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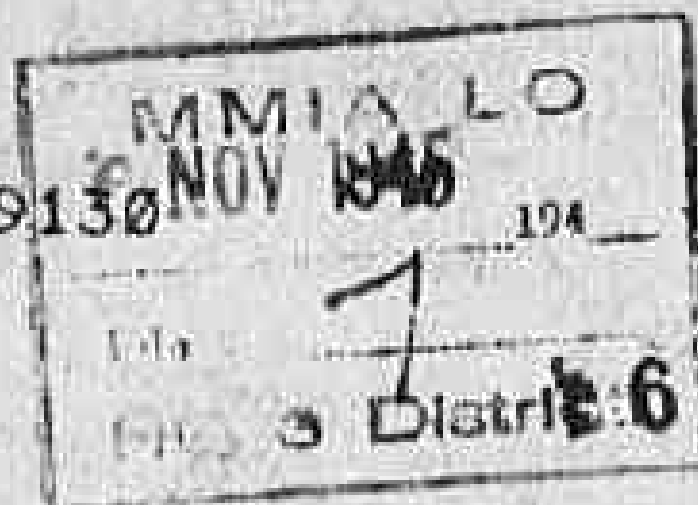
BR-ITI UNITS
(other than Lab. Eng. Sigs)

Apr. - Nov. 1945

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MEDYV LROF

NR 9130



QVR3

FROM MIA 051500A

TO MIN OF WAR

INFO PENSOUTH FOR MMIA LO : DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO : 60 SUB AREA FOR
68 ARTY REGT FOR BYATT : MMIA LO MILAN

BT

SD 3041 UNCLASSIFIED . MOVE SOONEST NO 1 RECOVERY SECTION FROM
A F R A G O L A TO B O L Z A N O AND NO 2 RECOVERY SECTION FROM
R O M E TO V E R O N A BOTH COMING UNDER TERR COMMAND HQ NO 4
ON ARRIVAL . MMIA LO BOLZANO WARN EDWARDS

BT 051500A

SENT NR 9130 1850A FA B K

RD NR 9130 1850 STIK B

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MMIA LO

MMIA LO 3D

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICE
HQ 3 DISTRICT CMF

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6/ILO/2/H



31 Oct. 1945

Subject: motor-vehicle request.

granted.

→
G (SD)
MMIA LO

*See Jacket III
for answer*

ITALIAN INCR. TO
5 BASE ARMY POST OFFICE.

1. The s/m unit underlines the difficulties encountered to draw rations in as much as they have no transportation.
2. A motor-vehicle is not included in their WB and 513 Rgt HQ under which the unit in question comes, have not got enough means for themselves.
3. It would be appreciated, therefore, if you were:
 - a) to recommend that the WB in respect be changed so as to include at least one lorry;
 - b) to assign a motor-vehicle, on temporary basis, until the amendment takes place.

IGG

607
M.A. Zizzo Lt. Col.
Chief Italian LO.

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SUBJECT : 861 Pool of Italian Liaison Officers



LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E .
Tel: 489081 Ext: 533.
A 110/12.
22 Oct. 45

TO : M.M.I.A. LO N.W. Italy
M.M.I.A. LO 3 District

folio 95.
Reference SD/22/2 of 15 October.

1. Please obtain from 2 District and 3 District respectively, and forward in due course to M.M.I.A. a nominal roll of the officers and NCO's employed by the Districts and subordinate headquarters on the strength of 861 Pool of Italian Liaison Officers, W.B. CM/88/1.

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*See folio 6
part III for answer*

for Dobb
mgir
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

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Subject:- Conversion of Part II(E) Ex-Cooperator Units

Land Forces Sub-Comm. AC (MMIA)

MMIA LO
20 OCT 1945
HQ 3 District

SD/36/2

18 Oct 45

To : WAR MINISTRY

Co-operator Increment to GHQ 2nd Echelon.

1. W. e. f. 25 Aug 45 the a/m unit will be redesignated "Italian Increment to GHQ 2nd Echelon" and converted from WE CM/163/1 to WE CM/1531/1 which comprises:-

Offrs	-	2
O.Rs.	-	117
Transport	-	1 Motor Cycle

2. Supervising Authority will be HQ No. 3 District. Personnel and transport will be adjusted to the new WE under your arrangements.

3. Equipment will conform to basic scale 6503/7.

4. The postal address of the unit will be :-

"Italian Increment to GHQ 2nd Echelon, C.M.F.".

5. Authority for conversion is GHQ, C.M.F. letter 1026/A1(Ser 3426) dated 13 Oct 45.

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[Signature]
Major General
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: HQ No. 3 District
MMIA LO 3 District

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O.Rs. - 117

Transport - 1 Motor Cycle

2. Supervising Authority will be HQ No. 3 District. Personnel and transport will be adjusted to the new WE under your arrangements.

3. Equipment will conform to basic scale 6508/7.

4. The postal address of the unit will be :-

"Italian Increment to GHQ 2nd Echelon, C.M.F.".

5. Authority for conversion is GHQ, CMF letter 1026/A1(Ser 3426) dated 13 Oct 45.

Copy to: HQ No. 3 District
MMIA LO 3 District

Internal: A 2 (Two)
SD/1/4

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Major General
M.M.I.A.

RESTRICTED

SUBJECT: Conversion of Units - Italian

141 56 Area (5)

G
Q

Ord

ILO

MCIA IG

Land Forces Sub Commission

AG (MILA)

5 District
Tel Ext 23
104/760 A
17 Oct 45



encl 63/1 Cooperator Incr to GHO 2nd Echelon

Reference attached copies of GHO GEF letter 1026/A.1. (Ser. 3426) dated 13 Oct 45.

1. Conversion and redesignation of the above named unit, with effect from 25 Aug 45, will be supervised by you.

2. Transport and equipment will be adjusted to relevant scales.

Attention of the unit will be drawn to GHO 453/45 as amended by GHO 841/45.

3. Completion report will be rendered in quadruplicate to this HQ.

4. G (SD). Please supply copies of the relevant RE, when available.

GHO letter gives redesignation

as GHO 453/45

encl 63/1

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Del
D. G.

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19 OCT 1945

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Reference attached copies of G-9 CAF Letter 1006/A, 1. (Ser.

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2. Transport and equipment will be adjusted to relevant scales.

Attention of the unit will be drawn to CRO 453/45 as amended by CRO 841/45.

3. Completion report will be rendered in quadruplicate to this HQ.
4. G (SD). Please supply copies of the relevant WB, when available.

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DA 401G.

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Subject : Formation of Pt II A Units.

MMIA LO
15.007
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HQ 3 District

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AG (MMIA)

SD/22/2

15 Oct 45

To. : MINISTRY OF WAR

861 POOL OF ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICERS

FORMATION

1. The above mentioned Pool is being formed with effect from 15 Oct 45. This unit covers the Interpreter personnel at present held by British Static HQs and formations.

WAR ESTABLISHMENT

2. The authorised WE is CM/884/1 and consists of 110 Officers although 50% of this personnel may be NCOs if available.

UNIT SERIAL

3. Serial 9800/1 has been allotted to this unit.

AUTHORITY

4. GHQ, CMF letter 1116/11 (Ser 3392) dated 9 Oct 45 refers.

Major General,
M. W. I. A.

Copy to : RALC

MMIA LO c/o 201 SUB AREA
MMIA LO c/o 86 AREA
MMIA LO N.W. ITALY MILAN
MMIA LO c/o 60 SUB AREA
MMIA LO c/o 07 AREA
MMIA LO c/o LIAISON SEC FBS

MMIA LO BOLZANO c/o 68 TD ARMY REGT
RA c/o 217 AREA

MMIA LO MILAN

261 POOL OF ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICERS

FORMATION

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WIR ESTABLISHMENT

2. The authorised WE is CM/884/1 and consists of 110 Officers although 50% of this personnel may be NCOs if available.

UNIT SERIAL

3. Serial 9600/1 has been allotted to this unit.

ATTACHED

4. CHQ, CMF letter 1116/1 (Ser 3392) dated 9 Oct 45 refers.

Major-General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to : RALC

MMIA LO c/o 201 SUB AREA
MMIA LO c/o 86 AREA
MMIA LO N.W. ITALY MILAN
MMIA LO c/o 60 SUB AREA
MMIA LO c/o 7 AREA
MMIA LO c/o LIAISON SEC FES
MMIA LO c/o FLORENCE CITY COND
MMIA LO c/o 3 DISTRICT
MMIA LO c/o 54 AREA

MMIA LO BOLZANO c/o 68 TD ARMY REGT
RA c/o 217 AREA

MMIA LO MILITARY

PLEASE FOR MMIA LO FOR SCOP
MMIA LO c/o 217 AREA

Internal : 1
S(Two)
SD/1/4
SD/18/1

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MEDY V LROF NR 0221 R R QVR 3/7
FROM MMIA 091500A
TO AFHQ
INFO DISTWO

DISTHREE

56 BLU

MMIA LO MILAN

FLORENCE CITY COMD FOR MMIA LO

DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO

BT

SD 3001 UNCLASSIFIED *101092*
REFERENCE OUR SD2998 OF 8 OCT (.)

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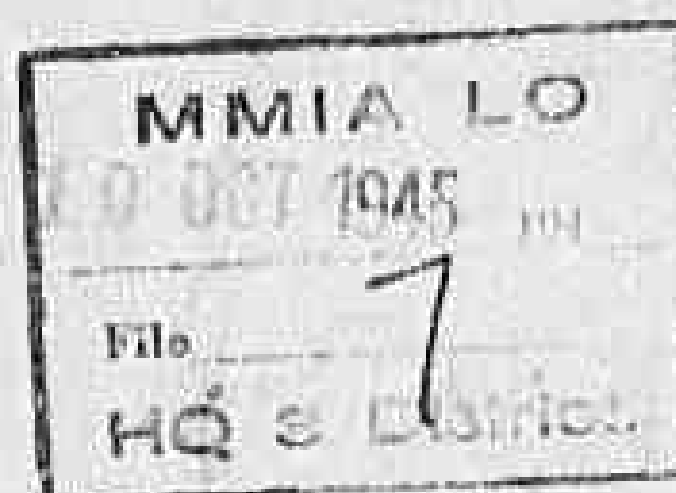
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FOR FASCIST PRISONERS EX PISA CAMP (.) UNQUOTE

BT

SENT NR 0221 RS B K

RD NR 221 1830 EL K

10 OCT 1945



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Subject: - Move of Det MANTOVA Combat GP from AREZZO

Q2
MMIA LO
ILO (230)

MMIA LO
9 OCT 1945
HQ 3 District.

Ref my SD 596 of 8 Oct.
Herewith copy MMIA SD 2998 of 8 Oct for info:

"FROM MMIA 081155A

TO AFHQ

INFO DISTWO DISTREE 56 ILU

MMIA LO MILAN FLORENCE CITY COMD FOR MMIA LO

DISTREE FOR MMIA LO

SD2998 UNCLASSIFIED

ONE. PLEASE MOVE DET OF MANTOVA GP STR 240

ALL RANKS 200 CARRIERS FROM AREZZO AS FOLLOWS. TWO.

TO MILAN 120 ALL RANKS 100 CARRIERS. TO GENOA

120 ALL RANKS 100 CARRIERS.

THREE. MOVE REQUIRED SOONEST IN ORDER TO FREE

ACCOMMODATION LATERINA CAMP FOR RETURNING

ITALIAN EX POW "

Alfreen
(DA GRIVEN) Major
Par Lt Col GS.

93
3 District
Ext 5
611/G

9 Oct 45.

*Johns 92
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91A
lie up.*

MEDV V LROF NR9880

QVR3/7

FROM MMIA 081135A

TO AFHQ

INFO DISTWO DISTHREE 56 BLU

MMIA LO MILAN FLORENCE CITY COMD FOR MMIA LO

DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO

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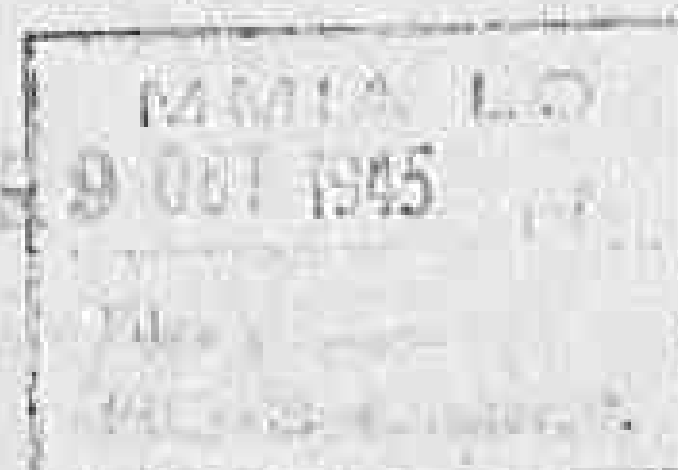
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BT 081135A

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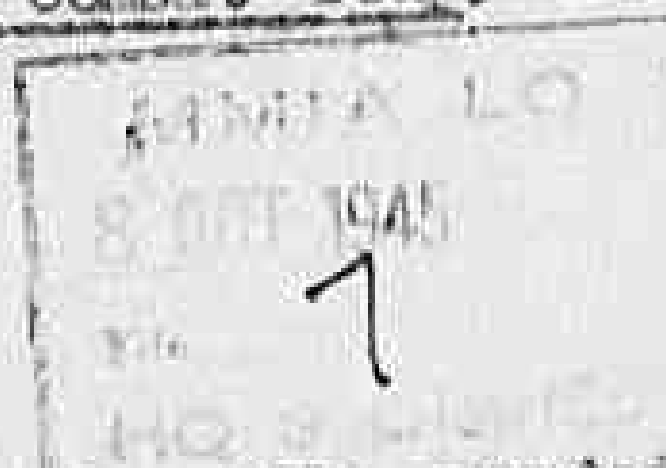
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FROM	DISPATCH	08/530 A
TO	FOR ACTION	MMIA LO 5/1/79 1 HQ 3/1/79 att
	FOR INFORMATION	
MMIA N ITALY (MILAN), 56 HLU		see 92 for reply.
SD 596 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) re: MMIA N ITALY letter MIL/79 of 4 oct (.) This HQ unable issue move order: details of MANTOVA combat group as far not under cond (.) request you take action on above letter. (.)		
This message may be sent as written by my group incl wireless		
Hqs.		
Copy to: 32 MMIAO ILO (230) (with copy of letter concerned).		

603 525

Subject: - Detachment of Mantova Combat Group.

To: HQ 3 District

MEMA
56 NLU



91A
M.M.I.A., N. Italy.
MILAN.
Tel: Milan 13989.
MIL/7/O.
4 Oct 45.

1. The STAZIONE LATERINA (AREZZO) camp is still occupied by a Track Vehicle Detachment of the MANTOVA Combat Group.
2. The Italian Ministry of War is preparing facilities in this area for internment of neo-fascist prisoners, and hopes to put the camp into operation by 15 October.
3. It is requested that orders are given for the move of the MANTOVA detachment to another locality in order to make room for the internment camp. Such a move, it is thought, will meet with the full approval of the G.O.C. MANTOVA combat Group.

See 91 and
92 for requis

Lieut-col.
Senior MEMA lo, N Italy.

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SUBJECT :- Italian Combat Groups - New Designation

10 LAND FORCES HQS COMM
AG (MMIA) 1 DISTRICT
Baseball 2
Ref 1DLO/7

8 Oct 45

HQ 227 DIV
HQ 230 DIV

Copy to :- ILO (227 DIV)
ILO (230 DIV)

HQ MMIA signal SD 2991 of 4 Oct 45 is repeated to you for your information :-

" The Italian Ministry of War has issued an instruction to its lower HQs that with effect from 15 Oct 45 "Italian Combat Groups" will be designated "Italian Inf Divisions" for example "FRIBLI Inf Division".

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for MMIA LO

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MMIA LO
8 OCT 1945
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HQS 8 DIVISION
OUTGOING SIGNATURE

FROM: MMIA

Date 04/7/00 Time A

TO : AFHQ
DISTWO
DISTTHREE
13 CORPS
P B S
RAAC
50 BLU
51 BLU
52 BLU
53 BLU
56 BLU
'F' EL & TC, IRTC

201 SUB AREA FOR MMIA LO FOR SELEY
86 AREA FOR MMIA LO
MMIA LO MILAN
MMIA LO GENOA
MMIA LO TURIN
MMIA LO SARDINIA
217 AREA FOR 68 ARTY REGT FOR HYATT
217 AREA FOR MMIA LO FOR THURPP
COMMON PARACHUTE FOR MMIA LO
TENSOUTH FOR MMIA LO
PENBASE FOR MMIA LO FOR FORDYCE
PENBASE FOR MMIA LO FOR SCOTT
FLORENCE CITY CMD FOR MMIA LO
DIST REG FOR MMIA LO
54 AREA FOR MMIA LO
US AAFSC/ATO

REF : SD 2991

see folio 90
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THE ITALIAN MINISTRY OF WAR HAS ISSUED AN INSTRUCTION TO
ITALIAN LOWER HQS THAT W.E.F. 15 OCT 45 " ITALIAN COMBAT
GROUPS" WILL BE DESIGNATED " ITALIAN INF DIVISIONS "
FOR EXAMPLE " FRIULI INF DIVISION "

PROSECUTION ROUTINE

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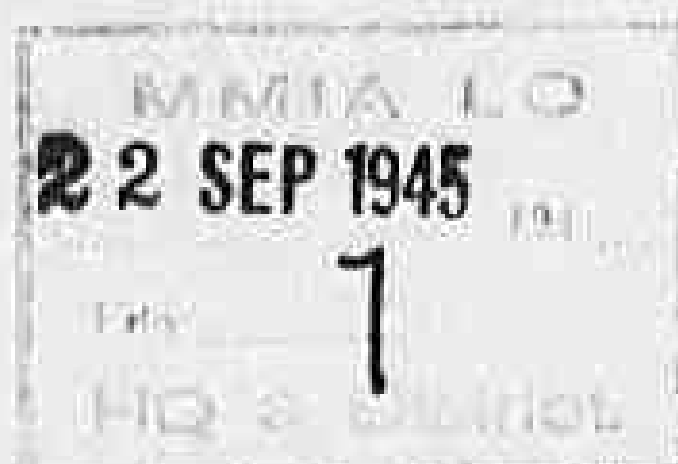
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H. G. C.

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Internal: Normal

Copy to : Executive Commissioner, AC

Subject: Ex co-operator Units



LAND FORCES SUB COMM AC (MMIA)

SD/131

19 Sep 45

TO : Senior MMIA LO NW ITALY, MILAN
" " " 3 District

1. It appears that areas and sub areas who are employing ex co-operator personnel have not applied through the normal channels for conversion of these personnel on to CM/1519/1 - Italian Incr to HQ An Area and CM/1520/1 - Italian Incr to HQ A Sub Area, in all cases.
2. This is holding up the work of the War Ministry in tidying up the conversion of ex co-operators to the Italian Army.
3. It is requested therefore that you speak to the District HQs in your area in order that Area and Sub Area HQs may be pressed to forward through the normal channels the appropriate applications ^{to form} ~~from~~ the units concerned.
4. Please confirm or correct the locations of the following Areas and Sub Areas :-

57 Area - 2 District
59 Area - MILAN
214 Sub Area RIMINI
216 Sub Area BOLOGNA
260 Sub Area LEGHORN

P ARONA
- GENOVA

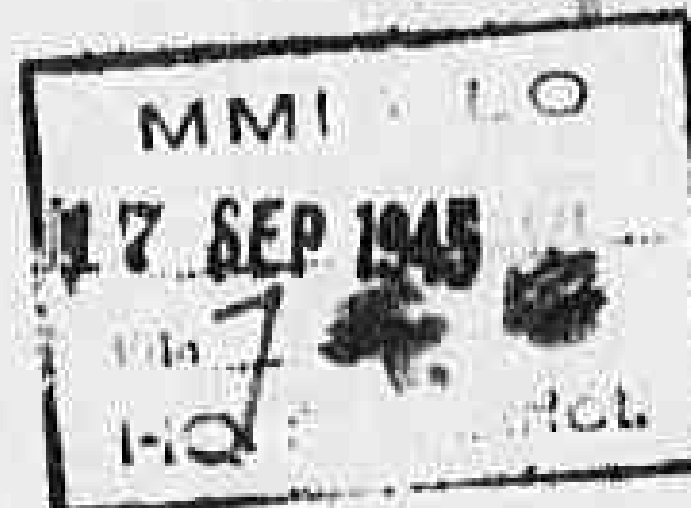
Mr Chayne
maj 68
Major General
M.M.I.A.

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P O N O G R A M M A

DA COMILITER BARI
AT COMILITER NAPOLI
e p. c.
COMANDO 227 DIVISIONE
MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT
COMANDO RGTO S.MARCO. *1 late*



4874/Op (.) Rif. r° 02/3813/Ord del Comando 227 Divisione (.)
Pregasi comunicare località et giorno presentazione
personale Regto S.Marco per ritiro carri armati
assegnati at predetto Rgto FINE

Firm CASTAMAGGIORE.

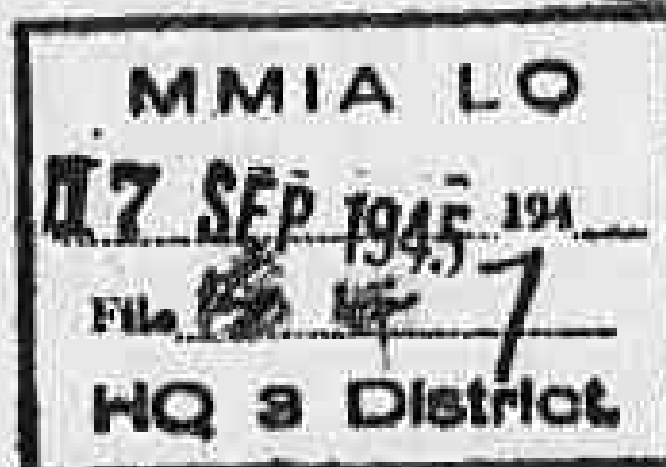
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Trasm. DORATORE
Riceve Sten.Visconti.

Wm

TELEGRAMMA

DA COMANDO 227^a DIVISIONE
AT STAGIONE ORDINA RETO
et per conoscenza:
→ L.O. M. I.A. 3^o DISTRICT
AT COMILITER NAPOLI
AT COMILITER BARI



15/0.

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N° 02/3901/ORD. ALT L.O. M.I.A. 3^o DISTRICT INTERISTE MONITORANTE GLI
SIA STATO COMUNICATO CONTESTATO DISPOSIZIONI VOSTRO
TELEGRAMMA 19452/ORD DATO 31 MAGGIO 1945 CHE
RISULTA S. PIANO CHE HABET SOSTENUTO IN PUGLIA
RICHIEDENDO SOSTENUTI PER SOSTENUTO AL DIPENDENTE O-
PERATIVE COMILITER BARI DA DIPENDENTE PER IL RESTO DA
QUESTO COMANDO ALT PIANO DIPENDENTE ADI CONFERMAZIONE
DIPENDENTE SIGNIFICANDO CHE AL SOSTI TELEGRAMMA
SOPRACITATO RICHIEDENDO S. PIANO VERGOLA DAL VERGOLA
RICO DAL VERGOLA SET STATO AL DIPENDENTE DI QUESTO
COMANDO FINE

GENERALE MOSSI COMAN ANTE 227^a DIVISIONE15



C. S. SANTORI
(Dopo la firma)

DA 227 DIVISIONE
AT COMILITER BARI
NAPOLI

c.p;c.

M M I A LO 3 DISTRICT
ILO 3 DISTRICT

TELEGRAMMA

MMIA LO
13 SEP 1945
File 1
HQ 3 District

02/ 3613/ord(..) RIT 1° 3 DLO/22 del 1° corr. dell'MMIA LO
3 District(..) Come già chiarito con Maj
Holt et confermato da 3 District con tele
3/TI2 del 29 Agosto Rgt S. Marco dipende
at ogni effetto da Comilitari Bari avendo
sostituito in Puglia Rgt Garibaldi per cui
SM. ordinamento aveva stabilito dipendenze
con suo tele 15462/ord del 31 luglio scorso(..)
Pertanto si pregano Comilitari in indirizzo
compiacersi presi accordi diretti per prele-
vamento et trasferimento da Napoli et Trani
Carri armati destinati al Rgt predetto. ALA

Fto. Castemaggiore

T ras. Garibona 12.10 12/9/45

Ric. ST. Visconti

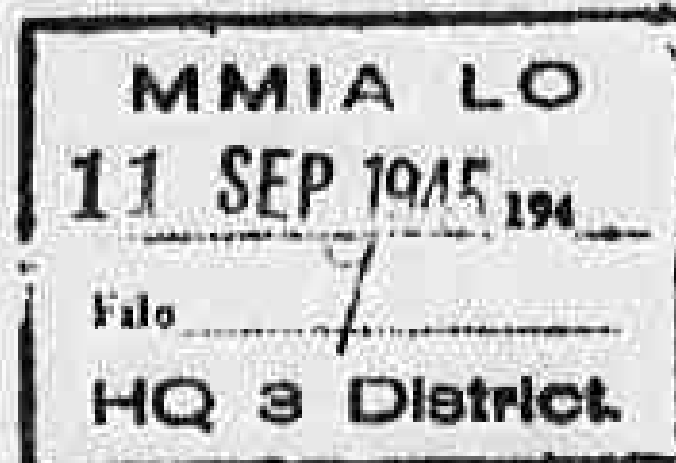
MESSAGE FORM

FROM WIA LG DISTRICT
TO action 227 DIV
info 10 TERN HQ. WAFINS 9 TERN HQ. HARI
WIA LG c/o 54 AREA HQ. WIA

RESTRICTED
Originators No 3050/527 (.) EXERCISES (.) I do NOT rpt NOT
agree with your 02/18/13/Ord of 12 Sep (.) My information is
that SAN MARGO Regt is under operational command of 9 TERN HQ.
but administered by 227 DIV

This message may be sent
by any means etc.

End



FILE 7 (83)
UNCLASSIFIED

SUBJECT : Personnel for P.W. Accounts Office

LAND FORCES HQ OCS, A.O.
(M.E.I.A.) ROME.
Tel: 480001 Ext: 533.
A 110/10
8 Sept. 45

TO : Ministry of War

1. You are requested to arrange for the 12 military clerks shown on the attached nominal roll, now attached to the Italian Records Section, 2nd Echelon, MAGGIORI, to be employed with the Prisoner of War Accounts Office, also at MAGGIORI, as soon as released by the Records Section.

2. This personnel will be held on the strength of the Italian Government to G.A. 2nd Echelon. W.E. 08/1526/1 has been attended with Serial 103 of the Minutes of M.E.I.A. War Establishment Committee of 6 September, in order to enable this to be done.

-NR
Copy to : AFHQ (your O 114r)/3284/42 or 31 Aug refers).
G.A. 2nd Echelon
P.W. Accounts Office G.A.
M.E.I.A. HQ 3 District. 2

for Major General
M.E.I.A.

maf.

12/9/45

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MMIA LO
7 - SEP 1945
HQ 3 District.

SUBJECT: Disbandment of 16 IIIA and 16 IIE Units.

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LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/4/1

5 Sept 45

See file 58
J. J. J.

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. 1060 COOPERATOR PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION (ITALIAN ELEMENT)
2. 1062 COOPERATOR PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION (ITALIAN ELEMENT)
3. 1 ITALIAN INLAND WATER TRANSPORT COMPANY
4. 2 ITALIAN INLAND WATER TRANSPORT COMPANY
5. 3 ITALIAN INLAND WATER TRANSPORT COMPANY
6. 233 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
7. 232 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
8. 575 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
9. 866 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
10. 301 ITALIAN ORDNANCE ADMINISTRATION COMPANY
11. 302 ITALIAN ORDNANCE ADMINISTRATION COMPANY

DISBANDMENT

1. The above mentioned units will be disbanded as shown at Appx 'A' attached.

PERSONNEL

2. Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA signal A 1222 of 8 Aug 45, with the exception of serials 3 - 5 for which Navy Sub Commission (AC) have issued instructions through Italian Ministry of Marine.

EQUIPMENT

3.
 - (a) British equipment will be returned to Ordnance under orders of the supervisory authorities, any deficiencies being vouchered to you in due course.
 - (b) Italian equipment will be returned to Sub Depots under instructions to be issued by the appropriate Adm Divs.

1. 1060 COOPERATOR PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION (ITALIAN ELEMENT)
2. 1062 COOPERATOR PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION (ITALIAN ELEMENT)
3. 1 ITALIAN INLAND WATER TRANSPORT COMPANY
4. 2 ITALIAN INLAND WATER TRANSPORT COMPANY
5. 3 ITALIAN INLAND WATER TRANSPORT COMPANY
6. 230 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
7. 232 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
8. 576 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
9. 866 ITALIAN EVACUATION HOSPITAL
10. 301 ITALIAN ORDNANCE AMMUNITION COMPANY
11. 302 ITALIAN ORDNANCE AMMUNITION COMPANY

DISEMBARKMENT

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REFERENCES

4. References to AEMQ letters are as follows:-

Serials 1 - 5 G-1 (ER) 1074/A.1. (Ser 3091) of 31 Aug 45 *NR*
 " 6 - 9 G-1 (ER) 1074/A.1. (Ser 3101) of 1 Sept 45 *NR*
 " 10 - 11 G-1 (ER) 1074/A.1. (Ser 3100) of 1 Sept 45 *NR*

Cc to: MR/IA LO's MILAN Internal: A (Two) SD/1/4
 GENOA Q (Three) SD/5/2
 3 DISTRICT RE SD/12/2
 54 AREA MFD SD/15/2
 1 DISTRICT Navy Sub Commission (AC)
 c/o 85 AREA
 FLORENCE CITY COMD FOR THRUPE

JW

1405 *referred*
 7847 45

KL
 Major Gen *225*
 M. M. I. A.

