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Italian T.C. Coys

MAR. - NOV. 1945

716° RAGGRUPPAMENTO AMMINISTRATIVO

- Ufficio Comando -

n° 466/Ord. di prot.

Firenze (E... 219), li 28/11/45

OGGETTO: Scioglimento 3° Compagnia Controllo Traffico (Senigallia)

AL COMANDO XXVIII° BATTAGLIONE ARTIGLIERI
AL COMANDO 3° COLI. CONTROLLO TRAFFICO

- ANCONA - (1 c.)
- SENIGALLIA (2 c.)

G, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO

- Ufficio Ordinamento e Mobilitazione -
(rif. f. nr. 18617/Ord. / II del 24/11/45)

- ROMA - (1 c.)

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

- Direzione Generale Personale Ufficiali -

- ROMA - (1 c.)

ALLA M.M.I.A. - IC - 3° DISTRICT

- C.M.F. - (2 c.)

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERR/IE - Uff. Oper. e Ordin.

- BOLOGNA - (1 c.)

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERR/IE - Uff. Oper. e Ordin.

- FIRENZE - (1 c.)

AL COMANDO 227° DIVISIONE

- rif. f. nr. 01/10435/Op. del 20/11/45 -

- S.V. DE' TIR (1 c.)

ALL' I I C - 3° DISTRICT

- C.M.F. - (1 c.)

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- C. M. F. - (2 c.)
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- 3°) - Sottufficiali e truppa: non appena sarà ultimata la perequazione in atto di personale come ordinato dal Comando 227° Divisione con foglio n. 01/10139/Op. in data 14 corrente (foglio n. 341/Ord. di questo Comando), il Comandante la 3° Compagnia Controllo Traffico presenterà al Comando Territoriale di Bologna la situazione della forza (grado - classe - specializzazione) per ricevere ordini circa l'ulteriore impiego di essa (accordi telefonici in tal senso già presi da questo Comando con l'ufficio operazioni e Ordinamento del Comiliter di Bologna).-

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- 4°) - Materiali Alleati: saranno versati ai depositi dell'"Ordinance" secondo disposizioni da richiedere alle competenti sezioni della 54 e 61 Area incaricate dello scioglimento.
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- 6°) - Ufficio Stralcio: sarà costituito con sede in Sonigallia così composto:
- Comandante;
 - 1 sottufficiale di contabilità;
 - 2 uomini di truppa.
- Avrà la durata massima improrogabile di 10 giorni a partire dal 1° dicembre.-
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 - b) - generalità complete e dati relativi al reimpiego degli uffici resi disponibili;
 - c) - elenco del personale trasferito alla I° Compagnia Controllo Traffico (foglio 01/10135/Op. del Comando 227° Divisione);
 - d) - elenco del personale posto a disposizione del Comando Territoriale di Bologna e sua destinazione;
 - e) - elenco dei materiali alleati e italiani versati (specificare tutti ricevuti).-
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Al Comando di Villio Btg. Artigieri compete il controllo dell'attuazione.-

Accusare ricevuta.

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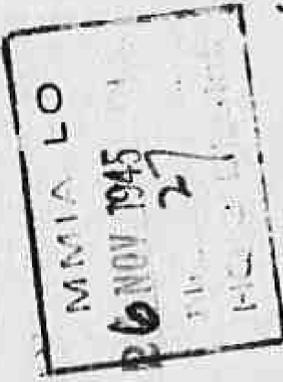


Subject:- Disbandment of Units - Italian.

OC 103 Coy CWP(TC) (3) - copies for Nos 1 & 2 It TC Coys.
OC 65 Coy CWP(TC) (2) - Copy for No 3 It TC Coy.
APM 54 Area
APM 61 Area

HQ 3 District
BASEBALL 52
Pro 61/13 *66*

24 Nov 45



A 3 District
G(SD) "
Q(AE) "
Ord " "
Postal " "
TIG " "
MMIA LO "
Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MMIA)
Provost Marshal GHQ CWF

Nos 2 and 3 Italian Traffic Control Companies. *NT*

1. The supervision of the disbandment of the above-mentioned units in accordance with instructions contained in GHQ CWF 1074/A-1 (Ser 3662) of 10 Nov 45 (copy attached) has been delegated to this office under this HQ signal AG 219 of 24 Nov 45. The latter signal quotes this office as now being responsible for the supervision of the disbandment, and not Area HQs as mentioned in this HQ letter 104/220A of 15 Nov 45. (Copy attached).

2. Action to effect the disbandment in accordance with this letter and those quoted in para 1 above is delegated as under :

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No 3 Italian Traffic Control Coy	OC 65 Coy CWP(TC)

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7. Reports as called for at para 5 of the GHQ letter under reference will be forwarded in quintuplicate to this office as soon after completion as possible.

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Major
for Lt Col
Deputy Provost Marshal
(G.W. Ranson)

GWR/ACS

65

Subject : Italian Army Officers - Courses

MMIA LO
19 NOV 1945
No. 27.
HQ 3 District

HQ 3 District
Tel : 10930
Pro 9/1

MMIA, 3 District (2)

19 Nov 45

John 3.
Ref this office Pro 9/1 of 13 Nov 45, and your
reply 3DLO/27 dated 6 Nov 45.

John 61.
Herewith copies of letter received from AFM 56
Area for your information.



Capt
for Lt Col
Deputy Provost Marshal
(H. E. Hobbs)

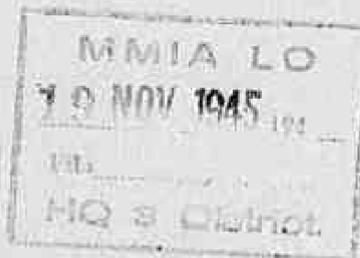
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Subject:- Italian Army Officers - Courses.

HQ 56 Area.
Ext 60.
122/Pro.
17 Nov 45.

DEP
3 District (3).



Further to this office letter 122/Pro of 10 Nov 45.

1. It is confirmed that 2/Lt RUSSO has been considered operationally vital in his present duties of training recent reinforcements to his Coy which is fully committed with the British Provost Coy on Dock duties.
2. In retaining him, 2/Lt RUSSO's Coy Comd. did so in agreement with his own Colonel who is satisfied with the arrangements made.
3. Assembly for the course in question was 10th November and it is considered that 2/Lt RUSSO might now be earmarked for a future course, when every effort will be made to free him.

Major.
A.P.M.
(H.D. HARGREAVES).

2467

SUBJECT : Disbandment of Part II (A) Units

MINIA LEANT FORCES SUB-COMM, AC. (MMMLA)
47 NOV 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District.

SD/5/2

Nov 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

promoted

No 2 and 3 Italian Traffic Control Coys.

DISBANDMENT

1. The a/m units each on WE CM/814/1, strength 3 Offrs and 109 ORs, and located at FOGGIA and VENIGALLIA, will be disbanded w.e.f. 30 Nov 45, under the supervision of HQ No 3 District.

PERSONNEL

2. Personnel are at your disposal for :
|| (a) Posting to existing vacancies in No 1 Italian T.C. Coy.
|| (b) Absorption into other units of the Italian Army.

EQUIPMENT

3. (a) British equipment will be returned to ORDNANCE under instructions to be issued by the supervisory authority. Any deficiencies will be vouchered to you in due course.
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|| HQ 711 Adm.Regt. for No2 Italian T.C. Coy.
|| HQ 712 Adm.Regt. for No3 Italian T.C. Coy.

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AUTHORITY

5. GHQ, CME letter 1074/A1 (Ser 3662) dated **246b** Nov 45 refers.

[Handwritten signature]
Major General,
MMIA.

