, color, web, CD
Stamp, rubber, official
Stamp, time, recording
Stylus, medium loop
Tool kits (w/tools) hand instrument repair (brass and woodwind)
Typewriters, portable and nonportable

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4. Expendable supplies, such as the items listed below, as authorized, depending upon the estimated length of journey and the strength of the unit concerned. Allowances of these items are prescribed in Circular 1-18, OQMG: and ASF Catalog SIC k-1.

Blank forms
C and P materials
Clips, paper
Envelopes

Pencils

Folders, manila
Paper, bond
Paper, carbon
Paper, onionskin

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5. Small arms and ammunition for guard purposes: - Such quantities as are determined necessary by the Theater Commander.

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PROCESSING AND PACKING STANDARDS

CHEMICAL WARFARE

1. Items with packages and waterproofing in good condition and in accordance with latest packing specifications giving particular consideration to the 55 lb. weight limit required for certain items going to the Pacific Theater may be shipped direct to other theaters.
2. Items which do not have packages and waterproofing in good condition or do not come within the 55 lb weight limit as specified for certain items, will be repackaged in the theater insofar as practicable and if approved by a qualified Chemical Warfare Service inspector, may be shipped direct to other theaters.
3. Equipment of category as specified in paragraph 2, which cannot be processed to meet inspection in theater, will be returned to the United States to the extent of the quantities which are in excess of the continuing needs of the Mediterranean Theater of Operations.
4. List of items to which the 55-lb weight limit applies for the Pacific Theater is not available at this time but will be furnished separately.
5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-11A (US Navy Specification 39-P-16a).

ENGINEERS

1. Items to be shipped to theaters continuing active. Such items will be processed for overseas shipment in accordance with the procedure outlined in TM 5-9711 "Instructions for Preparation for Corps of Engineers Equipment for Export", and such Technical Bulletins as have been prepared for specific items. Such Bulletins are in the TB 5 series, have numbers corresponding with those of the Technical Manuals covering the equipment, and are listed in FM 21-6. Spare parts will be processed in accordance with TB 5-9711-1 Preparation for Export Spare Parts for Corps of Engineers Equipment. The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification 100-11A (US Navy Specification 39-P-16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent.
2. Items to be returned to the United States. Such items should be processed with ordinary commercial standards for preparation of such equipment for export shipment. The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-11A (US Navy Specification 39-P-16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent.
3. Items of Engineer explosives authorized in T/O & E and other War Department directives as a component part of engineer sets will not be packed or shipped but will be issued to the units after arrival from stocks in the theater of destination unless Movement Orders specifically direct otherwise (M.D. Circular Number 30, 1945).

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4. Major items of Engineer equipment for units being redeployed will be prepared for oversea shipment at Engineer Processing and Packing installations adjacent to theater ports of embarkation to be designated by appropriate base commanders.
 - a. Such equipment as is being shipped by Category II units being redeployed directly to another theater will be delivered to the installation as directed by the appropriate base commander, and unit personnel will be furnished as directed to process and/or pack all such equipment, utilizing the facilities and materials provided by the installation under the technical supervision of base personnel. Unit personnel will be responsible for obtaining the necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form submitted by the unit.
 - b. Major items of equipment accompanying Category II units being redeployed to the United States for station will be processed as indicated above, if directed.
 - c. Base commanders will be responsible for establishing necessary priorities for receipt and processing of equipment at the processing and packing installations, consistent with the movement of the unit to which such equipment belongs.

MEDICAL

1. Surgical, dental and veterinary instruments will be processed in accordance with one of the procedures outlined below, depending upon materials which may be available, before shipment to the Pacific area or to the United States.
 - a. Process Number 1 - This process is extracted from Medical Department Tentative Specification Number 1708, Army Medical Purchasing Officer, dated 15 May 1944.
 - (1) **MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP.**
Material
 - (a) Oil. - Shall be a neutral, mobile saturated, hydrocarbon oil, meeting the requirements of US Army Specification Number 2-120.
 - (b) Aluminum foil. - Shall be fully annealed, free from mechanical and metallurgical defects, and shall contain not less than 99 per cent aluminum. The thickness of the foil shall be between 0.0006 and 0.0008 inch.
 - (c) Envelope, heat sealing. - Shall be a flat, laminated bag of transparent, heat sealing, regenerated cellulose, consisting of a sheet of 450 MSAT 84G, or equal, laminated to another sheet of 450 MSAT 84G, or equal with 18 pounds (three-pound tolerance) per roll (24 x 36 inches 500 sheets) of a permanently plastic, water-vapor-resistant laminating agent.

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(2) DETAIL REQUIREMENTS

- (a) Procedure. - The instruments shall first be thoroughly cleaned by the use of a neutral, chlorine-free, completely volatile, organic solvent, after which they shall be oven-dried at a temperature of from 215 to 230 F. The following operations shall then be performed in the sequence given.
- (b) Oiling. - The cleaned and dried instruments shall be immersed in the oil described in paragraph C-1a, agitating intermittently to dislodge the air from the crevices, for a period of approximately five minutes. They shall then be removed from the oil bath and suspended to permit the drainage of excess oil.
- (c) Wrapping. - The aluminum foil shall be clamped between the opposing faces of the jaws and between ratchets, and small pieces shall be inserted in the interstices of those instruments having same (for example, in the toggle mechanism of double action bone forceps). The instruments shall then be wrapped completely in the aluminum foil and the wrapping shall be firmly pressed against the instrument to insure contact over as much of the surface of the instrument as possible. On sharp pointed instruments, such as scissors, bistouries, etc., the points may be covered with several folds of foil to prevent puncture of outer container. Careful wrapping and pressing of aluminum foil in the blade area will result in excellent protection, and will not damage the instrument.
- (d) Packaging. - Each such foil-wrapped instrument shall be placed in an individual envelope, of the proper size indicated, described in paragraph C-1c, and shall be so heat-sealed as to form an air and water-tight closure. Certain large instruments, (such as Balfour retractors, plaster shears, or obstetrical forceps) do not readily lend themselves to packaging in the specified envelope. Such instruments may be wrapped over the aluminum foil, with either Grade A or C paper (as per US Army Specification Number 100-14A) in lieu of the cellulose heat-sealed envelopes.
- (e) Marking of Envelope. - The envelope shall be imprinted or marked with the following information, or it may be placed on a separate sheet of white paper and placed with the instrument in the bag so that it may be read through the transparent cellulose:

Item Number
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Name of Item

Do not open until ready for use
Clean before sterilizing.

(3) METHODS OF INSPECTION, TESTS, ETC.

- (a) Examination for compliance with this specification.
- (b) Integrity of seal - After sealing, the bags shall be tested for air tightness by hand compression.

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b. Process Number 2 - The applicable processes described in Section XVI of US Army Specification Number 100-14A may be used in lieu of Process Number 1, if materials are not available for Process Number 1.

- (1) X-Ray machines, laboratory equipment, dental equipment, physiotherapy equipment and hospital equipment, which is subject to rapid deterioration when exposed to the elements, will be processed in accordance with the method outlined in applicable portions of Section V and VI, Army Service Forces Manual M 406, "Corrosion Prevention, Processing and Packaging", dated 11 December 1943.
- (2) Packing will conform with "Army - Navy General Specifications for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment 100-14A" insofar as practicable. In this connection, War Department Supply Bulletin SB 8-2, "Packing Room Layouts and Packing of Medical Supplies", supplies specific information for packing medical items. This bulletin will be used to supplement Specification 100-14A, mentioned above.
- (3) In those instances where materials cannot be obtained to comply with the above described standards, methods will be improvised which will afford reasonable assurance that the articles will reach their destination in sound and usable condition.
- (4) Responsibilities
 - (a) The Commanding Officers of medical units other than hospital units are responsible for:
 - (1) Examining and turning back to medical supply channels, or otherwise disposing in accordance with applicable policies, of those items not considered fit for transport to another theater or the United States.
 - (2) For effecting minor repairs to the maximum of his facilities.
 - (3) For requisitioning replacement items as required.
 - (4) Preparation of the items for shipment in accordance with the prescribed standards.
 - (b) The Commanding Officers of hospital units will be responsible for:
 - (1) Turning back to medical supply channels all medical department components of present hospital assemblies.
 - (2) Requisitioning a replacement hospital assembly when required.

ORDNANCE

1. Processing and packing of Ordnance material for shipment overseas will be in accordance with the following instructions and references:

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- a. (1) Combat vehicles, artillery weapons, all trailers and semi-trailers, and all other vehicles having an Ordnance or commercial type automotive chassis, will be processed and/or packed in accordance with W.D. SB 9-4 and applicable special packing instructions referred to in PS 1000, entitled "Catalog of Approved Packing Instructions for Major Items and Spare Parts for Ordnance General Supplies", dated 1 March 1945, or latest revision, and as indicated below.
- (2) General purpose vehicles up to and including two-and-one half ton (including two-and-one-half ton dump trucks) will be single-unit packed. One-quarter ton and one-ton trailers will be packed two per crate. Artillery and all other vehicles (except truck, bomb service, M27, which will be single-unit packed) will be shipped on tracks or wheels.
- (3) Any equipment peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance, which is mounted upon any of the vehicles and trailers designated above, will be processed for overseas shipment by the organization and/or service concerned prior to the delivery of such vehicles or trailers to the vehicular processing line.
- b. SNL Groups A, B and F - in accordance with instructions in OSSEs-A, B and F, TM 9-2854 entitled "Instruction Guide for Ordnance Packaging and Shipping" and other publications available for reference at Ordnance Installations. Assistance will be given by Ordnance packing teams at all staging and training areas.
- c. Materials Handling Equipment - in accordance with specifications stated in JQD-1025.
- d. Ammunition - Process in accordance with Parts II of SNLs P, R, S and T.
 Packaging -- Ammunition which requires repacking before shipment will be packed according to one of the methods listed in drawings referred to in Parts II of SNLs P, R, S, and T. The method selected will be the one most practical for use in MTOUSA.

QUARTERMASTER

1. Mechanical items (Mobile Equipments, etc., other than laundry and dry cleaning equipment for fixed installations and fuels and lubricants equipment). **1981**
 Processing specifications will be found in JQD-1021, Engines; and JQD-1012-K, Spare Parts.
2. Non-mechanical items - (clothing, Equipage, General Supplies).
 Existing packing and crating instructions are contained in OQMS Packing and Crating Requirements, CS-1.
3. Laundry and dry cleaning equipment for fixed installations - Standards will conform to Specification QM-1, dated 7 January 1944. Processing, Packing and Crating Laundry and Dry Cleaning Equipment for Fixed Installations for Overseas Shipment.

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4. Fuels and lubricants items

Drums, inflammable liquid (gasoline) steel, with carrying handle, capacity 5 gallons -- when shipped empty, ship in bundles of 5 strapped together with steel bands, all plugs to be wrench tight. If filled, ship as single item.

Pump, oil, barrel, motor oil dispensing, 1 quart, 15 to 60 gallon barrels or drums -- pack for overseas shipment as single items.

Pump, barrel, rotary, kerosene or gasoline, with six foot hose and nozzle--pack for overseas shipment as single item.

Containers, collapsible, all types, all sizes -- must be folded and shipped in the same container in which they were originally shipped.

Hose, gasoline, rubber-metal (all types and sizes) -- coil, wrap in burlap before shipment.

Cleaner, drum, portable, gasoline engine driven -- pack for overseas shipment according to TM 5-9711.

Twister, wire, bag tie, heavy spring return -- packaged in lots of 6.

Wire, bag tie double loop, 14 gauge, 7" long -- shipped in rolls of 5000 each.

Gasket, filler plug, all types and sizes;	) in packages not to exceed 100 pounds in weight
Plugs, steel drum all types;-	
Tags, marking, all types;	
Clips, marking tag, zinc plated	

5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-114 (US Navy Specification 39F16a).

SIGNAL

1. Items to be shipped to Active Theaters.

a. Such items will be processed in accordance with pertinent publications. This processing will include corrosion proofing, waterproof packaging and moisture and fungi-proofing of equipments, parts, and supplies as indicated in existing directives, in special publications and technical manuals. Attention is specifically directed to instructions contained in the following:

- (1) TB SIG-13 "Moisture and Fungi Proofing of Signal Corps equipment", and changes thereto.
- (2) Sig C Spec 72-0-6 "Signal Pack"
- (3) Sig C Spec 72-0-7 "Standard Pack"
- (4) Sig C Spec 72-0-8 "Packaging Guide"
- (5) Sig C Spec 72-0-9 "Signal Pack Instructions"
- (6) Sig C Spec 72-0-10 "Packaging Guide for Signal Pack"
- (7) US Army Spec No. 100-114 Army Navy General Specifications.
- (8) ASF Manual H-406 -- "Corrosion Prevention Processing and Packaging"
- (9) "Acquisition and Marking Supplies for Overseas Shipment", File Reference AG 400.161 (5-19-43)

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(10) Special Packaging specifications to be made available.

2. Items to be returned to the Zone of Interior

Such items will be processed as above except that in accordance with existing instructions, moisture and fungi proofing will not be accomplished.

TRANSPORTATION

Processing Standards for shipments of Transportation Equipment should be the same as those employed in making shipments from the United States. In shipments made to another theater this is especially true due to the length of exposure and the climatic conditions to be encountered. Packaging and packing should be in accordance with US Army Specification Number 100-114, 15 February 1943.

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Drums, inflammable, liquid, steel, capacity 55 gallons, ship as single items when shipped full or empty, all plugs wrench tight.

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SHIPPING DATA FORM

PERSONNEL

Date _____ Unit _____ Parent Org. _____ Base Section _____

Shipment #	Unit Designation	Location	T/O	Off.	Nurses	W.O.	R.M.	Total

Organizational Equipment

WT - Tons (2240 lbs)

Cubic Feet.

- Note: 1. This will include only organizational equipment LESS VEHICLES and equipment loaded therein.
2. Indicate exact Wt. and Meas. for each box or crate exceeding five tons.

VEHICLES

No. of Vehicles

Type and Make

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

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Redeployment Circular #15, 1945SHIPPING DATA FORMPERSONNEL

Date _____ Unit _____ Parent Org. _____ Base Section _____

Shipment #	Unit Designation	Location	T/O	Off.	Nurses	W.O.	E.M.	Total

Organizational EquipmentWT - Tons (2240 lbs)Cubic Feet.

- Note: 1. This will include only organizational equipment LESS VEHICLES and equipment loaded therein.
2. Indicate exact Wt. and Meas. for each box or crate exceeding five tons.

VEHICLES

No. of Vehicles

Type and Make

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington 25, D.C.

AC 370.5 (11 May 45)CB-S-SPMOT-M

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16 May 1945

SUBJECT: Advance Detachments of Units Returning to the United States.

TO: The Commanding Generals,
Theaters of Operations

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1. This letter constitutes Supplement No. 1 to Redeployment Movements, Annex B (First Revision), War Department, 20 April 1945, and, specifically, is an implementation of paragraph 12a(18) thereof.

2. To provide appropriate details at assembly stations for handling the reception and for assisting in planning the training of units of the size of separate battalions and larger, being returned to the control of Army Ground Forces and Army Service Forces in the Zone of Interior, overseas commanders will move advance detachments of such units to the United States, composed of personnel as indicated below.

a. Advance Detachments for Units Returning to Control of the Army Ground Forces.

(1) Infantry Division.

(a) Division Headquarters:

1 Officer representative from each of the following:

Division Commander

G-1

G-2

G-3

G-4

Adjutant General

Quartermaster and Transportation Officer

Surgeon

Engineer

Ordnance Officer

Information and Education and Special

Service Officer

Signal Officer

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1. This letter constitutes Supplement No. 1 to Redeployment Move-
ments, Annex B (First Revision), War Department, 20 April 1945, and,
specifically, is an implementation of paragraph 12a(16) thereof.

2. To provide appropriate details at assembly stations for handling
the reception and for assisting in planning the training of units of the
Army Ground Forces and Army Service Forces, being returned to the control of
their commanders will move advance detachments of such units to the United
States, composed of personnel as indicated below.

a. Advance Detachments for Units Returning to Control of the
Army Ground Forces.

(1) Infantry Division.

(a) Division Headquarters:

1 Officer representative from each of the
following:

Division Commander

G-1

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Adjutant General

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Total: 12 Off

4 EM (drivers and clerks)

4 EM

(b) From each Infantry Regiment and Division Artillery:

1 Officer representative of 3-3 and 9-4

Total: 8 Off

(c) For housekeeping purposes, the separate companies of each Infantry Regiment will be treated as a provisional battalion and the divisional separate companies will be treated as two provisional battalions. As a result, 20 battalion detachments will be needed, each one consisting of 1 officer and 7 enlisted men, as follows:

1 Officer (administration, mess and supply)

1 Acting 1st Sgt

1 Acting Mess Sgt

1 Acting Supply Sgt

4 Cooks

Total: 20 Off

140 EM

(d) Infantry Division Total: 40 officers, 144 enlisted men.

(2) Armored Division.

(a) Division Headquarters:

1 Officer representative of each of the following:

Division Commander

G-1

G-2

G-3

G-4

Adjutant General

Quartermaster and Transportation Officer

Surgeon

Engineer

Ordnance Officer

Information and Education and Special

Service Officer

Signal Officer

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Total:

12 Off

12 EM (drivers and clerks)

4 EM

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(b) From each combat command and Division Artillery:

1 Officer representative of S-3 and S-4

Total: 6 Off

(c) For housekeeping purposes, the organizations in the armored divisions which are other than battalion organizations will be treated as two provisional battalions. As a result, 15 battalion detachments will be needed, each one consisting of 1 officer and 7 enlisted men, as follows:

1 Officer (administration, mess and supply)

1 Acting 1st Sgt
1 Acting Mess Sgt
1 Acting Supply Sgt
4 Cooks

Total: 15 Off 105 EM

(d) Armored Division total: 33 officers, 109 enlisted men.

(3) Airborne Division.

(a) Division Headquarters:

1 Officer representative of each of the following:

Division Commander
G-1
G-2
G-3
G-4
Adjutant General
Quartermaster and Transportation Officer
Surgeon
Engineer
Ordnance Officer
Information and Education and Special Service Officer
Signal Officer

and

Total: 12 Off $\frac{4}{4}$ EM (drivers and clerks)

(b) From each Infantry Regiment and Division Artillery: **4878**

1 Officer representative of S-3 and S-4

Total: 6 Off

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(c) For housekeeping purposes, the separate companies of each Glider Regiment will be treated as a provisional battalion and the divisional separate companies will be treated as two provisional battalions. As a result, 18 battalion detachments will be needed, each one consisting of 1 officer and 7 enlisted men, as follows:

1 Officer (administration, mess and supply)

1 Acting 1st Sgt
1 Acting Mess Sgt
1 Acting Supply Sgt
4 Cooks

Total: 18 Off 126 EM

(d) Airborne Division total: 38 Officers, 130 enlisted men.

(4) Separate Regiments.

An Officer or Warrant Officer representative of each of the following:

Commanding Officer, S-3 and S-4

4 battalion detachments, each consisting of 1 officer and 7 enlisted men, as follows:

1 Officer (administration, mess and supply)

1 Acting 1st Sgt
1 Acting Mess Sgt
1 Acting Supply Sgt
4 Cooks

Total: 7 Off 28 EM

(5) Separate Battalions.

An Officer or Warrant Officer representative of each of the following:

Commanding Officer and S-3

1 battalion detachment consisting of:

1 Officer (administration, mess and supply)

1 Acting 1st Sgt
1 Acting Mess Sgt
1 Acting Supply Sgt
4 Cooks

Total: 3 Off 7 EM

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(6) Evacuation Hospitals and Convalescent Hospitals.

- 1 Officer to represent the Commanding Officer
- 1 Officer to represent the professional services

1 Hospital detachment consisting of:

1 Officer (administration, mess and supply)

- 1 Acting 1st Sgt
- 1 Acting Mess Sgt
- 1 Acting Supply Sgt
- 4 Cooks

Total: 3 Off 7 EM

b. Advance Detachments for Units Returning to Control of the Army Service Forces.

(1) Engineer General and Special Service Regiment.

An Officer or Warrant Officer representative of each of the following:

Commanding Officer
S-3
S-4

2 battalion detachments, each consisting of 1 officer and 7 enlisted men, as follows:

1 Officer (administration, mess and supply)

- 1 Acting 1st Sgt
- 1 Acting Mess Sgt
- 1 Acting Supply Sgt
- 4 Cooks

Total: 5 Off 14 EM

(2) Battalions (or comparable unit)

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2 officers representing the Battalion Commander and staff.
1 battalion detachment, as follows:

- 1 Acting 1st Sgt
- 1 Acting Mess Sgt
- 1 Supply Sgt
- 4 Cooks

Total: 2 Off 7 EM

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(3) General Hospitals, Field Hospitals and Station Hospitals of 500 bed size or larger. Auxiliary surgical group, and Medical Professional Services Unit.

1 officer representing the commanding officer
 1 officer representing the professional services
 1 officer of the Medical Administrative Corps
 for administration, mess, and supply

1 Acting 1st Sgt
 1 Acting Mess Sgt
 1 Acting Supply Sgt
 4 Cooks

Total: 3 Off

7 EM

(4) Base Post Offices (Types K or larger)

1 officer representing the commanding officer
 1 officer (administration, mess and supply)

1 Acting 1st Sgt
 1 Acting Mess Sgt
 1 Acting Supply Sgt
 4 Cooks

Total: 2 Off

7 EM

(5) Hq & Hq Co Port (Mater. and Mobile)

1 officer representing the commanding officer
 1 officer (administration, mess and supply)

1 Acting 1st Sgt
 1 Acting Mess Sgt
 1 Acting Supply Sgt
 4 Cooks

Total: 2 Off

7 EM

3. Advance detachment of units will precede by approximately two (2) weeks the departure of parent units.

4. Procedures throughout for the movement and processing of these detachments will follow those prescribed in Annex B (as revised) for units.

a. Only clothing and equipment authorized for the individual, as contained in paragraph 12a(7)(a) of Annex B, will accompany these detachments.

b. Separate personnel rosters will be prepared for these detachments, by unit, to facilitate processing in the United States.

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5. Instructions for the return of advance detachments for Corps and Armies will be included in War Department Movement Directives concerned, if such detachments are required.
6. Advance detachments will not be utilized for the movement of units returning to the control of the Army Air Forces in the Zone of Interior.
7. The primary purpose of these detachments, after completion of recuperation and after arrival at the Assembly Station of the unit in the United States, is to make advance preparations for the housekeeping, supply, and training activities of their parent units.
8. War Department Movement Directives will refer to this letter regarding advance detachments of units to be moved in the future and, further, will indicate the major force to whose control the units are being returned.
9. The above instructions will be included in the next revision of Annex B.

By order of the Secretary of War:

/s/ J. A. ULIO
/t/ J. A. ULIO,
Major General,
The Adjutant General

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NAME	SCORE	ORG.	ACTUAL POSITION	MOS	LANGUAGE	TIME IN ALLIED COMMISSION
W/Sgt Guy, Nathaniel	31015283	103	Warehouse Accountant	502	None	16 months
W/Sgt Minear, Harold E.	6938993	100	Automotive Technician	925	None	2 months
W/Sgt Tune, Carlton L.	6222099	100	Admin. WCO	502	None	23 months
W/Sgt Rainwater, John G.	6367172	97	Admin. WCO	502	None	6 months
W/Sgt Boline, Edward R.	39380746	91	Operations WCO	814	None	2 months
W/Sgt Tousy, Abraham	6025251	89	Communications	055	None	4 months
W/Sgt Picetti, Aldo L.	32060768	88	1st Sgt	502	Italian	20 months
W/Sgt Gracis, Ido A.	32247082	87	Chief Clerk	502	Italian	20 months
W/Sgt Campbell, J.R.	38046300	85	Adm. WCO	502	None	2 months
1st/Sgt Nicholas, Herbert S.	20243112	124	1st Sgt	502	None	13 months
1st/Sgt Chapus, Alfonso F.	32033659	107	1st Sgt	502	None	20 months
1st/Sgt Gallo, Robert J.	6719749	98	Adm. WCO-1st Sgt	502	None	7 months
1st/Sgt Reid, Robert A.	13054869	89	Chief Clerk-Finance	502	None	19 months
T/Sgt Eaton, George H. Jr.	6132977	116	Auto. Mechanic	813	None	6 months
T/Sgt Kirby, Richard E.	114025755	102	Adm. WCO	502	None	13 months
T/Sgt Simmons, Oscar J.	11013702	102	Auto. Mechanic	813	None	6 months
T/Sgt Honeywell, John M.	35164076	101	Motor Inspector	413	None	6 months
T/Sgt Kimball, Paul S.	31162245	98	Adm. WCO	502	None	13 months
T/Sgt Hensley, Henry A.	6899227	97	1st Sgt	502	None	7 months
T/Sgt Lasserini, Baldo S.	31031963	97	Motor Inspector	413	Italian	20 months
T/Sgt Hokanson, David	20839711	94	Supply Clerk	821	None	4 months
T/Sgt Strober, Bernard	32112696	91	Adm. WCO	502	None	4 months
T/Sgt Croce, Louis B.	39005056	90	Interpreter	320	Italian	19 months
T/Sgt Karls, Franklin R.	39169341	86	Motor Inspector	413	None	6 months
S/Sgt Solary, Antonio	6396113	117	Adm. WCO	502	None	1 month
S/Sgt Marotta, Nicholas V.	32096108	107	1st Sgt	502	Italian	18 months
S/Sgt Manalio, Frank R.	32059845	102	Duty Sgt	566	None	19 months
S/Sgt Cardone, Michael A.	20237859	101	Duty Sgt	566	None	18 months
S/Sgt Zastara, Vincenzo	6147758	101	Printing Office Clk.	055	None	18 months
S/Sgt Copeland, Harland	20809704	99	Duty Sgt	566	None	3 months
S/Sgt Hawkins, Stanley G.	35454773	99	Billfolding Clerk	055	None	5 months
S/Sgt Golec, Edward A.	36161555	97	Motor Transport Sgt.	014	None	16 months
S/Sgt Becsik, Frank H. Sr.	35500592	94	Warehouse Foreman	252	Slovak	3 months

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NAME	SCORE	ORG.	ACTUAL POSITION	MOS	LANGUAGE	TIME IN ALLIED COMMISSION
S/Sgt Marinelli, Pasquale	32131955	Co. S	Adm. NCO	502	None	19 months
S/Sgt Barbaro, Erico V.	32085469	Hq. Co.	Warehouse Foreman	252	Italian	20 months
S/Sgt Bertoli, Aldo	31032346	Co. I	Supply Sgt	821	Italian	20 months
S/Sgt Conyette, John J.	20304257	Hq. Co.	Postal Clerk	056	Italian	19 months
S/Sgt Popp, Anthony	35500626	Hq. Co.	Supply Sgt	821	None	2 months
S/Sgt Goodbody, Edward J.	12042499	Co. S	Clerk-Typist	405	None	5 months
S/Sgt Securra, Frank	32047368	Hq. Co.	Supply Sgt	821	Italian	19 months
S/Sgt Campbell, Kenneth E.	39304495	2696 Co.	Motor Transport NCO	014	None	8 months
S/Sgt Needham, Perrin O. Jr.	39104504	2696 Co.	Motor Inspector	413	None	8 months
Tec 3 Halsey, John V.	35151252	2696 Co.	Motor Technician	925	None	2 1/2 months
Tec 3 Annenberg, Norman	32224448	Co. O	Chief Clerk	502	Italian	19 months
Sgt La Gase, Edwin R.	6908465	Co. T	Supply Sgt	821	None	6 months
Sgt Hogfess, Harold E.	37026900	2696 Co.	Duty NCO	566	Norwegian	1 1/2 months
Sgt Constantine, Oswald E.	32001222	2696 Co.	Truck Driver	345	None	1 1/2 months
Sgt Marchi, Herman A.	12036386	Co. I	Translator	267	Italian	19 months
Sgt Grady, Edward R.	12087567	Co. S	Adm. NCO	502	None	5 months
Sgt Wright, David A.	37097786	Co. T	Clerk-Typist	405	None	6 months
Sgt Benvenuto, Alphonse H.	32332361	2696 Co.	Clerk-General	055	Italian	18 months
Sgt Berlin, Fredrick	37176947	2696 Co.	Linenman	641	None	6 months
Sgt Marcunso, Joe A.	37071962	Co. O	Adm. NCO	502	None	20 months
Sgt Mahan, Albert E.	32498426	Co. R	Adm. NCO-Interpreter	320	Italian	20 months
Sgt Lissio, Peter H.	32000002	Hq. Co.	Clerk-Typist	405	Italian	18 months
Tec 4 Glass, William F.	39014300	Co. S	Clerk-Typist	405	None	4 months
Tec 4 Bacco, Charles A.	32081890	Hq. Co.	Clerk-Typist	405	Italian	18 months
Tec 4 Aranci, Anthony A.	1019568	Co. H	Mess Sgt	824	Italian	18 months
Tec 4 Lambert, Harry F.	16015158	2696 Co.	Motor Transport NCO	014	None	18 months
Tec 4 Laning, George H.	36159678	Hq. Co.	Dispensary Clerk	405	None	19 months
Tec 4 Di Vincenzo, Armando	31119483	Co. I	Interpreter	320	Italian	18 months
Tec 4 Petriani, Peter	32086918	Co. O	Adm. NCO	502	Italian	19 months
Tec 4 Vito, Edward	31008621	Hq. Co.	Finance Clerk	622	Italian	17 months
Tec 4 Clemente, Arthur G.	33037756	Hq. Co.	Postal Clerk	056	Italian	18 months
Tec 4 Huffman, Harvey L.	34031419	Co. I	Mess Sgt	824	None	17 months
Tec 4 Kedman, Harvey G.	36255506	Co. T	Motor Transport NCO	014	None	6 months
Tec 4 Davis, Carl	35106874	Hq. Co.	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	13 months

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NAME	SCORE	ORG.	ACTUAL POSITION	NOS	LANGUAGE	TIME IN ALLIED COMMISSION
Tec 4 Hopkins, Ernest N.	87	Hq. Co.	Warehouse Foreman	252	None	18 months
Tec 4 Santo Grossi, Adolph A.	87	Hq. Co.	Printing Clerk	055	Italian	18 months
Tec 4 Steinberg, Louis	87	Co. S	Personnel Clerk	502	None	18 months
Tec 4 Rumer, Edward B.	86	Co. R	Supply Sgt	821	None	18 months
Cpl Bernier, Paul H.	113	Co. T	Cook	060	None	7 months
Cpl Massarelli, Armand J.	108	2696 Co.	Motor Transport	014	Italian	18 months
Cpl Faruchi, Edward M.	106	2696 Co.	Truck Driver	345	Japanese	4 months
Cpl Ross, Robert H.	102	2696 Co.	Duty NCO	566	None	4 months
Cpl De Blasio, Dominick L.	94	Co. I	Legal Section Clerk	055	Italian	17 months
Cpl Watson, Ramie B.	94	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	6 months
Cpl Sandoval, Elmer R.	93	2696 Co.	Duty NCO	566	Spanish	18 months
Cpl Thompson, James P.	93	2696 Co.	Duty NCO	566	None	4 months
Cpl Coats, Marvin	92	2696 Co.	Telephone Operator	309	None	4 months
Cpl Gallagher, Rupert W.	92	Hq. Co.	Auto. Supply Clerk	835	None	18 months
Cpl Johnson, John T.	92	Hq. Co.	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	18 months
Cpl McKeon, Bernard J.	92	Co. I	Stenographer	213	Italian	19 months
Cpl Tuminelli, Anthony M.	87	Co. I	Truck Driver	345	Italian	18 months
Cpl Lavorato, Albert L.	86	Hq. Co.	Interpreter	320	Italian	18 months
Tec 5 Nudi, Anil O.	108	Co. M	Truck Driver	345	Italian	18 months
Tec 5 Brumfield, William B.	98	2696 Co.	Utility Repairman	121	None	1 month
Tec 5 Caputo, Charles	98	Co. H	Interpreter	320	Italian	5 months
Tec 5 Rotunno, Andrew S.	98	Co. H	Interpreter	320	Italian	19 months
Tec 5 Miels, Nicholas R.	97	Hq. Co.	Supply Clerk	835	Italian	15 months
Tec 5 Reeves, George D.	95	Hq. Co.	Telephone Operator	309	None	13 months
Tec 5 San Filippo, Ralph H.	95	Co. R	Truck Driver	345	Italian	18 months
Tec 5 Stipa, Anthony J.	95	Co. S	Supply Clerk	821	None	18 months
Tec 5 Scavetta, John J.	92	Co. O	Truck Driver	345	Italian	16 months
Tec 5 Adamoli, Gino R.	88	Co. S	Duty NCO	566	None	16 months
Tec 5 Cruz, Alfred	88	Co. I	Stenographer	213	Italian	16 months
Tec 5 Douberly, Samuel	88	Co. I	Warehouse Foreman	252	None	17 months
Tec 5 Lieberman, Lawrence	87	Co. I	Clerk-General	055	None	6 months
Tec 5 Condit, Walter H.	86	Co. M	Clerk-General	055	None	5 months
Tec 5 Bonfiglio, Joe F.	85	Co. M	Mess Sgt	824	Italian	15 months

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Pfc Bostrom, Rodney W.	116	Co. H	Clerk-General	055	None	5 months
Pfc Newell, Francis	112	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	6 months
Pfc Wilson, Warren H.	111	Co. T	Telephone Operator	309	None	4 months
Pfc Quintiers, Charles	110	Co. H	Warehouse Foreman	252	None	18 months
Pfc Pelletier, Louis J.	108	2696 Co.	Clerk-General	055	French	14 months
Pfc Habergaba, Paul	105	Co. H	Clerk-General	055	None	5 months
Pfc Wilson, Charles W.	105	Co. R	Truck Driver	345	None	17 months
Pfc Scialabba, Joseph	104	Co. S	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	4 months
Pfc Eaton, Raymond P.	103	Co. H	Truck Driver	345	None	18 months
Pfc Ambler, Elmer R.	102	Co. H	Supply Clerk	835	None	9 months
Pfc Fortner, Vance L.	102	Co. T	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	14 months
Pfc Buscarino, Nicholas	101	Hq. Co.	Supply Clerk	835	Italian	16 months
Pfc Lombardo, James W.	101	Hq. Co.	Clerk-Typist	405	Italian	9 months
Pfc Lesacki, Salvatore	101	Hq. Co.	Truck Driver	345	Italian	18 months
Pfc Segre, Joseph N.	101	Co. I	Stenographer	213	Italian	17 months
Pfc Pace, Thomas	100	Co. I	Cook	060	Italian	17 months
Pfc Gallagher, Joseph	96	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	6 months
Pfc Hart, Barney F.	96	Co. H	Duty Soldier III	590	None	5 months
Pfc Dalma, Paul W.	95	Co. I	Interpreter	320	Italian	18 months
Pfc Stoller, Benjamin H.	94	Co. I	Warehouse Foreman	252	None	5 months
Pfc Zaccaria, Carl R.	94	Co. H	Interpreter	320	Italian	18 months
Pfc Howard, Charles E.	93	Hq. Co.	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	20 months
Pfc Mazzella, Giuseppe J.	92	Co. I	Clerk-General	055	Italian	17 months
Pfc St. Angelo, Michael	92	Co. H	Truck Driver	345	Italian	16 months
Pfc Bellucci, Matthew J.	91	Co. I	Truck Driver	345	Italian	20 months
Pfc Schier, Sam	91	Co. H	Clerk-General	055	None	5 months
Pfc Blane, James B.	90	Hq. Co.	Message Ctr Clerk	667	None	18 months
Pfc Cintorino, Salvatore	90	Co. I	Cook	060	Italian	18 months
Pfc Lattansio, Rocco J.	89	Hq. Co.	Truck Driver	345	None	18 months
Pfc Lombardi, Nicholas A.	89	Hq. Co.	Warehouse Foreman	252	Italian	17 months
Pfc Medeiros, Roy T.	89	Hq. Co.	Truck Driver	345	None	18 months
Pfc Roubesh, Glen O.	89	Hq. Co.	Duty Soldier I	522	None	6 months
Pfc Camavo, Benjamin T.	88	Hq. Co.	Duty Soldier III	566	Italian	6 months
Pfc Tucker, Doyle A.	88	Hq. Co.	Duty Soldier I	522	None	18 months
Pfc Watkins, Martin A.	88	Co. I	Clerk-Typist	405	None	6 months
Pfc Rossi, Angelo R.	87	Hq. Co.	Motor Transp Disp	014	Italian	20 months

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Pfc Gillis, Alger M.	86	Co. R	Truck Driver	345	Italian	6 months
Pfc Tradewell, Lee E.	86	Co. R	Mess NCO	824	None	20 months
Pvt Bush, Cleveland F.	119	Co. T	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	6 months
Pvt Pirelli, Victor A.	119	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	Italian	6 months
Pvt Selafani, Vincent J.	111	Co. R	Clerk Typist	405	Italian	6 months
Pvt Dorsey, Cephus P.	107	Co. O	Truck Driver	345	None	19 months
Pvt Brown, Leonard R.	106	Hq. Co.	Clerk Typist	405	None	5 months
Pvt Murphy, John P.	106	Co. M	Clerk-General	055	None	5 months
Pvt Shaw, De Arthur	98	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	2 months
Pvt Goberly, Raleigh R.	97	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	7 months
Pvt Agostinelli, Thomas	96	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	2 months
Pvt Daleselo, Fulvio	96	Co. I	Motorcyclist	378	Italian	19 months
Pvt Barris, Allen F.	94	Co. M	Duty Soldier III	590	None	5 months
Pvt Harold, Jesse	92	Co. M	Truck Driver	345	None	2 months
Pvt Davis, Robert E.	92	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	2 months
Pvt Karageorges, John	92	Co. I	Clerk Typist	405	Greek	18 months
Pvt Shipp, Woodrow F.	91	Co. T	Truck Driver	345	None	7 months
Pvt Elzer, Anthony J.	86	Co. T	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	7 months
Pvt Walbolland, Samuel J.	86	Co. I	Duty Soldier I	522	None	15 months
Pvt Richmond, Foster E.	86	Co. N	Auto. Mechanic	014	None	5 months
Pvt Hall, Cecil B.	85	Hq. Co.	Clerk-General	055	None	6 months

NOTE: V-EM desires to stay in service for duration
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REDEPLOYMENT OF PERSONNEL AFTER DEFEAT OF GERMANY

MTUSA Redeployment Circular Number 2 dated 6 May 1945 and Change 1 thereto dated 10 May 1945, are rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. Purpose - These instructions implement War Department Readjustment Regulation 1-1 and 1-5.