Serial No.	UNIT	WE	WE STRENGTH Offrs ORs	LOCN	SUPERVISORY AUTHY	EFFECTIVE DATE
1.	1060 Co-up Port Maint Sec	CM/206/1	- 57	ANCONA	HQ 3 Dist	27 Aug
2.	1062 " " " "	"	- 57	BARI	HQ 3 Dist	27 Aug
3.	1 Italian I.W.F. Coy	IV/22P/1	4 208 +	BARI	HQ 3 Dist	27 Aug
4.	2 Italian I.W.F. Coy	IV/22P/1	4 208 +	VENICE	HQ 13 Corps	27 Aug
5.	3 Italian I.W.F. Coy	IV/22P/1	4 208 +	GENOA	HQ 2 Dist	27 Aug
6.	230 Italian Evac Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	CESENA	HQ 2 Dist	1 Sept
7.	232 Italian Evac Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	FORLI	HQ 2 Dist	1 Sept
8.	576 Italian Evac Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	CAPAGGIOLO	HQ 3 Dist	1 Sept
9.	566 Italian Evac Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	CAPAGGIOLO	HQ 3 Dist	1 Sept
10.	301 Italian Ord Amn Coy	CM/842/1	1 54	NOLA	HQ 3 Dist	26 Aug
11.	302 Italian Ord Amn Coy	CM/842/1	1 54	NOLA	HQ 3 Dist	26 Aug
			90 1130			

+ Personnel of these units is Italian Navy personnel at present held under Italian Army ceiling. Adm Diva responsible only for any Italian Army equipment held by these units.

Appex. IX 'A' to MHA letter.
 SE/4/1 dated 5 Sept 1945.

	WE	WE STRENGTH Oftrs ORs	LOCN	SUPERVISORY AUPHY	EFFECTIVE DATE	COMPLETION DATE	ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE FOR PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT
Maint Sec	CM/206/1	- 57	ANCONA	HQ 3 Dist	27 Aug	21 Sept	230 Adm Div
" "	"	- 57	BARI	HQ 3 Dist	27 Aug	21 Sept	227 Adm Div —
L. Coy	IV/22P/1	4 208 +	BARI	HQ 3 Dist	27 Aug	21 Sept	227 Adm Div —
L. Coy	IV/22P/1	4 208 +	VENICE	HQ 13 Corps	27 Aug	21 Sept	228 Adm Div
L. Coy	IV/22P/1	4 208 +	GENOA	HQ 2 Dist	27 Aug	21 Sept	231 Adm Div
c Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	CESENA	HQ 2 Dist	1 Sept	22 Sept	209 Adm Div
c Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	FORLI	HQ 2 Dist	1 Sept	22 Sept	209 Adm Div
c Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	CAFAGGIOLO	HQ 3 Dist	1 Sept	22 Sept	230 Adm Div
c Hospital	CM/574/1	19 71	CAFAGGIOLO	HQ 3 Dist	1 Sept	22 Sept	230 Adm Div
Ann Coy	CM/842/1	1 54	NOLA	HQ 3 Dist	26 Aug	22 Sept	227 Adm Div —
Ann Coy	CM/842/1	1 54	NOLA	HQ 3 Dist	26 Aug	22 Sept	227 Adm Div —
		90 1150					

These units is Italian Navy personnel at present held under Italian Army ceiling.
 Applicable only for any Italian Army equipment held by these units.

Subject: - Moves - ITALIAN Units

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MMIA LO
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MOV LO

3 District
Ext 5
611/8
6 Sep

MMIA LO
7 - SEP 1945 194
File <u>7</u>
HQ 3 District.

Akt for info is copy of DISTWO SD 1/1850 of 5 Sep:-

FROM: DISTWO
TO: 217 AREA: MOV VERONA:
INFO: G(SD) DISTREE: 54 AREA: MOV BARI: NORTHMOVES: G3 ORG BRIT AFHQ:
ALCOM MILA: 53 ELU:

SD 1/1850 RESTRICTED (.) UNDER ARRANGEMENTS MOV VERONA MOVE HQ AND 1 BN
SAN MARCO NEXT FROM BOLZANO TO TRIESTE BY RAIL ON 6 AND 8 SEP (.) STRENGTH
OTHERS 62 ORS 1480 STORES 210 TONS (.) 48 HOURS RATIONS WILL BE CARRIED (.) SIG
ETA 54 AREA REPTD DISTREE AND THIS HQ (.) AUTHY AFHQ FX 41003 of 4 SEP

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FROM MMIA 56 1133B

TO MINISTRY OF WAR

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DISTHREE FOR MMIA L O

54 AREA FOR MMIA L O

GR----BT

REF SD 2946

RESTRICTED OUR SD2941 OF 04 IS CANCELLED AND THE FOLLOWING
SUBSTITUTED(.)

ONE (.) HQ AND 1 BN SAN MARCO RECT OFFRS 62 OR1480 STORES
210 TONS WILL MOVE IN 2 SPECIAL TRAINS 1 EACH 6
AND 8 SEPT FROM B O L Z A N O TO T P A N I
ARRIVING 1323 HRS APPROX 8 AND 13 SEPT(.)

TWO (.) MEALS UNDER ARRANGEMENTS MOV AREAS AT T I M I N I
-A- A N C O N A "B" P E S C A R A "C"(.)

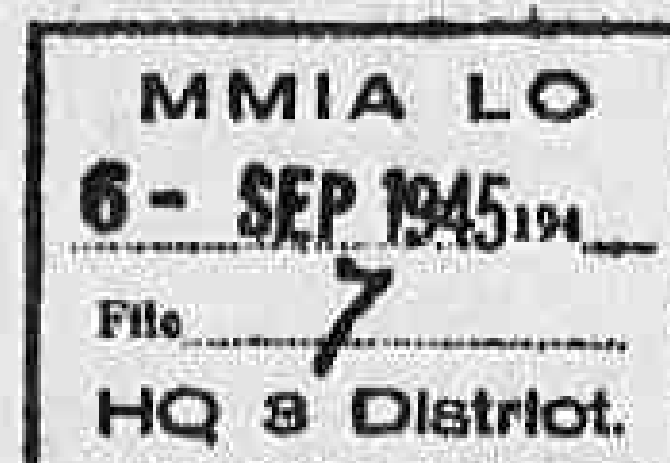
OTHER MEALS UNDER ARRANGEMENTS CC TRAIN USING
TRAIN RATIONS(.)

THREE (.) 48 MRS RATIONS WILL BE CARRIED

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SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Ex-Cooperator Units

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/55/2

4
Sep 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

VARIOUS COOPERATOR FIRE FIGHTING COY HQs & FIRST CLASS
FIRE BRIGADES

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MMIA LO
5- SEP 1945₁₉₄
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HQ 3 District.

1. Authority has been granted for the conversion and redesignation of the units detailed in Appendix "A" to this letter with effect from 1 Jul 45 under the supervisory authorities as shown.
2. Any adjustments in personnel should be carried out under the arrangements of the appropriate Italian Adm Div.
3. Unit equipment will conform to basic scale No. 6508/7.
W.D. Vehs will be provided without restriction on conversion.
4. Postal address of units will be unit title as detailed in coln (f) of appendix 'A' followed by C.M.F.
5. Authority for these conversions is AFHQ letter G-1(Br)/1026/A.1(Ser.3040) of 27 Aug 1945.

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Major General
MMIA

Copy to: MMIA LO MILAN
MMIA LO GENOA
MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT
MMIA LO FENSOUTH
MMIA LO 54 AREA

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PRESENT ORGANISATION (a)	PRESENT WL NO. (b)	Offrs (c)	ORs (d)	MOB. SER. NO. (e)	NEW ORGANISATION (f)	NEW WE (g)
Cooperator elements of:-						
151 Fire Fighting Coy	IV/138/1(Mod)	1	101	95796	151 Ital Incr to CM/1516/1 A Fire Fighting Coy	
10 First Class Fire Bde	IV/80/2(Mod)					
601 " " " "	"					
602 " " " "	"					
603 " " " "	"					
Cooperator elements of:-						
153 Fire Fighting Coy	IV/138/1(Mod)	1	101	95797	153 Ital Incr to CM/1516/1 A Fire Fighting Coy	
9 First Class Fire Bde	IV/80/2(Mod)					
58 " " " "	"					
607 " " " "	"					
608 " " " "	"					
Cooperator elements of:-						
157 Fire Fighting Coy	IV/138/1(Mod)	1	101	95798	157 Ital Incr to CM/1516/1 A Fire Fighting Coy	
615 First Class Fire Bde	IV/80/2(Mod)					
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618 " " " "	"					

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Appendix 'A' to MMLA letter
SD/55/2 dated 4 Sept 45.

PRESENT WL NO. (b)	Offrs (c)	ORs (d)	MOB. SER. NO. (e)	NEW ORGANISATION (f)	NEW WE (g)	Offrs (h)	ORs (j)	Veh (k)	Locn (l)	SUP. AUTHY (m)
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IV/138/1(mod)	1	101	95796	151 Ital Incr to CM/1516/1 A Fire Fighting Coy		2	102	1 Veh 1 M/C	GENOA	2 Dist
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Bde IV/80/2(mod)
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IV/138/1(mod)	1	101	95797	153 Ital Incr to CM/1516/1 A Fire Fighting Coy		2	102	1 Veh 1 M/C	BARI	3 Dist
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Bde IV/80/2(mod)
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IV/138/1(mod)	1	101	95798	157 Ital Incr to CM/1516/1 A Fire Fighting Coy		2	102	1 Veh 1 M/C	NAPLES	3 Dist
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Bde IV/80/2(mod)
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SUBJECT: Disbandment of Italian Units

MMIA LO
3 - SEP 1945
File 7
HQ 3 District
3 District
BASEBALL Ext 30
1018/ST5

3 Sep 45

MMIA LO 3 District

1. The disbandment of 124 Italian Field Bakery under supervision of HQ No 1 District was ordered under AFHQ letter C-1(Br)/1074/A1 (Ser 2807) dated 3 Aug 45.
2. Nominal rolls of personnel of 124 It Fd Bky for disposal were forwarded by DDST 1 District to MMIA LO 1 District under reference ST/286/16 dated 7 Aug 45.
3. The attached list of additional Italian personnel of 124 It Fd Bky, available for re-posting, has now been received by this office from DDST 1 District, and is forwarded to you for information and action with the Italian Administrative Division concerned.
4. The personnel concerned were received by 124 It Fd Bky from units as follows:-

234	Group Bakery, ANCONA	7
231	" " "	2
232	" " "	5
233	" " "	9

Col
DDST
(A.J. CRUMP)

OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM : MMIA
TO : MINISTRY OF WAR
INFO : AFHQ C-3 AMO
DISTREE
54 AREA
ALCOM
DISTREE FOR MMIA LO
54 AREA FOR MMIA LO
REF : SD 2936

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SECRET.



FOLLOWING SIGNAL HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM DISTREE (.)
QUOTE ON ARRIVAL TRANI SAN MARCO REGT IS PLACED UNDER
OF COMMAND TERRITORIAL HQ BARI FOR SUCH INTERNAL SECURITY
DUTIES AS ITALIAN GOVT MAY DIRECT (.) POSITION THUS
IDENTICAL TO RECENT SYSTEM COMMAND GARIBALDI REGT UNQUOTE

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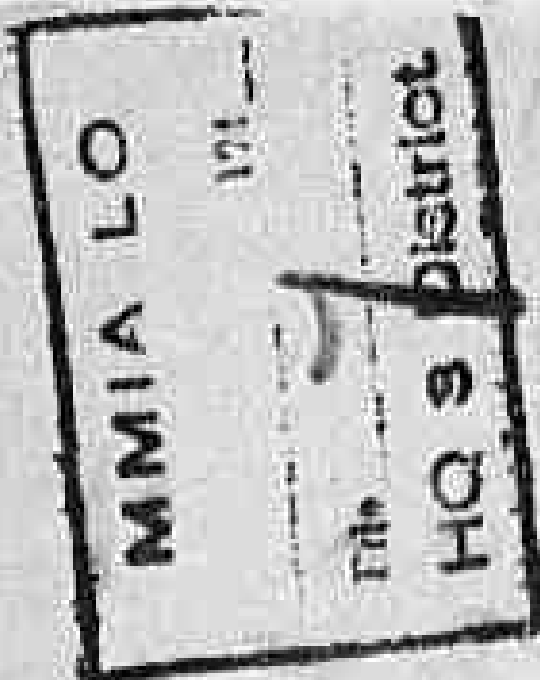
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SUBJECT: Disbandment of PT II A Units.

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (MMIA)

SD/4/2

31 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR.

1. 45 ITALIAN INCR. TO 675 ART WORKS COY
2. ITALIAN INCR. TO HQ 71 SUB AREA

1. DISBANDMENT.

The above mentioned units will be disbanded as shown at Appendix 'A' attached.

2. PERSONNEL

Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA signal 1222 of 8 Aug 45.

3. EQUIPMENT

(a) British equipment will be returned to ORDINANCE under orders of the supervisory authority, any deficiencies being vouchered to you in due course.

(b) Italian equipment will be returned to Sub Depots under instructions issued by the appropriate Adm. Divs.

4. REFERENCES

References to A.F.H.Q. letters are as follows :-

SD/4/2

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4. REFERENCES

References to A.F.H.Q. letters are as follows :-

- Serial 1 - G-1(Br) 1074/A.1(Ser. 2983) dated 21 Aug 45
- Serial 2 - G-1(Br) 1004/A.1(Ser. 3033) dated 26 Aug 45

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J. Major General,
MMIA.

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APPENDIX

(a) Serial	(b) UNIT	(c) LCCN	(d) W.E.	(e) WE STRENGTH Offrs ORs	(f) Effective Date	(g) Compl Date	(h) SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY	ADM PER
1	45 Italian Incr to 675 Art Works Coy	FAI CONARA	CM/803/1	4	148	15 Aug 45	7 Sept 45	HQ 1 District
2	Italian Incr to HQ 71 Sub Area	AREZZO	CM/118/3	-	15	15 Aug 45		HQ 3 District

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APPENDIX 'A' TO MMIA letter SD/4/2
Dated 31 August 45

(d) W.E.	(e) WE STRENGTH Offrs ORs	(f) Effective Date	(g) Compl Date	(h) SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY	(i) ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE FOR PERSONNEL & EQUIPMENT	
CM/803/1	4	148	15 Aug 45	7 Sept 45	HQ 1 District	209 Adm Div
CM/118/3	-	15	15 Aug 45		HQ 3 District	230 Adm Div.

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FROM DIS. AREA 02156

TO ROME AREA (45 DIST) FOR INFO

56 AREA FOR INFORMATION

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MMIA LO
3- SEP 1943
File 7
HQ 3 District.

SD 45 () DIST. APPROVED () REQUEST FOR ORDER OF DEPORTATION 1943 ITALY 41
The order to move forward under order of deportation to the school () () ()
For disbursement () () () to move with 101 61028 and on arrival order
com 56 area

This message may be sent
as written by any means
incl wireless

Cgd G. J. J. J. J.

Copied to: A. DADABE: REF LO: MMIA LO: DEKING LO:

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COMANDO DELLA 227^a DIVISIONE
-S.M.-Sezione Servizi-
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P.M. I26 11, 29 Agosto 1945.

N° 02/3557/Ord. di prot.

OGGETTO: 823° Reparto ausiliario per C.M.T.C.

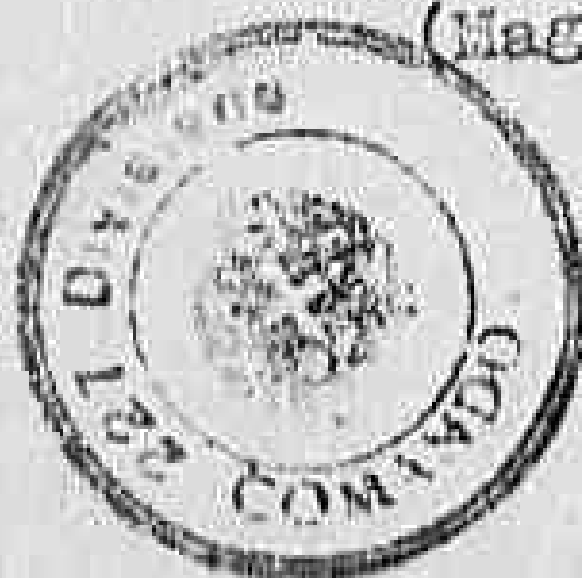
ALL'UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTO M.M.I.A. 3° DISTRICT=

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE  
(Magg. Ugo Scotto Lavina)



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-S.M.+ Sezione Servizi-

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N°02/3241/Ord. di prot.

P.M. 126 11, 13 Agosto 1945.

OGGETTO: 823° Reparto Ausiliario per C.M.T.C. =

ALL'UFFICIO COLL.MMIA 3° DISTRICT  
e, per conoscenza:  
ALL'UFFICIO ITALIANO COLL.3° DISTRICT

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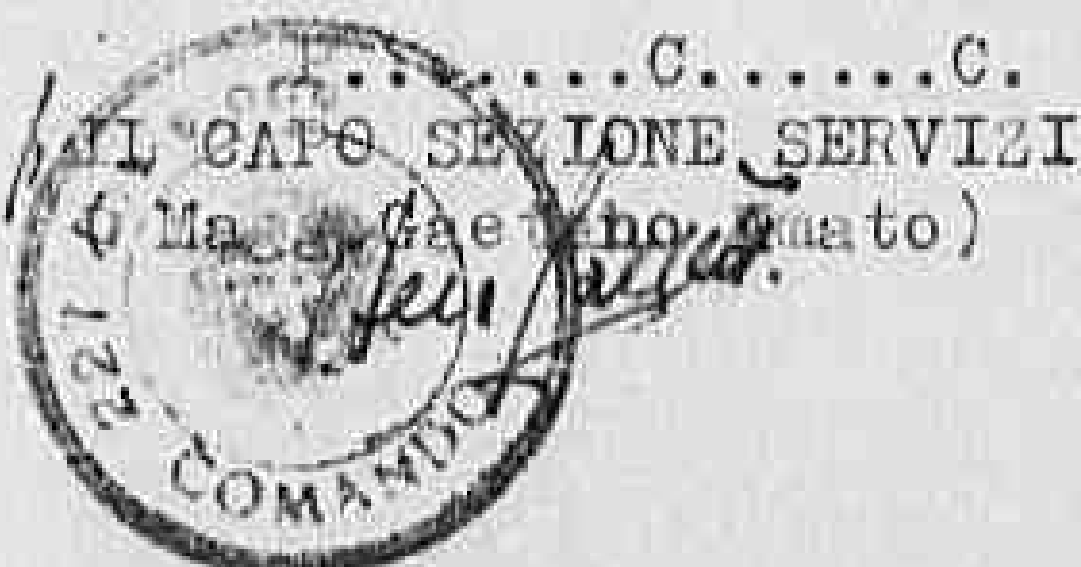
- 1°) - L'823° Reparto Ausiliario per C.M.T.C. è stato disciolto ed ha cessato di prelevare i viveri il giorno 20/7/1945.

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Tale ritardo, rispetto alla data fissata, è dovuto al fatto che l'ordine esecutivo di scioglimento (fl. 104/97/A in data 13/7/45 del Comando 3° Distretto) è pervenuto a questo Comando solo il 18/7/1945.

- 2°) - Si precisa comunque che dal momento del trasferimento a Raviscanina (21/6/45) all'atto dello scioglimento, il prelevamento dei viveri del reparto in oggetto deve essere considerato come effettuato dallo 803° Campo Affluenza Complementi, per conto del quale l'823° Reparto Ausiliario forniva complementi BR-ITI;=

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE  
(F.to MAGG.U. SCOTTO LAVINA)



MEDY V LROF 06604 VR 2

FROM MMIA 311445B

TO MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO - COBNOB PALERMO FOR MMIALO

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SD2934 . RESTRICTED

1. 1 ITALIAN COY CMP STRENGTH 64 OTHER RANKS WILL MOVE BY RAIL  
7 SEPTEMBER FOR CATANIA TO NAPLES.  
ON ARRIVAL UNDER OP COM AND 56 AREA LOCAL ADMINISTRATION 227 ITALIAN  
DIV.
2. 85 ITALIAN E AND M PLATOON STRENGTH 60 OTHER RANKS WILL MOVE  
BY RAIL WEEKS 3-9 SEPTEMBER FROM NAPLES TO ROME.  
ON ARRIVAL UNDER OP COMMAND ROME AREA LOCAL ADMINISTRATIONS 227  
ITALIAN DIV.
3. 24 ITALIAN ENGR COY STRENGTH 154 OTHER RANKS WILL MOVE BY RAIL  
3-9 SEPTEMBER FROM CESANO TO SALERNO UNDER ARRANGEMENTS MOVE ROME.  
ON ARRIVAL OP COMMAND 56 AREA LOCAL ADMINISTRATION 227 ITALIAN DIV.  
REPRESENTATIVES REPORT TO 773 ART WKS COY

BT/311445B// BT 311445B

CCN 7 SEPTEMBER

SENT DJGT B1 KK

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MMIA LO  
31 AUG 1945  
File  
HQ 3 District

SUBJECT: Disbandment of Pt IIA and Pt IIE Units.

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/15/2

29 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

- |    |     |                  |              |
|----|-----|------------------|--------------|
| 1. | 422 | ITALIAN AMN COY  |              |
| 2. | 409 | ITALIAN VEH PARK | { 'B' VEHs } |
| 3. | 411 | ITALIAN VEH PARK | { 'B' VEHs } |
| 4. | 412 | ITALIAN VEH PARK | { 'B' VEHs } |
| 5. | 416 | ITALIAN VEH PARK | { 'B' VEHs } |
| 6. | 417 | ITALIAN VEH PARK | { 'B' VEHs } |

1. DISBANLEMENT

The above mentioned units will be disbanded as shown at Appx 'A' attached.

2. PERSONNEL *File 49*  
*Page 18*

Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA signal A 1222 of 8 August 45.

3. EQUIPMENT

(a) British equipment will be returned to Ordnance under arrangements of the supervisory authorities. Any deficiencies will be vouchered to you in due course.

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LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMLA)

SD/15/2

29 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. 422 ITALIAN AMN COY
2. 409 ITALIAN VEH PARK { 'B' VEHs }
3. 411 ITALIAN VEH PARK { 'B' VEHs }
4. 412 ITALIAN VEH PARK { 'B' VEHs }
5. 416 ITALIAN VEH PARK { 'B' VEHs }
6. 417 ITALIAN VEH PARK { 'B' VEHs }

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4. REFERENCES

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refers.

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*Major General,*  
*M. M. I. A.*

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| Serial<br>No. | UNIT                            | LOCATION   | W.E.      | WE STRENGTHS |     | EFFECTIVE<br>DATE | O  |
|---------------|---------------------------------|------------|-----------|--------------|-----|-------------------|----|
|               |                                 |            |           | Offrs        | ORs |                   |    |
| 1.            | 422 Italian Arm Coy             | GRECCIANO  | CM/1508/1 | 1            | 55  | 20 Aug            | 11 |
| 2.            | 409 Italian Veh Park ('B' Vehs) | TERLIZZI   | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug            | 11 |
| 3.            | 411 Italian Veh Park ('B' Vehs) | CASALNUOVO | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug            | 11 |
| 4.            | 412 Italian Veh Park ('B' Vehs) | LUCERA     | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug            | 11 |
| 5.            | 416 Italian Veh Park ('B' Vehs) | CASALNUOVO | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug            | 11 |
| 6.            | 417 Italian Veh Park ('B' Vehs) | FOLIGNO    | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug            | 11 |

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Appendix 'A' to MTA letter  
SD/15/2 dated 24 August 45

| UNIT               | LOCATION   | W.E.      | WE STRENGTHS |     | EFFECTIVE DATE | COMPLETION DATE | SUPER-VISORY AUTHY | IT. ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE FOR PERSONNEL & EQUIPMENT |
|--------------------|------------|-----------|--------------|-----|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| an Coy             | GRECCIANO  | CM/1508/1 | 1            | 55  | 20 Aug         | 11 Sept         | HQ 2 Dist          | 209 Adm Div                                       |
| eh Park ('B' Vehs) | TERLIZZI   | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug         | 11 Sept         | HQ 3 Dist          | 227 Adm Div                                       |
| eh Park ('B' Vehs) | CASALNUOVO | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug         | 11 Sept         | HQ 3 Dist          | 227 Adm Div                                       |
| eh Park ('B' Vehs) | LUCERA     | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug         | 11 Sept         | HQ 3 Dist          | 227 Adm Div                                       |
| eh Park ('B' Vehs) | CASALNUOVO | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug         | 11 Sept         | HQ 3 Dist          | 227 Adm Div                                       |
| eh Park ('B' Vehs) | FOLIGNO    | CM/1505/1 | 2            | 125 | 20 Aug         | 11 Sept         | HQ 1 Dist          | 209 Adm Div                                       |

MMIA LO  
31 AUG 1945FM  
HQ 3 Distrot

SUBJECT: Disbandment of Pt IIA and Pt IIE Units

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/14/2

29 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. - ITALIAN INCR TO 11 (BR) GEN HOSP  
 2. - ITALIAN INCR TO 31 (BR) GEN HOSP  
 3. - ITALIAN INCR TO 100 (BR) GEN HOSP  
 4. - ITALIAN INCR TO 32 RECEPTION STA  
     (CLASS A)  
 5. - 2669 ITALIAN ENR COY (ITALIAN  
     ELEMENT)  
 6. - 2681 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 7. - 2724 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 8. - 2725 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 9. - 2728 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 10. - 2727 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 11. - 2726 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 12. - 2738 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 13. - 2739 ITALIAN ENR COY  
 14. - 417 ITALIAN ENR REGT  
 15. - 803 ITALIAN BASE RFT DEPOT  
     STAFF  
 16. - 712 ITALIAN WORKSHOP COY  
 17. - 157 FIRE FIGHTING COY HQ  
     (OVERSEAS)  
 18. - 615 FIRST CLASS FIRE BRIGADE  
 19. - 616 FIRST CLASS FIRE BRIGADE  
 20. - 617 FIRST CLASS FIRE BRIGADE  
 21. - 618 FIRST CLASS FIRE BRIGADE  
 22. - 153 FIRE FIGHTING COY HQ  
     (OVERSEAS) (DILUTED)  
 23. - 9 FIRST CLASS FIRE BDE  
     (DILUTED)  
 24. - 58 FIRST CLASS FIRE BDE  
     (DILUTED)  
 25. - 607 FIRST CLASS FIRE BDE  
     (DILUTED)  
 26. - 608 FIRST CLASS FIRE BDE  
     (DILUTED)  
 27. - 1 ITALIAN GEN TPT COY  
 28. - 2 ITALIAN GEN TPT COY

1. DISBANDMENT

The above mentioned units will be disbanded as shown at Appdx 'A'.  
 Units serials 22-26 release Italian Army personnel only and will be reformed  
 as British units.

2. PERSONNEL

(a) Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA signal  
 A 1222 dated 8 Aug 45, except as stated below. The following special instr-  
 -uctions has been issued:-

SD/14/2 of 27 June 45 and 21 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. - ITALIAN INCR TO 11 (BR) GEN HOSP 15. - 803 ITALIAN BASE RPT DEPOT  
2. - ITALIAN INCR TO 31 (BR) GEN HOSP STAFF  
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9. - 2728 ITALIAN PNR COY " (OVERSEAS) (DILUTED)  
10. - 2727 ITALIAN PNR COY " 23. - 9 FIRST CLASS FIRE BDE  
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as British units.

2. PERSONNEL

(a) Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA signal  
A 1222 dated 8 Aug 45, except as stated below. The following special instr-  
-uctions has been issued:-

Serial 15 - MMIA letters SD/31/2 of 27 June 45 and 21 Aug 45  
(b) Personnel of 712 Italian Wksp Coy (serial 16) will be despat-  
-ched to R.T.C., I.C.F. CESANO.

3. EQUIPMENT

(a) British equipment will be disposed of under orders of the sup-  
-ervisory authorities. Any deficiencies will be vouchered to you in  
due course.

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(b) Italian equipment will be returned to Sub Depots by the appropriate Adm Div.

(c) British and Italian equipment required by 807 Transit Camp NAPLES, now in course of formation, will be transferred from 803 BRD (serial 15) in accordance with orders issued by the supervisory authority.

