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SUBJECT: Organization of Part III (b) 4 Units.

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LAND FORCES SUB COA, A.C. (MILIA)

SD/6/2

18 Jan 46

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TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1 MOTOR AMBULANCE CONVOY

1. To carry out the agreement reached between the Ministry of War, MILIA and D.P. & R Sub Commission, that the above unit should be concentrated at Milan and reduced to 2 Platoon strength, action is required to be taken as follows:-
 - (a) 'A' Platoon to be withdrawn from the Cremona Inf Div and disbanded.
 - (b) Personnel and ambulances thus made surplus, to be used to bring the remaining two Platoons up to full strength. After satisfying this proviso any surplus vehicles will be handed in to No 5 E.V.P.
2. This unit on concentration at Milan, should therefore be organized on WE VI/719/1 (2 pls only) with a strength of 181 all ranks and a total of 50 ambulances.
3. After concentration at Milan, the unit will be under your administrative and operational control, however it is understood that twenty ambulances will be made available for duty at camps operated by D.P. & R Sub Commission and Ministero Assistenza Post Bellica.
4. Please advise completion of this reorganization.

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 - (b) Personnel and ambulances thus made surplus, to be used to bring the remaining two Platoons up to full strength. After satisfying this proviso any surplus vehicles will be handed in to No 3 E.V.F.
2. This unit on concentration at Milan, should therefore be organised on WE VI/719/4 (2 pls only) with a strength of 161 all ranks and a total of 50 ambulances.
3. After concentration at Milan, the unit will be under your administrative and operational control, however it is understood that twenty ambulances will be made available for duty at camps operated by D.P.&R Sub Commission and Ministero Assistenza Post Bellica.
4. Please advise completion of this reorganisation.

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Copy to: D.P.&R. Sub Commission
1 BDU
3 BDU

Internal: A (Two) ✓
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Major General,
Lt. Col. I. A.

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Subject :- ORANICO.

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Land Forces Sub Comm,
A.C.(M.M.I.A.)
ROME
EME/1608
18 Jan.46.

To : Director of Art & Motorizzazioni,
Ministry of War.

Attached is a copy of our EME/1608 of the 21st Dec to
which no answer has yet been received.

Could you please give this your attention.

WSR/fr

W. G. R. il
Capt,
R.M.M.A.
for A.D.M.E.
Land Forces Sub Comm, A.C.(M.M.I.A.)

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COPY.

Subject :- ORGANICO.

Land Forces Sub Comm,
A.C.(M.M.I.A.)
ROME
ADM/1608
21 Dec.45.

To : Director of Art & Motorizzazioni,
Ministry of War.

Please send, as soon as possible, to this office the
War establishments (ORGANICO), showing all trades, of units under
your command used in vehicle repair.

That is :- LAD's
Mech.Eng.Workshops.
Mech.Eng.Platoons.
Various Territorial Command Workshops(Class 1,2,3)
Recovery Commissions.
workshops at BOLOGNA.

W.S. RINDL. Capt,
REME
for ADME
Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.(M.M.I.A)

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SUBJECT: Independent Regiments.

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EME/1608

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

SD/15/2

14 Jan 46

TO : List 'A'

A Schedule is attached at Appx 'A' showing as at 1 Jan 45:-

- Revised nomenclature, WE, actual strength, location and command of the 10 Alpine and Infantry Regiments engaged on Internal Security duties.

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

LWM/jw

Copy to: Ministry of War (Four)

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15/1/46

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ALPINE and INFANTRY REGIMENTS

Terr. Cond. No.	Regiment	Bns	Bns Previous Designation	WE Strs	Offrs	Qts	Actual Strengths at 1 Dec	Actual Strengths at 1 Jan	Actual Strengths at 15 Nov	Location
1	TURIN	1 ALPINE Regt	"SALIZZO" ALPINE Bn	515 Gd Bn	25	775	26	698	ALESSEANDRIA	
			"SUSA" " "	526 Gd Bn	28	772	33	774	CERCELLI	
			"AOSTA" " "	"PIEMONTE" ALPINE Bn	30	737	24	860	AOSTA TURIN	
2	GENOA	2 Inf Regt	1 Bn	518 Gd Bn	25	775	27	612	GENOA	
			2 Bn	519 Gd Bn	28	772	34	786	GENOA	
			3 Bn	503 Gd Bn	28	772	33	575	GENOA	
3	MILAN	3 Inf Regt	1 Bn	502 Gd Bn	28	772	34	834	MILAN	
			2 Bn	520 Gd Bn	25	775	33	797	PAVIA	
			3 Bn	527 Gd Bn	28	772	35	772	BRESCIA	
4	BOLZANO	4 ALPINE Regt	"BOLZANO" ALPINE Bn	505 Gd Bn	25	775	25	738	BOLZANO	
			"TRENTO" " "	508 Gd Bn	25	775	24	780	VERONA/TRENTO	
			"DOLO" " "	514 Gd Bn	25	775	25	750	HQ & 2 Coys -MONTE 1 Coy 1 Coy-BRONI	
5	UDINE	5 ALPINE Regt	"FELTRINE" ALPINE Bn	513 Gd Bn	25	775	30	677	VERONA EST	
				516 Gd Bn	25	775	27	669	HQ & 3 Coys 1 Coy-UDINE	
			"TOLMEZZO" " "	517 Gd Bn	25	775	28	692	HQ MOIENCO 2 Coys-UDINE PALLANOVIA	
6	BOLOGNA	6 Inf Regt	1 Bn	507 Gd Bn	25	775	+36	904	F. LIGNONARA	
			2 Bn	522 Gd Bn	25	775	+29	689	FERRARA	
			3 Bn	523 Gd Bn	25	775	+46	738	BOLOGNA	

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ALPINE and INFANTRY REGIMENTS

Appendix 'A' to MIL letter 3D/13/2 dated 14 Jan 1946

Bns	Bns Previous Designation	WE Stars	Offrs	ORs	Actual Strengths at 1 Dec	Actual Strengths at 15 Nov	Location	Notes
"LUZZO"	ALPINE Bn	515 Gd Bn	25	775	26	698	ALESSANDRIA	
"SUSA"	"	526 Gd Bn	28	772	33	774	CERCELLI	
"AOSTA"	"	"PIEMONTE"					ROSTA	
		ALPINE Bn	50	757	24	860	TURIN	Formerly of "LEGHANO" Inf Div
Bn		518 Gd Bn	25	775	27	642	GENOA	
Bn		519 Gd Bn	28	772	31	786	GENOA	
Bn		505 Gd Bn	28	772	33	575	GENOA	
Bn		502 Gd Bn	28	772	34	831	MILAN	
Bn		520 Gd Bn	25	775	33	797	PAVIA	
Bn		527 Gd Bn	28	772	35	772	BRESSOLA	
"BOZZANO"	ALPINE Bn	505 Gd Bn	25	775	25	738	BOZZANO	
"TRENTO"	"	508 Gd Bn	25	775	24	780	VERONA/TRENTO/VICENZA	
"DOLO"	"	514 Gd Bn	25	775	25	750	HQ & 2 Coys - BRESSOLA 1 Coy - VIMPINONE 1 Coy - BRUNICO	
"VENEZIA"	ALPINE Bn	513 Gd Bn	25	775	30	677	ESTE	On loan to 7 Terr 40 PELTRE ALPINE (Leaving to ESTE Jan 13/46) Bn to release Replaced by "LEGNANO" 516 Gd Bn by 27 Jan. 516 Gd Bn concentrated at Este prior to forming Legnano Inf Div.
		516 Gd Bn	25	775	27	669	HQ & 3 Coys MESTRE 1 Coy - UDINE	
"TOLMEZZO"		517 Gd Bn	25	775	28	692	HQ MOLINO DI FOPPE 2 Coys - UDINE 2 Coys PALLINOVA	u/c 13 Corps
Bn		507 Gd Bn	25	775	+36	904	FICONIGLIA	- concentrating at MODENA by end of Jan.
Bn		522 Gd Bn	25	775	+29	689	PIACENZA	- concentrating at FERRARA by end of Jan.
Bn		523 Gd Bn	25	775	+16	738	DOLOGNA	

PELTRE ALPINE
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 Aguilera Alpina Bn ex Legnano
 Inf Div. to move later to 5 Terr
 Comd (inside 13 Corps) area.

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No 7 FLORENCE	7 Infantry Regt	1 Bn	509 Gd Bn	25	775	+26	552	PISA FLORENCE LUCCA
		2 Bn	511 Gd Bn	25	775	+30	652	
		3 Bn	512 Gd Bn	25	775	+27	676	
No 8 ROME	8 Infantry Regt	1 Bn	521 Gd Bn	25	775	31	755	ROME VITERBO VITERBO
		2 Bn	528 Gd Bn	25	775	20	734	
		3 Bn	529 Gd Bn	25	775	22	668	
No 9 BARI	9 Infantry Regt	1 Bn	504 Gd Bn	25	775	+40	759	TARI BARI BARI
		2 Bn	510 Gd Bn	25	775	+31	772	
		3 Bn	524 Gd Bn	25	775	+39	663	
No 11 NAPLES	10 Infantry Regt	1 Bn	504 Gd Bn	25	775	+40	711	HQ COSENZA NAPLES NAPLES SALERNO
		2 Bn	506 Gd Bn	25	775	+40	777	
		3 Bn	525 Gd Bn	25	775	+27	799	

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1 Bn	509 Gd Bn	25	775	+26	552	PISA	
2 Bn	511 Gd Bn	25	775	+30	652	FLORENCE	
3 Bn	512 Gd Bn	25	775	+27	676	LUCCA	
1 Bn	521 Gd Bn	25	775	31	755	ROME	
2 Bn	528 Gd Bn	25	775	20	734	VITERBO	
3 Bn	529 Gd Bn	25	775	22	668	VITERBO	
1 Bn	501 Gd Bn	25	775	+40	759	TRANI	
2 Bn	510 Gd Bn	25	775	+31	772	TERI	
3 Bn	524 Gd Bn	25	775	+39	663	TERI	
1 Bn	504 Gd Bn	25	775	+40	711	REGO COSENZA	
2 Bn	506 Gd Bn	25	775	+40	777	NAPLES	Will move to COSENZA shortly
3 Bn	525 Gd Bn	25	775	+27	799	NAPLES	
						SALERNO	

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~~16082~~ EME 16082, *Revised*

Amended according to SD/92/3 dated 8 Dec. 45
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SUBJECT: Organisation of the Interim Army - Adm Ips.

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

SD/92/3

13 Nov 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Ref your 16704/Ord/di prot of 6/9/45, and further to our SD/92/3 of 8 Nov 45.

1. The breakdown of the 31,000 Adm Ips given in your r/n letter has been carefully considered by this HQ. Attached as Appendix 'A' is the breakdown agreed by this HQ. This breakdown has been divided for clarity into two types of unit.

(a) Integral Units of the Interim Army, L of C units for Inf Divs, transferred from BR-III category, are included among these units.

(b) Units which it will be necessary to retain temporarily but which will not be considered as integral units of the Interim Army.

Details of each Service breakdown are given in Appendices as set out below:

- Appendix 'B' - Medical
- Appendix 'C' - Commissariats (Supplies, Clothing & Equipment)
- Appendix 'D' - Artillery
- Appendix 'E' - MT (incl Tpt units and Repair units)
- Appendix 'F' - Engineers
- Appendix 'G' - Signals
- Appendix 'H' - Movements
- Appendix 'I' - Veterinary and Remounts
- Appendix 'K' - Military Tribunals
- Appendix 'L' - Military Penal Institutes
- Appendix 'M' - Geographical Institutes
- Appendix 'N' - Welfare
- Appendix 'O' - Repatriated P of W camps
- Appendix 'P' - Transit camps
- Appendix 'Q' - *Screening & Recovery Units*

2. It should now be possible therefore to include in the Skeleton Order for the Interim Army all the units necessary to form part of the 31,000 in accordance with the attached Appendices.

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3. The breakdown of the Territorial HQ and Depots is still under consideration. The decision of this HQ follows earliest.

4. Specialist training units are not included in the attached Appendices but will be included later in the 10,000 allocated to Trg and Rfts.

5. War Establishments

(a) The provision of final war establishments for these units will be left to the discretion of the War Ministry but figures as given should not be materially altered.

(b) It is suggested that the necessary war establishments should be considered and approved by the committee to be constituted by you vide para 4 of our SD/92/3 of 8 Nov.

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War Establishments (Cont'd)

(c) It is considered that it would probably be desirable to amend the present system of numbering war establishments as many existing establishments will be cancelled or amended and new establishments will need to be passed, including those for converting ER-III establishments. It is therefore recommended that all existing WE numbers be cancelled and that a new series be issued to cover all Interim Army establishments. It is requested that you consider this proposal so that this can be included in the discussions due to be held on the Org of the WE committee ref para 4 of our SD/92/3 of 8 Nov. In any case until new numbers are allotted the numbers of existing WEs will be shown against the relevant unit in the Skeleton Orbat for the Interim Army.