2. References

- a. War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-1, 15 February 1945.
- b. War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-2, 11 April 1945.
- c. War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-5, 30 April 1945.
- d. Letter, this headquarters, file AG 370.01/418 P-0, 16 May 1945, subject: "War Department Plan for Readjustment of Military Personnel".
- e. Letter, this headquarters, file AG 210.453/308 A-0, 8 May 1945, subject: "Return of Temporary Duty Personnel to Theater After VE-Day or R-Day".

3. Definitions

a. Required Enlisted Personnel - Enlisted personnel whose Adjusted Service Rating Card (ASRC) Scores are below the critical score, and those whose individual services and qualifications are essential to the command due to military necessity, even though their ASRC scores may be equal to or above the critical score.

b. Non-Required Enlisted Personnel - Enlisted personnel whose ASRC scores are equal to or above the critical score and whose individual services and qualifications are not essential to the command as a matter of military necessity.

c. Required Officer Personnel - Those officers with low Adjusted Service Rating Card (ASRC) Scores, and those whose individual services and qualifications are essential to the command as a matter of military necessity even though they may have high ASRC scores.

d. Non-Required Officer Personnel - Officer personnel with the high Adjusted Service Rating scores, whose individual services and qualifications are not essential to the command as a matter of military necessity or for whom a qualified replacement is available.

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1. Purpose - These instructions implement War Department Readjustment Regulation 1-1 and 1-5.

2. References

- a. War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-1, 15 February 1945.
- b. War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-2, 11 April 1945.
- c. War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-5, 30 April 1945.

d. Letter, this headquarters, file AG 370.01/418 P-0, 16 May 1945,
subject: "War Department Plan for Readjustment of Military Personnel".

e. Letter, this headquarters, file AG 210.453/308 A-0, 8 May 1945,
subject: "Return of Temporary Duty Personnel to Theater After VE-Day or R-Day".

3. Definitions

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c. Required Officer Personnel - Those officers with low Adjusted Service Rating Card (ASRC) Scores, and those whose individual services and qualifications are essential to the command as a matter of military necessity even though they may have high ASRC scores.

d. Non-Required Officer Personnel - Officer personnel with the highest Adjusted Service Rating scores, whose individual services and qualifications are not essential to the command as a matter of military necessity or for whom a qualified replacement is available or is not required; and those officers for whom an appropriate assignment is not available.

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Note: References in this Circular to Required and Non-Required personnel, unless otherwise specifically stated, includes officer and enlisted personnel.

4. Responsibility

a. The major commanders designated by MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 1 are responsible for readjustment of personnel within their commands as prescribed herein, and:

(1) The determination of required and non-required personnel within the command.

b. The Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, in addition to his responsibilities as a major commander under paragraph a, above, is responsible for:

(1) The filling of "Readjustment Requisitions" with personnel available to him. (See paragraphs 7 and 11c, below).

(2) The formation into Reception Station Groups and shipment to the United States of non-required personnel in accordance with RR 1-1 and 1-2.

(3) The selection, preparation, and shipment of replacements to the United States or to other theaters of operations, as directed by the War Department.

(4) The readjustment of personnel in all units not included in one of the major commands listed in Redeployment Circular Number 1.

(5) Assisting major commanders in the classification and assignment of personnel.

(6) Making determinations under policies set forth by this headquarters whether personnel are required or non-required to this theater, upon their arrival in the replacement system.

c. The Commanding Officer, 2629th WAC Battalion (Ovhd), Headquarters Command, AF, under the administrative supervision of the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, will be responsible for the organization of WAC personnel into Reception Station Groups. WAC Staff Directors and the Commanding Officer, 2629th WAC Battalion (Ovhd), are authorized direct communication with the Theater WAC Staff Director on matters pertaining to readjustment of WAC personnel.

d. Readjustment of medical and dental officers in all hospital units will be accomplished by the Commanding General, MTOUSA.

5. Basic Policies and Procedures

a. Until otherwise directed personnel policies set forth in current War Department and Theater directives will continue in effect.

b. Adjusted Service Rating Cards will be accomplished in accordance with current War Department and Theater directives.

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c. Voluntary transfers and reassignments may be permitted during the readjustment period at the discretion of major commanders, except that required personnel will not be permitted to transfer from Category II units.

d. No personnel of Japanese ancestry will be shipped directly from this theater to Pacific or Asiatic Theaters, either in units or as individuals.

e. As units are classified in one of the four categories listed in paragraphs 6a RR 1-1, major commanders will effect reassignment, and readjustment of personnel within their command so that, to the maximum extent practicable:

(1) Category I and II elements will be composed of required personnel and volunteer non-required personnel.

(2) Category IV elements will be composed of non-required personnel. However, required personnel of Category IV elements will not be transferred unless required as replacement in a Category I or II element or called for by the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command (See paragraph 7c).

f. Selection of personnel will be based on paragraphs 7, 11, 12, RR 1-1, and paragraphs 2, 3, Section II, RR 1-5.

(1) If circumstances permit, non-required personnel may be reassigned before their replacements are physically present.

(2) Personnel with common MOS numbers may be interchanged irrespective of previous designation as AAF, AGF, or ASF.

(3) Limited assignment personnel will not be transferred to Category II AGF or AAF combat units, unless physically qualified to perform efficiently the duty required by their primary MOS.

g. First priority for readjustment will be given Category II elements and among Category II elements in the order in which they are to be redeployed. The interim (temporary) critical score announced by this headquarters will be used to determine the extent of readjustment in Category II elements required to depart during the early phases of redeployment. This temporary critical score will be superseded upon receipt of the final critical score. Neither the interim or final critical score is applicable to officers. Subject to the availability of qualified required replacements, such elements will move with the over-strength indicated in paragraph 9f and paragraph 30 MTCUSA Redeployment Circular Number 14. The specified over-strength will be computed separately for officers and enlisted personnel.

h. Category III elements on reorganization or redesignation will be placed in Category I or II and will be processed in the same manner as described in paragraph e, above.

6. Principles to Govern Selection of Non-Required Personnel

a. Officers - (Includes Warrant Officers, Flight Officers, WAC Officers, Nurses, Hospital Dietitians, and Physical Therapists.)

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(1) Officers may be designated as non-required to this theater only. Major commanders will designate officers as non-required within their commands, and the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, those individuals non-required to the theater, on the basis set forth in paragraphs 7 and 8, RR 1-1, and paragraphs 2, 3, Section II, RR 1-5. Normally, designation as non-required will be applied first to those with highest ASRC scores within the command who do not desire retention in the service.

b. Enlisted Personnel

(1) Enlisted personnel may be designated as non-required to this theater only. Major Commanders will designate enlisted personnel as non-required within their commands, and the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, those individuals non-required to the theater, on the basis set forth in paragraphs 7, 9, and 12, RR 1-1.

(2) Major commanders and commanders of divisions (or the equivalent) will appoint a Board of Officers to act as reviewing authority, in accordance with paragraph 7d, RR 1-1, as amended, in all cases where an individual whose ASRC score is equal to or above the critical score is being retained in a Category I or II element, by reason of military necessity. Each Board will consist of not less than three (3) field-grade officers, and will include one officer thoroughly familiar with classification and assignment procedures. Boards appointed by major commanders will review cases in units, other than divisions, of the command. One copy of the Board action will be filed with the service record of the individual concerned.

7. Replacements

a. To the extent possible, major commanders will supply readjustment replacements to Category I and II elements from available required personnel within their commands. WAC personnel farthest removed from non-required standards will be used as WAC replacements.

b. Upon completion of maximum possible readjustment of a Category I or II element within the major commands, "Readjustment Requisitions" will be forwarded immediately to the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA. These requisitions will be for required personnel to replace non-required personnel remaining in Category I and II elements and to bring Category II units up to specified strength. "Readjustment Requisitions" for WAC personnel and for medical and dental officers will be forwarded to this headquarters. "Readjustment Requisitions" will be marked at the top and bottom of each page, indicating category of the unit for which replacements are requisitioned, as follows:

"READJUSTMENT REQUISITION -- CATEGORY II (or I) UNIT"

Requisitions for Category II units will receive priority consideration by The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA.

c. The Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, will fill "Readjustment Requisitions" from required personnel available to him, either from the replacement system or from Category IV elements of a major command. He will promptly inform the major commander concerned of any shortage and will "backlog" the unfilled portion of the requisition for subsequent filling immediately upon the availability of personnel.

8. Disposition of Personnel

a. Required personnel, officer and enlisted, of Category IV elements will be utilized by major commands as replacements for Category I and II elements, as necessary. Those not used as replacements will be transferred to The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA when and as called for, or will be reassigned when and as directed by the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA.

b. A minimum () key personnel to participate actively in the

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demobilization of Category IV elements must remain assigned to the unit. When possible, those retained for this purpose will be non-required personnel, however, where this is not possible required personnel may remain assigned.

c. Non-required personnel will remain assigned to Category IV elements until their disposition is otherwise directed by the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, or by this headquarters in inactivation directives.

d. Non-required personnel in Category I and II elements will be transferred to a Category IV element of the same or similar type. For this purpose Category IV elements may carry up to fifty (50) per cent assigned overstrength.

e. The provisions of paragraphs a, b, c, and d, above do not apply to non-required WAC personnel Category IV. WAC elements will be disbanded as directed by the Theater Commander, and individuals transferred to the 2629th WAC Battalion (Ovhd), Headquarters Command, AF, for disposition.

9. Rotation and Temporary Duty Personnel

a. Rotation and return of personnel to the United States for temporary duty for rehabilitation, recovery, and recuperation has been suspended.

b. Shipment of rotation replacements from the Zone of Interior has been discontinued. Rotation replacements who arrive after R-Day will be retained by The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, for use in the readjustment program.

c. Except as indicated in letter, this headquarters, file AG 210.453/308 A-9, dated 8 May 1945, subject: "Return of Temporary Duty Personnel to Theater after VE or R-Day", all temporary duty personnel who were in or enroute to the United States or territorial possessions are surplus to theater requirements and will be disposed of in accordance with MTOUSA radiogram FX 72925, 9 May 1945.

d. Separate instructions will be issued on the procedure for dropping personnel on temporary duty in the United States who will not be returned to their units.

10. Evacuation of Sick and Wounded

a. Sick and wounded will be evacuated from the theater in accordance with paragraph 24a, RR 1-1, and War Department letter, file AG 704.11 (3 June 44) OB-S-E-SPDT-1, dated 8 June 1944, subject: "Procedure for Evacuation of Patients by Water or Air from Overseas Commands".

b. Personnel discharged from hospitals will be processed in the **4868** manner as at present until otherwise directed. Personnel, except WAC, discharged from hospitals, whose units have left the theater, or have been disbanded, will be retained in the replacement system for reassignment or return to the United States. WAC personnel whose units have been disbanded will be assigned to the 2629th WAC Bn (Ovhd), Headquarters Command, AF, for disposition.

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II. Rosters and Reports

a. The reports required by letter, this headquarters, file AG 370.01/418 P-O, 16 May 1945, subject: "War Department Plan for Readjustment of Military Personnel", will be rendered manually as directed.

b. A special type machine records roster designated as the "R-Day Roster" and showing data obtained from Adjusted Service Rating Cards and other essential data will be prepared by Machine Records Units in accordance with separate instructions issued by this headquarters.

c. Separate rosters on WAC personnel will be prepared for the following group of personnel giving the same information furnished on the "R-Day Roster", and will be submitted, in duplicate, direct to this headquarters.

(1) Required personnel for whom no appropriate assignment exists within the major command.

d. A report, in triplicate, on forms prescribed in RR 1-1 Changes Number 1, using IRU facilities, when available, will be rendered on required personnel of Category IV elements who have not been appropriately reassigned to Category I or II elements, and for whom an immediate assignment to a Category I or II element does not exist. One copy of the report will be furnished direct to this headquarters and two (2) copies direct to the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA. This report will include the information required by paragraph 30b (1), RR 1-1, as amended. The selected SSN and score groups will be announced as received by this headquarters from the War Department. Reports will be consolidated by each major commander. The initial report will be rendered by the 10th of the month following the month in which the critical score is announced, subsequent reports will be rendered by the 10th of each month thereafter as of the last day of the preceding month.

e. Major Commanders will report to this headquarters those non-required officers and enlisted personnel (WAC personnel are to be reported separately), other than those assigned to Category II elements, who are qualified to perform efficiently and who have expressed a desire for assignment to another theater, giving name, grade, ASN, organization, MOS, ASRC score, and race. Such reports will be rendered on the dates prescribed in paragraph d above, and in triplicate, one copy of which will be forwarded to the Commanding General, The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA, for information.

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REDEPLOYMENT CIRCULAR)

NUMBER : 1)

18 May 1945

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING THE REDEPLOYMENT OF THE
ARMY UPON CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES IN EUROPE

1. Purpose - The purpose of this circular is to introduce in general terms, redeployment procedures and policies in MTOUSA and to acquaint Major Commanders with the circulars and directives pertaining thereto.

2. General

a. Letter, this headquarters, file AG 370.01/612 3-0, subject: "Outline Plan for the Redeployment of MTOUSA Forces after the Fall of Germany", dated 9 December 1944, and any other instructions in conflict with this directive are rescinded.

b. War Department policy for the redeployment and readjustment of the Army upon the cessation of hostilities in Europe is directed towards providing adequate forces for the prosecution of the War against Japan as required and towards separating from the Service as rapidly as possible, those individuals who are no longer required in the armed forces.

c. In order to implement this policy, Commanders of the major commands will plan continuously for carrying out their responsibilities and will be prepared to submit to their headquarters when directed, detailed plans for effecting redeployment and readjustment under WD Directives and instructions from this head-quarters.

3. Responsibilities

a. The responsibilities listed herein cover only major operations necessary for the accomplishment of the mission of redeployment and readjustment in MTOUSA and are not all-inclusive.

b. THE COMMANDING GENERAL, MTOUSA will exercise command functions in connection with readjustment and redeployment, the more important of which are as follows:

- (1) Issuance of such instructions to major commands as may be required to implement War Department redeployment regulations and directives.
- (2) The definition of spheres of responsibility of the major commands.

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- (1) Issuance of such instructions to major commands as may be required to implement War Department redeployment regulations and directives.
- (2) The definition of spheres of responsibility of the major commands.
- (3) Designation of units into Categories I, II, III and IV.

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(4) The issuance of movement orders, and warning orders, and the assignment of readiness dates and shipment numbers for units, all in accordance with War Department directives.

(5) The issuance of instructions regarding the scale of equipment and supply of specific units; the provision of Tables of Organization and Equipment and special lists of equipment to major commands.

(6) The final inspection of units as to training, equipment, status of personnel and records, and packing and marking, to insure compliance with the standards required by the War Department and this headquarters.

(7) Issuance of orders for reorganization of units under new T/O & E and for activation, inactivation and conversion of units.

c. MAJOR COMMANDS are responsible for the continuance of their normal functions and for preparing and executing detailed plans for effecting the redeployment and readjustment of MTOUSA forces and equipment under their control in accordance with MTOUSA instructions. Specifically these responsibilities will include:

(1) Training of individuals and troop units in accordance with directives of this headquarters.

(2) Provision of sufficient inspection teams to insure the complete inspection of all units, their equipment and their administrative records.

(3) Complete preparation for movement of troop units of the command in accordance with Standing Operating Procedures and Movement orders, including:

(a) Housing, maintenance and supply prior to movement to the staging area.

(b) Proper preparation and packing of all equipment and baggage.

(c) Preparation and inspection of administrative records to insure that records are complete and correct prior to departure.

(4) The movement of troops, baggage, organizational equipment and vehicles to the staging area or port area, and their supply enroute, in accordance with instructions from this headquarters and/or the call of the base section commander.

(5) The transfer of personnel as may be directed by higher headquarters and the requisitioning of personnel in order that units to be retained in the theater or to be sent to other theaters will be properly manned.

(6) The preparation of the necessary reports, supply requisitions, and other administrative matters as required by Standing Operating Procedures and other directives of this headquarters.

(7) Insure that all necessary security measures have been taken.

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- (G) The activation, inactivation and conversion of units as directed.
- d. In addition to the responsibilities of a major command, Base Section Commanders are responsible for:
 - (1) Providing all necessary supplies, except Air Corps technical supplies, at the request of Major Commands in the precedence established by priority lists.
 - (2) Providing technical advice and assistance in the packing, packaging and crating of unit equipment, vehicles and baggage, except Air Corps technical items.
 - (3) Operation of ports, staging areas and other facilities for the prompt movement of units and supplies.
 - (4) Preparation for shipment of all depot supplies, except Air Corps technical supplies, ordered moved by Commanding General, MTOUSA, which are not in the hands of troop units.
- e. In addition to the responsibilities of a major command, the Commanding General, AAF/MTO will perform the following functions:
 - (1) The provisions of Air Corps technical supplies in accordance with the precedence established by priority lists.
 - (2) The preparation for overseas shipment of all Air Corps technical supplies.
 - (3) The movement to rail or shipside of Air Corps technical supplies as directed by the base section commander.
 - (4) Designate and operate suitable aerial ports of embarkation.

4. Directives

a. Respective commanders will in complying with instructions contained herein, perform their functions in accordance with the following MTOUSA redeployment circulars which have been prepared to implement War Department directives and with other instructions which may be issued by this headquarters:

<u>MTOUSA Redeployment Circular</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Description</u>
2	Readjustment of Personnel After Defeat of Germany	A plan for the readjustment of personnel as based on WD RR 1-1 "Plan for Readjustment of Military Personnel after the Defeat of Germany" and WD RR 1-5 "Plan for Readjustment of Officers, WO and PO".

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<u>MTOUSA Redeployment Circular</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Description</u>
3	Perfection of Personnel Records	An outline of the specific responsibilities of commanders in reference to procedures and inspections in regard to personnel records.
4	Intelligence Directive for Redeployment	Outline of security policies and procedures relating to redeployment.
5	Training after defeat of Germany	Implementation of WD Letter, subject: "Redeployment Training" file AG 353 (26 Feb 45) OB-S-C, dated 3 March 1945.
6	Redeployment Supply and Maintenance Plan	Implementation of Annex "A" dated 1 April 1945, subject: "War Department Supply Plan for Period I", to WD Letter, subject: "Policies and Procedures governing the Redeployment of the Army upon the cessation of hostilities in Europe", file AG 320.2 (15 Feb 45) OB-S-E-H, dated 27 February 1945.
7	Athletic and Recreation Program following defeat of Germany	Implementation of WD RR 1-3 subject: "Athletic and Recreation Program".
8	Army Education Program	Implementation of WD RR 1-4 subject: "Army Education Program".
9	Demobilization of Category IV Elements and Overhead Units within the Theater	Implementation of WD RR 1-6 subject: "Standing Operating Procedure for the Demobilization of Category IV Elements".
10	Overseas Movement of Category II Units	Implementation of Annex "B", "Redeployment Movements", of WD Letter, subject: "Policies and Procedures Governing Redeployment of the Army Upon Cessation of Hostilities in Europe", file AG 320.2 (15 Feb 45) OB-S-E-H, dated 27 February 1945.
11	Overseas Movements of Category IV Units and Reception Station Groups	Implementation of WD RR 1-2 subject: "Procedure for Readjustment Movements".
12	Processing, Packing, Crating and Marking Supplies and Equipment for Overseas Shipment	Outline of the standards of packing, crating and marking

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MTOUSA Redeployment Circular

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Subject
Redeployment Accommodations Plan

Description

Location and priority of development of Redeployment installations and procedure for release and evacuation of installations.

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Unit Commanders' Guide for Overseas Movement of Category II Units

Detailed instructions for Unit Commanders of Category II Units

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Unit Commanders' Guide for Overseas Movement of Category IV Units

Detailed instructions for Unit Commanders of Category IV Units.

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Army Orientation Program following the Defeat of Germany

Outline of the policy and procedure in regard to orientation.

5. Major Commands

a. For the purpose of implementing the policies and procedures for the redeployment and readjustment of MTOUSA forces, the following are designated as Major Commands:

AAF/MTO

Rome Area, MTOUSA

5th Army

The Replacement and Training Command, MTOUSA

Peninsular Base Section

Headquarters Command, AF

Adriatic Base Command

Military Railway Service, Italy

b. All references made to BASE SECTION Commanders applies also to Base Commanders.

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16 May 1945

SUBJECT: War Department Plan for Readjustment of Military Personnel
TO: All Concerned

1. Letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 17 March 1945, as amended by letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 11 May 1945, is reissued.

2. Instructions contained in Readjustment Regulations 1-1, 15 February 1945, and the Readjustment Regulations 1-5, 30 April 1945, pertaining to readjustment of military personnel, indicate all military personnel will fall into one of four categories as follows:

I - Those to be retained for continued service in their current commands.

II - Those to be transferred from one theater to another or to the United States, or from the United States to a theater.

III - Those to be assigned to different types of units and upon reassignment to fall under category I or II above.

IV - Those determined to be non-essential and who are to be released.

3. In every case military necessity will govern decisions made with respect to any matter affecting an individual, number of individuals or units.

4. In determining personnel who are non-essential to the military requirements, a correlation of length of service, overseas service, combat service, and parenthood will be utilized. (See Readjusted Service Rating Forms attached as Inclosures No. 1 and 2.) Each of the above factors has been assigned a multiple by the War Department, which will be used to determine the total credits for each individual concerned in the military service. Service subsequent to 16 September 1940, in an active status with the armed forces of the United States, the armed forces of the Allied Nations, in the Army Specialists Corps, and in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps will be counted in computing total length of Army service and length of overseas service. Time lost by officers while in confinement

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1. Letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 17 March 1945, as amended by letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 11 May 1945, is recalled.

2. Instructions contained in Readjustment Regulations 1-2, 15 February 1945, and the Readjustment Regulations 1-5, 30 April 1945, pertaining to readjustment of military personnel, indicate all military personnel will fall into one of four categories as follows:

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In the case of enlisted personnel, any time lost subsequent to 16 September 1940, under the 107th Article of War will be deducted from length of service and overseas service. Only data contained in current service records will be used for this purpose.

5. a. In the case of all officers, warrant and flight officers, WAC officers, nurses, and other commissioned women of the Medical Department, except active and retired officers and warrant officers of the Regular Army, permanent members of the Army Nurse Corps, and general officers of any component, a new Adjusted Service Rating form will be prepared immediately. See Inclosures No. 1 and 3. The form will be reproduced locally.

- (1) Each officer will be required to indicate his desire for retention in the service during the present emergency by entering and initialing the word "YES" or "NO", to that effect on the Adjusted Service Rating form.
- (2) The commanders responsible for the final submission of efficiency reports or entry of efficiency ratings on WD AGO Forms 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3 (those who make the first indorsement on efficiency reports) will compute the efficiency index on each officer as illustrated by Inclosure Number 2. For officers of the Army Air Forces, the efficiency index will be the four (4) digit Officer's Evaluation Report Code, extracted from the Officer's Evaluation Report, AAF Form 123, and entered in the remarks section of WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, in accordance with provisions of AAF letter (c) 35-17, Data to be Entered on WD AGO Forms 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, from Officer's Evaluation Report, 16 October 1944, and cables LMX 44751, 10 October, 1944, and 46580, 14 October 1944. This code will be entered on the Adjusted Service Rating form as the efficiency index.
- (3) The total credits, the expression of desires with respect to retention or separation, and the efficiency index of each officer will be entered on the WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, in the remarks section, thus: 108 - YES - 43.6, etc. For Army Air Force officers the efficiency index will be the code referred to in (2), above. This entry in every case will be verified and initialed by the officer concerned.
- (4) After the Adjusted Service Rating form has served its immediate purposes, it will be filed with the officer's personnel records.

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b. The Adjusted Service Rating form for all enlisted personnel, which has been or is being prepared, will be carefully checked to insure compliance with these instructions and the provisions of WD Readjustment Regulations 1-1, as amended.

- (1) WD AGO Form Number 163, Adjusted Service Rating form for enlisted personnel, dated 29 August 1944, or 1 February 1945, will be used when available. The form, Inclosure Number 3, will be reproduced locally when the above mentioned form is not available.

c. The only changes authorized on the Adjusted Service Rating form, after it is initially completed, are to add credits for the birth of children who were born prior to 12 May 1945, and to add decorations and battle participation stars awarded for acts performed prior to 12 May 1945.

6. Reports on all Reserve, National Guard, Army of the United States, and Women's Army Corps officers, warrant and flight officers, and all enlisted personnel, will be submitted at such time as to reach this headquarters not later than twenty (20) days after "R" day, 12 May 1945, (rendered as of "R" plus ten (10) days), including personnel in an attached, transient, or an in-transit status when their Adjusted Service Rating forms are in the custody of the reporting officer on "R" plus ten (10) days.

a. Reports on officers, except officers and warrant officers of the Women's Army Corps, will be rendered separately by grade in each arm or service as illustrated in inclosure number 4. In the case of Medical Department, each corps, hospital dietitians, and physical therapists will be listed on separate reports; likewise separate reports, by arm or service in which detailed or commissioned, will be prepared on officers and warrant officers of the Women's Army Corps. Officers with the designated specialties armored, tank destroyer, parachute, harbor defense, and antiaircraft will be reported separately as such and NOT in their basic arm or service. Adjusted Service Rating Scores from one (1) through forty (40) will be reported as forty (40) for all officers by grade within each arm or service, except officers and warrant officers of the Women's Army Corps for whom each individual point score will be listed on the reports. Similarly the Army Air Forces will report Army Air Force officers and each arm or service serving with the Army Air Forces by a separate report, including a break-down as above of officers of the Medical Department assigned to the Army Air Forces and a separate report of officers of the Women's Army Corps assigned to the Army Air Forces.

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b. Reports on all enlisted men will include those who volunteer to remain in the service as authorized by paragraph 12c, RR 1-1, as amended, and will be prepared as follows:

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Adjusted Service Rating Report from _____

Column 1 Total Credits	Column 2 Number of Ground & Service Forces enlisted men with same total credits	Column 3 No. of Air Force enlisted men with same total credits
XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX
151	8,273	3,211
152	10,645	2,864
153	7,837	5,642
154	9,322	6,836
XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX

NOTE: Scores of one (1) through forty (40) on enlisted men only will be lumped and reported as Forty (40).

(1) A similar report will be submitted simultaneously for enlisted women of the Women's Army Corps, except each individual point score will be reported.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCHEARNY:

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- 1 - Officer's Adjusted Service Rating Form
- 2 - Efficiency Index
- 3 - WD AGO Form 163
- 4 - Example Of Report

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OFFICER'S ADJUSTED SERVICE RATING FORM

Last Name First Name Middle Initial Army Serial No. Grade, AF or Navy

Type of credit	Number	Multiply by	Credits
1. SERVICE CREDIT. (Number of months in Army since 16 Sep 40)			
2. OVERSEAS CREDIT. (Number of months served overseas since 16 Sep 40)			
3. COMBAT CREDIT. (Number of decorations and bronze service stars awarded for service since 16 Sep 40)			
4. PARENTHOOD CREDIT. (Number of children under 18 years old)			
TOTAL CREDITS			

Individual Desires

to be retained in the service during the present emergency (see Par 5a (1)).

(For those of the above who are interested in Regular Army appointments, further information and an opportunity to apply will be forthcoming.)

Efficiency Index

(see par 5a (2) and Inclosure No. 2)

(For officers of the IAF, use four (7) digit OER)

Certified by

(Officer who prepared form)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. EACH OFFICER MUST UNDERSTAND THAT HIS "TOTAL CREDITS" AND DESIRES ARE SECONDARY CONSIDERATIONS TO MILITARY NECESSITY IN DETERMINING WHETHER HE SHALL BE RELEASED OR RETAINED.
2. SERVICE CREDIT. As for enlisted personnel in AR 1-1.
3. OVERSEAS CREDIT. As 2 above.
4. COMBAT CREDIT. As for enlisted personnel in AR 1-1 with the addition of the Distinguished Service Medal to the awards for which credit will be given.
5. PARENTHOOD CREDIT. As for enlisted personnel in AR 1-1.

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INCLOSURE #1

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EFFICIENCY INDEX

The following instructions will govern in the computing of efficiency indices. (par 5a (2):

1. Efficiency indices will be computed for the period of active duty in the Army subsequent to 16 September 1940, or such lesser period for which efficiency ratings are available.
2. Ratings will be taken from performance of duty ratings on WD AGO Form 66-1 or 66-3.
3. For the purpose of computing efficiency indices, the following values will be assigned to the ratings as indicated:

SUPERIOR	50
EXCELLENT	40
VERY SATISFACTORY	30
SATISFACTORY	20
UNSATISFACTORY	-10

4. Efficiency indices will be computed as follows:

E-Efficiency index.
 R-Rating value (superior 50, excellent 40, etc).
 M-Number of months for which each rating was given.
 T-Total number of months for which a rating is available.

Formula for computing efficiency index:

$$E = \frac{R \times M}{T}$$

For example: The officer has ratings from WD AGO Form 66-1 or 66-3 as follows:

- 10 months Superior
- 10 months Excellent
- 2 months Very Satisfactory
- 2 months unrated.

Total of 22 months rated.

$$E = \frac{10 \times 50 \text{ plus } 10 \times 40 \text{ plus } 2 \times 30}{22}$$

$$E = \frac{960}{22} = 43.6$$

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ADJUSTED SERVICE RATING			
LAST NAME-FIRST NAME-INITIAL		SOLDIER'S VERIFICATION	
ARMY SERIAL NO.	ARM OR SERVICE		
ORGANIZATION			
HQS TITLE			
SSN	DATE		
TYPE OF CREDIT	NUMBER	MULTIPLY BY	CREDITS
1. SERVICE CREDIT (Number of months in Army since September 16, 1940)			
2. OVERSEAS CREDIT (Number of months served overseas)			
3. COMBAT CREDIT (Number of Decorations and Bronze Service Stars)			
4. PARENTHOOD CREDIT (Number of children under 18 years old)			
TOTAL CREDITS			
CERTIFIED BY (Signature)			
FOR INSTRUCTIONS SEE RI 1-1			

WD AGO Form 163 This form supersedes WD AGO Form 163, 1 February 1945 29 August 1944, which may be used until existing stocks are exhausted.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT ADJUSTED SERVICE RATINGS

1. Determine all credits as of the date prescribed by the War Department. This will be the official date of cessation of hostilities in Europe. Write the proper number of each type of credit in NUMBER column. Multiply this number by the figure on the same line in the MULTIPLY BY column. Write the resulting figures in the CREDITS column. Add all figures in the CREDITS column to obtain the TOTAL CREDITS.

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2. SERVICE CREDIT will be based on the number of months in an active status on and after 16 September 1940. After determining the number of whole months, give credit for an additional month for a fraction of 15 or more days.

3. OVERSEAS CREDIT means any service outside the 48 States of the United States and the District of Columbia, except that residents of Territories and possessions of the United States will not receive overseas credit for any period of service within the Territory or possession of which they are residents. Such Territorial residents will be given overseas credit for any service outside the Territory of residence, including service in the United States. Overseas credit begins on the date of leaving a port of embarkation and ends on the date of return to a port in the United States, Territory, or possession. Give credit for an additional month for a fraction of 15 or more days. Count all overseas service on and after 16 September 1940 only.

4. COMBAT CREDIT will include the first and each additional award of the following for service performed since 16 September 1940:

a. Medal of Honor, Distinguished-Service Cross, Legion of Merit, Silver Star, Distinguished-Flying Cross, Soldier's Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Air Medal, Purple Heart, and Bronze Service Stars (battle participation stars).

b. Credit will also be given for the following decorations awarded by the Navy Department: Medal of Honor, Navy Cross, Distinguished-Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Silver Star Medal, Distinguished-Flying Cross, Navy and Marine Corps Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Air Medal and Purple Heart Medal.

c. Credit will be given for those awards and decorations of a foreign country which may be accepted and worn under the War Department regulations in effect when the corresponding regulations are placed in operation.

5. PARENTHOOD CREDIT will be given for children under 18 years of age as of the date referred to in paragraph 1 above, but will not be allowed for more than three children. For the definition of "parenthood" see paragraph 2 b, c, and f, AR 35-5540. Proof of claims for children not of record on the service record or other official documents will be obtained in the most practicable manner satisfactory to the commanding officer of the personnel requesting the parenthood credit.

6. Upon completion of the Adjusted Service Rating, it must be shown to the enlisted person and verified by him. The enlisted person will indicate his verification and acceptance of the accuracy of the data recorded by placing his initials on the Adjusted Service Rating. After verification, it will be certified by an officer.

7. Rating forms previously reproduced will not be destroyed as a result of the foregoing. Subsequent reproductions should comply with the form shown and be of the same size as the Service Record (WD AG Form 24).

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EXAMPLE OF REPORT
(see per 6)

THEATER OR COMMAND -----
INFANTRY -----

Grade	Score	Number of officers
Col -----	186	33
	185	147
	184	68
	183	239
	182	167
	181	363
	180	401
	etc.	etc.
		1,418 Total
Lt. Col -----	187	28
	186	142
	etc.	etc.
		170 Total
		1,588 Grand Total

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SUBJECT: Amendments to Readjustment Regulations 1-1

TO: All Concerned

Reference letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 7 May 1945, attention is invited to further amendments to Readjustment Regulations 1-1 as received in War Department Cable WX-79668 of 9 May 1945, which are quoted in part for your information and guidance.

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REDEPLOYMENT CIRCULAR)

NUMBER 14)

13 May 1945

UNIT COMMANDERS' GUIDE FOR OVERSEAS MOVEMENT
OF CATEGORY II UNITS

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3. Instruction - Instruction in the provisions of this circular will be given units by Major Commands. It will be made practical and will include instructions in packing, marking, and loading of equipment.