# REFERENCES

References to AFHQ letters are as follows:-

|               |       |                |            |                  |
|---------------|-------|----------------|------------|------------------|
| Serials 1 - 4 | - G-1 | (BR) 1074/A.1. | (Ser 3001) | dated 23 Aug 45. |
| " 5           | - G-1 | (BR) 1074/A.1. | (Ser 3004) | dated 23 Aug 45. |
| " 15          | - G-1 | (BR) 1074/A.1. | (Ser 3031) | dated 25 Aug 45. |
| " 16          | - G-1 | (BR) 1074/A.1. | (Ser 3030) | dated 25 Aug 45. |
| " (17 -21)    | - G-1 | (BR) 1082/A.1. | (Ser 2998) | dated 23 Aug 45. |
| " (22 -26)    | - G-1 | (BR) 1030/A.1. | (Ser 3000) | dated 23 Aug 45. |
| " 27 -28      | - G-1 | (BR) 1074/A.1. | (Ser 3029) | dated 26 Aug 45. |

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*F. M. I. A.*  
Major General,

Copy to: 1 District  
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13 Corps  
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WMA LO's MILAN (Three)  
1 District (Two) to incl Capt Herbert  
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c/o 55 Area  
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Florence City Comd (Two)  
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| (a)<br>No | (b)<br>UNIT                              | (c)<br>LOCATION | (d)<br>WE                   | (e)<br>WE STRENGTHS<br>Offrs ORs | (f)<br>EFFECTIVE DATE | (g)<br>COMPLETION<br>DATE | S |
|-----------|------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|---|
| 1.        | Italian Incr to 11 (HR) Gen Hosp         | IESI            | CM/347/2                    | - 30                             | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   |   |
| 2.        | Italian Incr to 31 (HR) Gen Hosp         | AREZZO          | CM/347/2                    | - 30                             | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   |   |
| 3.        | Italian Incr to 100 (HR) Gen Hosp        | PERU-           |                             |                                  |                       |                           |   |
|           |                                          | GLA             | CM/347/2                    | - 50                             | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   |   |
| 4.        | Italian Incr to 32 Recptn Sta<br>Class A | ANCONA          | CM/1517/1                   | - 8                              | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   |   |
| 5.        | 2669 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | TARAN-          |                             |                                  |                       |                           |   |
|           |                                          | TO              | (VI/396/1 HQ<br>& IV/72/B ) | 6 295                            |                       |                           |   |
| 6.        | 2681 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | "                           | 6 295                            |                       |                           |   |
| 7.        | 2724 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | "                           | 6 295                            |                       |                           |   |
| 8.        | 2725 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | "                           | 6 295                            |                       |                           |   |
| 9.        | 2726 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | "                           | 6 295                            |                       |                           |   |
| 10.       | 2727 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | "                           | 6 295                            |                       |                           |   |
| 11.       | 2728 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | (VI/396/1 HQ<br>& IV/72/B ) | 6 347                            |                       |                           |   |
| 12.       | 2738 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | "                           | 6 347                            |                       |                           |   |
| 13.       | 2739 Italian Pnr Coy(It.element)         | "               | "                           | 6 347                            |                       |                           |   |
| 14.       | HQ 417 ITALIAN PNR REGT                  |                 |                             |                                  |                       |                           |   |
|           | HQ                                       | MONZA           | CM/812/1                    | 9 27                             |                       |                           |   |
|           | HQ 1 Bn 417 Italian Pnr Regt             | MONZA           | CM/813/1                    | 4 11                             |                       |                           |   |
|           | HQ 2 Bn 417 Italian Pnr Regt             | MONZA           | CM/813/1                    | 4 11                             |                       |                           |   |
|           | 297 Italian Pnr Coy                      | SAN             |                             |                                  |                       |                           |   |
|           |                                          | GIORGIO         | CM/810/1                    | 5 209                            |                       |                           |   |
|           | 298 Italian Pnr Coy                      | CECINA          | CM/810/1                    | 5 209                            |                       |                           |   |
|           | 299 Italian Pnr Coy                      | BOLOGNA         | CM/810/1                    | 5 209                            |                       |                           |   |
|           | 300 Italian Pnr Coy                      | CASTEL          |                             |                                  |                       |                           |   |
|           |                                          | MAGGIORE        | CM/810/1                    | 5 209                            |                       |                           |   |
|           | 301 Italian Pnr Coy                      | MESTRE          | CM/810/1                    | 5 209                            |                       |                           |   |
|           | 302 Italian Pnr Coy                      | PADERMO         | CM/810/1                    | 5 209                            |                       |                           |   |
|           | 303 Italian Pnr Coy                      | UDINE           | CM/810/1                    | 5 209                            |                       |                           |   |

Appendix 'A' to MIA letter  
SD/14/2 dated 29 August 45.

|      | (c)<br>LOCATION | (d)<br>WE                      | (e)<br>WE STRENGTHS<br>Offrs ORs |     | (f)<br>EFFECTIVE DATE | (g)<br>COMPLETION<br>DATE | (h)<br>SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHY | (j)<br>ITAL. ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE<br>FOR PERSONNEL & EQUIPMENT |
|------|-----------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| Hosp | DESI            | CM/347/2                       | -                                | 30  | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   | 1 Dist                      | 209 Adm Div                                                   |
| Hosp | AREZZO          | CM/347/2                       | -                                | 30  | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   | 1 Dist                      | 230 Adm Div —                                                 |
| Hosp | PERU-<br>GLA    | CM/347/2                       | -                                | 50  | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   | 1 Dist                      | 230 Adm Div —                                                 |
| nt)  | ANCONA          | CM/1517/1                      | -                                | 8   | 1 Aug                 | 30 Sept                   | 1 Dist                      | 209 Adm Div —                                                 |
| nt)  | TARAN-<br>TO    | (VI/396/1 HQ)<br>( & IV/72/B ) | 6                                | 295 | 31 Aug 45             | 23 Sept                   | 3 Dist                      | 227 Adm Div —                                                 |
| nt)  | "               | "                              | 6                                | 295 |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
| nt)  | "               | "                              | 6                                | 295 |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
| nt)  | "               | "                              | 6                                | 295 |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
| nt)  | "               | "                              | 6                                | 295 |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
| nt)  | "               | (VI/396/1 HQ)<br>( & IV/72/B ) | 6                                | 347 |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
| nt)  | "               | "                              | 6                                | 347 |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
| nt)  | "               | "                              | 6                                | 347 |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
|      | MONZA           | CM/812/1                       | 9                                | 27  | 31 Aug                | 23 Sept                   | HQ 2 Dist                   | 231 Adm Div                                                   |
|      | MONZA           | CM/813/1                       | 4                                | 11  |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   | 231 Adm Div                                                   |
|      | MONZA           | CM/813/1                       | 4                                | 11  |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   | 231 Adm Div                                                   |
|      | SAN             |                                |                                  |     |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
|      | GIORGIO         | CM/810/1                       | 5                                | 209 |                       |                           | HQ 13 Corps                 | 228 Adm Div                                                   |
|      | CECINA          | CM/810/1                       | 5                                | 209 |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   | 230 Adm Div —                                                 |
|      | BOLOGNA         | CM/810/1                       | 5                                | 209 |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   | 209 Adm Div —                                                 |
|      | CASTEL          |                                |                                  |     |                       |                           |                             |                                                               |
|      | MAGGIORE        | CM/810/1                       | 5                                | 209 |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   | 209 Adm Div —                                                 |
|      | MESTRE          | CM/810/1                       | 5                                | 209 |                       |                           | HQ 13 Corps                 | 228 Adm Div                                                   |
|      | PADERMO         | CM/810/1                       | 5                                | 209 |                       |                           | HQ 13 Corps                 | 228 Adm Div                                                   |
|      | UDINE           | CM/810/1                       | 5                                | 209 |                       |                           | HQ 13 Corps                 | 228 Adm Div                                                   |

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|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>HQ 417 ITALIAN PNR REGT (cont'd)</u> |                                                   |                 |                |                                  |                       |                           |
| 304                                     | Italian Pnr Coy                                   |                 | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            |                       |                           |
| 305                                     | Italian Pnr Coy                                   | FAUGLIA         | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            |                       |                           |
| 306                                     | Italian Pnr Coy                                   | PRATO           | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            | 31 Aug                | 23 Sept                   |
| 307                                     | Italian Pnr Coy                                   | CASTEL          |                |                                  |                       |                           |
|                                         |                                                   | MAGGIORE        | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            |                       |                           |
| 308                                     | Italian Pnr Coy                                   | PIACENZA        | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            |                       |                           |
| 15.                                     | 803 Italian Base Rft Depot Staff                  | RAVISCAN-       |                |                                  |                       |                           |
|                                         |                                                   | -INA            | CM/730/1       | 91 514                           | 15 Aug                | 15 Sept                   |
| 16.                                     | 712 Italian Workshop Coy                          | NAPLES          | CM/1515/1      | 4 305                            | 25 Aug                | 15 Sept                   |
| 17.                                     | -157 Fire Fighting Coy HC (Overseas)              | NAPLES          | IV/138/1 (Mod) | 1 3                              | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   |
| 18.                                     | -615 First Class Fire Bde                         | ROME            | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   |
| 19.                                     | -616 First Class Fire Bde                         | NAPLES          | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   |
| 20.                                     | -617 First Class Fire Bde                         | CASORIA         | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   |
| 21.                                     | -618 First Class Fire Bde                         | SALERNO         | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   |
| 22.                                     | -153 Fire Fighting Coy HC (Overseas)<br>(Diluted) | BARI            | IV/138/1       | 1 3                              | 25 Aug                |                           |
| 23.                                     | -9 First Class Fire Bde (Diluted)                 | TARANTO         | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           |
| 24.                                     | -58 First Class Fire Bde (Diluted)                | BARI            | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           |
| 25.                                     | -607 First Class Fire Bde (Diluted)               | BRINDISI        | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           |
| 26.                                     | -608 First Class Fire Bde (Diluted)               | BARIETTA        | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           |
| 27.                                     | 1 Italian Gen Tpt Coy                             | FORLI           | (CM/531/1      | 9 360                            | 25 Aug                | 16 Sept                   |
|                                         |                                                   | each            | (CM/533/1      |                                  |                       |                           |
|                                         |                                                   |                 | (CM/532/1      |                                  |                       |                           |
| 28.                                     | 2 Italian Gen Tpt Coy                             | FLORENCE        | (CM/539/1      | 9 360                            | 25 Aug                | 16 Sept                   |

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|-------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| FAUGLIA                 | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            | 31 Aug                | 23 Sept                   | HQ 2 Dist                   | 230 Adm Div                                                  |
| PRATO                   | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   |                                                              |
| CASTEL<br>MAGGIORE      | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   |                                                              |
| PIACENZA                | CM/810/1       | 5 209                            |                       |                           | HQ 2 Dist                   |                                                              |
|                         |                |                                  |                       |                           |                             |                                                              |
| Staff RAVISCAN-<br>-INA | CM/730/1       | 91 514                           | 15 Aug                | 15 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| NAPLES                  | CM/1515/1      | 4 305                            | 25 Aug                | 15 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| reas) NAPLES            | IV/138/1 (Mod) | 1 3                              | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| ROME                    | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| NAPLES                  | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| CASORIA                 | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| SALERNO                 | IV/80/2 (Mod)  | 23                               | 25 Aug                | 13 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| ersons) BARI            | IV/138/1       | 1 3                              | 25 Aug                |                           | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| uted) TARANTO           | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| uted) BARI              | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| uted) BRINDISI          | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| uted) BARLETTA          | IV/80/2        | 23                               | 25 Aug                |                           | HQ 3 Dist                   | 227 Adm Div                                                  |
| PORLI                   | (CM/531/1      | 9 360                            | 25 Aug                | 16 Sept                   | HQ 2 Dist                   | 209 Adm Div                                                  |
| each (CM/533/1          |                |                                  |                       |                           |                             |                                                              |
| (CM/532/1               |                |                                  |                       |                           |                             |                                                              |
| FLORENCE (CM/539/1      |                | 9 360                            | 25 Aug                | 16 Sept                   | HQ 3 Dist                   | 230 Adm Div                                                  |

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REF MMIA SIGNAL SD2934 DATED 16 AUG.

ONE. BALANCE GARIBOLDI INF REGT HQ AND 2 BNS LESS 1 COY. STRENGTH  
OFFERS 60, OP'S 1422, STORES 42 TONS WILL MOVE FROM TRANI TO BOLZANO  
IN SPECIAL TRAINS 1 EACH 1 AND 2 SEPT ARRIVING BOLZANO 1232 HRS  
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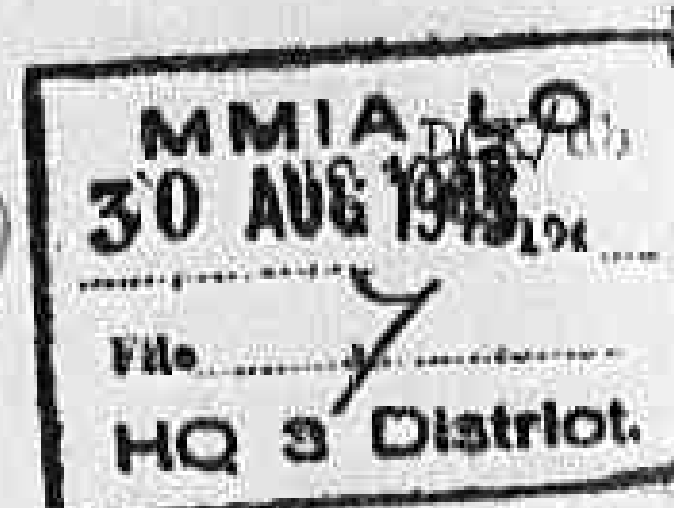
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29 August 1945

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SUBJECT: Provision of New Italian Army Br-Iti Units - Priority List *69*

TO: All Concerned

1. Reference is made to AFHQ letter, file and subject as above, dated 13 June 1945.
2. Priority List Eight is hereby cancelled.
3. Application may still be made to this headquarters for the formation of specific new Italian Br-Iti units if essential.
4. Units in course of formation are not affected by this cancellation.

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDER:

*Edmund H. Stuart*  
EDMUND H. STUART  
Colonel, AGC  
Asst Adjutant General

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3 - No 1 Dist  
3 - Allied Commission  
2 - C-1(B)  
1 - C(Admin)  
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1 - SIG (Br)  
2 - Ord (Br)  
1 - D. Labour  
1 - Chief of Finance  
2 - AG Records

10 - No. 2 Dist  
4 - RAAC  
10 - MMIA  
2 - C-2(B)  
1 - G-4 (MTH)  
1 - DG MRS  
2 - D.S.T.  
1 - HMC  
1 - DV & RS  
1 - D. Welfare  
1 - AG M & D

20 - No. 3 Dist  
2 - RAF MTHS  
2 - UFA  
1 - C(Ad)  
2 - MGR (Br)  
1 - D. Br (Br)  
1 - Med (Br)  
1 - PM (Br)  
1 - CMS  
2 - C-3 (MTH)  
15 - Spares c/o C-3

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Subject:- San Marco Regt.

Liaison Office,  
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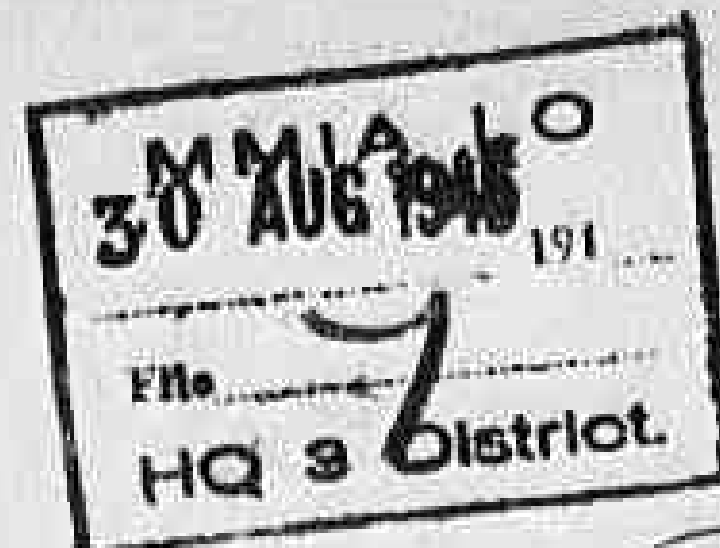
To:- HQ.MMIA.

You may be interested in an account  
which appeared in LA VOCE(NAPLES), 29 Aug, of the  
SAN MARCO Regt's notion of keeping "public order".

Comm Maj.  
MMIA LO 3 District.

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SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Ex-Cooperator Units.



LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA) *(Signature)*

SD/6/2

28 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

COOPERATOR INCREMENT TO "A", "B" & "C"  
VEHICLE DISPOSAL UNITS

1. Authority is granted for the conversion and redesignation of the above mentioned units, with effect from 1 July 45 as shown in Appendix 'A' to this letter.
2. Any adjustments in personnel will be effected under the arrangements of the appropriate Adm Div.
3. Equipment will conform to basic scale 6508/7.
4. Postal address will be:-  
"Italian Incr to..... Veh Disposal Unit  
C.M.F."
5. Authority for these conversions is AFHQ letter G-1(BR)/1026/A.1. (Ser 2957) of 19 Aug 45.

*NT.*

*P. B. A. Garcia Ramos*  
*Capt for* Major General,  
M. M. I. A.

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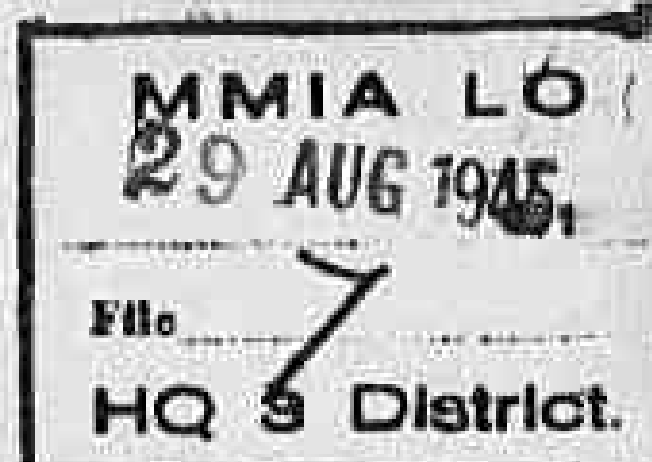
| Present Organisation                         | Present WE | Offrs | ORs | New Organisation                        | New WE    | Offrs | ORs |
|----------------------------------------------|------------|-------|-----|-----------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----|
| Cooperator Incr. to "A"<br>Veh Disposal Unit | CM/462/1   | 2     | 210 | Ital. Incr. to "A" Veh<br>Disposal Unit | CM/1514/1 | 2     | 210 |
| Cooperator Incr. to "B"<br>Veh Disposal Unit | CM/462/1   | 2     | 210 | Ital. Incr. to "B" Veh<br>Disposal Unit | CM/1514/1 | 2     | 210 |
| Cooperator Incr. to "C"<br>Veh Disposal Unit | CM/462/1   | 2     | 210 | Ital. Incr. to "C" Veh<br>Disposal Unit | CM/1514/1 | 2     | 210 |

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Appendix 'A' to MMIA letter  
SD/6/2 dated 18 August 1951.

| Present WE | Offrs | ORs | New Organisation                        | New WE    | Offrs | ORs | Supervisory Authority |
|------------|-------|-----|-----------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----|-----------------------|
| CM/462/1   | 2     | 210 | Ital. Incr. to "A" Veh<br>Disposal Unit | CM/1514/1 | 2     | 210 | 3 Dist                |
| CM/462/1   | 2     | 210 | Ital. Incr. to "B" Veh<br>Disposal Unit | CM/1514/1 | 2     | 210 | 3 Dist                |
| CM/462/1   | 2     | 210 | Ital. Incr. to "C" Veh<br>Disposal Unit | CM/1514/1 | 2     | 210 | 3 Dist                |



MESSAGE FORM

In Lieu of AF C 2136

From

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For Action

To 54 AREA TERRITORIAL HQ BARI ALCOM

For Info

227 ITALIAN ADM DIV AFHQ(G3 OPS) AFHQ (G3 AMO)  
MMIA MMIA LO BARI MOV BARI

SD 112 (.) SECRET (.) on arrival TRANI SAN MARCO regt is placed under op  
comd TERRITORIAL HQ BARI for such internal security duties as ITALIAN govt  
may direct (.) position thus identical to recent system command GARIBOLDI  
regt

If liable to be inter-  
cepted or to fall into  
enemy hands this message  
must be sent in CLEAR

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REFERENCE A F H C SIGNAL FX 37778 OF 23 AUG 45 (.)  
ONE (.) PENDING FORMAL AUTHORIZATION YOU WILL PROCEED  
WITH FORMATION OF 513, 516, 517, 518 AND 519 ITALIAN ADM  
REGT HQ'S ON WE CM/836/1 STRENGTH 7 OFFERS 27 OR'S UNDER  
SUPERVISION D I S T R I B U T E D (.)  
TWO (.) PERSONNEL WILL BE FOUND UNDER SUPERVISION OF  
APPROPRIATE ADM DIV FROM DISBANDMENT OF HQ'S 403, 404 AND  
P N R REGTS AND FROM PERSONNEL ALREADY EARMARKED IN  
ANTICIPATION OF AUTHORIZATION OF 513, 516, 517 ADM REGT HQ'S  
THREE (.) FORMATION AUTHORITIES WILL BE ISSUED  
PROSPECTIVELY AND WE WILL FOLLOW (.) FOUR (.) MIN  
F WAR LETTER 16168/ORD/1 OF 21 AUG ALSO REFERS

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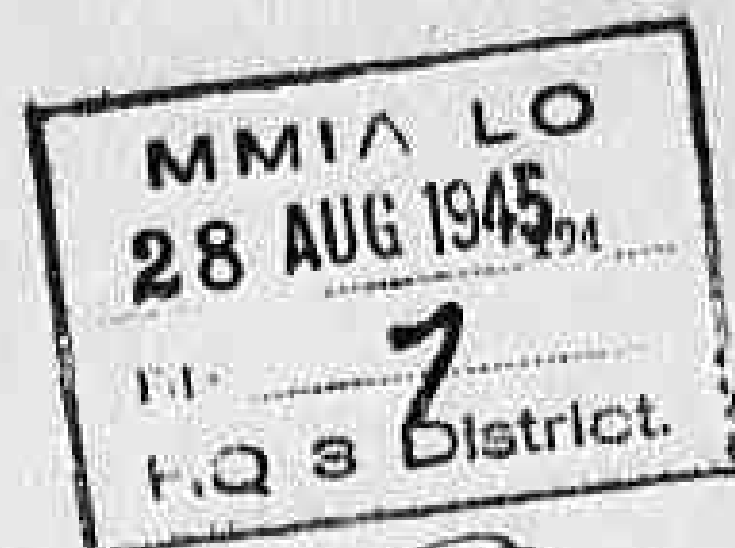
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SUBJECT: Disbandment of Units - Italian Army.

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Land Forces Sub Commission

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26 AUG 45

499 Road Sign Maintenance Unit

Referenced attached copies of AMHQ GI(Br)/1074/41 (Ser 2956) dated 19 Aug 45.

The disbandment of the above named unit, wef 15 Aug 45, will be effected under your supervision.

2. Unit will be instructed to apply to ADOS Area for disposal instructions for Ordnance stores and equipment incl ~~ext~~, vehs and staff controlled stores.

The attention of the unit will be drawn to GRC 455/45 as amended by GRC 811/45.

ADOS Area will submit report to ADOS this HQ giving details of all vehs stating WD Nos, type and classification.

3. Under no circumstances will office machinery be transferred to other units or formations without reference to ADESS, AMHQ.

4. Completion report will be forwarded in quadruplicate to this HQ by 9 Sep 45.

AKC/SG.

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28 AUG 1945  
File 7  
HQ 3 District

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SUBJECT: Disposal of Surplus Italian Units

All Concerned  
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3 District  
Ext 5  
784/G  
3 AUG 45

1. Certain Italian units, either because of replacement by German service units or for other reasons, are becoming surplus to requirements.
2. To facilitate their disposal, heads of services are requested to inform this branch by 3 Sep of any Italian units which have become, or are about to become, redundant, giving, where possible, a date on which they can be released.
3. This will enable early application to be made to JFHQ for disposal instructions and correspondingly earlier release of accommodation within Areas.
4. In this respect it is pointed out that 807 Italian Transit Camp, RAVISCANERA, can only cater for reinforcement personnel and is not intended to accommodate formed units. Areas holding redundant Italian units must, in general, continue to accommodate them, even when similar accommodation is required for German units, until disposal orders are issued. Only in special cases and acting on previous authority of this headquarters will formed Italian units be moved to 807 Transit Camp.

*W. A. S.*  
Lt Col.  
GS.  
(C.F. PARKS)

Distribution

|           |              |
|-----------|--------------|
| E         | EME          |
| X         | PRO          |
| ST        | LAB          |
| MED       | FINC         |
| ORD       | SAL          |
| -----     |              |
| 52 Area   | 211 Sub Area |
| 54 Area   | 66 M. Bde    |
| 56 Area   | A            |
| ROME Area | O            |
| 61 Area   | MMIA LO      |
|           | Italian LO   |
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| MMIA LO        |
| 27 AUG 1945    |
| File <u>7</u>  |
| HQ 3 District. |

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MESSAGE FORM In lieu of AF C2136

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|-----------------|----------|------|---|
| FROM            | DISTANCE | 27/8 | B |
| FOR ACTION      |          |      |   |
| TO              | MMIA     |      |   |
| FOR INFORMATION |          |      |   |

227 ITALIAN DIV: 230 ITALIAN DIV: 59

63 100 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) ref your O. 38 of 25 aug (.) 230 ITALIAN adm div responsible for all ITALIAN units allotted to DISPERSE located within present boundaries of first (.) 61 area (.) second (.) 211 sub area (.) third (.) PEE territory from northern bay of VITERBO province to inter-compartmental bay of TOSCANA with EMILIA and LIGURIA

This message may be sent  
as written by any means  
and wireless

and Call

Copy to: MMIA LO ITALIAN LO:

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27 AUG 1945  
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File 7  
HQ 3 District.

MESSAGE FORM In Lieu of 02136  
FROM DISTANCE 27 L. 50 B

FOR ACTION  
52 Area 54 Area 56 Area  
TO

FOR INFORMATION

91 GRN Mov TARANTO Mov BRINDISI Mov BARI Mov NAPLES 227 ITALIAN Div

SD 101 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) following fire units less Italian increments will move soonest under unit arrangements by rd from present locations to destinations as shown (.) road A serial B unit C str personnel/vehz D location E area concerned F destination G cond op/adm on arrival H remarks (.)

- A 1 B 58 first class fire bde C 13/5 D BARI E 54 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/153 FF coy H on relief by 152 FF coy (.)
- A 2 B 606 first class fire bde C 15/5 D BARLETTA E 54 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/153 FF coy H on relief by 152 FF coy (.)
- A 3 B HQ 153 FF coy C 11/1 D BARI E 54 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/153 FF coy H on relief by 152 FF coy (.)
- A 4 B 9 first class fire bde C 13/5 D TARANTO E 52 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/153 FF coy H on relief by 152 FF coy (.)
- A 5 B 607 first class fire bde C 14/5 D BRINDISI E 52 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/153 FF coy H on relief by 152 FF coy (.)
- A 6 B 616 first class fire bde C 13/5 D NAPLES E 56 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/157 FF coy H on relief by 153 FF coy (.)
- A 7 B 617 first class fire bde C 13/5 D CASORIA E 56 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/157 FF coy H on relief by 153 FF coy (.)
- A 8 B 618 first class fire bde C 13/5 D SALERNO E 56 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/157 FF coy H on relief by 153 FF coy (.)
- A 9 B 157 FF coy 11/1 D NAPLES E 56 area F TORRE ANNUNZIATA G 56 area/157 FF coy H on relief by 153 FF coy (.)

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as written by any means  
incl wireless

Sgt. R. K. ...

Copy to: Q Fire MEDIO Italian LO Mov LO.

MMIA LO  
27 AUG 1945  
File  
HQ 3 District

RESERVED

SUBJECT: Disbandment of Part IIA & Part IIE Units

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/29/2

23 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

749 ITALIAN WORKSHOP - REME  
637 ITALIAN WORKSHOP - REME  
ITALIAN INCR TO 2 (BR) GEN  
HOSPITAL  
ITALIAN INCR TO 5 (BR) GEN  
HOSPITAL  
ITALIAN INCR TO 69 (BR) GEN  
HOSPITAL  
2 GEN HOSPITAL EXPANSION  
7, 11, 12, 26, 27, 31 GEN HOSPITAL  
EXPANSIONS  
'S' ADV DEPOT OF MED STORES  
'T' ADV DEPOT OF MED STORES  
403 ITALIAN TRANSIT VEH PK  
(MAIN)  
408 ITALIAN VEH PK ('B' VEH)  
53 ITALIAN INCR TO MOBILE  
LAUNDRY & BATH UNIT

40 ITALIAN INCR TO BASE HOSPITAL  
LAUNDRY  
419 ITALIAN RETURNED STORES COY  
1061 ITALIAN DOCKS OPERATING COY  
1063 ITALIAN DOCKS OPERATING COY  
253 ITALIAN PACK TRANSPORT GP HQ  
270 ITALIAN PACK TRANSPORT COY  
271 ITALIAN PACK TRANSPORT COY  
272 ITALIAN PACK TRANSPORT COY  
273 ITALIAN PACK TRANSPORT COY  
499 ROADSIGN MAINT UNIT  
'X' REINFORCEMENT TRG DEPOT  
(ITALIAN PORTION)

DISBANDEMENTS

1. The above mentioned units will be disbanded as shown at Appdx

'A' attached.

PERSONNEL → FILE 49  
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Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA signal

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMLA)

SD/29/2

13 Aug 45

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'A' attached.

PERSONNEL → File 49  
File 18

2. Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMLA signal  
A 1222 dated 8 Aug 45, except as stated below.  
Special instructions have been issued as follows → 49

Unit serials: 1-2 - MMLA signal A 1250 of 21 Aug 45.  
16-17 - MMLA letter A/120 of 8 Aug 45. → NT  
18-22 - MMLA letter A/110/7 of 8 Aug 45.

#### EQUIPMENT

3. (a) British equipment will be returned to Ordnance under  
arrangements of the supervisory authorities. Any deficiencies  
will be vouchered to you in due course.  
(b) (1) Italian equipment will be returned to Adm Div Sub  
Depots, under arrangements of the appropriate Adm Div.

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Para 3 cont'd

(ii) The supervisory authorities will issue special instructions for the disposal of mules held by the Pack Transport units being disbanded.

(iii) Italian medical stores held by units serials 8 and 9 will be handed in to Adv Medical Stores Depots of 5 and 7 Terr HQs respectively.

REFERENCE

4. References to AFHQ letters are as follows :-

|               |                    |          |                  |
|---------------|--------------------|----------|------------------|
| Serials 1 & 2 | - G1(BR) 1074 (A1) | Ser 2951 | dated 18 Aug 45. |
| " 3           | - G1(BR) 1057 (A1) | Ser 2884 | " 13 Aug 45.     |
| 4 & 5         | - " " " "          | " 2935   | " 16 Aug 45.     |
| 6             | - " " " "          | " 2936   | " 16 Aug 45.     |
| 7             | - " " " "          | " 2936   | " 16 Aug 45.     |
| 8 & 9         | - " " " "          | " 2915   | " 14 Aug 45.     |
| 10 - 15       | - G1(BR) 1074 (A1) | " 2955   | " 19 Aug 45.     |
| 16 & 17       | - " " " "          | " 2952   | " 18 Aug 45.     |
| 18 - 22       | - " " " "          | " 2953   | " 18 Aug 45.     |
| 23            | - " " " "          | " 2956   | " 19 Aug 45.     |
| 24            | - G1(BR) 1066 (A1) | " 1066   | " 20 Aug 45.     |

*[Signature]*  
Major General  
I.I.A.

DISTRIBUTION

|                                         |  |
|-----------------------------------------|--|
| HQ 2 District                           |  |
| " 3 District                            |  |
| " BTVA                                  |  |
| " RAC                                   |  |
| MIL 10 NW Italy MILAN (three)           |  |
| " " 3 District                          |  |
| " " 54 area                             |  |
| " " 209 1st Div (via 1 Dist rear party) |  |
| " " Pensouth                            |  |
| " " Florence City Comd (two)            |  |
| " " 13 Corps.                           |  |

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| 18 - 22       | " " " "            | " 2953   | "     | 18 Aug 45. |
| 23            | " " " "            | " 2956   | "     | 19 Aug 45. |
| 24            | - G1(BR) 1066 (A1) | " 1066   | "     | 20 Aug 45. |

*[Signature]*  
Major General  
I.M.I.A.

#### DISTRIBUTION

HQ 2 District  
" 3 District  
" BNA  
" RAC

12.1. LO NW Italy MILAN (three)  
" " 3 District  
" " 54 Area  
" " 209 Adm Div (via 1 Dist rear party)  
" " Pensouth  
" " Florence City Comd (two)  
" " 13 Corps.