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Major General, 41/106
M. M. I. A. CoS

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Internal Distribution: MA to GOC
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Assignment
for Major General, G-606
M. M. I. A. (2)

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O (Three)
ST (Three)
Med

JLVC/jv

Internal Distribution:

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Appendix 'A' to MFLA Letter
SD/92/3 dated 6 Dec 45.

'A' Interim Army

<u>Serial</u>	<u>Service</u>	<u>Total W2 Strength</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
1.	Medical	5643	Apex 'B'
2.	Commissariat (a) Supplies - 1642 (b) Clothing & Equipment - 718	2330	" 'C'
3.	Artillery	567	" 'D'
4.	M.T. (a) Transport Units - 5469 (b) MT Repair Units - 2261	7730	" 'E'
5.	Engineers	3465	" 'F'
6.	Signals	1803	" 'G'
7.	Movements	547	" 'H'
8.	Veterinary & Remount	386	" 'J'
9.	Military Tribunals	350	" 'K'
10.	Military Penal Institutes	669	" 'L'
11.	Military Geographical Institutes	28	" 'M'
12.	Welfare	90	" 'N'
	<u>Total Interim Army - All Units -</u>	<u>23978</u>	
	<u>'B' Temporary Units</u>		
13.	Medical	102	" 'B'
14.	Artillery	510	" 'B'

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5.	Engineers	7730	"	'E'
6.	Signals	5465	"	'S'
7.	Movements	1303	"	'M'
8.	Veterinary & Remount	517	"	'V'
9.	Military Tribunals	386	"	'T'
10.	Military Penal Institutes	350	"	'P'
11.	Military Geographical Institutes	669	"	'G'
12.	Welfare	28	"	'W'
		90	"	'A'
	<u>Total Interim Army - Admin Units - 25576</u>			
	<u>'B' Temporary Units</u>			
13.	Medical	602	"	'B'
14.	Artillery	519	"	'A'
15.	MP Repair Units	484	"	'M'
16.	Engineers	1623	"	'E'
17.	Reparations P.W. Camps	2530	"	'R'
18.	Transit Camps	478	"	'T'
19.	Screening & Recovery Units	132	"	'S'
	<u>Total Temporary Units -</u>	<u>6123</u>		
	<u>Unemployed</u>	<u>1293</u>		
	<u>TOTAL ADM US</u>	<u>51000</u>		

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Appl. Mix 'B' to MFLA letter
SD/92/3 dated 8 Dec 45.

MEDICAL

'A' Integral Units of the Interim Army

Serial		Beds Equ'pd	Offrs	ORs	TOTAL
1.	<u>TURIN</u>				
	War Pensions Committee		3	2	5
	Principal Hospital	400	25	142	167
	Medical Company		1	29	30
	Medical Mobile Store		1	3	4
	Medical Ordnance Stores		1	3	4
	Medical Depot		7	14	21
	Disinfection Section		1	54	55
	Secondary Hospital (NOVARA)	300	15	67	82
	Thermal Establishment (ACQUI)		3	13	16
		700			384

2.	<u>CENOA</u>				
	War Pensions Committee		3	2	5
	Principal Hospital	400	25	142	167
	Secondary Hospital	200	12	12	54
	Medical Company		1	29	30
	Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
	Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
	Medical Depot		7	14	21
	Disinfection Section		1	54	55
		600			348

3.	<u>MILAN</u>				
	War Pensions Committee		3	2	5
	Principal Hospital	800	39	242	281
	Secondary Hospital	200	12	42	54
	Medical Company		1	29	30
	Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
	Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
	Medical Depot		7	14	21
	Disinfection Section		1	54	55
		1,000			462

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Principal Hospital	170	25	167
Secondary Hospital	200	12	42
Medical Company		1	29
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	5
Medical Depot		7	14
Disinfection Section		1	54
	600		348

3. MILAN

War Pensions Committee		3	2	5
Principal Hospital	800	39	242	261
Secondary Hospital	200	12	42	54
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section		1	54	55
	1,000			462

4. BOZZANO

War Pensions Committee (1)		3	2	5
Principal Hospital	600	30	190	220
Secondary Hospital	200	12	42	54
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section	150	1	54	55
Infirmary (TRENTO)		4	29	33
	950			434

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Appendix (3) (Continued)

Integral Units of Interim Army

	<u>Reds</u>	<u>Orchs</u>	<u>ONS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
5. <u>WHE</u>				
War Pensions Committee		3	2	5
Principal Hospital	400	25	142	167
Secondary Hospital	500	15	67	82
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	5	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section		1	54	55
	700			575
6. <u>FOLOCOM</u>				
War Pensions Committee		3	2	5
Principal Hospital	600	30	190	220
Secondary Hospital	300	15	67	82
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section		1	54	55
General Stores Depot (P.W.L.A.)		1	10	11
	900			440
7. <u>FLORENCE</u>				
War Pensions Committee (2)		6	4	10
Principal Hospital	600	30	190	220
Secondary Hospital	400	18	68	106
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section		1	54	55
I.C.F.M.		15	36	51
School of Applied Medicine		26	24	50
	1,000			559

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War Pensions Committee	5	2		
Principal Hospital	220	190	30	600
Secondary Hospital	62	67	15	300
Medical Company	30	29	1	
Medical Mobile Stores (2)	8	6	2	
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)	6	6	2	
Medical Depot	6	14	7	
Disinfection Section	21	54	1	
General Stores Depot (PAVLA)	25	10	1	
	11			
	440			900

7. PERFORMANCE

War Pensions Committee (2)	10	4		
Principal Hospital	220	190	30	600
Secondary Hospital	156	88	18	400
Medical Company	30	29	1	
Medical Mobile Stores (2)	8	6	2	
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)	6	6	2	
Medical Depot	6	14	7	
Disinfection Section	21	54	1	
I.C.F.M.	25	10	1	
School of Applied Medicine	11		26	
	559			1,000

8. ROOMS

Supreme War Pensions Committee	12			
War Pensions Committee (2)	15	6	9	
Principal Hospital	341	295	46	1000
Secondary Hospital (PERUGIA)	82	67	15	300
Medical Company	30	29	1	
Medical Mobile Stores (2)	8	6	2	
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)	6	6	2	
Medical Depot	6	14	7	
Disinfection Section	21	54	1	
Infirmiry (PERUGIA)	25	29	4	150
Seratorium (ARNO)	26	19	7	250
Medico-Legal College	18	10	8	
Laboratory of Biology	6	4	2	
Laboratory of Micro-Biology	6	4	2	
Laboratory of Entomology	6	4	2	
	667			1,000

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Appendix 'B' Cont'd

4. Interval Units of Interim Army

	Beds	Offrs	ORs	TPMAs
9. <u>PARI</u>				
War Pensions Committee		3	2	5
Principal Hospital	600	30	190	240
Secondary Hospital (LECCO)	200	12	42	54
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores		1	3	4
Medical Ordnance Stores		1	3	4
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section		1	54	55
	800			793

10. NETES

War Pensions Committees (2)		6	4	10
Principal Hospital	1000	45	295	341
Secondary Hospital	600	25	125	180
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section		1	54	55
Infirmiry (CANTALDO)		4	29	33
General Stores Depot (MARDALONI)	150	1	10	11
Thermal Establishment		3	13	16
	1750			683

11. SICILY

War Pensions Committees (2)		6	4	10
Principal Hospital	600	30	190	230
Secondary Hospital	300	15	67	82
Medical Company		1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)		2	6	8
Medical Depot		7	14	21
Disinfection Section		1	54	55
	900			434

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Secondary Hospital	25	125	120
Medical Company	1	23	20
Medical Mobile Stores (2)	2	6	3
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)	2	6	3
Medical Depot	7	14	21
Disinfection Section	1	54	55
Infirmiry (CANTON)	4	29	33
General Stores Depot (MADALONI)	1	10	11
Thermal Establishment	3	15	16
			643
			1750

11. SICILY

War Pensions Committees (2)	6	4	10
Principal Hospital	30	130	200
Secondary Hospital	15	67	82
Medical Company	1	29	30
Medical Mobile Stores (2)	2	6	8
Medical Ordnance Stores (2)	2	6	8
Medical Depot	7	14	21
Disinfection Section	1	54	55
			454
			980

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Medical Admin Office	3	8	11
War Pensions Committee	3	2	3
Principal Hospital	25	142	167
General Stores	3	12	15
Infirmiry (CANTON)	4	29	33
Medical Depot	1	7	8
Disinfection Section	1	27	28
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13. Tail Units - Italian Inf Divs

	<u>Bata</u>	<u>Officers</u>	<u>ORs</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
34 Td Surgical Unit	-	3	23	26 (Legnano)
130 Td Surgical Unit	-	3	23	26 (Friuli)
131 Td Surgical Unit	-	3	23	26 (Polgore)
246 Td Surgical Unit	-	3	23	26 (Mantova)
29 Mobile X-Ray Unit	-	1	6	7 (Friuli)
133 Mobile X-Ray Unit	-	1	6	7 (2 Divs)
113 Mobile Dental Unit	-	1	3	4 (Friuli)
114 Mobile Dental Unit	-	1	3	4 (Polgore)
26 Mobile Bath Unit	-	-	14	14 (Friuli)
54 Mobile Bath Unit	-	-	14	14 (Cremona)
51 Mobile Bath Unit	-	-	14	14 (Legnano)
184 Mobile Bath Unit	-	-	14	14 (Polgore)
104 Mobile Bath Unit	-	-	14	14 (Mantova)
Total Integral Units of Interim Army	11550			5643

'B' Units to be retained temporarily

14.	Infirmary (FOGGIA)	-	4	29	33
15.	Infirmary (ORVIETO)	-	4	29	33
16.	Inspectorates (3)	-	9	27	36

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'B' Units to be retained temporarily

14.	Infirmery (FOGGIA)	-	4	29	33
15.	Infirmery (ORVIETO)	-	4	29	33
16.	Inspectorates (3)	-	9	27	36
Total					102

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COMMISSARIATO (c) Supplies

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Serial (a)	Unit (b)	Location (c)	Offrs (d)	OKs (e)	Total (f)	Remarks (g)
1.	Commissariato Inor to Gen Dir	ROME	60	10	70	
2.	Incr (TYPE 'Y') for 8 Com	CAGLIARI	8	26	34	
3.	Dir Terr (HQ TYPE 'Z') for 3	MILAN	3	9	12	
4.	" " " " " 4	VERONA	3	9	12	
5.	" " " " " 5	MESTRE	3	9	12	
6.	" " " " " 6	ANCONA	3	9	12	
7.	" " " " " 7	LEGNANO	3	9	12	
8.	" " " " " 10	CATANZARO	3	9	12	
9.	No. 1 Supply Company	TURIN	2	18	20	
10.	" " " " "	GENOVA	2	18	20	
11.	" " " " "	MILAN	2	18	20	
12.	" " " " "	BOLZANO	2	18	20	
13.	" " " " "	UDINE	2	18	20	
14.	" " " " "	BOLOGNA	2	18	20	
15.	" " " " "	FLORENCE	2	18	20	
16.	" " " " "	ROME	2	18	20	
17.	" " " " "	BARI	2	18	20	
18.	" " " " "	NAPLES	2	18	20	
19.	" " " " "	PALERMO	2	18	20	
20.	" " " " "	CAGLIARI	2	18	20	
21.	No. 1 Port Det	NAPLES	2	15	17	
22.	" " " " "	GENOVA	2	15	17	
23.	" " " " "	LEGNANO	2	15	17	
24.	" " " " "	BARI	2	15	17	
25.	" " " " "	VENICE	2	15	17	
26.	No. 2 Bulk Supply Depot	MILAN	2	10	12	
27.	" " " " "	MESTRE	2	10	12	
28.	" " " " "	LEGNANO	2	10	12	
29.	" " " " "	BARI	2	10	12	
30.	" " " " "	NAPLES	2	10	12	