Copy to : HQ No 3 District - MMIA LO c/o 3 District (10 BLU)

MMIA LO c/o 54 Area (9 BLU)

MMIA LO Bologna 217 Area (6 BLU)

Internal : A - Q (two) - File SD/1/4

LJNS/ab

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SUBJECT :- Italian Army Officers - Courses

LO LAND FORCES SUB COMM
AC (MMIA) 3 DISTRICT
Ref 30LO/27
Tel. Baseball 2

16 Nov 45

HQ 3 DISTRICT (Pro)

Copy to :- HQ 227 DIV (with enclosures)

2/Lt RUSSO Cesare

Reference your Pro/9/1 of 13 Nov 45.

see folios 65 for reply.

1. It is pointed out that MMIA has laid down the policy that Italian Army Officers detailed for courses at CESSANO will proceed there.
2. Unless, therefore, it is operationally vital that above named officer remain with his unit, he should be allowed to proceed.
3. In the case of his going, 227 DIV will be required to provide a replacement during his absence.

[Signature]
Capt
MMIA LO

ROB/ell
Internal
ILO (227 DIV) (with enclosures)

*copies of folios 61A
61B sent.*

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RESTRICTED

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SUBJECT:- Disbandment of Units - Italian.

5 District
Tel Ext 21
104/220A

15 Nov 45

'A' 54 Area (3)
'A' 61 Area (7)
G
Q
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MMIA LO
Land Forces Sub Commission
AC (MMIA)

MMIA LO
16 NOV 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District

- noted Bk 10/11

self-1066

2 & 3 Italian Traffic Control Companies.

Ref attached copies of GSO GPF 1074/1.1 (Ser 5662) dated 10 Nov 45.

1. Disbandment of the above named units wef 30 Nov 45, will be effected under the following supervision:-

- "A" 54 Area - No 2 Italian Traffic Control Coy
- "A" 61 Area - No 3 Italian Traffic Control Coy

2. (a) Units will be instructed to apply to Crd for disposal instructions for Ordnance stores and equipment incl arm and vehs.
- (b) The attention of the unit will be drawn to GPO 453/45 as amended by GRC 511/45.
- (c) Crd will submit a report to ADOS this HQ giving details of all vehs stating WD Nos, type and classification. This HQ only will give disposal instructions for this item.

3. Attention is directed to para 4 of the above quoted GSO GPF letter. Under no circumstances will office machinery be transferred to another unit or formation without reference to ADPSS, GSO GPF.

4. Completion report called for at para 5 of GSO GPF letter under reference will be forwarded in quadruplicate to this HQ by 1 Dec 45.

KES/IS.

603
B. M. Thomas
Col.
D. & QIG

SUBJECT :- Italian Army - Officers

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Copies sent to 224th (100/122)

MMIA
3 Dist (3)

MMIA LO
15 NOV 1945
Via 27
HQ 3 District

HQ 3 District
BASEBALL 52
PRO 9/1
13 Nov 45

2/Lieut RUSSO CESARE

*see folio 63 for reply
all also of folio 35 for further info.*

1. Attached copies of correspondence received from AFM 56 Area relative to the above mentioned officer is forwarded.
2. May it be confirmed that this officer will NOT now proceed please.

[Handwritten signature]

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Major
for Lt Col
Deputy Provost Marshal
(G. W. Ransom)

GWR/EGJ

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GIA

Subject:- 2/Lt RUSSO Cesare
No 1 Italian Pro Coy.

MMIA LO
3 NOV 1945
File 27
HQ 3 DISTRICT

HQ 56 Area.
Ext 60.
122/Pro.
10 Nov 45.

OC 513 Regt.,
S.Giovanni a Teduccio.

1. It is confirmed that it is not at present possible to release 2/Lt RUSSO for a training course at CESANO.
2. Should duties later permit it, he will be made available. Advice to this effect is being passed to MMIA via DPM 3 District.

see folio 6 SA.

Major.
A.F.M.
(H.D. FARGER)
246

COPY.

MMIA LO
13 Nov 45
File 27
HQ 56 Area

6/B

CG. fr.

513 Group Command.

Pro/2640

S.G. Teduccio 9 Nov 45.

Subject:- 2/Lt RUSSO Cesare.

To:- Capt B.A. Cheason HQ 56 Area, Naples.

1. It is impossible for this Command to substitute 2/Lt RUSSO, who has received instructions from Cesano - Rome, to attend a Training Course.
2. It is regretted that movement orders cannot be confirmed. I wish to inform you that this course has been arranged by HM with MMIA.
3. Your orders will be forwarded to HQ.

(Signed) XXXXXXXXXXXX
Colonel Commanding.
PARODI Giannetto.

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COMANDO 230^a DIVISIONE

DL/ar

UFFICIO di Commissariato

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N.732 / *com.* di prot. Firenze (P.M.219) 11 8 novembre 1945

Risposta al foglio del N. Alleg. N.

OGGETTO: Vestiario - 3^a Compagnia Controllo Traffico

Al L.O. = LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M.M.I.A.) - 3^o District

MMIA LO
3 NOV 1945 14
File 27
HQ 3 District

Riferimento foglio n. 3ELO/27 in data 6.11.1945

- 1^o- Nulla può riferire questo Comando circa la richiesta n° B/I.1351 in data 19.8.1945 inoltrata dalla 3^a Compagnia C.T. alla 209^a Divisione. Per quanto riguarda la richiesta n° B/I.1450 in data 5 settembre pervenuta a questo Comando tramite il Comando II/405, essa è stata evasa per gli oggetti disponibili (scarpe) in data 11 settembre.-
- 2^o- In data 27 settembre questo Comando ha telegrafato al 507^o Battaglione Guardie, perchè entro il 30 di quel mese il Battaglione ed i Reparti alle sue dipendenze disciplinari ed amministrative - tra i quali la 3^a Compagnia T.C. - provvedessero a prelevare presso il Magazzino Vestiario di questa Divisione gli effetti di vestiario invernali. Detto ordine telegrafico è stato successivamente confermato con circolare di questo Comando in data 29 settembre.-
- 3^o- Mentre in data 4 ottobre il 507^o Battaglione Guardie ha prelevato gli oggetti di vestiario invernali, la 3^a Compagnia T.C. non ha provveduto analogamente, benchè in data 8 ottobre fosse pervenuta a questo Comando una richiesta di quel Reparto tramite il 507^o Battaglione. Sono in corso accertamenti per stabilire se l'inconveniente è dovuto a mancata diramazione dell'ordine da parte del 507^o Battaglione od a trascuratezza del Comando della 3^a Compagnia.-
- 4^o- In data 2 novembre la 3^a Compagnia ha telegrafato a questo Comando chiedendo se fosse disponibile il vestiario richiesto. *2467* Alla stessa data questo Comando ha risposto ordinando di provvedere immediatamente al prelevamento; il che è avvenuto in data odierna per tutti gli oggetti richiesti ad eccezione delle camicie, delle calze, e dei guanti, per i quali non vi è disponibilità.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
-Ten. Col. A. *[Signature]*

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SUBJECT :- Clothing - Italian TC Coys

LO LAND FORCE HQS COMD
AC (NMIA), 3 DISTRICT
Baseball 2
Ref 3080/27

*Selfish to
to copy.*

6 Nov 45

HQ 230 DIV FLORENCE

Julio 58
Julio 58A

Copy to : - HQ 61 ARMA (your 61/A/280/1/426 of 2 Nov refers)
65 Coy GMP (TC) (your 65/TC/27 of 1 Nov refers)

1. Herewith attached clothing indents from 3 (Italian) Provost Company, forwarded to this office by DC, 65 Coy GMP (TC), for your immediate action.

2. It is stated that indents have repeatedly been submitted by 3 Provost Company to your HQ, with no results whatsoever. You will investigate and explain to this office reasons for this apparent negligence.