#### INTERNAL

A (Two)  
Q (three)  
RE  
ST  
MED  
REAR

SD/5/2  
SD/3/2  
SD/12/2  
SD/12/2  
SD/1/4

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| (a)<br>No | (b)<br>UNIT                                        | (c)<br>WE             | (d)<br>WE STRENGTHS<br>Offrs ORs |     | (e)<br>LOCATION                 | (f)<br>SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY | (g)<br>EFFECTIVE |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| 1.        | 749 Italian Workshop - REME                        | CM/1515/1             | 4                                | 305 | MOLINETTA                       | HQ 3 Dist                       | 15 Aug 45        |
| 2.        | 637 Italian Workshop - REME                        | CM/1515/1             | 4                                | 305 | BARI                            | HQ 3 Dist                       | 20 Aug 45        |
| 3.        | Italian Incr to 2 (BR) Gen<br>Hospital             | IV/227/1              |                                  | 50  | CASERTA                         | HQ 3 Dist                       | 1 Sept           |
| 4.        | Italian Incr to 5 (BR) Gen<br>Hospital             | IV/226/1              |                                  | 30  | FESARO                          | HQ 1 Dist                       | 1 Sept           |
| 5.        | Italian Incr to 69 (BR) Gen<br>Hospital            | IV/226/1              |                                  | 30  | ROME                            | HQ RAMC                         | 1 Sept           |
| 6.        | 2 Gen Hospital Expansion                           | IV/42/2<br>(CM/347/2) |                                  | 11  | Att- 135<br>Gen Hosp<br>ALGIERS | HQ BTNA                         | 31 Aug 45        |
| 7.        | 7 General Hosp. Expansion                          | IV/42/2<br>(CM/347/2) |                                  | 11  | att 103<br>Gen Hosp<br>NOCERA   | } HQ 3 Dist                     | 31 Aug 45        |
| 11        | General Hosp. Expansion                            | "                     |                                  | 11  | " 10 Gen<br>Depot, ROME         |                                 |                  |
| 12        | General Hosp. Expansion                            | "                     |                                  | 11  | " MRDR CER-<br>IGNOLA           |                                 |                  |
| 26        | General Hosp. Expansion                            | "                     |                                  | 11  | " 2 Gen Hosp<br>CASERTA         |                                 |                  |
| 27        | General Hosp. Expansion                            | "                     |                                  | 11  | " 103 Gen Hosp<br>NOCERA        |                                 |                  |
| 31        | General Hosp. Expansion                            | "                     |                                  | 11  | " 2 Gen Hosp<br>CASERTA         |                                 |                  |
| 8.        | 'S' Adv Depot of Med Stores                        | CM/578/1              | 1                                | 7   | MESTRE                          | HQ 1 Dist                       | 15 Aug 45        |
| 9.        | 'T' Adv Depot of Med Stores                        | CM/578/1              | 1                                | 7   | FLORENCE                        | HQ 1 Dist                       | 15 Aug 45        |
| 10.       | 403 Italian Transit Veh Park<br>(Main)             | CM/1505/1             | 4                                | 379 | PESCARA                         | HQ 1 Dist                       | 1 Aug 45         |
| 11.       | 408 Italian Veh Park ('B'<br>Vehs)                 | CM/1506/1             | 2                                | 125 | ORVLETO                         | HQ 3 Dist                       | 1 Aug 45         |
| 12.       | 53 Italian Incr to Mobile<br>Laundry and Bath Unit | CM/1509/1             | 1                                | 67  | IESI                            | HQ 1 Dist                       | 1 Aug 45         |
| 13.       | 40 Italian Incr to Base Hosp<br>Laundry ('B' Coy)  | CM/1510/1             | 1                                | 106 | PURGATORIO                      | HQ 3 Dist                       | 1 Aug 45         |

Appendix 'A' to main letter  
SD/29/2 dated 23 Aug 45

|                    | (c)<br>WE             | (a)<br>WE STRENGTHS<br>Offrs ORs | (c)<br>LOCATION | (f)<br>SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY | (g)<br>EFFECTIVE DATE | (h)<br>COMPLETION<br>DATE | (i)<br>ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE FOR<br>PERSONNEL AND ITALIAN EQUIPMENT |             |
|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Shop - REME        | CM/1515/1             | 4                                | 305             | WOLFFETTA                       | HQ 3 Dist             | 15 Aug 45                 | 1 Sept 45                                                         | 227 Adm Div |
| Shop - REME        | CM/1515/1             | 4                                | 305             | BARI                            | HQ 3 Dist             | 20 Aug 45                 | 1 Sept 45                                                         | 227 Adm Div |
| (BR) Gen Hospital  | IV/227/1              |                                  | 50              | CASERTA                         | HQ 3 Dist             | 1 Sept 45                 | 9 Sept 45                                                         | 227 Adm Div |
| (BR) Gen Hospital  | IV/226/1              |                                  | 30              | PESARO                          | HQ 1 Dist             | 1 Sept 45                 | 9 Sept 45                                                         | 209 Adm Div |
| (BR) Gen Hospital  | IV/226/1              |                                  | 30              | ROME                            | HQ RAAC               | 1 Sept 45                 | 9 Sept 45                                                         | 227 Adm Div |
| Expansion          | IV/42/2<br>(CM/347/2) |                                  | 11              | Att- 135<br>Gen Hosp<br>ALGIERS | HQ ETNA               | 31 Aug 45                 | 6 Sept 45                                                         | - - -       |
| Expansion          | IV/42/2<br>(CM/347/2) |                                  | 11              | att 103<br>Gen Hosp<br>NOCERA   |                       |                           |                                                                   |             |
| Expansion          | "                     |                                  | 11              | " 10 Con<br>Depot, ROME         |                       |                           |                                                                   |             |
| Expansion          | "                     |                                  | 11              | " MRDB CER-<br>IGNOLA           | HQ 3 Dist             | 31 Aug 45                 | 6 Sept 45                                                         | 227 Adm Div |
| Expansion          | "                     |                                  | 11              | " 2 Gen Hosp<br>CASERTA         |                       |                           |                                                                   |             |
| Expansion          | "                     |                                  | 11              | " 103 Gen Hosp<br>NOCERA        |                       |                           |                                                                   |             |
| Expansion          | "                     |                                  | 11              | " 2 Gen Hosp<br>CASERTA         |                       |                           |                                                                   |             |
| Ed Stores          | CM/578/1              | 1                                | 7               | MESTRE                          | HQ 1 Dist             | 15 Aug 45                 | 1 Sept 45                                                         | 228 Adm Div |
| Ed Stores          | CM/578/1              | 1                                | 7               | FLORENCE                        | HQ 1 Dist             | 15 Aug 45                 | 1 Sept 45                                                         | 230 Adm Div |
| Veh Park<br>(Main) | CM/1505/1             | 4                                | 379             | PESCARA                         | HQ 1 Dist             | 1 Aug 45                  | 9 Sept 45                                                         | 209 Adm Div |
| rk ('B')           | CM/1506/1             | 2                                | 125             | ORVIETO                         | HQ 3 Dist             | 1 Aug 45                  | 9 Sept 45                                                         | 230 Adm Div |
| Mobile             | CM/1509/1             | 1                                | 67              | IESI                            | HQ 1 Dist             | 1 Aug 45                  | 9 Sept 45                                                         | 209 Adm Div |
| Base Hosp          | CM/1510/1             | 1                                | 106             | PURGATORIO                      | HQ 3 Dist             | 1 Aug 45                  | 9 Sept 45                                                         | 227 Adm Div |

Appendix 'A' Cont'd

| (a)<br>No. | (b)<br>UNIT                                      | (c)<br>WC | (d)<br>WE STRENGTHS |     | (e)<br>LOCATION   | (f)<br>SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY | (g)<br>EFFECTIVE<br>DATE | (h)<br>COMPLETION<br>DATE |
|------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
|            |                                                  |           | Offrs               | ORs |                   |                                 |                          |                           |
| 14.        | 401 Italian General Stores Coy                   | CM/1503/1 | 2                   | 88  | IESI              | HQ 1 Dist                       | 11 Aug 45                | 9 Sept                    |
| 15.        | 419 Italian Returned Stores "                    | CM/1504/1 | 4                   | 152 | IESI              | HQ 1 Dist                       | 11 Aug 45                | 9 Sept                    |
| 16.        | 1061 Italian Docks Operating "                   | CM/857/1  | 7                   | 426 | TARANTO           | HQ 3 Dist                       | 20 Aug 45                | 1 Sept                    |
| 17.        | 1063 Italian Docks Operating "                   | CM/857/1  | 7                   | 426 | BRINDISI          | HQ 3 Dist                       | 20 Aug 45                | 1 Sept                    |
| 18.        | 253 Italian Pack Transport<br>Group HQ           | CM/834/1  | 4                   | 31  | CASTOCARO)        | HQ 1 Dist                       | 22 Aug 45                | 3 Sept                    |
| 19.        | 270 Italian Pack Transport Coy                   | CM/800/1  | 10                  | 485 | FORLI             |                                 |                          |                           |
| 20.        | 271 Italian Pack Transport Coy                   | CM/800/1  | 10                  | 485 | DAVADOLA          |                                 |                          |                           |
| 21.        | 272 Italian Pack Transport Coy                   | CM/800/1  | 10                  | 485 | LADINO            |                                 |                          |                           |
| 22.        | 273 Italian Pack Transport Coy                   | CM/800/1  | 10                  | 485 | TORRE DEL<br>SOLE |                                 |                          |                           |
| 23.        | 499 Roadsign Maint Unit                          | CM/853/1  | 1                   | 87  | SENIGALLIA        | HQ 1 Dist                       | 15 Aug 45                | 9 Sept                    |
| 24.        | 'X' Reinforcement Trg Depot<br>(Italian portion) | CM/414/3  |                     | 35  | AVELLA            | HQ 3 Dist                       | 15 Aug 45                | 10 Sept                   |

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|-----------|----------------------------------|-----|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| CM/1503/1 | 2                                | 88  | TESI              | HQ 1 Dist                       | 11 Aug 45                | 9 Sept 45                 | 209 Adm Div -                               |
| CM/1504/1 | 4                                | 152 | TESI              | HQ 1 Dist                       | 11 Aug 45                | 9 Sept 45                 | 209 Adm Div -                               |
| CM/857/1  | 7                                | 426 | TARANTO           | HQ 3 Dist                       | 20 Aug 45                | 1 Sept 45                 | 227 Adm Div -                               |
| CM/857/1  | 7                                | 426 | BRINDISI          | HQ 3 Dist                       | 20 Aug 45                | 1 Sept 45                 | 227 Adm Div -                               |
| CM/834/1  | 4                                | 31  | CASTOCARO         | HQ 1 Dist                       | 22 Aug 45                | 3 Sept 45                 | 209 Adm Div -                               |
| CM/800/1  | 10                               | 485 | FORLI             |                                 |                          |                           |                                             |
| CM/800/1  | 10                               | 485 | DAVADOLA          |                                 |                          |                           |                                             |
| CM/800/1  | 10                               | 485 | LADINO            |                                 |                          |                           |                                             |
| CM/800/1  | 10                               | 485 | TORRE DEL<br>SOLE |                                 |                          |                           |                                             |
| CM/853/1  | 1                                | 87  | SENIGALLIA        | HQ 1 Dist                       | 15 Aug 45                | 9 Sept 45                 | 209 Adm Div -                               |
| CM/414/3  |                                  | 35  | AVELLA            | HQ 3 Dist                       | 15 Aug 45                | 10 Sept 45                | 227 Adm Div                                 |

1945

MEDY V LROF NR04128

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FROM MMIA 251100B

TO DISTHREE

INFO DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO

PENSOUTH FOR MMIA LO

FLORENCE CITY COMMAND FOR MMIA LO THRUPP

DISTONE FOR MMIA LO BOURNE

54 AREA FOR MMIA LO

GR22 BT

0.138 UNCLASSIFIED

REF AFHQ SIGNAL FK32616 OF 6 AUG (.)

PLEASE STATE BDY BETWEEN 230 ITALIAN ADM DIV AND 227 ITALIAN  
ADM DIV

BT 251100B

SENT PM B K

RD NR 04128 CLD BB KK

MMIA LO  
25 AUG 19453 District 3 District  
Rushall Ext 110  
035/5035 (27)

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AUG 45

SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Co-operators  
to Pr-Itali -

List 'B'

DOS AMHQ

1A 3 District

1Q 3 District

- MMIA LO

1. Clarification was requested by this office through DOS AMHQ of CA (English) letter 3001/1/12 of Jun 45, fwd to Areas 'A' Branches under cover 40/29A dated 23 Jun 45. This concerns amendments of accounting for stores held by issue to Italian Co-operator Units on their conversion to Pr-Itali status. Approved are replied. This office letter of even ref dated 12 Jul 45, not to all addressees, also refers.

2. Para 14 - Vests and Sweaters - sub paras A and B

In cases where Co-operator Units do not possess a British cadre, and in cases where it is not possible to differentiate between WE's and AM's of British cadre and Co-operator Units, all vests and caps on charge to the Unit at 30 Jun 45 will be returned under arrangements DOS District as on loan to the Pr-Itali Units.

3. Para 13 - Clothing and Accessories

It has been agreed with the Financial Advisor AMHQ that the price to be charged for clothing and accessories is 50% of the voucher rates.

4. Regarding the return of caps which has been on loan to units; the following drill is suggested but AMHQ/AMHQs are at liberty to make their own arrangements:-

- (a) The Unit to receive four copies of a pro-forma; separate sheet for each vest section or sub-section.
- (b) The DCP or Vol PK signs three copies as a receipt and hands them back to the unit, retaining one copy.
- (c) The unit retain one copy and hands two to the AMHQ.
- (d) The AMHQ retains one copy, fwd the other with the monthly summary as the supporting document; which will be used in the final rendering of the consolidated deficiency list to AMHQ.

In this connection: AMHQs/AMHQs are asked to fwd consolidated list to AMHQ.

1. Clarification was requested by this office through DOS ATISQ of G4 (British) letter 3/01/4/12 of Jun 45, fwd to Areas 'A' Branches under cover 400/29A dated 23 Jun 45. This concerns encryptions of accounting for stores held for issue to Italian Co-operator Units on their conversion to Bri-iti status. Appended are replies. This office letter of even ref dated 12 Jul 45, not to all addressees, also refers.

2. Para 14 - Vests and Card Stores - sub-arms A and B

In cases where Co-operator Units do not possess a British cadre, and in cases where it is not possible to differentiate between WE's and BEL's of British cadre and Co-operator Units, all vests and card on charge to the Unit at 30 Jun 45 will be recorded under arrangements DOS District as on loan to the Bri-iti Units.

3. Para 13 - Clothing and Accessories

It has been agreed with the Financial Advisor AMK that the price to be charged for clothing and accessories is 50% of the vocab rates.

4. Regarding the return of eqpt which has been on loan to units; the following drill is suggested with ADOS/MLSCS are at liberty to make their own arrangements:-

- (a) The Unit to prepare four copies of a pro-forma; separate sheet for each vocab section or sub-section.
- (b) The DED or Vel PX signs three copies as a receipt and hands them back to the unit, retaining one copy.
- (c) The unit retain one copy and hands two to the ADOS.
- (d) The ADOS retains one copy, fwd the other with the monthly summary as the supporting document; which will be used in the final rendering of the consolidated deficiency list to H L.

5. In this connection; ADOS/MLSCS are asked to fwd consolidated returns to this Directorate on the 20th of each month, the first return to reach this Directorate by the 20th September; thereafter Amendments are required.

*11X (Coleman)*  
Lt Col  
ADOS  
(H R COLEMAN)

Subject :- Italian Increment to "A" Vehicle Disposal Unit.

3 District  
Tel Ext 79  
121/2/Sal/35

24 Aug 45

M.M.I.A. LO,  
HQ 3 District

D.D. Salvage A.F.H.Q. (your AMU/184/Sal/100 dated 24 Jul 45 refers)  
CC "A" Vehicle Disposal Unit (your AVU/29/802 dated 17 Jul 45 refers)

Ref your 3 DIO/7 dated 21 Aug 45.

1. The report in Italian ref N. 08/1043/ord dated 7 Aug 45 is returned herewith with thanks.
2. For information addressees a translation in English is enclosed.

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| MMIA LO        |
| 25 AUG 1945    |
| File           |
| HQ 3 District. |

*Whitcomb*  
Capt.,  
for Major,  
I.A.D. Salvage

/cm  
Enclosure

Subject: Italian Adm Hqs

A  
Q  
MIA LO  
Italian LO.

RESTRICTED

3 District  
Ext 5  
835/G

24 Aug 45

*hmr*  
*NT*  
Following reproduction of AMHQ FX 37778 of 23 aug to MIA copy Disthree  
is forwarded for info:

" REFERENCE YOUR SD 2894 OF 10 AUG AND DISTHREE 835/G OF 21 AUG. SIGNED

SACRED CITY PHOTO.

DISTHREE'S REASON FOR REQUESTING FIVE ADM HQS HQ'S SATISFACTORY REQUEST

YOU PROCEED TO FORM ALL FIVE IMMEDIATELY ON LINES PROPOSED FORMATION

AUTHORITIES WILL BE ISSUED RETROSPECTIVELY AS SOON AS WE APPROVED BY WEO."

*Green*  
(DA GREEN) Major  
for Lt Col CS.

MMIA LO  
24 AUG 1945  
File 7  
HQ 3 District

RESTRICTED.

SUBJECT:- Conversion of Units.

3 District  
Baseball 21  
Auto: 10895  
104/230h  
22 Aug 45

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Salvage (6)

G (SD)

Q (AE)

Ord

ILO

MMIA LO

Land Forces Sub Commission AG (SALA)

Cooperator Iner to 'A', 'B' & 'C' Veh Disposal Units.

Reference attached copies of AFHQ G1(Br)/1026/44 (Ser 2957) dated 19 Aug 45.

1. Conversion and redesignation of the above-named units to WE CR/1511/1, wcf 1 Jul 45, will be supervised by you.

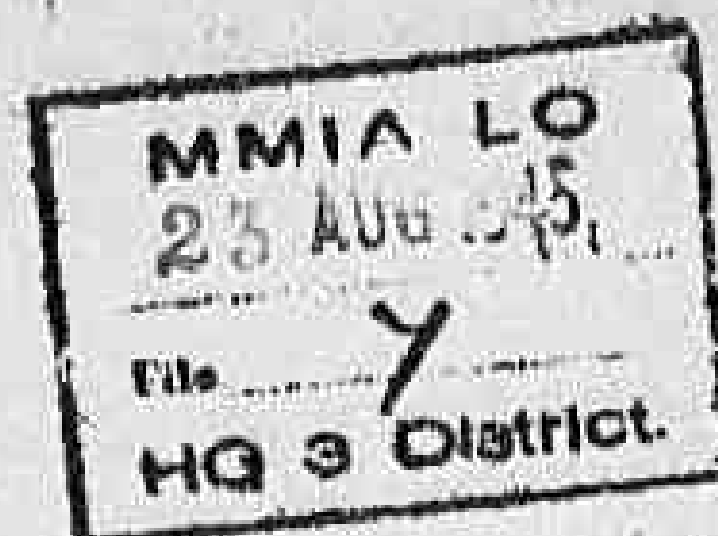
2. Units will be instructed to contact ADCS Area and produce a copy of the AFHQ letter attached, and take appropriate action as follows:-

(a) Submit indents for Ordnance stores and equipment including ammunition, and staff controlled stores rendered surplus by the conversion.

3. Completion reports will be forwarded in quadruplicate to this HQ.

4. G(SD). Please supply copies of the above-quoted WE when available.

486  
R. C. Myn  
h Col  
DA & CG



MESSAGE FORM In Lieu of 02136  
FROM DISTRICT 2315.7 B  
FOR ACTION  
TO 5th ARMY NOV BARI

(54)

FOR INFORMATION  
FIFTH ARMY 227 ITALIAN DIV

SD 50(.) RESTRICTED (.) ref AFHQ EX 37554 of 22 aug NOT to all (.)  
HQ and two bus GARIBOLDI regt str office 60 OR 400 stores 40 tons  
will move by rail period 27 aug 2 sep under arrangements AFHQ G4  
(Nov and 2d) through Nov BARI from TARI to BOLEARD (.) pers 2 b  
ref SD 934 of 12 aug refers.

26 This message may be sent  
or written by any means  
except wireless

Sgt. .... R. S. M. K. C. 1009

Copy to:- List 3 MILANO ITALIAN 10 NOV 10.

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SUBJECT: Conversion of Units - Islander Army.

RESTRICTED

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EME (2)

G (SD)

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Ord (3)

MMIA LO

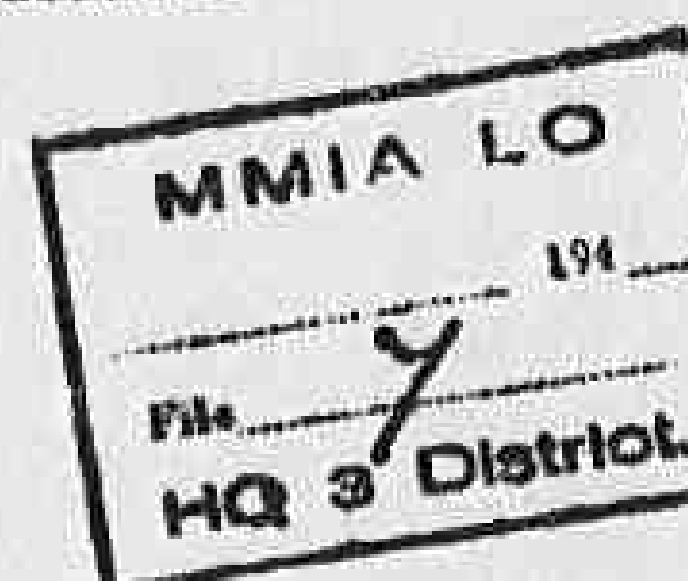
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Land Forces Sub Commission

AO (MMIA)

3 District  
Tel Lt 21  
Auto: 10885  
104/397A  
21 Aug 45

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Co-operator Units - REED

-NT-

Reference attached copies of AMHQ G1(Br)/1026/L1 (Ser 2882) dated 12 Aug 45.

1. Conversion and redesignation of units shown at para 1 of the above letter as being under HQ 3 District to WE G1/1515/1, wef 1 Jul 45, will be supervised by you.
2. Under no circumstances will Office machinery be transferred to or from another unit or formation without reference to AMPS, AMHQ.
3. Reports called for at para 5 of the above quoted AMHQ letter will be forwarded in quadruplicate to this HQ.
4. G(SD). Please supply copies of the above quoted WE when available.

AKC/SG.

*Okleny*  
Lt Col. *major*  
M & GIC.

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SECRET

SUBJECT: - Conversion of Units - Italian

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
G-1(PR)/1026/A.1 (Ser. 2882)  
12 Aug 45.

CO-OPERATOR UNITS, REME

1. (a) The units mentioned will be converted and redesignated to new W.E. with effect from 1 Jul 45 as shown:-

| Present Organisation<br>(i)                | Present W.E.<br>(ii) | New Organisation<br>(iii) | New W.E.<br>(iv) | Supervisory Authority<br>(v) | Serial No.<br>(vi) |
|--------------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| 724 Co-operator Wksp Coy (Italian Element) | CM/476/1             | 724 Italian Wksp Coy      | CM/1515/1        | HQ No. 1 District            | 11528              |
| 712 - do -                                 | -do-                 | 712 -do-                  | - do -           | HQ No. 3 District            | 11690              |
| 713 - do -                                 | -do-                 | 713 -do-                  | - do -           | - do -                       | 11691              |
| 749 - do -                                 | -do-                 | 749 -do-                  | - do -           | - do -                       | 95171              |
| 637 Co-operator Pwr Coy (Italian Element)  | CM/472/1             | 637 -do-                  | - do -           | - do -                       | 19503              |

(b) Copies of the new W.E. will be distributed automatically by the supervisory authorities. Additional copies, if required, may be obtained from GHQ Publications Depot, F & S.S., CMF. Indents should state that these copies are in addition to those received from supervisory authorities.

(c) Existing mobilisation serial numbers will be retained (see (a)(vi) above).

2. PERSONNEL  
Postings will be effected by Land Forces Sub Commission Allied Commission (MILA).
3. EQUIPMENT & TRANSPORT  
Will be adjusted to new scales in accordance with instructions to be issued by supervisory authorities.
4. POSTAL  
Postal address will be:- ..... Italian Wksp Coy,  
C.M.F.

| Present Organisation<br>(i)                               | Present W.E.<br>(ii) | New Organisation<br>(iii) | New W.E.<br>(iv) | Supervisory Authority<br>(v) | Serial No.<br>(vi) |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| 721 Co-operator CW/476/1<br>Wksp Coy<br>(Italian Element) |                      | 724 Italian<br>Wksp Coy   | CW/1515/1        | HQ No.1 District             | 11528              |
| 742 - do -                                                | -do-                 | 742 -do-                  | - do -           | HQ No.3 District             | 11690              |
| 743 - do -                                                | -do-                 | 743 -do-                  | - do -           | - do -                       | 11691              |
| 745 - do -                                                | -do-                 | 749 -do-                  | - do -           | - do -                       | 95171              |
| 637 Co-operator CW/172/1<br>Pmr Coy<br>(Italian Element)  |                      | 637 -do-                  | - do -           | - do -                       | 19503              |

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(c) Existing mobilisation serial numbers will be retained (see (a)(vi) above).

2. PERSONNEL  
Postings will be effected by Land Forces Sub Commission Allied Commission (AFCL).

3. EQUIPMENT & TRANSPORT  
Will be adjusted to new scales in accordance with instructions to be issued by supervisory authorities.

4. POSTAL  
Postal address will be:- ..... Italian Wksp Coy,  
C.M.F.

5. COMPLETION  
Supervisory authorities will report to G-1(Br) AFHQ, copy to DME, AFHQ, and G-3(ORG/4) (Foreign), AFHQ, when conversions and re-designations are complete.

6. ACK

*ATD and 483*

Field-Marshal,  
Supreme Allied Commander,  
Mediterranean Theatre.

...../DISTRIBUTION.

DISTRIBUTION:-

The Under Secretary of State,

The War Office (S.D.2)

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Ord (Dr)  
R.E.A.E.  
F.A.  
D.P.I.C.  
A.D.P.S.S.  
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\* Incl copies for units concerned and distribution as necessary.

+++SD/922.8(B)1 of 1 Aug 45 refers.

MMIA LO  
23 AUG 1945  
HQ 3 District

RESTRICTED

3 District  
Tel Ext 21  
Auto: 10885  
104/4534  
21 Aug 45

141 56 Area (6)

G (SD)  
Q (AE)

Ord

Catering

MMIA LO

ILQ

Land Forces Sub Commission

40 (1811)

Co-operator Iner to ADD Trg Centre  
" " 2 Rd Cookery Trg Centre

Reference attached copies of MMHQ CI(Tr)/1028/L.1 (Ser.2912) dated  
14 Aug 45.

1. Conversion and redesignation of the above named units for 1 Jul 45, will be effected under your supervision.
2. Units will be instructed to contact ADDS and produce a copy of the MMHQ letter attached, and take appropriate action as follows:-
  - (a) Submit indents for Ordnance stores and equipment incl vehs and staff controlled stores, in accordance with scales quoted in para 3 of the above quoted MMHQ letter.
  - (b) Apply for disposal instructions for Ordnance stores and equipment incl am, vehs and staff controlled stores rendered surplus by the conversion.

ADDS will submit a report to ADDS 3 District giving details of surplus vehs, stating TD Nos, type and classification.

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104/4334  
21 Aug 45

1st 56 Area (6)

G (SD)  
Q (AS)

Ord  
Catering  
MELA LO  
ILO

Land Forces Sub Commission  
AO(AMM)

Co-operator Inct to ADO Trg Centre  
" " 2nd Cookery Trg Centre

Reference attached copies of AMHQ CI(Er)/1026/L.1 (Ser.2912) dated  
14 Aug 45.

1. Conversion and redesignation of the above named units wof 1 Jul 45, will be effected under your supervision.

2. Units will be instructed to contact ADOs and produce a copy of the AMHQ letter attached, and take appropriate action as follows:-

(a) Submit indents for Ordnance stores and equipment incl vehs and staff controlled stores, in accordance with scales quoted in para 3 of the above quoted AMHQ letter.

(b) Apply for disposal instructions for Ordnance stores and equipment incl am, vehs and staff controlled stores rendered surplus by the conversion.

ADOs will submit a report to AMOS 1 District giving details of 482 surplus vehs, stating WD Nos, type and classification.

3. Under no circumstances will office machinery be transferred to or from another unit or formation without reference to AMPS, AMHQ.

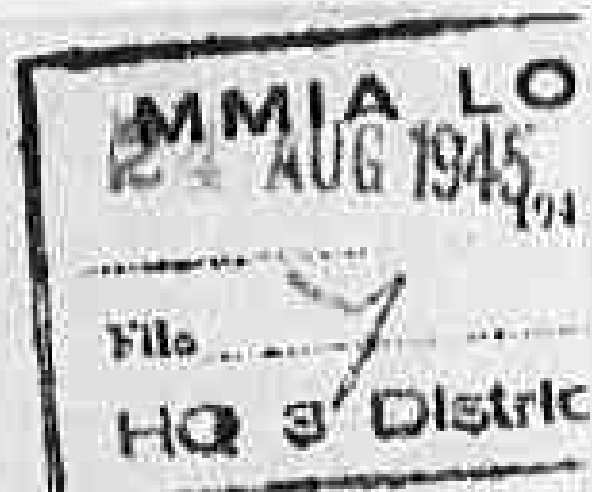
4. Completion report will be forwarded in quadruplicate to this HQ.

5. G(SD). Please supply copies of the appropriate WD when available.

AMC/SG.

Declared major  
Lt Col. M. G. GIG

COMANDO DELLA 227<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE  
S.M. = Sezione Op. Ord.



N° 01/7228/Op. di pent. =

P.M. 126, 11 22/45

OGGETTO: 407° Coop. NT Stores. =

→ ALL' LO M.M.I.A. - 3° DISTRETTO  
e, per conoscenza;

C.M.F.

ALL'UFFICIO ITALIANO COLL/TI 3° DISTRICT C.M.F.

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Riferimento foglio 3DLO/7 dell'8 corrente. =

In data 15 agosto sono stati assegnati al reparto in oggetto  
n° 76 complementi. =



*folio 50  
also refer*  
d'ordin.  
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE  
(Magg. Ugo Scotti Lavina)  
*182*

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

| ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)                                                                                   |                                  | MESSAGE FORM                                                                                         |                                 | Register                                               |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| Call                                                                                                      | Ref. No.                         | Priority                                                                                             | Transmission Instructions       |                                                        |
| ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY                                                                      |                                  |                                                                                                      |                                 |                                                        |
| FROM<br>(A)                                                                                               | Originator<br>MMIA LG 3 DISTRICT |                                                                                                      | Date-Time of Origin<br>22 1635B | Office Date<br>50                                      |
| TO                                                                                                        | For Action<br>227 DIV            |                                                                                                      | (W) For Information (INFO)      | Message Instruction                                    |
| Originator's No.<br>3DLO/503(.) UNCLASSIFIED(.) Reply to 3DLO/7 of 8 Aug overdue (.)<br>please accelerate |                                  |                                                                                                      |                                 |                                                        |
| THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN<br>BY ANY MEANS EXCEPT WIRELESS                                       |                                  | IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO<br>FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MES-<br>SAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER |                                 | Originator's Instructions<br>Degree of Priority<br>489 |
| SIGNED<br>W. P. Miller                                                                                    |                                  | SIGNATURE                                                                                            |                                 | Time<br>THI or TO<br>Time clear                        |

MEDY V LROF NR 2316 ( 8.