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4. Definitions

- a. A "unit", unless otherwise qualified, is a group of individuals together with its authorized equipment, designated by a shipment number and letter (code designation). Normally this will apply to a regiment, a group, a squadron, a separate battalion, a separate company (or similar organization) or a detachment. (A) (& (B)
- b. Impedimenta is a general term covering all baggage, equipment, and supplies which pertain to a particular unit and which either have been shipped by it or have come under its control for further shipment. (A) (& (B)
- c. "Similar commanders" includes the commanding generals and commanding officers of major commands in MTOUSA. (A) (& (B)
- d. "Base Section" includes Peninsular Base Section and Adriatic Base Command. (A) (& (B)
- e. "Authorized allowances of equipment" include that equipment specified by applicable T/E, T/O & E, or Special Lists of Equipment authorized by the War Department, as modified by Movement Orders. (A) (& (B)
- f. "Port area", "port of embarkation", and "aerial port of embarkation" are synonymous. (A) (& (B)
- g. "Staging area" is an area in the vicinity of a port and under the command of the base section commander, where troops are assembled prior to embarkation. Staging Airdromes. Those airdromes designated by, and under control, of the Commanding General, AAF/MTO at which air echelons will stage prior to proceeding by air to another theater or Zone of the Interior. (A) (& (B)
- h. Assembly or Training area, is the station at which the unit is located physically while being processed and/or trained prior to movement either to the staging area or port of embarkation. (A) (& (B)
- i. The "call" is the order from the base section commander or Commanding General, AAF/MTO directing movement to the port. It includes the date and time the unit and the equipment accompanying or shipped by the unit will arrive at the port. Exact destination within the port area is also included. (A) (& (B)
- j. "Readiness date" is that date by which the unit will be prepared for movement to the port. When impedimenta are to precede personnel an "Impedimenta Readiness Date" and a "Personnel Readiness Date" will be included in the warning or movement order. (A) (& (B)
- k. "Initial arrival date" is that date by which the port will be prepared to receive shipments of supplies, other than impedimenta and equipment to fill shortages. (A) (& (B)

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1. "Minimum essential equipment" is the minimum needed by a unit to preserve its integrity during movement, without regard to the performance of its combat or service mission. As used in movement orders, it refers only to four types of equipment, each of which is defined and limited as follows and includes those items listed in Appendix "C" for units proceeding direct to another overseas theater and Appendix "D" for units proceeding to the United States. (A & B)

(1) (a) "Clothing and individual equipment" for units proceeding direct to another overseas theater is that authorized in T/E 21 (with modifications shown in the movement order), including officers' trunk lockers (or barrack bags), hand baggage, and bedding rolls. (A)

(b) "Clothing and individual equipment" for units proceeding to the United States is that authorized by and within allowances stated in WD Circular Number 72, 1945, (with modification shown in movement order). (B)

(2) Organizational equipment normally issued to individuals (A & B)

(3) Administrative equipment includes the minimum equipment and records required for carrying on the routine administrative affairs of the unit. (A & B)

(4) Bivouac equipment includes the necessary equipment for establishing an emergency bivouac. (A & B)

m. MTOUSA Movement Orders (referred to herein as "movement orders") are the instructions issued by the theater commander to headquarters in command echelons directing the preparation and movement of troops according to the provisions of the WD Movement Directive. (A & B)

n. Unit Commanders shortage lists

(1) Unit commanders shortage lists are the reports submitted to this headquarters by units scheduled for direct redeployment specifying the shortage of units concerned. The form and method of submission of these shortage lists will be in accordance with policies proscribed herein. (A & B)

o. "Appropriate Supply Agency" as used in this circular will be considered as Air Force depots for supplies peculiar to the Air Forces. Ground Force depots for ground force supplies and supplies common to both the Air Forces and the Ground Forces. (A & B)

5. Application

a. This circular is an integral part of movement orders for Category II units and all instructions contained herein are applicable unless specific exceptions are contained in the movement orders. In case of conflict between the movement order and other current instructions including this circular, the provisions of the movement order will govern. (A & B) 1807

6. Objectives - To insure that units arrive at destination in the very best condition possible, commanders are responsible for initiating necessary action to complete personnel, equipment, and training of units according to the sequence below: (A & B)

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Determination of required quantities and standards

Inspection to ascertain suitability for overseas service

Elimination or rehabilitation of that found to be unsuitable

Determination of shortages not available locally

Report of shortages to agencies responsible for corrective action

Follow-up to insure that proper corrective action is taken

Maintenance of records to show complete status at all times.

II-- PROCEDURES - PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT

7. Warning Orders - For the purpose of initiating the processes hereinafter proscribed, warning orders may be issued. These orders are issued through command channels and alert the unit for actual movement only when such action is specifically directed therein.

8. Movement Orders - Headquarters, MTOUSA, publishes the basic theater movement order, in accordance with priorities established by the War Department for the movement of units to the US or other theaters. Distribution of the basic movement order will be made to all interested agencies, including the Base Sections in which unit is located.

9. Action to be taken concerning personnel without delay upon receipt of warning or movement orders.

a. Warning - AW 28.

(1) Every individual of the unit will be advised of the last sentence of the 28th Article of War, reading as follows: "Any person subject to military law who quits his organization or place of duty with the intent to avoid hazardous duty or to shirk important service shall be deemed a deserter".

(2) It will be then explained that entrainment or embarkation for duty overseas is considered important service within the terms of the 28th Article of War and that any person absenting himself without leave for the purpose of avoiding such entrainment or embarkation is guilty of desertion in time of war, the extreme penalty for which is death, and all lesser penalties for which are severe and involve forfeiture of rights of citizenship.

b. Medical Requirements

(1) The standards of physical and mental qualifications for overseas service as set forth in WD Circulars Numbers 102 and 164, 1944 as amended and as further amended in paragraph (2) below or their current revisions, will be used as a guide. In considering physical fitness for further overseas service, due consideration will be given to the manner in which the individuals have performed their military duties. The removal of trained personnel for other than definitely disqualifying conditions is a

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Flagrant example of wastage of military manpower and training and is destructive alike to the morale of the individuals and to the efficiency of the units. Therefore, great care will be exercised in arriving at a decision that personnel are physically disqualified for further overseas service. Pending (A) revision of WD Circulars Numbers 102 and 164, 1944, personnel who have performed (B) their duties satisfactorily but who ordinarily would be disqualified under the (B) provisions of the circulars referred to above will accompany their units unless they have defects which are subject to complication or aggravation by further overseas service. For the purpose of determining whether or not they meet the qualifications specified above, and in order to establish the physical profile serials of male personnel required by PR-1-1, a screening type physical examination will be made on all individuals who are to be redeployed. Detailed instructions for conducting this examination are outlined in Appendix "E". This examination will be supplemented by appropriate special examinations and laboratory procedures when indicated by the medical history or physical findings. All personnel found physically or mentally unfit will be cleared from the unit in accordance with current instructions. Personnel found below the physical standards for further overseas service as indicated above and who do not require hospitalization in the United States will not be evacuated as patients. The requirements for embarkation on any type of transportation are set forth in AR 615-250.

(2) For the purpose of this document and pending revision of the circulars referred to in (1) above, paragraph 1 c (6), WD Circular Number 102, 1944 and paragraph 4 a (1), WD Circular Number 164, 1944 are amended to read:

Neuropsychiatric.

(a) Psychiatric - Disqualifying defects including psychoses, marked degrees of psychopathic personality, marked mental deficiency, chronic disabling psychoneurotic disorders, and the history of a definite psychosis. Psychopathic personality and psychoneuroses of mild and moderate severity, or a definite history of such, while not in themselves disqualifying, place such individuals in a borderline group. The decision in such cases will be made on the basis of consideration of the following features:

- 1 The severity or duration of symptoms.
- 2 The type and degree of external stress precipitating the symptoms (Imminence of departure for overseas, domestic difficulties, recent debilitating physical disorders, serious job misassignments.)
- 3 The individual's basic personality strength and nature of previous adjustment and performance.
- 4 The actual impairment of the individual's functional capacity.

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(b) Neurologic - All moderate or severe neurological disorders will be excluded from overseas assignment. (Inconsequential paralyses such as those residuals from a mild poliomyelitis or lesions of the cranial or peripheral nerves not likely to interfere with military duties and certain

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variations clearly within psychological limits such as minor tremors will not be excluded from overseas assignments.) (A
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(c) Unit Commanders will comply with paragraph 17 RR-1-2 and will have prepared and delivered to transport commanders within 48 hours before embarkation a pre-embarkation health certificate substantially the same as provided for in Appendix XIII RR 1-2. (A
(B)

(3) Identification Tags of all individuals will show blood type, basic tetanus immunization, and when applicable, stimulating dose (see AR 40-210 and AR 600-35). (A
(B)

(4) Service Records - Except when data are entered on WD AGO form 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data and the form filed with the Service Record, the following data when applicable, will be entered on the Service Records: (A
(B)

(a) Record of all immunizations.

(b) Prescription and other data concerning eyeglasses, gas masks, M1, and spectacles as required in WD Pamphlet 8-5.

(c) Date of insertion of artificial dentures.

(d) Statement of hyper-sensitivity to sera, vaccine or drugs.

(5) Immunization Registers (WD AGO Form 8-117, Immunization Register and other Medical Data)

(a) All data directed in (2) (a) and (b) above will be entered in WD AGO Form 8-117 of all personnel when the form is available and new entries are necessary. (A
(B)

(b) When prepared WD AGO Form 8-117 will be furnished to each individual and a copy retained with an enlisted individual's Service Record WD AGO Form 24 or the officers or Warrant Officers qualification card WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3. (A
(B)

(c) All officers and all Army Air Forces enlisted personnel traveling by water and all personnel traveling by air will carry a copy of their immunization register, properly authenticated, on their persons. (A
(B)

(6) Immunization in conformity with current War Department instructions will be accomplished as follows:- (A
(B)

(a) Routine Immunizations

1. Smallpox and typhoid-paratyphoid revaccinations if more than one year has elapsed since initial vaccination or the last stimulating dose.

2. Administration of single stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid if no previous stimulating doses have been given and more than one year has elapsed since the initial series of three injections. No

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Further stimulating dose of tetanus toxoid will be given unless the individual is wounded, injured or there is other clinical indication.

(6) Special Immunizations - Typhus, cholera, yellow fever and plague immunization will be accomplished in accordance with current War Department directives for movement to or through the areas concerned (see AR 40-210; TB Med 114). Special immunizations are not required for units being redeployed via the US except where prescribed by the War Department for land areas to be traversed enroute to the US. Thus for troops returned directly to the US by water via the Atlantic, immunization for cholera, yellow fever and plague is not required. (A) (2) (B)

(c) Immunizations will be accomplished as prescribed by MTOUSA Circular Number 8, 1945, and will be completed prior to embarkation except where there is insufficient time, in which case provisions will be made to complete the immunization enroute. (A) (2) (B)

(7) Movement of individuals with Venereal disease

(a) Individuals with Venereal disease being moved by water transportation will be processed as follows: (A) (2) (B)

1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis, lymphogranuloma venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be detained and treated prior to embarkation (See TB Med No. 106, 11 October 1944, and any supersessions thereto and circular letter No. 4, (Office of the Surgeon, MTOUSA, dated 25 January 1945)). (A) (2) (B)

2. Individuals with gonorrhea, uncomplicated and individuals with an undiagnosed urethral discharge will be embarked. Whenever possible, treatment should be initiated prior to embarkation and continued if necessary while aboard ship (see TB Med No. 96, 21 September 1944, and any supersession thereto). A list of such individuals requiring treatment aboard ship will be provided the Transport Commander. These individuals will be placed aboard ship in such manner as to facilitate their identification and treatment. (A) (2) (B)

(b) Individuals with venereal disease being moved by air transportation will be processed as follows:

1. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis, lymphogranuloma venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be treated prior to movement by air. 4855 (A) (2) (B)

2. Individuals with gonorrhea should be asymptomatic and bacteriologically negative (smear or culture prior to transfer (see TB Med No. 96, September 1944, TB Med No. 106, October 1944 and any (A) (2) (B)

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supersession thereto).

(c) Where applicable WD MD Form 78 (Syphilis Register now designated as WD AGO Form 8-114) of personnel transferred will be forwarded as prescribed in AR 40-210 and changes thereto, with individual records and other allied papers, and the individual concerned will carry on his person a copy of WD MD Form 78a, as prescribed in TB Med 3. (A) (B)

(8) No effort will be made to furnish individuals with spectacles, except as noted below, or Eye-Glass, Gas mask, MI (gas mask inserts.) Individuals requiring spectacles but who have none in their possession will be issued one (1) pair only. Individuals requiring spectacles under current policy will be refracted if the prescription is not available or satisfactory. Notation of the spectacle frame measurements and the need for gas mask inserts will be added to the prescription. The prescription and data referred to above will be entered in the service record. A copy of the prescription and data including a notation of the number of additional spectacles needed for each individual will be attached to the list required in paragraph (10) below. (A) (B)

(9) All necessary dental treatment, from a health and functional standpoint, will be provided military personnel prior to their transfer from one theater of operations to another. This dental treatment shall consist of dental correction of all class I cases as outlined in AR 40-510, including Change 1, and as far as practicable, correction of class II cases. Other remediable minor physical defects disclosed by the above examination will be corrected according to current policies, whenever practicable, prior to embarkation. Action to correct minor defects will not serve to delay the movement. (A) (B)

(10) A list of unit personnel indicating the name, grade, serial number and physical profile serial in the case of enlisted personnel, will be prepared. Where remediable defects have not been corrected the type defect will be indicated on the list (include visual and dental defects indicated in paragraphs (8) and (9) above). Prescriptions for spectacles, frame measurements, number of spectacles required under current policies and the need for gas mask inserts will be attached to the list for individuals who do not have in their possession two (2) pairs of spectacles and/or need gas mask inserts. Three copies of this list will be provided the detachment commander, see paragraph 35. (A) (B)

(11) Arrival at the port of embarkation will be presumptive evidence of acceptable physical condition of personnel of the unit concerned. (A) (B)

c. Personnel to be Cleared from Units and Reassigned Within the Major Command except when otherwise provided for herein. (A) (B)

(1) Those whose Adjusted Service Rating scores are equal to or above the critical score and whose services are not required to the unit, subject to the restrictions in paragraph 60, RR 1-1, and RR 1-5, (A) (B)

(2) Officers recommended for reclassification. Such personnel will be transferred to the 7th Replacement Depot and complete papers forwarded to this headquarters. (A) (B)

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(3) Officers who have been recommended for relief from active duty under the provisions of WD Circular 485, 1944, and MTOUSA Circular Number 15, 1945. (A)
(S)
(B)

(4) Officers over age in grade will be cleared from combat units. See WD Circular 6, 1944. (A)
(S)
(B)

(5) Enlisted personnel whose discharge is determined to be warranted under current regulations. (A)
(S)
(B)

(6) Limited assignment personnel in combat units where appropriate assignment does not exist within the unit. (A)
(S)
(B)

(7) Personnel not physically qualified for further overseas service and personnel requiring hospitalization or medical treatment which cannot be given on shipboard or in the field at new overseas destination. Such personnel will be disposed of under provisions of MTOUSA Circular Number 16, 1945. Personnel in hospitals will be transferred to the appropriate detachment of patients prior to the departure of the unit for the Staging Area. (A)
(S)
(B)

(8) Applicants for officer candidate school who have been selected to attend a specific officer candidate school or personnel who have been notified by the War Department, Navy Department, or Coast Guard Headquarters of their nomination as candidates to attend USMA, USNA, or USCGA prior to receipt of movement orders by the unit. (A)
(S)
(B)

(9) Personnel awaiting trial or result of trial by general courts-martial. Such personnel will be transferred to the organization designated by the commander of the major command to which the unit is assigned at the time of receipt of movement orders by the unit for appropriate disposition. (A)
(S)
(B)

(10) Personnel in units under movement orders, who are under investigation for subversion or disaffection. (A)
(S)
(B)

(11) Absentees (AWOL's) will be dropped in accordance with the provisions of MTOUSA Circular Number 9, 1945. (A)
(S)
(B)

(12) Personnel in excess of strength authorized by theater movement orders. See paragraph 30 below. (A)
(S)
(B)

(13) Officer and enlisted personnel attending schools outside this theater, unless otherwise directed. (A)
(S)
(B)

(14) Personnel of Japanese ancestry from units shipped direct to Asiatic or Pacific Theaters. (A)
(S)
(B)

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d. Personnel Not to be Cleared from Units - Personnel in the categories listed below will accompany their units: (A)
(S)
(B)

(1) Disciplinary cases in which discharge is not authorized. (A&B)

(2) Inefficiency or ineptitude cases in which discharge has not been authorized. (A)
(S)
(B)

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- (3) Garrison prisoners. (A & B)
- (4) Officers over-age in grade who are properly assigned to service units, and limited assignment personnel who are properly assigned to the unit under existing policies. (A & B)
- (5) Allons, except those transferred under the provision of paragraph 9c above. (A & B)
- (6) Officers and enlisted personnel attending schools other than Officer Candidate Schools in this theater. (A & B)
- (7) All other personnel not specifically designated in paragraph 9c above. (A & B)

e. Leaves and Furloughs are encouraged and will be granted under current Theater policy, where time permits, prior to departure for the staging area. Leaves, or furloughs will not be granted after the unit arrives at the staging area. (A & B)

f. Requisitioning personnel to fill vacancies:

- (1) Category II elements redeployed direct to another theater will requisition personnel to fill to T/O strength plus the overstrength authorized by paragraph 30. (A)
- (2) Category II elements redeployed through the US will requisition personnel to fill to T/O strength only. (B)
- (3) First priority in filling requisitions will be given units in (1) above. (A)

10. Action to be taken in equipping units

a. Primary responsibility for completeness and combat serviceability of clothing, supplies, and equipment rests at all times with the unit commander. (A & B)

b. Category II units being redeployed directly to another theater - will be completely equipped in accordance with the latest authorized War Department T/O & E and/or SL/E, to include designated discretionary items. Clothing and individual equipment will be as prescribed in T/E 21 and as modified by MTOUSA Movement Order. All items will be combat serviceable. The minimum essential equipment accompanying these units will be as listed in Appendix "C". (A)

✓ Procedure - Immediately upon notification of a unit being placed under Movement Orders, the procedure outlined below will be followed: (A)

- (1) Unit will determine its equipment and clothing status by means of a showdown inspection. From this inspection the showdown shortages will be determined and requisitioned through normal supply channels. Full use will be made of authorized substitutes. (A)

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(2) Requisitions for showdown shortages will be compiled separately by each unit for each service. (CM, Ord, etc) on WD AGO Form 400 (AAF Form No. 102, Requisition for AAF Technical Supplies), so as to disclose for each item the following: (A)

(a) Number authorized.

(b) Number on hand, fully combat serviceable or which can be promptly placed in combat serviceable condition as determined with technical inspection personnel of the major command.

(c) Quantity required, i.e., the number of fully combat serviceable equipment required.

(3) The unit commander will also prepare at the time designated by the major command a Unit Commander's Shortage List on forms indicated by Appendices F-1 and F-2. These lists will be prepared in quadruplicate and classified "Secret". One copy will be retained by the unit commander and three forwarded to the major command. (Separate instructions for forwarding of Air Force units reports as directed by Commanding General, AAF/MTO.) (A)

(4) Unit Commanders' Shortage Lists will be prepared separately for each service and contain the following information: (A)

(a) The unit designation and code designation of the unit as specified in Movement Order.

(b) The basis for such equipment (T/E, T/O and E, SLOC, as specified in the Movement Order.)

(c) The items of equipment short (except T/E 21 items) tabulated by supply service, and by controlled and non-controlled items as defined in WD Circular Number 100, 1945, or latest revision.

(d) Impediments readiness date (date when equipment will be ready to move to staging area).

(5) All items in excess of allowances authorized by MTOUSA Movement Order will be properly cleaned, repaired to maximum extent consistent with the capabilities of the unit and turned in to the appropriate supply agency through normal supply channels. (A)

(6) Requisitions will be signed and submitted through normal supply channels. (A)

(7) Status Reports - Appendices A and B are for the unit's information only. Status reports will be filled in and submitted by major commands. The purpose of a status report is to present to the War Department, the commanding general of the theater of destination and/or the major command concerned, information on the particular unit and an appraisal of the unit's ability to perform its primary mission in an active theater. (A)

a. Category II units being redeployed to or through the US will be

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equipped only with minimum essential equipment (Appendix D) based on the latest authorized WD T/O & E or SLCE unless directed otherwise in MTOUSA Movement Order. Clothing and equipment will be as prescribed in WD Circular Number 72, 1945, with modifications shown in Movement Order. (B)

Procedure

(1) Unit will determine its equipment and clothing status by means of a showdown inspection. From this inspection the showdown shortages will be determined and requisitioned through normal supply channels. (B)

(2) All items in excess of allowances authorized by MTOUSA Movement Order will be properly cleaned, repaired to maximum extent consistent with the capabilities of the unit and turned in to the appropriate supply agency through normal supply channels. (B)

(3) After requisitions have been filled to the extent of availability, a final showdown inspection will be conducted by the major command at which time the "Report of Equipment Authorized for Returns" will be prepared by the units with the information listed below shown. WD Circular Number 73 may be consulted for additional details. (B)

(a) Organizational designation (or shipment number and letter).

(b) Number of table of organization and equipment of the unit, and changes thereto.

(c) Items authorized for the return movement, using correct nomenclature of items.

(d) Quantities authorized for the return movement (normally the authorized allowance of the item).

(e) Quantities actually shipped

(f) Shortages by item. (Difference between allowances authorized for return and number of items actually returned).

(g) Any pertinent remarks as to the status of any item.

(h) Signature of unit commander.

(4) Eleven copies of the Report of Equipment will be prepared by the unit commander. The unit will retain two (2) copies and forward nine (9) to the major command. Separate instructions for forwarding of Air Force units reports as directed by Commanding General, AAF/MTO. (B)

(5) It will be noted that only supplies and equipment required by the movement order will be listed in the above report.

(6) Records of Individual Clothing and Equipment - Prior to departure, unit commanders will be responsible that all authorized items of individual clothing and equipment are entered on the Clothing and Equipment Adjustment Form in the manner prescribed in Section III, Circular Number 72, War Department, 1945. Individuals will be held responsible for all such items. (B)

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properly charged on clothing and equipment records.

III- PREPARATION OF IMPEDIMENTA FOR SHIPMENT

11. Packing

a. Units being redeployed directly to another theater will be responsible for packing (or otherwise preparing for shipment) and marking their (A) own baggage and equipment, except vehicles listed in Appendix 'L'. Standards of packing and processing will be in accordance with processing standards outlined in Appendix 'L'.

b. Units being redeployed to another theater through the United States, or units being redeployed to the United States will be responsible for the packing (or otherwise preparing for shipment) and marking all organization equipment accompanying the unit. In addition to the foregoing, units will pack such of the balance of organizational equipment as may be designated in (B) instructions from Base Sections. In such instances all supplies and equipment will be combat serviceable. Base Sections will furnish units necessary additional instructions for packing, marking and delivery to appropriate depots. All equipment not packed by the unit will be complete, clean and serviceable to the extent of the availability of component items in current stocks and the repair facilities of the unit.

c. Vehicles

(1) Ordnance vehicle processing installations will be operated by Peninsular Base Section at NAPLES and LEGHORN to process and pack all of the (A) following items shipped through those ports, in accordance with the standards (B) listed in Appendix 'L'.

(a) Combat vehicles

(b) Artillery weapons mounted on tracks or wheels.

(c) General Purpose Vehicles, Trailers and Semi-trailers.

(d) All other trailers and semi-trailers and all other vehicles having an Ordnance or commercial type automotive chassis, including such vehicles peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance. Any equipment peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance, which is mounted upon any of the vehicles or trailers designated above, will be processed for overseas shipment by the organization and/or Service concerned prior to the delivery of such vehicles or trailers to the vehicular processing line.

(2) A similar vehicle processing installations will be operated (A) 4852 by the Commanding General, AAF/MTO at an Italian East Coast port, to process and pack all items listed in (1) above that accompany Air Force units shipped (B) from that port and all Air Force technical and special purpose vehicles otherwise shipped from that port, in accordance with the standards listed in Appendix 'L'. Appropriate instructions will be issued by the Commanding General, AAF/MTO.

(3) It will be the responsibility of the unit commander to

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deliver all such equipment on hand to the vehicle processing installation as directed by the Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, or the Commanding General, AAF/MTO. All equipment delivered by the unit will be cleaned and in proper condition for processing and be complete with all on-vehicle or on-carriage equipment. (A) (S) (P)

(4) At the time directed by the Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, or the Commanding General, AAF/MTO, the unit commander will furnish the necessary information for proper marking of this equipment delivered for processing and packing, or of equipment issued as replacement, and/or equipment issued to fill T/E shortages. The personnel delivering this information must also be prepared to accept and sign for items issued and obtain necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form to be submitted in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 12c. (A) (S) (P)

d. Engineer Equipment

(1) Unit's major items of Engineer equipment will be prepared for overseas shipment at Engineer Processing and Packing installations (adjacent to ports of embarkation) to be designated by appropriate base section commanders. (A) (S) (B)

(2) Major Items of Engineer equipment for units being redeployed directly to another theater will be handled as follows: (A)

(a) Major commands will arrange with appropriate base section the schedule desired for delivery of unit equipment and accompanying unit personnel to the processing and packing installation and notify the unit commanders who will be responsible for the prompt dispatching.

(b) Equipment will be prepared for overseas shipment by the unit personnel, utilizing the special processing equipment and materials provided by the installation. Technical supervision will be provided by the base section.

(c) Unit personnel will be responsible for obtaining necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form to be submitted in accordance with provisions of paragraph 12c.

(3) Engineer equipment other than major items will be processed by the unit in accordance with processing standards outlined in Appendix 'L'. (A) (S) (B)

e. Insofar as possible, only items pertaining to the same Service (as M, Ord, etc) will be packed in any one container. (A) (S) (B)

f. Machine guns mounted as armament for combat vehicles (tanks, scout cars, half-tracks, etc), radios and fire control equipment for these vehicles, will normally be dismounted, boxed, and secured, together with their accessories, to their respective combat vehicles, after proper preparation for shipment. No other equipment that is not a component part of the vehicle will be packed on the vehicle. All machine guns on vehicles other than combat vehicles

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and all accessories therefor, together with the tripod mounts authorized for their use, will normally be dismounted, securely packed, and shipped as organizational freight.

(A)
(S)
(B)

g. No other equipment will be packed in any case containing weapons or their accessories.

(A)
(S)
(B)

h. Explosives, inflammable materials, or other dangerous articles will not be packed or shipped with organizational impedimenta as freight or baggage except that inflammable materials such as paint, shellac, varnish, and cleaning materials for use during the voyage or immediately after debarkation, may be shipped if packed separately from other materials. Field ranges, water heaters, fuel containers and other articles of a similar nature in which gasoline is customarily used or stored will be completely drained of gasoline and fuel tanks and lines sired before being boxed or crated for overseas shipment. Authorized components of medical kits will not be considered as inflammable material. Shipments of items of Engineer explosives authorized units will be governed by the provisions of Section III, War Department Circular 30, 1945.

i. Wherever possible, two (2) copies of each publication pertaining to the operation, 1st and 2nd echelon maintenance, and applicable parts list will be packed with the major item of equipment to which it pertains in such manner as to insure against separation or loss by careless handling, pilferage, or damage by water.

(A)
(S)
(B)

j. Packing Lists will be prepared as prescribed in paragraph 12. When packing lists are required, each will be inserted in a waterproof envelope. One envelope will then be placed inside each package and two will be securely attached to the outside of each package in the most protected location. One of the outside packing lists will normally be protected by means of a covering plate or cross strips. This covering plate will not be removed nor the list disturbed prior to arrival overseas.

(A)
(S)
(B)

12. Preparation of Records Concerning Shipments

a. Packing Lists - The unit will prepare separate packing lists for each package showing the contents (as described below), except for packages containing only one item or identical items. In such instances the contents will be shown on the outside of the package. No packing lists will be prepared for personal baggage.

(A)
(S)
(B)

(1) Packing lists will include the unit's shipment number and letter, the point of origin, the package number, the set number (if any) of the package, and a list of the contents of the package. Under no circumstances will packing lists contain information which will in any way indicate the destination of the shipment or where its contents will ultimately be used.

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(2) The lists will identify contents by authorized standard nomenclature. In addition, the lists will show quantities, sizes and other pertinent information in sufficient detail so that each article can be replaced item for item. Make, model and serial number of Engineer Equipment will be shown on packing list.

(A)
(S)
(B)

(3) When the contents of a package can be identified by an equipment set designation, such as "Unit Equipment, 2nd Echelon Tool Set No. 1" or

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"Black and White Process Printing Equipment No. 1625", each item thereof need not be listed, although missing items will be indicated. (A)
(B)

(4) On a package whose contents should not generally be known, for example, drugs, intoxicating liquors, etc., the outside packing list will contain the information prescribed in (1) above, except that it will not include a list of the contents of the package. However, the inside packing list will include a list of contents. (A)
(B)

(5) Packing lists will be prepared in the following minimum quantity:

(a) By the unit commander:

- One (1) for inclosure within the package (A)
- Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package (B)
- Six (6) for attachment to Consolidated Packing List (see paragraph 12b (5) below)

(b) By shippers, other than the unit commander:

- One (1) for inclosure within the package
- Two (2) for attachment to the outside of the package

b. Consolidated Packing Lists

(1) Consolidated Packing Lists will be prepared for each company or similar organization, or any smaller organization assigned a shipment number and letter for impediments accompanying the unit to the staging area or ports. (See Appendix "G" for model form). The commander of each unit assigned a shipment number and letter will insure that Consolidated Packing Lists are prepared for companies or similar organizations in his unit. Such lists will show each package shipped by the units separately in numerical order by package number. When there is a break in the numerical sequence of package numbers, an entry to this effect will be made in the Consolidated Packing List in the space where the omitted package numbers would appear if there had been no break in the numerical sequence. This entry will be started in the column headed "Package No." and continued horizontally across adjoining columns of the Consolidated Packing List (as "packages numbers A21 - A24 not used"). The Consolidated Packing List will include those packages for which no packing list is required (see paragraph 12a) except personal baggage, which will be shown by quantity of types of baggage only. Property worn or carried by individuals and hand baggage will not be included in the Consolidated Packing List. Weight and cube, set number and other pertinent data will be shown. (A)
(B)

(2) A description of the contents of each package (except personal baggage) will be indicated in the appropriate column of the Consolidated Packing List. For packages requiring no packing list, quantities and exact nomenclature will be shown. Entries covering packages containing inflammables will include the word "INFLAMMABLE" (in capital letters) after the package number. (A)
(B)

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(3) The columns on the extreme right of the Consolidated Packing List are for entry of the specific freight car, truck and vessel upon which each package is shipped. It is essential that these columns be properly filled in. (A)

(4) At least seven (7) copies of the Consolidated Packing List for each company or similar organization will be prepared. Six (6) copies will have packing lists attached. Packing lists need not be attached to the seventh (A) copy. One (1) copy with packing list attached will be retained by the company (A) or similar organization commander. The remaining six copies will be delivered (B) to the unit commander. The unit commander will assemble the copies received from each company or similar organization in his unit into six sets. He will distribute these sets as follows:

(a) The set without packing lists attached (completed through the column headed "Date Shipped" only) will be sent by expeditious means to the port commander on the date the unit's equipment is shipped from the training area.

(b) Three sets will be sent as expeditiously as possible to the representative (if any) of the unit commander at the port or will be delivered to him prior to his departure from the training area. If there is no (A) unit representative these copies will be sent by expeditious means to the (B) port commander.

(c) The unit commander will retain two sets. These will be completed so as to show data concerning rail or truck shipments, if possible, before the unit leaves the training area. Prior to the unit's departure from the training area, one of these sets, completed as far as practicable, will be sent to the unit representative, if any, at the port otherwise to the port commander. The unit commander will bring the remaining set to the port unless it (A) does not contain complete information concerning shipment from the training area. (B) In this case it will be left at the training area for completion by a designated representative by the unit commander. It will be sent to the unit commander at the port when completed.

(d) The planned establishment and operation by the Air Force of Intransit Depots for controlling the movement of Air Force organization equipment may change the channels of distribution of certain items described (A) herein. The local movement instructions will specify any such changes. In any (B) event, the ultimate preparation and presentation of documents to Theater Transportation and Port officials will be as prescribed herein. 4850

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(5) Procedure at the port - The unit representative will complete all of his copies of Consolidated Packing Lists to show data concerning shipment to and from the port. If early departure of the representative makes this impossible, or if there is no representative of the unit, the port commander will complete the forms. In either case, copies will be distributed as indicated below. (A) (B)

(a) One (1) up-to-date copy will accompany the first overseas shipment of impediments.

(b) One (1) up-to-date copy will be in the possession of the unit commander or his representative during movement overseas.

(c) Three copies will remain at the port. The port commander will send one (1) completed copy to the unit commander at overseas destination, if the last echelon of the unit was forced to depart prior to obtaining complete data as to ships upon which impediments were loaded. However, these loading data may preferably be sent by radio whenever a brief statement gives the information desired.

c. The unit commander will insure that promptly upon being ordered to move, Shipping Data Form, see Appendix "J", is accomplished and one (1) copy forwarded immediately to Chief of Transportation, MFOUSA.

13. Marking

a. Shipment Number and Letter - It is imperative that all organizational type impediments be so marked that it can be easily identified by all handlers and carriers as well as by the unit. Therefore, all containers shipped by or for the unit will be plainly marked (stenciled) on three surfaces with the unit's shipment number and letter in figures at least two inches high wherever practicable. The shipment number and letters will be marked (stenciled) in prominent places on packages which will not be boxed or crated, such as howitzers, guns, vehicles, five-gallon water cans, shovels, etc. For this and other markings prescribed herein, a black or other contrasting paint (not chalk) will be used on all packages. (A) (B)

b. "TAT" and yellow disc markings - All packages of minimum essential equipment (except personal baggage) and such organizational equipment as may be directed by the MFOUSA movement order to accompany troops overseas will be marked "TAT" and encircled in red, following the shipment number and letter, as R1234-B-TAT (encircled in red). Equipment marked "TAT" is intended to be loaded aboard a vessel carrying the troops. Property which must be accessible during the voyage will be additionally marked with a 3-inch yellow disc near shipment number. Thus, a package which is to accompany troops aboard ship, and which must be accessible during the voyage, will be marked R1234-B-TAT, (encircled in red), and will also be marked with a 3-inch yellow disc. (A) (B)

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c. Package number - In addition to the shipment number and letter, each package (except personal baggage) will be marked with an identifying "package number". Package numbers are made up of a number or a letter and a number. They are used to trace packages through the staging area and/or port and aboard ship, to prepare ship's manifests and similar transportation reports, and to check shipments received at destination. Package numbers will be placed on the three surfaces of each container on which the shipment number and letter are marked. The package number identifies the package; therefore tactical markings or other identifying devices will not be used unless specifically requested by commanders of divisions, separate brigades, combat commands, combat teams, similar separate organization commanders or higher organization commanders and authorized by this headquarters. If used, these designs will contain nothing which will indicate unit designation.

d. For Shipments by the Units - Normally package numbers will be assigned in sequence, but the numerical sequence may be broken when it is deemed necessary. In case there is such a break in the sequence, notation to that effect with a record of the missing numbers will be made in the Consolidated Packing List. Packages of minimum essential equipment will be marked with a series of package numbers. The letter part of the package number will be an identifying letter generally as outlined in paragraph 15f (3), AR 850-5. For example, if the shipment number of the 5th Infantry is R1234-A, the accompanying equipment of Company H of the 5th Infantry would bear the marking R1234-A and would be marked additionally H1, H2, etc. Letters especially assigned for the purpose may be used for organizations having lengthy or special designations: Thus, Headquarters Company, 5th Infantry, might use the identifying letter "Y", while Headquarters, 5th Infantry, might use "H". Packages to be loaded aboard the same ship with troops of the unit concerned will also be marked "TAT" as provided in subparagraph b. above. For marking of organizational equipment, see Appendix I.

e. Blue stripes for AAF equipment - Organizational impediments of AAF units ordered overseas will be marked with identifying numbers and letters as indicated in subparagraph 13a above, and additionally as follows: The shipment number and letter will be underlined with a blue line approximately two inches wide.

f. Weight and cube - Accurate weight to the nearest pound and volume to the nearest cubic foot will be stenciled on one surface to each package (except personal baggage) on which the shipment number and letter also appears.

g. Contents will be indicated on packages (except personal baggage) below the weight and cube as follows:

(1) When no packing list is required for packages of identical items (see paragraph 11a) contents will be stenciled on one surface of the container in sufficient detail to identify the contents accurately. (For Example: range, field, M1937, 1 unit; or 48 handles, pick, railroad).

(2) Each package containing mixed contents will be stenciled on one surface with information as to the principal items, or the general nature of the contents (for example; office supplies).

