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SD/20/2 ORG. of SMOKE UNITS 2nd Cover
Opened July 27, 1945 - CLOSED Aug. 28, 1945
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COPY INCOMING SIGNAL

FROM: ROME AREA
TO : DESTINEE (LO MMIA)
INFO: MMIA
516 IT AIM REGT
REF : SD 4347

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IMPORTANT

SD/14/2
(Info 27A)

A F H Q G 1 (Dr)/1074/A 1 (RMR 2889) OF 13 AUG REPERES (.)
DISBANMENT 503 IT SMOKE COY (.) REQUEST 227 DIV DE
INSTRUCTED EXPEDITE DISPOSAL INTRER FOR IT PERSONNEL
THROUGH 516 IT AIM REGT

SD DISTRIBUTION:

ACTION: SD 14/2

INFO : A
C (Two)
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Subject: Disbandment of Part IIIA and Part IIB Units

LAND FORCES STAFF HQ (LAFS)
SD/11/2

10 Aug 1945

TO : Ministry of War

1 and 4 ITALIAN NAVAL CORPS (ITALIAN F-SECTION)
512, 520 ITALIAN LINE SECTIONS
192 ITALIAN SIGNAL SERVICE UNIT
502, 503, 506 ITALIAN SMOKE CORPS
400, 401, 404, 407 ITALIAN BOMBING CORPS ~~RE-7-P~~

DISBANDMENT

1. The above mentioned units will be disbanded as shown at App "A" attached

PERSONNEL

2. Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with LAFS Signals A 1222 dated 8 Aug 45 and A 1240 dated 15 Aug 45.

EQUIPMENT

- 3. (a) British equipment will be returned to Ordnance under arrangements of the supervisory authority.
- (b) Italian equipment will be returned to Sub Depots under arrangements of the appropriate Adm Divs.

COMPLETION

4. Disbandment will be completed by 9 Sept 45 except where otherwise stated.

REFERENCE

5. LAFS letters C-7(P)/1074/41 Serials 2310, 2312, 2319 of 4 Aug, 10 Aug and 13 Aug respectively, refer.

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REFERENCE

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DISTRIBUTION

HQ 13 Corps
 1 District
 3 District
 LIA 16 c/o 55 Area
 LIA 10 1 District
 LIA 10 3 District
 LIA 10 54 Area
 LIA 16 17 Italy, att Camp (Fox)
 LIA 10 228 Adm Div c/o LIA 16 1 District
 LIA 16 c/o 54 Area City Command (att Camp Thru)

INITIALS

A (two)
 C (three)
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Major General
I.I.A.

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Ser ial No	U N I T	REF NUMBER	OFFIC	ORs	LOCATION	DEPARTMENT AUTHORITY
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1	✓ 1 Italian Naval Coy (Italian Portion)	CM/172/1 XII/956/1	2	281	MESERE	HQ 13 Corps
2	✓ 4 Italian Naval Coy (Italian Portion)	CM/172/1 XII/956/1	2	281	GENOA	HQ 2 District
3	✓ 519 Italian Line fcc	CM/465/1	2	94	MODENA	HQ 1 District
4	✓ 520 Italian Line fcc	CM/465/1	2	94	BOLOGNA	HQ 1 District
5	✓ 192 Italian Signal Service Unit	CM/854/1	3	117	CORTICELLA	HQ 1 District
6	✓ 502 Italian Smoke Coy	CM/835/1	5	283	LA PICCIOLA	HQ 3 District
7	✓ 503 Italian Smoke Coy	CM/835/1	5	283	LIDO DI ROMA	RAAC
8	✓ 506 Italian Smoke Coy	CM/835/1	5	283	CANCELLO	HQ 3 District
9	✓ 400 Italian Pmr Regt					
	✓ HQ	CM/812/1	9	27	VIGIANO (near AREZZO)	HQ 1 District
	✓ HQ No 1 Bn	CM/813/1	4	11	AREZZO	HQ 1 District
	✓ 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98 Italian Pmr Coys 1 Bn	CM/810/1 XII/962/1	30	1254	AREZZO	HQ 1 District
	✓ HQ No 2 Bn	CM/813/1	4	11	SACILE	HQ 13 Corps
	✓ 99, 101, 104 Italian Pmr Coys 2 Bn	CM/810/1 XII/962/1	15	627	MESTRE	HQ 13 Corps