23 AUG 1945

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23 AUG 1945  
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HQ 7

MEDY V LROF NR 2316 ( IMPORTANT) QVR1/4

FROM M.M.I.A. 211600B

TO DISTHREE

INFO MINISTRY OF WAR - 54 AREA FOR MMIA LO - DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO  
GR - BT

A 1250 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) REF AFHQ G-1(BR)/1074/A1

(SER2951) A OF 18 AUG ORDERING DISBANDMENT OF 749 AND 637 ITALIAN  
WKSPS (.) ONE (.) PERSONNEL OF 749 WKSPS WILL BE PLACED AT DISPOSAL OF  
TERRITORIAL HQ BARI FOR EMPLOYMENT IN ITI-ITI REPAIRS UNITS (.)  
TWO (.) PERSONNEL OF 637 ITALIAN WKSPS WILL BE MOVED TO I.R.T.C.,  
C E S A N O (.) MMIA LO BARI WILL STATE STRENGTH TO MMIA WHO WILL BID  
FOR MOVEMENT IN PERIOD 3 - 9 SEPT (.) THREE (.) FOR MINISTRY OF  
WAR (.) ON ARRIVAL AT C E S A N O SELECTED PERSONNEL MAY BE POSTED  
TO FILL DEFICIENCIES IN ITI-ITI CATEGORY VIDE

MMIA A115 OF 14 AUG (.)

(-BT-)

SENT NR 2316(DML) 1742 (K)

RD NO 2316 MTG

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HQ MOVEMENTS  
23 AUG 1945  
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SO

Tel-Baseball 2

Subject:- Italian Incr to A Veh. Disposal  
Unit.

Liaison Office,  
Land Forces, Sub Comm;  
A.C. (MMIA) 3 District.

Ref. 3DLO/7.

21 August 45.

To:- Sal.

Ref 121/2/<sup>5</sup>Sal/61 of 27 July, and  
conversation HOLT-NORTH, attached is No 8/1043/Ord  
of 7 Aug, being the original of the reply to my  
3DLO/7 of 31 July 45. Please return after perusal.

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see folio 57

*[Signature]*

Maj.  
MMIA LO 3 District.

GPH/agn

21 AUG 1945  
File  
HQ 3 District.

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Subject: Italian Administrative Headquarters.

AFHQ (G-3 Org AMD)

Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MMA)

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MMA LO  
Italian LO3 District  
Baseball lot 5  
835/G

11 Aug 45

Ref AFHQ signal TX 34932 of 13 Aug and related correspondence.

1. There are at present some 220 units with a total strength of 753 officers and 26,197 OR under the admin comd of 227 Italian Div. This total may be broken down by regions as follows:

CAMPANIA - CALABRIA - 114 units, strength 10,242 all ranks  
LAZIO - 25 units, strength 3,529 all ranks  
PUGLIA - LUCANIA - 83 units, strength 13,179 all ranks.

2. 227 Div request the following minimum allotment of Regtl Adm HQ:

For CAMPANIA and CALABRIA - 2  
For LAZIO - 1  
For PUGLIA and LUCANIA - 2

In addition to the Div HQ and the continued existence of the local Rear Div HQ at BARI. The latter is made desirable by the difficulty of communication and the need for a HQ in Eastern ITALY with full power of comd.

3. The required organization may be summarized as follows:

| Region              | HQ           | HQ Str | Number of Units | Total Strength of Units |
|---------------------|--------------|--------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| CAMPANIA - CALABRIA | 227 Div      | 20     | 70              | 189                     |
|                     | First Regt   | 7      | 27              | 79                      |
|                     | Second Regt  | 7      | 27              | 85                      |
|                     | Third Regt   | 7      | 27              | 95                      |
|                     | Rear 227 Div | 10     | 46              | 97                      |
|                     | Fourth Regt  | 7      | 27              | 135                     |
|                     | Fifth Regt   | 7      | 27              | 73                      |
| LAZIO               |              |        |                 | 26,197                  |
| PUGLIA - LUCANIA    |              |        |                 | 26,197                  |

The detailed breakdown by units is shown in Apix 'A'.

4. At present, the duties of Adm Regt HQs are being carried out by HQ 513, 516, and 517 Regts, and by HQ 403, 404 and 407 Pnr Regts. HQ 227 Div points

more are at present some 220 units with a total strength of 733 officers and 26,197 OR under the adm comd of 227 Italian Div. This total may be broken down by regions as follows:

CAMPANIA - CALABRIA - 114 units, strength 10,242 all ranks  
LAZIO - 25 units, strength 3,529 all ranks  
PUGLIA - LUCANIA - 83 units, strength 13,179 all ranks.

2. 227 Div request the following minimum allotment of Regt1 Adm HQ:

For CAMPANIA and CALABRIA - 2  
For LAZIO - 1  
For PUGLIA and LUCANIA - 2

in addition to the Div HQ and the continued existence of the local Rear Div HQ at Bari. The latter is made desirable by the difficulty of communication and the need for a HQ in Eastern ITALY with full power of comd.

3. The required organization may be summarized as follows:

| Region              | HQ           | HQ Str | Number of Units | Total Strength of Units |
|---------------------|--------------|--------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| CAMPANIA - CALABRIA | 227 Div      | 20     | 70              | 189 3,454               |
|                     | First Regt   | 7      | 27              | 79 2,830                |
|                     | Second Regt  | 7      | 27              | 85 3,605                |
|                     | Third Regt   | 7      | 27              | 95 3,434                |
|                     | Rear 227 Div | 10     | 48              | 97 3,967                |
|                     | Fourth Regt  | 7      | 27              | 135 5,659               |
|                     | Fifth Regt   | 7      | 27              | 73 3,248                |
| LAZIO               |              |        |                 |                         |
| PUGLIA - LUCANIA    |              |        |                 |                         |
|                     |              | 65     | 253             | 220                     |
|                     |              |        |                 | 753 26,197              |

The detailed breakdown by units is shown in Annex 'A'.

4. At present, the duties of Adm Regt HQs are being carried out by HQ 513, 516, and 517 Regts, and by HQ 403, 404 and 407 Pnr Regts. HQ 227 Div points out that the units in PUGLIA and LUCANIA alone have a strength larger than that of an Italian Division, that there are seldom any intermediate bn or equivalent HQ through which formation HQs can work, and states that without a minimum of five Regt1 HQ under comd it will be unable to exert effective comd and control.

5. In the opinion of this HQ, the request for five Adm Regt1 HQs appears reasonable, and the cost in manpower at an establishment of only 7 officers and 27 OR per HQ does not appear an unduly high price to pay for efficient administration. In this respect it is pointed out that the majority of the actual personnel required would be available from the existing Regt1 and Pnr HQ on disbandment.

6. Your approval of this scheme is therefore requested. Even though future policy may involve early disbandment of many Italian units, the fact that the necessary HQ staffs are already earmarked and that formation would be rapid, makes the project still worth while to cover the interim period, and in fact such HQs would assist in carrying out a smooth disbandment.

7. This HQ is not yet in a position to comment on the requirements in 230 Div area.

*Mt-12-1-50*  
Maj Gen  
Comd

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| MMIA LO                  |
| 21 AUG 1945              |
| File                     |
| HQ 3 District 3 District |
| Ext 5                    |
| 752/G                    |

SUBJECT: Duties of 516 Italian Adm Regt.

ROME Area

MMIA LO

ITALIAN LO

21 AUG 45

Ref your 133/G3(Br) of 14 Aug 45.

1. 516 Italian Adm Regt is an intermediate formation under comd of 227 Italian Adm Div, designed to administer those units of 227 Div located in the ROME Area.
2. In this capacity it has the following responsibilities towards the units under its adm comd:-
  - (a) Org of sups of all kinds
  - (b) Pay, discipline, leave, discharge, reinforcement, welfare, etc.
3. In fact the Italian O&C of the units concerned (whether BR-ITI, ex cooperator BR-ITI or ITI-ITI) should look and refer to 516 Regt in all matters, except those pertaining to their employment by the British authorities.
4. Att at Appx 'A' is a list of units under the Adm Comd of 516 Adm Regt.

DAG/JJM

*GA/ren*  
(D.A. GREEN) Maj.  
for Lt Col.  
GS.

Appx 'A' to 3 District  
752/G of 21 Aug 45

ORDER OF BATTLE 516 ADM REGT

BR-ITI Units

814 Italian Incr to HQ RAAC  
266/1 Service Coy (AC)  
266/1 MT Coy (AC)  
24 Engr Coy  
Det 381 Ord Coy  
1 Traffic Control Coy  
611 Incr to 4 Vet Hosp  
621 Incr to 1 Fd Remount Depot  
503 Smoke Coy

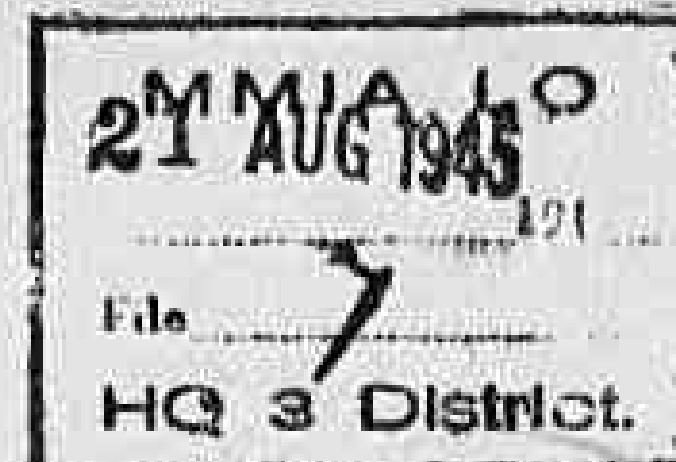
BR-ITI (ex co-op units)

Italian Incr to 408 Veh Park (B vehs)  
" " " B Dog Pro Coy  
" " " 69 Gen Hosp  
" " " 50 Gen Hosp  
" " " 615 First Class Fire Bde  
" " " 25 Base Sal Unit  
" " " 1769 Indep Tpt Pl  
" " " 884 Art Wks Coy  
" " " RACTD  
" " " 1767 Indep Wks Pl  
" " " 141 DID  
" " " 199 DID

ITI-ITI Units

1 Grenadier Bn

Informed 227  
22 Aug 45



SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Ex-Cooperator Units

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/37/2

18 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

COOPERATOR INCREMENT TO AGC TRAINING CENTRE  
COOPERATOR INCREMENT TO 2 FIELD COOKERY CENTRE

1. Authority is given for the conversion and redesignation of the above mentioned units with effect from 1 Jul 45 under the supervision of HQ 3 District. Existing mobilization Serial Numbers will be retained. Further details are given at Appendix "A" to this letter.
2. Adjustments in personnel will be carried out under the arrangements of the appropriate Adm Div.
3. Equipment will conform to basic equipment list No. 6508/7.
4. Authority for this conversion is AFHQ letter G-1(Br)/1036/A.1 (Ser.2912) of 14 Aug 45.

NT.

*B.H.L.*  
Major General  
MMIA

Copy to: MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT  
MMIA LO PENSOUTH

Internal: A  
Q (Two)  
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APPENDIX "A" TO  
SD/37/2 DATED

| PRESENT ORGANIZATION                    | PRESENT<br>W.E. | OFFRS | ORS | NEW ORGANIZATION                         | NEW W.E.  | OFFRS | ORS | LOCATION |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-----|------------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----|----------|
| Coop. Incr to ACC<br>Trg Centre         | CM/113/2        | -     | 42  | Ital. Incr to ACC<br>Trg Centre          | CM/1521/1 | 1     | 44  | NOLA     |
| Coop Incr to 2 Fd<br>Cookery Trg Centre | CM/251/1        | -     | 12  | Ital. Incr to 2<br>Fd Cookery Trg Centre | CM/1522/1 | -     | 14  | SALER    |

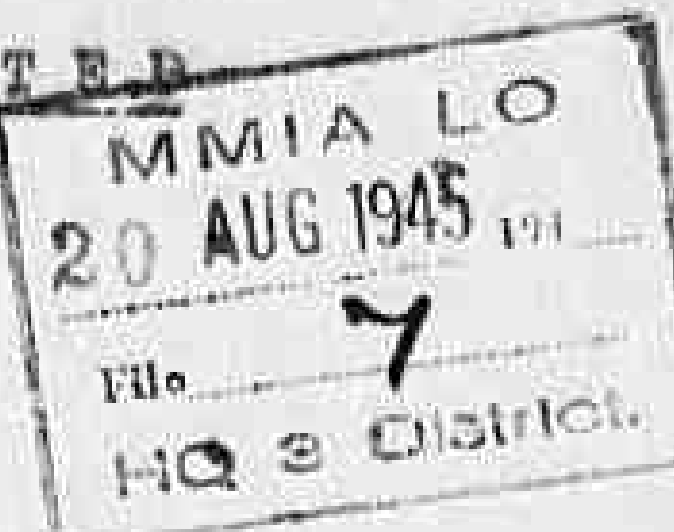
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APPENDIX "A" TO MMIA LETTER  
SD/37/2 DATED AUGUST 1945

| OFFRS | ORS | NEW ORGANIZATION | NEW W.E.                                 | OFFRS     | ORS | LOCATION | SUPERVISING<br>AUTHORITY |        |
|-------|-----|------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------|-----|----------|--------------------------|--------|
| 2     | -   | 42               | Ital. Iner to ACC<br>Trg Centre          | CM/1521/1 | 1   | 44       | NOLA                     | 3 DIST |
| 1     | -   | 12               | Ital. Iner to 2<br>Fd Cookery Trg Centre | CM/1522/1 | -   | 14       | SALERNO                  | 3 DIST |

RESTRICTED

SUBJECT: 713 and 721 Italian Workshop Coys.



LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C.  
( M.M.I.A. ) R O M E  
TEL: 489081 Ext 533  
A 110/2  
18 Aug. 45

TO : MMIA LO 1 District  
MMIA LO 3 District ✓

COPY TO: Ministry of War.

Ref MMIA SD/10/2 of 15 Aug. → 37

1. It is important to ensure that skilled mechanical personnel are posted to units when full use will be made of their specialist qualifications.
2. You are requested therefore to ensure with the Adm Divs concerned that on the disbandment of the above units personnel posted to suitable employment; if there is not a place for any man within the Adm Div that details are sent to SMRS. Arrangements will then be made for personnel concerned to be sent to IRTC, CESAND.

*Informed 22 Aug 45*  
*22 Aug 45* *Pinotti*

*Pinotti*  
Major General  
M.M.I.A.

INTERNAL: ROME



DISPOSITION

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

PERSONNEL

2. Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MILA 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 Arm Divs.

COMPLETION

4. Disbandment will be completed by 3 Sept 45 except where otherwise stated.

REFERENCE

5. ARMZ letters G-I (PP) 1074 (M) Serials 2310, 2362, 2360 of 4 Aug, 10 Aug and 15 Aug respectively, refer.

DISPOSITION

NA 13 Corps  
1 District  
3 District  
IA 16 o/o 55 Area  
IA 10 1 District  
IA 10 3 District  
IA 13 54 Area  
IA 10 228 (div o/o 1114 1 District)  
IA 10 228 (div o/o 1114 1 District)  
IA 10 228 (div o/o 1114 1 District)

DISPOSITION

A (two)  
G (three)  
HE  
SIGS  
Lab  
AD/8/2  
SD/4/3  
AD/20/2

Major General

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FILE 49  
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| Ser<br>No | UNIT                                            | REF NUMBER           | Offrs | ORs  | LOCATION              | RECEIVING<br>AUTHORITY | ITALIAN<br>DISPONSIBLE<br>PERSONNEL |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-------|------|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| (a)       | (b)                                             | (c)                  | (d)   | (e)  | (f)                   | (g)                    | (h)                                 |
| 1         | 1 Italian Naval Coy<br>(Italian Portion)        | C/172/1<br>XII/956/1 | 2     | 281  | MESTRE                | HQ 13 Corps            | 228 Adm                             |
| 2         | 4 Italian Naval Coy<br>(Italian Portion)        | C/172/1<br>XII/956/1 | 2     | 281  | GENOA                 | HQ 2 District          | 231 Adm                             |
| 3         | 519 Italian Line Sec                            | C/465/1              | 2     | 94   | MOBILIA               | HQ 1 District          | 209 Adm                             |
| 4         | 520 Italian Line Sec                            | C/465/1              | 2     | 94   | BOLOGNA               | HQ 1 District          | 209 Adm                             |
| 5         | 192 Italian Signal<br>Service Unit              | C/354/1              | 3     | 117  | CORNIGLIA             | HQ 1 District          | 209 Adm                             |
| 6         | 502 Italian Smoke Coy                           | C/835/1              | 5     | 283  | LA PIAGIOLA           | HQ 3 District          | 227 Adm                             |
| 7         | 503 Italian Smoke Coy                           | C/835/1              | 5     | 283  | LIDO DI RIVA          | RAAG                   | 227 Adm                             |
| 8         | 506 Italian Smoke Coy                           | C/835/1              | 5     | 283  | CANCELLIO             | HQ 3 District          | 227 Adm                             |
| 9         | 400 Italian Par Regt                            |                      |       |      |                       |                        |                                     |
|           | HQ                                              | C/812/1              | 2     | 27   | VIGIANO (near AREZZO) | HQ 1 District          | 230 Adm                             |
|           | HQ No 1 Bn                                      | C/813/1              | 4     | 11   | AREZZO                | HQ 1 District          |                                     |
|           | 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98<br>Italian Par Coys 1 Bn | C/810/1<br>XII/962/1 | 30    | 1254 | AREZZO                | HQ 1 District          |                                     |
|           | HQ No 2 Bn                                      | C/813/1              | 4     | 11   | SAGHIE                | HQ 13 Corps            | 226 Adm                             |
|           | 99, 101, 104<br>Italian Par Coys 2 Bn           | C/810/1<br>XII/962/1 | 15    | 627  | MESTRE                | HQ 13 Corps            |                                     |

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Appendix "A" to MIA letter 3  
SD/14/2 dated 12 Aug 65

| Offr | CRS  | LOCATION            | US DIVISION<br>AUTHORITY | ITALIAN ADM DIV<br>RESPONSIBLE FOR<br>PERSONNEL AND<br>WOUNDED | EXPECTED DATE                              |
|------|------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| (c)  | (e)  | (f)                 | (g)                      | (h)                                                            | (j)                                        |
| 2    | 281  | MELFRE              | HQ 13 Corps              | 228 Adm Div                                                    | 12 August<br>No completion date            |
| 2    | 281  | GENOA               | HQ 2 District            | 231 Adm Div                                                    | 12 August<br>No completion date            |
| 2    | 94   | MODENA              | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm Div -                                                  | 8 August<br>Completion date<br>31 August.  |
| 2    | 94   | BOLOGNA             | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm Div -                                                  | 8 August<br>Completion date<br>31 August.  |
| 3    | 117  | CORTICELLA          | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm Div -                                                  | 15 August<br>Completion date<br>31 August. |
| 5    | 283  | LA PICCIOLA         | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm Div                                                    | 10 August                                  |
| 5    | 283  | LIDO DI POJA        | RAAC                     | 227 Adm Div                                                    | 10 August                                  |
| 5    | 283  | CARABELLO           | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm Div -                                                  | 10 August                                  |
| 9    | 27   | VILLANO (or AREZZO) | HQ 1 District            | 230 Adm Div                                                    | 10 August                                  |
| 4    | 11   | AREZZO              | HQ 1 District            | "                                                              | 10 August                                  |
| 30   | 1254 | AREZZO              | HQ 1 District            | "                                                              | 10 August                                  |
| 4    | 11   | SACILE              | HQ 13 Corps              | 228 Adm Div                                                    | 10 August                                  |
| 15   | 627  | MELFRE              | HQ 13 Corps              | "                                                              | 10 August                                  |

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| Ser<br>ial<br>No | UNIT                                       | LT NUMBER               | Offrs | ORs  | LOCATION    | SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY | ITALIAN<br>RESPON-<br>SIBILITY<br>ORGANIZ |
|------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------|------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| (a)              | (b)                                        | (c)                     | (d)   | (e)  | (f)         | (g)                      | (h)                                       |
|                  | <u>400 Italian Pnr Regt cont'd</u>         |                         |       |      |             |                          |                                           |
|                  | 100 Pnr Coy                                | XII/962/1<br>(CI/810/1) | 5     | 209  | PETIULA     | HQ 13 Corps              | 228 Adm                                   |
|                  | 102 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | BOICCHIA    | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  | 103 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | S. LAZZARO  | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  |                                            |                         | 77    | 2557 |             |                          |                                           |
| 10.              | <u>404 Italian Pnr Regt</u>                |                         |       |      |             |                          |                                           |
|                  | HQ                                         | CI/812/1                | 9     | 27   | BARI        | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | HQ No 1 Bn                                 | CI/813/1                | 4     | 11   | CANGELICO   | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | 141, 142, 145, 146 Ital<br>Pnr Coys., 1 Bn | XII/962/1<br>(CI/810/1) | 20    | 836  | CANGELICO   | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | 143 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | NAPLES      | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | 144 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | LA PICCIOLA | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | HQ No 2 Bn                                 | CI/813/1                | 4     | 11   | BARI        | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | 148, 149, 150, 151 Ital<br>Pnr Coys., 2 Bn | XII/962/1<br>(CI/810/1) | 20    | 836  | BARI        | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | 147 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | BARI        | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  | 152 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | PORTOFINONE | HQ 3 District            | 227 Adm                                   |
|                  |                                            |                         | 77    | 2557 |             |                          |                                           |
| 11.              | <u>401 Italian Pnr Regt</u>                |                         |       |      |             |                          |                                           |
|                  | HQ                                         | CI/812/1                | 9     | 27   | ANCONA      | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  | HQs 1 and 2 Bns                            | CI/813/1                | 8     | 22   | FALCONARA   | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  | 105 - 112 Pnr Coys                         | XII/962/1<br>(CI/810/1) | 10    | 418  | FALCONARA   | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  | 106 - 115 Pnr Coys                         | "                       | 10    | 418  | CHIAMVANE   | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  | 107 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | MARZANOIA   | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  | 108, 111, 114 Pnr Coys                     | "                       | 15    | 627  | TESTI       | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |
|                  | 109 Pnr Coy                                | "                       | 5     | 209  | SENICALIA   | HQ 1 District            | 209 Adm                                   |

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| REF NUMBER              | Offrs | ORs  | LOCATION     | SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY | TRAINING DIV RESPONSIBLE FOR PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT | EXPIRATION DATE |
|-------------------------|-------|------|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| (c)                     | (d)   | (e)  | (f)          | (g)                   | (h)                                                  | (j)             |
| XVI/962/1<br>(CM/810/1) | 5     | 209  | PERIULA      | HQ 13 Corps           | 228 Adm Div                                          | 10 August       |
| "                       | 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 |              |                       |                                                      |                 |
| CM/812/1                | 9     | 27   | BARI         | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                          | 10 August       |
| CM/813/1                | 4     | 11   | CANCELLO     | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                          | 10 August       |
| XII/962/1<br>(CM/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 PIZZICOLA | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                          | 10 August       |
| CM/813/1                | 4     | 11   | BARI         | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                          | 10 August       |
| XII/962/1<br>(CM/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  | PORTOFINOTTE | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                          | 10 August       |
|                         | 77    | 2557 |              |                       |                                                      |                 |
| CM/812/1                | 9     | 27   | ANCONA       | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                          | 20 August       |
| CM/813/1                | 8     | 22   | FALCONARA    | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                          | 20 August       |
| XII/962/1<br>(CM/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  | MARZANO      | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                          | 20 August       |
| "                       | 15    | 627  | TESTI        | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                          | 20 August       |
| "                       | 5     | 209  | SENIGALLIA   | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                          | 20 August       |

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| Ser<br>ial<br>No. | UNIT                                      | E NUMBER   | Offrs     | GRs         | LOCATION     | SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| (a)               | (b)                                       | (c)        | (d)       | (e)         | (f)          | (g)                      |
|                   | <u>401 Italian Par Regt</u> <u>cont'd</u> |            |           |             |              |                          |
|                   |                                           | XII/962/1  |           |             |              |                          |
|                   | 110 Par Coy                               | (CM/810/1) | 5         | 209         | ANCONA       | HQ 1 District            |
|                   | 113 Par Coy                               | "          | 5         | 209         | CASTELVERDE  | HQ 1 District            |
|                   | 116 Par Coy                               | "          | 5         | 209         | CAMPORA      | HQ 1 District            |
|                   |                                           |            | <u>77</u> | <u>2557</u> |              |                          |
| 12.               | <u>407 Italian Par Regt</u>               |            |           |             |              |                          |
|                   | HQ                                        | CM/812/1   | 9         | 27          | SALERNO      | HQ 3 District            |
|                   | HQ 1 Bn                                   | CM/813/1   | 4         | 11          | CANCELLIO    | HQ 3 District            |
|                   | 177, 178, 179, 180 Par Coys               | XII/962/1  |           |             |              |                          |
|                   |                                           | (CM/810/1) | 20        | 836         | CANCELLIO    | HQ 3 District            |
|                   | 181 Par Coy                               | "          | 5         | 209         | SAN GIOVANNI | HQ 3 District            |
|                   | 182 Par Coy                               | "          | 5         | 209         | CANCELLIO    | HQ 3 District            |
|                   | HQ 2 Bn                                   | CM/813/1   | 4         | 11          | LA PICCIOLA  | HQ 3 District            |
|                   | 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188              | XII/962/1  |           |             |              |                          |
|                   | Par Coys                                  | (CM/810/1) | 30        | 1254        | LA PICCIOLA  | HQ 3 District            |
|                   |                                           |            | <u>77</u> | <u>2557</u> |              |                          |

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| ED NUMBER               | Offrs     | GRs  | LOCATION     | SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY | ITALIAN ADM DIV<br>REQ. CURRENT FOR<br>PERSONNEL AND<br>EQUIPMENT | EXPIRATION DATE |
|-------------------------|-----------|------|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| (c)                     | (d)       | (e)  | (f)          | (g)                   | (h)                                                               | (j)             |
| XII/962/1<br>(CM/810/1) | 5         | 209  | ANCONA       | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
| "                       | 5         | 209  | CASTELTRUFFI | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
| "                       | 5         | 209  | CALABRATA    | HQ 1 District         | 209 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
|                         | <u>77</u> |      |              |                       |                                                                   |                 |
|                         | 77        | 2557 |              |                       |                                                                   |                 |
| CM/812/1                | 9         | 27   | SALERNO      | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
| CM/813/1                | 4         | 11   | CANCELLO     | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
| XII/962/1<br>(CM/810/1) | 20        | 836  | CANCELLO     | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
| "                       | 5         | 209  | SAN GIOVANNI | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
| "                       | 5         | 209  | CANCELLO     | 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<br>(CM/810/1) | 30        | 1294 | LA PICCIOLA  | HQ 3 District         | 227 Adm Div                                                       | 20 August       |
|                         | <u>77</u> |      |              |                       |                                                                   |                 |
|                         | 77        | 2557 |              |                       |                                                                   |                 |

LO 3 District

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OUTGOING SIGNAL.

FROM : M.M.I.A.

DATE  
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TIME OF ORIGIN  
1733 B

TO : M.M.I.A. LO MILAN FOR FOX.  
DISTONE FOR M.M.I.A. LO. HERBERT.  
INFO : A.F.H.Q.  
NAVY SUB - COMMISSION.  
55 AREA FOR M.M.I.A. LO 13 CORPS.  
M.M.I.A. LO GENOA.  
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REF : A 1240 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) REFERENCE A 1201 OF 31 JULY (.)  
RELEASE OF 1 AND 4 NAVAL COMPANIES IS CONFIRMED (.) ARRANGE FOR ADM DIVS TO  
DISPOSE OF PERSONNEL ACCORDINGLY FORTHWITH (.) DISBANDMENT ORDERS FOLLOW  
(.) SUGGEST PERSONNEL OF NO4 COMPANY MIGHT BE SUITABLE FOR 151 FIRE FIGHTING  
COY (.) A 105/2 OF 15 AUG REFERS

PRECEDENCE : IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED : *[Signature]*

COPY TO : MINISTRY OF WAR.

INTERNAL: A 105/2  
SD/131.

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VICE COMANDO 227<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE

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N.08/1043/Ord. di prot.

Bari li, 7 Agosto 1945

OGGETTO: Relazione sulla situazione  
dell'A VEH Disposals Unit.

ALL'UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTO M.M.I.A.

PRESSO 3<sup>o</sup> DISTRETTO

e, per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO 227<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE

*del 51*  
P.M.I.26

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1.- In seguito alla segnalazione di inconvenienti segnalati presso il reparto "A VEH Disposals Unit" dislocato a vereto, è stato inviato sul posto un Ufficiale Superiore di questo Comando per accertare, riferire e per poter disporre i provvedimenti necessari per eliminare gli inconvenienti.

2.- Situazione forza presente del reparto-

|          |           |   |                |     |
|----------|-----------|---|----------------|-----|
| 1 Luglio | Ufficiali | 2 | Sott. e Truppa | 193 |
| 1 Agosto | "         | 2 | "              | 153 |
| 4 Agosto | "         | 2 | "              | 134 |

La riduzione di forza è dovuta:

-2 congedamenti ( N.33 )

-8 licenze nelle percentuali stabilite ( 15% )

-licenze di convalescenza

-assenze arbitrarie ( N.8 )

Il reparto deve ancora inviare in congedo, previa sottituzione N.38 uomini e trasferire ad altre forze armate N.11 uomini.

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Per accordi intercorsi con il Maggiore Ing...

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M.M.I.A. LO  
20 AUG 1945  
HQ 3 District  
BARI

ALL'UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTO M.M.I.A.

PRESSO 3° DISTRETTO

AL COMANDO 227° DIVISIONE

P.M.126

e, per conoscenza:

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1.- In seguito alla segnalazione di inconvenienti segnalati presso il reparto "A Veh Disposal Unit" dislocato a vereto, è stato inviato sul posto un Ufficiale Superiore di questo Comando per accertare, riferire e per poter disporre i provvedimenti necessari per eliminare gli in convenienti.