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(3) Contents will not be stenciled on containers when the nature (A
of the contents should not be disclosed (see paragraph 12a (4)). (B)

(4) Packages containing inflammables, except Medical kits, will (A
be stenciled on two surfaces to indicate the contents, as for example: PAINT, (B
ENAMEL, LACQUER, SHELLAC, CLEANING MATERIAL, PRESERVING MATERIAL. (B)

(5) Special packaging and/or processing of a box or crate will (A
be indicated on at least two sides thereof by a special designation as follows: (B)

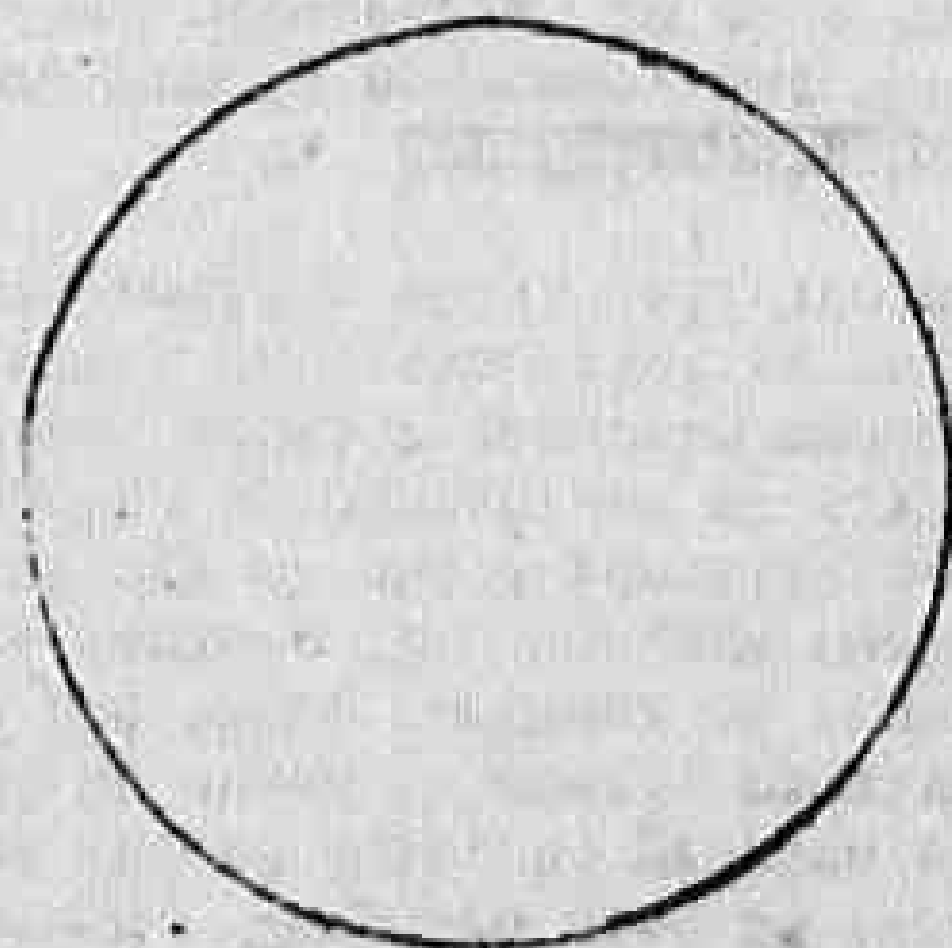
Moisture and fungi proofed - MFP and Date (B)

Corrosion proofed - CP

Vapor proof packed - VPP

h. Tactical markings and corner colors - Tactical markings or ident- (A
ifying devices, if authorized (see 13c above), may be placed near package (B
numbers. Corner of packages (containers) of organizational equipment shipped (B
by or for units will not be colored, since that type of marking is reserved (B
for shipments of supplies made to overseas depots.

i. Red disc set marking - When a set is placed in two or more con- (A
tainers all packages containing component parts must be shipped together. In (B
such instances, each package will bear, in addition to its own package number, (B
a 2-inch red disc signifying that the package is part of a set. Under this (A
disc will be stenciled the word "SET", followed by the number of the set with- (B
in the shipment. Under this set number will be stenciled two numbers in the (B
form of a fraction, the numerator of which will indicate the serial number of (B
the container within that particular set, and the denominator the total number (B
of containers making up the set. Thus, a package which is the second of a (B
group of 4 making up a SET 28 would be marked as shown below. The set marking (B
will be placed on a surface upon which the shipment number and letter are (B
stenciled.



(Painted 2" Red Disc)

SET 28
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AR 650-5. j. Marking of vehicles and mobile equipment - See paragraph 16 and (A
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k. Marking of personal baggage for overseas movement - Personnel baggage (duffel bags, flying bags, trunk lockers, hand baggage and bedding rolls) will be marked, using lead waste (point) with the individual's full name, (first name, middle initial and last name), full serial number, grade in case of officers, and the appropriate shipment number and letter. Officer's trunk lockers will be marked on at least three surfaces. Duffel bags will be marked as shown in Appendix H. Articles of personal baggage will not be assigned package numbers but will be marked with the identifying letter assigned the individual's organization for use in package numbers. This identifying letter (or letters), approximately two inches in height, will be placed immediately below the shipment number and letter on bedding rolls, trunk lockers, hand baggage, and duffel bags.

1. Individual items of clothing and equipment will be marked as prescribed in AR 380-5.

(1) Marking of special items of personal equipment - Prior to departure from the training area, the owner's name and ASN will be clearly marked on cameras, flashlights, electric razors, and all other individually owned electrical items. Such articles may be collected before boarding ship and returned to the owner upon arrival overseas.

IV -- SECURITY

14. a. All personnel will be acquainted with the provisions of Section VIII, AR 380-5 (Safeguarding Military Information) and WD TC 99, 1942 and will be given adequate instruction in security, pursuant to paragraph 3, Section I, of that Circular.

b. Unit commanders will be held responsible for the packing and safeguarding in accordance with AR 380-5, of classified documents and for the general security conditions of any camp or station vacated. Prior to departure, all classified documents and/or materiel not accompanying the unit or shipped elsewhere, will be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of paragraphs 32, 54 and/or 60 of AR 380-5.

15. a. Unit commanders are enjoined to take all possible precautions to prevent civilians from obtaining knowledge of the pending movement or its destination.

b. Local currency will be exchanged for United States yellow seal dollars prior to embarkation.

c. Cameras - Unit Commanders will insure that cameras will not be accessible to personnel while they are aboard the vessel.

d. Any cases of leakage of information regarding troop movements will be investigated immediately and the facts reported to the Theater Commander.

16. Intelligence - Upon receipt of warning orders, each commander of a unit which does not already have an intelligence officer will designate an officer, or senior NCO, if no subordinate officer is in the unit, as representative for intelligence. Within twenty-four hours after arrival at a staging area, the representative for intelligence will report to the Intelligence Officer of the staging area for instructions.

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17. Special instructions for units being redeployed directly to Far East.

a. Unit commanders will make every effort to insure that information concerning names of organizations, route, names of ships, port of embarkation or sailing date is not discussed with or allowed to reach persons whose official duties do not require specific knowledge of the movement. A list of personnel whose duties require detailed knowledge of the movement will be prepared by each headquarters and dissemination of the information limited to those whose names appear on such list. Persons concerned with the movement but who are not on the list will be given only sufficient information to enable them to perform their duties. (A)

b. Individuals will not, communicate by telephone, mail, radio or telegraph, with anyone, or notify anyone of the time of arrival at any station along the route, except as may be necessary to the administration or successful completion of the movement. (A) (B)

c. Upon receipt of movement orders unit mail censorship will be immediately placed in effect. Any references to the future operations of the unit, the pendency of its movement or its destination will be deleted. (A)

18. Special instructions for units returning to the United States.

a. Necessary steps will be taken to maintain the secrecy of information concerning (1) port of embarkation, (2) Date of departure, (3) name of vessel, (4) Identity of other units included in the movement, and (5) port of destination in the United States. Such details will be disseminated only to those individuals to whom it is essential for the performance of their duties. (B)

b. Personnel will not have in their possession any unauthorized (1) photographs or sketches, (2) classified allied or enemy documents, (3) classified allied or enemy material, or (4) uncensored mail. (B)

c. All personnel will be advised that, following their return to the United States, they must obtain clearance from a US Public Relations office before publicly lecturing upon or publishing any matters of security interest concerning their experiences or activities while in the army. (B)

d. All personnel will be advised of the necessity of continuing security measures and specifically informed that, following their return to the United States, they are not to discuss: (B)

(1) Operations where the individual saw such operations from division headquarters or above.

(2) Cryptographic systems.

(3) Classified equipment and material.

(4) Locations of any organizations at the present time.

(5) Opinions as to future unit operations and locations.

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V --- MOVEMENT TO THE PORT AREA

19. Assistance - Unit commanders will promptly seek advice from Base Section or AAF/ATO transportation officers in all matters pertaining to troop movements or freight shipments by rail or motor vehicles when either warning or movement orders are received. They will furnish such advance information as may be required by Base Section or AAF/ATO transportation officers for obtaining routing and for making proper arrangements for rail transportation. After requirements have been furnished to Base Section or AAF/ATO transportation officers, they will make all necessary arrangements for securing equipment, supervision of loading, preparation and forwarding necessary reports, etc. Air Force units will deal with AAFSC/ATO (Movements and Transportation Section) which will in turn deal with Base Section transportation officers, except as AAFSC/ATO may direct Air Force units to deal directly with Base Sections. (A) (B)

20. Time of Movement - The unit and its impediments will be dispatched to the Staging Area so as to arrive there at the time specified by the Base Section commander, or AAFSC/ATO M & Tn Section, regardless of progress made in filling shortages of organizational equipment and personnel. (A) (B)

21. Special Instructions Concerning Shipment of Impediments

a. Shipments on flat cars - If material is loaded on flat cars, special provision must be made for train guards, as prescribed in paragraph 8, AR 55-155, with changes. The port commander concerned will take positive action to insure that such guard personnel is returned to its organization in the staging area, or at destination; whichever action circumstances indicate to be expedient. (A) (B)

b. The unit commander will promptly furnish the Base Section transportation officer or AAFSC/ATO M & Tn Section with the following information after loading: (A) (B)

(1) Shipment number and letter used in marking

(2) Detailed lists showing for each car used the initials and car number, with the identifying marks of all packages and the estimated weight and cubage loaded therein.

c. Records - It is essential that the unit commander know at all times the location of all items of unit impediments. To this end, complete and accurate records of all containers and their contents must be maintained including packing lists, consolidated packing lists, tally-outs, etc., together with a record of the cars or motor vehicles in which they are shipped. (A) (B)

22. Command - Upon arrival in the staging area, units pass to the control of the Base Section Commander, or appropriate AAF/ATO Commander. (A) (B) 4847

23. Miscellaneous References - AR 55-130, Transportation of Troops and Other Groups, General; AR 55-145, Transportation of Troops, Entraining, Detention on route, and Detraining; AR 55-155, Transportation of Public Property; AR 55-390, Overseas Movement of Organization, Casuals and Individuals on Army Transports; WD Circular 400, 1944, Troop Train Ration; WD Pamphlet 20-7, Troop Train Commander's Guide. (A) (B)

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VI -- INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO BAGGAGE AND LOADING OF EQUIPMENT ABOARD SHIP24. Baggage

a. All individuals will pack or carry their belongings so that articles considered necessary during the voyage and immediately thereafter will be readily available.

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(Bb. Baggage of officers, warrant officers, etc.

(1) Baggage of each officer, warrant officer and flight officer will be limited to the following not to exceed 175 pounds. Additional weight as necessary is authorized in movement orders for flying clothing and equipment in the case of personnel on flying status traveling by water:

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1 Trunk locker (duffel bag may be substituted at option of individuals concerned)

1 Bedding roll (not over 50 lbs)

1 Piece of hand baggage, or for personnel on flying status, 1 B-4 bag (not over 40 lbs)

1 Field or musette bag

1 Bag, flyer's, medium, Type A-3 for flying equipment (for personnel on flying status traveling by water)

(2) General officers will be allowed one additional trunk locker or wardrobe trunk.

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(3) Officers will have only the piece of hand baggage (or B-4 bag) and the field or musette bag in their staterooms. As a general rule, bedding rolls and trunk lockers will not be accessible during the voyage.

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(4) In addition to items authorized in (3) above, chaplains will be permitted to carry with them in their staterooms a Mass Kit or Communion Set.

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c. Baggage of enlisted men - all grades - Enlisted personnel will be limited to individual equipment and one duffel bag or for personnel on flying status, one B-4 bag. The duffel bag or B-4 bag must travel with the unit, preferably in the hands of the owner. Barrack bags, if authorized for the movement, will be carried in the duffel bag en route. (Personnel on flying status are authorized, in addition to the above, one bag, flyer's kit, type A-3, not to exceed the weight authorized in movement orders. This bag will not normally be accessible during the voyage). Each enlisted individual is authorized not more than 7 pounds of personally owned items and recreational equipment to be carried on his person or in his baggage. (See paragraph 21 and Circular 344, WD, 1944, regarding authorization for shipment, as organizational equipment, of additional individually owned recreational equipment, including radios).

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d. Itemized Baggage List (IBL) - for all personnel moving overseas by air - Items of AAF clothing and equipment to be carried as hand baggage by all individuals authorized such equipment will be issued to AAF personnel on flying status. Other personnel authorized AAF clothing and equipment will be issued such items prior to departure for new overseas destination. This AAF clothing and equipment will be restricted to the clothing and equipment listed in appropriate sections of Itemized Baggage List prescribed in movement orders. Movement orders for travel by air to new overseas destinations prescribe the applicable Itemized Baggage List which specifies the items of clothing and individual equipment which are required to be taken with enlisted individuals, and are recommended to be taken by officers. Clothing and equipment to be carried as hand baggage by all individuals traveling by air to new overseas destinations will include the items prescribed in the Itemized Baggage List specified in the movement orders. Items of AAF clothing and equipment authorized individuals will be issued at home stations prior to movement to Staging Airframe or Staging Area. (A) (E) (H)

e. Disposition of Excess Baggage of Officers and Enlisted Personnel - Occasion may arise when the personal property of individuals on movement orders will exceed the prescribed weight allowances authorized above and cannot be taken overseas to new destination. In such cases disposition of excess baggage will be made according to the provisions of letter, AG 524 (16 Aug 44) OB-S-SP101-1, 29 August 1944, subject: "Recording of Baggage from Overseas, and Indicator Implementations of subject letter". (A) (E) (B)

f. Restricted Items - Unit commanders will furnish the port of embarkation with a certificate in triplicate stating that no explosives or inflammables are contained in items being shipped as hold baggage. (A) (E) (B)

g. Documentation - The Commanding Officer of each shipment will prepare ten (10) copies of a baggage list for all hold baggage showing name of owner, rank, AS and type of container. He will deliver nine (9) copies to the port of embarkation and keep one (1) copy on file. (A) (E) (B)

25. Loading of equipment and supplies accompanying troops aboard shipa. Individual Equipment

(1) For Units being Redeployed Directly - Individual weapons, steel helmets and gas masks will be in the hands of troops upon embarkation. Cleaning and preserving materials for individual arms will be loaded aboard ship so as to be available to each organization during the voyage. (A)

(2) For units being redeployed to or through the US, see appendix D for list of items to be packed by units. (B)

b. Sufficient ammunition for all individual weapons carried by the personnel who may be designated for guard duty during the voyage will be loaded aboard ship. (A) (E) (B)

c. One (1) day's rations, Type K, per individual, unless otherwise directed by MTOUSA Movement Order will be loaded aboard ship so as to be readily available to troops. These rations will be issued to each individual prior to debarkation. (A) (E) (B)

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d. Mosquito control equipment (froom aerosol dispenser; insect repellent, bottle; bars, insect, field; head nets; mosquito gloves) which will be required on debarkation, will be loaded so as to be immediately available. When authorized for the movement, each individual will carry aboard ship and have available at time of debarkation, 1 bar, insect, field, and 1 bottle of insect repellent. (A) (2) (B)

e. Tools which are to accompany troops aboard ship (see Appendix C) will be limited to those necessary for immediate and efficient operation of an emergency nature at destination. These tools will be selected from authorized T/E, T/O and E or S/OE. The tools selected will be processed, packed and marked as TAT equipment, and will be loaded aboard ship so that issue can be effected promptly at destination. (A) (2) (B)

f. Covers, protective, and kit, ointment, protective, M5, and eye-shields will be carried in the gas mask carrier. Shoe impregnate will be carried in duffel bag of enlisted individuals and in the hand baggage of officers. (A)

g. Maps - When prescribed by commander of theater of origin, sufficient copies of information and orientation maps of destination and adjacent area will be prepared in sealed packages for study en route. Maps will be loaded aboard transport so that they will be readily available during the voyage, but will not be delivered to unit commander until after sailing. (A)

h. Pets or mascots will not be taken aboard ship. (A&B)

i. Electric razors will not be used aboard ship. (A&E)

VII - POSTAL REGULATIONS

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a. Units moving direct to another theater

(1) When units and organizations move direct to another theater the personnel moving with the unit will continue to have their mail addressed to the address (unit and APO) used in this theater until arrival in the new theater and assignment of a new APO number and postmaster address. (A)

(2) The unit commander will prepare an MAP Form 11 for each person separated from the unit before departure from the theater including all personnel who have been transferred during the past 60 days, showing the unit to which he was or will be transferred. A Form MAP 11 will also be prepared for each person added to the unit within 60 days prior to departure of the unit showing the unit address and APO number used by the unit in this theater. The completed cards will be delivered to the Postal Officer of the staging area prior to departure of the unit from the theater. (A)

(3) All personnel transferred from the unit prior to departure of the unit from the theater will be required to notify their emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers of their new unit and APO address on WD AGO Form 971 as soon as it is known, but not sooner than 20 days before they are transferred from the unit. (A)

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(4) Personnel transferred into the unit prior to departure from the theater will be required to furnish emergency addressee and all correspondents (not publishers) their complete address, that is, unit and APO address used by the unit in this theater, and advise publishers on WD AGO Forms 971 to discontinue mailing publications until further advised of a new address. (A)

(5) Upon arrival in the new theater and assignment to the organization of a permanent APO number and postmaster, all personnel will be instructed to advise their emergency addressee, correspondents, publishers, and The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C. of their complete new address, using WD AGO Form 971 for that purpose. (A)

b. Units moving to another theater through the United States

(1) When units and organizations move to another theater through the United States, the unit commander will require each person who will move with the unit to complete an MAF Form 11 showing the home or other non-military address in the United States to which he desires his mail to be forwarded. If some personnel desire, they may indicate on the Form 11 that their mail should be returned to sender. Unit commander will collect and deliver the MAF Forms 11 to the Postal Officer of the staging area prior to the departure of the unit from the theater. (B)

(2) All personnel who will move with the unit will be required to give immediate notice to emergency addressee, all correspondents and publishers to discontinue mailing letters, parcels and publications until further advised as to new address. WD AGO Form 971-1 (V-Mail notice to correspondents and publishers) may be used for this purpose. However, when it is known at the time of the receipt of the movement orders that actual departure of the unit from the theater will be considerably delayed, the notice should not be sent until the approximate date is known. The notice should be sent 20 days before departure date when possible. (B)

(3) The unit commander will prepare an MAF Form 11 for each person separated from the unit before departure from the theater including all personnel who have been transferred during the past 60 days, showing the unit to which he was or will be transferred. The completed cards will be delivered to the Postal Officer of the staging area prior to departure of the unit from the theater. (B)

(4) The unit commander will take the action required by a (3) and a (5) above. (B)

VIII- MISCELLANEOUS

27. Special Lists of Equipment - Normally the proper T/O, T/E or T/O & E applicable to the unit will be specified in the movement order. When a unit or any of its components has no approved T/E, Special Lists of Equipment will be promptly prepared as directed by the movement order. These Special Lists of Equipment will be distributed to the Unit Commander, the designated base section commander and to others concerned. (A)
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28. Disposition of Unit Records of Category II Units

a. Records of Category II units which are redeployed direct to another theater and those redeployed through the United States will be processed as follows: (A)
(B)

(1) Prior to departure of the unit for the staging area, the unit commander will: (A&B)

(a) Segregate organizational records and reference material to be taken to the new theater as prescribed in appendix "C", paragraph 8. (A&B)

(b) Dispose of non-record material of the categories described in paragraph 3b, AR 345-10. (A&B)

(c) List and box non-current records which are to be retired to storage as prescribed in paragraph 7a, b, and c, WD Circular 416, 1944, including the following: (A)
(B)

1. Morning reports more than 6 months old.
2. Complete sick reports more than 6 months old.
3. Duty roster more than 3 months and less than 1 year old (older rosters will be destroyed).
4. Retained copies of pay-rolls and pay vouchers more than 6 months old. (Note: Does not apply to disbursing officers retained copies)
5. Non-current records, reports, orders, board proceedings, and unit correspondence, the destruction of which is not authorized and which have apparent future value (Historical reports and accompanying papers will be forwarded as required by AR 345-10).

(d) Non-current records of units to be retired to storage as provided for by paragraph b (1) (c) above, will be shipped in accordance with future directive, to be issued by this Headquarters, establishing a temporary records depot in this Theater. (A)
(B)

29. Non-Required personnel in redeployed units - The personnel in all units being directly redeployed should be made to understand that even though circumstances may preclude the immediate release of personnel who might otherwise be considered as "surplus", the readjustment plan contained in War Department Readjustment Regulations 1-1 will be applied to them after arrival at their new overseas destination on the same basis as for other personnel at such destinations (see paragraph 6 and 7, RR 1-1). (A)

30. Modification of Authorized Strength of Personnel and Allowances of Equipment

a. Normally, redeployed units will move to new overseas destination at T/O strength, plus overstrength indicated below, unless modified by the War (A)
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(1) To compensate for normal attrition of personnel during movement, units will move to a new overseas destination with an overstrength not to exceed 2 percent. (A) (B)

(2) An additional overstrength equal to the number of key personnel whose ASAC score is equal to or above the critical score but who cannot be released by reason of operational necessity. However the total overstrength for any unit will not exceed 10% including that authorized by paragraph 30c (1) above. (A) (B)

b. It is expected that redeployed units scheduled for direct movement to new overseas theater will be completely equipped with authorized allowances of equipment insofar as practicable prior to embarkation. The supply of shortages of such equipment will be effected in accordance with policies of the theater within policies prescribed by this publication. To facilitate identification of certain classes of equipment, the following categories of such equipment are established. War Department movement directives, and subsequent theater movement orders will provide for the disposition or method of movement of such equipment. (A)

(1) Air Observation Section Equipment includes the following equipment for Field Artillery units:

Field Artillery Liaison types airplanes and associated Organization Equipment List

Equipment used for their maintenance

Bags, drop, message

Glasses, flying, sun

Parachutes, complete for air observation section of Field Artillery units. (A)

(2) General Purpose Motor Vehicles - For purposes of overseas movement, the following are considered general purpose motor vehicles:

Car, 5 passenger, light

Car, 5 passenger, medium

Ambulance, 3/4 ton

Motorcycle

Truck, 1/4 ton

*Truck, 3 1/2 ton, cargo, or dump, with or without winch

Trailers, 1/4, 3/4 or 1-ton, cargo

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Truck, 3/4 ton, carryall, WC, command, w/ or w/o winch

Truck, 1 1/2 ton cargo, or dump, with or without winch

Truck, 4-ton, cargo

Trailers, 250 gallon, water

**Truck, 2 1/2-ton, cargo, SWB, with or without winch

*Truck, 2 1/2 ton, cargo, equipped with second echelon set
#2 and Ordnance Maintenance Sets which replace Ordnance Technical Vehicles
are general purpose vehicles, but the sets will be removed, packed and
shipped as organizational equipment, provided the set is included in author-
ized allowances of equipment.

**Truck, 2 1/2-ton, cargo, SWB, equipped with Transportation
Auxiliaries, to serve as searchlight trucks are considered general purpose
vehicles. Such Transportation Auxiliaries are considered a part of the
vehicle and will not be removed should such trucks be turned in.

Note: General purpose vehicles of the type listed above
which have been adapted to receive special equipment and have been issued
as special equipment vehicles (as listed in WD Circular 240, 1944) will be
considered special purpose vehicles. However, general purpose vehicles of
these types issued as general purpose vehicles and converted locally to
accommodate equipment (such as kitchen ranges, radios, machine guns, equip-
ment bins, etc.) will not be considered special purpose or special equip-
ment vehicles.

(3) Combat or Special Purpose Vehicles - The following
vehicles are considered combat or special purpose vehicles. Armament
and accessories thereto will remain with the vehicles at all times pro-
vided they are combat serviceable. This applies whether such equipment
is an integral part of the vehicles, included in authorized allowances
of equipment for the vehicles, received on the vehicles, or listed in
appropriate SNL. All types of the following vehicles are included:

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Car, scout

Car, Half-track (including mortar and personnel carriers)

Car, armored

Carriage, motor, multiple gun

Carriage, multiple gun

Carriage, motor, gun or howitzer

Carrier, cargo (track laying)

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Tanks

Trailer, ammunition

Truck trailer, tank transporter

Vehicle, tank recovery

(4) Ordnance technical vehicles - The following vehicles are considered Ordnance technical vehicles and tools, accessories, and equipment pertaining thereto, as listed in appropriate SHL, will be considered an integral part of the vehicles:

Truck, artillery repair

Truck, electrical repair

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Truck, general repair

Truck, instrument bench

Truck, machine shop (load A or B)

Truck, small arms repair

Truck, instrument repair (load A)

Truck, Signal Corps repair

(5) Medical assemblages are the medical components of organizational equipment, excluding organizational medical equipment normally issued to individuals, as listed in authorized allowances of equipment for General and Station Hospitals, Hospital Trains, Hospital Ships, Transport Ship and Ambulance Ships. (A

31. Non-Appropriated Funds

a. Procedure - Surplus property will be disposed of as provided in paragraph b below, which is in accordance with MTOUSA Circular Number 62, "Non-Appropriated Funds", 21 April 1945. The custodian will pay all outstanding liabilities and any bank account maintained in the Theater will be closed and a final bank statement will be obtained or arrangements will be made to have it forwarded. Cash will be converted into US Treasurer's checks (see "c" below) and any US Government securities held as investments will be forwarded to and deposited with the Treasury Department (Division of Security, War Bond Section, Office of the Treasury of the United States, Treasury Department, Washington 25, D.C.) for safekeeping and receipts therefor will be filed with fund records, and the fund account records will be closed and audited. (A
(B

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b. Disposition of property - Property, except cash and securities, will be disposed of as follows: (A
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(1) By sale to other welfare and sundry funds as preferred bidders.

(2) By sale to other purchasers, provided that no military bidder can be found and then only with the approval of the next higher commander.

(3) By transfer to the Special Service Supply Officer of the Major Command for reissue to other US Army personnel or by donation to other welfare and sundry funds, or turned over to a salvage officer for disposition, in the event that no purchaser can be found. No property will be deliberately abandoned. A receipt will be taken from the responsible officer who receives such property and will be kept to show the disposition of the property.

32. Recreational Equipment, Washing Machines and Orientation Materials

a. Special Service "A" and "B" Kits, as issued, or component items in quantities indicated by his headquarters, will be packed at the home station, marked and shipped as organizational equipment TAT (To accompany troops). In addition, recreational equipment, radios, phonographs, musical items and public address systems procured by units from appropriated or non-appropriated funds or issued through Special Service channels, may be shipped to new overseas destinations as organizational equipment. Each enlisted individual moving to overseas destinations is authorized to carry on his person or in his authorized baggage, personal items including small games, books, musical instruments, individual athletic items, non-bulky trophies or gifts of a sentimental nature, not to exceed seven (7) pounds in total. Unit commanders may authorize individuals to take individually owned portable radios, phonographs, musical items and other athletic and recreational items in excess of the seven (7) pounds, by packing such equipment at the home station, marking and shipping as organizational equipment TAT. The total recreational items, less "A" and "B" Kits, shipped as organizational equipments will not exceed aggregate weight of five (5) pounds per individual in unit, except that units of ten (10) men or less are allowed up to fifty (50) pounds. Bulky equipment (pool tables, furniture, etc.) with the exception of domestic washing machines, household type, procured by units from appropriated or non-appropriated funds will not be taken.

b. All other athletic and recreational equipment accumulated by units which cannot be taken will be turned into the Special Service Supply Officer of the appropriate supply agency.

NOTE: Because of the scarcity of radio and musical instruments, unit commanders are encouraged to take such items within the provisions of this circular.

c. Orientation, information and educational materials in sufficient quantity to conduct orientation en route to new destination will be procured by companies and similar units being directly redeployed through I and E channels and shipped so as to be available during the voyage. Materials such as maps, pamphlets, guide books, and such other orientation materials as are available and appear appropriate will be procured in amounts to be determined by the unit commander, but in no event to exceed 50 pounds for each company or similar organization and 100 pounds for the headquarters of battalions, regiments, or equivalent and higher units.

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33. Data on Settlement of Personal Affairs

a. Personnel will be urged to adjust or settle all personal affairs and problems prior to further overseas movement, i.e., changes in government life insurance, allotments, family allowances, wills, etc. Particular emphasis will be placed on these matters when personnel have married overseas. In appropriate cases, action will be taken by such personnel in accordance with MTOUSA Letter, File AG 371.2/398 A-0, dated 6 March 1945, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas". (Attention is invited to War Department Letter, file, AG 510 dated 23 November 1944, subject, "Return of Dependents from Overseas"). (A) (S) (B)

b. Non-settlement of personal affairs will not act to delay the departure of any individual.

34. Individual Identification Card

a. Individuals under movement orders will have in their possession at all times identification cards as prescribed in MTOUSA Circular Number 26, 1945; War Department Circulars Numbers 32, 1944 and 343, 1943, as amended by War Department Circular Number 113, 1944. Prior to departure from training area, all cards or identifications in the possession of commissioned and enlisted personnel, including credentials, travel checks, drivers permits, etc., will be checked to insure that they will in no way disclose any organization indication pertaining either to the bearer or to the countersigning or approving officer. Check also will be made to insure that personnel have the new (current) WD, AGO Form in their possession and that it shows correct grade and Army Serial Number of the individual. (A) (S) (B)

b. Requisitions for new cards will be made to Headquarters, PBS, and reports of lost cards will be made to that headquarters. (A) (S) (B)

c. Prior to departure from training areas, unit commanders will insure that identification cards or any similar identifications, credentials, travel checks, driver's permits, etc., in the possession of either commissioned or enlisted personnel in no way disclose any organizational designation pertaining either to the bearer or to the countersigning or approving officer. (A) (S) (B)

35. Organization of detachment: A small detachment will be organized from personnel of the unit, to be designated as detachment, (name of unit). This detachment will be constituted as indicated below. The purpose of the detachment is to take necessary unit records to the assembly stations in the United States and to aid in the establishment of personnel and supply administration thereat. Although this detachment will not be separated from the unit prior to its arrival in the United States, it will not form a part of any reception station group after arrival in the United States. (A) (S) (B) 4843

a. Personnel of Detachment

(1) Detachment will consist of a minimum of one (1) officer and, in addition, one (1) or two (2) enlisted men as required. The unit commander will designate the personnel to constitute the detachment.

(2) The officer selected will be preferably of senior grade, thoroughly familiar with the affairs of the unit, and competent to discuss (A)

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any problems of personnel and supply administration for the unit at the assembly station in the United States. Enlisted personnel may be selected after arrival of the unit at the US port of debarkation from qualified personnel living nearest to the assembly station.

b. Duties of the Detachment

(1) The detachment's mission is to establish promptly personnel and supply administration of the unit at assembly station.

(2) The detachment will be prepared to furnish the commander at assembly station information regarding training, personnel and equipment status of unit, the list of remediable physical defects indicated in paragraph 12a (6) (c) below and any other information which will be of assistance in expediting the preparation of the unit for further duty. (B)

36. Records, Reports and Reports

a. Service Records - All service records will be checked for completeness and correctness in accordance with the requirements of TM 12-230 and MTOUSA Redeployment Circular Number 3 (Perfection of Personnel Records). The check sheet required by Section II, MTOUSA Circular Number 13, 1945, will be used and corrective action taken at once on all errors and/or omissions noted in pencil. Whenever necessary, to complete Service Records, personal interview, search of soldier's Qualification Card, and the initiation of correspondence will be instituted. In the administrative processing of AAF personnel incident to redeployment, AAF Manual 35-2, "Personnel Processing Manual", March 1945, will be used as a guide except as specifically modified by this Circular. (A) (2) (B)

(1) Inspectors of all units and those from higher echelons will make special checks to insure compliance with paragraph a above.

(2) Inspectors General of the appropriate commands will also make frequent and thorough checks of this phase of administration. (A) (2) (B)

b. Personnel not physically present with unit at the time it moves from the Staging Area to the Port of Embarkation will be transferred to the Staging Area, and Service Records indexed, and, together with all associated papers and a written report showing status of each individual, delivered to the commanding officer of the Staging Area. Further disposition instructions will be requested from the Base Section Commander. Personnel transferred pursuant to these instructions will be reported on the morning report of the Staging Area, or other appropriate morning report, effective with date of transfer and without regard to EDCR. (A) (2) (B)

c. Service records and allied papers must be on hand for every man who accompanies the units to the port from the staging area regardless if the unit is moving direct to another theater or to the United States. Service records and allied papers will be kept in field desks or other suitable containers which will be carried by hand and will be readily available at all times. (A) (2) (B)

d. Each officer and enlisted man proceeding by water will carry on his person: (A) (2) (B)

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(1) Pay data card, WD AGO Form 77 (Officers) or Soldiers' Individual Pay Records, WD AGO Form 28 (enlisted personnel).

(2) Identification tags (2) worn around the neck.

(3) WD AGO Form 65, Identification Card (Officers) or WD AGO Form 65-10, Identification Card (protected personnel).

(4) Where applicable, WD MD Form 73a, Patients Record of Syphilis Treatment.

(5) WD MD Form 81, Immunization Register (officers and AAF enlisted personnel) or, when available, WD AGO Form 8-117, Immunization Register and Other Medical Data (all personnel).

(6) Personnel on flying status will carry, in addition to the above:

(a) Copy of orders announcing aeronautical rating including AAF Form 6 or 6a - Instrument Pilot Certificate, when appropriate.

(b) Copy of orders authorizing flying status.

(c) WD Form 81, Immunization Register (enlisted personnel other than AAF) when WD AGO Form 8-117 is not available.

(d) WD AAF Form 121, Individual Issue Record.

(e) AAF Form 206 - Air Crew member physical record card.

c. Personnel moving by air will carry on their person: (A & B

(1) Applicable records as prescribed in subparagraph d above.

(2) WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3 Qualification Card (officers).

(3) WD AGO Form 22, Soldiers' Qualification Card (enlisted personnel.)

(4) WD AGO Form 32, Individual clothing and equipment record (enlisted personnel).

(5) WD AGO Form 24, Service Record (Enlisted personnel, or WD AGO Form 724 for WAC personnel).

f. Records to accompany units moving direct to United States.

(1) Personnel Records - The following personnel records, accurate and up-to-date, will be moved with the unit as indicated:

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(a) In the personal possession of the individual:

WD AGO Form 65 or 65-1 (Officers' identification card)	Copy of prescription for spectacles.
WD AGO Form 77 (officers' pay data card)	Copy of orders bestowing aeronautical rating.
Records of leave accrued and granted (to be carried by officers, as prescribed in AR 605-115) (record may be in any form desired by the individual).	Copy of orders placing personnel on flying status.
	Individual flight record (WD AAF 5) with allied papers.
WD AGO Form 28 (pay data card for enlisted personnel)	Instrument pilot certificate (AAF 8 or 8a)
WD AGO Form 8-115 (formerly Form 78a) (treatment record; for individuals under treatment for syphilis)	Physical record card (WD AAF 206)
	Copy of orders announcing parachutist and glider rating
WD AGO Form 8-117 (formerly Form 81) (Immunization Register and other medical data)	Copy of orders or certificate placing personnel on parachutist or glider status as required by current regulations.
Identification tags (2)	

(b) Taken by the proper group leader, to the reception station:

WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2 or 66-3 (officer and warrant officer qualification card)	WD AGO Form 163 (Adjusted Service Rating Card)
WD AGO Form 20 (soldiers qualification card)	WD AGO Form 8-114 (formerly Form 78) (syphilis register; for individuals under treatment for syphilis)
WD AGO Form 24 (service record) with allied papers required by current directives (see TM 12-230)	
OME Adjustment Form as prescribed in Circular 72, WD, 1945.	

Note: In the case of flight echelons these records will be taken by each combat crew commander to the port of aerial debarkation; from which they will be shipped to the assembly station.

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(c) Taken by the Detachment commander to assembly station: (See paragraph 35 above).

Copy of board proceedings such as reclassification, disposition, AR 615-368 and AR 615-369 proceedings. When applicable such copy will contain indorsement by convening authority and approval of officer having discharge authority.

Standard AAF Medical Statement AAF Individual Training Record (reference AAF letter 50-55) WD AGO Form 8-116 (Dental Identification Record)

Copy of Status Report of the unit. Summary of bombing (AAF 12-b) (bombardier only).

Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 121-AAF equipment)

List of physical condition, defects, and other medical data.

g. Each unit will have in its possession two (2) sets of current locator cards from the machine records unit (or statistical control unit) servicing the unit. One (1) set will remain with the organization; the other will be delivered to the Theater Postal Officer upon arrival in Overseas Theater or Command. (A) (& (B)

h. (1) The last Morning Report to be furnished the theater Machine Records Unit servicing the organization on the day of departure will carry the following remark after the last entry: (A) (& (B)

To depart for _____ (destination) at _____ (time and place of embarkation) under shipment number _____.

(2) A copy of the passenger list will be attached to the morning report. Final status cards, master organization cards and strength cards will be forwarded by the Theater consolidating machine records unit to the War Department or theater of destination by air courier or other expeditious means.

i. WD AGO Form 41, (Designation or Change of Relative to be Paid Six (6) Months Gratuity in Case of Death) will be executed by each individual if any change has occurred in the eligibility or permanent address of any beneficiary and will be forwarded by the personnel officer to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D.C. prior to embarkation. (See AR 600-600) (A) (& (B)

j. WD AGO Form 43, (Emergency Addressee Card) will be prepared by each individual accompanying the unit moving direct to another Theater. The personnel Officer will check for accuracy and dispose of forms as prescribed in War Department Circular 447, 1944. (A)

k. A roster of all personnel who are scheduled to move with units proceeding to the United States will be prepared as follows:

(1) Preparation of Rosters

(a) For all units (except AAF flight echelons and air echelons moving by air) prepare rosters containing the name of the unit and the name, grade, serial number, arm or service, SSN and Adjusted Service

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Rating Score (when available) and address at which temporary duty for recuperation is desired, of each individual. (See Appendix "O") This roster will divide personnel into groups depending upon the reception stations serving the geographic areas in which are located points to which individuals wish to go for recuperation prior to reporting at assembly station. While each unit will move as an organization, under five (5) digit shipment number and letter, all personnel will be canvassed at present stations to ascertain these desired destinations for recuperation so that the rosters may be prepared by reception station groups in the same manner as for rotation personnel. Personnel will be informed that the destination for recuperation cannot be changed except to alleviate a particular hardship which would adversely affect the individual. Group designations (as indicated in paragraphs 24a (1) and (2) of PRI) will not be assigned to the respective group; the groups will be indicated as "Group 1, Group 2, etc", by placing the proper code number of the reception station, to which each group will be moved after arrival in the United States, after the shipment number and letter assigned to the unit. In this connection see List D of Appendix I, RR 1-2 as soon as the latter document goes into effect.