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Per No	UNIT	REF NUMBER	Offrs	GRs	LOCATION	SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	
	<u>400 Italian Pnr Regt con'd</u>						
✓	100 Pnr Coy	XII/962/1 (CM/810/1)	5	209	PERIULA	HQ 13 Corps	22
✓	102 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	BOLOGNA	HQ 1 District	20
✓	103 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	S. LAZZARO	HQ 1 District	20
			77	2557			
10. ✓	<u>404 Italian Pnr Regt</u>						
	HQ	CM/812/1	9	27	BARI	HQ 3 District	22
✓	HQ No 1 Bn	CM/813/1	4	11	CANCELLO	HQ 3 District	22
✓	141, 142, 145, 146 Ital Pnr Coys., 1 Bn	XII/962/1 (CM/810/1)	20	836	CANCELLO	HQ 3 District	22
✓	143 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	NAPLES	HQ 3 District	22
✓	144 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	LA PICCIOLA	HQ 3 District	22
✓	HQ No 2 Bn	CM/813/1	4	11	BARI	HQ 3 District	22
✓	148, 149, 150, 151 Ital Pnr Coys., 2 Bn	XII/962/1 (CM/810/1)	20	836	BARI	HQ 3 District	22
✓	147 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	BARI	HQ 3 District	22
✓	152 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	PORTOFANFONE	HQ 3 District	22
			77	2557			
11. ✓	<u>401 Italian Pnr Regt</u>						
	HQ	CM/812/1	9	27	ANCONA	HQ 1 District	20
✓	HQs 1 and 2 Bns	CM/813/1	8	22	FALCONARA	HQ 1 District	20
✓	105 - 112 Pnr Coys	XII/962/1 (CM/810/1)	10	418	FALCONARA	HQ 1 District	20
✓	106 - 115 Pnr Coys	"	10	418	GHILARVALE	HQ 1 District	20
✓	107 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	MARZAGLIA	HQ 1 District	20
✓	108, 111, 114 Pnr Coys	"	15	627	TESI	HQ 1 District	20
✓	109 Pnr Coy	"	5	209	SENIGALLIA	HQ 1 District	20

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ED NUMBER	Offrs	ORs	LOCATION	SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY	ITALIAN ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE FOR PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE
(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)
II/962/1	5	209	PERIOLA	HQ 13 Corps	228 Adm Div	10 August
II/810/1)	5	209	BOLOGNA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	10 August
"	5	209	S. LAZZARO	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	10 August
	77	2557				
II/812/1	9	27	BARI	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
II/813/1	4	11	CANCELLO	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
II/962/1						
II/810/1)	20	836	CANCELLO	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
"	5	209	NAPLES	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
"	5	209	LA PICCIOLA	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
II/813/1	4	11	BARI	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
II/962/1						
II/810/1)	20	836	BARI	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
"	5	209	BARI	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
"	5	209	PORTOFINNOLE	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	10 August
	77	2557				
II/812/1	9	27	ANCONA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
II/813/1	8	22	FALCONARA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
II/962/1						
II/810/1)	10	418	FALCONARA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
"	10	418	CHIARAVALLE	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
"	5	209	MARZOLLA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
"	15	627	IESI	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
"	5	209	SENIGALLIA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August