3. It is pointed out that HQ NMIA, in their letter 2/15/45 of 10 Oct 45, has laid down that in the issue of clothing to Provost units, particular care should be taken that the clothing issued be of good quality, in order to maintain the prestige of these units.

Julio 56.

GD
Capt
NMIA LO

ROR/ell

Internal
ILO (230 DIV)

2459

Subject:- Italian Tro Units - Clothing.

61A/PRO/1/426
2 Nov 45

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To:- MMIA LO
HQ 3 District (2)

MMIA LO	
5 NOV 1945	194
File 27	
HQ 3 District.	

see folio 59

Reference the attached correspondence and indents from 65 Coy CMP(TC) and No.3 Italian Traffic Control Coy.

The observations made by O.C. 65 Coy CMP(TC) are strongly endorsed by me. The present clothing on charge to No. 3 Italian Traffic Control Coy is extremely shabby and threadbare. The issue of a higher grade clothing to this unit is imperative if sickness is to be avoided during the coming months. It is stressed that many of these men will be performing T.C duties on mountain roads in extremely bad weather and the provision of warm clothing is essential.

Moreover, it is felt that the provision of a higher-grade clothing will do much to enhance the prestige of the Italian T.C personnel and give them added authority.

May this matter please be taken up by you with the appropriate authority and application made for the issue of this clothing to be treated as urgent.

SH

A.H. Edney
MAJOR.
Assistant Provost Marshal.
(A.H. EDNEY). HQ 61 Area.

Copy to:- O.C. 65 Coy CMP(TC)

2458

Subject:- Italian Troop Unit - Clothing.

61A/30/1/426
2 Nov 45

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HQ 3 District (2)

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MAJOR.

Assistant Provost Marshal.
(A.H. NIBBEY). HQ 64 Area.

Copy to:- O.C. 65 Coy GMP(TO)

2457

58A

SUBJECT:- Clothing - T C Companies

65/TC/27

1 Nov 45

To:- Land Forces Sub Commission. A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ROME.

MMIA LO
5 NOV 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District

see folios 59

Reference your letter of the 10 Oct 45 to M.M.I.A. LO. 3 District.

I have under command No. 3 Italian Traffic Control Company, and at the time of writing, the clothing position in this Company is extremely critical.

Under normal circumstances this Company is under the administration of 230 Division, FLORENCE, but the Italian Company Commander has repeatedly submitted indents for clothing to this Division with no results whatever.

I am therefore forwarding the attached indents for clothing required to you, in the hope that you may be able to authorise 227 Division to make these issues, as that Division would appear to have stocks available.

I should like to point out once more, that the No.3 Italian T C Company is employed at all times on Traffic Control Duties, two detachments in particular at FABRIANO and FOLIGNO, living under particularly hard conditions, and it is essential that this clothing should be issued.

Your assistance in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

OMF
PMB/LAW

Sub Browne
Captain
Officer Commanding
65 Company CMP(TC)

Copy to APM HQ 61 AREA.

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10M Pads J/441 1/45 24 HDPSS PO 785

ARMY FORM C 348
(L 100 in duplicate)

*fill
of 10/15/95*

MEMORANDUM

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(Large)

Sender's Reference <i>SD/6/2</i>	Receiver's Reference <i>30-1/27</i>	Date <i>20 OCT 95</i>
From <i>MMIA</i>	TO: <i>Maj W.</i>	

Subject: Disbandment:-

extract ~~1~~ ⁽³⁾
Serial. 6. 4989th TC Coy.

to be disbanded w ef 1 Oct.

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Subject:- Special clothing for
Pro Personnel.

MMIA LO
11 OCT 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
Q/15/11

MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT.

10 Oct 45.

folio 54.

*see folio 58A
+ 59.*

Ref. your 3DLO/27 of 2 Oct.

It is regretted that it is impossible to change the policy of only issuing low grade clothing to Italian Units (apart from Combat Units.)

However, it is suggested that when 227 Div submits its bi-monthly indent (Stock State), special reference should be made to the quantity of clothing required in specially good condition for Pro-personnel.

A.M. Newton

Major,
DAQMG,
M.M.I.A.

Copy: 227 Div.

Internal
Q/OS

AMN/ab

*Seen, checked
17/10/45
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SUBJECT :- Surplus Stores.

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HQ 3 District

L.O. 3 District

M.M.I.A. 3 District

ARM 56 Area

CG No 1 Italian Pro Coy

MMIA LO
5 OCT 1945 191
File 27
HQ 3 District.

HQ 3 District

BASEBALL 52

PRO 61/11

5 Oct 45

No 1 Italian Pro Coy

1. The above mentioned unit is now carrying out Police duties in 56 Area, but its functions are being severely hampered because a typewriter is not provided for on the G. 1098.

2. It is submitted that this item of office equipment is essential in a unit dealing with disciplinary matters, and it is requested that authority be granted for the unit to hold a typewriter in excess of establishment.

3. Certificate of non-availability from Italian Sources is attached.

Major.

For Lt Col.

Deputy Provost Marshal.

(G. W. Ranacca).

GRV/RT.

603

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SUBJECT :- Special Clothing for Pro Personnel

LO LAND FORCE SUB COMM
AC (MMIA) 3 DISTRICT
Baseball 2
Ref 3DLO/27

2 Oct 45

File

LAND FORCES SUB COMM AC (MMIA) ROME

Copy to :- 227 DIV

please reply.

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2. The object is to raise and maintain the prestige and authority of these troops in the eyes of British and Italian military personnel and others with whom they have to deal.
3. 227 DIV assure me, and I can confirm from what I have seen, that the clothing now coming into their depot does NOT meet this requirement.
4. I request that a special arrangement be made to supply these units with new or at any rate specially selected high grade outer clothing.
5. The items of the scale to which this provision should apply are :-
 - Blouses BD
 - Trousers ED
 - Cap, field
 - Overcoat
 - Belts, webb, waist
 - Anklets
 - Boots
6. The requirement for intitial issue and wastage is shown at Appx A.

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7. 3 DISTRICT are prepared to support this request to AFHQ, if you think it would help.

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higher taken from file of this 90

WMA
Moj
MMIA LO

GPH/ell
Internal
PRO
ILO (227 DIV)

COMPARISON REQUIREMENTS FOR POLICE AND TRAFFIC CONTROL COMPANIES

Unit (a)	Location (b)	Strength		Immediate requirements of complete unit (e)
		IS (c)	Present (d)	
1st Italian Police School	ROME	72	60	60
7 Traffic Control Company	ROME	112	110	110
1 " " " "	ANCONA (PROV. LITerno)	112	112	112
2 " " " "	BOLOGNA	112	100	100
1 Police Company	BOLOGNA	100	55	55
2 " " (Special V.P.)	CHIVASSO	116	100	100
Total		624	575	575

CLASSIFIED REQUIREMENTS FOR POLICE AND MARINE
CONTROL COMPANIES

APR 68 to
MAY 67 Total
600 45

Location	Strength		Candidate requirements of complete scale	Requirement to cover vacancy for the month (complete scale)
	(a)	(b)		
(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
RES	72	60	60	9
RES	112	110	110	16
RES (RESERVE)	112	112	112	17
RES	112	108	108	16
RES	100	85	85	15
RES	116	100	100	15
Total	604	575	575	86

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2 1945
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MEDY V LROF NR6726 IMPORTANT QVR1/3
FROM MMIA 281550A
TO DISTHREE

BR CADRE 807 TRANSIT CAMP RAVISCANINA
INFO DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO
CMP TRAINING DEPOT

MMIA LO
29 SEP 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District.