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9.	No. 1 Supply Company	TURIN	2	18	20
10.	" " " " " "	GENOA	2	18	20
11.	" " " " " "	MILAN	2	18	20
12.	" " " " " "	BOLZANO	2	18	20
13.	" " " " " "	UDINE	2	18	20
14.	" " " " " "	BOLOGNA	2	18	20
15.	" " " " " "	FLORENCE	2	18	20
16.	" " " " " "	ROME	2	18	20
17.	" " " " " "	BARI	2	18	20
18.	" " " " " "	NAPLES	2	18	20
19.	" " " " " "	PAERMO	2	18	20
20.	" " " " " "	CAGLIARI	2	18	20
21.	No. 1 Port Det	NAPLES	2	15	17
22.	" " " " " "	GENOA	2	15	17
23.	" " " " " "	LEGNORNI	2	15	17
24.	" " " " " "	BARI	2	15	17
25.	" " " " " "	VENICE	2	15	17
26.	No. 2 Bulk Supply Depot	MILAN	2	10	12
27.	" " " " " "	NESTRE	2	10	12
28.	" " " " " "	LEGNORNI	2	10	12
29.	" " " " " "	BARI	2	10	12
30.	" " " " " "	NAPLES	2	10	12
31.	No. 3 Military Bakery	MILAN	2	10	12
32.	" " " " " "	ROME	2	10	12
33.	" " " " " "	BARI	2	10	12
34.	" " " " " "	NAPLES	2	10	12
35.	" " " " " "	PAERMO	2	10	12
36.	" " " " " "	CAGLIARI	2	10	12
37.	" " " " " "	TURIN	1	4	5
38.	" " " " " "	GENOA	1	4	5
39.	" " " " " "	BOLZANO	1	4	5
40.	" " " " " "	UDINE	1	4	5
41.	" " " " " "	BOLOGNA	1	4	5
42.	" " " " " "	PIACENZA	1	4	5
43.	No. 1 Refrigerator Unit	C. S. S. S. S.	2	10	12
44.	" " " " " "	-	2	10	12
45.	1 Food Distribution Depot	TURIN	4	24	28
46.	" " " " " "	GENOA	4	24	28
47.	" " " " " "	MILAN	4	24	28
48.	" " " " " "	BOLZANO	4	24	28
49.	" " " " " "	UDINE	4	24	28
50.	" " " " " "	BOLOGNA	4	24	28

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RE Strengths

Series (a)	Unit (b)	Location (c)	Offrs (d)	GRS (e)	TOTAL (f)	Remarks (g)
51.	7 Food Distribution Depot	FLORENCE	4	24	28	
52.	"	ROME	4	24	28	
53.	"	BARI	4	24	28	
54.	"	NAPLES	4	24	28	
55.	"	PALERMO	4	24	28	
56.	"	CHELLERI	4	24	28	
57.	"	TARANTO	2	12	14	
58.	"	BRINDISI	2	12	14	
59.	"	FOGGIA	2	12	14	
60.	"	PESCARA	2	12	14	
61.	"	SALERNO	2	12	14	
62.	"	CATANZARO	2	12	14	
63.	"	CATANL.	2	12	14	
64.	"	CALTANISSETTA	2	12	14	
65.	"	COSENZA	2	12	14	
66.	"	REGGIO CALABRIA	2	12	14	
67.	"	SASSARI	2	12	14	
68.	"	MACOMER	2	12	14	
69.	"	MONTE	3	12	14	
70.	"	VERONA	2	12	14	
71.	"	PLACENZA	2	12	14	
72.	"	ANCONA	2	12	14	
73.	"	FORLI	2	12	14	
74.	"	LEGNANO	2	12	14	
75.	"	"	2	12	14	
76.	"	"	2	12	14	
77.	"	"	2	12	14	
78.	"	"	2	12	14	
79.	"	"	2	12	14	
80.	"	"	2	12	14	
81.	"	"	2	12	14	
82.	"	"	2	12	14	
83.	"	"	2	12	14	
84.	"	"	2	12	14	
85.	"	"	2	12	14	
86.	"	"	2	12	14	
87.	"	"	2	12	14	
81.	316 Ed Bakery		1	32	33	
82.	2 "		1	32	33	
83.	317 "		1	32	33	
84.	318 "		1	32	33	
85.	1 "		1	32	33	
86.	319 "		1	32	33	
87.	152 Ration and FOL Depot & Clothing Stores (a)		4	51	55	
					TOTAL Integral Units	258
					TOTAL	1354
					TOTAL Integral Units	1612

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Appendix 'C' to SE/S2/3
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COMMISSARIATO (b) Clothing and Equipment

Internal Units of the Interim Army.

Serial	Unit	No of Units	Locn	WE Strength		Remarks
				Offrs	ORs Total	
1.	Central Clothing & Equip Wraps.	1	ROME	10	15	25
2.	Clothing and Equip Wraps. @ 7 Offrs and 20 ORs each.	11	TURIN GENOVA MILAN BOLOGNA UDINE BOLOGNA FLORENCE BARI NAPLES PALERMO CAGLIARI	77	220	297
3.	Main Barracks Stores. @ 2 Offrs and 10 ORs each.	12	TURIN GENOVA MILAN BOLOGNA UDINE BOLOGNA FLORENCE ROME BARI NAPLES PALERMO CAGLIARI	24	120	144
4.	Central Clothing & Equip Store @ 6 Offrs and 18 ORs each.	3	MILAN FLORENCE NAPLES	18	54	72

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BOLZANO
FLORENCE
BARI
NAPLES
PALERMO
CAGLIARI

24 120 144

TURIN
GENOVA
MILAN
BOLOGNA
UDINE
DOLOMITI
FLORENCE
ROME
BARI
NAPLES
PALERMO
CAGLIARI

12

3. Main Barracks
Stores.

@ 2 Offrs
and 10 ORs
each.

18 54 72

MILAN
FLORENCE
NAPLES

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4. Control Clothing
& Equip Stores

@ 6 Offrs and
18 ORs each.

18 162 180

TURIN
GENOVA
BOLOGNA
UDINE
DOLOMITI
ROME
BARI
PALERMO
CAGLIARI

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5. Main Clothing and
Equip Stores

@ 2 Offrs and
18 ORs each.

Total Integral Units 147 571 718

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ARTILLERY

(a) Integral units for the
 Italian Army.

Serial (a)	Unit (b)	Location (c)	WE Strength		Remarks (g)
			Officers (d)	Total (f)	
1.	Artillery Directorate	Turin	5	24	29
2.	"	Genoa	5	24	29
3.	"	Milan	5	24	29
4.	"	Bolzano	5	24	29
5.	"	Udine	5	24	29
6.	"	Bologna	5	24	29
7.	"	Florence	5	24	29
8.	"	Rome	5	24	29
9.	"	Bari	5	24	29
10.	"	Naples	5	24	29
11.	"	Palermo	5	24	29
12.	'C' Sec. of Art. Directorate	Rome	2	8	10
13.	Artillery Section	Alessandria	2	7	9
14.	"	Pescara	2	7	9
15.	"	Milan	2	7	9
16.	"	Brescia	2	7	9
17.	"	Udine	2	7	9
18.	"	Trieste	2	7	9
19.	"	Bolzano	2	7	9
20.	"	Mantova	2	7	9
21.	"	Pola	2	7	9
22.	"	Conegliano	2	7	9
23.	"	Ancona	2	7	9
24.	"	Palermo	2	7	9
25.	"	Bari	2	7	9
26.	"	Leggo	2	7	9
27.	"	Cesena	2	7	9
28.	"	Grosseto	2	7	9
29.	"	Garda	2	7	9
30.	"	Pescara	2	7	9
31.	"	Nuoro	2	7	9
32.	"	Brindisi	2	7	9
		(Turin			

6.	"	Bologna	24	29
7.	"	Florence	24	29
8.	"	Rome	24	29
9.	"	Bari	24	29
10.	"	Naples	24	29
11.	"	Palermo	24	10
12.	'0' Sec. of Art. Directorate	Rome	8	9
13.	Artillery Section	Alessandria	7	9
14.	"	Rosarno	7	9
15.	"	Milay	7	9
16.	"	Bruscia	7	9
17.	"	Udine	7	9
18.	"	Trieste	7	9
19.	"	Bolzano	7	9
20.	"	Verona	7	9
21.	"	Pola	7	9
22.	"	Conegliano	7	9
23.	"	Ancona	7	9
24.	"	Palermo	7	9
25.	"	Bari	7	9
26.	"	Lecco	7	9
27.	"	Cosenza	7	9
28.	"	Grosseto	7	9
29.	"	Genoa	7	9
30.	"	Pescara	7	9
31.	"	Nuoro	7	9
32.	"	Brindisi	7	9
33.	Arsenale R.D. 3 Section	(Turin)	12	15
34.	Speleificio R.E. (Munition Factory)	(Piacenza)	3	9
35.	Precision Laboratory	(Naples)	3	7
36.	Pirotecnico R.E.	Torre Annunziata	3	7
37.	Arm Factory	Rome	3	7
38.	Shell Filling Factory	Cayua	3	7
39.	Powder Factory	Torin	3	8
40.	Experimental Centre	Baians	3	6
		Montana Lami	3	8
		Metthuc	1	8
			140	427
				567
41.	Bomb Disposal Units			510
				<u>510</u>

To be Crd. at H of W discretion

(b) Units to be retained temporarily

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Appendix B

M.P. (a) Transport Units

Integral Units of Italian Army

Serial Unit (a)	(b)	Location (c)	WE Strength			Remarks (e)
			Offr (d)	OR (f)	Total (g)	
1	Ministry of War Adm Tpt Coy	ROME	12	218	250	
2	No.1 Special Tpt Coy - 4 Pl Coy	ROME	9	207	216	
3	No.1 Terr Adm Tpt Coy - 3 "	TURIN	7	167	174	
4	No.2 " " " " " "	GENOA	7	167	174	
5	No.3 " " " " " "	MILAN	7	167	174	
6	No.4 " " " " " "	BOLOGNA	7	167	174	
7	No.5 " " " " " "	UDINE	7	167	174	
8	No.6 " " " " " "	BOLOGNA	7	167	174	
9	No.7 " " " " " "	FLORENCE	7	167	174	
10	No.8 " " " " " "	ROME	9	207	216	
11	No.9 " " " " " "	RAVI	7	167	174	
12	No.10 " " " " " "	NAPLES	9	207	216	
13	No.11 " " " " " "	PALERMO	7	167	174	
14	No.14 " " " " " "	CAPOLIARI	5	127	132	
15	No.1 Efficient Vehicle Park	TURIN	1	20	21	
16	No.2 " " " " " "	GENOA	1	20	21	
17	No.3 " " " " " "	MILAN	1	20	21	
18	No.4 " " " " " "	BOLOGNA	1	20	21	
19	No.5 " " " " " "	UDINE	1	20	21	
20	No.6 " " " " " "	BOLOGNA	1	20	21	
21	No.7 " " " " " "	FLORENCE	1	20	21	
22	No.8 " " " " " "	ROME	1	20	21	
23	No.9 " " " " " "	RAVI	1	20	21	
24	No.10 " " " " " "	NAPLES	1	20	21	
25	No.11 " " " " " "	PALERMO	1	20	21	
26	No.21 P.O.L. Depot	ROMA	1	29	30	
27	No.1 Amb Car Section	TURIN	1	30	31	
28	No.2 " " " " " "	GENOA	1	30	31	
29	No.3 " " " " " "	MILAN	1	30	31	
30	No.4 " " " " " "	BOLOGNA	1	30	31	
31	No.5 " " " " " "	UDINE	1	30	31	
32	No.6 " " " " " "	BOLOGNA	1	30	31	
33	No.7 " " " " " "	FLORENCE	1	30	31	
34	No.8 " " " " " "	ROME	1	30	31	
35	No.9 " " " " " "	RAVI	1	30	31	
36	No.10 " " " " " "	NAPLES	1	30	31	
37	No.11 " " " " " "	PALERMO	1	30	31	
38	No.14 " " " " " "	PALERMO	1	30	31	

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No.	Description	Category	Quantity	Location	Notes
15	No.1 Efficient Vehicle Pack	" - 2 "	5	CASALETTI	
16	No.2 " " " "	"	1	TURIN	
17	No.3 " " " "	"	1	GENOVA	
18	No.4 " " " "	"	1	MILAN	
19	No.5 " " " "	"	1	BOLOGNA	
20	No.6 " " " "	"	1	UDINE	
21	No.7 " " " "	"	1	BOLOGNA	
22	No.8 " " " "	"	1	FIRENZE	
23	No.9 " " " "	"	1	ACQUA	
24	No.10 " " " "	"	1	BAZI	
25	No.11 " " " "	"	1	NAPLES	
25	No.14 " " " "	"	1	PALERMO	
26	No.21 P.O.L. Depot	"	1	MONOPOLI	
27	No.1 Amb Car Section	"	1	TURIN	
28	No.2 " " " "	"	1	GENOVA	
29	No.3 " " " "	"	1	MILAN	
30	No.4 " " " "	"	1	BOLOGNA	
31	No.5 " " " "	"	1	UDINE	
32	No.6 " " " "	"	1	BOLOGNA	
33	No.7 " " " "	"	1	FIRENZE	
34	No.8 " " " "	"	1	ROME	
35	No.9 " " " "	"	1	BAZI	
36	No.10 " " " "	"	1	NAPLES	
37	No.11 " " " "	"	1	PALERMO	
38	No.14 " " " "	"	1	PALERMO	
39	G.T. Coy	"	9	CASINO	For use of RIC CASINO but to count as RIC Territorial unit.
40	Light Workshop for CT Coy	CASINO	1	CASINO	
41	No.3 G.T. Coy (a)	"	9	CASINO	
42	No.4 H.L.C. (a)	"	6	GENOVA	
43	No.265 Pack Tpt Coy	"	9	net yet	
44	No.267 Pack Tpt Coy	"	9	decided	
45	No.268 Pack Tpt Coy (b)	"	9	decided	
TOTAL Integral Units				185	5206 5469

NOTES

(a) Suggested WTs for the following units are forwarded under separate cover to Min of War only:-

- Motor Ambulance Convoy
- General Tpt Coy

(b) To be organized WT CH/800/1 less one offr.