2.- Situazione forza presente del reparto-

|          |           |   |                |     |
|----------|-----------|---|----------------|-----|
| 1 Luglio | Ufficiali | 2 | Sott. e Truppa | 193 |
| 1 Agosto | "         | 2 | "              | 153 |
| 4 Agosto | "         | 2 | "              | 134 |

La riduzione di forza è dovuta:

- 2 congedamenti ( N.33 )
- a licenze nelle percentuali stabilite ( 15% )
- licenze di convalescenza
- assenze arbitrarie (N.6 )

Il reparto deve ancora inviare in congedo, previa sostituzione N.38 uomini e trasferire ad altre forze armate N.11 uomini.

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Per accordi intercorsi con il Maggiore Inglese, Comandante dell'Officina, con l'invio di 50 complementi generici oltre 11 per sostituire i militari di altre forze armate tutti i militari da congedare sarebbero stati smobilitati. Complementi inviati a tutto il giorno 4 c.m. N. 11 .

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3.- Impiego del personale-

Il giorno 4 Agosto su una forza presente di 134 uomini il personale era così impiegato:

a) a disposizione degli inglesi

-sulla linea di lavoro .....N. 65

-guardie " 18

-autisti " 11

-Cuochi " 4

-Carpentieri e calzolari " 2

-ai carburanti " 1

-scritturali " 1

-manovali " 2

-attendenti " 2

Totale N.106

b) a disposizione per servizi generali del reparto N.19

c) indisponibili, per malattie N.9

4.- Rendimento sul lavoro

Turante il mese di luglio il rendimento sul lavoro è stato indubbiamente minore per il graduale decrescere della forza disponibile e per la forte delusione provata dai militari in seguito alla sospensione delle licenze di 60 giorni per i reduci e la lentezza dei congedamenti.

Da una settimana i militari svolgono lavoro a cottimo con alto rendimento e soddisfazione.

5.- Difesa antimalarica

La zona non è malarica. Ne ai militari inglesi ne a quelli italiani vengono somministrate sostanze antimalariche. Tutti indistintamente i militari italiani adottano la

|                                                         |       |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| -Uocchi                                                 | "     | 4     |
| -Carpentieri e calzolari                                | "     | 2     |
| -ai carburenti                                          | "     | 1     |
| -scritturali                                            | "     | 1     |
| -manovali                                               | "     | 2     |
| -attendenti                                             | "     | 2     |
|                                                         | ----- |       |
| Totale                                                  |       | N.106 |
| b) a disposizione per servizi generali del reparto N.19 |       |       |
| c) indisponibili per malattia N.9                       |       |       |

#### 4.- Rendimento sul lavoro

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#### 5.- Difesa antiaerea

La zona non è malarica. Ne ai militari inglesi ne a quelli italiani vengono somministrate sostanze antimalariche. Tutti indistintamente i militari italiani adottano la sanzariera. E' probabile che l'inconveniente sia originato dal fatto che mentre i militari inglesi hanno l'ordine all'indossare di indossare pantaloni lunghi, abbassare

le maniche della camicia per esporre il meno possibile il corpo alle punture, i militari italiani, per prescrizione stabilita dal Comandante del presidio di Terlizzi, indossano in qualunque ora la camicia con le maniche rimboccate.

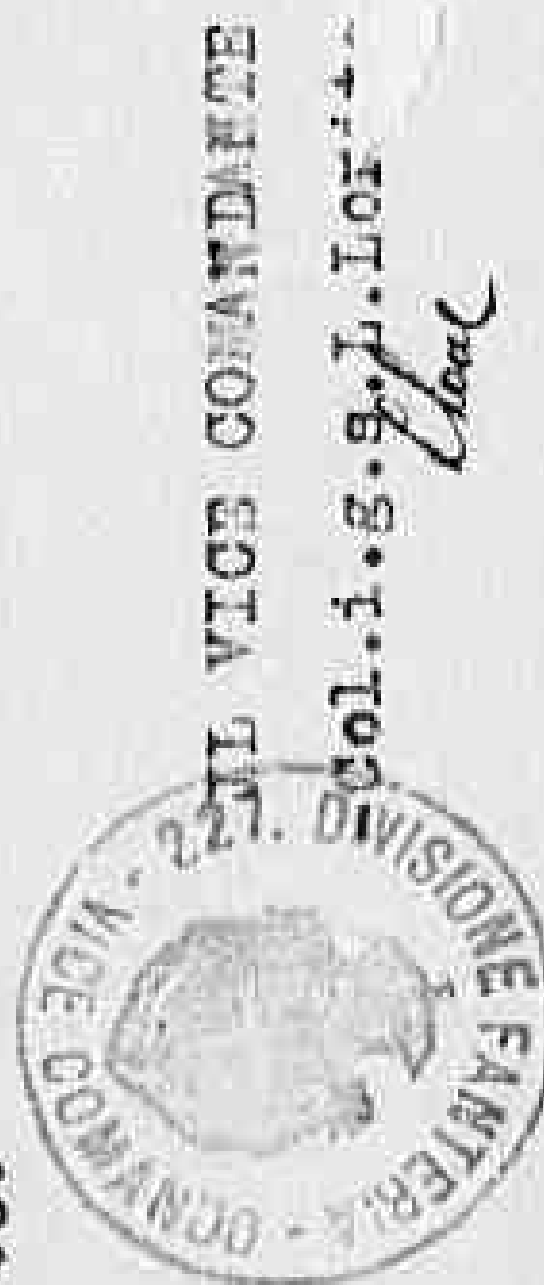
6.- Punizioni inflitte ai militari italiani-

Le punizioni vengono inflitte dal Comandante del Reparto italiano che da accertamenti fatti dimostra di essere equilibrato e giustamente severo.

L'unica punizione proposta dal Maggiore inglese è stata quella dell'autista dell'autobotte trovato fuori zona. Il Comandante della Compagnia considerato che il militare aveva agito d'iniziativa e nell'interesse del servizio, perchè non trovando acqua nel solito posto cercò di trovarne nel paese vicino, tenuto conto dei precedenti disciplinari del militare inflisse all'autista 5 giorni di camera di punizione semplice.

7.- Provvedimenti presi-

Sono stati assegnati al reparto tutti i complementi necessari per completare l'organico e sostituire i militari da inviare in congedo e da trasferire ad altre forze armate.



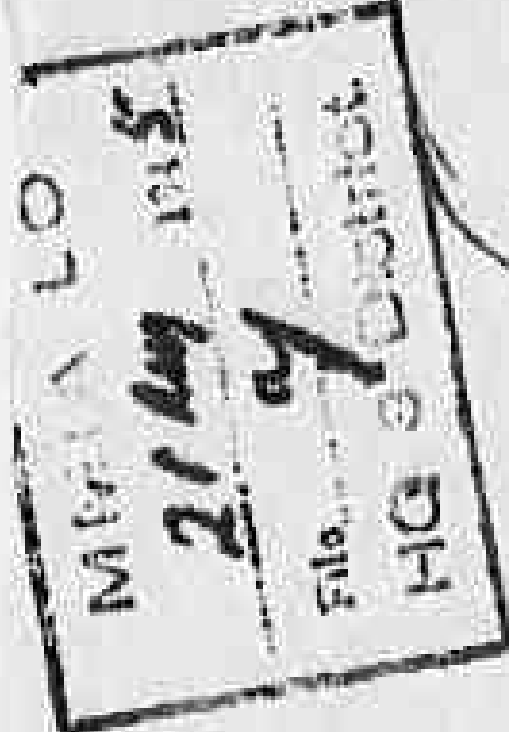
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L'unica punizione proposta dal Maggiore inglese è stata quella dell'autista dell'autobotte trovato fuori zona. Il Comandante della Compagnia considerato che il militare aveva agito d'iniziativa e nell'interesse del servizio, perchè non trovando acqua nel solito posto cercò di trovarne nel paese vicino, tenuto conto dei precedenti disciplinari del militare inflisse all'autista 5 giorni di camera di punizione semplice.

7.- Provvedimenti presi-

Sono stati assegnati al reparto tutti i complementi necessari per completare l'organico e sostituire i militari da inviare in congedo e da trasferire ad altre forze armate.





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VICE COMANDO 227<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE

NR.08/1025/Ord. di prot. Barl, li 4 agosto 1945.-

OGGETTO: Complementi reparti ex cooperatori.-

AL COMANDO 3<sup>o</sup> DISTRETTO C.M.F.  
e per conoscenza

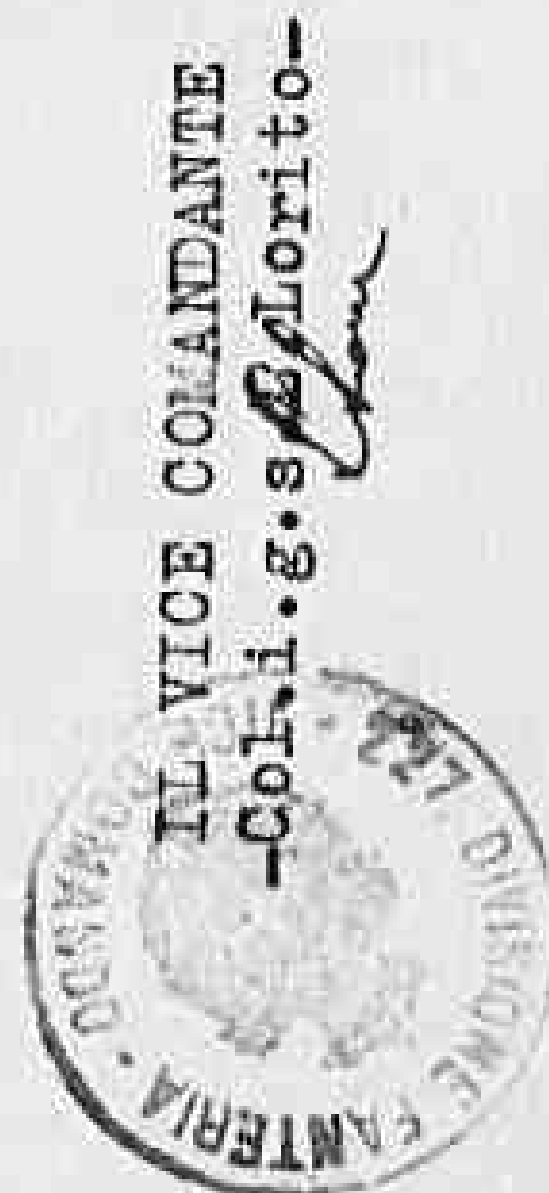
AL COMANDO 227<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE P.M.I26

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Si trasmette allegato alla presente la richiesta complementi alle formazioni ex cooperatori passati dal 1<sup>o</sup> luglio all'amministrazione dell'Esercito Italiano.-

La richiesta comprende il personale occorrente per sostituire i militari delle classi 1914 e più anziane che per effetto delle disposizioni in vigore devono essere, appena sostituiti, collocati in congedo.-

Per le formazioni destinate a sciogliersi le richieste fatte sono da considerarsi nulle; per le formazioni per le quali é prevista modificazioni di organico, le richieste potranno essere proporzionate ai nuovi organici stabiliti.-



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*Aut. 67*  
*227 Div WQ*  
*(110 - G. s. 21 Aug 1963)*

COMANDO 287<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE

VICE COMANDO

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## SPECCHIO RICHIESTA COMPLEMENTI

RELATIVO ALLE FORMAZIONI EX COOPERATORI PASSATE ALL'AMMINISTRAZIONE ITALIANA SOTTO LA  
Situazione alle ore 23,59 del 2 Agosto 1945 Categoria

| R E P A R T O                       | FORZA ORGANICA |         |        | FORZA EFFETTIVA |         |        | R E S I D U O |         |        |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------|--------|-----------------|---------|--------|---------------|---------|--------|
|                                     | UFF.           | S. Trup | Totale | UFF.            | S. Trup | Totale | UFF.          | S. Trup | Totale |
| HQ. 153 Fire Fighting Coy           |                |         |        | 1               | 5       | 6      | -             |         | 22     |
| Det 773 Co-op Art Ls Coy            |                |         |        | 1               | 46      | 47     | -             |         | 17     |
| 86 Coop E & M PL                    |                |         |        | -               | 55      | 55     | -             |         | 10     |
| 1062 Coop Port Maint Sec            |                |         |        | -               | 53      | 53     | -             |         | 20     |
| 5 Base Transfusion Unit             |                |         |        | -               | 18      | 18     | -             |         | -      |
| 637 Coop Par. Coy                   | 2              | 277     | 279    | 2               | 164     | 166    | 1             |         | 113    |
| 409 Coop Ord RVP                    | 2              | 124     | 126    | 2               | 117     | 119    | 2             |         | 37     |
| A Veh Disposel Unit                 | 2              | 212     | 214    | 2               | 120     | 122    | -             |         | 50     |
| 420 Coop Ord Ann Coy                |                |         |        | 1               | 53      | 54     | )             |         |        |
| 421 " " " "                         |                |         |        | 1               | 51      | 52     | )             |         |        |
| 425 " " " "                         |                |         |        | 1               | 50      | 51     | )             | -       | 101    |
| 426 " " " "                         |                |         |        | 1               | 54      | 55     | )             |         |        |
| Det With 102 (SA) Gen Hosp          |                |         |        | -               | 120     | 120    | -             |         | 25     |
| 2736 Co-op Par Coy                  |                |         |        | 6               | 281     | 287    | -             |         | 148    |
| 412 Co-op Ord Veh Pk                |                |         |        | 4               | 224     | 228    | -             |         | 24     |
| Det With 197 DID                    |                |         |        | -               | 20      | 20     | -             |         | 9      |
| 774 Coop A.W. Coy                   | 5              | 254     | 256    | 5               | 234     | 239    | -             |         | 109    |
| 1061 Coop Port Op Coy               | 7              | 426     | 433    | 4               | 341     | 345    | 3-            |         | 85     |
| 1063 Coop Doks Op Coy               |                |         |        | 7               | 316     | 323    | -             |         | 42     |
| 1764 Coop Indep Wks RASC            |                |         |        | -               | 36      | 36     | -             |         | 15     |
| 749 Compagnia Italiana Wasp Shop    |                |         |        | 4               | 305     | 309    | -             |         | 237    |
| 438 Italian Returned Ord Stores Coy | 4              | 206     | 210    | 4               | 206     | 210    | -             |         | 29     |

(1) Di cui 100 per rimpiazzare i sottufficiali esuberanti all'organico. Una volta  
sottufficiali verrebbero utilizzati per rimpiazzare le deficienze degli altri



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COMANDO 327<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE

VUE COMANDO

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## CICLOMIO RICHIESTA COMPLEMETI

EX COOPERATORI PASSATE ALL'AMMINISTRAZIONE ITALIANA SOTTO LA DATA DEL 1.7.45

Situazione alla ore 23,59 del 2 Agosto 1945 Categoria MR-IMI

| FORZA ORGANICA |        |        | FORZA EFFETTIVA |      |        | D E F I C I E N Z E |        |        | DISLOCAZIONE<br>NEL REPARTO |
|----------------|--------|--------|-----------------|------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|-----------------------------|
| Uff.           | S.Trup | Totale | Uff.            | S.Tr | Totale | Uff.                | S.Trup | Totale |                             |
|                |        |        | 1               | 5    | 6      | -                   | 22     | 22     | Bari                        |
|                |        |        | 1               | 46   | 47     | -                   | 17     | 17     | Bari                        |
|                |        |        | -               | 55   | 55     | -                   | 10     | 10     | "                           |
|                |        |        | -               | 53   | 53     | -                   | 20     | 20     | "                           |
|                |        |        | -               | 18   | 19     | -                   | -      | -      | "                           |
| 2              | 277    | 279    | 2               | 154  | 166    | 1                   | 113    | 114    | "                           |
| 2              | 124    | 126    | 2               | 117  | 119    | =                   | 37     | 37     | Terlizzi                    |
| 2              | 212    | 214    | 2               | 120  | 122    | -                   | 50     | 50     | Sovereto                    |
|                |        |        | 1               | 53   | 54     | )                   |        |        | Bisento                     |
|                |        |        | 1               | 51   | 52     | )                   |        |        | "                           |
|                |        |        | 1               | 50   | 51     | )=                  | 101    | 101    | "                           |
|                |        |        | 1               | 54   | 55     | )                   |        |        | "                           |
|                |        |        | -               | 120  | 120    | -                   | 25     | 25     | Bari                        |
|                |        |        | 6               | 281  | 287    | -                   | 145    | 145(1) | Foggia                      |
|                |        |        | 4               | 224  | 228    | -                   | 24     | 24     | Lucera                      |
|                |        |        | -               | 20   | 20     | -                   | 9      | 9      | Foggia                      |
| 5              | 254    | 256    | 5               | 234  | 239    | -                   | 109    | 109    | Taranto                     |
| 7              | 426    | 433    | 4               | 341  | 345    | 3-                  | 85     | 88     | "                           |
|                |        |        | 7               | 316  | 323    | -                   | 42     | 42     | Brindisi                    |
|                |        |        | -               | 36   | 36     | -                   | 15     | 15     | Brindisi                    |
| Shop           |        |        | 4               | 305  | 309    | -                   | 237    | 237    | Molfetta                    |
| ores Coy       | 4      | 206    | 4               | 206  | 210    | -                   | 29     | 29     | Falco                       |

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3 AUG 1945  
Ext 5  
847/G

15 Aug 45.

MMIA LO  
16 AUG 1945  
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File  
HQ 3 District.

To : 227 Italian Adm Div

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Med  
MMIA LO  
Italian Lo

1. Authority has been given for the conversion of the under mentioned Cooperator Units to Italian Units w.e.f. 1 July 45.
2. This letter is for info only and conversion instrs will be issued separately.

Q33 Q-4  
Cooperator Unit CM/237/1  
to 102 (S4) Gen Hosp

New ORB  
Italian Unit  
to 102 (S4) Gen Hosp

W.B.  
CM/237/2

Cooperator Unit to CM/295/1  
33 Reception Stn  
Class 'A'

Italian Unit to  
33 Reception Stn  
Class 'A'

CM/297/1

Cooperator Unit to CM/236/1  
34 Reception Stn  
Class 'B'

Italian Unit to  
34 Reception Stn  
Class 'B'

CM/2518/1

Cooperator Unit to CM/295/1  
36 Reception Stn  
Class 'A'

Italian Unit to  
36 Reception Stn  
Class 'A'

CM/2317/1

*Alpin*  
(DA GREEN) Med  
for Lt Col.  
S3.

**IMMEDIATE**

CIPHER TELEGRAM

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE  
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IMMEDIATE

SERIAL NO. 176218/9

OVER 3/8

FROM: MMIA

161800Z

ACTION: MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO: 5TH ARMY THIRD DISTRICT 5TH ARMY FOR MMIA LO

MMIA LO MILAN MMIA LO 54 AREA MMIA LO DISTONE

MMIA LO DISTONE 53 DIV AFHQ

MMIA LO  
18 AUG 1945  
HQ 3 District.

**SECRET**

SD 2904. SECRET. REF MMIA SIGNAL SD 2900 DATED 14th AUGUST NOT TO ALL.

FIRST. COMPLETE PROGRAMME FOR MOVE SARMARCO AND DESPATCHED NEXT AS FOLLOWS

SECOND. ONE BN AND ONE COY TWO BN CARIBALDI REGT MOVE BY RAIL PERIOD

13-19 AUGUST BEING 9TH DEMAND FOR RESERVES TO BOLZANO TO RELIEVE TWO BNS

SARMARCO REGT OF POLCORE COMBAT GP. REPRESENTATIVES MOVE AHEAD BY AIR SOONEST

TO POLCORE GP HQ BRESSANONE NEAR BOLZANO. THIRD. PERIOD 20-26 AUGUST.

TWO BNS SARMARCO REGT WILL MOVE BOLZANO TO BARI TAKING OVER COMPLETE FROM HQ

AND TWO BNS CARIBALDI REGT. FOURTH. PERIOD 27 AUGUST TO 2 SEPT. HQ AND

TWO BNS LESS ONE COY CARIBALDI REGT MOVE TO BOLZANO TO COMPLETE TAKE OVER

FROM SARMARCO REGT

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*folio 70  
refer.*

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SERIAL NO 176357/8

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FROM MMIA

18 AUG 1945

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ACTION:

MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO:

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18 AUG 1945

HQ 3 District

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PART TWO.

FIFTH. PERIOD 3 - 9 SEPT. HQ AND ONE BN SANMARCO REGT MOVE BOLZANO TO BARI TO JOIN BALANCE OF REGT TAKING OVER REMAINDER OF UNIT EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL ARMS OF GARIBALDI REGT. SIXTH. UNITS MOVE THROUGHOUT WITHOUT UNIT EQUIPMENT COOKING EQUIPT. OR PERSONAL ARMS. BLANKETS ARE CARRIED. SEVENTH. EQUIPMENT AND VEHIS OF BOTH SANMARCO AND GARIBALDI REGTS ARE TO BE CHARGED AGAINST THE ITALIAN GOVT. AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE HANDING OVER WILL BE ISSUED THROUGH ITALIAN CHANNELS. EIGHTH. MINISTRY OF WAR WILL THEREFORE ARRANGE PROPER HANDING OVER OF PERSONAL ARMS AND ALL UNIT EQUIPMENT BOTH BRITISH AND ITALIAN. NINTH. FOR AFHQ YOUR FX 34862 DATED 12 AUG REFERS.

IMMEDIATE

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THIS MESSAGE WAS NOT TO BE RELEASED TO OUTSIDE  
BRITISH OR U.S. PERSONNEL WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF  
HEADQUARTERS, BRITISH ARMY, ITALY  
WITHHOLD RELEASE

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SUBJECT: Disbandment of Part II A  
Service Unit

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/10/2

15 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

713 ITALIAN WORKSHOP COMPANY  
721 ITALIAN WORKSHOP COMPANY

MMIA LO  
12 AUG 1945

File  
HQ 3 District

DISBANDMENT

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

{ Spill 49  
fond 18 PERSONNEL

2. Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA Signal A 1222 dated 8 Aug 45.

EQUIPMENT

3. (a) British Equipment held on charge by 721 Italian Workshop Coy will be transferred to 951 German Workshop Company under arrangements of the supervisory authority.

British Equipment held on charge by 713 Italian Workshop Coy will be handed in under arrangements of the supervisory authority.

Any deficiencies of equipment in respect of these two units will be charged to you in due course.

(b) Italian Equipment will be handed in to Sub-Depots under arrangements of the adm Div concerned.

COMPLETION

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*22 Aug 45*

Major General  
MIA

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MIA LO 3 DISTRICT ✓

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APPENDIX "A"  
SD/10/2 DATE

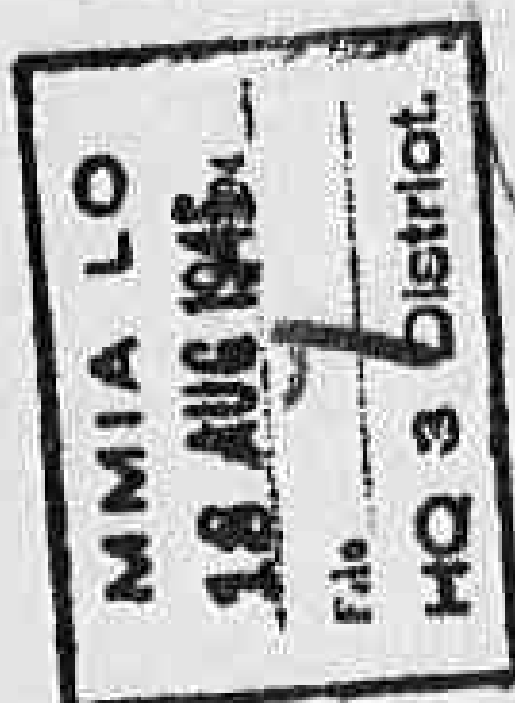
| (a)<br>UNIT              | (b)<br>WE | (c)<br>OFFRS | (d)<br>ORS | (e)<br>VEHS | (f)<br>M/Cs | (g)<br>LOCATION | (h)<br>SUPERVIS<br>AUTHOR |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| 713 Italian Workshop coy | CM/1515/1 | 4            | 305        | 2           | 2           | NAPLES          | 3 DIST                    |
| *21 Italian Workshop coy | CM/1515/1 | 4            | 305        | 2           | 2           | SENIGALLIA      | 1 DIST                    |

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APPENDIX "A" TO MMIA LETTER  
SD/10/2 DATED 15 AUG 1945

| (b)<br>WE | (c)<br>OFFRS | (d)<br>ORS | (e)<br>VEHS | (f)<br>M/Cs | (g)<br>LOCATION | (h)<br>SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY | (j)<br>ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE<br>FOR PERSONNEL AND<br>ITALIAN EQUIPMENT |
|-----------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| CM/1515/1 | 4            | 305        | 2           | 2           | NAPLES          | 3 DISTRICT                      | 227 ADM DIV                                                          |
| CM/1515/1 | 4            | 305        | 2           | 2           | SENIGALLIA      | 1 DISTRICT                      | 209 ADM DIV                                                          |



SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Ex-Cooperator Units

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MILA)

SD/10/2

1 AUG 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

| NEW DESIGNATION          |   | PRESENT DESIGNATION               |   |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| 721 ITALIAN WORKSHOP COY |   | Co-operator Workshop Coy, Italian |   |
| 712                      | " | Element                           | " |
| 713                      | " | "                                 | " |
| 749                      | " | "                                 | " |
| 637                      | " | "                                 | " |

1. Authority is given for the conversion of the above mentioned Italian Units to ER-ITI Part II(a) with effect from 1 Jul 45. Further details are given at Appendix "A".

2. Equipment and Transport will be adjusted to new scales in accordance with instructions to be issued by supervisory authorities.

3. Any deficiencies in personnel will be made up in the normal way by the appropriate Adm Div.

4. Postal address will be:

Italian Wksp Coy, CMF

5. Authority for this conversion is AFHQ letter G-1(Br)/1026/A.1 (Ser. 2882) of 12 Aug 45.

Major General  
MMIA

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MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT

| NEW DESIGNATION          |                                   | PRESENT DESIGNATION |   |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---|
| 721 ITALIAN WORKSHOP COY | Co-operator Workshop Coy, Italian | Element             |   |
| -712 "                   | "                                 | "                   | " |
| -713 "                   | "                                 | "                   | " |
| -749 "                   | "                                 | "                   | " |
| -637 "                   | "                                 | "                   | " |

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MIA LO 3 DISTRICT ✓  
MIA LO PENSOUTH

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Major General  
MIA

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War office +

| <u>Serial No.</u> | <u>Present Organisation</u>                  | <u>VE No</u> | <u>Offrs</u> | <u>ORs</u> | <u>Tpt</u> | <u>New Organisation</u> | <u>VE No</u> | <u>Offrs</u> | <u>ORs</u> | <u>Tpt</u> | <u>VEs</u> | <u>MCs</u> |
|-------------------|----------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 11528             | 721 Cooperator Wksp<br>Coy (Italian element) | CM/476/1     | 4            | 305        | nil        | 721 Italian Wksp<br>Coy | CM/515/1     | 4            | 305        | 2          | 2          |            |
| 11690             | 712 " " "                                    | "            | "            | "          | "          | 712 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "          | "          | "          |
| 11691             | 713 " " "                                    | "            | "            | "          | "          | 713 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "          | "          | "          |
| 95171             | 749 " " "                                    | "            | "            | "          | "          | 749 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "          | "          | "          |
| 19503             | 637 Cooperator Pnr<br>Coy (Italian element)  | CM/172/1     | 2            | 282        | "          | 637 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "          | "          | "          |

+ Existing mobilisation Serial Nos remain unchanged as listed above.

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Appendix 'A' to MEIA letter  
SD/10/2 dated 15 Aug. 45.

| <u>WE No</u> | <u>Offrs</u> | <u>ORs</u> | <u>Tpt</u> | <u>New Organisation</u> | <u>WE No</u> | <u>Offrs</u> | <u>ORs</u> | <u>Tpt</u><br><u>Vehs</u> | <u>MCs</u> | <u>Supervisory Authority</u> |
|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|------------------------------|
| CM/476/1     | 4            | 305        | nil        | 721 Italian Wksp<br>Coy | CM/1515/1    | 4            | 305        | 2                         | 2          | HQ 1 District                |
| "            | "            | "          | "          | 712 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "                         | "          | HQ 3 District                |
| "            | "            | "          | "          | 713 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "                         | "          | " "                          |
| "            | "            | "          | "          | 749 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "                         | "          | " "                          |
| CM/172/1     | 2            | 282        | "          | 637 " "                 | "            | "            | "          | "                         | "          | " "                          |

ps remain unchanged as listed above.

Subject: Report no 3  
15 Aug 45.

To: Land Forces Sub Com.  
AC (MMIA)

R O M 3

MMIA IO 240 IT DIVISION  
C/O FLORENCE COMMAND  
Phone 1593  
Ref 230/19  
15 Aug 45

MMIA LO  
18 AUG 1945  
File  
HQ 3 District.

GENERAL

280 Division is a formation of idle men. Generally speaking, units are well up in strength, but there is very little work for them. Furthermore several units are now completing certain jobs, after which there will be nothing for them to do. The policy therefore of making Adm Divs absorb personnel of their own disbanding units only aggravates the problem.

Many ex-cooperator increments are now being relinquished. To avoid necessity for lpt, these men are generally transferred to nearest BA-ITI unit. On the whole it would be helpful if the disbandment of unnecessary BA-ITI units could be speeded up, and the men sent to some reorg centre.

LEAVE

Many of the latest reinforcements from LEICOM have apparently not had leave for a considerable time. This is especially so of ex-cooperators who thought they were entitled to sixty days restriction leave. The 15% restriction has caused a considerable number to absent themselves "arbitrarily".

Several applications for leave and discharge permits for soldiers resident in VESSELIA GIBLIA have been made, but to date no permits have been forthcoming.

WT MAINT

In accordance with your 25 of 14 Jul 45 I am paying particular attention to this on visits to units. It is very noticeable that the standard of care varies directly with the degree of interest and supervision of the British unit or cadre. The tendency to "flog" and assume that is slightly on the upgrade. This is particularly so in 757 37 Coy (ex-coop) which is reported

FM  
HQ 3 District

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Many ex-cooperator increments are now being relinquished. To avoid necessity for that, these men are generally transferred to nearest BR-ITI unit. On the whole it would be helpful if the disbandment of unnecessary BR-ITI units could be speeded up, and the men sent to some reorg centre.

## LEAVE

Many of the latest reinforcements from LECHORN have apparently not had leave for a considerable time. This is especially so of ex-cooperators who thought they were entitled to sixty days repatriation leave. The 10% restriction has caused a considerable number to absent themselves "arbitrarily".