GR58 BT
A1313 UNCLASSIFIED

ITALIAN WING C M P TRG DEPOT REQUIRES 50 REINFORCEMENTS FOR
TRAINING FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL COYS (.) AS TI// THIS CHIEFLY
CONCERNS 227 DIVISION REQUEST TAT// ~~WHAT~~ THESE BE PROVIDED
FROM PERSONNEL NOW AT R A ~~V I S C A N I N A~~ (.)
C M P TRG DEPOT WILL COLLECT 5 OR 6 OCTOBER (.) REQUEST
FACILITIES BE GIVEN FOR REPRESENTATIVE OF C M P TRG DEPOT TO ASSIST
IN SELECTION OF SUITABLE MEN

BT 281550A
SENT ST BB KK

RD EP 1820 B2 K

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This number has
already been set right
[Signature]

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IMPORTANT

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MILKIN

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MILKIN

ITALIAN LO HQ No 3 District *lvm 57*

35/IXO/121

14 Sept 45

Subject : Rfts - Italian TC Coys.

PRO

MMIA LO

MMIA LO
15 SEP 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District

*file 8
folio 32*

1. In order to maintain the Italian TC Coys up to WE str plus 20 per cent (see 764/G of 11 Sept 45) HQ 227 Div is suggesting that a special course be started at GMP Trg School.
2. In view of the demobilisation of older classes (1916 and 1917 and shortly 1918 and 1919) this matter is considered urgent.
3. Will you please consider this proposal and inform this Office of the provisions taken.

OV/nr

Lo *Fiscanti*
 (M.A. GILZO) Lt Col
 Chief ITALIAN LO.

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FORM C-216 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Call Sgl. No. Priority Transmission Instructions

190197

10 SEP 1945

(51)

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A)

APN 56 AREA

Date - Time of Origin 09 1300

Q 56 AREA

For Action

MMIA LO
10 SEP 1945
No. 27
HQ 3 District

A 56 AREA (W) For Information (IN (2)) MMIA LO DISTRICT

Message Instructions

GR

Originator's No.

PM 451 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) REF YOUR Q02736 OF
25 AUG (.) 1 ITALIAN COY GCP (P) ARRIVED NAPLES
9 SEPT (.) LOCATION REGIA BOUGIA MEDIA 195 SALVATORE
ROSA NAPLES (.) MAP REF TOWN PLAN NAPLES 1:10,000
201500

MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN
BY MEANS

W. Shacker
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IF LABEL TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS
DEGREE OF PRIORITY

Time System Op

THI or TOR

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Time cleared

MESSAGE FORM In Lieu of 02136

FROM THREE 051610 B

FOR ACTION

227 Italian iv; Mov NAPLES; MMIA

FOR INFORMATION

56 Area FD 11048

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MMIA LO
 7 - SEP 194
 HQ 3 District.

SD 209 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) ref my SD 63 of 24 aug (.) 1 Italian copy CMP E.T.A. Naples 2100 hrs 8 Sep (.)

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

Sgd. *[Signature]*

Copy to: Q: Pro; MMIA LO; LIO (227); Mov IO.

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N IIA LO
29 AUG 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District

(49)

OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM : MMIA DATE TIME
 27 1645 B

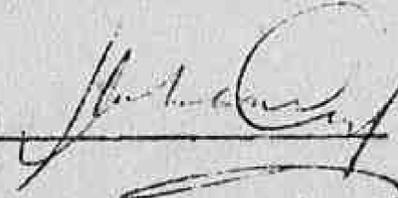
TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO : RAAC
 DISTHREE FOR MMIA LO ✓
 54 AREA FOR MMIA LO
 PENSOUTH FOR MMIA LO

REF : SD 2922 UNCLASSIFIED

ONE ITALIAN COY CMP STRENGTH PERSONNEL
64 WILL MOVE 7 SEPT OR SOONEST AFTER BY RAIL
FROM CATANIA TO NAPLES (.)
ON ARRIVAL COMES UNDER OP COMD 56 AREA
LOCAL ADM 227 ITALIAN DIV

PRECEDENCE ROUTINE

AUTHENTICATED 

INTERNAL: A
 Q (Two)
 MOV (Two)

FILE : SD/5/1
 SD/5/2

jw

2446

MESSAGE FORM

In Lieu of C 2136

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FROM

DISTRESS

2/1/50

FOR ACTION

BTSKY AFHQ (63 Orig AMO) Mov REGGIO

TO

FOR INFORMATION

56 AREA MMIA Mov NAPLES 227 ITALIAN Div

see folio 50

MMIA LO
24 AUG 1945 ₉₄
File 27
HQ 3 District

ED 63 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) first (.) for BTSKY (.) 1 ITALIAN coy CMP (P) str person-
nel 64 will leave 7 sep or soonest after by rail under arrangements Mov REGGIO from
CATANIA to NAPLES (.) on arrival comes under op comd 56 area local edm 227 ITALIAN
div rep report to AFHQ 56 area (.) second (.) for AFHQ (.) request you arrange rail
lift required

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

Sgtl.....

Copy to: 2 Pro MMIA LO. ITALIAN LO. Mov LO.

MMIA LO
22 AUG 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District.

W
SUBJECT: Conversion of Italian Ex-Cooperator Units

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

SD/5/2

Aug 45

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TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1 COOPERATOR COMPANY CMP (PRO)
2 COOPERATOR COMPANY CMP (V.P.)

1. Authority is given for the conversion and redesignation of the above mentioned units with effect from 1 Jul 45. 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 No. 11 Territorial HQ., Palermo.
3. Equipment will conform to basic equipment List No. 6058/7. The vehicle entitlement of 1 Italian Provost Coy (1 Cooperator Coy CMP (PRO)) will be implemented without restriction.
4. Authority for this conversion is AFHQ letter G-1(Br)/1026/A.1 (Ser.2905) of 14 Aug 45.

di.

Major General
Major General
MMIA

Copy to: MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT
MMIA LO FENSOUTH
MMIA LO SICILY

Internal: A (Two)
Q (Two)

2444

WS

APPENDIX "A"
SD/5/2 DATE

PRESENT DESIGNATION	PRESENT W.E.	OFFRS	ORS	TPT	NEW DESIGNATION	NEW W.E.	OFFRS	ORS	TPT
1 Cooperator Coy CMP (PRO)	CM/408/1	2	97	-	1 Ital. Provost Coy	CM/408/2	2	98	1
2 Cooperator Special Coy CMP (PRO)	CM/409/1	2	112	-	2 Ital. Spec. Coy (V.P.)	CM/1512/	3	113	-

* Unit Tpt remains on CM/409/1 under British Cadre

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APPENDIX "A" TO MMIA LETTER
SD/5/2 DATED 2 AUGUST 1945

OFFRS	ORS	TPT	NEW DESIGNATION	NEW W.E.	OFFRS	ORS	TPT	LOCATION	SUPERVISING AUTHORITY
2	97	-	1 Ital. Provost Coy	CM/408/2	2	98	1 Veh	CATANIA	3 DIST
2	112	-	2 Ital. Spec. Coy (V.P.)	CM/1512/	3	113	--*	CATANIA	3 DIST

British Cadre

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MMIA LO
21 AUG 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District.

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MEBY V LROF NR 1882

QVR 2

FROM MMIA 20 1525B

TO MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO BISTHREE FOR MMIA LO : 55 AREA FOR MMIA LO

GR -- BT

SB2906 UNCLASSIFIED

ROAD PARTY 6 ITALIAN TC COMPANY STRENGTH 2 OFFRS 35 ORS 22 MCS 7
15-:CWTS: WILL MOVE SOONEST UNDER UNIT ARRANGEMENTS FROM OTTAVIANO FROM
UNDER COMD BISTHREE TO MESTRE TO UNDER COMD 13 CORPS ALL PURPOSES (.)
REMAINDER OF UNIT WILL MOVE BY RAIL WEEK 20-26 AUGUST

BT 20 1525B

SENT NR 1882 " SLW " WPCUB/20 B K

R/ 2019
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MMIA LO
191
File 27
HQ 3 District.