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Ser ial No	UNIT	NUMBER	Offrs	ONS	LOCATION	SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
	401 Italian Par Regt	con'td				
		XII/962/1				
✓	110 Par Coy	(CM/810/1)	5	209	ANCONA	HQ 1 Distr
✓	113 Par Coy	"	5	209	CASTELTERMINI	HQ 1 Distr
✓	116 Par Coy	"	5	209	CASERTA	HQ 1 Distr
			77	2557		
12. ✓	407 Italian Par Regt					
	HQ	GM/812/1	9	27	SALINHO	HQ 3 Distr
	HQ 1 Bn	GM/813/1	4	11	CANCELLI	HQ 3 Distr
	177, 178, 179, 180 Par Coys	XII/962/1				
		(CM/810/1)	20	836	CANCELLI	HQ 3 Distr
✓	181 Par Coy	"	5	209	SAN GIOVANNI	HQ 3 Distr
✓	182 Par Coy	"	5	209	CANCELLI	HQ 3 Distr
✓	HQ 2 Bn	GM/813/1	4	11	LA PICCIOLA	HQ 3 Distr
✓	183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188 Par Coys	XII/962/1 (CM/810/1)	30	1254	LA PICCIOLA	HQ 3 Distr
			77	2557		

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(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(j)
XII/962/1						
(CM/810/1)	5	209	ANCONA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
"	5	209	CASTELVERDE	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
"	5	209	CANIPARA	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div	20 August
	77					
	77	2557				
CM/812/1	9	27	SALENTO	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	20 August
CM/813/1	4	11	CANCELLIO	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	20 August
XII/962/1						
(CM/810/1)	20	836	CANCELLIO	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	20 August
"	5	209	SAN GIOVANNI	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	20 August
"	5	209	CANCELLIO	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	20 August
CM/813/1	4	11	LA PICCIOLA	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	20 August
XII/962/1						
(CM/810/1)	30	1254	LA PICCIOLA	HQ 3 District	227 Adm Div	20 August
	77	2557				

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 784 U. S. Army
Office of G-3 (British)

48A188/43(Br)

15 August 1946

SUBJECT: Disbandment of Units - 503 It Smoke Coy

TO: 503 It Smoke Coy (encl 4 copies AFHQ Romo)
Copy: ABL RAAC { 1 copy
G-1 (Br) RAAC { 1
G-4 (Br) RAAC { 1
ADOC RAAC { 1
WHIA { 1

1. In accordance with att AFHQ G-1(BR)/1074/A1(Ser.2382) dated 13 Aug 46, 503 It Smoke Coy will be disbanded under the supervision of this Headquarters.

2. British vehs and equipment will be disposed of on instructions which will be given by ADOC Rome Area (see para 3 of AFHQ letter).

3. A list of vehs will be sent to G(AE) AFHQ CMP, G(AE)4 GMR 1ST, copy to this Headquarters, showing:

(i) VV No. (iii) Type.
(ii) Make. (iv) To whom returned.

4. Completion

- (a) ABL will report in quadruplicate when disbandment is complete.
(b) Disbandment will be completed by 3 Sep 46.

GSO 1 _____
GSO 2 (Cpt) _____
GSO 3 (SD) X 20/8
GSO 2 (W) _____
GSO 1 (C) _____
GSO 4 (SD) X 20/8
GSO 3 (Orbal) X
GSO 2 (I) _____

E. S. Smith
E. S. SMITH,
Major G3,
G-3 (British).

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MMIA.	
FILE:	68/202
DATE:	8/16/46

Have we issued
disbandment order
yet? B 16/8

Yes 14/8

COPY INCOMING SIGNAL

FROM : MMIA LO FLORENCE COMMAND
TO : MMIA ROME
REF : ~~XXXXXXXX~~

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^{Hand.}
CONVERSATION ~~LINE~~ - THRUPP (.) SUGGESTED LOWERING
OF ~~W.E.~~ ^{W.E.} OF SMOKE COMPANIES NOW CONSIDERED
NOT NECESSARY IN VIEW OF REINFORCEMENTS SHORTLY AVAILABLE

SD DISTRIBUTION

Action Copy: SD/20/2

This refers to a conversation in which Thrupp said that the Smoke boys were doing Para Boy work but were organized on a higher WE (about 60 extra lbs). He suggested that the boys be reorganized on a lower WE of the Para boys.

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GSD 1

GSD 2 (Cps)

GSD 3 (Cps)

GSD 2 (Cps)

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