Several applications for leave and discharge permits for soldiers resident in VANDALA GIBLIA have been made, but to date no permits have been forthcoming.

## MY MAINT

In accordance with year 23 of 14 Jul 45 I am paying particular attention to this on visits to units. It is very noticeable that the standard of care varies directly with the degree of interest and supervision of the British unit or cadre. The tendency to "flag" and become out of slightly on the upgrade. This is particularly so in 757 CT Coy (ex-ccop) which is reported to have seen a first class unit before its conversion to BR-ITI sta status. Now which with the inclusion of new elements, and the inevitable lapses in the disciplinary control exercised by BR cadre, offences grow in number and are inadequately punished.

## 1915 CLASS

According to the latest available figures, the number of men of the 1915 class in the division is 382.

GUARD UNITS

511 Gd Bn (PERUGIA) is being released shortly. In the FLORENCE - AREZZO area the following units will be available:

|                                 |       |                                         |
|---------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------------|
| a) 515 Gd Coy AREZZO            | ..... | available now                           |
| b) 513 Gd Bn BOLOGNA S. LORENZO | )     |                                         |
| 1 Coy PRATO                     | )     | available                               |
| 2 " VIGEVANO                    | )     | very                                    |
| 4 " BORGIO S.L.                 | )     | soon                                    |
| c) 515 Gd Bn AREZZO             | )     | available later when                    |
| d) 4 Coy 522 Gd Bn FLORENCE     | )     | 211 sub area have been able to replace. |

Is anything known yet of the eventual destination of these units?

*Apd...*

(V.C.I. THURP)  
Capt. MILA LO.

✓ Copy to MMIA LO  
3 District

a) 509 Gd Coy ARREAR ..... AVAILABLE NOW  
 b) 513 Gd Bn BOMBO S. LOHUNGO )  
     1 Coy PRATO ) available  
     2 " VISCIO ) very  
     4 " BOMBO S.L. ) soon  
 c) 515 Gd Bn ARREAR ) available later when  
     4 Coy 522 Gd Bn VISCIO ) all sub area have  
     ) been able to replace.

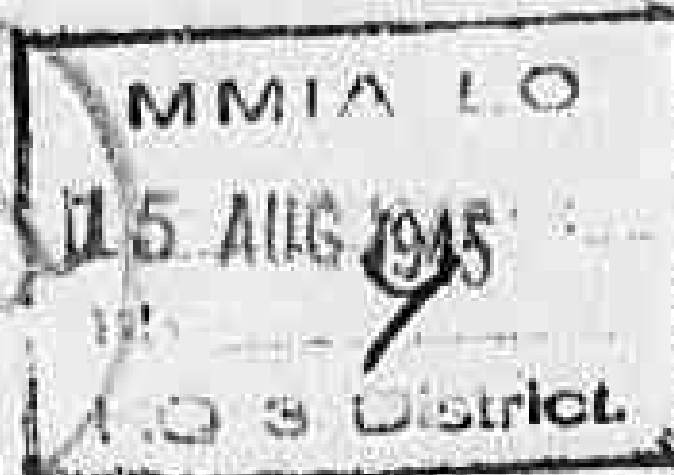
Is anything known yet of the eventual destination of those units?

*Ephtan*  
 (V.J.J. THURPE)  
 Capt. MMIA LO.

1 Copy to MMIA LO  
 3 District

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**SUBJECT:** Conversion of Italian Ex-cooperator  
Units - Amendment.



LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/14/2

14 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

637 ITALIAN WORKSHOP COMPANY

Reference para 1 of MMIA letter SD/14/2 of 9 Aug 45.

The strength of WE CM/1515/1 is 4 Offrs and 305 ORs, NOT 4 Offrs  
and 103 ORs.  
Please amend our letter accordingly.

Copy to: MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT ✓  
" " PENSOUTH  
" " 54 AREA

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Q (Two)  
REME

JW

*R. G. A. Groux-Ravin*  
Major General,  
M. M. I. A. *Capt*

*Amended  
as h.*

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Subject:- 823 Aux. Unit for C.M.T.C.

Liaison Office,  
Land Forces, Sub Comm;  
A.C. (MMIA) 3 District.  
Ref. 3DLO/7.

15 August 45.

To:- HQ. MMIA.

Ref Q 503 of 6 Aug, please see  
02/3241/Ord of 13 Aug, copy attached.

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Chaselt Maj.  
MMIA LO 3 District.

GPH/agn

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| MMIA LO                    |
| 16 AUG 1945 <sup>194</sup> |
| File <u>7</u>              |
| HQ 3 District.             |

SUBJECT:- Disbandment of Units - Italian Army.

RESTRICTED

3 District  
Tel Ext 21  
104/3972  
15 Aug 45

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101 56 Area (6)

G (5)

Q (15)

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Land Forces Sub Commission

AC (IA)

*WAX*

713 Italian Workshop Company.

*NR*

Reference attached copies of AMHQ G1(Br)/1074/1.1 (Ser 2864) dated 10 Aug 45.

1. The disbandment of the above named unit, ref 15 Aug 45, will be effected under your supervision.
2. Unit will be instructed to apply to ADOS for disposal instructions for Ordnance stores and equipment incl am, vehs and staff controlled stores.

The attention of the unit will be drawn to GHO 455/45 as amended by GHO 811/45.

ADOS 56 Area will submit a report to ADOS this HQ giving details of all vehs stating ID Nos, type and classification.

3. Under no circumstances will office machinery be transferred to another unit or formation without reference to ADOS, AMHQ.

4. Completion report will be forwarded in quadruplicate to this HQ by 31 Aug 45.

*OK Brown*  
p. Col  
DL & Q C

RG/JC.

| MESSAGE FORM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |             |                |                     |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|----------------|---------------------|
| ORIGINATOR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |             | DATE & TIME    | OFFICE DATE STAMP   |
| DISTRICT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |             | 141570 B       | In 1200 12 AUG 2136 |
| FOR ACTION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |             |                |                     |
| TO                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | FROM        | Message Instrn | CR                  |
| FOR INFORMATION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |             |                |                     |
| MAIL TO:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | TRAILER TO: | 26             |                     |
| <p>SD 554 (.) SECTOR (.) further up SD 514 of 12 aug (.) First (.) to SAN MARCO regt<br/>         arrives ahead of us by air (.) second (.) organise units will move without unit<br/>         equipment and personal arms but personal equipment incl blankets will be taken (.)<br/>         unit cooking already will NOT repeat NOT be carried</p> <p>if liable to be intercepted<br/>         or to fall into enemy hands<br/>         this message must be sent in<br/>         CODE</p> <p>Original Instructions<br/>         Degree of Priority<br/>         IMMEDIATE</p> <p>Time System<br/>         TIME or TOP<br/>         Time Cleared</p> |             |                |                     |

MMIA LO  
 15 AUG 1945  
 HQ 3 District

SUBJECT: Disbandment of Pt II A and Pt III Service Units.

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/7/2

15 Aug 42

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

518 ITALIAN LINE SECTION  
182 ITALIAN TECHNICAL MAINT SECTION  
924 ITALIAN DOCKS OPERATING COMPANY  
124 ITALIAN FIELD BAKERY

DISBANDMENT

1. The above mentioned units will be disbanded as shewn at Appx 'A' attached.

PERSONNEL

2. Personnel will be disposed of in accordance with MMIA signal A 1222 dated 8 Aug. The following special arrangements apply:-

518 Italian Line Section

Personnel will be employed to fill vacancies in existing Signal Sections of 3 District. Any surplus personnel will be at your disposal.

182 Italian Technical Maint Section

As for above unit except that vacancies in 1 District Signal Sections will be filled.

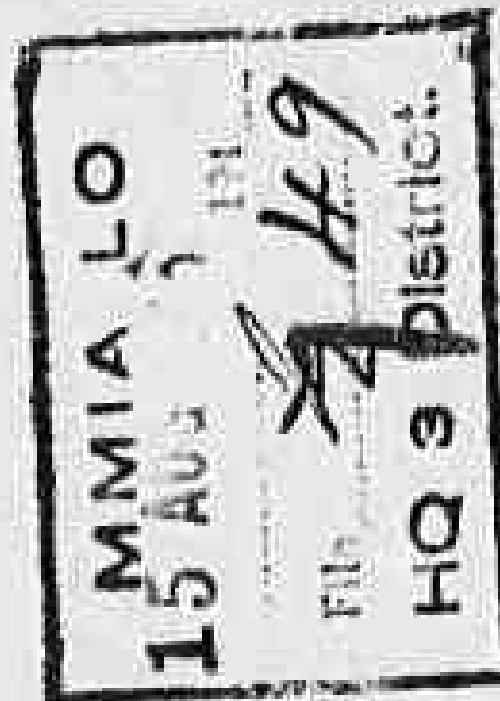
924 Italian Docks Operating Company

Amovement bid has been made for 300 ORs of this coy to be transported ANCONA-BRINDISI, Serial 48/96 of MMIA letter MOV PM/93 dated 8 Aug 45 refers. The remainder of the personnel will be at the disposal of 209 Adm Div.

124 Italian Field Bakery

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EQUIPMENT



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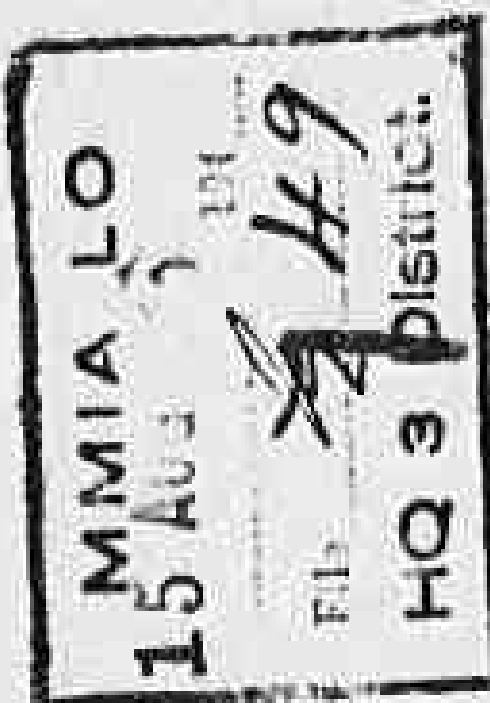
LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/7/2

15 AUG 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

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EQUIPMENT

3. British equipment will be returned to Ordnance under arrangements of the supervisory authorities any deficiencies being charged to you in due course.

Italian equipment other than signals equipment will be handed in to Adm Div Sub Docks under arrangements of the appropriate Adm Div.

Signals equipment will be listed and handed in to the nearest "Genio-Collegamento" warehouse, with copy to MMIA and the Ministry of War giving full details of equipment handed in.

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COMPLETION

4. Disbandment will be completed in all cases by 24 Aug 45.

REFERENCE

5. AFHQ letter G-1 BR/1074/A.1. (Ser 2807) dated 3 Aug 45 refers.

*Blum*  
Major General,  
H. M. I. A.

COPY TO: WFLA LO 1 DISTRICT  
" " 3 DISTRICT  
" " 54 AREA  
" " FLORENCE CITY COMMAND APO 782

INTERNAL: A (Two)  
Q (Three)  
RE  
SIGS  
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*Blum*  
Major General,  
P. M. I. A.

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APPENDIX  
SD/7/2 d

| UNIT<br>(a)                      | WE<br>(b)               | OFFRS<br>(c) | ORs<br>(d) | EFFECTIVE<br>DATE<br>(e) | LOCATION<br>(f) | SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY<br>(g) | ADM<br>FOR<br>AND |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|------------|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. 516 Italian Line<br>Sec       | CM/465/1<br>(XII/303/1) | 2            | 94         | 1 Aug 45                 | NAPLES          | HQ 3 DISTRICT                   | 222               |
| 2. 182 Italian Tech<br>Maint Sec | CM/829/2                | 1            | 30         | 31 Jul 45                | BOLOGNA         | HQ 1 DISTRICT                   | 200               |
| 3. 924 Italian Docks<br>Op Coy   | CM/857/1                | 7            | 426        | 31 Jul 45                | ANCONA          | HQ 1 DISTRICT                   | 200               |
| 4. 124 Italian Fd<br>Bakery      | IV/33A/1                | -            | 120        | 1 Aug 45                 | RIMINI          | HQ 1 DISTRICT                   | 200               |

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

ATTENDIA 'A' to MMIA letter  
SD/7/2 dated 13 August '45.

| OFFERS<br>(c) | ORs<br>(d) | EFFECTIVE<br>DATE<br>(e) | LOCATION<br>(f) | SUPERVISORY<br>AUTHORITY<br>(g) | ADM DIV RESPONSIBLE<br>FOR ITALIAN PERSONNEL<br>AND EQUIPMENT (h) |
|---------------|------------|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2             | 94         | 1 Aug 45                 | NAPLES          | HQ 3 DISTRICT                   | 227 Adm Div                                                       |
| 1             | 30         | 31 Jul 45                | BOLOGNA         | HQ 1 DISTRICT                   | 209 Adm Div                                                       |
| 7             | 426        | 31 Jul 45                | ANCONA          | HQ 1 DISTRICT                   | 209 Adm Div                                                       |
| -             | 120        | 1 Aug 45                 | RIMINI          | HQ 1 DISTRICT                   | 209 Adm Div                                                       |

SUBJECT: Formation of ER-LII Part II (a) Unit.

|                         |
|-------------------------|
| MMIA 450<br>15 AUG 1945 |
| File <u>7</u>           |
| HQ 3 District           |

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/52/2

11 AUG 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

5 ITALIAN INCR TO A BASE POST OFFICE

1. Authority has been given for the formation of the above mentioned unit with effect from 1 Jul 45 under the supervision of HQ 3 District.
2. This unit will be organised on W.E. CM/1530/4 with a strength of 1 Offr and 79 ORs. Advanced copy of W.E. attached.
3. War Office serial number 95724 has been allotted to this unit, which is also listed in Appx 'A' to MMIA letter SD/131 of 26 June 45 under serial number 134. *File 17 - 178*
4. This unit will be equipped to basic scale 6508/7. S.E.L. number will follow later.
5. Italian Army personnel will be provided from the Co-operator Increment to 5 Base Post Office, RE, and from personnel at the disposal of 227 Adm Div, if further rfts are required to complete the adjustment. With effect from 1 July 45 and under the supervision of HQ No 3 District implementation of W.E. CM/185/4 in respect of 5 Base Post Office, RE, will be restricted to the British portion, in accordance with G-1 (Br)/1029/4-1 (Ser 2874) of 10 Aug 45. *W.E.*
6. Please report completion of the formation of the unit to this HQ.
7. Authority for the formation of this unit is AFHQ letter G-1 (Br)/1116/A-1 (Ser 2872) of 10 Aug 45. *W.E.*

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6. Please report completion of the formation of the unit to this HQ.

7. Authority for the formation of this unit is AFHQ letter G-1 (Br) /1116/A-1 (Ser 2872) of 10 Aug 45.

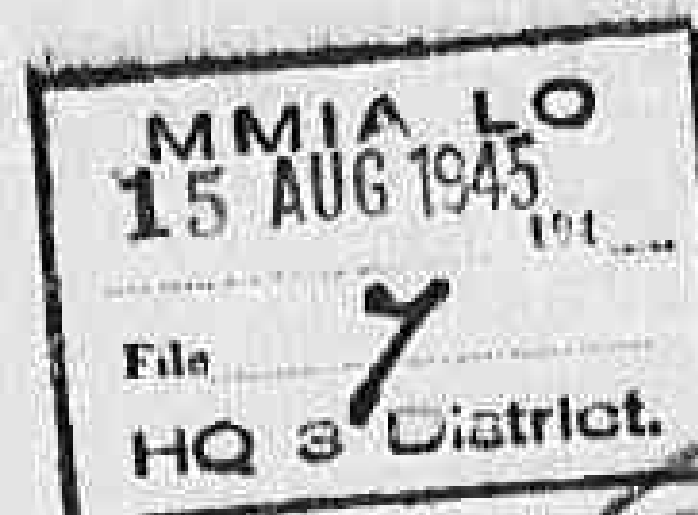
Copy to: WETA LO 3 DISTRICT ✓  
" " PENSOUTH

Internal: A 2 (Three)  
RE

Major General,  
M. M. I. A.

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COMANDO DELLA 227 DIVISIONE  
S.M. - Sez. Servizi



N° 02/3241/Ord. di prot.

P.M. 1945, 13 agosto 1945

O G G E T T O : 823 Reparto Ausiliario per C.M.T.C. =

ALL'UFFICIO COLL. MMIA 3° DISTRETTO C.M.T.  
e, per conoscenza:  
ALL'UFFICIO IT. COLL. 3° DISTRETTO C.M.T.

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123  
Riferimento foglio 3 DLO/7 dell' 8 corrente. =

1°) - L' 823° Reparto Ausiliario per C.M.T.C. è stato  
dissolto ed ha cessato di prelevare i viveri il  
giorno 20/7/1945.

Tale ritardo, dovuto alla data fissata, è  
dovuto al fatto che l'ordine esecutivo di sciogli-  
mento (fil° 104/97 A in data 13/7/45 del Comando 3°  
Distretto) è pervenuto a questo Comando solo il 18/  
7/1945.

2°) - Si precisa comunque che dal momento del trasferimen-  
to a Ravennina (21/6/1945) all'atto dello scio-  
mento, il prelevamento dei viveri dal reparto in og-  
getto deve essere considerato come effettuato dallo  
803° Campo Affluenza Complementi, per conto del qua-  
le l' 823° Reparto Ausiliario forniva complementi  
RR-ITI. =

ordinò  
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE  
(Magg. Ugo Scotti Levia)



MMIA LO  
14 AUG 1945  
HQ 3 District.

(29)

MESSAGE FORM In Lieu of CM 356  
DRCOL HISTORY 1317-10 B

FOR ACTION

TO SA AREA

FOR INFORMATION

AMHQ (C) CRY AMU NOT HARI THE FIFTH ARMY 26

AM HQ (C) SECRET (C) Not referenced to HQ of 12 Aug 1. Actual location  
unclassified and destination SAN HANCO "and to each TEAM and NOT xpt NOT HARI.

This message may be sent  
or written by any means  
except teletype

Transmitters Instructions  
Degree of Priority

URGENT

Copy to HQ is required to HQ 2

Amended

SUBJECT: Formation Order No. 757  
Part III A(1) ITI-ITI Units

MMIA LO  
14 AUG 1945

Id: 7  
HQ 3 District

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/21/2

13 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

*NT.*  
1011 ARTILLERY DIRECTORATE - MESSINA

Reference your letter 15779/ORD/II dated 6 Aug 45.

1. Authority is granted to form the above mentioned unit with effect from 10 August on WE 151/SARE/1 with a strength of 5 Offrs and 17 ORs.
2. The necessary ceiling for personnel will be provided by restriction of implementation of WES n.e.f. 10 August of other Arty Directorates as follows:-

| UNIT                       | W.E.       | PRESENT STRENGTH | RESTRICTED STRENGTH | BALANCE MADE AVAILABLE |
|----------------------------|------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
|                            |            | Offrs ORs        | Offrs ORs           | Offrs ORs              |
| 102 Arty Direc-<br>torate  | 151/SARE/1 | 5 17             | 3 7                 | 2 10                   |
| 1002 Arty Direc-<br>torate | 153/SARE/1 | 5 14             | 2 7                 | 3 7                    |
| W.E. 151/SARE/1 :-         |            |                  |                     | 5 17                   |

Major General

SD/21/2

13 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

N.Y.

1011 ARTILLERY DIRECTORATE - MESSINA

Reference your letter 15779/ORD/II dated 6 Aug 45.

1. Authority is granted to form the above mentioned unit with effect from 10 August on WE 15L/SARE/1 with a strength of 5 Offrs and 17 ORs.

2. The necessary ceiling for personnel will be provided by restriction of implementation of WEs w.e.f. 10 August of other Arty Directorates as follows:-

| UNIT                       | W.E.       | PRESENT STRENGTH |     | RESTRICTED STRENGTH |     | BALANCE MADE AVAILABLE |     |
|----------------------------|------------|------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|------------------------|-----|
|                            |            | Offrs            | ORs | Offrs               | ORs | Offrs                  | ORs |
| 102 Arty Direc-<br>torate  | 15L/SARE/1 | 5                | 17  | 3                   | 7   | 2                      | 10  |
| 1002 Arty Direc-<br>torate | 153/SARE/1 | 5                | 14  | 2                   | 7   | 3                      | 7   |
| W.E. 15L/SARE/1 :-         |            |                  |     |                     |     | 5                      | 17  |

*Blunt*  
Major General  
MMIA

Copy to: MMIA LO SICILY  
MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT ✓  
MMIA LO PENSOUTH

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Q (Two)  
ARTY RECORDS  
SD/1/3

WS

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(27)

Subject:- Staff List

Liaison Office,  
Land Forces, Sub Comm;  
A.C.(MMIA) 3 District.

Ref. 3DLO/7.

11 Aug.45.

To:- 227 Div.

Will you please let me have a list of  
the officers in your HQ, showing their appointments  
and the organisation of your HQ.

*Crane* Maj.  
MMIA LO 3 District.

Copy to:-  
ILO

GPH/agn

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MMIA LO  
13 AUG 1945  
File 7  
HQ 3 District.

In Line T AR 62836

MESSAGE FORM

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FROM

DISTANCE

12 19.30 B

TO

FOR ACTION

IN AREA

see folio 32  
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FOR INFORMATION

APHC (G300g-000) MOV BARI FIFTH ARMY NATO (C)  
ITALIAN VI 1386 D

30934 SECRET (.) subject is transfer of GARIBOLDI REGT by SAN MARCO REGT (.) ONE  
(.) first Bn plus one coy accord. Bn GARIBOLDI will move by rail on  
15 Aug from ~~THANI~~ to BOLZANO under orders MOV BARI to take over equipment  
including personal arms from two Bns SAN MARCO REGT (.) personal  
equipment including blankets will accompany (.) TWO (.) remaining personnel  
will now read a PERIOD 20-25 Aug (.) two Bns SAN MARCO move BOLZANO to  
~~THANI~~ taking over complete from HQ and two Bns less one coy GARIBOLDI (.)  
PERIOD 27 Aug - 02 Sept (.) HQ and two Bns less one coy GARIBOLDI move  
to BOLZANO taking over complete from SAN MARCO (.) PERIOD 03 - 09 Sept  
(.) HQ and one Bn SAN MARCO move BOLZANO to ~~THANI~~ to join balance of Regt  
taking over all 1st unit equipment and personal arms of GARIBOLDI (.)  
THIRD (.) arrange for representatives of GARIBOLDI REGT to proceed by  
air forthwith to report to HQ FULGURE COMBAT GROUP at BOLZANO to arrange  
take over

This message may be  
sent as written by  
any means except  
wireless

Originators Instructions  
Degree of Priority

IMMEDIATE

SAC ~~THANI~~ Capt  
S.C. for Major Gen

449

(25)

MMIA LO  
13 AUG 1945  
File 7  
HQ 3 District.

MESSAGE FORM

In Lieu of AF C 2136

FROM ORIGINATOR DATE & TIME OFFICE DATE STAMP  
(A) DISTRICT 12 1025 E

FOR ACTION

(1) AFHQ(G3 ORG AND):

TO Message Instrs GR

FOR INFORMATION

(2) 227 ITALIAN AIR DIV: (3) MMIA:

Copy to: MMIA LO: ITALIAN LO:

NT.

SD 924 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) ref MMIA SD 2394 of 10 aug NOT to all (.) MMIA  
proposed reduction to 3 adn regt HQ NOT rpt NOT agreed (.) good for 5 HQ is acute  
and immediate (.) following on your FI 32993 of 7 aug NOT to all orders have been  
issued to 227 div to proceed with plan of HQs soonest on draft WE in anticipation  
of final instrs (.) if HQs later prove redundant their progressive disbandment is  
easy (.) strongly request you adhere to original proposal and issue instrs to  
MMIA to expedite necessary action

This message may be sent as  
written by any means incl  
wireless

Originators Instructions

Degree of Priority

IMMEDIATE to (1) & (3)

IMPORTANT to (2)

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Time cleared

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Subject:- 407 Ord.MT Stores Coy.

Liaison Office,  
Land Forces, Sub Comm.,  
A.C.(MMIA) 3 District.

Ref. 3DLO/7.

8 Aug. 45.

To:- 227 Div.

*folio 50  
refer.*

*4a*

Ref 407/IT/MT/F5/140 of 31 Jul. 45, copy  
attached, please make up this unit quickly and  
report position by 19 Aug.45

*reply at folio 51*

Linnell Maj.  
MMIA LO 3 District.

Copy to:-  
ILO

GPH/agn

*50  
51*

Tel.-Baseball 2

(23)

Subject:- 823 Aux. Unit for  
C.M.T.C.

Liaison Office,  
Land Forces, Sub Comm.,  
A.C.(MMIA) 3 District.  
Ref. 3DLO/7.

8 Aug. 45.

To:- 227 Div.

*see folio 20.*

Ref Q 503 of 6 Aug. copy attached, please  
enable me to reply NOT later than 14 Aug. 45.

*Warr*  
Maj.  
MMIA LO 3 District.

Copy to:-  
ILO

GPM/agn

*Su 30*  
*437 34*

MMIA LO  
11 JUL 1945  
File 7  
HQ 3 District

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SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Ex-Cooperator Units

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/10/2

7 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. Authority is given for the conversion of the Italian Units shown in Appendix "A" attached with effect from 1 July 45.
2. Equipment will conform to basic scale 6508/7. The SFL's remain unchanged.
3. The implementation of British Vehs and M/C's will be restricted to units NOT having a British Cadre.
4. The necessary adjustment of personnel will be carried out under the arrangements of the appropriate Adm Div.

*R. G. A. G. G. G.*  
Major General  
MMIA

Copy to: MMIA LO PENSOUTH  
MMIA LO 1 DISTRICT  
MMIA LO NW ITALY  
MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT  
RANC

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RE  
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APPENDIX  
SD/10/2

| OLD ORGANISATION  |                      |     |     |    | W.E. NO. | OFFRS | ORS | NEW ORGANISATION |                |      |     |           | W.E. NO. |
|-------------------|----------------------|-----|-----|----|----------|-------|-----|------------------|----------------|------|-----|-----------|----------|
| 771               | Cooperator Art.      | Wks | Coy | RF | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 771              | Ital Art       | Wks  | Coy | CM/1500/1 |          |
| (Italian Portion) |                      |     |     |    |          |       |     |                  |                |      |     |           |          |
| /772              | "                    | "   | "   | "  | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 772              | "              | "    | "   | CM/1500/1 |          |
| /773              | "                    | "   | "   | "  | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 773              | "              | "    | "   | CM/1500/1 |          |
| /774              | "                    | "   | "   | "  | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 774              | "              | "    | "   | CM/1500/1 |          |
| 877               | "                    | "   | "   | "  | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 877              | "              | "    | "   | CM/1500/1 |          |
| 878               | "                    | "   | "   | "  | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 878              | "              | "    | "   | CM/1500/1 |          |
| 881               | "                    | "   | "   | "  | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 881              | "              | "    | "   | CM/1500/1 |          |
| 884               | "                    | "   | "   | "  | CM/158/1 | 4     | 251 | 884              | "              | "    | "   | CM/1500/1 |          |
| 11                | Cooperator Iner to a |     |     |    | CM/107/3 | -     | 108 | 11               | Ital Iner to a | Wksp | Sec | CM/1501/1 |          |
| Wksp Sec          |                      |     |     |    |          |       |     |                  |                |      |     |           |          |
| 12                | "                    | "   | "   |    | CM/107/3 | -     | 108 | 12               | "              | "    | "   | CM/1501/1 |          |
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APPENDIX "A" TO MMIA LETTER  
SD/10/2 DATED 9 AUG 1945

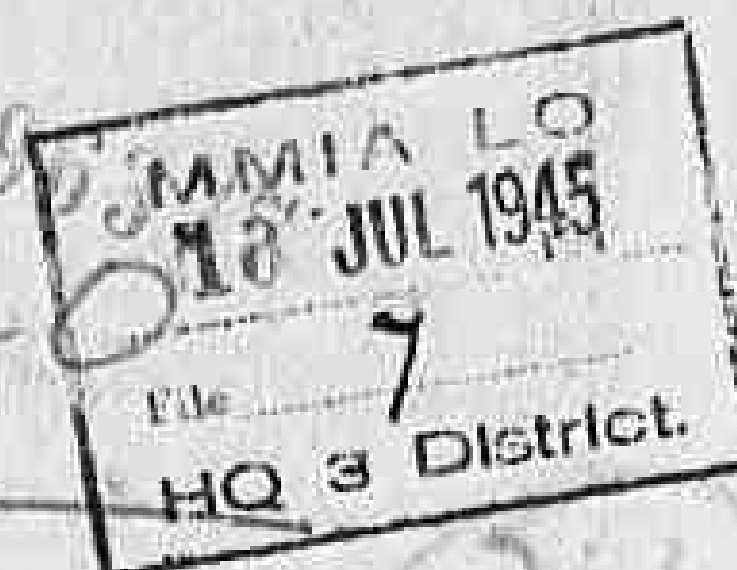
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| CM/158/1       | 4     | 251 | 884 " " " "                | CM/1500/1 | 6     | 250 | RAAC                  |
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MMIA



FROM MMIA 09 12(HUND)B

TO MINISTRY OF WAR : DISTONE : RAAC : DISTHREE : 5 ARMY FOR MMIA LO  
 55 AREA FOR MMIA LO : MMIA LO SARDINIA : COMNOB PALERMO FOR MMIA 2  
 PENSOUTH FOR MMIA LO : 54 AREA FOR MMIA LO : MMIA LO MILAN  
 MMIA LO GENOA : MMIA LO TURIN : DISTONE FOR MMIA LO  
 FLORENCE CITY COMD FOR MMIA LO THRUPP : DISTONE FOR MMIA LO  
 FOR HERBERT : DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO : MMIA LO MILAN FOR FOX :  
 PENBASE FOR MMIA LO : FLORENCE CITY COMD FOR MMIA LO WARD :  
 36 AREA FOR MMIA LO

GR -- BT

SD 2890 RESTRICTED

13

ONE (.) 230 ITALIAN ADM DIV WILL PASS FROM UNDER COMD DISTONE TO UNDER  
 COMD DISTHREE FOR ALL PURPOSES WEF 0900 HRS 20 AUG 45 (.) AFHQ SIGNAL EX  
~~32616 OF 6 AUG~~ 6 AUG REFERS

TWO (.) RESPONSIBILITIES OF 230 ADM DIV INCLUDE ORG AND FUNCTIONING  
 OF 302 FORMER ITALIAN BRD AS BR-ITI REORGANISATION CENTRE VIDE MMIA  
 LETTER SD/1 OF 30 JUNE (.)