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MESSAGE FORM

In lieu of AF C2136
OFFICE DATE STAMP

FROM (A) ORIGINATOR DISTRICT DATE & TIME 10 11 B

FOR ACTION

TO 56 AREA: MOV NAPLES: Message Instrs GR

FOR INFORMATION

13 CORPS: 227 ITALIAN DIV:
Copy to: A: G: From: MMIALO: ITALIAN IO: MOV LO:

SD 900 (.) RESTRICTED (.) ref AMHQ FX 33666 of 9 aug NOT to all (.) 6 ITALIAN
TO Coy will move from OTTAVIANO to MESTRE as follows (.)
first (.) rd party str offrs 2 OR 35 vehs 7 MB 22 soonst under unit
arrangements (.)
second (.) balance of coy by rail period 20 - 26 aug under arrangements MOV
NAPLES (.)
third (.) CSM BHT increment of coy ahead to AFM 86 area (.)
on arrival coy comes under comd 13 corps for all purposes

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

Originators Instructions
Degree of Priority

Time System OP
THI or TOR
Time cleared

sgd. *KW*

2441

Tel-Baseball 2.

444

Subject:- Stores for 6 and 7 T.C.Coys.

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

Ref. 3DLO/27. ✓

27 July 45.

To:- Depot and Training Est.C.M.P.

AG/BA-17/45.

1. Herewith an authorization notice from MMIA for stores against the G 1098 Scale of 6 and 7 T.C. Coys that are available from It. Army stocks.

2. Also find copies of your original indents countersigned by MMIA where items are NOT available from IT.Army Stocks.

3. Indents at para 2 should be placed as they stand on area/sub area for transmission to Q(AE) 3 District.

[Signature] Maj.
MMIA. LO.
3 District.

GPH/agn

2449

(43)

Subject:- INDENTS - BRITI
TC Coys.

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MMIA LO
22 JUL 1945 194
File 27
HQ 3 District.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
Q/OS/29

MMIA LO 3 DISTRICT

20 July 45.

folio 42 -

Ref. your 3 DLO/27 of 16 July 45.

1. Indents from 6 and 7 Italian TC Coys are returned herewith - certified where applicable as not available from Italian sources.

2. Items available from Italian stocks - as marked on indents - have been released under AUTHORISATION SERVICE serial number AQ/BR-ITI/105 dated 18 July 45, a copy of which has been forwarded to you.

folio 43
see folios.

W.A. Badcock

W.A. BADCOCK, Major
for Col. DA & QMG,
M.M.I.A.

WAB/ab

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SUBJECT :- Stores for BR-ITI TC Coys

AC'S
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3DLO/27
Baseball 2

file

16 Jul 45

LAND FORCES SUB COMM AC (MMIA) ROME

1. May your certification of non-availability from Italian Stocks be added to the att indents please.

2. It would be appreciated if the matter could be considered urgent.

*Unit No
ITC/50*

from Depots Inq Exr CMP.

*folio 43
authorised*

[Signature]
Major
MMIA LO
3 DISTRICT
2438

Subject:- Issues to Italian Military

3 District
BASEBALL 116
OS2/2612(97)

3 July '45

H.M.I.A. 3 District

file

1. Attached indents and correspondence received from O.O. Sicily are forwarded for your attention.

MMIA LO
3 JUL 1945 <i>VA</i>
File <u>27</u>
HQ 3 District

125 #

A. J. Goodchild
Col. *copy*
DECS.
(A. J. GOODCHILD)

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*let this file
be a heavy 93 bound*

2437

(COPY)

42A

Subject:- Issues to Italian Co-operators

O.O., SICILY
Ref:- H/C/26

D.D.O.S.,
3 District, C.M.F.

MEMO	LO
3 Jul	115
Fr: 27	
HQ 3	District

14 June, 45

The attached indent is forwarded for your observations please.

Previous supplies have been obtained through Local Purchase channels, at a cost of 470 Lire each.

Signed ??????????
Capt.
O.O., SICILY

2436

(COPY)

Subject:- Issues to Italian

O.O., SICILY
Ref:- H/C/26

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D.D.O.S. 3 District

MMIA LO
3 Jul 1945
HQ 3 District.

27 June 45

NT

Your OS2/2012(95) dated 18th June, 45 refers.

Previous supplies of the stores in question were obtained through Local Purchase A.D.O.S. 56 Area.

It is understood that further supplies are not available, can you assist from the Mainland, please.

Signed ????????????

Capt.
O.O., SICILY

2435

WES/84/1341 Form Pads 1/63 CHG&Co Ltd. 51-50

INDENT FOR ORDNANCE STORES.

12 JUN 45

ARMY FORM G. 941

UNIT'S No. DATE * NORMAL.
 96 7th JUNE 45 ~~XXXXXX~~

† DATE STORES REQUIRED

A.D.O.S. No. 16237/134

* CONTROL No.

UNIT
 (Show address for correspondence)

ADDRESS FOR STORES

No 2 CO-OPERATOR SPECIAL COY
 C.M.P.(V.P.)

O. O. B.T.S.C.Y.

Part or Catalogue No.	VOCABULARY SECTION:— Designation of articles required	Quantity required	* Price	Establishment or authorized proportions	In possession		Quantities received & date
					Stores	Units	
	GIBBONS - ITALIAN ARMY	100					
	CAPS S.D. (IT. CO-OPERATOR) SIZE 6 ⁷ / ₈	20					
	" " " " " 7	20					
	" " " " " 7 ¹ / ₄	10					
	FLASHES V.P.	30					
	" PRU	30					

I certify that the following articles are actually required to complete to authorized scale:—
 (a) As a first supply; (b) To replace others lost through casualties of the campaign;
 (c) To replace others rendered unserviceable through the casualties of the campaign.

Approved for issue:—

Signed W. Thomas 213rd Capt.
 Commanding No 2 Co-operator Spec. Coy C.M.P.(V.P.)

Capt. O. O. Reilly

* For R.A.O.C. use.
 † To be inserted on continuation or urgent indents. State reason for urgency.



SUBJECT:- Formation of New Units - Italian.

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(AE) 3 District.

MMIA LO
28 JUN 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District.

HQ 3 District,
BASEBALL 51
PRO 61/1.

Ord 3 District.
MMIA (IO) 3 District.
Provost Marshal (Br) AFHQ.
Comdt Depot & Trg Est CMP.

28 Jun '45.
\$99
\$6

Nos. 6 and 7 Italian Traffic Control Coy.

1. With reference to 3 District Ord letter OS/180/13(9) of 22 Jun 45 and this office letter pro 61/1 of 23 Jun 45. — 38
2. Desuds are forwarded herewith in accordance with para 3 of Ord letter quoted above. — 39

CHWER/WCEL.

Have these been
been
think not

[Signature]
Major.
for Lt Col.
Deputy Provost Marshal.
(G W Ranson).
about on duty

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SUBJECT :- Formation of New Units - Italian

Handwritten: 23/6

Genl. C&P Depot & T.R.

HQ 3 District
BASEBALL 52
PRO 61/1
23 JUN '45

Ord 3 Dist
G(AB) 3 Dist
MMIA 3 Dist
Provost Marshal (Dr) AMHQ

Handwritten: 38

Reference HQ 3 District Ord letter 08/180/13(9)
of 22nd inst.

In accordance with para 3 of the above mentioned
letter, please arrange to forward necessary demands to this
office for onward transmission to 'Q' Branch this HQ.

Signature
Major
For Lt Col
Deputy Provost Marshal
(G. W. Hanson)

CWR/BSJ

2432

MMIA 18
23 JUN 1945
IN
No. 27
HQ 3 District

(38)

SUBJECT:- Formation of New Units - Italian

125-22/4

3 District
Baseball Ext 116
OS/180/13 (9)

June 45

'Pro' 3 Dist

DOS AFHQ
Copy to:- Provost Marshal (Br) AFHQ - your AF/PM/68 of 12 June refers.
Comd Depot and Training Est CDP
Q(AE) 3 Dist
MMIA LO 3 Dist (2) -

NT

No. 6 & 7 Italian Traffic Control Companies

Reference your PRQ/61/4 dated 15 June and attached correspondence.