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M.T. (e) MT Repair Units

Serial Unit (a)	Location (c)	Strength		Remarks (e)
		Offr (d)	Total (e)	

(A) Integral Units of Interim Army

Serial Unit (a)	Description (b)	Location (c)	Offr (d)	Total (e)	Remarks (e)
1	No. 1 Light Workshops	GENOVA	1	11	12
2	No. 2 "	GENOVA	1	11	12
3	No. 3 "	MILAN	1	11	12
4	No. 4 "	BOLZANO	1	11	12
5	No. 5 "	UDINE	1	11	12
6	No. 6 "	BOLZANO	1	11	12
7	No. 7 "	FLORENCE	1	11	12
8	No. 8 "	ROME	1	11	12
9	No. 9 "	BARI	1	11	12
10	No. 10 "	NAPLES	1	11	12
11	No. 11 "	SFALDI	1	11	12
12	No. 12 "	ROME	1	11	12
13	No. 13 "	ROME	1	11	12
14	No. 14 "	SALERNO	1	11	12
15	No. 3 MT Stores Depot	PIACENZA	5	21	26
16	No. 6 "	BOLOGNA	5	21	26
17	No. 8 "	ROME	3	21	26
18	No. 1 Repairs Unit	TURIN	9	91	100
19	No. 2 "	GENOVA	9	91	100
20	No. 3 "	MILAN	12	183	200
21	No. 4 "	BOLZANO	9	91	100
22	No. 5 "	UDINE	9	91	100
23	No. 6 "	BOLOGNA	12	183	200
24	No. 7 "	FLORENCE	9	91	100
25	No. 8 "	ROME	12	183	200
26	No. 9 "	BARI	9	91	100
27	No. 10 "	NAPLES	12	183	200
28	No. 11 "	FLORENCE	9	91	100
29	No. 14 "	C-GLIARI	9	91	100
30	No. 15 "	PIACENZA	5	45	50
31	No. 16 "	PARMA	5	45	50
32	No. 1 Service Station	ANCONA	1	24	25
33	No. 2 "	LEGNANO	1	24	25
34	No. 5 Unit Maintenance Inspectorate(new)	COSENZA	1	24	25
35			5	16	21

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1st div. 167
2nd " 85
3rd " 95

New unit to be org
on same WTS as
900 Unit Maintenance

13	No. 13	"	"	ROME	12
14	No. 14	"	"	ROME	12
15	No. 3	MT Stores Depot	"	SALONINA	11
16	No. 6	"	"	PARIZENGA	21
17	No. 8	"	"	BAIDERA	21
18	No. 1	Repairs Unit	Cl II	ROMA	21
19	No. 2	"	Cl II	TURIN	91
20	No. 3	"	Cl I	GENOVA	91
21	No. 4	"	Cl II	MILAN	183
22	No. 5	"	Cl II	BOLZANO	91
23	No. 6	"	Cl I	UDINE	91
24	No. 7	"	Cl II	BIELLA	193
25	No. 8	"	Cl II	VERCELLI	91
26	No. 9	"	Cl I	ROMA	133
27	No. 10	"	Cl II	PARI	91
28	No. 11	"	Cl I	NAPLES	163
29	No. 14	"	Cl II	PALERMO	91
30	No. 15	"	Cl II	CAGLIARI	91
31	No. 16	"	Cl III	PESCARA	45
32	No. 1	Service Station	Cl III	VERONA	45
33	No. 2	"	"	ANCONA	24
34	No. 3	"	"	IMPERIA	24
35		Unit Maintenance Inspectorate(new)	"	COSTANZA	24

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1st Jan 1977
2nd " 85
3rd " 95

New unit to be org
on same WTs as
839 Unit Maint Ref
21) D of C units for
99) Inf Divs trans-
ferred from BR-III
category

36 880 Unit Maintenance Inspectorate -
37 155 Veh Repair Shop for RTC Caserta
37A A Veh Repair Shop for RTC Caserta

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178 2083 2261

(B) Units to be retained temporarily

38	No. 1	Mobile Park	199	208	Disbandment of these
39	No. 2	"	109	208	units now scheduled
40	No. 1	Recovery Section	32	34	for 31 Nov 78 case
41	No. 2	"	32	34	called by this letter
			<u>22</u>	<u>484</u>	

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Appendix III

(a) Integral Units of Interim Army.

Ser- ial (a)	Unit (b)	No of Units (c)	Loca- tions (d)	Offs (e)	WE Strengths (f)	Remarks (g)
1.	Works Direc- torate Type 'A' @ 34 all ranks each	4	TURIN BOLOGNA RAPI NAPLES	-	156	
2.	Works Direc- torate Type 'B' @ 22 all ranks each	5	BOZZANO UDINE NOVE	-	66	
3.	Works Direc- torate Type 'C' @ 19 all ranks each	4	GENOVA MILAN FLORENCE PALERMO	-	76	
4.	Detached Works Secs	1	CASALEZARO	-	12	
5.	Detached Works Secs	1	SARDINIA	-	12	
6.	Detached Works Secs @ 4 each	17	(see col (d))	-	68	ALESSANDRIA - CUNEO - IMAZIA INDEGLIA - VIGONIA BELLUNO - FADONA TREVISO - TREVISO ANDONA - IMBROFI FERUGLIA - CHIETI SASSARI - AUNISIVA CALTANISSETTA

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torato Type 'D'	UNIT	ROME		
3.	Works Direc- torato Type 'C'	3	GENOVA MILANO MANTOVA PARMA	76
	@ 19 all ranks each			
4.	Detached Works Secs	1	CHIASSANO	12
5.	Detached Works Secs	1	SADEFIA	12
6.	Detached Works Secs @ 4 each	17	(see col (E))	68
			ALISSANDRIA - CANTU - LAUREA INDELLA - VERONA MANTOVA - PADOVA PALERMO - PERUGIA RAVENNA - REGGIO SALERNO - TORINO TRENTO - VERONA VICENZA - VERONA VIGEVANO	
7.	Ente Works Type 'A'	3	PAVIA ROME VERONA	156
	@ 52 all ranks			
8.	Ente Works Type 'B'	3	PALERMO ROME TORINO	90
	@ 30 all ranks each			
9.	10 Ente Rest	1	SALERNO TORINO	175
10.	Ente Service Coys	11	ONE IN EACH territorial HQ	1340
	@ 140 all ranks each			
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Appendix III (cont'd)

Ser iel	Units (b)	No of Units (c)	Local Locations (d)	Total Strength of units		Remarks (e)
				(f)	(g)	
11.	ENGR Bat	1	PAVIA	-	232	
12.	ENR I of C Bn	1	(PAVIA?)	-	500	
13.	All Park Coys @ 1/4 all ranks each	3	VICO DI PASSA CASALE MONTEPR PAVIA	-	402	Inf Div I of C units transferred from BR-III.
Total Integral Units				-	3465	
(b) Units to be retained temporarily:						
14.	Requisi- tioning Office	1	ROMB and Outstations	-	146	
15.	Mine Clear- ance Office	1	ROMB and Outstations	-	327	
16.	Mine Clear- ance Coys	4	GENOA BAGNACAVALLIO RAVENNA LUGO	-	896	
17.	Sectional Hotel Bridge Coys	2	TURIN CASALE MONF	-	549	
				-	1927	

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ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

(b) Units to be retained temporarily.

14.	Requisitioning Office	1	ROSE and Outstations	146
15.	Mine Clearance Office	1	MCBE and Outstations	227
16.	Mine Clearance Coys	4	GENOA MAGNACAVILLO NAVERIA INGO	636
17.	Sectional Metal Bridge Coys	2	TUDON CARRASCO JONES	544 1327

© 257 all ranks each NOMS..

1. Proportion between Officers and ORs dependent on details of IS.

2. 101 Forestry Coy which is an IRI-III unit is not included. Ministry of War to decide if it is required by any service other than EAFS.

3. The Eng L of C Dn is intended to supplement EAF units of Inf Divs if required or to supplement the Territorial Service Coys.

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Gates 12 May 45

SIGNALS

Integral Units of
Interim Army

Serial (a)	Unit (b)	No of Units (c)	Location (d)	WE Strength		Remarks (g)
				Offrs (e)	ORs (f)	
1	Terr Sig Coys @ 124 All Ranks	10	Each Terr HQ Less Sardinia	-	1240	
2	Ministry of War Sig Bn	1	Rome	-	473 420	
3	Ministry of War ELS Coy	1	Rome	3	82	
			Total	3	1712 1300	+

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+ Breakdown between offrs and ORs dependent on detailed WEs

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MOVEMENTS

Integral Units of the Interim Army

Serial (c)	Unit (b)	Location (c)	Strength		Total (f)
			Offr (a)	OR (e)	
1	601 Movement Control Area	MILAN	15	48	63
2	"	VENICE	16	43	59
3	"	BOLOGNA	28	72	100
4	"	ROME	16	47	63
5	"	BARI	13	35	48
6	"	NAPLES	15	43	58
7	"	FALERMO	9	26	35
8	"	CAGLIARI	7	18	25
9	"	CALABRIA	9	26	35
10	Pool		-	31 54	31 54
Total Integral Units			128	329 517	546 546

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Appendix 'J' to SD/92/3
dated 15 Nov 45

VETERINARY AND REMOUNTS

Integral units
of the Interim Army

Ser icl (a)	Unit (b)	Location (c)	Offrs (d)	WE STRENGTH		Total (f)
				ORs (e)		
1	Base Remount Depot	Grasseto	8	34		42
2	"	Fara Sabina	8	34		42
3	"	Persano	8	34		42
4	"	Bonorva	4	17		21
5	"	Pinerolo	8	34		42
6	"	Mirandola	8	34		42
7	Vet Infirmary	Turin	1	4		5
8	"	Genoa	1	4		5
9	"	Milan	1	4		5
10	"	Bolzano	1	4		5
11	"	Udine	1	4		5
12	"	Bologna	1	4		5
13	"	Florence	1	4		5
14	"	Rome	1	4		5
15	"	Bari	1	4		5
16	"	Naples	1	4		5
17	"	Palermo	1	4		5

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4	"	"	Bonorra	4	17	21
5	"	"	Pinerolo	8	34	42
6	"	"	Mirandola	8	34	42
7	Vet Infirmary		Turin	1	4	5
8	"	"	Genoa	1	4	5
9	"	"	Milan	1	4	5
10	"	"	Bolzano	1	4	5
11	"	"	Udine	1	4	5
12	"	"	Bologna	1	4	5
13	"	"	Florence	1	4	5
14	"	"	Rome	1	4	5
15	"	"	Bari	1	4	5
16	"	"	Naples	1	4	5
17	"	"	Palermo	1	4	5
18	"	"	Cagliari	1	4	5
19	"	"	Catanzaro	1	4	5
20	Principal Infirmary			-	72	72*
21	Bacteriological vet Laboratory		Rome	3	6	3
22	Sierological Vet Laboratory			3	6	9
				63	323	386

Notes
+ Breakdown to Cities and CAs not known

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MILITARY TRIBUNALS

Integral Units of the
Interim Army

<u>Serial</u> <u>(a)</u>	<u>Unit</u> <u>(b)</u>	<u>Location</u> <u>(c)</u>	<u>WE Strength</u> <u>(d)</u>	<u>Remarks</u> <u>(e)</u>
1	Supreme Military Tribunal	Turin		Distribution on basis of OMBAT 2/14 subject to alteration as necessary
2	Military Tribunal	Genoa		
3	"	Milan		
4	"	Verona		
5	"	Bologna		
6	"	Florence		
7	"	Rome		
8	"	Cristiano		
9	"	Bari		
10	"	Naples		
11	"	Palermo		
12	"		350	

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subject to
alteration
as necessary

2			
3	Turin		
4	Genoa		
5	Milan		
6	Verona		
7	Bologna		350
8	Florence		
9	Rome		
10	Cristiano		
11	Bari		
12	Naples		
	Falerno		
			<u>350</u>