(b) For AAF Flight or air echelons moving by air, prepare one movement order for the entire flight or air echelon of the unit listing each individual in the movement. In addition to the name of the individual, the grade, serial number, SSN, Adjusted Service Rating Score (if available), and desired place of recuperation in the United States will be included. This movement order will serve as a roster at the port of aerial debarkation. Each crew will have twenty (20) copies of this order in its possession upon arrival in the United States.

1. Rosters of these types are not required by existing directives for category II units moving direct to another Theater. (A)

B. Passenger Lists - The commanders of air and water Ports of Embarkation will issue the necessary instructions to Unit Commanders upon arrival at the Staging Area on preparation and distribution of passenger lists, and preparation of personnel shortage reports. (A)
(B)

37. Check List of Principal Actions for Unit Commanders

The Commander of the Category II Units Ordered Overseas, upon receipt of MTOUSA Warning or Movement Order, will perform the following: (A&B)

a. Promptly, upon being ordered to move, accomplish Shipping Data Form, as provided in paragraph 12c. (A&B)

b. Assure full compliance with the requirements of paragraph 9 Section IV. (A&B)

c. Insure that he has copy of proper T/O, T/E, T/O and E or Special List of Equipment as prescribed in movement or warning orders. (A)
(Copies may be obtained directly from 2602 Publication Depot). (B)

d. Promptly conduct a showdown inspection and make an inventory of clothing, supplies and equipment on hand to determine completeness and serviceability. The Base Section or AAF/ATO commander will be called upon for necessary technical assistance in this inspection. (A)
(B)

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- e. Submit Unit Commanders' Shortage Lists as outlined in paragraphs 10c (4) and (5), or Report of Equipment Lists as outlined in paragraph 10d. (A)
(2)
(B)
- f. Clean and turn in to the appropriate supply agency, through normal supply channels, all items in excess of allowances authorized by MTOUSA Movement Order. (A)
(2)
(B)
- g. Insure that shipments of organization equipment packed by the unit are properly and substantially packed and crated, prepared to withstand the rigors incident to shipment overseas, are correctly marked, and that a record is kept of the contents of each container. See Section III and AR 850-5. (A)
(2)
(B)
- h. Company and similar organization commanders will have in their possession the company property book required by WD Circular 405, 1942. Air Force organizations will make available to the port air officer the squadron copy of its Organization Equipment List. (A)
(2)
(B)
- i. Insure that the custodian of the unit fund disposes of the fund's surplus property and converts its cash into checks, and that the fund is closed and audited in accordance with required procedures. (A)
(2)
(B)
- j. Comply with instructions concerning mail.
- k. As directed by the Base Section or AAF/ATO commander, report in person, or by capable representative, to the appropriate port, prepared to accomplish the following: (A)
(2)
(B)
 - (1) Furnish information concerning shipments of organizational impediments made by the unit.
 - (2) Furnish to port officials information concerning the relative importance of organizational equipment and maintenance supplies of the unit as a guide in determining the order of shipment and manner of loading. Air Force organizations for which organizational equipment lists are prepared, will make the squadron copy available to the port air officer.
- l. Insure that personnel records check list, see Appendix "K", is properly accomplished for each individual prior to departure from staging area. (A)
(2)
(B)
- m. Insure that sufficient blank forms are available to conduct necessary administrative functions enroute to destination and for a reasonable period after arrival. (A)
(2)
(B)
- n. Evacuation of Property by Units - Before evacuation by a unit of a unit installation or property, the unit commander will: (A)
(2)
 - (1) Report the time and date of move to the major command having control of the installation or property in order that a suitable custodian to receive and guard may be designated.
 - (2) Leave installation or property in a clean and sanitary condition.

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(3) Render such assistance as may be practicable to the base section in dismantling installations no longer required.

(4) Obtain a receipt from the custodian showing condition of the installation or property at the time it is evacuated.

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8 Inclosures:

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- Appendix "G" - Consolidated Packing List, Impediments Moved to Port of Embarkation
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, OPERATIONS DIVISION, WAR
DEPARTMENT GENERAL STAFF, WASHINGTON (25), D. C.

SUBJECT: Status Report for Unit Scheduled for Direct Redeployment

(Unit Designation)

Status as of _____ White or Negro
(Date)

Shipment Number: _____ Readiness Dates

Personnel:

Impediments:

1. Organization and Equipment Data:

a. Organization basis:

T/O & E, T/O or specific allotment No: _____

dated _____ with _____ changes

b. (1) Date organized or last reorganized _____

(2) Date arrived overseas _____

(3) Date organized if activated in overseas theater _____

c. Equipment basis:

T/O & E, T/E No: _____

dated _____ with _____ changes; and/or

SLE: _____
(File, Date and Subject)

2. Unit Commanding Officer:

Name: _____ White or Negro

Serial No: _____ Rank:

Date assumed command _____ Efficiency Rating:

Period of service with this unit _____

Period of service with any other unit of this type _____

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3. Strength: *Off **Nurses *WO *Plt O EM Civ Total

a. T/O & E or T/O

b. *Total Authorized by
WD if different from
T/O & E or T/O (In-
clude specific allot-
ment here)c. Authorized for this
movement by WD M/D
including any over
strength ##

d. Actual Movement strength.

When applicable indicate male or female.

*Indicate white or negro. **Includes PT's and HD's.

#Cite WD authorization. ##See paragraph 9a(2) of Annex B.

4. Specialist vacancies which cannot be filled by personnel readiness date with qualified personnel essential to the performance of the unit's primary mission and for which requisition to bring the unit to T/O or authorized WD strength (see paragraph 3a (or 3b if used) above) has been or will be submitted to the WD as prescribed in paragraph 10 of Inclosure No 1 to Annex B.

Number	Grade	%SSN	Number	Grade	%SSN	Number	Grade	%SSN
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%SSN used will be the SSN applicable to the MOS
(Continue listings on reverse side or use inclosure if necessary).

5. Length of time personnel have served with unit:

_____ % Officers,	_____ % EM less than one (1) month.
_____ % Officers,	_____ % EM more than one (1) month; less than three months.
_____ % Officers,	_____ % EM more than three (3) months.

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 6. Physical Requirement: Personnel of this unit (have) (have not) been screened in compliance with paragraph 6, Section II, Inclosure No. 1 to Annex B, Redeployment Movements. Of the total personnel authorized for this movement by WD 11/D, _____ % of the officers and _____ % of the enlisted men are physically and mentally qualified for further overseas service in an active theater of operations.

7. Training: With due consideration being given to the standards of training prescribed for this type unit prior to its departure from the Zone of Interior for overseas service; to current War Department training directives; to the missions assigned the unit and the assignment and experience of the personnel thereof during overseas service; and to the additional training given in preparing the unit for redeployment, this unit and the individuals, specialists, technicians, crews, sections and teams thereof (are) (are not) qualified in all functions essential to the performance of the unit's primary mission in an active theater of operations. (If the unit or any of the individuals or elements thereof are not completely qualified, indicate below the deficiencies in detail and the type and amount of additional essential training required in such a manner that the information provided can be used as a basis for subsequent training plans.)

8. Firing:

a. Status of qualification firing with individual weapons is as follows:

Type of Weapons	No. so Armed	No. who have fired	Course Fired	Per cent Qualified
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 b. Status of firing with crew-served weapons is as follows:

Type of Weapon	No. of Such Crews	No. of Crews who have Fired	Course Fired	Percent Qualified (if applicable)
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c. Status of familiarization firing; The following percentages of assigned personnel have not fired within the past 12 months familiarization courses with the following types of weapons with which at least 10% of the unit is armed.

Type of Weapon	Per cent Not Fired
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9. Equipment authorized the unit for the movement is complete and combat serviceable except as indicated in Inclosure A (information copy of MTOUSA unit Shortage List prepared and submitted in accordance with paragraph 11 of Inclosure No.1 to Annex B). (Note: See paragraph 10c(4) MTOUSA Redeployment Circular No.14).

10. Assigned Missions: This unit performed primary missions consistent with the basic purpose for which organized for _____ months. Indicate any inconsistent missions which the unit was assigned and the periods of performance.

11. Summary: This unit (will) (will not) be qualified to perform all phases of its primary missions by the personnel readiness date. If the unit will not be fully qualified, indicate below the reasons therefore.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL, _____:

Distribution:

1. AGOS, OPD, WDGS (original and 1 copy)
2. Commander of Theater of Destination - 1 copy

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APPENDIX "B"

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, OPERATIONS DIVISION, WAR
DEPARTMENT GENERAL STAFF, WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

SUBJECT: Status Report for Unit Schedule for Indirect Redeployment

(Unit Designation)

Status as of _____ White or Negro
(Date)

Shipment Number: _____
Readiness Dates _____
Personnel: _____
Impediments: _____

1. Organization and Equipment Data:

a. Organization basis:

T/C & Z, T/O or specific allotment No: _____
dated _____ with _____ changes.

b. (1) Date organized or last reorganized _____

(2) Date arrived overseas _____

(3) Date organized if activated in overseas theater _____

c. Equipment basis:

T/C & Z, T/S No: _____

dated _____ with _____ changes; and/or

GLOE: _____
(File, Date and Subject)

2. Unit Commanding Officer:

White or Negro

Name: _____

Rank: _____

Serial No: _____

Efficiency Rating: _____

Date assumed command _____

Period of service with this unit _____

Period of service with any other unit of this type _____

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3. Strength: *Off *Nurses *X *Lt O *E Civ Total

a. T/O * E or T/O

b. Total authorized
by *D if different
from T/O * E or T/O
(Include specific
allotment here).

c. Authorized for
this movement by
*D *E including any
overstrength *E

d. Actual movement strength.

When applicable indicate male or female.

*Indicate *E or *E. **Includes PT's and HD's.

*E *D authorization. *See paragraph 12a (2) of Annex 3. (Note: See
paragraph 30 of (DNR) Redeployment Circular No. 14).

4. Specialist vacancies which cannot be filled by personnel readiness date with
qualified personnel essential to the performance of the unit's primary mission
and for which requisition, to bring the unit to T/O or authorized *D strength (see
paragraph 3a (or 3b if used) above, will have to be submitted upon arrival of the
unit in the United States.

Number	Grade	*SSN	Number	Grade	*SSN	Number	Grade	*SSN
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*SSN used will be the SSN applicable to the MOS.
(Continue listings on reverse side or use enclosure if necessary).

5. Length of time personnel have served with unit:

_____ % Officers,	_____ % less than one (1) month
_____ % Officers,	_____ % more than one (1) month; less than three months
_____ % Officers,	_____ % more than three (3) months.

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6. Medical Personnel: Personnel of this unit (have) (have not) been screened in compliance with Paragraph 6, Section II, Inclosure No. 1 to Annex B, Redeployment Movements. Of the total personnel authorized for this movement by TD 1/2, _____ of the officers and _____ of the enlisted men are physically and mentally qualified for further overseas service in an active theater of operations.

7. Training: With due consideration being given to the standards of training prescribed for this type unit prior to its departure from the Zone of Interior for overseas service; to current War Department training directives; to the missions assigned the unit and the assignment and experience of the personnel thereof during overseas service; and to the additional training given in preparing the unit for redeployment, this unit and the individuals, specialists, technicians, crews, sections and teams thereof (are) (are not) qualified in all functions essential to the performance of the unit's primary missions in an active theater of operations. (If the unit or any of the individuals or elements thereof are not completely qualified, indicate below the deficiencies in detail and the type and amount of additional essential training required in such a manner that the information provided can be used as a basis for subsequent training plans.)

8. Firing:

a. Status of qualification firing with individual weapons is as follows:

Type of Weapons	No. so Armed	No. who have fired	Courses fired	Per cent Qualified
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b. Status of firing with crew-served weapons is as follows:

<u>Type of Weapon</u>	<u>No. of such Crews</u>	<u>No. of Crews Who Have Fired</u>	<u>Course fired</u>	<u>Per cent Qualified (if applicable)</u>
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c. Status of familiarization firing: The following percentages of assigned personnel have not fired within the past 12 months familiarization courses with the following types of weapons with which at least 10% of the unit is armed.

<u>Type of Weapon</u>	<u>Per cent Not Fired</u>
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9. Equipment: All equipment authorized the unit for the movement is suitable and serviceable for training, with combat serviceable substituted where available. "Report of Equipment Authorized for Return," has been submitted in accordance with Circular 73, WD, 1945. (Note: See paragraph 10d (3) MTOUSA Redeployment Circular No. 14).

10. Assigned Missions: This unit performed primary missions consistent with the basic purpose for which organized for _____ months. Indicate any inconsistent missions which the unit was assigned and the periods of performance.

11. Summary: This unit (will) (will not) be qualified to perform all phases of its primary missions by the personnel readiness date. If the unit will not be fully qualified, indicate below the reasons therefore.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL, _____;

Distribution:

1. ACoS, OPD, DTS (original and 1 copy)
2. CG of Major Command concerned - 2 copies

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APPENDIX "C" to . . MTOUSA Redeployment Circular #14.

MINIMUM ESSENTIAL EQUIPMENT

1. a. Personnel will be issued clothing and individual equipment within the allowances prescribed in Table of Equipment No. 21, 1 January 1945, as prescribed or modified in each case by the Overseas Movement Orders of the unit.

b. Each unit will be furnished organizational equipment in accordance with the Table of Equipment prescribed in the Overseas Movement Orders of the unit.

c. The following items of individual and organizational equipment, if authorized by and in the amounts authorized by the Table of Equipment of the unit, constitute minimum essential equipment and will accompany the unit to overseas destination. Additional items falling within the limitations of MEE will accompany the unit, if directed in Overseas Movement Order.

2. ARMY AIR FORCES

Bag, assembly-flyers' clothing, Type B-4.
Bag, aviator's kit.
Glasses, flying, sun (AAF units only).
Goggles, assembly, flying.
Goggles, flying, winter and summer.
Headsets.
Helmet, flying, summer.
Helmet, flying, intermediate.
Jacket, flying, winter, (AGF units only).
Jacket, flying, intermediate.
Kit, bombardier.
Kit, navigation, celestial.
Kit, navigation, pilot.
Mask, oxygen.
Microphone.
Shoes, flying, winter.
Suit, flying, summer.
Toolkits of the type normally issued to individuals.
Trousers, flying, intermediate.
Vest, life preserver.
Watch, hack.

Additional authorized items listed in the appropriate itemized Baggage.

Lists (IBL'S) - specified in movement orders.

3. CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

Covers, protective, individual.
Eyeshields, M1.
Impregnate, shoe, M1 (8 oz. can)*
Kit, ointment, protective, M5.
Kit, repair, gas mask, universal.
Mask, gas.

* To be carried in duffel bags of enlisted personnel and hand baggage of officers.

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4. ENGINEER

Compass, wrist, liquid-filled.
Compass, lensatic, luminous dial type.
Knife, pocket, Engineer, 4 blade, w/clevis.

5. MEDICAL

Brassard, Geneva Convention.
Ghest, medical, 1 and 2.
Ghest, flight, service, complete.
Ghest MD. No 60. (SURE)
Kit, Dental (officer; pvt).
Kit, medical, (officer, NCO; pvt).
Kit, medical, parachutist.
Kit, suction, snake bite.
Kit, veterinary (officer; NCO; pvt).
Packet, first-aid.

6. ORDNANCE

Binoculars.
Clock, message center
Knife, trench, M3, with scabbard (or bayonet knife, M4, when authorized to replace the knife, trench, M3). (See paragraph 10 below).
Shotgun, riot type.
Watch, pocket or wrist.
Organizational spare parts, tools, and equipment for individual weapons (in addition to accessories).
Individual weapons (carbines, rifles, automatic rifles, pistols, submachine guns), with accessories.
Tool kits of the type normally issued to individuals.

7. QUARTERMASTER

T/E 21 clothing and equipment
Ax, intrenching, w/handle and carrier.
*Ax, handled, chopping, single bit, 4-lb. (See paragraph 12 below.)
Bag, carrying, ammunition.
Bag, money; leather.
Bag, canvas, water, sterilizing c/s cover and hanger.
Bar, insect, field.
Bucket, 14-qt., general-purpose.
Can, water, 5-gal (50 per cent of authorized allowance).
Can, corrugated.
Case, brief, leather.
Case, canvas, dispatch.
Case, carrying, map.
Ghest, weaved, fiber.
Desk, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (CM items only).
Drum, inflammable liquid (gasoline) steel (empty) w/carrying handle, capacity 6 gal. (for field ranges only).
Flags (including colors, standards and guidons)

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Glasses, sun.
Heater, immersion type for cans, corrugated (authorized substitute heater, water, for range, field).
Insect repellent.
Kit, repair (for field range).
Lantern, gasoline or kerosene.
Machete, 18-inch, w/sheath.
Machine, coin counting.
Machine, computing, listing and nonlisting.
Machine, duplicating, spirit, stencil or gelatin process.
Machine, embossing, complete w/plate and roller.
Machine, numbering.
Machine, paper-fastening, lever or plunger type, wire staple, preformed light duty.
Machine, stencil cutting, 1-inch non-adjusting.
Musical instruments, band.
Outfit, chaplain.
Outfit, officers' mess, complete.
Perforator.
*Pick, handled, railroad, 6 to 7 lb. or mattock, handled, pick, type II, class F, 5 lb. (See paragraph 12 below).
Pick, mattock, intr trenching, w/handle and carrier.
Plates, distinguishing, auto.
Range, field, complete with authorized accessories.
Roll, commissary, complete, or chest commissary (as authorized).
Ruler, office, 18-inch.
Safe, field, key lock or combination lock.
*Screen, latrine, od, complete w/pins and poles. (See paragraph 12 below.)
Seal official.
Selector, qualification card.
Sharpener, office, pencil.
Shears, office, bankers, 9-inch.
*Shovel, CP, D-handled, strapback, round point, No 2 (See paragraph 12 below).
Shovel, intr trenching, w/carrier.
Sling, color web, od.
Stamp, rubber, official.
Stamp, time recording.
Stencil outfits, complete w/figures and letters.
Stone, sharpening, hand, for machetes.
Stylus, ball point.
Stylus, medium loop.
*Tent, kitchen, flyproof. (See paragraph 12 below.)
*Tent, squad. (See paragraph 12 below.)
Tool kit, (w/tools), band instrument repair (brass and woodwind).
Tool kits, of the type normally issued to individuals.
Tool set (w/tools) carpenters, No 1 or No 2.
Trumpet, G, w/slide to F.
Typewriter, portable and non-portable (QM items only).
Whistle, thunderer.

*See paragraph 12 below for the quantity of this item to accompany units as Minimum Essential Equipment.

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8. SIGNAL

Cryptographic equipment (set for Div, Corps, and Army).
Flashlight, TL-122.
Telephone, field, HXS (1) (2 only per company or similar unit).
Wire, field (1 mile only, 1110 w/reel per company or similar unit).

9. RECORDS AND REFERENCE MATERIAL

This material will be reduced to minimum essential items, including the following:

Company or similar unit
Army Regulations (as prescribed in AR 310-200)
Company Punishment Record (applicable to men actually present only).
Council Book (with vouchers from the date of last inspection by an inspector general only.)
Daily Sick Report (preceding 6 months only)
Duty Rosters (preceding 3 months only)
Morning Reports (preceding 6 months only)
Orders, company (essential current orders only).
Property Book (all).
SUL'S, SF catalogs, as necessary
T/O & E's, T/O's, T/E's, or SLOE's as necessary.
Complete file of essential training literature, including but not limited to Technical and Field Manuals.
Essential documents, circulars, and bulletins.

Regimental separate battalion or similar headquarters, personnel officer. (See paragraph 36e for disposition of personnel records when traveling by air).
Army Regulations (as prescribed in AR 310-200)
Extracts from Service Records (for former members of organizations who have been transferred, discharged, etc).
Officer and Warrant Officer Qualification Card, DD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2 and 66-3.
Pay Rolls and Pay Vouchers, retained copies (preceding 6 months).
Service Records, with authorizations of Class B allotments for purchase of War Savings Bonds, DD AGO Form 29-6, and other documents which are attached to the Service Record as provided in TM 12-230.
Soldiers Qualification Card, DD AGO Form 20.

Regimental or similar headquarters, Adjutant.

Army Regulations (as Prescribed in AR 310-200)
Directives, current only
Message Center Log
Orders, regimental, file.
T/O & E's as necessary
Essential documents, circulars and bulletins.

When moving as a separate organization, also see records prescribed for the personnel officer of regimental or similar headquarters.

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10. MISCELLANEOUS

Investigative equipment for CIC detachments.
 Training aids (not to exceed 200 pounds, per company or similar organizations, See Circular 187 WD 44).
 Two pounds per individual of emergency expendable supplies, including cleaning and preservative materials, in accordance with the provisions of Circular 95 WD 44.

11. This paragraph is specific authorization for the issue at the port of aerial embarkation of one knife, trench, M3, with scabbard, or the bayonet knife, M4, when authorized to replace the knife, trench, M3, for individuals moving overseas by air (except chaplains and medical personnel) when such authorization is not provided.

12. The quantity of the items marked with an asterisk (*) in paragraph 7 of this appendix, to accompany units as Minimum Essential Equipment is prescribed below. This paragraph is specific authorization for issue of the following items when such authorization is not otherwise provided.

a. Each company or similar organization which is authorized cooking facilities for its overseas movement is authorized one each of the items listed below, when placed under overseas movement orders. Each such company or similar organization consisting of more than 250 individuals (for example, a 1,000 bed hospital) is authorized one each of these items for each 250 individuals, or major fraction thereof.

(1) Tent, kitchen, flyproof (fly, tent, wall, large, will be issued pending availability of tent, kitchen flyproof).

(2) Screen, latrine.

(3) Tent, squad (tent, pyramidal, ed, w/pins and poles to be issued until exhausted.)

(4) Ax, with handle.

(5) Pick or pick mattock, with handle.

(6) Shovel.

b. Each company or similar organization of 30 or more individuals which is not authorized cooking facilities for its overseas movement is authorized one each of the items listed below, when placed under movement orders. Each such company or similar organization consisting of 150 or more individuals is authorized in addition to these items, one tent, squad (tent, pyramidal, ed, w/pins and poles, to be issued until exhausted.)

(1) Screen, latrine.

(2) Ax, with handle.

(3) Pick or pick mattock, with handle.

(4) Shovel.

c. Each company or similar organization to which female personnel are assigned or attached is authorized one screen, latrine, in addition to the tentage authorized by a and b above.

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13. Special Measurement Clothing.

- (1) Prior to departure of a unit for direct redeployment requisitions for maintenance requirements for a period of 6 months for special measurement clothing, including special measurement leather footwear, for personnel of the unit will be submitted to the U.S. port of embarkation responsible for the supply of the theater of destination, by the unit commander through channels to Hq. MTOUSA for forwarding.
- (2) For each enlisted man requiring special measurement leather footwear, such units will have, either available in the unit for issue or on order, that part of authorized allowance of such special measurement leather footwear which is in excess of the quantity authorized to be in the possession of such individuals. (See T/E 21 and AR 615-40).
- (3) Items referred to in (1) and (2) above, received after the departure of the unit will be shipped to the individuals concerned at the APO address of the unit in the theater of destination.

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APPENDIX "D" to MT. JA Redeployment Circular #14.

MINIMUM ESSENTIAL EQUIPMENT

(Movement to United States)

1. Personnel will be issued clothing and individual equipment within the allowances proscribed in "D Circular 72, 1944, except as modified in special cases by Movement Orders of the unit. Clothing and equipment accounts will be adjusted in accordance with the C and E Adjustment Form proscribed in Circular 72.
2. In the case of units returning to the United States for redeployment or for reversion to the strategic reserve, remaining items of combat serviceable clothing and individual equipment, in the possession of units and authorized in the Column of T/E 21, 1 January 1945 (Mandatory Allowances only), under which the unit is equipped, will be packed, marked and shipped with other unit impedimenta. Only items authorized in Circular 72 will be in the possession of individuals at time of movement.
3. Only the following items of organizational equipment, within authorized allowance of the unit (T/O & E), are authorized for any unit returning to the United States, except where additional items are specifically authorized in Movement Orders of the Unit.

a. Organizational equipment normally issued to individuals.

Brassards
Flashlight, FL-122
Flying clothing and equipment
Trumpet, G, w/slide to F
Whistle, thunderer.

b. Administrative equipment.

Bag, money, leather
Case, brief, leather
Case, canvas, dispatch
Chest, flight, service, complete
Chest, medical, 1 and 2 (Optional)
Chest, record, fiber
Colors, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (T items only)
Kit, barber, w/case
Kit, dental (Officers; privs.)
Kit, medical (Officers; privs.)
Machine, computing, listing and non-listing.
Machine, duplication, spirit or stencil process
Machine, numbering
Machine, paper fastening, wire staples
Outfits, chaplain
Perforator
Ruler, office, 18-inch
Safe, field, key lock
Seal, official
Selectory qualification card
Sharpener, office, pencil
Sling, color, web, rod
Stamp, rubber, official

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Stamp, time recording
Stylus, medium loop
Typewriters, portable and non-portable.

c. To be packed, packed and shipped by the unit as organizational impediments.

Individual weapons, with accessories therefor
Gas masks, only when fitted with eyeglasses, gas mask, M spectacle
AAF kits issued to individuals in accordance with T.O. CG-30 Series
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Helmet, steel with liner

Other items if directed by Movement Orders.

Publications and reference material (such as Army Regulations, E.D.
Circulars, SLL's, Training Manuals, etc.)

Small gun repair kits.

Training aids not to exceed 200 lbs per company or similar unit.

d. Expendable supplies such as the items listed below as authorized depending upon the estimated length of journey and the strength of the unit concerned.

Allowances of these items are prescribed in Circular 1-18, CGM, and the ASF Catalog SIC 4-1. Expendable supplies will not exceed in weight 2 pounds per individual in each unit.

Blank forms
C and P materials
Clips, paper
Envelopes
Folders, Manila
Paper, bond
Paper, carbon
Paper, onion skin
Pencils.

e. Individual Arms

(1) Individual arms as prescribed in (3) above will accompany units returning to the United States for redeployment or for reversion to the strategic reserve.

(2) Only individual arms necessary for possible guard duty while aboard a transport will accompany units returning to the United States for demobilization.

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APPENDIX "E" to JTOUS. Redeployment Circular #14

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONDUCT OF SCREENING TYPE
PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS (SEE PARAGRAPH 9).

1. The following procedure will be used in conducting the screening type physical examination referred to in paragraph 9:

a. General Instructions:

(1) Officers and enlisted personnel will be examined in separate groups.

(2) A medical history will be obtained on each individual, covering such data as serious illness, injuries, or operations since entering the service. Further specific inquiry should be made if subjective symptoms or other evidence of disease warrant. When indicated, appropriate special examination, or laboratory procedures such as X-ray or serology may be accomplished in order to confirm or negate physical or dental defects suspected as a result of data furnished in the medical history.

(3) The eyes and ears will be tested routinely for visual and auditory acuity.

(4) X-rays, blood serology, and other special studies will not be made routinely. If physical findings or the medical history indicate their need, however, such procedures will be carried out.

(5) In order that extended periods of observation of the individual's physical condition and performance in the field might be given due consideration, in the interpretation of the physical findings of the examination and to conserve personnel, medical and dental officers assigned or attached to, or normally serving, the unit being examined will perform the examinations, insofar as practicable.

b. The Unit Commander will be responsible for:

(1) Entering the name, grade, serial number and age on WD AGC Form Number 63 worksheet, in the case of officers, and WD AGC Form Number 91 worksheet in the case of enlisted personnel.

(2) Forwarding to the medical examiner the worksheets referred to in (1) above, WD AGC Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, in the case of officers, and WD AGC Form 20, in the case of enlisted personnel.

c. The medical examiner will be responsible for:

(1) Rendering a decision as to whether the individual is or is not physically qualified for further overseas service.

(2) Completing the profile serial on the worksheet in the case of all enlisted personnel. 4830

(3) Recording briefly in non-technical language the physical defect and the limitations in assignment which it creates.

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(4) Recording the results of the physical examination on the worksheets. It is not contemplated that each item on the worksheets will be completed routinely. Appropriate remarks will be recorded only when, in the opinion of the examiner, such items should be made a part of the record in order to determine the individual's physical fitness for general or limited military duty or to assist in accomplishing a proper profile serial for enlisted personnel.

(5) Forwarding to the unit commander the completed worksheets and the qualification cards.

d. The Unit commander will be responsible for transcribing the profile serial and the required description in non-technical language of any defect and the limitations on assignment which it creates, from the worksheet to the WD AGO Form Number 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3, in the case of officers, and the WD AGO Form Number 20 and 24 in the case of enlisted personnel. The work sheet will then be attached to the form 66-1, 66-2 and 66-3 in the case of officers and the WD AGO forms number 20 and 24 in the case of enlisted personnel.

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APPENDIX "F-1" to LTOUSA Redeployment Circular #14

UNIT COMMANDERS SHORTAGE LIST
CONTROLLED EQUIPMENT SECTION
ORDNANCE

265th Inf.

1 June 1945

Shipment Number: R1234-A

Based on: T/O & E, 7-11 to 7-14 inclusive and 7-16 to 7-19 inclusive
28 Feb 1944 with 2 changes.

Impedimenta readiness date: 1 July 1945.

Estimated date of arrival in theater of destination:

(to be filled in by Hq LTOUSA)

1. I certify that all authorized items of equipment are on hand, in combat serviceable condition, except as listed below.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

JOHN J. JONES
Colonel, Inf.

Item No.	Stock No.	Nomenclature and model	Unit	Allowance	On hand	short- age
1		Launcher, Rocket 2.36" M9A1	ea	112	0	47
2		Launcher, Rocket 2.36" M9	ea	0	(a)65	(a)
3		Finder, Range M9A1	ea	6	2	4
4		Howitzer, 105-mm M3, SB with carriage, M3	ea	6	3	3
5		Mortar, 81-mm M1 with mount M1	ea	18	13	5

Note that there
are no stock numbers to be
entered for these particular
items

(a) Authorized substitute included in amount of authorized item on hand.

(DO NOT LIST ANY T/O 21 ITEMS, ACCESSORIES, OR MISSING PARTS OF SETS)

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APPENDIX "F-2" MTOUSA Redeployment Circular #14

UNIT COMMANDERS SHORTAGE LIST
CONTROLLED EQUIPMENT SECTION
SIGNAL

1 July 1945

265th Inf.
Shipment Number: R5678-B
Based on: SLOC, SPX 400 (28 Feb 44) CB-S-SIMOO-M, 28 February 1944 and
2 changes.

Impediments readiness date: 1 July 1945

Estimated date of arrival in theater of destination:

(to be filled in by Hq. MTOUSA)

The following list has been examined by me and is forwarded.

1. I certify that all authorized items of equipment are on hand, in combat serviceable condition except as listed below.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

R. F. GREENE
Colonel, FA,

Item No.	Stock No.	Nomenclature and model	Unit	Allowance	On Hand	Shortage
1.	6A3590	Panel set #P50	ea	112	100	12
2.	6028205	Climbers LC5	ea	18	10	8

(DO NOT LIST ANY T/E 21 ITEMS, ACCESSORIES, OR MISSING PARTS OF SETS).

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CONSOLIDATED PACKING LIST, IMPEDIMENTA MOVED TO PORT OF EMERGENCY

SHIPMENT RI234-B
CONSOLIDATED PACKING LIST

SHIPPED TO: PORT TRANS O
MARSEILLES PS
MARSEILLES, FRANCE

IMPEDIMENTA MOVED TO PORT (EXCEPT PROPERTY WORN OR CARRIED BY INDIVIDUALS)

(assembly area)
Identifying Letter - "C"

PCS. SET NO.	TYPE OF PACKAGE	QUANTITY AND ITEM	HEIGHT	CUBS	DATE SHIPPED	INIT. AND NO. CAR OR TRUCK	VESSEL
C1	Box	Message Center Rack & Forms	158	4	15 Jun 45	FLAN 73436	(1)
C2	"	Chest & Message Center Equipment	175	5	"	"	"
C3	"	Message Center Equipment	187	9	"	"	"
C4	"	Message Center Equip. Chest SC-S	184	7	"	"	"
C5	"	Radio Equipment	151	8	"	"	"
C6	"	1 ea Typewriter	51	3	"	"	"
C7	"	Heater, Immersion Type	130	8	"	"	"
C8	"	Radio Equipment	203	11	"	"	"
C9	"	Lithum's Table & Repair Equipment	150	8	"	"	"
C10	"	Chemical Warfare Equipment	124	6	"	"	"
C11	"	Power Unit P2-75	420	16	"	"	"
C12	"	1 ea Range, Field E-1937	400	17	"	"	"
C31	"	Mess Equipment	92	4	"	"	"
Total			5936	206			

12 Trunk Lockers
5 Bedding Rolls

Attached: 24 Packing Lists
To be filled in at the P of E.