1. It is noted that Q(AE) AFHQ under their letter AFHQ/9187/Q(AE) dated 10 June, state that no special authority is necessary for units to draw stores from British sources.

2. As this statement conflicted with definite instructions that had previously been given this Directorate, the undersigned visited AFHQ on the 20th June and placed the facts before DOS.

Further consultation between DOS representative (Major BRWISTLE) and Q(AE), confirms that the AFHQ letter referred to above is out of order, and the following drill will be applied.

3. Demands which have not been met by MMIA will be submitted to Q of District, who will forward them to Q(AE) AFHQ. That office will give the authority for the items to be either -

(a) drawn from British Ord Depots

or (b) a bulk transference of stocks to the Italian War Ministry.

4. It is hoped that this letter clarifies the position, and you can be assured that Ord 3 Dist will do all possible to assist in the satisfactory equipping of all Units.

MMIA LO
22 JUN 1945
194
File 27
HQ 3 District.

H. R. Coleman 2431

Col
DOS
(H. R. COLEMAN)

10 VIA 10
5 - JUN 1945 194
File 27
HQ 3 District.

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SUBJECT:- Enquiries.

Cond Depot & T E., GMP.

Provost Marshal (Br) AMHQ.
MEGA LO 3 District.

HQ 3 District,
BISHALL St.
Pro 61/4.

5 Jun '45.

1. It has been represented to this office that on the 5 Oct 44., Lt Col NICCOLAI, Officer commanding 7 Italian Traffic Control Co., arrived at OTTAVIANO with adraft of Italians for posting to the Depot. Lt Col. NICCOLAI was stated to be travelling in an Italian Military Car (Civil Type FIAT 508 GM) with the No ME 39637.
2. On arrival, the above mentioned vehicle was said to be in need of repair, and was taken over by the GMP Depot and retained despite requests that it should be returned to its original owner.
3. It has now been requested from Italian sources, that the position relative to the holding of the vehicle should be regularised.
4. Will you forward to this office any details you might have, with reference to this incident, please.

Sid fo 29

Howslany
Lt Col.
Deputy Provost Marshal,
(H V Metally). 2439

GWR/HIP.

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ITALIAN LO HQ 3 District

6/ILO/57

29 May 45

Subject : Italian Car - 7 TC Bn.

MMIA LO
30 MAY 1945
194
File 27
HQ 3 District.

file

PRO
MMIA LO

1. The Rear Party of 7 TC Bn is informing that on 5 Oct 44 Lt Col NICCOLAI, OC of the a/n Bn, went to OTTAVIANO to escort a draft of Italian soldiers posted to that Wing, with a Military Car (Civil Type FIAT, C.M.) No R.E. 39637.
2. At OTTAVIANO the a/m veh, which is 1/c of 7 TC Bn, broke down and was recovered by CMP Depot & T.E., that refused thereafter to give it back.
3. Being now necessary to regularize the position of that veh, will you please either order its release to CMP Depot or supply a receipt of it, addressed to :-

UFFICIO STRALCIO - VII BTG MOVIMENTO STRADALE
GIOVINAZZO (BARI)

4. In both cases please inform this Office of provisions taken.

Phelipo
to find out
write memo
veh Bh Red by CLO
sent to depot (H.P.W. det)
2429
MB Zizzo
(M.A. ZIZZO) Lt Col
Chief ITALIAN LO
Text

OV/nn

164271

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REF V LROF NR3696

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FROM M M I A 160900E
TO DISTHREE
GR18 BT

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~~REF~~ Q/OS/209. RESTRICTEX.
FOR M M I A L O REF YOUR 3 DLO/27 OF 07.
~~SAFETY~~ SAFETY RAZORS NOT ~~HI~~ AVAILABLE FROM
ITALIAN SOURCES

BT 160900E

SENT NR3696 1240E MYERS BE KKj

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2428

7 MAY 1945

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MEDY V LR0F NR845 P P

FROM MMIA 07 1030B

TO DISTHREE

GR13 BT

Q/OS/191 RESTRICTED

MMIA LO
7 - MAY 1945
HQ 3 District.

FOR MMIA LO (.) REF YOUR SIG E D

379 (.) RAZORS NOT AVAILABLE

BT 07 1030B



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SENT AT - 1320B DP BBB KKK

R 845 1317 SC EBB

2427

Subject: Razors for TC personnel.

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

3B10/27
Baseball 2
7 May 45.

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25
Wins 28-36

Ref my signal EB 379 of 5 May 45.

Herewith copy of indent submitted
~~direct~~ to War Ministry.

HPS
Major,
MMIA IO,
3 District.

2426

MMIALO DISTHREE

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05 1000E

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MMIA

Miss 28-26

EB 379 (.) may release for 124 razors be granted for
TC pers and coys now forming CMP depot and trg est (.) unit is now
fwd routine request to WARMIN

[Handwritten signature]

Routine

2425

MMIA LO
23 APR 1945 191
NAPLES MILITARY TERRITORIAL HQ
HQ 3 District, ~~Office~~

25 22
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522 24

6/8413/1626 mov U.

19 APR 45

HQ No 3 District (following 6/5658/1464
Mov U of 15 Mar 45)

HQ 227 Division (Ref your 03/2166/ris. of 28 mar)

HQ FBS has not agreed to the posting of
Capt PETRUCELLI TIBERIO to GMP Depot & Trg Est in
OTTAVIANO.

This HQ has therefore requested to Italian
War Ministry the appointment of a different regular
Captain in replacement of Lt. RICCIUTI.

Sgd. (E. COCCO) Lt Col
for C of D.

ITALIAN LO

AP/89/A

22 APR 45

PRO (following our AP/66 of 23 Mar)

MMIA LO (copy of AP/66 attached)

M. A. Zizzo
(M. A. ZIZZO) Lt Col
Chief I LO 224

NAPLES TERRITORIAL HQ
Personnel Office

6/5658/1464 Mov U.
15 March 45

24 A
HQ No 3 DISTRICT

Ref your dated 2 Feb without ref No.

Subject : Capt PETRUCCELLI TIBERIO - Cavalry Reg Offr.

Capt PETRUCCELLI is at present attached to
No 1 Drivers Bn, under comd 212 Adm Div.

HQ PBS has been on this same date contacted
through the Italian LO PBS in order to have the agree-
ment to the posting of the a/n Offr to CMP Trg Est at
OTTAVIANO.

Sgd A. BONELLI - Col
C of S.

I LO HQ No 3 DISTRICT

AP / 66

23 Mar 45

PRO

Sgd (M.A. ZIZZO) Lt Col
Chief I LO

2423

SUBJECT:- Welfare - Italian Army.

23

3DLO/27

Baseball 2

9 Apr 45

103 Coy C M P (TC)

- 21

Reference your CLS/W dated 6 Apr 45.

An organisation has recently been set up for the provision of welfare amenities to the Italian Army. For the moment this organisation is concentrating on tps stationed in the ops zone.

Details may be obtained, however, from 227 Div Welfare Officer, Maggiore. FAZIO, c/o ADAWS, HQ 3 District, on specific points.



Major,
MMIA LO,
3 District.

2422

SUBJECT:- VD Precautions.

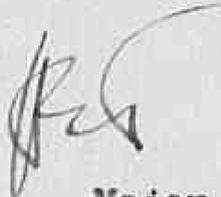
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3DLC/27
Baseball 2
9 Apr 45

103 Coy C M P (TC)

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Reference your CLS/C/ITN dated 6 Apr 45.