Total Integral Units

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MILITARY PENAL INSTITUTES

Integral Units of the
Interim Army

<u>Ser-</u> <u>ial</u> <u>(a)</u>	<u>Unit</u> <u>(b)</u>	<u>No of</u> <u>Unit</u> <u>(c)</u>	<u>Location</u> <u>(d)</u>	<u>Offrs</u> <u>(e)</u>	<u>WE Strength</u> <u>ORs</u> <u>(f)</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>(g)</u>	<u>Remarks</u> <u>(h)</u>
1	Holding Centres (Detention Bks) @ 2 Officers and 25 ORs each	12	Milan Bologna Florence Palermo Catania Naples Rome Turin Barletta Crestano Verona Genoa	24	300	324	
2	Military Prisons @ 8 Offrs and 85 ORs each	4	Caeti (3) Paschiera (1)	32	340	372	
3	Discipline Coy	1	Piezighetta	3	13	16	
<u>Total Integral Units</u>				<u>59</u>	<u>653</u>	<u>712</u>	

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states under 2 (h) as an amendment

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Naples
Rome
Turin
Barletta
Crestano
Verona
Genoa

2	Military Prisons @ 8 Cffrs and 85 ORs each	4	Gaeta (3) Peschiera (1)	32	340	372
3	Discipline Coy	1	Pizzighettone	3	13	16
Total Integral Units				59	653	712

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states under 2 (2) as an amendment
to article 2
Total should be 669 instead of 712

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Appendix 'M' to SD/92/3
dated 13 Nov 45

GEOGRAPHICAL INSTITUTE

Integral Units of the
Interim Army

Ser ial (a)	Unit (b)	Location (c)	WE Strength		Remarks (g)
			Offrs (d)	ORs (e) Total (f)	
1	Geographical Institute	Florence	28	- 28	Org to depend on Ministry of War.
Total Integral Units			28	- 3	

Appendix 'N' to SD/92/3
dated Nov 45

WELFARE

Integral Units of the
Interim Army

WE Strength
Offrs ORs Total
Remarks

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WELFARE

Integral Units of the
Interim Army

Ser ial (a)	Unit (b)	Location (c)	WE Strength Offrs (d)	Offs (e)	Total (f)	Remarks (g)
1	Welfare Pool	Personnel to be allocated as necessary	30	60	90	This pool will be organized to provide welfare services and stations for attached as necessary Welfare staff officers at HQ or Tarr HQ etc who are already shown on a WE will not be carried against this Est

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Appendix 'O' to SD/92/3
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Camps for Repatriated P of W camps are required to be retained temporarily: to be a total strength of 2600 all ranks.

The units forming part of this 2600 will be those already organized for this work and any new units agreed upon with IAW Division AG.

Appendix 'P' to SD/92/3
Dated Nov 45.

TRANSIT CAMPS Etc.

Temporary Units

Ser ial <u>(a)</u>	Unit <u>(b)</u>	Location <u>(c)</u>	WE Strength		Remarks <u>(e)</u>
			Offrs <u>(d)</u>	ORs <u>(e)</u>	

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Appendix 'P' to SD/92/3
dated Nov 45.

TRANSIT CAMPS Etc.

Ser ial (a)	Units (b)	Location (c)	WE Strength		Total (d)	May be required labor as Integral Units
			Offrs (e)	Offcs (f)		
1.	802 Italian Re-org Centre	CRVIETO	77	293	370	}
2.	807 Italian Transit Camp	RAVISCANINA	6	102	108	
Total Temporary Units			83	395	478	

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Appendix 'Q'

Screening and Recovery Units.

(1) Units to be retained temporarily.

<u>Serial</u>	<u>Unit.</u>	<u>Location.</u>	<u>WE Strength</u>	
			<u>Offrs.</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	21 Recovery Unit	VICENZA	6	16
2.	"	UDINE	6	16
3.	"	MILAN	6	16
4.	"	BOZZANO	6	16
5.	"	TURIN	6	16
6.	"	GENOVA	6	16
		TOTAL	36	96
				132

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Subject :- ORGANICO.

(49)
Land Forces Sub Comm,
A.C.(M.M.I.A.)
ROME
EMB/1608
21 Dec.45.

To : Director of Art & Motorizzazione.
Ministry of War.

Please send, as soon as possible, to this office the War Establishments (ORGANICO), showing all trades, of units under your command used in Vehicle Repair.

That is :- LAD's
Mech.Eng.Workshops.
Mech.Eng.Platoons.
Various Territorial Command Workshops^{class}(1,2 & 3)
Recovery Commissions.
Workshops at Bologna.

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Capt.R.E.M.E.
for A.D.M.E.
Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.(M.M.I.A.)

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SUBJECT: WE CM/1018/1 - 12 BLU.

LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C. (MIA)

SD/45/2

14 Dec 45

TO : CHQ., CMF (3 copies)

Ref your letter 758/SD3 of 3 Dec 45, and confirming tele-
-phone conversation Stainton - Graham.

1. The substitution of an Ordnance Officer Capt for the pre-
-sent DADOS on the WE of 12 BLU is not agreed.
2. When WE CM/1018/1 was discussed both prior to and at CHQ
W.E.C. meeting dated 24 Nov 45, it was felt most strongly that the
responsibilities devolving upon the representatives of the services
warranted the retention of a 2nd grade staff officer in every case.
The W.E.C. agreed.
3. Since the date of that W.E.C. meeting the only change that
has taken place is the probability that more British equipment will
be provided to the Italian Army. The Italian Central Military Schools
are, in addition to their current training programme, now preparing for
the new system of recruiting and training which will be adopted in the
Italian Army in the next few months. It is essential that the BLU
staff WE remains unchanged during this planning period.

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TO : GHQ. CWP (3 copies)

Ref your letter 758/SD3 of 3 Dec 45, and confirming tele-
-phone conversation Stainton - Graham.

1. The substitution of an Ordnance Officer Capt for the pre-
-sent DADOS on the WE of 12 BLU is not agreed.
2. When WE CM/1018/1 was discussed both prior to and at GHQ
W.E.C. meeting dated 21 Nov 45, it was felt most strongly that the
responsibilities devolving upon the representatives of the services
warranted the retention of a 2nd grade staff officer in every case.
The W.E.C. agreed.
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be provided to the Italian Army. The Italian Central Military Schools
are, in addition to their current training programme, now preparing for
the new system of recruiting and training which will be adopted in the
Italian Army in the next few months. It is essential that the BLU
staff WE remains unchanged during this planning period.
4. If the W.E.C. desire to discuss this proposed amendment it
is recommended that it be heard at the same time (Jan 15) as the gen-
-eral review of the WEs of the remainder of the MHA organisations of
which 12 BLU forms an integral part.

Approved by
for Major General, G-2
M. M. I. A.

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MESSAGE FORM.

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FROM : NMIA
TO : AFHQ

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
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EMX/1608 (.) FOR ME (.) CM/1111/2 IS REFERENCE OF ME FOR
INCREMENT TO THIS MISSION (.) EFFECTIVE DATE 24 SEPT 45

PRECEDENCE

AUTHENTICATION

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Subject :- Specialist Personnel.

Land Forces Sub Comm,
A.C. (M.A.I.A.)
Room
Bldg/1308
19 Sept 45.

Dir. Gen. Affairs & Motorizations
Ministry of War.

1. To confirm arrangements made at the conference held at this Headquarters between 'A' Branch and H.Q., Branch of M.A.I.A. and C.A.A. and Corps Automobiles of the Ministry of War.
2. The deficiency of the III-III category in the new organisation after allowing for demobilisations up to 1945 class was 844 out of a total of 1000. This is a very serious deficiency and drastic steps are required to improve the position.
3. Against this deficiency 83 specialists have been posted to Territorial Headquarters BARI from 637 Italian Workshops Company and 50 specialists at GVA/TTO are to be transferred to HQ Regain Unit for III-III category. There are 30 specialists in III-III from US-III disbandments being transferred to Territorial Headquarters HQ for III-III reinforcements.
4. Points raised as suggestions to ensure that all efforts were made to put every specialist to best use, were as follows :-
(a) A letter will be sent to all Territorial Headquarters giving them power to screen all units, whether , III-III or III-III, within their territory, and ensure that specialists are being used to best advantage, arranging transfers between categories where

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... deficiency of specialists have been posted to Territorial Headquarters BAKI from 637 Iltis Workshops Company and 50 specialists at GAVINTS are to be transferred to 1st Repare Unit for IPI-III category. There are 30 specialists in and out from US-III detachments being transferred to Territorial Headquarters NIZAD for IPI-III reinforcements.

4. Points raised on suggestions to ensure that all efforts were made to get every specialist to best use, were as follows :-

(a) A letter will be sent to all Territorial Headquarters giving them power to screen all units, whether IPI-III or IPI-III, within their territory, and ensure that specialists are being used to best advantage, arranging transfers between categories where necessary.

(b) A proposal to re-commence the training of Army specialists in industrial schools will be submitted to M.S.I.A. by Ministry of War for consideration.

(c) M.S.I.A. D.O. 3 District will screen 67 divisions to ensure that reinforcements in 7th and 7th Iltis Workshops Companies surplus to requirements will be reported immediately for disposal instructions.

(d) All future dispatch orders will include special instructions for disposal of specialists.

5. Owing to present deficiency of 150 specialists in the Combat Groups, it was decided to post the present holding of approximately 60 specialists at GAVINTS to them.

6. Preference will be given in future to IPI-III Repare Units.

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(Trans)

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Major R. S. G. C.
for ... Branch,
Land Forces Sub Comm. (M.S.I.A.)

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EME/1608 P/A in W/E file.

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Subject:- War Establishments.

Headquarters.
R.E.M.E. Branch.
Tel : 66513
& 66515
REME/S/2
30 Nov '45.

To:- D.A.D.M.E., M.M.I.A.
H.Q., Allied Commission.

Ken

Attached please find copy W.E. XII/604A/2 (Light Aid Detachments R.E.M.E., Types "A", "B" and "C", Central Mediterranean) as requested.

413 1/12/45

J. Bellwood

Major,
D.A.D.M.E.
Rome Area Allied Command.
(J. BELLWOOD)

R 1/12/45

XII/604A/2

Notified in A.C.Is. 13th June, 1945

Effective date 13th April, 1945.

LIGHT AID DETACHMENTS, R. E. M. E. TYPES "A", "B", AND "C", CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(1) Personnel

	Type "A"		Type "B"		Type "C"
	Armoured Formations	Non-armoured Formations	Armoured Formations	Non-Armoured Formations	
Captain	1	-	-	-	1
Lieutenant	-	1	1	-	-
Total, Officers	1	1	1	-	1
Armament Artificers (a) -					
Warrant officer, class I	-	1	-	1	-
Warrant officer, class II	1	1	1	-	1
Total, warrant officers	1	1	1	1	1
Armament artificers (staff-serjeants)	-	-	-	-	(b)3
Vehicle mechanics (serjeants)	1	1	1	1	1
Total, staff serjeants & serjeants	1	1	1	1	4
Tradesmen (c) -					
Artisans (includes 1 corporal, 1 lance corporal) -	3	2	1	1	2
Driver mechanics	1	1	1	1	1
Driver mechanics, recovery	1	1	1	1	1
Electricians (vehicle and plant)	1	1	1	1	1
Vehicle mechanics (only for L.A.Ds. attached to artillery regiments)	-	2	2	2	3

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Captain	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Lieutenant	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-
Total, Officers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Armament Artificers (a) -									
Warrant officer, class I	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	1	-
Warrant officer, class II	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total, warrant officers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Armament artificers (staff-serjeants)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(b)3
Vehicle mechanics (serjeants)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total, staff serjeants & serjeants	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4
Tradesmen (c) -									
Artizans (includes 1 corporal, 1 lance corporal) -	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2
Driver mechanics	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Driver mechanics, recovery	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Electricians (vehicle and plant)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Vehicle mechanics (only for L.A.Ds. attached to artillery regiments)	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
Vehicle mechanics (not for L.A.Ds. attached to artillery regiments)	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	4
Fitters (only for L.A.Ds. attached to artillery regiments)	-	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2
Fitters (not for L.A.Ds. attached to artillery regiments)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Turners	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Welders (acetylene)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Welders (electric)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clerks Technical	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Storemen (vehicle) (includes lance corporal)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Non-tradesmen -									
Batmen-drivers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Drivers, I.C.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total, rank and file	15	13	12	11	10	10	10	10	17
Total, other ranks	17	15	14	13	12	12	12	12	22
Total, light aid detachments P.E.M.S. type "A", "B" & "C" Central Mediterranean	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23
	18	16	14	14	14	14	14	14	23

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LIGHT AID DETACHMENTS, R.E.M.E., TYPES "A", "B" AND "C", CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

WAR ESTABLISHMENT - continued

(ii) Transport

Motor-cycles, solo	1	1	1	1	1	1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4 -						
G.S. (m)	(d)1	(d)1	(d)1	(d)1	(d)1	(d)2
Machinery, type K. light	-	-	-	-	-	1
Lorries, 3-ton -						
6 x 4, Stores, binned	2	2	2	2	2	1
4 x 4, Machinery, type M.	1	-	-	-	-	1
4 x 4, G.S.	-	-	-	-	-	1
Tractors -						
6 x 4, Breakdown, heavy	(e)1	(e)1	(e)1	1	1	-
6 x 6, Breakdown, heavy	-	-	-	-	-	1
Trailer, 7½-ton, 6-wheeled, light recovery	1	-	-	(f)1	(f)1	-
Armoured recovery vehicle (with winch)	-	-	-	-	-	1

(ii) Allotment of Light Aid Detachments to

Formations and Units

Type "A" - Infantry Brigade - Lorried Infantry Brigade (when lifted by R.A.S.C. Transport) - Independent Infantry Brigade Group (h) - Anti-Tank Regiment - Survey Regiment - Corps Signals - Army Signals - Headquarters Signals - Headquarters C.W. Group - Headquarters Army Recovery Company - I of C Signals - A.F. Signals.