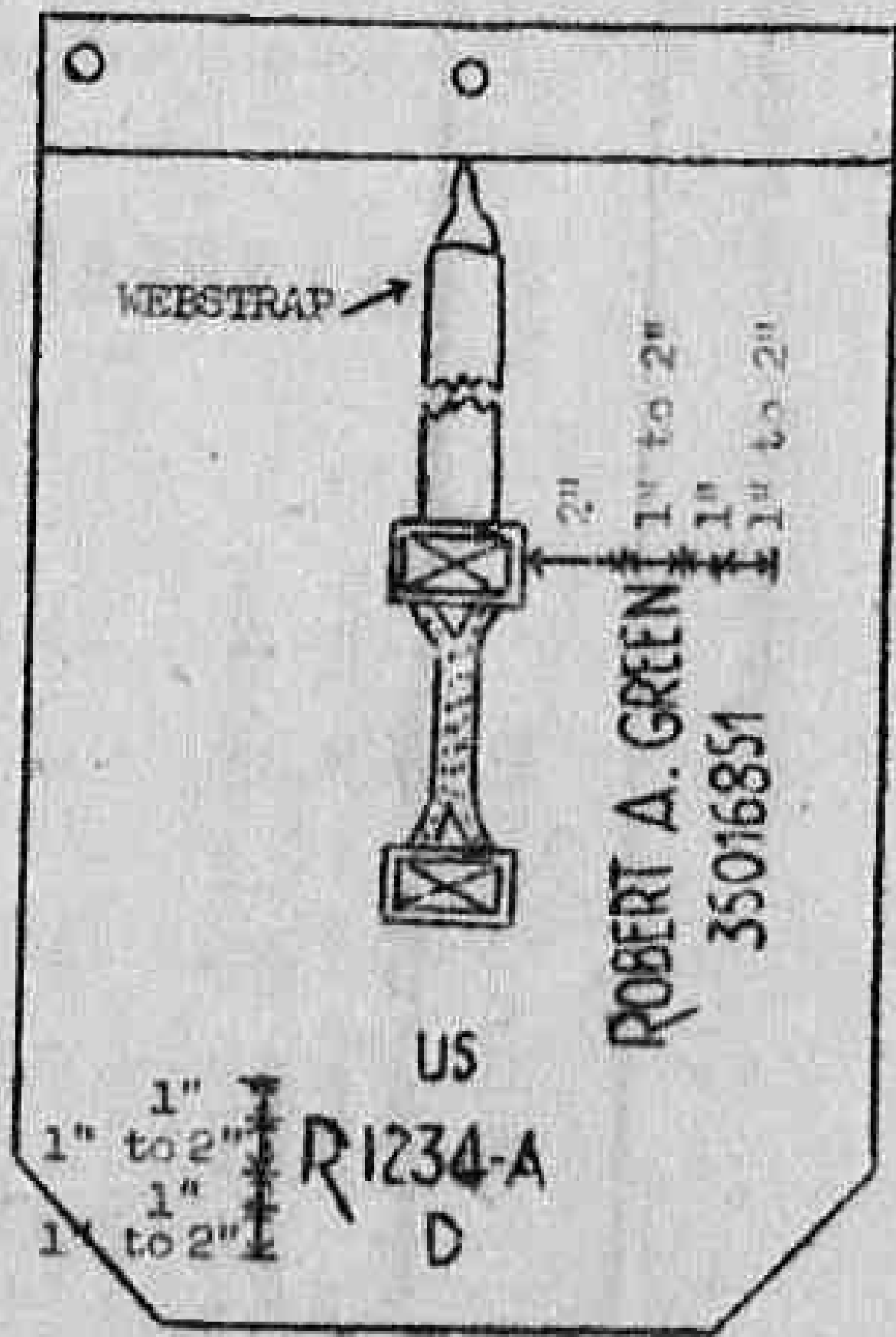
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MARKING OF DUFFEL BAG



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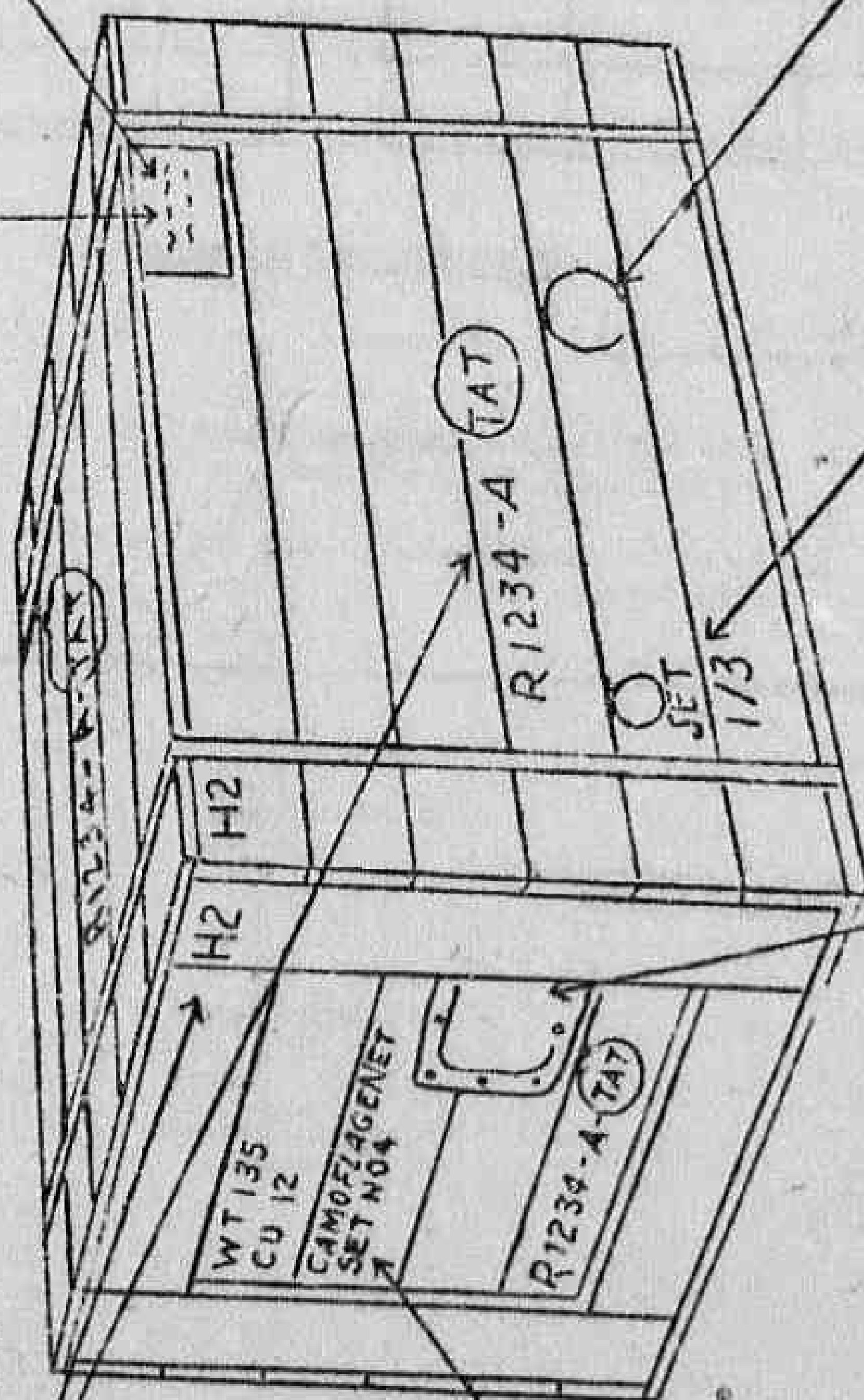
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PACKING OF ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT

TO PORT TRANS O

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MARSEILLES FRANCE

Domestic address label
on one surface of LCL and
LTL shipments

Shipment number and letter
and package number on
three surfaces



Weight, cube,
and content
on each surface

3-inch yellow disk on
packages which must
be accessible during
the voyage

2-inch red disk
and set designation
on one surface

Packing list protected by
covering plate in protected
location

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AMEMB "J" MCUSA Redeployment Circular #14

SHIPMENT DATA FORM

PERSONNEL

Date _____ Unit _____ Parent Org. _____ Base Section _____

Shipment #	Unit Designation	Location	T/O	Off.	Nurses	M.O.	E.I.	Total

Organizational Equipment

WT - Tons (2240 lbs)

Cubic Feet

- Note: 1. This will include only organizational equipment LESS VEHICLES and equipment loaded therein.
2. Indicate exact WT. and Meas. for each box or crate exceeding five tons.

VEHICLES

No. of Vehicles

Type and Make

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

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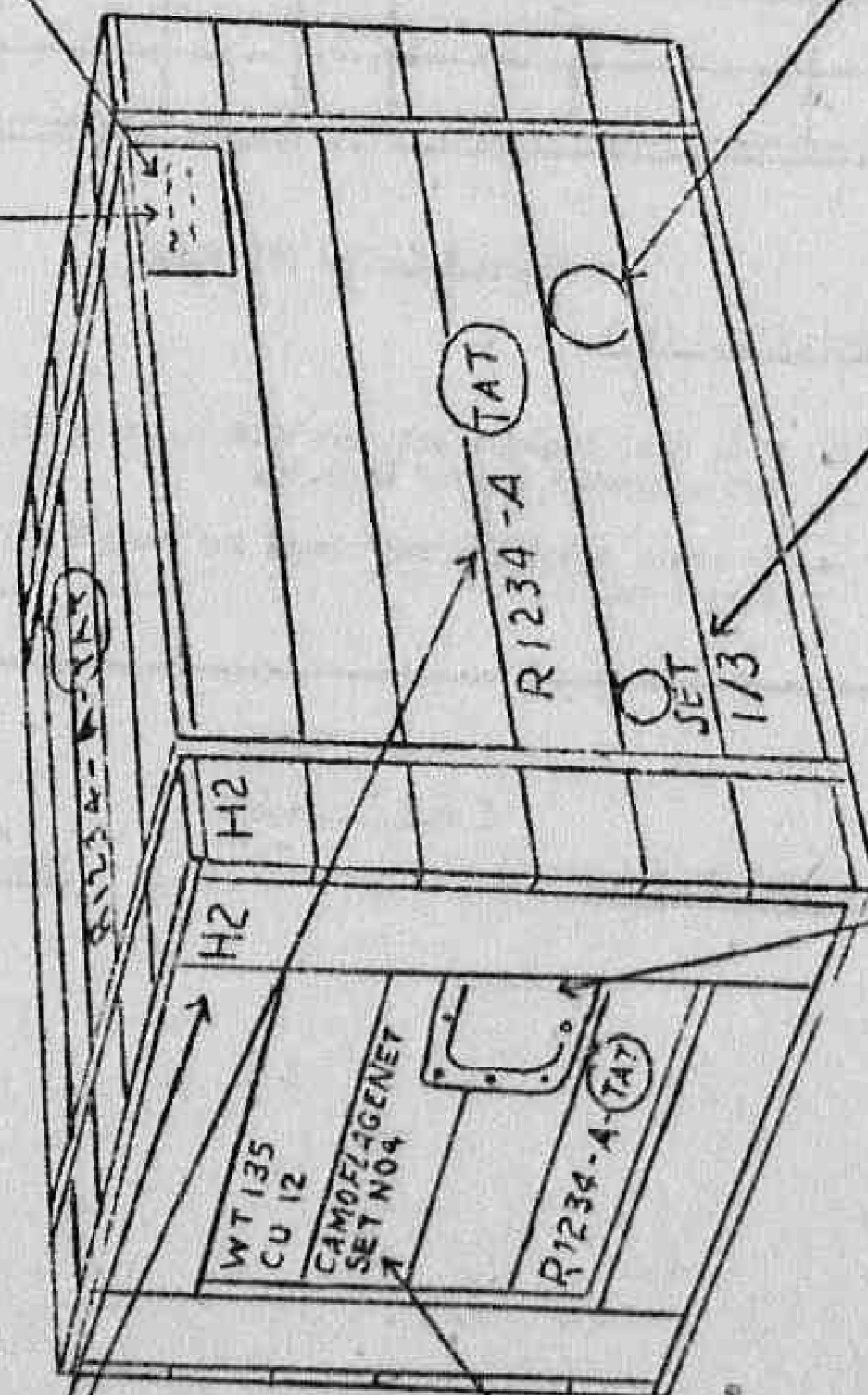
PACKING OF ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT

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Domestic address label
on one surface of LCL and
LYL shipments

MESSILLES P OF E
MESSILLES FRANCE

Shipment number and letter
and package number on
three surfaces



3-inch yellow disk on
packages which must
be accessible during
the voyage

2-inch red disk
and set designation
on one surface

Packing list protected by
covering plate in protected
location

Weight, cube,
and content
on three surface

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AFM Form "3" MTOUSA Redeployment Circular #14

SHIPMENT DATA FORM

PERSONNEL

Date _____ Unit _____ Parent Org. _____ Base Section _____

Shipment #	Unit Designation	Location	T/O	Off.	Nurses	W.O.	T.M.	Total

Organizational Equipment

WT - Tons (2240 lbs)

Cubic Feet

- Note:
1. This will include only organizational equipment LESS VEHICLES and equipment loaded therein.
 2. Indicate exact WT. and Cu. Ft. for each box or crate exceeding five tons.

VEHICLES

No. of Vehicles

Type and Make

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

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APPENDIX "K" to MILUS. Redeployment Circular #14.

PERSONNEL RECORDS CHECK LIST

(To be included in Records Jacket or similar container)

(Shipping agency Issuing Orders)

Date

LAST NAME FIRST NAME INITIAL GRADE SEN
BRANCH OF SERVICE FORMER ORGANIZATION
CATEGORY DATE PROCESSED

	YES	NO	RE	7
ALL OFFICERS				
ID Card (WD AG 65 or 65-1) (Carried on Person)				
Qualification Card (WD AG 65-1, 66-2, 66-3)				
Pay Data Card (WD AG 77) (Carried on Person)				
Record of Leave (AR 605-115)				
ALL SELECTED PERSONNEL				
Sol Classification & Qualification Card (WD AG 20)				
Service Record (WD AG 24) with allied papers				
Pay Data Card (WD AG 28) (Carried on Person)				
C and E adjustment Form for Army Cio & Equip (Cir. WD. 20/15)				
Adjusted Service Rating Card (WD AG 163)				
ALL PERSONNEL				
Syphilis Register AGC 8-114 (formerly MD-78) if applicable				
Syphilis Treatment Record WD AG 8-115 (Formerly MD 78a)				
if applicable (carried on person)				
Immunization Register WD AG 8-117 (formerly WMD 81) Duplicate				
(Original on person)				
Board Proceedings, where applicable, properly accomplished				
AAF RATED PERSONNEL				
Cy orders bestowing Aeronautical Rating				
Orders placing personnel on flying status				
Individual Flight Record (WD AAF) with allied papers				
Instrument Pilot Certificate (AAF 8 or 8a) (Carried on person)				
Summary of Bombing (AAF-12-3) (Bomber only)				
Physical Fitness Test and Record (AAF 28a)				
Physical Record Card (WD AAF216) (Carried on Person)				
Standard AAF Medical Statement				
AAF Individual Training Record (Ref AAF R-50-55)				
Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 121)				
PARACHUTE AND GLIDER PERSONNEL				
Cy orders announcing parachutist or glider rating				
Cy orders or certificates placing personnel on parachutist or glider status as required by current regulations				

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KEY:

PCD - US Port of Entry
RS - Reception Station
AS - Final Assignment Station

The above-named personnel records are complete as indicated and are inclosed or are in possession of individual (s) concerned.

Shipping Agency Insert Appropriate Symbol:

X Record inclosed and complete
Ø Record inclosed but incomplete
O Record not inclosed

NAME RANK
Shipping Agency Clearance Officer

APPENDIX 1 to US Army Deployment Circular No. 14

PROCESSING AND PACKING STANDARDS

CHEMICAL WARFARE

1. Items with packages and waterproofing in good condition and in accordance with latest packing specifications giving particular consideration to the 55 lb weight limit required for certain items going to the Pacific Theater, may be shipped direct to other theaters.
2. Items which do not have packages and waterproofing in good condition or do not come within the 55-lb weight limit as specified for certain items will be repackaged in the theater insofar as practicable and if approved by a qualified Chemical Warfare Service inspector, may be shipped direct to other theaters.
3. Equipment of category as specified in paragraph 2, which cannot be processed to meet inspection in theater, will be returned to the United States to the extent of the quantities which are in excess of the continuing needs of the Mediterranean Theater of Operations.
4. List of items to which the 55-lb weight limit applies for the Pacific Theater is not available at this time but will be furnished separately.
5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-144 (US Navy Specification 39 P 16a).

ENGINEERS

1. Items to be shipped to theaters continuing active. Such items will be processed for overseas shipment in accordance with the procedure outlined in TM 5-9711-1 "Instruction for Preparation for Corps of Engineers Equipment for Export", and such Technical Bulletins as have been prepared for specific items. Such Bulletins are in the TB 5 series, have numbers corresponding with those of the Technical Manuals covering the equipment, and are listed in FM 21-6. Spare parts will be processed in accordance with TB 5-9711-1 Preparation for Export Spare Parts for Corps of Engineer Equipment. The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification 100-144 (US Navy Specification 39 P 16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent.
2. Items to be returned to the United States. Such items should be processed with ordinary commercial standards for preparation of such equipment for export shipment. The provisions of Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-144 (US Navy Specification 39 P 16a) will be complied with to the extent pertinent.
3. Items of Engineer explosives authorized in T/O & E and other War Department directives as a component part of engineer sets will not be packed or shipped but will be issued to the units after arrival from stocks in the theater of destination unless Movement Orders specifically direct otherwise (D Circular No. 30, 1945).

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- h. Major items of Engineer equipment for units being redeployed will be prepared for oversea shipment at Engineer Processing and Packing installations adjacent to theater ports of embarkation to be designated by appropriate base commanders.
 - a. Such equipment as is being shipped by Category II units being redeployed directly to another theater will be delivered to the installation as directed by the appropriate base commander, and unit personnel will be furnished as directed to process and/or pack all such equipment, utilizing the facilities and materials provided by the installation under the technical supervision of base personnel. Unit personnel will be responsible for obtaining the necessary data for the preparation of the Shipping Data Form submitted by the unit.
 - b. Major items of equipment accompanying Category II units being redeployed to the United States for station will be processed as indicated above, if directed.
 - c. Base Commanders will be responsible for establishing necessary priorities for receipt and processing of equipment at the processing and packing installations, consistent with the movement of the unit to which such equipment belongs.

MEDICAL

1. Surgical, dental and veterinary instruments will be processed in accordance with one of the procedures outlined below, depending upon materials which may be available, before shipment to the Pacific Area or to the United States.
2. Process Number 1 - This process is extracted from Medical Department Tentative Specification Number 1708, Army Medical Purchasing Officer, dated 15 May 1944.
 - (1) MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP

Material

 - (a) Oil. - Shall be a neutral, mobile, saturated, hydrocarbon oil, meeting the requirements of US Army Specification Number 2-120.
 - (b) Aluminum foil. - Shall be fully annealed, free from mechanical and metallurgical defects, and shall contain not less than 99 per cent aluminum. The thickness of the foil shall be between 0.0006 and 0.0008 inch.
 - (c) Envelope, heat sealing. - Shall be a flat, laminated bag of transparent, heat sealing, regenerated cellulose, consisting of a sheet of 450 M.S.T. 840, or equal, laminated to another sheet of 450 M.S.T. 840, or equal with 18 pounds (three-pound tolerance) per ream (24 x 36 inches 500 sheets) of a permanently elastic, water-vapor-resistant laminating agent.

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(2) DETAIL REQUIREMENTS

- (a) Procedure. - The instruments shall first be thoroughly cleaned by the use of a neutral, chlorine-free, non-lutely volatile, organic solvent, after which they shall be overiried at a temperature of from 215 to 230 F. The following operations shall then be performed in the sequence given.
- (b) Oiling. - The cleaned and dried instruments shall be immersed in the oil described in paragraph -1(e), agitating intermittently to dislodge the air from the crevices, for a period of approximately five minutes. They shall then be removed from the oil bath and suspended to permit the drainage of excess oil.
- (c) Wrapping. - The aluminum foil shall be clamped between the opposing faces of the jaws and between ratchets, and small pieces shall be inserted in the interstices of those instruments having same (for example, in the toggle mechanism of double-action bone forceps). The instruments shall then be wrapped completely in the aluminum foil and the wrapping shall be firmly pressed against the instrument to insure contact over as much of the surface of the instrument as possible. On sharp-pointed instruments, such as scissors, bistouries, etc., the points may be covered with several folds of foil to prevent puncture of outer container. Careful wrapping and pressing of the aluminum foil in the blade area will result in excellent protection, and will not damage the instrument.
- (d) Packaging. - Each such foil-wrapped instrument shall be placed in an individual envelope, of the proper size indicated, described in paragraph -1(e) and shall be so heat-sealed as to form an air and water-tight closure. Certain large instruments, (such as Salfour retractors, plaster shears, or obstetrical forceps) do not readily lend themselves to packaging in the specified envelope. Such instruments may be wrapped, over the aluminum foil, with either Grade 1 or C paper (as per US Army Specification Number 100-14.) in lieu of the cellulose heat-sealed envelopes.
- (e) Marking of envelope. - The envelope shall be imprinted or marked with the following information, or it may be placed on a separate sheet of white paper and placed with the instrument in the bag so that it may be read through the transparent cellulose:

Item Number
 0000000
 Name of Item
 Do not open until ready for use
 Clean before sterilizing.

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(3) METHODS OF INSPECTION, TESTS, ETC.

- (a) Examination for compliance with this specification.
- (b) Integrity of seal - After sealing, the bags shall be tested for air tightness by hand compression.

b. Process Number 2 - The applicable processes described in Section XVI of US Army Specification Number 100-144 may be used in lieu of Process Number 1, if materials are not available for Process Number 1.

- (1) X-Ray machines, laboratory equipment, dental equipment, physiotherapy equipment and hospital equipment, which is subject to rapid deterioration when exposed to the elements, will be processed in accordance with the method outlined in applicable portions of Section V and VI, Army Service Forces Manual H 406, "Corrosion Prevention, Processing and Packaging," dated 11 December 1943.
- (2) Packing will conform with "Army-Navy General Specifications for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment 100-144" insofar as practicable. In this connection, War Department Supply Bulletin SB8-2, "Packing Room Layouts and Packing of Medical Supplies," supplies specific information for packing medical items. This bulletin will be used to supplement Specification 100-144, mentioned above.
- (3) In those instances where materials cannot be obtained to comply with the above described standards, methods will be improvised which will afford reasonable assurance that the articles will reach their destination in sound and usable condition.
- (4) Responsibilities
 - (a) The commanding officers of medical units other than hospital units are responsible for:
 - 1 Examining and turning back to medical supply channels, or otherwise disposing in accordance with applicable policies, of those items not considered fit for transport to another theater or the United States.
 - 2 For effecting minor repairs to the maximum of his facilities.
 - 3 For requisitioning replacement items as required.
 - 4 Preparation of the items for shipment in accordance with the prescribed standards.
 - (b) The commanding officers of hospital units will be responsible for:

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1. Turning back to medical supply channels all medical department components of present hospital assemblies.
2. Requisitioning a replacement hospital assembly when required.

ORDNANCE

1. Processing and packing of Ordnance material for shipment overseas will be in accordance with the following instructions and references:
 - a. (1) Combat vehicles, artillery weapons, all trailers and semi-trailers, and all other vehicles having an Ordnance or commercial type automotive chassis, will be processed and/or packed in accordance with ED 32 9-4 and applicable special packing instructions referred to in PG 1000, entitled "Catalog of Approved Packing Instructions for Major Items and Spare Parts for Ordnance General Supplies," dated 1 March 1945, or latest revision, and as indicated below.
 - (2) General purpose vehicles up to and including two-and-one-half ton (including two-and-one-half ton dump trucks) will be single unit packed. One-quarter ton and one-ton trailers will be packed two per unit. Artillery and all other vehicles (except truck, bomb service, 127, which will be single-unit packed) will be shipped on tracks or wheels.
 - (3) Any equipment peculiar to the Air Corps or Services other than Ordnance, which is mounted upon any of the vehicles and trailers designated above, will be processed for overseas shipment by the organization and/or Service concerned prior to the delivery of such vehicles or trailers to the vehicular processing line.
 - b. SML Groups A, B and F - in accordance with instructions in O3803-A, B and F, TM 9-2854, entitled "Instruction Guide for Ordnance Packaging and Shipping" and other publications available for reference at Ordnance Installations. Assistance will be given by Ordnance packaging teams at all staging and training areas.
 - c. Materials Handling Equipment - in accordance with specifications stated in JOD-1025.
 - d. Ammunition - Process in accordance with Parts II of SMLs P, R, S and T.

Packaging--Ammunition which requires repacking before shipment will be packed according to one of the methods listed on drawings referred to in Parts II of SMLs P, R, S and T. The method selected will be the one most practical for use in HTOUSJ.

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GENERAL

1. Mechanical Items (Mobile Equipment, etc., other than laundry and dry cleaning equipment for fixed installations and fuels and lubricants equipment).

Processing specifications will be found in JCS-1031, Engines; and JCS-1011, Spare Parts.

2. Non-mechanical Items - (Clothing, Equipment, General Supplies).

Existing packing and crating instructions are contained in CJM Packing and Crating Requirements, CR-1.

3. Laundry and Dry Cleaning Equipment for Fixed Installations - Standards will conform to Specification 10-1, dated 7 January 1944. Processing, Packing and Crating Laundry and Dry Cleaning Equipment for Fixed Installations for Overseas Shipment.

4. Fuels and Lubricants Items

Drum, inflammable liquid (gasoline) steel, with carrying handle, capacity 5 gallons -- when shipped empty, ship in bundles of 5 strapped together with steel bands, all plugs to be wrench tight. If filled, ship as single items.

Pump, oil, barrel, motor oil dispensing, 1 quart, 15 to 60 gallon barrels or drums -- pack for overseas shipment as single items.

Pump, barrel, rotary, kerosene or gasoline, with six foot hose and nozzle -- pack for overseas shipment as single item.

Containers, collapsible, all types, all sizes -- must be folded and shipped in the same container in which they were shipped originally.

Hose, gasoline, rubber-metal (all types and sizes) -- coil, wrap in burlap before shipment.

Generator, dry, portable, gasoline engine driven -- pack for overseas shipment according to EA-5-9711.

Twister, wire, bag tie, heavy spring return -- packaged in lots of 6.

Wire, bag tie double loop, 14 gauge, 7" long -- shipped in rolls of 5000 each.

Gasket, filler plug, all types and sizes;	} in packages } not to exceed } 100 pounds in } weight
Plugs, steel drum all types;	
Ties, packing, all types;	
Clips, wire tie, zinc plated	

5. When specific packing specifications are not available, materials should be packed in accordance with Army-Navy General Specification for Packaging and Packing for Overseas Shipment, US Army Specification 100-111 (US Navy Specification 28916-1).

APPENDIX I to HRCM Redeployment Circular No. 14 (Continued)

SIGNAL

1. Items to be Shipped to Active Theaters.

a. Such items will be processed in accordance with pertinent publications. This processing will include corrosion proofing, water-proof packaging and moisture and fungi-proofing of equipments, parts, and supplies as indicated in existing directives, in special publications and technical manuals. Attention is specifically directed to instructions contained in the following:

- (1) TS-SIG-13 "Moisture and Fungi Proofing of Signal Corps Equipment," and changes thereto.
- (2) Sig C Spec 72-0-6 "Signal Pack"
- (3) Sig C Spec 72-0-7 "Standard Pack"
- (4) Sig C Spec 72-0-8 "Packaging Guide"
- (5) Sig C Spec 72-0-9 "Signal Pack Instructions"
- (6) Sig C Spec 72-0-10 "Packaging Guide for Signal Pack"
- (7) US Army Spec No. 100-141 Army-Navy General Specifications
- (8) 137 Manual 14-106—"Corrosion Prevention Processing and Packaging"
- (9) "Requisitioning and Marking Supplies for Overseas Shipments", file reference AS 400.161 (5-12-43)
- (10) Special packaging specifications to be made available.

2. Items to be Returned to Zone of Interior

Such items will be processed as above except that in accordance with existing instructions, moisture and fungi proofing will not be accomplished.

TRANSPORTATION

Processing Standards for shipments of Transportation Equipment should be the same as those employed in making shipments from the United States. In shipments made to another theater this is especially true due to the length of exposure and the climatic conditions to be encountered. Packaging and packing should be in accordance with US Army Specification Number 100-141, 15 February 1943.

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Drums, inflammable, liquid, steel, capacity 55 gallons, ship as single items when shipped full or empty, all plugs wrench tight.

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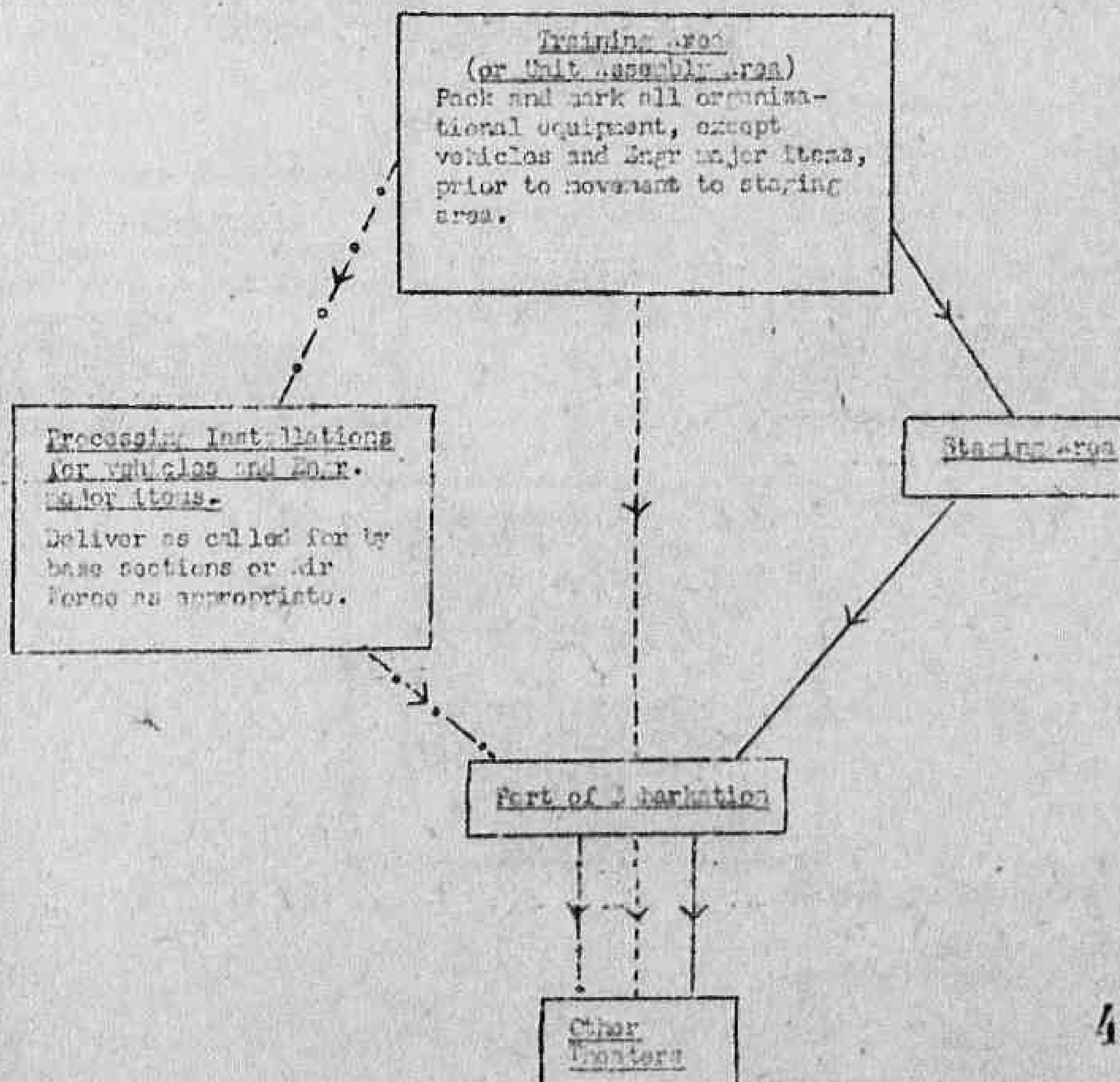
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Appendix "M" to
MIGUEL Redeploy-
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ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT FLOW CHART
(Category II units being redeployed
directly)

LEGEND

- > Minimum essential
equipment accom-
panying units.
- > Balance of organi-
zational equip-
ment
-> Vehicles and Engr.
major items.



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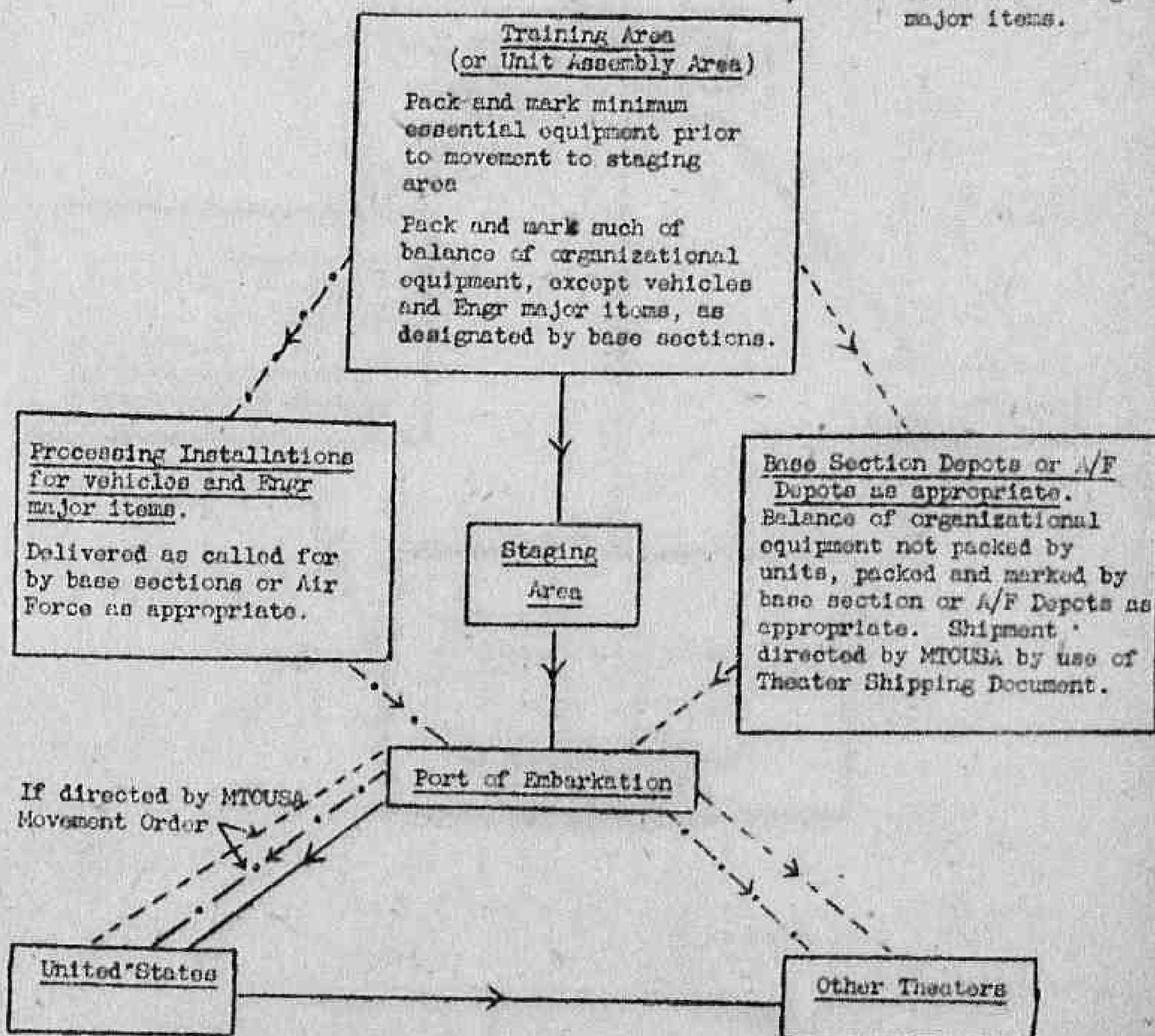
APPENDIX "H" to
MTOUSA Redeployment
Cir #14, 1945

ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIPMENT FLOW CHART

(Category II units being redeployed
thru the U.S.)

LEGEND

- Minimum essential equipment accompanying unit.
- - - - - Balance of organizational equipment.
- Vehicles and Engr major items.



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APPENDIX "C"

to AFMOSA Code Loyalty
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PERSONNEL REGISTER

ROSTER

FOR INSPECTION STATION NO. 2, FORT DIX, N.J.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE AND ARM OR SERVICE</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>CO</u>	<u>MOS NO</u>	<u>ASR SCORE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
MULLER, Frank T.	Lt. Col.	043211	Hq	1193-5	181	641 Spring St., Boston, Mass.
MASSEE, Silas P.	Capt FA	066666	B	1193-7	180	65, 6th Street, Bayonne, N. J.
BELMONT, Samuel B.	Capt CAC	099769	B	1172-7	175	21 Warner Drive, Trenton, N.J.
HOPEMAN, Harry A.	1st Lt	077777	A	1542-8	173	PTD No 5, Gleney Bldg., N.Y.
HEADLESS, Charles D.	St Lt	088888	C	1542-9	169	196 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn, N.Y.
MANSFIELD, Thomas A.	2d Lt Cav	099962	A	1620-9	198	207 Lindbergh Ave. Newport, Del.
**	**	**		**	**	**
JONES, William	S Sgt FA	1234567	Hq	502	187	145 Railroad St. Watertown, N.Y.
FREED, Emanuel M.	Sgt FA	7654321	C	502	161	207 Van Buren St., Brooklyn, N.Y.
MARTIN, John P.	Cpl	2345678	B	405	182	607 Burnett Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.
AARON, Joseph P.	Pfc CAC	8432123	C	835	180	2105 38th St, Long Island, N.Y.
ADAMS, John L.	Pfc Sig C	5556667	B	569	167	450 Court St, Utica, N.Y.
BOBO, Robert H.	Pfc	8888562	C	014	167	86 Ocean Ave, Jersey City, N.J.
CARROLL, Arthur H.	Pfc FA	9994443	A	844	163	RFD #2, Rome, N.Y.
HOCK, George T.	Pfc FA	5432123	B	844	172	RFD #1, Rome, N.Y.
ANDERSON, Christian	Pvt Inf	32024076	B	745	174	Penn Ave, Medford L.I., N.Y.
CRUCY, Henry J.	Pvt FA	32823385	B	844	177	19 Tompkins Ave Yonkers, N.Y.
CRESPO, Julio	Pvt Inf	30163917	D	745	179	302-423 3rd Ave, New York, N.Y.
MURPHY, Joseph F.	Pvt Cav	33113850	C	1736	184	416 15th St Dever Falls, N.Y.
FARWELL, Joseph T.	Pvt CAC	33178872	A	835	183	141 Christmont Rd, Binghamton, N.Y.
GIMLER, William A.	Pvt Sig C	12017988	B	560	169	Rockkonkonn, L.I., N.Y.
KING, Thomas J.	Pvt	6765651	C	745	186	133-01 Sanford Ave., Flushing, N.Y.

(List remaining members of unit to be assigned to this group)

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- Note 1: Prepare similar lists for each reception station accounting for all members of the unit. The list for each reception station will be prepared on a separate stencil or group of stencils.
- Note 2: The format illustrated may be modified to permit use of addressing equipment to impress data on stencils provided all information indicated is given. The following is required: (1) Names will be listed in the first column; (2) addresses will be listed in the last column; and (3) a minimum 1 1/2 inches space will be left on the right of the list to permit, when practicable, re-use of the stencils for other purposes at installations in the United States.

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The Adjutant General's Office
Washington 25, D.C.

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2 May 1945

SUBJECT: Revision of Annex B "Redeployment Movements".

TO: * * * * *
The Commanding Generals,
Theaters of Operations
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1. Reference is made to letter, AG 320.2 (15 Feb 45)OB-S-E-M, 27 February 1945, subject: Policies and Procedures Governing the Redeployment of the Army Upon Cessation of Hostilities in Europe.
2. The inclosed Annex B (First Revision) Redeployment Movements supersedes Annex B furnished as inclosure to letter AG 3705 (24 Nov 44)OB-S-E-M, 29 November 1944, subject: War Department Policies and Procedures Governing the Redeployment of the Army Upon Cessation of Hostilities in Europe.