It is regretted that at present no system exists for the issue of prophylactic stores to BR-ITI personnel.

You will be informed as and when these become available.


Major,
MMIA LO,
3 District.

2421

SUBJECT :- Welfare - Italians.

To :- Major Thrupp,
Italian Liaison Officer,
HQ 3 District.

MMIA LO
9 APR 1945
File
HQ 3 District.

21
CLS/W.

25/4

1. It has been brought to my notice that Welfare for Italian Soldiers is available.
2. May I please have details of same.

field.
6 April 45
CLS/PNG

W. Smith

Captain.
Commanding 103 Coy CMP (TC).

SUBJECT :- VD - Precautions.

To :- Major Thrupp,
Italian Liaison Officer.
HQ 3 District.

MMIA LO
9 APR 1945 ⁰⁴
File <u>27</u>
HQ 3 District.

CONFIDENTIAL.

CLS/C/ITN.

May this office please be informed as to the method of obtaining preventitives against VD as three men in the past have been admitted to hospital with this decease.

Field.
6 April 45
CLS/PNG


Captain.
Commanding 103 Coy GMP (TC)..

2429

Subject: Certificate of Non-availability.

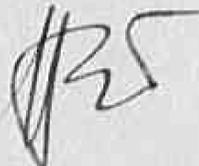
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3DIO/27
Baseball 2
4 Apr 45.

CMP Depot & Trg Est.

It is certified that the following articles are
not available from Italian Army sources:-

Safety Razors.


Major,
NWIA EO,
3 District.

2428

SUBJECT:- Caps SD, Stiff - Italian TC Coys.

3DLO/27

Baseball 2

27 Mar 45

18

CMP Depot & Trg Est.

Herewith copy of 3 District letter 485 Q dated 17 Mar., as requested.

Major,
MMIA LO,
3 District.

C O P Y

SUBJECT:- Caps SD, Stiff - Italian TC Coys.

3 District
Baseball 15/Dial 10752
485 Q

17 Mar 45

Pro.

Ord
MMIA LO.

Ref this HQ 485 Q of 9 Mar 45

1. Authority is given under AFHQ/9170/3/Q(AE) of 13 Mar 45 for issue of the following to Italian TC personnel. **2427**

Caps SD Stiff (1 per OR) ;..... Qty 436
Covers Cap White (2 per OR)..... Qty 872

2. Indents will be submitted through normal channels quoting the above AFHQ authority.

Sgnd. J. NUTTALL Maj.
for DA & QMG

SUBJECT:- Certificate of Non-availability.

3DLO/27
Baseball 2
27 Mar 45

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CMP Depot & Trg Est.

It is certified that the following articles are
not available from Italian Army sources :-

Caps SD, Stiff.
Covers Cap, White.


Major,
MMIA IO,
3 District.

2426

MESSAGE ORG

In lieu of # 02136

FROM	Originator	Date & Time	Office Date Stamp
(A)	DISTONE	27 1540 A	16

For ACTION

56 AREA; MOVWIT;

TO

Message Instrs

GR

For INFORMATION

DISTONE: 227 DIV

copy: A: Q: Exo: MMIA LO: ✓
227 DEV LO

MMIA LO
28 MAR 1945 194
File 27
HQ 3 District

SD 58 (.) SECRET (.) ref AFHQ FX 50175 of 26 max NOT to all (.) & ITALIAN TC
copy will move as follows from OTTAVIANO to ARCONA (.) rd party str offx 1 OR 51
under unit arrangements earliest (.) non mob portion approx str offx 1 OR 58 by
week period 26 max 1 apr under arrangements MOVWIT (.) on arrival comm under
comm 1 dist all purposes

If liable to be intercepted
or to fall into enemy hands
this message must be sent IN
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Originator's Instruction
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Askiner Capt RA.

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM (A)	Originator DISTONE	Date & Time 27 1945 A	In lieu of W 02136 Office Date Stamp
FOR ACTION 56 AREA: MOVWIT;		16 1	
TO		Message Instrs GB	
FOR INFORMATION DISTONE: 227 DIV copy: A: G: Proc: MMIA ID: ✓ 227 DIV LO		MMIA LO 28 MAR 1945 1945 File 27 HQ 3 District	
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[Signature] Capt RA.		IMPORTANT	

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I LO 3 DISTRICT HQ

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MMIA LO
28 MAR 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District.

26 March 45

Subject - Equipment - 1 TC Coy.

PRO

MMIA LO

1. HQ 227 Div informed that the personnel of No 1 Italian TC Coy is still lacking of the following items :-

Gloves, leather, MT	pairs	23
Goggles, pear shaped, MT	No	22
Helmet, crash, motorcyclists	"	22
Coats, rubberproofed	"	22
Pantaloon	"	22
Boots, motor cyclists	pairs	22
Jerkins, leather, No 2 Cam.	No	29

which are included in G 1098 scale for Italian TC Coys.

2. As these items are not available from 227 Div Sub-Depot, may the issue of these items be authorized please directly through the British CMP Coy employing the a/m unit, and this Office informed accordingly.

3. HQ 227 Div letter 04/601 of 23 March to I LO refers.

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(M.A. ZIEGLER) Lt Col
Chief I LO

2424

Subject:- Indents for G1098 stores.

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3DLO/27

Baseball 2
21 Mar 45.

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

Herewith a copy of an indent submitted to War Ministry by CMP Depot & Trg Est on behalf of No. 5 Italian TC Coy in respect of G1098 stores for that coy now about to be formed

May release be expedited please.

[Handwritten signature]

2423

Major,
MMIA LO,
3 District.

SUBJECT:- Certificate of Non-availability.

URGENT

3DLO/27
Baseball 2
19 Mar 45

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103 Coy. CMP, TC.

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Ref your Q/3/10 dated 19 Mar 45.

It is certified that the following articles
are not available from Italian Army sources :-

Gloves, leather - Drivers.
Goggles - DR.
Weatherproof coats - DR.
Breeches - DR
Top Boots - DR
Jerkins, leather.
(Housewives, *not immediately available*)

Rpt Major,
MMIA IO,
3 District.

2422

SUBJECT : Italian Units - Clothing and Equipment.

M.M.I.A., D.O.,
H.Q., 3 District.

MMIA LO
19 MAR 1945 PM
HQ 3 District

URGENT.
1/3/10
19
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1/3/10

Ref 3DLO/27 dated 8 March 45

May a certificate please be forwarded to the effect that the following articles are not available from Italian Stocks :-

- Gloves, Leather - Drivers.
- Goggles - D.R.
- Weatherproof Coats - D.R.
- Breeches - D.R.
- Top Boots - D.R.
- Jerkins, Leather.
- Housewives.

Field,
19/3/45
CLS/CRM

B.L. Smith
Captain,
Commanding, 103 Coy. G.M.F.(TC).

2421

SUBJECT:- Equipment Indents on War Ministry.

3DIO/27

Baseball 2

18 Mar 45

Land Forces Sub Comd. AC.
(MIA) Rome.

Herewith information copy of an indent placed by Depot & Trg Est. C M P , on War Ministry in respect of equipment for 4 TC Coy., now forming there.

May expediting action please be taken?


Major,
MIA LO,
3 District.

2420

SUBJECT :- Caps SD Stiff. Italian Traffic Control Coys

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MMIA LO
18 MAR 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District

3 District
Baseball 15/Dial 10752
485 Q

17 Mar 45

Pro

Ord
MMIA LO

Handwritten: 1273
⑦

Ref this HQ 485 Q of 9 Mar 45.

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1. Authority is given under AFHQ/9170/3/C(AB) of 13 Mar 45 for issue of the following for Italian IO personnel :-

Caps SD Stiff (1 per OR)qty 436.
Covers Cap White (2 per OR)qty 872.