Type "A" - (Armoured Car Regiment) Armoured Car Regiments and all armoured and Infantry Divisional Reconnaissance Regiments (1).

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(ii) Allotment of Light Aid Detachments to

Formations and Units

Type "A" . Infantry Brigade - Lorried Infantry Brigade (when lifted by R.A.S.C. Transport) - Independent Infantry Brigade Group (h) - Anti-Tank Regiment - Survey Regiment - Corps Signals - Army Signals - Headquarters Signals - Headquarters C.W. Group - Headquarters Army Recovery Company - L of C Signals - A.F. Signals.

Type "A" . (Armoured Car Regiment)
Armoured Car Regiments and all armoured and Infantry Divisional Reconnaissance Regiments (1).

Type "B" . Motor Battalion - Machine gun Battalion - Royal Horse Artillery Regiment - Field Regiment - Medium Regiment - Heavy Regiment (g) - Infantry and Armoured Divisional Signals - Field Park Company - Field Park Squadron - Independent Infantry Brigade Group (h) - Airfield Construction Group - Headquarters Armoured Division (k) - Headquarters Corps (k).

Type "C" . Armoured Regiment - Army Tank Battalion - Artillery Regiment (S.P.) Reconnaissance Regiment (1).

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- (a) Armament Artificer (vehicle) in all Light Aid Detachments except Light Aid detachments attached Artillery Regiments (non S.P.) which have Armament artificers (field).
- (b) Armament Artificer (Vehicle). In R.A.C. units one will be detached to each squadron, and carried in squadron transport. In Artillery Regiments with more than one S.P. battery, one will be Armament Artificer (field). In Anti-Tank Regiments with one S.P. battery two Armament Artificers only will be included, one of whom will be field.
- (c) Tradesmen will be class I where possible, but in no case less than class II.
- (d) When a Light Aid Detachment is serving a Unit, the war establishment of which includes Armourer(s) R.E.M.E., one additional Truck, 15-cwt. G.S. is authorised, and the armourer(s) will be under the control of the officer or warrant officer in charge Light Aid Detachment.
- (e) Two for Light Aid Detachments attached Corps Signals.
- (f) For Light Aid Detachments attached Motor Battalions.
- (g) Type "B" (Armoured).
- (h) One Light Aid Detachment Type "A" (non-armoured) and one Light Aid Detachment Type "B" (non-armoured) for each Headquarters Independent Infantry Brigade Group.
- (k) Type "B" (non-armoured).
- (l) Light Aid Detachment will be Type "C" when a Reconnaissance Regiment is equipped with tanks.
- (m) Will be Truck, 15-cwt., Armoured in Light Aid Detachment, Type "A" Armoured car and Type "C".

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Light class II.

- (d) When a Light Aid Detachment is serving a Unit, the war establishment of which includes Armourer(s) R.E.M.E., one additional Truck, 15-cwt. G.S. is authorised, and the armourer(s) will be under the control of the officer or warrant officer in charge Light Aid Detachment.
- (e) Two for Light Aid Detachments attached Corps Signals.
- (f) For Light Aid Detachments attached Motor Battalions.
- (g) Type "B" (Armoured).
- (h) One Light Aid Detachment Type "A" (non-armoured) and one Light Aid Detachment Type "B" (non-armoured) for each Headquarters Independent Infantry Brigade Group.
- (k) Type "B" (non-armoured).
- (l) Light Aid Detachment will be Type "C" when a Reconnaissance Regiment is equipped with tanks.
- (m) Will be Truck, 15-cwt., Armoured in Light Aid Detachment, Type "A" Armoured car and Type "C".

This establishment supersedes W.E. No. XII/604A/I.

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**VEHICLE REPAIR WORKSHOP
FOR RTC ICF**
**OFFICINA RIPARAZIONI
AUTOVEICOLI PER CENTRO
ADDESTRAMENTO COMPLE-
MENTI PER F.I.C.**

Ampl. No - Variante n.	—
Date - Data	31/5/45
Offrs - Uff.	3
ORs - Truppa	96
Total - Totale	99
M/cw - Motoc.	2
Vehicles - Veicoli	9
Trailers - Rimorchi	—

i) PERSONNEL — PERSONALE

Detail - Dettaglio	Offrs U.O.U.	Senior NCOs Sottuff.	Junior NCOs Gral. Li di Tr.	Ptes Soldi	Total Totale
Officers — Ufficiali.					
Captain OC — Comandante (Capitano)	1	—	—	—	1
Lieutenant (Inspections) — Tenente (Ad- dello alla sorveglianza)	1	—	—	—	1
Lieutenant (Administration) — Tenente (Amministrazione)	1	—	—	—	1
Total — Totale...	3	—	—	—	3
Other Ranks — Sottufficiali e Truppa					
Technical Sergeants — Sottufficiali specializzati					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	1	—	—	1
« B » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « B »	—	2	—	—	2
Motor Cycles — Motocicli	—	1	—	—	1
Inspections — Sorveglianza	—	2	—	—	2
Vehicle Mechanics — Meccanici motoristi.					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	—	3	1	4
« B » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « B »	—	—	8	4	12
Motor Cycles — Motocicli	—	—	2	2	4
Inspections — Sorveglianza	—	—	2	—	2
Driver Mechanics — Automobilisti meccanici					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	—	—	4	4
« B » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « B »	—	—	—	12	12
Motor Cycles — Motocicli	—	—	—	2	2
Recoveries — Recuperi	—	—	1	1	2
Fitters — Montatori	—	—	1	1	2
Electricians — Elettricisti					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	—	—	1	1
General — Generici	—	1	1	3	5

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Detall - Dettaglio	Offrs U.S.A.	Senior NCOs Sottuff.	Junior NCOs Grad. II di Tr.	P.Ten Sold	Total Totale
Armourers - <i>Armaioli</i>	—	1	1	3	5
Carpenters - <i>Carpentieri</i>	—	—	1	1	2
Painters - <i>Verniciatori</i>	—	1	—	2	3
Welders - <i>Saldatori</i>	—	—	—	1	1
Sheet Metal Workers - <i>Laminatori</i>	—	—	—	1	1
Blacksmiths - <i>Fabbri</i>	—	—	1	1	2
Turner - <i>Tornitore</i>	—	—	—	1	1
Coach Trimmer - <i>Carrozziere</i>	—	—	—	1	1
Storeman Technical (Vehicles) - <i>Magazziniere veicoli</i>	—	1	—	2	3
Storeman Regimental - <i>Magazziniere reggimentale</i>	—	1	—	1	2
Interpreter - <i>Interprete</i>	—	1	—	—	1
Clerks - <i>Scritturali</i>	—	—	—	—	—
Technical - <i>Specializzati</i>	—	—	1	—	1
Regimental - <i>Reggimentali</i>	—	—	—	1	1
Rations - <i>Addetti ai viveri</i>	—	1	—	1	2
Cooks - <i>Cucinieri</i>	—	—	—	2	2
Duty Serjeant - <i>Sottufficiale di servizio</i>	—	1	—	—	1
Drivers IC - <i>Automobilisti</i>	—	—	—	3	3
General Duties - <i>Militari addetti ai servizi vari</i>	—	—	—	5	5
Sanitary Orderlies - <i>Aiutanti di sanità</i>	—	—	—	1	1
Batmen - <i>Attendenti</i>	—	—	—	2	2
Total ORs - <i>Totale Truppa</i>	—	14	22	60	96
Total Vehicle Repair Workshop for RTC, ICF - <i>Totale Officina Riparazioni Autoveicoli per Centro Addestramento Complementi per F.I.C.</i>	3	14	22	60	99

ii) TRANSPORT — *MEZZI DI TRASPORTO*

Motor-Cycles - <i>Motocicli</i>	2
Cars 2-str 4x2 - <i>Automobili (vedi centro)</i>	1
Trucks 15 - cwt 4x2 GS - <i>Autocarri leggeri (id.)</i>	2
Lorries 3 - ton 4x2 GS - <i>Autocarri pesanti (id.)</i>	2
" 4x2 Workshops - <i>Autocarri pesanti officina (id.)</i>	2
Tractor 6x4 Breakdown - <i>Trattore attrezzato per smontaggi</i>	2

This Establishment will NOT be implemented without AFHQ authority.
Il presente organico NON può entrare in vigore senza l'autorizzazione del Comando Alleato.

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**OFFICINA RIPARAZIONI
AUTOVEICOLI PER CENTRO
ADDESTRAMENTO COMPLE-
MENTI PER F.I.C.**

Amdt No - Variante n.	—
Date - Data	31/5/45
Offce - Uff.	3
Offs - Truppa	00
Total - Totale	00
Mtes - Motoc.	2
Vehicles - Veicoli	9
Trailers - Rimorchi	—

i) PERSONNEL — PERSONALE

Detail - Dettaglio	Offce Uff. U.	Senior NCOs Sottuff.	Junior NCOs Grad. di Tr.	Ptes Soldi	Total Totale
Officers — Ufficiali.					
Captain OC — Comandante (Capitano)	1	—	—	—	1
Lieutenant (Inspections) — Tenente (Ad- dello alla sorveglianza)	1	—	—	—	1
Lieutenant (Administration) — Tenente (Amministrazione)	1	—	—	—	1
Total — Totale...	3	—	—	—	3
Other Ranks — Sottufficiali e Truppa					
Technical Sergeant — Sottufficiali specializzati					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	1	—	—	1
« B » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « B »	—	2	—	—	2
Motor Cycles — Motocicli	—	1	—	—	1
Inspections — Sorveglianza	—	2	—	—	2
Vehicle Mechanics — Meccanici motoristi					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	—	3	1	4
« B » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « B »	—	—	8	4	12
Motor Cycles — Motocicli	—	—	2	2	4
Inspections — Sorveglianza	—	—	2	—	2
Driver Mechanics — Automobilisti meccanici					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	—	—	4	4
« B » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « B »	—	—	—	12	12
Motor Cycles — Motocicli	—	—	—	2	2
Recovery — Recupero	—	—	1	1	2
Filters — Montatori	—	—	1	1	2
Electricians — Elettricisti					
« A » Vehicles — Autoveicoli « A »	—	—	—	1	1
General — Generali	—	1	1	3	5

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Detall - Dettaglio	Ofrs U.S.A.	Senior NCOs Sottuff.	Junior NCOs (Gradi di Tr.)	Ptes Sold	Total Totale
Armourers - Armaioli	—	1	1	3	5
Carpenters - Carpenteri	—	—	1	1	2
Painters - Verniciatori	—	1	—	2	3
Welders - Saldatori	—	—	—	1	1
Sheet Metal Workers - Laminatori	—	—	1	1	2
Blacksmiths - Fabbri	—	—	—	1	1
Turner - Tornitore	—	—	—	1	1
Coach Trimmer - Carroziere	—	—	—	2	3
Storeman Technical (Vehicles) - Magazziniere veicoli	—	1	—	—	2
Storeman Regimental - Magazziniere reggimentale	—	1	—	—	1
Interpreter - Interprete	—	—	—	—	—
Clerks - Scritturali	—	—	1	—	1
Technical - Specializzati	—	—	—	1	1
Regimental - Reggimentali	—	1	—	1	2
Rations - Addetti ai viveri	—	—	—	2	2
Cooks - Cucinieri	—	1	—	—	1
Duty Sergeant - Sottufficiali di servizio	—	—	—	3	3
Drivers IC - Automobilisti	—	—	—	5	5
General Duties - Militari addetti ai servizi vari	—	—	—	1	1
Sanitary Orderlies - Aiutanti di sanità	—	—	—	2	2
Batmen - Attendenti	—	—	—	—	—
Total ORs - Totale Truppa...	—	14	22	63	99
Total Vehicle Repair Workshop for RTC, ICF - Totale Officina Riparazioni Autoveicoli per Centro Addestramento Complementi per F.I.C.	3	14	22	60	99

ii) TRANSPORT — MEZZI DI TRASPORTO

Motor-Cycles - Motocicli	1
Cars 2-wr 4x2 - Automobili (vedi contro)	12
Trucks 15 - cwt 4x2 GS - Autocarri leggeri (id.)	12
Lorries 3 - ton 4x2 GS - Autocarri pesanti (id.)	12
" 4x2 Workshops - Autocarri pesanti officina (id.)	12
Tractor 6x4 Breakdown - Trattore attrezzato per smantaggi	12

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TRANSPORT SERVICE
(enclosure E to ltr ED/92/3 of 13/11/45)

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Transport (enclosure E (a))

a) Ambulance Sections: 5 Ambulance Sections are authorized by MMIA on reduced WE only (15 vehicles instead of 31); it necessary to give all of them the WE of 31 vehicles (16 x 5)

It is necessary to change all the numbers in correspondence of the Mil. Terr. Comd where they have been allotted.

b) H.V.Ps. - Are missing in GREGA and PREGIO, strength of each 21 vehicles.