By order of the Secretary of War:

1 Incl
As listed above

s/ J. A. ULIO
t/ J. A. ULIO
Major General
The Adjutant General

AG 370.01/612 2-0

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HEADQUARTERS MTOUSA, APO 512, 13 May 1945.

TO: All Concerned.

For your information and compliance.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCWHARTNEY:

1 Incl
n/c

C. W. Christensen
C. W. CHRISTENSEN
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCARNEY:

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s/ J. A. ULIO
c/ J. A. ULIO
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The Adjutant General

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2 - G-2
10 - G-3
12 - G-4
8 - IG
2 - Surgeon
1 - JA
5 - MATM
5 - Dyr
5 - Signal Sec
5 - Guidance
5 - Tpn (A)
5 - GI
5 - CWS
2 - AG Planning Committee

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REDEPLOYMENT MOVEMENTS

*ANNEX B (FIRST REVISION)

Procedures for the movement of troops, impedimenta and supplies therefor as will be required for redeployment of troops.

WAR DEPARTMENT 20 APRIL 1945

*Annex B (First Revision) "Redeployment Movements" of Letter AG 320.2 (15 Feb 46) OB-3-E-M, 27 February 1946 subject: Policies and Procedures Governing the Redeployment of the Army Upon the Cessation of Hostilities in Europe.

Annex B (First Revision) supersedes Annex B furnished as inclosure to letter, AG 370.5 (24 Nov 44) OB-3-E-M, dated 23 November 1944, subject: War Department Policies and Procedures Governing the Redeployment of the Army Upon Cessation of Hostilities in Europe.

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POLICIES AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING THE REDEPLOYMENT OF THE
ARMY UPON THE CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES IN EUROPE

ANNEX B (First Revision)

REDEPLOYMENT MOVEMENTS

INDEX

- Section I General
- Section II Troops Under Oversea Movement Orders in the United States,
at Ports, or En Route Overseas.
- Section III Movement of Units Between Theaters (Except to the United States).
- Section IV Units Returning to the United States for Redeployment.
- Section V Inter-theater Movement of Replacements and Individuals.

SECTION I

General

1. Purpose. The purpose of this directive is to revise and supplement existing procedures, and to establish such new procedures for the movement of troops, impedimenta, and supplies therefor as will be required for redeployment of troops during the period of readjustment after the defeat of Germany. Implementing this directive are the following inclosures:

- Inclosure Number 1 - Preparation for Intertheater Movements
- Inclosure Number 2 - Status Reports on units Scheduled for
Redeployment
- Inclosure Number 3 - Preparation for Movement of Replacements
between Oversea Commands

2. Exclusions. The movements of elements of the Army for the purpose of inactivations or disbandments are specifically excluded from this directive, since they are covered in Readjustment Regulations 1-2 (RR 1-2). Likewise, the movement of troops from the United States to oversea commands (except as noted in Section II), and of individuals, including sick and wounded and their attendants, returning to the United States are excluded, since procedures are contained in current War Department directives to which reference is made below.

3. References.

a. Reference is made to the following publications which are supplemented by provisions of this directive:

- (1) AG 370.5 (23 Jun 43) OB-S-E-M, dated 30 June 1943,
subject: Procedure Concerning the Movement of Troops Overseas.

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(2) AG 370.5 (25 Jun 43) OB-S-SPMOT-E-M, dated 30 June 1943, subject: Assignment of Shipment Numbers to Overseas Commanders, as amended.

(3) Circular 73, WD, 1945, subject: Supply of Equipment to Units Returned from Oversea Commands or deleted from Oversea Movement Orders, and Reestablishment of Property Accounts.

(4) Circular 72, WD, 1945, subject: Supply of Clothing and Equipment to Enlisted Personnel Returning from Overseas.

b. Reference is also made to the following publications which relate to certain types of movements, but which are not changed by this directive:

(1) Readjustment Regulations:

RR 1-1, Personnel Plan for Readjustment of Military Personnel After the Defeat of Germany, dated 15 February 1945.

RR 1-2, Personnel Procedure for Readjustment Movements, dated 11 April 1945.

(2) Letter, AG 370.5 (10 Aug 44) OB-S-SPMOT-M, dated 16 August 1944, subject: Procedure for Return of Individuals (Short Title: PRI), with supplements thereto.

(3) Letter, AG 704.11 (3 Jun 44) OB-S-E-SPMOT-M, dated 8 June 1944, subject: Procedure for Evacuation of Patients by Water or Air from Overseas Command.

(4) Letter, AG 704.11 (30 Sep 44) OB-S-E-SPOFF-M, dated 14 October 1944, subject: Priorities for Evacuation of Patients to the United States.

4. Definitions.

a. Unit. For the purposes of this publication, any tactical organization, or administrative and tactical organization.

b. Replacements. Refers to any type of replacement or filler personnel, except air combat crews. Replacements will move under group movement orders.

c. Individuals. Military personnel (not replacements) moving under individual travel orders.

d. Redeployment. Transfer of a unit deployed in an overseas theater to another theater for the purpose of further employment. Redeployment may be:

Direct, from one theater to another, or Indirect, to the United States (including transfer thereto for further oversea movement, for assignment to the strategic reserve, or for employment in the Zone of the Interior).

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e. War Department Movement Directive. Instructions issued by the War Department authorizing or ordering movements for direct or indirect redeployment. Referred to herein as "WD M/D".

f. Assembly Station. The station in the Zone of the Interior at which redeployed units are assembled after rehabilitation, recuperation and recovery of unit personnel. Normally this station will be the new permanent station of the unit.

g. Personnel Centers. Installations operated by the Commanding General, Army Service Forces, under the immediate control of the commanding general of the service command in which located, at which are established, as separate activities, reception stations, separation centers and certain other personnel activities.

h. Reception Stations. Activities within a personnel center operated by the Commanding General, Army Service Forces, under immediate control of the commanding general of the service command in which located, which receive personnel of redeployed units and place them on temporary duty for rehabilitation, recuperation and recovery (or leave or furlough, if so directed).

5. Security. Current security regulations remain in force and will govern security requirements in connection with all movements described herein.

a. Shoulder patches are authorized for wear by personnel of units returning to the United States.

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SECTION II

Troops Under Overseas Movement Orders
in the United States, at Ports, or En Route Overseas.

6. Disposition. When hostilities terminate in an overseas theater, the War Department will proclaim the theater concerned inactive and will issue specific directives covering the disposition of troops under overseas orders for movement thereto. In order to prepare for such directives, the policies set forth in this section are established. These policies are applicable to movement of units, replacements, individuals, and air combat crews to theaters which are proclaimed inactive by the War Department upon termination of hostilities therein; to movement of replacements in individuals to all inactive theaters; and to movement of temporary duty personnel in the United States from all theaters (active and inactive).

a. Units under orders for movement overseas by water transportation, but still at home stations in the United States. Port calls for such units will be cancelled and personnel readiness dates will be suspended pending instructions to be issued by the War Department. Such units will remain at home station and will continue to comply with the provisions of War Department publication: Preparation for Overseas Movement (Short Title: POM) (2d or 3d Edition, as applicable) pending receipt of further War Department instructions; however, packing and marking of equipment will be suspended. Filling of shortages previously reported will be suspended, except as prescribed in the letter cited in paragraph 6g below. Any necessary reequipping of these units for service in another theater will be accomplished as directed by amendments to published War Department movement orders. Such equipment as is needed for administration, bivouac and ad interim training may be unpacked unless contrary instructions are issued by the War Department.

b. Units on route from home stations to ports of embarkation. Such units will continue to ports of embarkation, will return to home stations, or will be diverted to new stations designated by the major command concerned, in accordance with instructions issued by the Commanding General, Army Service Forces, after coordination with the major command. Equipment and supplies of such units will be disposed of as prescribed in the letter cited in paragraph 6g below.

c. Units at ports of embarkation (Water). Such units will remain at ports of embarkation pending instructions to be issued by the War Department for continuation of movement to overseas theater for which they were originally intended, or until removed by War Department order from port of embarkation to a station within the United States, designated by the major command concerned, for further employment. Supplies and equipment of such units will be disposed of in accordance with the provisions of the letter cited in paragraph 6g below. Units loaded aboard vessels which have not cleared from the port will be considered "at a port" within the meaning of this paragraph, and the above provisions will apply to such units.

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d. Units en route by water transportation to an overseas theater. Such units will continue their movement to the overseas theater of destination unless recalled or rerouted. Instructions concerning their disposition will be issued by the War Department to the Commanding General, Army Service Forces. Supplies and equipment not yet shipped from United States ports for such units will be disposed of according to current procedures. Reference is made to letter cited in paragraph 6g below.

e. Units moving overseas by air transportation. Units under overseas orders but still at home station, and units en route to or at ports of aerial embarkation will be held for disposition at home station or at ports, as applicable, pending receipt of instructions from the War Department. Units which have departed from the United States by air transportation will complete their overseas movement.

f. Replacements, individuals, and air combat crews moving overseas. The movement of replacements, individuals, and air combat crews (except personnel in the United States on temporary duty) will be governed by the policies enunciated in paragraphs 6a, b, c, d, and e above. Personnel from all theaters on temporary duty in the United States will be disposed of in accordance with the policies proscribed in Supplement No. 3 to FRI. Air combat crews which have departed by air from the United States will continue their movement unless otherwise directed by the Commanding General, Army Air Forces.

g. Supplies and equipment of units under overseas movement orders. Supplies and equipment authorized in the overseas movement orders of units will be disposed of in accordance with the provisions of letter, AG 400 (9 Mar 45) OB-S-E-SPMOT-M, dated 17 March 1945, subject: Disposition of Equipment and Supplies of Certain Units in the Zone of the Interior upon and after the Defeat of Germany. "Ports of embarkation" as referred to in the above cited letter will be interpreted to include both water and aerial ports.

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SECTION III

Movement of Units Between Theaters (Except to the United States)

7. General. a. Movements between two overseas theaters for the purpose of redeployment will be directed by the War Department. The WD M/D will normally be accompanied by or will make reference to an inclosure (Inclosure No. 1), which will cover standard and general instructions for preparation and movement. Movement orders will be prepared by the commanding general of the theater of origin to implement the provisions of WD M/D and Inclosure No. 1.

b. The procedure for preparing units for overseas movements, as provided in this section, may be prescribed, in specific cases, by the War Department prior to the cessation of hostilities in Europe.

8. Basic Provisions of the WD Movement Directive.

a. Movements by air. For movement of flight echelon of T/O units in the organic aircraft of the unit concerned, and for movement by air of units in aircraft furnished by the Commanding General, Air Transport Command, the WD M/D will include the following basic elements:

- (1) Units, T/Os, and strength.
- (2) Shipment numbers and letters. Four-digit shipment numbers, preceded by the letter "R", will be used.
- (3) Date by which unit will be prepared for movement.
- (4) Theater or command to which assigned with destination therein.
- (5) Immunization requirements.
- (6) Reference to appropriate loading directives.
- (7) Clothing and equipment to be taken.
- (8) Strength, in aircraft and in crews, of unit moving by air.

b. Movements by water. For movements by water, the WD M/D will prescribe the following basic elements:

- (1) Designations, T/Os, and strength of units to move.
- (2) Shipment number and letters assigned to these units. Four-digit shipment numbers, preceded by the letter "R", will be used.
- (3) Provisions for permanent or temporary change of station.
- (4) Method of movement.
- (5) Immunization requirements.

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- (6) Clothing and equipment, including reference to appropriate tables covering organizational equipment of the units concerned and any necessary modifications of these tables.
- (7) Approximate dates for movement.
- (8) Theater or command to which assigned.
- (9) Special instructions to the commanding general of the theater of origin. Such instructions may include provisions regarding the specific method by which the unit and its equipment will be loaded aboard ship and maintenance supplies and equipment to accompany or be shipped for the unit.
- (10) Action (if any) by agencies in the United States in regard to supply of shortages of equipment.
- (11) Other general instructions, as may be required in specific movements.
- (12) Necessary provisions for coordination of movement by air-borne and waterborne elements when the movement involves a combination of movement by air and water, as will normally be the case with those movements indicated in paragraph 8a above.

Note: The shipment of maintenance supplies will normally be covered by a separate War Department directive, rather than by the WD M/D.

9. Responsibilities.

a. The commanding general, theater of origin, will:

- (1) Clear units of all personnel specified for withdrawal by the following documents:
 - (a) Personnel readjustments in accordance with HR 1-1. Particular attention is invited to paragraph 6 d thereof.
 - (b) Disposition of sick, disaffected and otherwise unqualified personnel as prescribed in paragraph 7 of Inclosure No. 1.
- (2) Fill units to authorized T/O strength. Add overstrength, as necessary, if authorized under the following instructions:
 - (a) To compensate for attrition of personnel during movement, units (except air crews in AAF tactical units) will move with an overstrength not to exceed two (2) per cent overstrength for this purpose.

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(b) If readjustment of personnel, as contemplated in paragraph 6d(4), RR 1-1, is not accomplished prior to sailing, units may move with as much as ten (10) per cent overstrength in order to permit the early release of personnel with scores equal to or above the critical score who could not be released before sailing. This ten (10) per cent overstrength will include the two (2) per cent overstrength indicated above.

(c) AAF tactical units are authorized up to one hundred (100) per cent overstrength in air crews. In addition to this overstrength, air crews are authorized the ten (10) per cent overstrength indicated in paragraph (2)b above, but are not authorized the two (2) per cent overstrength indicated in paragraph (2)a above.

(3) Prepare all personnel of units designated for overseas movement.

(a) Such preparation will include compliance with appropriate medical provisions of Inclosure No. 1, Circulars 223, and 276, WD 1943, Circular 453, WD 1944 and AR 615-250.

(4) Furnish clothing and individual equipment for all units as prescribed in WD M/D.

(5) Furnish organizational equipment for the movement in accordance with the provisions of appropriate equipment tables as indicated in and as modified by, the WD M/D, and ship such equipment with troops or separately as provided in the WD M/D. Shortages of organizational equipment will be furnished under the procedures established in Inclosure No. 1.

(6) Superintend the packing, marking, documentation and shipment of organizational equipment for units in accordance with instructions contained in Inclosure No. 1.

(7) Submit requisitions to The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D. C. for any shortages of personnel which cannot be filled in the theater and furnish copies of these requisitions to theater of destination. Replacements to fill these shortages will be moved to the theater of origin or to the theater of destination as determined by the War Department.

(8) Prepare and distribute Theater Shortage Lists covering organizational equipment not available in the theater of origin as prescribed in paragraph 11 of Inclosure No. 1.

(9) Prepare and distribute status reports as prescribed by the War Department (report forms and distribution are included in Inclosure No. 2)

(10) Two (2) months prior to the first day of the month in which units are shown as required in the current edition of WD document "Redeployment Forecast", or related instructions, furnish the War Department one radio report which indicates the estimated status of training of all units by the above date. (For example, if the 1st, 5th and 10th Infantry have been designated to fill a requirement in September, the report will reach the War Department by 1 July indicating the estimated status of training of these units on 1 September). From the time that the Redeployment Forecast is declared in effect, and until the normal time interval of two months can be established, this radio report will be made to the War Department at the earliest practicable date.

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follows:

(a) This report will be divided into two sections as

1. Section I will list all units by designation which will be prepared to move completely trained by the above date.
2. Section II will list all units by designation which will not be prepared to move completely trained by the above date. This section of the report will contain the following information.

Designation of unit
 Date unit can be completely trained
 If available, the designation of a substitute unit that will be completely trained by the above date.

(b) Training standards which the unit must meet in the theater of origin are, in general, those training standards which are now required of units in the United States prior to departure for overseas service. If it is necessary to revise these standards, separate instructions will be issued by the War Department.

(c) This report will be combined with the report required in paragraph 12a (14) below.

(d) It is contemplated that at the time the above report is submitted, all the units listed thereon will have been placed on War Department Movement Directive. Based on this report, necessary adjustments will be considered by the War Department.

(11) Arrange for the delivery of the unit at shipside, or other location designated by the theater commander, to the Commanding General, Army Service Forces (Chief of Transportation), for water movement to final destination. Arrange for delivery of flight and air echelons to the Commanding General, Army Air Forces (Air Transport Command) at ports of aerial embarkation.

(12) Make appropriate provisions to insure the security of the movement.

(13) Prepare necessary movement orders, in accordance with the provisions of the WD M/D.

(14) Where appropriate, arrange for the shipment to the continental United States of a limited amount of personal baggage of individuals in units moving to further overseas destination, as authorized by the theater commander, and in accordance with instructions contained in paragraph 19c, Inclosure No. 1.

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(15) Report by radio to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I); to the destination theater commander; and to the intermediate theater commander (if the movement is by water and the vessel will call at an intermediate port), not later than twenty-four (24) hours after the departure of the units, the following information:

Shipment numbers and letters of the units
*Total number of officers and enlisted personnel by unit
Date of departure
Port serial number currently assigned to the vessel or designation of aircraft (as appropriate)
Expected date of arrival at an intermediate port (if any) and at destination

*Note: Number of any female or negro officers and enlisted personnel will be indicated.

(16) For all movements of AAF units (including detachments and flight and air echelons) forward to the Commanding General, Army Air Forces (Statistical Control Division), within twenty-four (24) hours after departure, a final personnel status report. This report will be prepared and forwarded in accordance with the provisions of letter AG 320.2 (31 Jan 45) OM-E-AFMSC-M, dated 8 February 1945, subjects: Uniform Strength Reports (Air Forces) and amendments thereto.

b. The commanding general, theater of destination, will

(1) Coordinate priority requests for units with the War Department (Assistant Chief of Staff, Operations Division, War Department General Staff). These reports will be based on monthly requirements and will be submitted as far in advance as possible.

(2) Furnish the War Department with requests for any necessary modifications or changes in normal personnel and/or equipment tables of units required to meet the special conditions in the region of their intended operations.

(3) Recommend to the War Department the desired point of debarkation for each unit within the theater of final destination.

(4) Report to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I); to the commanding general, theater of origin; and to the commanding general of the intermediate theater (if the movement is by water and the vessel called at a port in any intermediate theater), at the earliest practicable date, the following information:

Shipment numbers and letters of the units
*Total number of officers and enlisted personnel by unit
Date of arrival
Port serial number currently assigned to the vessel or designation of aircraft (as appropriate)

*Note: Number of any female or negro officers and enlisted personnel will be indicated.

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(5) Furnish such supplies and equipment for units moving to theater of destination, as may be directed by the provisions of the WD M/D.

(6) If unit has moved with an overstrength to permit release of personnel with high critical scores as indicated in paragraph 9a(2) above, readjust unit at earliest practicable date according to provisions of AR 1-1.

c. Commanding generals, all intermediate bases or area commands, will:

(1) Take any action directed by appropriate WD M/D in regard to supply and equipment of units on route to further overseas destination through their bases or areas.

(2) Furnish necessary provisions which may be needed by units in transit.

(3) Report to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-1); to the commanding general of theater of origin; and to the commanding general of final destination for vessels carrying units moving under WD M/D:

Port serial number of vessel
Date of arrival and departure
Estimated date of arrival at final destination
Any change in strength of the units upon departure
from the intermediate port of call

d. Commanding General, Army Service Forces, will:

(1) Be responsible for furnishing shortages of Army Service Forces procured clothing and equipment, authorized in the WD M/D, in accordance with the provisions of Inclosure No. 1.

(2) Prepare supply and movement portions of WD M/D.

(3) Assign appropriate four-digit shipment numbers for movements by air and water.

(4) Furnish necessary transportation for water movement, as provided in appropriate WD M/D, and coordinate the movement with the commanding generals of theater of origin and theater of destination.

(5) Furnish theater of origin and theater of destination with appropriate lists of clothing and individual equipment necessary to be issued to troops prior to embarkation.

(6) Insure that the following procedures are accomplished for units on route by water:

(a) A physical inspection by the ship surgeon of each individual for the detection of acute communicable diseases and vermin infestation. This inspection will be accomplished within twenty-four hours before scheduled debarkation. Following the inspection a health certificate will be prepared and signed by the ship surgeon. Further reference is made to Change 1 to AR 55-435 concerning medical inspections aboard transports.

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(b) Action in connection with foreign quarantine as proscribed in Circular 453, WD 1944.

(c) Appropriate action in connection with AR 55-350.

d. Commanding General, Army Air Forces, will:

(1) When the WD M/D and/or the movement orders of the commanding general, theater of origin, prescribed movement by air, furnish necessary air transportation for airborne elements. He will also control the movement to ultimate overseas destination of all movements of flight echelons of T/O units for which movement in organic aircraft of the unit concerned is proscribed.

(2) Fill shortages of Army Air Forces procured and issued equipment, authorized in the WD M/D, in accordance with the appropriate provisions of Inclosure No. 1.

(3) Prepare and distribute loading plans for those types of combat aircraft which will move to further overseas destination under their own power. Plans will cover each intended theater of ultimate destination and will be furnished to the respective commanders of theaters of origin and the respective commanders of theaters of final destination.

(4) Prepare, in conjunction with the Commanding General, Army Service Forces, appropriate clothing and equipment lists for each theater of final destination to cover personnel moving by air and furnish such lists to the commanding generals of theaters of origin and theaters of final destination.

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SECTION IV

Units Returning to the United States for Redeployment.

10. Application.

a. The provisions of this section apply to units directed by the War Department to be moved to the United States for rehabilitation, reconditioning or conversion preliminary to redeployment. Units which have been placed in Category IV (as set forth in RR 1-1) and are ordered by the War Department to the United States for inactivation or disbandment will be moved in accordance with the provisions of Readjustment Regulations 1-2 (RR 1-2).

b. The procedure for preparing units for overseas movement as provided in this section may be prescribed, in specific cases, by the War Department prior to the cessation of hostilities in Europe.

11. Objective.

a. There are two principal purposes for moving units to the United States for redeployment: first, to permit the major command to which the unit will be assigned in the United States an opportunity to prepare and recondition the unit for further service; and second, to permit the recuperation, rehabilitation and recovery of personnel of the unit.

b. It is essential, particularly in overseas commands, that unit commanders and personnel be fully informed regarding both purposes. In this connection all personnel of such units must be informed that:

(1) The War Department will authorize their being ordered, at Government expense, to travel to their homes or other designated place in the United States for a period of recuperation (not to exceed thirty (30) days), except when such action is precluded by military necessity.

(2) Movement of individuals (except personnel in AAF flight and air echelons moving by air) to their homes, or other points chosen for period of recuperation, will be made through reception stations in order that transportation may be planned and utilized in such manner as to secure proper rail accommodations for all personnel.

c. The procedures outlined below are intended to govern the majority of units returning to the United States for redeployment; however, operational requirements will affect certain units, and in such cases special arrangements will be made by the War Department.

12. Procedures for Movement.

a. At Overseas Point of Origin. After receipt of the WD M/D for directing movement of a unit to the United States for redeployment, overseas commanders will take the necessary action to prepare and move such units in accordance with the following procedures: 4810

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(1) Preparation of movement orders. In compliance with the WD M/D, the commanding general, theater of origin will prepare movement orders and will assign five (5) digit shipment numbers and letters to the units as prescribed in the letter referred to in paragraph 3a(2) above. Orders will include the statement: "movement of the unit to the United States is for the purpose of rehabilitation and further service".

(2) Readjustment of Personnel.

(a) Units will be cleared of all personnel specified for withdrawal in the following categories:

1. Personnel readjusted in accordance with RR 1-1. Particular attention is invited to paragraph 6d thereof.
2. Individuals serving sentence of confinement by general courts martial which is not to be remitted, suspended, or completed prior to embarkation.
3. Individuals who, at time of embarkation of the unit, are in confinement awaiting trial or sentence by general courts martial.
4. Individuals sentenced to be dismissed or dishonorably discharged without confinement.
5. Personnel failing to meet medical qualifications (see paragraph 12a(6) below) and personnel with remediable defects that require lengthy hospitalization or convalescence which would preclude effective training with their organization.
6. Personnel under investigation for subversion or disaffection.
7. Personnel in excess of strength authorized by WD M/D.

(b) Units will be filled to authorized T/O strength. Overstrength will be added as necessary, if authorized under the following instructions:

1. To compensate for attrition of personnel during movement, unit (except air crews in AAF Tactical units) will move with an overstrength not to exceed two (2) percent overstrength for this purpose.
2. If readjustment of personnel as contemplated in paragraph 6d(4), RR 1-1 is not accomplished prior to sailing, units may move with as much as ten (10) percent overstrength in order to permit the early release of personnel with scores equal to or above the critical score who could not be released before sailing. This 10% overstrength will include the 2% overstrength indicated above.

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2. AAF tactical units are authorized up to one hundred (100) percent overstrength in air crews. In addition to this overstrength air crews are authorized the 10% overstrength indicated in paragraph (b)2 above but are not authorized the 2% overstrength indicated in (b)1 above.

(3) Preparation of Rosters.

(a) For all units (except AAF flight echelons and air echelons moving by air) prepare rosters containing the name of the unit and the name, rank, serial number, arm or service, SSN and Adjusted Service Rating Score (when available) of each individual. This roster will divide personnel into groups depending upon the reception stations serving the geographic areas in which are located points to which individuals wish to go for recuperation prior to reporting at assembly station. While each unit will move as an organization, under five (5) digit shipment number and letter, all personnel will be canvassed at present stations to ascertain these desired destinations for recuperation so that the rosters may be prepared by reception station groups in the same manner as for rotation personnel. Personnel will be informed that the destination for recuperation cannot be changed except to alleviate a particular hardship which would adversely affect the individual. Group designations (as indicated in paragraphs 24a(1) and (2) of PRI) will not be assigned to the respective group; the groups will be indicated as "Group 1, Group 2 -- etc", by placing the proper code number of the reception station, to which each group will be moved after arrival in the United States, after the shipment number and letter assigned to the unit. In this connection see paragraph 24a(4) of PRI for list of reception stations; this list will be supplanted by List D of Appendix I, ER 1-2 as soon as the latter document goes into effect. For preparation of these rosters the dual mimeograph stencil will be used. For description, method of use, and distribution of these stencils see paragraph 14a of ER 1-2.

(b) For AAF flight or air echelons moving by air, prepare one movement order for the entire flight or air echelon of the unit listing each individual in the movement. In addition to the name of the individual, the grade, serial number, SSN, Adjusted Service Rating Score (if available), and desired place of recuperation in the United States will be included. This movement order will serve as a roster at the port of aerial debarkation. Each crew will have twenty (20) copies of this order in its possession upon arrival in the United States.

(4) Organization of detachment: A small detachment will be organized from personnel of the unit, to be designated as detachment, (name of unit). This detachment will be constituted as indicated below. The purpose of the detachment is to take necessary unit records to the assembly stations in the United States and to aid in the establishment of personnel and supply administration thereat. Although this detachment will not be separated from the unit prior to its arrival in the United States, it will not form a part of any reception station group after arrival in the United States.

(a) Personnel of Detachment.

1. Detachment will consist of a minimum of one (1) officer and, in addition, one (1) or two (2) enlisted men as required. The unit

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Commander will designate the personnel to constitute the detachment.

2. The officer selected will be preferably of senior grade, thoroughly familiar with the affairs of the unit, and competent to discuss any problems of personnel and supply administration for the unit at the assembly station in the United States. Enlisted personnel may be selected after arrival of the unit at the US port of debarkation from qualified personnel living nearest to the assembly station.

(b) Duties of the Detachment.

1. The detachment's mission is to establish promptly personnel and supply administration of the unit at assembly station.

2. The detachment will be prepared to furnish the commander at assembly station information regarding training, personnel and equipment status of unit, the list of remediable physical defects indicated in paragraph 12a(6)(c) below and any other information which will be of assistance in expediting the preparation of the unit for further duty.

(5) Records to be Moved with the Unit.

(a) Personnel Records. The following personnel records, accurate and up-to-date, will be moved with the unit as indicated:

1. In the personal possession of the individual:

WD AGO Form 65 or 65-1 (officers' identification card)
WD AGO Form 77 (officers' pay data card)
Records of leave accrued and granted (to be carried by officers, as prescribed in AR 605-115) (record may be in any form desired by the individual)
WD AGO Form 28 (pay data card for enlisted personnel)
WD AGO Form 8-115 (formerly Form 78a) (treatment record; for individuals under treatment for syphilis)
WD AGO Form 8-117 (formerly Form 81) (Immunization Register and other medical data)
Identification tags (2)

Copy of prescription for spectacles
Copy of orders bestowing aeronautical rating
Copy of orders placing personnel on flying status
Individual flight record (WD AF 5) with allied papers
Instrument pilot certificate (AF 8 or 8a)
Physical record card (WD AF 206)
Copy of orders announcing parachutist and glider rating
Copy of orders or certificate placing personnel on parachutist or glider status as required by current regulations

station:

2. *Taken by the proper group leader, to the reception

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WD AGO Form 66-1, 66-2 or 66-3 (officer and warrant officer qualification card)
WD AGO Form 20 (soldiers' qualification card)
WD AGO Form 24 (service record) with allied papers required by current directives (see TM 12-230)
C&E Adjustment Form as prescribed in Cir 72, WD, 1945

WD AGO Form 163 (Adjusted Service Rating Card)
WD AGO Form 8-114 (formerly Form 78) (syphilis register; for individuals under treatment for syphilis)

*Note: In the case of flight echelons these records will be taken by each combat crew commander to the port of aerial debarkation; from which they will be shipped to the assembly station.

2. Taken by the detachment commander to assembly station:

Copy of board proceedings such as reclassification, disposition, AR 615-368 and AR 615-369 proceedings. When applicable such copy will contain indorsement by convening authority and approval of officer having discharge authority
Copy of Status Report of the unit (see Inclosure No. 2)
Summary of bombing (AAF 12-b) (bomber only)

Standard AAF Medical Statement
AAF Individual Training Record (reference AAF letter 50-55)
WD AGO Form 8-116 (Dental Identification Record)
Individual Equipment Issue Record (AAF 121-AAF equipment)
List of physical condition, defects, and other medical data (see paragraph 12a(6) (c) below)

(b) Administrative records to be moved with the unit to the United States and be taken by the detachment commander to the assembly station:

1. Company or similar unit:

Morning Reports (preceding 6 months only)
Daily Sick Reports (preceding 6 months only)
Duty Reports (preceding 3 months only)
Pay rolls and vouchers, retained copies (preceding 6 months)
Property book (12-1)
Company Equipment Record (applicable to men actually present only)

Council Book (with vouchers from date of last inspection by an inspector general only)
Orders, company (essential current orders only)
Essential documents, circulars, and bulletins
Other records, orders and directive, 201 files, etc, expected to be used during the period of movement

quarters:

2. Regimental, separate battalion, or similar headquarters:

Orders, regimental, file
Message Center Log
Essential documents, circulars, and bulletins

Other records, orders, directives (including copies of movement orders), 201 files, etc, expected to be used during the period of movement

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(a) The standards of physical and mental qualifications for oversea service, as set forth in Circulars 102 and 164, WD 1944, as amended, or in any current revision will be used as a guide. In considering cases with neuropsychiatric trends, attention is invited to paragraph 6, Inclosure No. 1, which modifies the provisions of the above cited circulars. Great care will be exercised in arriving at a decision that personnel are physically disqualified for further oversea service. In considering physical fitness for such service, due consideration will be given to the manner in which the individuals have performed their military duties. Pending revision of Circulars 102 and 164, WD, 1944, personnel who have performed their duties satisfactorily, but who ordinarily would be disqualified under the provisions of the circulars referred to above, will accompany their units unless they have defects which are subject to complication or aggravation, for further oversea service. For the purpose of determining whether or not they meet the qualifications specified above, and in order to establish the physical profile serials of male enlisted personnel required by RR 1-1, a screening type physical examination will be made on all individuals who are to be redeployed. Detailed instructions for conducting such an examination are outlined in Appendix G of Inclosure No. 1. However, instead of destroying worksheet as required by paragraph 1d of Appendix G, the unit commander will attach it to the Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3 in the case of officers and insert it in the service record in the case of enlisted personnel. This examination will be supplemented by appropriate special examination and laboratory procedures when indicated by the medical history or physical findings. Personnel found below the physical standards for further oversea service as indicated above and who do not require hospitalization in the United States will not be evacuated as patients.

(b) Remediable minor defects, disclosed by the above examination, will be corrected according to current policies prior to embarkation but this action will not serve to delay the movement.

(c) A list of unit personnel indicating the name, rank, serial number, and physical profile serial in the case of enlisted personnel (a physical profile is required by RR 1-1) will be prepared. In all cases with remediable defects which have not been corrected the type defect will be indicated on the list (include visual and dental defects indicated in paragraphs (e) and (f) below). Prescriptions for spectacles, frame measurements, number of spectacles required under current policies and the need for gas mask inserts will be attached to the list for individuals who do not have in their possession two (2) pairs of spectacles and/or need gas mask inserts. Three copies of this list will be provided the detachment commander designated in paragraph 12a(4) above.

(d) Oversea commanders will take action to prevent the dissemination of communicable diseases as prescribed in Circular 276, WD 1943, and Circular 453, WD 1944, or supersessions thereof. In order to comply with the provisions of these publications, oversea commanders are specifically charged with the following responsibilities:

1. Accomplishment or initiation of all immunization requirements of the theater or origin concerned and of requirements of the War Department for the land areas to be traversed en route. For AAF personnel, the

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accomplishment or initiation of such additional immunizations as may be requested by the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, for the accomplishment of their mission. In the case of individuals whose records of immunization are not available, new immunization registers will be prepared. Under these circumstances the individual's statement will be accepted, lacking evidence to the contrary, that the initial smallpox vaccination and initial series of triple typhoid vaccine (paragraph 10, AR 400-210), and the initial series of such special immunizations (paragraph 11, AR 400-210) as are required by the War Department for service in the area being departed, have been completed. However, when record of tetanus immunization is not available, the initial series of tetanus toxoid will be initiated unless contra-indicated by sensitivity. Acceptable evidence of sensitivity will be absence of record of tetanus immunization on the identification tag, or in the absence of the identification tag, the allegation of sensitivity by the individual.

2. Inspection of all personnel within 48 hours prior to embarkation for the purpose of discovering and treating suspects and cases of venereal disease and those acute communicable diseases which, if introduced aboard the vessels, might reasonably be expected to result in an epidemic and for the purpose of detecting vermin infestation.

a. Individuals with primary and secondary syphilis, lymphogranuloma venereum, granuloma inguinale, and undiagnosed penile lesions will be detained and treated prior to embarkation (see 360 Circular, letter No. 74, 25 July 1942, and any supersessions thereof, and TB Med 106, 11 October 1944, and any supersessions thereof).

b. Individuals with uncomplicated gonorrhea, undiagnosed urethral discharge, or with chancroid will be embarked (except personnel of AAF flight schools when moving by air, who will be detained and treated prior to return by air). Whenever possible, treatment should be initiated prior to embarkation and continued if necessary while aboard ship (see TB Med 96, 21 September 1944, and any supersessions thereof). A list of individuals requiring treatment or observation aboard ship will be provided the transport commander in order to facilitate their identification and treatment.

3. Disinfection by approved methods of all vermin-infested persons, clothing, and personal equipment prior to embarkation.

4. Execution by the transport commander of a certificate (to be held available for examination by quarantine officers at foreign ports and for ultimate transmission to responsible commanders on route and at the final destination) which will include the following (see paragraph 5d, AR 615-250, paragraph 3b, Circular 276, TD 1943, and sections III and IV, Circular 453, TD 1944, or supersessions thereof):

a. A statement as to exposure to, and incidence of, infectious and parasitic diseases and vermin infestation for each group for which such a statement is practicable. When this is not possible, a brief statement of the significant prevalence of infectious and parasitic diseases and vermin infestation in the areas from which the return personnel are drawn.

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b. A statement, based on the inspection referred to in paragraph (d) 2 above, giving the place and date of such inspection, and indicating that all personnel are free of vermin, venereal disease except as noted in paragraph (d) 2h above, and those acute communicable diseases, which, if introduced aboard the vessel, might reasonably be expected to result in an epidemic.

c. A statement, based upon inspection of records by organization commanders, as to whether or not the requirements of AR 40-210 and other War Department and pertinent theater directives concerning special immunization have been complied with. The names of all individuals not so vaccinated will be given.

d. A statement that all persons embarked are free from quarantinable disease; namely, cholera, leprosy, smallpox, plague, epidemic typhus, and yellow fever. However, when such diseases are present, the names of all persons with quarantinable diseases will be listed as exceptions.

(e) All necessary dental treatment from a health and functional standpoint will be provided military personnel prior to their movement to the United States. This dental treatment shall consist of dental correction of all Class I cases as outlined in AR 40-510, including Change 1, and as far as practicable, Class II cases. When it is impossible to complete dental treatment as prescribed above, deficiencies noted will be entered on Form 91 and on the list referred to in paragraph 12a(6) (c) above.

(f) No effort will be made to furnish individuals with spectacles, except as noted below, or Eye-Glass, Gas Mask, M1 (gas mask inserts). Individuals requiring spectacles but who have none in their possession will be issued one (1) pair only. Individuals requiring spectacles, under current policy, will be refracted if the prescription is not available or satisfactory. Notation of the spectacle frame measurements and the need for gas mask inserts will be added to the prescription. The prescription and data referred to above will be entered in the service record. A copy of the prescription and data including a notation of the number of additional spectacles needed for each individual will be attached to the list required in paragraph 12a(6) (c) above.