BT 09 12(HUND)B

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SENT NR 7330 CACC AT 1645

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 SIGNAL EX 32616 OF 6 AUG REFERS

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Subject: Formation of Adm Regt HQ.

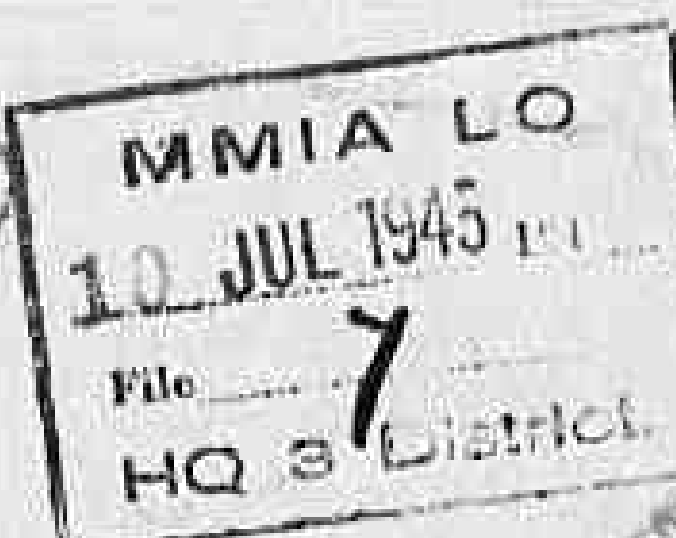
227 Italian Adm Div

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MMIA LO

Italian LO



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3 District  
Baseball Ext 5  
835/G  
9 Aug 45

*710*

Ref this HQ sig SD 834 of 4 AUG (NOT to A or Q).

1. AFHQ have added five administrative Regimental HQs to priority list 8 and have asked MMIA to submit WBS soonest.

2. The ex US ITI guard Regimental HQ requested in the above signal is not available.

3. It is suggested that in anticipation of final approval of these five HQs you

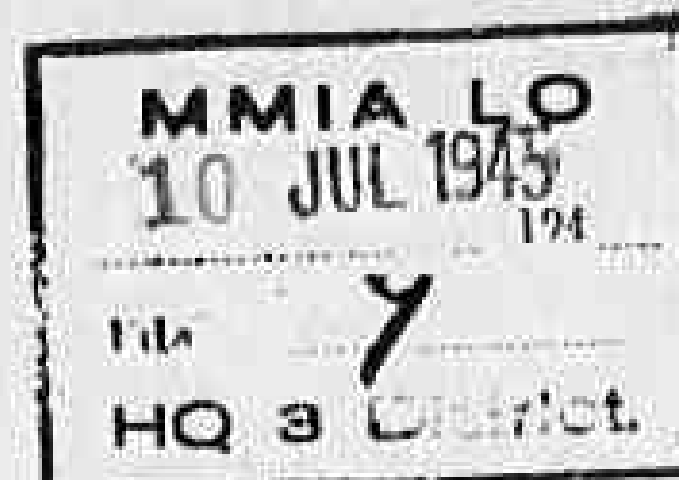
(a) earmark the necessary personnel now so that the units may be formed with the minimum delay when authority is given

(b) make all necessary plans for the deployment of these HQs.

DAE/PJW

*Obt, sec*  
(DA GREEN) Maj  
For Lt Col  
GS  
433

SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Ex-Cooperator Units



*Wm*  
LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MIA) 19

SD/14/2

9 Aug 45

*See folio 35a*

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. Formal authority will shortly be given for the conversion of the undermentioned units as follows with effect from 1 July 45.

| Present Organisation                     | WE       | Offrs | ORs | New Organisation  | WE         | Offrs | ORs        | Sup Authy |
|------------------------------------------|----------|-------|-----|-------------------|------------|-------|------------|-----------|
| 637 Cooperator Pnr Coy (Italian element) | CM/172/1 | 2     | 281 | 637 Ital Wksp Coy | CM/1515 /1 | 4     | 403<br>305 | 3 Dist    |

2. The personnel required to effect the necessary adjustment will be drawn from reinforcements at the disposal of 227 Adm Div.

3. Authority for this conversion is AFHQ memo ASD/922.8 (B) 1 of 1 Aug 45.

*R. A. Gross Paris*  
Capt for Major General,  
MIA.

Copy to: MMIA LO 54 Area  
" " 3 District ✓  
" " Penscuth

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SUBJECT: Disbandment Order No. 453

*lma*  
LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMIA)

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| MMIA LO        |
| - 9 AUG 1945   |
| File <i>7</i>  |
| HQ 3 District. |

SD/18/5

*2* Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

POOL OF ITALIAN PRESS CENSORS

Reference MMIA letter SD/18/2 of 9 Apr 45 and AFHQ (Press and Radio Censorship Branch) letter dated 2 August 45.

1. The above mentioned Part IIIB (3) ITI-ITI Int Unit will be disbanded with effect from 10 Aug 45.
2. Personnel held against WE 544/SMRE/1 of 45 Offrs and 15 ORs will be at your disposal as reinforcements within the ITI-ITI category.

*L. M. F. ...*  
*for* Major General  
MMIA

Copy to: AFHQ for G-3 ORG (F)  
AFHQ for PRESS & RADIO CENSORSHIP BRANCH  
RAAC

MMIA LOS SARDINIA  
SICILY  
MILAN  
1 DISTRICT  
3 DISTRICT ✓  
PENSOUTH

MMIA LOS 5th AREA  
c/o 60 SUB AREA  
c/o 151 Sub Area  
c/o Liaison Section PBS  
c/o Florence City Comd APO 782  
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SUBJECT: Increment to 10 Commissariat Directorate  
Territorial HQ.

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| - 9 AUG 1945  |
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| HQ 3 District |

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/7/2

8 AUG 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

INCR TYPE 'Z' TO 10 COMMISSARIAT DIRECTORATE  
TERRITORIAL HQ - CATANZARO

1. Reference your letter 15522 of 27 Jul 45, authority is given  
to form the above mentioned Part III a (1) I-I-I unit forthwith on WE  
21/SMRE/1 - 3 Offrs and 9 ORs.

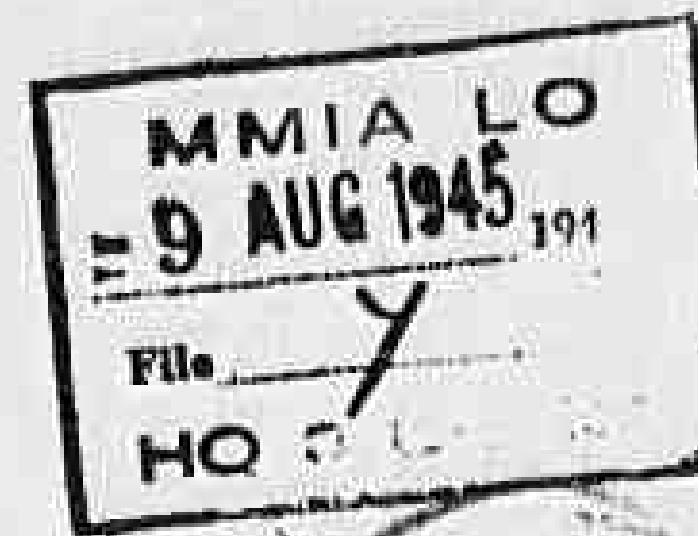
*R. G. A. Gomer Ram*  
for Major General, Cap  
MMIA.

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" " PENSOUTH

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SUBJECT : Disbandment of Part II(E)  
Ex-Cooperator Units



LAND FORCES SUP COM, A.C. (18/11)

SD/11/2

7 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

ITALIAN INCREMENTS TO BASE SALVAGE UNIT

1. Formal disbandment instructions will shortly be issued for the following Part II(E) Ex-Cooperator Units.

| (a)<br>UNIT                             | (b)<br>LOCATION  | (c)<br>SUPERVISING<br>AUTHORITY | (d)<br>ITALIAN ADM DIV<br>RESPONSIBLE FOR<br>PERSONNEL |
|-----------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| Italian Incr to 21 Base<br>Salvage Unit | TORRE ANNUNZIATA | 3 Dist                          | 227 Adm Div                                            |
| " " " 22 "                              | " "              | 3 Dist                          | 227 " "                                                |
| " " " 25 "                              | AREZZO           | 1 Dist                          | 230 " "                                                |
| " " " 25 "                              | TORRE SAPIENZA   | 3 Dist                          | 227 " "                                                |
| " " " 26 "                              | TESI             | 1 Dist                          | 230 " "                                                |
| " " " 27 "                              | NESTRE           | 13 Corps                        | 228 " "                                                |

2. These units are organised on to WE IV/197/1 with a strength of 7 OR's.
3. On disbandment, personnel will be put at the disposal of the appropriate Adm Div as in Col (d) above, as rfts.
4. AFHQ letter AG 357.4/079 CCT-0 dated 3 Aug refers.

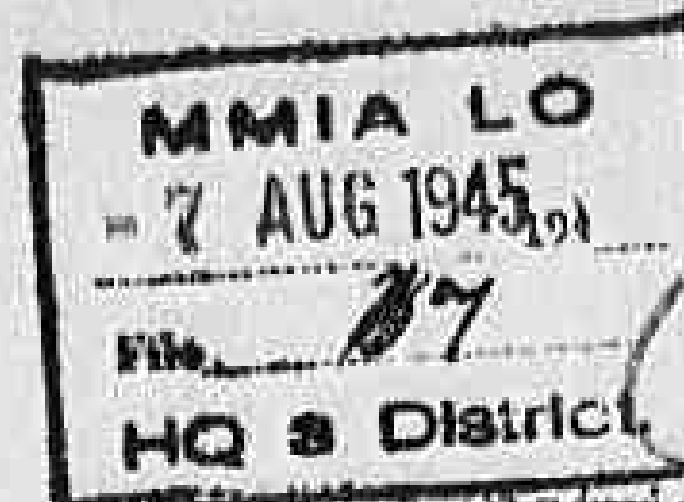
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Major General  
MMIA

Copy to : MMIA LO 4 District  
MMIA LO 3 District ✓  
MMIA LO C/o 55 Area  
MMIA LO FLORENCE CITY COMD

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6 Aug 45

*Way*  
SUBJECT: Temporary Reinforcements Coy for 227 Div.

HQ 227 Div

54. Area

Vice HQ 227 Div

MMIA (ref your SD/31/2 of 1 Aug)

MMIA LO, Eastern Italy

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*INT.*  
Ref Vice HQ 227 Div letter 08/820/Ord of 21 Jul to LO MMIA Eastern Italy only.

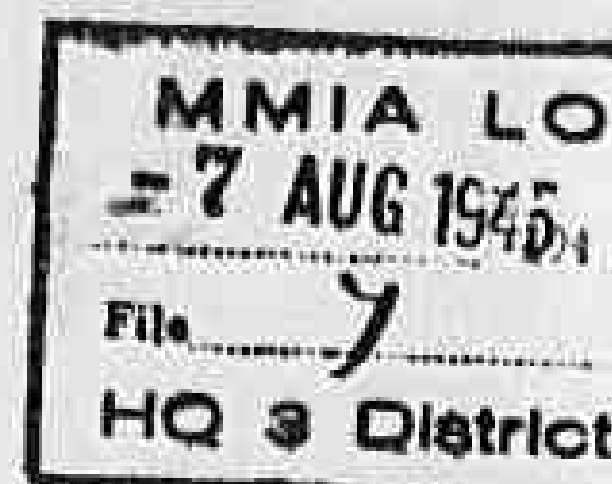
1. The temporary formation of a BR-ITI Reinforcement Depot Coy at 404 Rgt, P.I. (Duca delle Puglie Barracks) to handle disbandment of US - ITI units and re-absorption of personnel by BR - ITI units is approved, providing

- (a) No further accommodation is required other than that already available with 404 Rgt, P.I.
- (b) Personnel to staff the proposed Depot Coy are already available or can be found from the first US - ITI units due for disbandment.

2. No War Establishment action will be taken.

*Watson*  
(J.P. WATSON) Maj.  
GS.

Subject: 407 Co-operator Ord. H.T. Stores Coy,  
(PONTECAGNANO).



Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,  
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

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6 Aug '45.

To : MMIA LO,  
3 District.

*att*  
Reference letter 407/IT/MT/F5/I40 of 31 Jul '45  
from above unit (copy attached).

1. Please ensure that the reinforcements required  
are posted by 227 Division as soon as possible from person-  
nel now at their disposal.

*for*  
Major General,  
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: OC,  
407 Cooperator Ord. H.T. Stores Coy., RAOC, CMF.

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C O P Y

14<sup>h</sup>

Subject: Italian personnel, Reinforcements.

407/IT/MT/F5/I40

To : O i/c Rfts., MMIA, CMF.

*see folio 24.*

A considerable number of Italian personnel of this Unit have recently been released from Military service.

It is desired that reinforcements may be received as soon as possible.

Accordingly may an indication please be given as to when reinforcements may be expected.

It is understood that a request for reinforcements has already been made through Italian channels but no indication has been made as to when the request will be complied with.

(Signed) ?????????????????

Capt. O.C.,  
407 Co-operator Ord M.T. Stores Coy RAOC CMF

Field.  
31 Jul. '45.

426

From: AMER  
To: DISTONE  
Info: MIA DISTONE

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FX 32616 RESTRICTED (.) your ~~augur day five five~~ of ~~four~~ august and our  
~~for it my three zero six six three~~ of ~~three one~~ july ~~four five~~ (.) signed  
SACRED cite FBKOT (.) ~~two three zero~~ ITALIAN adm div will pass from under  
comd DISTONE to under comd DISTONE for all purposes effective ~~zero nine zero~~  
~~zero hours two zero~~ august ~~one nine four five~~

COMANDO DELLA 227 DIVISIONE  
S.M.-Sez. Op.Ord.

N° 01/6572/op. di prot.  
OGGETTO: 713<sup>a</sup> compagnia W.

P.M.126 - 3 agosto 45

AL L.O. M.M.I.A. - 3 DISTRICT

= CMF =

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Riferimento conversazione di ieri e foglio n° 130  
del reparto in oggetto avente data 1° corrente mese.

(a)- Quanto detto in 1) e 2) della lettera a riferimento  
non era stato effettuato dal reparto perchè il maggiore del  
B.C. non aveva concesso il nulla osta.

Il Colonnello ROMANELLI ha ieri stesso visitato il  
reparto e soltanto ieri avuto dal predetto ufficiale il nulla  
osta già richiesto da tempo.

(b)- Quanto detto in 3), 7) e 8) non è di possibile at-  
tuazione perchè vi si oppongono precise disposizioni della  
M.M.I.A.

(c)- Il reparto è stato invitato:

- a richiedere subito quanto forma oggetto in 4), 5), 6);
- a provvedere subito per quanto lamentato in 9).-



d'ordine  
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE  
Magg. Ugo Scotto Lavina

424

MEMO W/ROF NR 5819 P 8

FROM MMIA 06.33M

TO DIRECTOR

FROM W/ROF NR 5819

RE MMIA LO . REF OUR LETTER SD/7/2 DATED 3 JULY 45 SUBJECT

DISAPPEARANCE OF CAT 2 ES-111 UNITS . ADVISE DATE 023

ITALIAN AUXILIARY UNIT FOR C & I C. REMAINING HAS IN FACT DISAPPEARED AND

CHANGED TO SOME EXTENT

SENT NR 5819 061035 ADG 31

RE W/ROF NR 5819  
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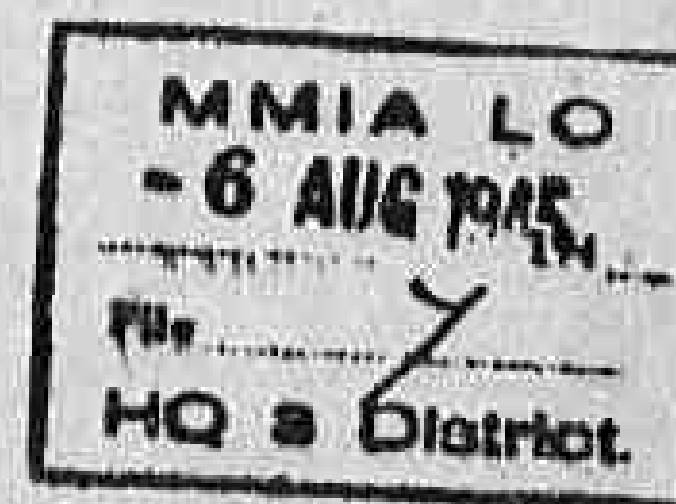
RE SD 023 ITALIAN UNIT

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see folio 23.

FILE 51  
FOLIO 21



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| MMIA LO       |
| - 4 Aug 1948  |
| File          |
| HQ 3 District |

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| MESSAGE FORM     | TO: HQ 3 DISTRICT |
| FROM: ORIGINATOR | Date & Time       |
| (A) DESTROY      | 01 1515 8         |
| FOR ACTION       |                   |

AMHQ(G3 ORG AMO): MMIA:

FOR INFORMATION

227 ITALIAN AMO

*see folio 20*

COPY: MMIA LO: ITALIAN LO

SD 831 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) Ref by 835/6 of 1 Jul amended by my SD 775 of 21 Jul neither to all (.) Request formation of five regt Hqs on proposed 12 as follows (.) on conversion of 42 513 and regt and 84 536 army regt two effective date 10 Aug (.) on conversion of 42 513 - 114 513 regt 10 the wet date of allotment (.) on conversion of 1st units two (.) intended locations as follows (.) 14225 1 CAMPANIA 2 PIVILLE 2 (.) since increase in 1947 - 1948 ORGT on transfer to ex-warehouse units used for above Hqs is acute (.) for 1949 (a) spoke VATTOR - SHAGHNESSY 3 Aug (.) request allotment of 42 regt 10 account

|                            |                           |                |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| This message may be sent   | Originator's Instructions | Time system of |
| by any means incl wireless | Degree of Priority        | Unit           |
|                            |                           | Unit           |
|                            |                           | Time cleared   |

*Prop 3, Jan 4 48*

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E 3 AUG 1945  
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HQ 3 District

SUBJECT: Disbandment of Part II(a) ER-ITI Service Units

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, AC (MMIA)

SD/7/2

Aug - 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

231, 232, 233 & 234  
ITALIAN FIELD BAKERIES  
(Each 1 Cofr, 32 ORs)

1. The above mentioned units on WE CM/597/1 will be disbanded with effect from 15 July 45 under the supervision of HQ No. 1 District at AN-COM.

2. PERSONNEL

Will be used to provide reinforcements for 122 (AREZZO), 123 (TORRE DEL GRECO), 124 (RIMINI), and 136 (CAPUA) Cooperator Field Bakeries, now being converted to ER-ITI status.

3. EQUIPMENT AND TRANSPORT

(a) British Equipment will be returned to Ordnance under arrangements HQ No. 1 District, and any deficiencies will be vouchered to Land Forces Sub Com, A.C. (MMIA) through Ordnance channels. Any Bakery Equipment may, however, be used to fill deficiencies in Bakeries under Comd HQ No. 1 District.

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MMIA 10 FLORENCE  
MMIA 10 3 DISTRICT ✓

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*Sh...*  
J. Major General  
MMIA

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COMANDO DELLA 227 DIVISIONE

S.M.-Ses. Op.Ord.

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| MMIA LO     |
| 3 AUG 1945  |
| File 7      |
| HQ 3 Distri |

N° 01/6443/op. di prot.

P.N. 126 - 31 luglio 1945

OGGETTO: specchio richiesta complementi per reparti BR-ITI.-

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA -  
S. M. R. E.

TO LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION (MILIA) ROME

e, per conoscenza:

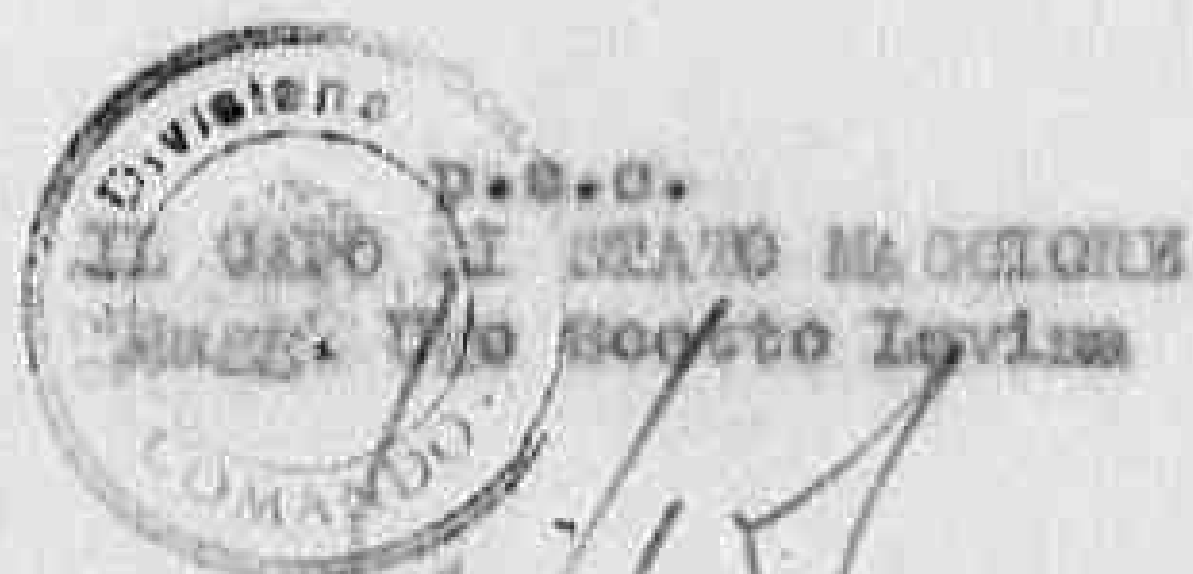
AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI NAPOLI

ALL'UFFICIO ~~DI COLLEGAMENTO~~ <sup>MMIA</sup> PRESSO 3 DISTRICT

= LORO UFFICI =

Trametto, allegato, lo specchio richiesta complementi  
per unità BR-ITI, compilato in base ai dati risultanti a questo  
Comando alle ore 23,59 del giorno 15 luglio 1945.-

IL GENERALE COMANDANTE  
- Silvio Rossi -



Copia

517 COMANDO GRUPPI ER-ITI

713<sup>a</sup> COMPAGNIA W/SHOP R.E.ME.

No. 130/87 di prot.

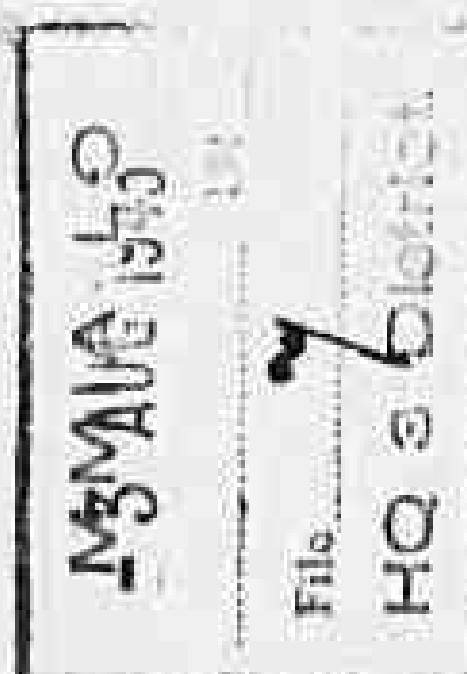
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OGGETTO: Rapporto

517  
AL COMANDO GRUPPI ER-ITI.

P.M. 126

e per conoscenza,

AL COMANDO DELLA 713<sup>a</sup> COMPAGNIA WORKSHOP R.E.M.E. BRIT.

Oggi, 1 Agosto 1945, alle ore 7,15 come di consueto ho fatto personalmente l'appello agli uomini della Compagnia adunata per recarsi al lavoro. All'atto della partenza, ore 7,30, gli uomini non si mossero e interrogati del motivo che induceva loro a tale atto, all'«*esclamata*» mi fu risposto che non si sarebbero recati al lavoro se prima non avessi accolto e trasmesso alcuni loro desideri. Gli invitai ad andare al lavoro ricordando ad essi la responsabilità individuale e collettiva che si assumevano con tale atto e che dove loro quindici minuti di tempo per prendere delle decisioni.

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- 4) Riparazione e cambio di oggetti di corredo fuori uso.
- 5) Fornitura delle mutande essenziali sprovvisori.
- 6) Aumento razione sapone in quanto lavoratori meccanici.
- 7) Aumento razioni viveri.
- 8) Forniture sigarette a pagamento.
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Infine hanno espresso il desiderio di avere la visita di un Ufficiale Superiore Comandante il quale poter esprimere il loro stato d'animo e la loro situazione di ex-prigionieri di guerra e Cooperatori.

A conclusione mi fu assicurato che avrebbero atteso una risoluzione alle suddette richieste fino a Mercoledì 8 Agosto, dopo di che se le loro domande non avranno avuto un esito favorevole si asterranno dal lavoro.

Alle ore 7,45 tutti i militari si avviarono ai rispettivi posti di lavoro.

IL COMANDANTE INTER. LA COMPAGNIA  
(Ten. Gastone COLUSSI)

*Ten. Colussi*

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*Ten. Colussi*

*Brought in by Col. 419*  
*Comd 16 Base Wksps. Shown*  
*to Scotts who will investigate*  
*2 Aug 45*

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Subject:- Italian Increment to  
A Veh Disposal Unit.

*see folio 48*

Liaison Office,  
Land Forces, Sub Comm,  
A.C.(MMIA) 3 District.

Ref. 3DLO/7

31 July 45.

To:- 227 Div. East. Det.

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Attached at Appx A is an extract of a report  
forwarded by British OC A Veh. Disposal Unit.

2. Please let me have a brief report on this unit by  
7 Aug., together with a statement of measures taken by you to  
improve matters.

*W. M. S. M. S.* Ma.  
MMIA LO 3 District

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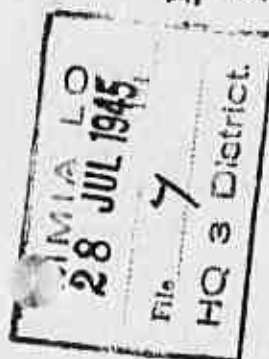
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APPX."A" to 3DLO/7.

"I would like to draw your attention to the following points regarding the employment of the Italian Army personnel:-

1. When I had the Company as a Co-operator Unit their work and discipline was most satisfactory. Now their work is very bad, and the discipline is even worse. When I pointed this out to the Italian Officer, all he could tell me was that they won't work because they don't get NAAFI rations.
2. The Company is 211 strong. Out of this, 22 are on leave, and we now have a daily average of thirty either sick or in hospital. The total number that I can get from the Company is 135 to cover all my duties. Out of this I have to find a Guard of 18 daily.
3. Regarding the discipline of the Company:-
  - (a) They do not take anti-malarial precautions whatsoever. As our British personnel are living in the same village and working alongside them, you will see how dangerous this is.
  - (b) I had reason a few days ago to place a charge against an Italian driver for improper use of W.D. transport. He was given 5 days C.B.
  - (c) I have had complaints from my R.E.M.E. and Ordnance personnel about the work of the Company on the Depot. They will not obey any instructions that are given to them."

Subject :- BR-ITI Increments.



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3 District  
Tel Ext 79  
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27 Jul 45

Lisison Officer,  
MIA HQ 3 Dist.

*per dis us,*

1. The following extract is forwarded from report received from 'A' Vehicle Disposal Unit. Units of this type consist of a British Cadre totalling 2 Officers and 35 BOR's and an Italian Increment of 2 Officers and 210 Italian OR's.

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*File 321/80*

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2. The Company is 214 strong. Out of this, 22 are on leave, and we now have a daily average of thirty either sick or in hospital. The total number that I can get from the Company is 135 to cover all my duties. Out of this I have to find a Guard of 18 daily.

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2. The contents of G-1(Br)/5897/A-2 of 16 Jul 45 has been brought to the attention of OC 'A' Vehicle Disposal Unit, but if any pressure can be brought to bear to improve discipline and welfare of the Italian Increment concerned a great deal more work will undoubtedly be obtained from them.

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*J.M. Mark,*  
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Capt.,  
for Major,  
D.A.D. Salvage

SUBJECT :- 863 Italian Increment to CSDIC

3DLO/7  
Baseball 2

14 Jul 45

HQ 227 DIV

Ref your 01/5588/op dated 12 Jul 45.

1. It would appear from the wording of the last part of paragraph 3 of the above quoted letter that the above named unit is only under command of your HQ for purposes of clothing.
2. Please note that 863 Italian Increment is a BR-ITI Service Unit and stationed within 227 DIV area. It is therefore fully under your administrative command in the same way as all other 227 DIV BR-ITI Units.

*REV.*

Major  
MMIA LO  
3 DISTRICT

SUBJECT: Aug 3 Incr to CSDIC.

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (MMIA)

SD/18/2

13 June 45

TO : Senior MMIA LO Eastern Italy  
c/o 54 Area.

Ref your LO/5/SD of 8 June 45, para 2.

1. The authorised strength of the above unit is given in the order of Battle. It is known that there are many detachments of the unit, some of which change location and strength frequently. Details are not laid down by this HQ for all these detachments and their varying strengths.

The detachment at BARI should continue to be rationed in its actual strength.

If it appears from the returns received at this HQ that the drawings of the parent unit and all its dets exceed the authorised strength then the necessary steps will be taken by this HQ.

2. Local adm. of the BARI det. should have been arranged by HQ 863 Italian Incr through HQ 227 Am Div.

*L.M. J. J. J.*  
Major General, MMIA.

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MMIA LO 3 District

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SUBJECT:- Italian Inc to CSDIC - RAAC.

3DLO/12

Baseball 2

4 May 45

HQ 227 Div.

Copy to:- ILO

File 3DLO/7

The a/n unit is pressing for information regarding the system of indenting for clothing.

You are requested to act forthwith in accordance with my letter of even reference, dated 23 Apr 45.

*John*

*RB*

Major,  
MMIA LO,  
3 District.

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SUBJECT: It. Inc. to SABIS, RAAS.

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23 Apr 45

HQ 227 Div.

Copy to: LIO

File JDLG/7

*plus also refer*

The a.n unit has now passed from TFI-TFI to BR-TFI category and comes under command and will be adm by 227 Div.

Please contact this unit forthwith with special regard to procedure for indenting for clothing and eqpt.

*[Signature]*  
Major,  
WIA LO,  
District.

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