All the numbers are to be changed.

It is requested to include them in the WE of the nucleus refurnishing vehicles in transit (under command SARE).

Repairs (enclosure E (b))

155 Workshop Unit for Cesano (99 vehicles) has been included; our scheme foresees two of them. It is requested to include in service units the other one.

Requirements	Recovery
80	
42	
9	
99	
TOTAL	
230	

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(allegato E al f. 30/92/5 del 13/11/45)

Trasporti (allegato E lettera a)

a) - sezioni autoveicoli: 5 sezioni autoveicoli vengono autorizzate dalla MMIA solamente su organici ridotti (15 u. invece di 31); è necessario dare a tutte l'organico di 31 u. (16 x 5)

Occorre per tutto cambiare la numerazione in corrispondenza del Comiliter di esecuzione.

b) - parchi veicoli efficienti mancano quelli per Genova e Palermo, forza di ciascuno 21 u. Occorre per tutti cambiare la numerazione. Si richiede l'inserimento negli organici del nucleo rifornimenti mezzi di passaggio (dip. SMI)

Rifornimenti (allegato E lettera b)

È stata compresa la 155 off. ripar. auto per Casano (99 u.); il nostro studio per Casano ne prevede due. Si richiede di computare tra le unità dei servizi anche l'altra.

Totale

	Fabbisogno	Recupero
a)	80	
b)	42	
	9	
Totale	230	

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Type 'C'

Army Regt
Army the Base
Arty Regt SP.
Piece.

PH
in W.E. file

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- 1 Captain
 - 1 W.O. II
 - 3 S/Sgts
 - 1 Sgt
 - 17 Rank & file
-
- 23

- Transport
- 1 M/c
- 2 x 15wt GS
- 1 do Machy Type R (lt Welding)
- 3 Tan Stoves Burned
- 1 Machy. Type M. lathe ^{5"} Dr. Machine
- 3 Tan GS
- 1 + 6 tan sawdown box
- 1 15wt for armor

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UNCLASSIFIED.

SUBJECT : 85 Co-operators E & M Platoon - TONG SAIA.

LAND FORCE HQ
(M.M.I.A.) R G M E .
Tel: 489081 Ext: 533
A 110/2
14 Nov. 65

TO : Ministry of War.

holding
The ~~posting~~ of 23 Other Ranks (Rt-ITI) to 85 Co-operators E & M Platoon (vide Order of Battle 2/14 page 26) surplus to W.S. 08/1502/1 (59 all ranks) is authorized w.e.f. 16 Nov pending an amendment to this S.O. The total authorized strength will therefore be 82 all ranks.

P/A
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Major General
M.M.I.A.

COPY TO : O.C. 85 Co-operators E & M Platoon (Please send letter to R.A.A.C., copy M.M.I.A., requesting increase in W.S. and giving reasons. Your EM/9 of 11 Nov refers)

O.G. R.A.A.C.

INTERNAL : G (30) (2)
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CONFIDENTIAL AND
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SUBJECT: Military Mission to the Italian Army
Reorganisation.

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

SD/101

8 Nov 45

TO : CHQ., CHIF for (Two)
GSD (2)
A 1
Q (2)
G (SD) (3)
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1. Reference Appx 'P' to AFHQ letter 210/CHG - 3 of 6 Dec 1944, AFHQ
WEC Minutes Meeting 237 dated 24 Sept 45 Serials 2535/6/7/8 and telephone
conversation Stainton - Huckle 8 Nov 45. Formal application is made to form
the units specified in Appendix 1 (a) and convert the units specified in
Appendix 1 (b) with effect from 15 Nov 45.

(a) See Appx 1 attached
(b) " " "
(c) " " "
(d) " " "
(e) " " "

2. Increase of 3 - DGS: DOS: LHE: on TB CV/241/5.

3. Nil

4. Vide this HQ letters SD/101 of 31 Aug para III and SD/101 of 18
Sept para III; on the instructions of AFHQ.

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3 (SD) (3)
CHQ 2nd Ech (Stats)

1. Reference Appx 'B' to AFHQ letter 210/CHG - 3 of 6 Dec 1944, AFHQ HQ Minutes Meeting 237 dated 24 Sept 45 Serials 2635/6/7/8 and telephone conversation Stainton - Huckle 8 Nov 45. Formal application is made to form the units specified in Appendix 1 (a) and convert the units specified in Appendix 1 (b) with effect from 15 Nov 45.

- (a) See appx 1 attached
- (b) " " " "
- (c) " " " "
- (d) " " " "
- (e) " " " "

2. Instructions 1, 2 - DCS: ADOS: IHEE: ON TD 0/241/5.

3. Nil

4. Vide this HQ letters SD/101 of 31 Aug para III and SD/101 of 18 Sept para III; on the instructions of AFHQ.

5. Vide this HQ letters SD/101 of 31 Aug and 18 Sept para III in each case.

- 6. CHQ 041/1610 for units at appx 1 (a) serial 1 and 2
 MHL/43 Corps " " " " serial 7
 MHL/2 Dist " " " " 3, 4, 5, 6, 8.
 MHL/3 Dist " " " " 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

7. Not available.

8. 15 Nov 45.

9. As stated in para 1 (a) above.

10. Inpress a/c's will be necessary.

JENS/JW

Copy to: 15 Corps. 2 Dist. 3 Dist. H.M.C.
 J.C. For Chief Commissioner
 Executive Commissioner
 Establishments Sec
 All MHL 10's & ECU's

G. M. I. A.
 Major General,
 H. M. I. A.

Internal: (Two)
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(a)	Units to be formed and new establishments to which units are to be converted	WE	Offrs
1.	Military Mission to the Italian Army (MMIA) ROME	CM/241/5	27
2.	Increment to " " " " " "	CM/1111/2	14
3.	1 BLU (Type A) to Italian Territorial Headquarters TURIN Command	CM/1112/2	5
4.	2 BLU (Type B) " " " " " GENOA Command	CM/1130/1	2
5.	3 BLU (Type A) " " " " " MILAN Command	CM/1112/2	5
6.	4 BLU (Type A) " " " " " BOLZANO Command	CM/1112/2	5
7.	5 BLU (Type A) " " " " " UDINE Command	CM/1112/2	5
8.	6 BLU (Type B) " " " " " BOLOGNA Command	CM/1130/1	2
9.	7 BLU (Type B) " " " " " FLORENCE Command	CM/1130/1	2
10.	8 BLU (Type B) " " " " " ROME Command	CM/1130/1	2
11.	9 BLU (Type B) " " " " " BARI Command	CM/1130/1	2
12.	10 BLU (Type A) " " " " " NAPLES Command	CM/1112/2	5
13.	11 BLU (Type B) " " " " " SICILY Command (Palermo)	CM/1130/1	2
	Total		78

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Appendix 1 to MMIA SD/101 dated 8 Nov 45.

new establishments to reverted	WE	Offrs	ORs	Vchs	MCs	Remarks
Italian Army (MMIA) ROME	CM/241/5	27	94	26	2	
" " " "	CM/1111/2	14	15	-		
Territorial Headquarters TURIN Command	CM/1112/2	5	12	4	2	formerly 51 BLU
" " " GENOA Command	CM/1130/1	2	4	2	1	
" " " MILAN Command	CM/1112/2	5	12	4	2	formerly 50 BLU
" " " BOIZANO Command	CM/1112/2	5	12	4	2	formerly 53 BLU
" " " UDINE Command	CM/1112/2	5	12	4	2	formerly 52 BLU
" " " BOLOGNA Command	CM/1130/1	2	4	2	1	
" " " FLORENCE Command	CM/1130/1	2	4	2	1	
" " " ROME Command	CM/1130/1	2	4	2	1	
" " " BARI Command	CM/1130/1	2	4	2	1	
" " " NAPLES Command	CM/1112/2	5	12	4	2	formerly 56 BLU
" " " SICILY Command (Palermo)	CM/1130/1	2	4	2	1	
Total		78	193	58	18	

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(b) Old establishments from which units are to be converted						Offrs	ORs	Vehs	MCs.
1.	33	Military Mission				67	174	52	8
2.	50	BLU to Italian Combat Group	FRIULI			9	21	7	2
3.	51	BLU " " " "	CREMONA			9	21	7	2
4.	52	BLU " " " "	LEGHNO			9	21	7	2
5.	53	BLU " " " "	BOLGORE			9	21	7	
6.	56	BLU " " " "	BIETOVA			9	21	7	2
						112	279	37	18
(c)	NIL								
(d)	Net increase --- NIL								
(e)	Net decrease					34	86	29	

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	YE	Offrs	ORs	Vchs	MCs	Remarks	
	CM/211/3	67	174	52	8		
Group	FRIULI	CM/508/2	9	21	7	2	to become 3 BLU MILAN
"	CREMONA	"	9	21	7	2	" " 1 " TURIN
"	LEGHANO	"	9	21	7	2	" " 5 " UDINE
"	FOLGORE	"	9	21	7		" " 4 " BOLZANO
"	MANOVA	"	9	21	7	2	" " 10 " NAPLES
		112	279	37	18		
		34	86	29			

NIL

EM/168 JH
RIME 90a

Subject: Proposed EM/168 - Italian Div. Div.

52 British Liaison Unit,
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Tele No 2451-2-3.
6 Nov 45.

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To: EM/168, EM/168.

Copy to: EM/168, 2 District,
EM/168, 52 EM/168.
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1. Since the EM/168 meeting in EM/168 on 2 Nov 45, considerable thought has been given to the decisions made, particularly the one regarding the removal of the EM/168 movement, and, emphasized by both myself and EM/168 50 EM/168 during this meeting, under the present circumstances this step is considered most inadvisable and serious consequences would immediately result. Particularly in view of the complete absence of technical specialist replacements and the proposed increase of specialized expert, ie: 4-2' markers, 17 pr A B, Scout cars, etc, which will all require additional EM/168 instruction and liaison, and from the EM/168 point of view, considerable work in the preparation of additional spare listings.
2. If, in the first place, EM/168 2's Centre had been able to produce the anticipated flow of Italian EM/168 replacements, trained in the repair of Fiat EM/168 and conversant with Fiat repair procedure, the proposed withdrawal of the majority of the EM/168 movement would, by now, have been feasible; in fact, it can be said with the EM/168 Div, a fairly efficient EM/168 EM/168 was in full swing by Apr 45 - this in spite of a late start. However, EM/168 have been unable to produce this reserve of technical personnel and since the commencement of the Italian Army EM/168 and Service Release scheme the work of the EM/168 movement has steadily increased, until at its present state it is considerably higher than during the actual war period.
3. This replacement difficulty is not only confined to EM/168 EM/168 and a far more serious effect has resulted from the loss of experienced officer personnel in both the EM/168 and the EM/168, and this has made necessary considerable additional supervision and instruction by EM/168.
4. The present position was foreseen by us in its early stages and steps were taken to counteract it by arranging EM/168 courses and other forms of instruction, with the result that we are now probably in a better position than most other Italian EM/168, and with a continued effort will have some possibility of recovery. It will therefore be realized that it will be most disappointing and unsatisfactory to us to see our EM/168 and efforts fall through and the EM/168 Div disintegrate, due to a premature removal

2. In the first place, COMBANDO's Centre has been trained in the re-
 the anticipated flow of Italian Irregular replacements, trained in the re-
 pair of kit and component with their repair procedure, the proposed
 withdrawal of the majority of the 2nd Div. would, by now, have been
 feasible, in fact, it can be said with the 1st Div. a fairly efficient
 force was in full swing by Apr 45 - this in spite of a late start. How-
 ever, COMBANDO have been unable to produce this reserve of technical personnel
 and despite the commitment of the Italian Army Age and Service Release scheme
 the work of the 2nd Div. has steadily increased, until at its present
 state it is considerably higher than during the actual war period.