2. Indents will be submitted through normal channels quoting the above AFHQ authority.

Handwritten signature: Luman.

(J. MUSTALL) Maj 2419
for Col
DA & OMC

JR/bak

CO. MANDO DELLA 227 DIVISIONE
S.M. - Sez. I^a

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N° 04/*549* di prot.
OGGETTO : Richiesta vestiario

P.M. 3400 li 13 marzo 1945

ALL'UFFICIO DI COLLEGAMENTO M.M.I.A. 3^o DISTRETTO = NAPOLI

Riferimento foglio 3 DLO/37 dell'1 corr.

Si trasmettono, in duplice copia, per il visto, 2 richieste di vestiario della I^a Comp. Controllo Traffico, già evase da questo Comando in esito all'autorizzazione fornita col foglio a riferimento.

Si comunica inoltre che il reparto interessato ha, all'atto del prelevamento, versato pari quantitativi di capi di corredo f.u.-



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

U. Scotto Lavina
2418

Subject:- Clothing - Italian T.C. Coys.

27
3DLO/37
1 Mar 45.

H.Q. 227 Div.

Copy: Pro.
MMIA LO 54 Area.

Authority has been received from MMIA to issue fresh suits of Battle Dress and pairs of boots to Italian T.C. personnel where those items in their possession have become shabby. *alush*

You are therefore requested to arrange these exchanges as soon as possible bearing in mind that they will be on a "one for one" basis and that personnel will NOT be clothed in excess of authorized scale.

Items of clothing exchanged will be taken into stock by you as u/s unless they are still in sufficiently good condition to warrant their reissue.

Will MMIA LO 54 Area please authorize similiar exchanges for Italian T.C. personnel under comd 230 Div. (telephone conversation NOAKES - THRUPP of 28 Feb refers).

Please give assistance to unit reps collecting fresh items in obtaining the most presentable clothing possible.

H5 2417
Major,
MMIA LO,
3 District.

SUBJECT :- Caps SD Stiff - Italian Traffic Control Caps

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MMIA LO

MMIA LO
9 MAR 1945
HQ 3 District.

3 District
Innsbruck 14
489 3

9 Mar 45

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1. It is desired to equip Italian TC Units with Caps SD Stiff and Covers Cap, White, TC Wing in order to improve their appearance and provide protection from the sun.
2. These personnel are now performing full scale duties on a par with their Brit equivalents, and it is considered that in addition to the above reasons, the provision of Stiff Caps with white covers would, by making them more conspicuous on duty, increase their efficiency still more.
3. The caps would require to be dyed green, and in view of this a low grade article would suffice.
4. The requirement would be as follows for units under and this is :-

(q'tys based on four units each with a strength of 109 OR)

Caps SD Stiff - 1 per OR	436
Covers, Cap, White, TC wing, single -	
3 per OR	1308

(Sgd) R.B. LEECH

(R.B. LEECH) Lt Col
For Maj Gen
Comd

JN/bak

2416

MILIA LO
27 MAR 1945
HQ 3 Distict

DISPATCH
54 AREA

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52 AREA: 808 SUB AREA: 210 SUB AREA: 230 TUNJAN RIVI

MOVKIT: 0001- 01: 0001 0001 00

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20 010 (*) CONFIDENTIAL (*) Further by 20 719 of 1 ser (*) postpone all moves
therein till 17 ser (*) speak DEPT CAPTAIN - KIRBY 9 ser

DISPATCH

MMIA LO
9 MAR 1945 104
File 27
HQ 3 District.

RESTRICTED
3 District
Ext 5
790/G

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SUBJECT: Veh Marking Numbers

227 Italian Div.
230 Italian Div.

52 Area (2)
54 Area (2)
56 Area
94 Sub Area
204 Sub Area
PRO (your 490/(1) dated 6 Mar refers)
MMIA LO
227 Div LO

Amended
O.K.

Mar 45

Ref this HQ 790/G dated 27 Feb please cancel Veh Marking Numbers allotted to No.1 and No.2 Italian Traffic Control Coys, as these units have already been allotted numbers as follows:-

No.1 Italian Traffic Control Coy. - Veh Marking No.5378

No.2 Italian Traffic Control Coy. - Veh Marking No.5379

Adkins Capt.
for Lt Col.
CS.

(A. D. *Adkins*)

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Subject:- Italian Units - clothing & equipment.

3DLO/27
8 Mar 45.

Pro

Ref the attached correspondence.

'Q' 3 District letter 485 Q dated 24 Dec 44 is misleading and it is confirmed (ref spoke RANSOME-THRUPP) that the procedure for indenting for stores from British sources (against authorized AF G1098 scale) for BR-ITI units is as follows:-

If the articles on indent are not available from Italian Army sources a certificate of non-availability is given by MMIA or the local MMIA LO (see my 3DLO/27 of 15 Feb Att). ADsOS at areas, etc., may then supply the stores required.

Major,
MMIA LO,
3 District.

2413

SUBJECT :- Italian Traffic Control Coys - Dress

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MMIA LO
3/3 1945
File 27
HQ 3 District.

Q(AE)

SECRET

MMIA
Provost Marshal (Br) AFHQ

HQ 3 District
BASEBALL 52
PRO 61/4
5 Mar '45

With reference to conversation Michaelson - Ransom 27 Feb 45, on the subject of Caps, Stiff (Green) for Italian Traffic Control Units under comd HQ 3 Dist.

1. MMIA LO, has intimated that Caps, S.D. Stiff, are not available for issue through normal MMIA channels, and has, at the request of this office, forwarded a certificate of non-availability to you. (MMIA 3 DLO/27 of 1 Mar 45 refers).

2. May a request for the following Excess Equipment issues to Italian Traffic Control Units under comd HQ 3 District, be submitted to higher authority for approval please.

(a) Caps S.D. Stiff - scale 1 per Other Rank (To be dyed green)

(b) Covers, cap, white, TC Wing, single. Scale 3 per Other Rank. Part Numbers - CF/NIV/370.

3. Units under comd at present (with strengths) are as follows :-

	No.1.	109	Other Ranks
	No.2.	"	" "
Forming at	{ No.4.	"	" "
CMP Depot	{ No.5.	"	" "

Handwritten Signature

Major
for Lt Col
Deputy Provost Marshal
(G.W. Ransom)

CWR/EGJ

2412

1 MAR Recd

MESSAGE FORM

In lieu of AF C2136

FROM (A)	Originator DISTREE	Date & Time 01 1540 A	Office Date Stamp
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FOR ACTION

54 AREA

TO	Message Instrs	GR
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FOR INFORMATION

52 AREA: 208 SUB AREA: 210 SUB AREA: MOVEIT: 230 ITALIAN DIV

copy: Q4PRO: MMIALO ✓

BD 719 (.) CONFIDENTIAL (.) first (.) HQ 65 coy GMP (TC) str personnel 21 vchs 1
 will move 10 mar from BITONTO to FOGGIA (.) on arrival will come under local adm
 cond 54 area for 210 sub area (.) rep report to DAFM 210 sub area (.) second (.)
 X HQ 2 ITALIAN TC coy str personnel 18 vchs 3 will move 10 mar from BITONTO to FOGGIA (.)
 remains under 230 ITALIAN div for local adm (.) on arrival rep report OC para
 one (.) both units remain under cp cond 3 dist

If liable to be intercepted
or to fall into enemy hands
this message must be sent
IN CIPHER

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

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Time cleared 2:11

K. Hunter Capt RA

SUBJECT :- Certificate of non-availability.

3DIO/27

1 Mar 45

Q (AB)

Copy :- Pro.

It is hereby certified that Caps, S D, stiff are NOT available from Italian Army sources.

Conversation HANSON - THURPP on 27 Feb 45 refers.


Major,
WIA IC,
3 District.