(g) Arrival at port of embarkation in the theater of origin will be presumptive evidence of acceptable physical condition of personnel of the unit concerned.

(7) Clothing and individual equipment.

(a) Units (except personnel of AAF flight and air echelons moving by air) will be returned with clothing and individual equipment as listed in paragraph 5, Circular 72, WD 1945.

Note: Liner, helmet and mask, gas, equipped with eyeglass, gas mask, M1 will be returned as prescribed in paragraph 12a(8) (b) below. AAF personnel on flying status may substitute the bag, assembly, clothing, flyer's type B-4 for the bag, duffel and, in addition, are authorized the jacket, flying, type A-2. Shoulder patches are authorized (see paragraph 5 above).

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(b) Personnel of AAF flight and air echelons moving by air will take clothing and individual equipment proscribed in the appropriate column of WD Pamphlet 38-6, Itemized Baggage list, January 1945, as required for route to be traveled.

(c) Items to be packed, marked and shipped for units:

1. All remaining servicable clothing and individual equipment, which is actually in the hands of the unit, authorized under the particular column of T/E 21, 1 January 1945 (mandatory allowances only) in accordance with which the unit is now equipped.

(8) Organizational Equipment: Organizational equipment, except as noted below, will not be returned with the units but will be turned in to the agency designated by the overseas commander in accordance with separate War Department instructions on this subject. The following equipment is not to be confused with lists of "minimum essential equipment" set forth in WD publication: Preparation for Overseas Movement (POM) or similar documents. The following authorization will apply for all normal return movements; variations are permitted only when specifically included in the WD M/D:

(a) Items to accompany troops - (TAT)

1. *Organizational equipment normally issued to individuals:

- Flying clothing and equipment
- AAF personnel - as proscribed in T.O. 00-30-41
- AGF personnel - as proscribed in T/O&E (less glasses, flying, sun)
- Musical instruments, band, w/repair kits
- Trumpet, C, w/slide to F
- Whistle, thunder

2. *Administrative and miscellaneous equipment:

- Bag, money, leather
- Case, brief, leather
- Case, canvas, dispatch
- Chest, flight, service, complete
- Chest, medical, 1 and 2 (optional)
- Chest, record, fiber
- Cryptographic equipment (set for Divs, Corps, and Army)
- Desk, field, fiber, w/necessary office supplies (QM items only)
- Flag (including colors, standard, and guidons)
- Kit, barber, w/case
- Ruler, office, 18-inch
- Safe, field, key lock or combination lock
- Seal, official
- Selector, qualification card
- Sharpener, office, pencil

- Kit, dental (officer; private)
- Kit, medical (officer; NCO; private)
- Machine, computing, listing and non-listing
- Machine, duplication (spirit or stencil process)
- Machine, numbering
- Machine, paper-fastening, lever or plunger type, wire staple, performed light duty
- Perforator
- Sling, color, web, od
- Stamp, rubber, official
- Stamp, time recording
- Stylus, medium loop
- Typewriters, portable and non-portable (QM items only)
- Outfit, chaplain

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(b) *To be packed, marked, and shipped for the unit.

MF kits issued to individuals in accordance with
T.O. 00-30 series
Masks, gas, only when fitted with eyeglass, gas mask
Ml, spectacle
Helmet, steel, w/liner
Individual weapons (carbines, rifles, automatic rifles
pistols, submachine guns) with accessories.
Investigative equipment for CIC detachments
Organizational spare parts, tools, and equipment for
individual weapons (in addition to accessories)
Publications and reference material:
Army Regulations (as prescribed in AR 310-200)
SNL's, SF catalogs, as necessary
*T/O's, T/O's, T/E's, or S/O's, as necessary
Complete file of essential training literature,
including but not limited to Technical and
Field Manuals
Extract from Service Records (for former members
or organizations who have been transferred,
discharged, etc.)
Shotgun, riot type
Training aids (not to exceed 200 lbs, per company or
similar organization, see Cir 157, WD 44)

*Note: If authorized in the appropriate equipment table or other War Department authorization and with allowances so authorized.

(c) Expenses, based upon a maximum of two (2) pounds per individual, including such items as blank forms, envelopes, pencils, paper and cleaning and preserving materials.

(9) The systems of equipment and clothing records established in Circulars 72 and 73, WD 1945, with any subsequent amendments thereto, will be employed by the unit.

(10) Organizational equipment which is turned in as indicated in paragraph 12a(8) above, and which is not to accompany the unit TAT on its voyage to the United States, will be disposed of under separate WD procedures, by one of the following methods:

(a) Shipped in bulk directly to new theaters of destination based upon the need in those theaters for equipment of certain troop units as indicated in "Redeployment Forecast".

(b) Shipped in bulk to the United States for further processing and redistribution.

(c) When specifically directed by the War Department for units moving to certain operational areas, shipped by type unit assemblage to the new theater or to the United States.

(d) Disposed of locally, as in the case of equipment suitable only for salvage.

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(11) The provisions of letter, AG 524 (18 Aug 44) OB-3-SPHOT-M, 29 August 1944, subject: "Processing of Baggage From Overseas," will govern the processing of all personal baggage. Baggage authorized to be returned to the United States will be divided into the following three categories and will be moved as follows:

(a) Hand baggage will be carried by individuals. This baggage will be the only baggage available to the individual while en route; it will include all the items indicated in paragraph 12a(7)(a) above.

(b) Hold baggage will accompany personnel on the same vessel or in the same convoy. This baggage will not be available to the individual at port or reception station, but will be shipped by the U.S. port commander to the assembly station. This baggage will contain only those items not wanted while en route or on recuperation.

(c) Unaccompanied baggage will be shipped separately from the theater of origin. Upon arrival in the United States, this baggage will be shipped direct from the port of debarkation to the place of recuperation or other address designated by the individual at government expense, and will not be available to the individual at port or reception station.

(12) Prior to embarkation overseas, the provisions of Circular 335, WD 1944, Inspection and Custom Clearance of Baggage, as amended, will be complied with.

(13) The oversea commander will prepare and distribute unit status reports. (Report forms and distribution are included in Inclosure No. 2, Status Reports on Units Scheduled for Redeployment).

(14) Two (2) months prior to the first day of the month in which units are shown as required in the current edition of WD document "Redeployment Forecast", or related instructions, the oversea commander will furnish the War Department one radio report which indicates the estimated status of training of all units by the above date. (For example, if the 1st, 5th and 10th Infantry have been designated to fill a requirement in September, the report will reach the War Department by 1 July, indicating the estimated status of training of these units on 1 September). From the time that the Redeployment Forecast is declared in effect, and until the normal time interval of two months can be established, this radio report will be made to the War Department at the earliest practicable date.

(a) This report will be divided into two sections as follows:

1. Section I will list all units by designation which will be prepared to move completely trained by the above date.

2. Section II will list all units by designation which will not be prepared to move completely trained by the above date. This section of the report will contain the following information:

Designation of unit
Date unit can be completely trained
If available, the designation of a substitute unit that will be completely trained by the above date

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(b) Training standards which the unit must meet in the theater of origin are, in general, those training standards which are now required of units in the United States prior to departure for overseas service. If it is necessary to revise these standards, separate War Department instructions will be issued.

(c) This report will be combined with the report required in paragraph 9a(10) above.

(d) It is contemplated that at the time the above report is submitted, all the units listed thereon will have been placed on War Department Movement Directive. Based on this report, necessary adjustments will be considered by the War Department.

(15) Notifications.

(a) *Pre-embarkation Report: Five (5) days prior to embarkation, the overseas commander will inform The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I) and the commander of the US port of debarkation by radio as follows:

US port serial number currently assigned to vessel,
or designation of aircraft (as appropriate)
Shipment number and letter assigned to the unit
Strength at which unit will return broken down by
reception station groups

(b) *Time of Movement and Sailing Report: No later than twenty-four (24) hours after sailing of each vessel, or departure of aircraft, the overseas commander will report by radio (book message) to the United States port at which debarkation is scheduled and to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I) as follows:

US port serial number currently assigned to the
vessel, or designation of aircraft (as appropriate)
Date of departure
Expected date and time of arrival

Note: In the case of air movements, the notification above will not be sent to the port commander in the United States, but will instead be sent to the Commanding General, Army Air Forces. This notification will be sent before departure of aircraft if possible.

(c) *Embarkation Report and Passenger List: Within twenty-four (24) hours after sailing, the overseas commander will report by radio

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to the port at which debarkation is scheduled and to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OS-I) the actual personnel embarked on each vessel. Normally, this report will include only the strength changes in the pre-embarkation report, if any, and statement as to baggage, special equipment and health of passengers aboard. Baggage and special equipment will be shown by unit and/or reception station group and stowage location on vessel. Unit identities will not be stated unless there has been a change in the units to be embarked.

*Note: For sample message see paragraphs 18, 19, and 20 of RR 1-2. Unit designation and reception station groups will be shown in the pre-embarkation report.

(d) Dual mimeograph stenocils and copies of rosters therefrom will be forwarded as prescribed in paragraph 14b(2) of RR 1-2 for all units, except AF flight echelons and air echelons moving by air.

(e) Personnel Reports: Within twenty-four (24) hours after departure of the unit, the overseas commander will:

1. For all movements of AAF units (including detachments and flight and air echelons) forward to the Commanding General, Army Air Forces (Statistical Control Division) a final personnel status report. This report will be prepared and forwarded in accordance with the provisions of letter AG 320.2 (31 Jan 45) OM-E-AFISC-M, dated 8 February 1945, subject: Uniform Strength Reports (Air Forces and amendments thereto).

2. For all AGF units, forward by air mail to the Commanding General, Army Service Forces (Mobilization Division, Troop Units Branch) five (5) copies of a list of personnel shortages of the unit by grade, SSN, and arm or service.

3. For all AGF units, forward by air mail to the Commanding General, Army Ground Forces (Attn: GNGAP-L) five (5) copies of list of personnel shortages of the unit by grade, SSN, and arm or service.

(16) Mail:

(a) The provisions of paragraphs 111c(1), (2), (3) and (4), FM 12-105 (Adjutant General's Field Manual), with five (5) changes, will apply to the handling of mail for units covered by this directive.

(b) On the date of departure, the theater commander will forward via air mail to The Adjutant General, AG (Attn: Army Postal Service), a list showing by name, rank, new unit, and new ACO number, all personnel cleared from the unit during the sixty (60) days preceding departures.

(17) Pay rolls. The preparations of the current pay roll of the organization will have been completed by the unit commander prior to arrival of the unit in the United States.

(18) Advance Detachments. In the event the WD directs that advance detachments of certain specified units be moved to the U.S. prior to departure parent unit, theater commanders will organize and move the personnel of such detachments in accordance with instructions being issued separately. Movement orders will authorize such personnel not to exceed thirty (30) days temporary duty for recuperation, rehabilitation and recovery prior to their assembling at the assembly station of their parent unit.

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b. Instructions for the transport commander: The transport commander will insure that the following procedures are accomplished for units en route by water:

(1) A physical inspection by the ship surgeon of each individual for the detection of acute communicable diseases and vermin infestation. This inspection will be accomplished within twenty-four (24) hours before scheduled debarkation. Following the inspection a health certificate will be prepared and signed by the ship surgeon. Further reference is made to change 1 to AR 55-435 concerning medical inspections aboard transports.

(2) Action in connection with foreign quarantine as prescribed in Circular 453, War Department 1944.

(3) Appropriate action in connection with AR 55-350.

(4) Execution of blanket declaration necessary for customs clearance as required by Circular 335, War Department 1944 as amended.

c. Instructions to U.S. Ports (except aerial ports): After receipt of the notification required in paragraph 12a(15) (a) and (c) above, the War Department will issue instructions to the appropriate port commander for movement of personnel from port of debarkation, through reception stations to their places of recuperation; thence, returning through reception stations, to their new assembly stations. In connection with these movements, the appropriate port commander will take the following action:

(1) Arrange for representatives of major commands concerned to contact units in the port area and to make necessary personnel and equipment inspections. These representatives will be under the control of the port commander, but direct communication between the representatives and the major command which they represent is authorized. The removal of the unit from the port area will not be delayed by these inspections.

(2) Issue the following notices:

(a) Immediately upon receipt of the pre-embarkation report a warning notice by the most expeditious means of communication available to each Personnel Center Commander concerned and to Chief of Transportation, Attention: Chief, Traffic Control Division, indicating the anticipated number of personnel (broken down by officers, enlisted personnel, male, female, white and negro) to be moved to reception stations, the expected date of departure from the port and the expected date of arrival at the reception station.

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1. If, prior to arrival at the port, it becomes apparent that the estimated date of arrival of any group at a reception station will be advanced or delayed by twenty-four (24) hours or more, the U.S. port commander concerned will immediately advise the personnel center commanders concerned and Chief of Transportation, Attention: Chief, Traffic Control Division, of the revised estimated date of arrival.

(b) Upon debarkation, a notification to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-1) and the major command concerned of the date of arrival of the unit.

(3) Process personnel of the unit in accordance with paragraphs 50, 51, 52a and c of letter AG 370.5 (10 Aug 44) OB-S-SFMOT-M, 16 August 1944, subject: Procedure for Return of Individuals (PRI), as prescribed for members of RO groups. (Customs inspections, where necessary, will be made in accordance with the provisions of Circular 335, War Department, 1944, as amended by Circular 31, War Department 1945).

(4) Move the detachment indicated in paragraph 12a (4) above to assembly station of the unit concerned. The officer in command of the detachment will receive from the commanding officer of the unit, temporary command and control of the unit for the purpose of movement to and administration at assembly station prior to re-assembly of the unit. Detachment will take unit records necessary for establishment of personnel and supply administration at assembly station (see paragraph 12a (4) (b) above). The port commander will ship separately to the assembly station held baggage indicated in paragraph 12a (11) (b) above and any organizational equipment arriving with the unit.

(5) Obtain from the commanding officer of the unit, in the event rosters have not been previously received, rosters listing the remainder of the personnel of the unit in reception station groups, in accordance with the place in the United States to which each individual desires to proceed for recuperation, and organize those individuals into appropriate reception station groups (see paragraph 12a(3) above). Where rosters of the personnel of the unit are not available upon arrival of the unit in the United States, the port commander will obtain from the unit commander the desired addresses of recuperation of each individual, and will organize the individuals into appropriate reception station groups.

(6) Issue the necessary orders for movement of reception station groups organized in accordance with paragraph 12a(3) above, to the proper reception station. Individuals in these groups will take hand baggage indicated in paragraph 12a(11)(a) above. Such clothing and individual equipment as may be necessary for comfort and appearance in traveling to reception stations will be issued as prescribed in paragraph 8a, Circular 72, War Department 1945. Movement orders for these groups will include the following instructions and information:

(a) Group designation: The complete designation will be derived as follows: **4803**

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BO----- Boston Port of Embarkation
 CH----- Charleston Port of Embarkation
 HR----- Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation
 LA----- Los Angeles Port of Embarkation
 NO----- New Orleans Port of Embarkation
 NYK) - Kilmer)
 --- New York Port of Embarkation
 NYS) - Shanks)
 NYH) - Hamilton)
 SE----- Seattle Port of Embarkation
 SF----- San Francisco Port of Embarkation
 PR----- Prince Rupert Sub-Port of Embarkation

2. Dash

3. Name of unit

4. Dash

5. Reception station number, i.e. one through eighteen, as prescribed in paragraph 24a(4) of PRI; or one through twenty-two as prescribed in List D of Appendix I, RR 1-2, when the latter document is declared in effect. For example, the group designation for a group composed of personnel of the 300th Engineer Regiment (GS) traveling from New York Port of Embarkation (Capt Kilmer, New Jersey) to Reception Station No. 7, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, would be: NYK-300th Engineer Regiment (GS)-7.

(b) Name, grade, serial number, arm or service, SSN. Adjusted Service Rating Score (when available), and address of recuperation of each individual in the group.

(c) Designation of a leader for each group.

(d) That the group is moved on temporary duty, to the reception station name for the purpose of being ordered to desired places of recuperation, rehabilitation and recovery, for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days, plus travel time, upon completion of which each individual in the group will return to the reception station, for further movement, in groups, to the assembly station.

(e) That personnel will not be ordered to a redistribution station.

(f) That each of the individuals listed in the group is a member of the (unit designation), and that (name of station) is the assembly station for all personnel of the unit.

(g) Date of arrival in the United States.

(h) Instructions as provided in paragraphs 58d and 58e of PRI.

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(7) (a) Forward the personnel records indicated in paragraph 12a(5)(a)2 above for each individual, as applicable, with the proper group leader to the reception station.

(b) Insure that each individual, as applicable, has in his personal possession the records indicated in paragraph 12a(5)(a)1 above.

(c) Forward health certification (prescribed in paragraph 52c(1) of PRI) for each group with the group leader to the reception station. Physical inspection will be made at the port in the case of individuals who remain in the staging area more than seventy-two (72) hours after the inspection prescribed in paragraph 12b(1) above.

(8) Furnish two (2) copies of reception station group orders to each of the following:

For all units:

Chief of Transportation, ASF (Traffic Control Division)
Commanding Officer, Appropriate Personnel Center
(Copies to be accompanied by stenolls)
Commanding Officer of Assembly Station
The Adjutant General

For Army Ground Forces units:

Commanding General, Army Ground Forces (G-3 Section,
Installations and Movements Division)
Commanding General of Army Ground Forces command
to which assigned
Commanding General of Service Command in which the
assembly station is located

For Army Service Forces units:

Commanding General, Army Service Forces (Troop Units
Branch, Mobilization Division)
Commanding General of Army Service Forces command to
which assigned
Commanding General of Service Command in which the
assembly station is located if the unit is not
assigned to that Service Command

For Army Air Forces units:

Commanding General, Army Air Forces (Assistant Chief
of Air Staff, OC&R, Commitments Division,
Orders Branch)
Commanding General of Army Air Forces command to which
assigned

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(9) After clearance has been obtained from the personnel center commander, move the groups to proper reception stations by rail and/or motor (see paragraph 31a of RRI-2). The provisions of Section IV, Circular 358, War Department, 1944, and Circular 229, War Department, 1943, apply.

(10) Notify the following by telegraph or teletype, of the strength, date of departure, mode of travel and expected date and hour of arrival of the detachment indicated in paragraph 12c (4) above:

For all detachments:

The Adjutant General
Commanding Officer of Assembly Station

For detachments of Army Ground Forces units:

Commanding General, Army Ground Forces (G-3 Section,
Installations and Movements Division)
Commanding General of Army Ground Forces command to
which assigned

For detachments of Army Service Forces units:

Commanding General, Army Service Forces (Troop Units
Branch, Mobilization Division)
Commanding General of Army Service Forces command to
which assigned.

For detachments of Army Air Forces units:

Commanding General, Army Air Forces (Assistant Chief
of Air Staff, OC&R Commitments Division, Orders
Branch)
Director, Air Technical Service Command
Commanding General of Army Air Forces command
to which assigned

(11) Notify the reception station commander concerned immediately after departure by telegraph or teletype, of the strength, mode of travel, expected date and hour of arrival, train symbol number, delivering carrier, and time and date last meal will be served aboard train of each reception station group.

(12) After arrival of the unit in the United States and division into reception station groups has been effected, as far as personnel of the unit is concerned, disregard the code designation under which the unit was moved from the overseas command.

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(13) Ship additional impediments of the unit, which may arrive after departure of the personnel of the unit, to its assembly station, using unit designation or code designation (under which the unit was returned from overseas), but not both.

d. Action by Commander of Reception Station.

(1) Receive and assume control of each group.

(2) Process individuals arriving in these groups, as prescribed in paragraph 75 of PRI for members of TD groups returned from overseas. The processing required particularly involves physical examinations of personnel as prescribed in TD Mod 2, dated 3 January 1944, pay of individuals, and action with respect to clothing and equipment as prescribed in paragraph 8a of Circular 72, War Department 1945.

(3) Issue orders to each individual directing travel at government expense to desired place of recuperation for not to exceed thirty (30) days recuperation, rehabilitation and recovery, plus travel time, and ordering each individual to return at government expense upon completion of recuperation to the reception station, for further movement in groups to the assembly station. Information will be given to each individual that, in the event of loss of his ticket, he may report to the nearest military installation, where he will show a copy of his orders and will obtain a ticket in accordance with paragraph 23, AR 55-120, which requires the cost thereof to be charged against the individual and deducted from his pay. These orders will include:

(a) All information indicated in paragraph 12c(6)

(f) above.

(b) Instructions as prescribed in paragraphs 75a and b of PRI, including orders that, upon completion of recuperation, each individual will return to the appropriate reception station, for further movement in groups, to the assembly station of the unit. The provisions of Circular 229, War Department, 1943 and Section IV, Circular 358, War Department, 1944, will apply for all movements.

(c) Instructions that, upon arrival at the assembly station, each individual will report to the commanding officer of the unit or his designated representative.

(d) Authority to travel to other than the address designated by the orders, during the recuperation period, provided that no per diem will be paid or travel expenses furnished for such additional travel.

(e) Instructions that travel time and the period of recuperation will not be charged against the individual's leave or furlough credit, but that it will be considered as satisfying pre-embarkation furlough requirements of PCM.

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(4) Within twenty-four (24) hours after return to the reception station from recuperation, give each individual a physical inspection for the purpose of detecting vermin infestation, venereal disease, and suspects and cases of acute communicable diseases.

(5) Forward personnel records of the group listed in paragraph 12a(5)(a)2 above, with the proper group leader of the movement from reception station to assembly station. All individuals will retain the records listed in paragraph 12a(5)(a)1 above, in their personal possession.

(6) Utilize, if desired, by indorsements, group orders which moved personnel from ports to reception stations initially, to provide for moving such groups from reception stations to assembly stations, after groups have been reformed following recuperation.

(7) Move the groups to proper assembly station by rail and/or motor. The provisions of Section IV, Circular 358, War Department, 1944 and Circular 229, War Department, 1943 apply. Notify the assembly station commander concerned immediately after departure of each group, by teletype or teletype of the strength, mode of travel, expected date and hour of arrival, train symbol number, delivering carrier and time and date last meal will be served aboard train.

(8) Individuals who are unable to join their group for movement to assembly station will be handled in accordance with separate instructions.

(9) Process personnel received from aerial ports of debarkation as indicated in paragraph 12a(2) below in the same manner as personnel received from water ports of embarkation.

c. Instructions to US Ports of Aerial Debarkation: After receipt of notification required in paragraphs 12a(15)(c) and (c) above, the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, will issue instructions to the command of jurisdiction of the port of aerial debarkation as follows:

(1) For the movement of personnel of Army Air Forces flight and/or air echelons. Such personnel will move from the port of aerial debarkation in the United States direct to their places of recuperation; thence will proceed to their new assembly stations. In connection with these movements the appropriate commanding officer at the port of aerial debarkation will receive and assume control of each flight and/or air echelon concerned and will take action as prescribed in paragraphs 92a, b, c, d, e, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, 93a and 94d and e of FRI and will take the following additional action:

(a) Obtain from the commanding officer of the flight and/or air echelon the place in the United States to which each individual desires to proceed for recuperation, if copies of movement orders as indicated in paragraph 12a(3) (a) above have not been received.

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(b) Issue orders to each individual, for temporary duty, directing travel at government expense to desired place of recuperation for not to exceed thirty (30) days recuperation, rehabilitation and recovery, plus travel time, and order each individual to proceed thence directly to the designated assembly station. The information will be given to each individual that in the event of loss of his ticket he may report to the nearest military installation where he will show a copy of his orders and will obtain a ticket in accordance with paragraph 23, AR 59-126, which requires the cost thereof to be charged against the individual and deducted from his pay. These orders will further include:

1. Name, grade, serial number and address of recuperation of each individual.
2. Designation of the organization to which the individual is assigned.
3. Instructions that, upon termination of the period of recuperation, rehabilitation and recovery, plus travel time, each individual will proceed to the designated assembly station of the unit.
4. Instructions that, upon arrival at the assembly station, each individual will report for duty to the commanding officer of his unit or the latter's designated representative.
5. Provisions that travel is authorized to other than the address designated by the order, during the recuperation period, provided no per diem will be paid or travel expense furnished for this travel.
6. Instructions that travel time and the period of recuperation will not be charged against the individual's leave or furlough credit, but will be considered as satisfying the pre-debarcation furlough requirements as stated in paragraph 9c above.
7. Instructions that temporary duty for recuperation and payment of per diem will cease upon arrival at the assembly station.

Note: Any additional instructions in conformity with the above necessary for the processing of AAF flight and air echelons, including disposition of aircraft of flight echelons, will be issued by the Commanding General, Army Air Forces.

(2) For movement of all units other than AAF flight and air echelons. Such units will move from port of aerial debarkation in the United States to reception stations; thence to places of recuperation; thence to same reception stations; and thence to new assembly stations. In this connection, the appropriate paragraphs of Section XIX of PRI will apply. Orders moving such personnel will contain the provisions indicated in paragraph 12c(6) above, except that group designations indicated in paragraph 12a(6)(c) will include the prefix letters of the port of aerial debarkation

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rather than the water ports of debarkation indicated therein. (Example: HUF-----Hunter Field; WEF-----Westover Field). The list of reception stations prescribed in List D of Appendix I, RR 1-2, will apply when RR 1-2 is declared in effect.

(3) Personnel records listed in paragraph 12a(5)(a)2 will be forwarded to the unit commander at assembly station. All individuals will retain the records listed in paragraph 12a(5)(a)1 above in their personal possession.

(4) Two (2) copies of all orders will be furnished to agencies indicated in paragraph 12c(8) above.

(5) All clothing and equipment not taken by the individual to places of recuperation will be shipped to the assembly station of the unit.

F. Action by Commanders at Assembly Station.

(1) Notify the addressees listed in paragraph 12c(10) above, by telegraph or teletype of the date of arrival of the detachment at assembly station.

(2) Upon arrival of the detachment indicated in paragraph 12a(4) above at the assembly station of the unit, the following action will be taken:

(a) After the detachment has turned in unit records for prompt establishment of personnel and supply administration, and has completed its duties as prescribed in paragraph 12a(4)(b), the Army Ground Forces commander at the assembly station in the case of Army Ground Forces units, and the commander of the assembly station in the case of other units, will process the detachment as prescribed in paragraph 12d(2) above and will grant recuperation to all individuals of the detachment, for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days plus travel time, in accordance with paragraph 12d(3) above, except that the detachment will be returned direct to the assembly station. The inspection indicated in paragraph 12d(4) above will be administered after return of the detachment.

(b) The Army Ground Forces commander at the assembly station in the case of Army Ground Forces units, and the commander of the assembly station in the case of other units, will provide necessary administration for the unit during the absence of unit personnel on recuperation, including the designation of an acting commander for the unit.

(c) The commander of the assembly station, for all units, will provide any appropriate storage and protection for equipment, records and property of the unit until needed.

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(d) Prior to reassembly of the unit at the assembly station, the commander of the assembly station (in coordination with the Army Ground Forces commander at the assembly station in the case of Army Ground Forces units), will take action to assemble organizational equipment for the unit, less items of equipment shipped for the unit to the assembly station. Further instructions concerning supply of equipment to units returned from overseas commands, to the United States are contained in Circular 73, War Department, 1945.

(e) The Army Ground Forces commander at the assembly station in the case of Army Ground Forces units, and the commander of the assembly station in the case of other units, will report unit strength to the major command concerned through channels within five (5) days after the date of reassembly of the unit at the assembly station.

g. Other Instructions.

(1) All expense involved under this directive with respect to movement of troops is chargeable to proper Allotment Serial Number and appropriate project and appropriation numbers published in paragraph 2b, Section II, Circular 245, War Department, 1944.

(2) Travel by privately-owned conveyance is authorized for individuals between reception stations and places of recuperation only. No additional authorized travel time, however, will be granted by reception station commanders because of travel by privately-owned conveyance.

(3) Reference is made to Circular 415, War Department 44. All Morning Reports prepared while at the United States port up to and including the day prior to the date of departure from the United States port, will be forwarded to the machine records units servicing the organization at the United States port. Morning Reports for the day of departure from the United States port and those originating en route (attention is invited to Section III, AR 345-400) will be forwarded to the machine records unit (or statistical control unit for AAF units) servicing the organization at its new station in the United States.

(a) For AAF units and units moving in echelons by air, the provisions of letter AG, AGMP-M 320.2 (27 Mar 45) OB-P-AFMSC, dated 6 April 1945, subject: Effect of Provisions of Section II, Circular 415, War Department 1944 upon Personnel Status Reports Required by the Headquarters, AAF, will be complied with, with particular reference to the identification of headquarters of air echelon for strength accountability.

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SECTION V

Inter-Theater Movement of Replacements and Individuals

13. General.

a. Movements of replacements between two theaters will be directed by the War Department. From personnel under their jurisdiction reported as available as contemplated under the provisions of paragraph 10a (3), WD Readjustment Regulation 1-1 (FR 1-1), overseas commanders will select and move personnel in accordance with instructions contained in the WD M/D. To implement the provisions of WD M/D, movement orders will be prepared by the commanding general of the theater of origin. Shipment numbers and letters will be assigned to each shipment of replacements.

b. Individuals will be moved under a separate procedure, described in paragraph 16 below.

14. Basic Provisions of the WD M/D. For the inter-theater movement of replacements, instructions as follows will be included in the WD M/D:

- a. Overseas destination to which personnel will be shipped.
- b. Number of requisition on which personnel was requested.
- c. Personnel to be shipped.
- d. Method of movement.
- e. Immunization requirements.
- f. Clothing and equipment to be taken.
- g. Dates for movement.
- h. General and special instructions to the commanding general of the theater of origin as may be required in specific movements.

15. Responsibilities.

a. The commanding general, theater of origin, will:

(1) Select personnel for transfer to other theaters as required by WD M/D. To assist in selecting personnel for an inter-theater shipment, the current rate tables for the appropriate theaters will be furnished by the War Department, indicating proportions by MOS (or SSN) for each arm or service to be used in bulk shipments of replacements. When these tables are not applicable, the WD M/D will list personnel required.

(2) Prepare all personnel selected for overseas movement in accordance with the provisions of Preparation for Overseas Movement of Replacements between Overseas Commands (Inclosure No. 3); Circulars 223 and 276, WD, 1943; Circular 453, WD, 1944; and AR 615-250.

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(3) Organize each shipment of replacements to be moved by water transportation in accordance with paragraph 6, Circular 317, W., 1944, and assign a five-digit shipment number from the inter-theater column in the list of shipment numbers contained in paragraph 2a, letter AG 370.5 (25 Jun 43) CG-S-SPNOT-B-M, 30 June 1943, subject: Assignment of Shipment Numbers to Overseas Commanders, as amended.

(4) Issue orders for movement of replacements in accordance with the provisions of the basic WD M/D. Replacements will be referred to in orders by shipment numbers.

(5) Notify by radio, at the earliest practicable date, The Adjutant General (Attention: SPOAR) and the commanding general of the theater of destination, of:

- (a) Shipment Number assigned.
- (b) Number of officers and enlisted personnel in each shipment by color, arm or service, and MOS.
- (c) Reference to WD M/D and requisition number.
- (d) Approximate date of departure and estimated date of arrival.

(6) Arrange for the delivery of personnel to the Commanding General, Army Service Forces (Chief of Transportation) for movement by water, or the Commanding General, Army Air Forces (Air Transport Command) for movement by air, to final destination.

(7) Make appropriate provisions to insure the security of the movement.

(8) Furnish clothing and individual equipment for all personnel as proscribed in the WD M/D.

(9) Dispose of excess baggage as proscribed in Inclosure No. 3.

(10) Not later than twenty-four (24) hours after the departure of each shipment by water, report by radio to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I); to the theater commander at destination; and to the intermediate theater commander (if the movement is by water and the vessel will call at an intermediate port), the following information:

- Shipment numbers assigned
- *Total number of officer and enlisted replacements in each shipment
- Date of departure
- Reference to proper WD M/D and number of requisition for which personnel is being shipped

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Port serial number currently assigned to the vessel
Expected date of arrival at an intermediate port
(if any) and at destination

*Note: Number of any female or negro officers
and enlisted personnel will be indicated.

(11) If shipment is by air, report not later than twelve (12) hours after departure, by radio to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I) and to the destination theater commander, the following information:

Name of replacements
Reference to proper WD M/D and number of requisition
for which personnel is being shipped
Date of departure
Designation of aircraft
Expected date of arrival at destination

(12) For each shipment of air personnel, forward to the Commanding General, Army Air Forces (Statistical Control Division), within twenty-four (24) hours before departure, a final personnel status report. This report will be prepared and forwarded in accordance with the provisions of letter AG 320.2 (31 Jan 45) OM-E-AFMSG-M, dated 8 February 1945, subject: Uniform Strength Reports (Air Forces) and amendments thereto.

b. Commanding generals, all intermediate bases or area commands, will report to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I); to the commanding general of theater of origin; and to the commanding general of theater of final destination for vessels carrying replacements moving under WD M/D:

- (1) Port serial number of vessel
- (2) Date of arrival and departure
- (3) Estimated date of arrival at final destination.
- (4) Any change in strength of the personnel upon departure from the intermediate port of call.

c. The commanding general, theater of destination, will:

- (1) Coordinate priority requests for shipment of replacements with the War Department (Assistant Chief of Staff for Operations, WGS).
- (2) Recommend to the War Department the desired point of debarkation within the theater.
- (3) Report to The Adjutant General, Operations Branch (OB-I); to the commanding general of theater of origin; and to the commanding general

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of the intermediate theater (if the movement is by water and the vessel called at a port in any intermediate theater), information contained in paragraphs 15 (10) and (11) above, furnishing the date of arrival of shipments in his theater in lieu of "expected date of arrival at destination".

d. Commanding General, Army Service Forces, will:

- (1) Furnish movement portions of WD M/D.
- (2) Furnish necessary transportation for water movement, as provided in WD M/D, and coordinate the movement with the commanding general of theater of origin.
- (3) Furnish theater of origin and theater of destination with lists of appropriate clothing and individual equipment necessary to be issued to troops prior to embarkation.
- (4) Insure that the following procedures are accomplished for personnel en route by water:
 - (a) A physical inspection by the ship surgeon of each individual for the detection of acute communicable diseases and venereal infection. This inspection will be accomplished within twenty-four (24) hours before scheduled debarkation. Following the inspection a health certificate will be prepared and signed by the ship surgeon. Further reference is made to Change 1 to AR 55-435 concerning medical inspections aboard transports.
 - (b) Action in connection with foreign quarantine as prescribed in Circular 452, WD, 1944.
 - (c) Appropriate action in connection with AR 55-350.

e. Commanding General, Army Air Forces, will:

- (1) When the WD M/D and/or the movement order of the commanding general of theater of origin, prescribe movement by air, furnish necessary air transportation for replacements.
- (2) Prepare, in conjunction with the Commanding General, Army Service Forces, appropriate clothing and equipment lists to cover personnel moving by air for each theater of final destination and furnish such lists to the commanding generals of theaters of origin and theaters of final destination.

16. Individuals.

- a. Theater commanders will issue the necessary orders for the inter-theater movement of individuals, including civilians, under specific directives of the War Department or under general policies to be established by the War Department.

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b. Orders issued by theater commanders may be either individual travel orders, wherein the personnel are moved by name, or by group orders comparable to those for replacements (see paragraph 14 above), to which five-digit shipment numbers and letters will be assigned. The use of group orders (identified by shipment numbers and letters) is to facilitate the movement and therefore does not replace individual orders required in specific instances.

c. Reports will be made as indicated in paragraphs 15a(10) and (11) 15b, and 15c(3) above.

d. Direct communication is authorized between theater commanders concerned in regard to transfer of personnel for temporary duty. Movement will not be made, however, until War Department approval is obtained.

3 Incls:

- #1 - Redeployment Movements (Preparation for Inter-Theater movement)
- #2 - Redeployment Movements (Status Reports on Units Scheduled for Redeployment)
- #3 - Redeployment Movements (Preparation for Movement of Replacements between Overseas Command)

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TO: Commanding Generals,
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(5) There is a let-down of discipline as evidenced by appearance of individuals, deficiencies in military courtesy, number of AWOL's, and condition of barracks.

(6) More time for retraining is required for units which

(a) require considerable personnel re-placements.

(b) while overseas, were utilized to any great degree in other than their normal mission.

(c) have been converted to another type of unit or assigned another type of assignment upon return from overseas."

2. This information is furnished to assist you in taking effective action to correct deficiencies in units to be redeployed. Although the provisions of AG letter 320.2(15 Feb 45)03-5-2-M, 27 February 1945, subject, "Policies and Procedures Governing the Redeployment of the Army upon Cessation of Hostilities in Europe", and the annexes and inclosures thereto, are not yet in effect, it is believed that their application to units to be redeployed prior to 1-1-46, particularly to units scheduled for direct redeployment, will prevent in great measure the repeated occurrence of the types of deficiencies noted by The Inspector General.

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