3. This replacement difficulty is not only confined to the Irregular and a
 far more serious effect has resulted from the loss of experienced officer
 personnel in both the 2nd and 1st Divs, and this has made necessary con-
 siderable additional supervision and instruction by HQ.

4. The present position was foreseen by us in its early stages and steps
 were taken to counteract it by arranging their courses and other forms of
 instruction, with the result that we are now probably in a better position
 than most other Italian Divs, and with a continued effort will have some
 possibility of recovery. It will therefore be realised that it will be
 most disappointing and unsatisfactory to us to see our plans and efforts
 fall through and the 1st Div. being disintegrated, due to a premature removal
 of 2nd Div. equipment.

5. To obtain some true idea of the present critical position a review of
 the present commitments of my 2nd Div. will possibly be useful, and we
 are therefore detailing some of those in brief notes-form at Appx 'B'.

6. In view of the above, it is obvious that some transition plans are
 required from the Services point of view for the change-over from British
 to Italian Administration, particularly in view of the statement by HQ
 that no such specialist requirements can be expected before Mar 46, and it
 is felt that immediate consideration should be given to a Joint Ord and
 PMS proposal. We have discussed the matter with Gen 52 HQ who are in
 entire agreement and we propose the following alternative given at Appx 'A',
 and in view of the seriousness of this matter would appreciate an immediate
 review of the whole question, which we suggest could best be effected by a
 Joint Ord and PMS meeting at HQ HQHQ, HQHQ.

R. W. Nelson
 HQ HQHQ

PROPOSED 'SUBSTITUTION' PLAN (RELATES TO ITALIAN REPRESENTATION)
Reference is to HQ/2/22 of 6 Nov.

1. Urgency considerations.

- (a) His replacement personnel can only be obtained from civilian sources and will therefore continue to require try and instruction. If the Italian Div is to continue with Brit eggs.
- (b) Jod also regards as still Brit eggs and although Italian personnel, Jod also regards as being caused they are now at present concerned entirely with Italian eggs and if required to handle Brit eggs held by Italian Div will obviously require extensive re-training.
- (c) Veb replacement and his procedure is still controlled by Jod and Jod's and for liaison with Gen Van Zwam and Jod's Vamps Jod's personnel are required.
- (d) Gen inherits to Jod still require Brit channels and Jod's keep and Gen in this Div although Italian are now on Brit lines and require considerable Brit supervision.
- (e) The proposal regarding the allocation of one year's supply of spares and replacements to the Italian Div is most impracticable as no satisfactory allocation could be forecast and it is unlikely that present commitments would permit an allocation on such a scale.

2. Proposed Plan.

(a) Jod's Div to remain with Div until either try of civilian replacement has been completed, or trained Jod's are available from HQ/2/22, and the present crisis is over and the Div is once again on a sound technical footing. This period will also be dependent on the attainment of trained Italian Map officers and the importance of this question can not be over emphasized.

(b) Jod's operations from the Italian Terr Code revert to his present Italian Div. Under this arrangement he could divide his time between instruction of Italian Jod's at Gen (who from past experience are not even concerned with the basic Jod's procedure) and his respective Italian Div. In my case I would suggest that I should be temporarily attached to the Terr Code, Jod's where I could quite easily attend to the requirements of the Jod's Div and also maintain my Jod's here in its present location.

NOTE: The above 2 points will, with slight modifications, be also applicable to Gen, as under present circumstances it is difficult to imagine an Italian Div equipped with Brit eggs and supplied from Brit sources functioning without Gen's representation.

2. Proposed Plan.

(a) Stage 1.
The first year to remain with the until either top of civilian trans-
mission has been completed, or trained staff are available from CHINA, and
the present crisis is over and the Div is also again on a sound technical
footing. This period will also be dependent on the treatment of trained
Italian Navy officers and the importance of this question can not be over
emphasized.

(b) Stage 2.
The second year the Italian Navy Comd request to his present
Italian Div. When this arrangement has been made his time between
instruction of Italian RMB at base (who from past experience are not
even conversant with the basic RMB procedure) and his respective Italian
Div. In my case I would suggest that I should be temporarily rotated
to the Navy Comd, from where I could quite easily attend to the require-
ments of the Italian Div and also maintain my RMB Div in its present
location.

Remarks: The above 2 years will, with slight modifications, be also
applicable to one, as under present circumstances it is
difficult to imagine an Italian Div equipped with just eight
and supplied from Brit sources functioning without any reg-
imentation.

Stage 3.

Transfer-over to complete Italian Div.

(a) Initial Year withdrawal: The first year will be posted
to Capt RMB at Navy Comd. These additional personnel are absolutely
essential as it is quite impossible for the 10 men to efficiently attend
to his duties without their assistance. Particularly as it is quite
possible that more than one Group may come under his respective Navy Comd
with possible additional Navy Comd.

(b) A pool of specialist technicians, 10 Radio and Instrument Techni-
cians and Amateurs, held for all five Italian Divs; this pool to assist with
any particular difficulties and to be co-ordinated with either by the RMB
of RMB or RMB in RMB.

(c) A Tech Translation Bureau to be set up by RMB to attend to the
translation and co-ordination of technical instructions and data at
present being handled by individual RMB. This has been necessary
since the inauguration of the Italian Comd Groups and the carrying in
regulation and overlapping of this type of work would be most beneficial
to the Italian Div organization.

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Appendix 'B' to RNS/2/2 of 6 Nov.

PRESENT COMPOSITION OF REGT THE IAFM ASSIGNED TO 52 BIV.

1. Use and Distribution of civilian Tradesmen. Approx 120 civilian tradesmen are now held in lieu of deficiencies of mil personnel, and although the majority of these personnel are satisfactory from the tech point of view they are not conversant with Brit eqpts or IAFM methods and their instructions fall largely on the RNS sig line. It should also be noted that with the latest Age and Services releases it will be necessary to increase the figure of 120 by approx a further 80 personnel which will then represent two-thirds of the total IAFM specialists held by an Italian Div.

These tradesmen have not been taken on by some of the other Divs but it is apparent that this step is necessary if the Divs are to survive and a reasonable efficiency of the IAFM services maintained - an efficiency without which no operational role, however small, can be allotted to the Div.

2. Census of potential Tradesmen in Units of INFANTRY DIV. A complete census of all potential tradesmen has just been completed by this Div and in spite of IAFM statements that no tech personnel could be found, some 90 tradesmen of Classes 1/20 - 28 have been found in the Regts and in the lower classes of their trades and the figures were considerably higher. Complete details of their trades and distribution are given in tables 1 and 2 to this App.

These personnel are now passing through the Div Workshops where they are being vetted and trained prior to reallocation. It is then proposed to re-distribute them independent of previous Regts, and to supply from them the following urgent requirements:

- (i) Unit Fitters (ii) Motor Tradesmen (iii) Sgt 830s.
- This work is largely being completed by the IAFM Div and should show considerable results within the next few weeks.

3. IAFM Wt School. Courses in Wt Repair, Gun and Small Arms Repair and other trades have been continuous since Feb, and since we have been static it has been possible to open a Div Wt school, which in view of the unbridgeable gap between the release of mil personnel and the first Italian call-up is now of even greater importance.

Arrangements have been made for an IAFM and Sgt Wt course, and within the next few days the Inf Regts will be sending in their IAFMs and Sgt 830s. For this course, complete translation has been made of both Sgt - Veh Records etc, IAFM, and other Standard Maint Guides, and from which a standardised method of Sgt control has been drawn up for general adoption throughout this Div.

Driving and Maint classes are also being arranged by some of the Regt IAFMs under RNS supervision, and as considerable enthusiasm has been raised by various forms of propaganda, the time is now ripe for a general effort in this direction.

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2. Losses of potential transmission in units of IRRAND Div. A complete census of all potential transmitters has just been completed by this Div. and in spite of CIA statements that no Tech personnel could be found, some 90 transmitters of classes 1920 - 23 have been found in the Regts and in the lower classes of their and under the flag were considerably higher. Complete details of their traces and distribution are given in Tables 1 and 2 to this app.

These personnel are now passing through the Div Regts where they are being vetted and trained prior to reallotment. It is then proposed to re-distribute them independent of previous Regts, and to supply from them the following urgent requirements:

(1) Unit Officers (11) WAs: Transmitters (120) Tpt WAs.

This work is largely being undertaken by the 2nd Regt and should show considerable results within the next few weeks.

3. WASER Div School. Courses in WE Repair, Gun and Small Arms Repair and other trades have been continuous since Feb, and since we have been static it has been possible to open a Div WE School, which in view of the unavoidable gap between the release of all personnel and the first WEI in call-up is now of even greater importance.

Arrangements have been made for an AWG and Tpt WAs course, and within the next few days the WE Regts will be sending in their WAs and Tpt WAs. For this course, complete translation has been made of Tech Tpt - Tech Records etc, 1942, and other Standard Maint Guides, and from which a standardized method of Tpt control has been drawn up for general adoption throughout this Div.

Driving and Maint classes are also being arranged by and of the Regt WAs under WEI supervision, and as considerable enthusiasm has been raised by various forms of propaganda, the time is now ripe for a general effort in this direction.

4. Provisional WE Maint Scheme. A scheme for the withdrawal and conservation of a percentage of the Div Tpt has been drawn up by this Div and put into operation by 000 IRRAND Div. The first Regt Maint Area has already been opened at GUMKHA, and when further Regt Areas have been opened, these will require considerable initial supervision and assistance from WEI and the whole scheme should beneficially affect the Div Repair and Maint programme.

5. Recovery Courses. Most of the IRRAND Recovery crews are new and therefore not experienced in recovery techniques, film shows and instruction on which have also been arranged by the WEI Regt. This instruction is considered by us to be of the utmost importance in view of the climatic conditions in this area and in other parts occupied by the IRRAND Div, and will also be beneficial to Unit units moving in the area.

6. Accumulator Maint. Due to the loss of trained personnel and the extremely low Tech knowledge of the replacement personnel, the accumulator wastage is serious and replacements have been unable to meet even a fraction of the present demand, with a consequent alarming increase in WAs. To counteract this the IRRAND Signals Div Section who have been without work since their final assignment in the process of being formed into a temporary Accumulator Maint Section which will visit units and give instruction and assistance in the repair and repair of accumulators. Here again WEI assistance is essential and it is anticipated that the results obtained will amply justify this additional effort.

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7. EE Units AP 61098 Eqt. There have been several recent additions and amendments to the AP61098 of the EE Units, notably the EE 11 Taps who have received considerable increase in tool scaling. No Italian translation of these AP61098 are available and considering that most of the Italian personnel are not conversant with EE 11 Eqt and unable to identify a component by the Ord part nos, the work of decoding and re-decoding deficiencies is essentially Ord and REAR responsibility.

If steps could be taken to supply the required Italian translations, and to give instructions possibly in Ord Base Depots on the identification of spares and components, this difficulty would largely be overcome; but pending such an arrangement it is impossible to dispense with Ord and REAR assistance.

8. EE Base Specialist Sections.

(a) EE Section. Interpretation of REAR Modifications Catalogues and spare parts lists, etc, are still largely a REAR responsibility; also JVA line repair is by REAR and liaison is required in the question of back-loading, EE procedure, etc.

(b) Gen Section. Personnel satisfactory, but new Tradesmen are not conversant with standard methods of Gun calibration and test; also assistance is required with the interpretation of Modifications Lists, etc.

(c) Telecom Section. The majority of this Div has only recently been fully equipped, and although the Telecom crew are experienced in Wireless (Civilian University Students) they are not familiar with REAR, British sets or all wireless procedure, and this makes the services of a British Telecom Tech essential.

(a) MR Section. Interpretation of RMA's Modifications Catalogue and Spare Parts Lists, etc, are still largely a RMA responsibility; also X-ray film repair is by RMA and liaison is required in the question of back-loading, RMA procedure, etc.

(b) Gen Section. Personnel satisfactory, but new tradesmen are not conversant with standard methods of gun calibration and test; also assistance is required with the interpretation of Modifications MRMs, etc.

(c) Telecom Section. The staff of this Div has only recently been fully equipped, and although the Telecom crew are experienced in wireless (Civilian University Students) they are not familiar with RMA's, British Sets or all wireless procedure, and this makes the services of a British Telecom Tech essential.

(d) Instrument Section. Personnel skilled instrument techs (civilian), but some difficulties experienced with RMA's, etc; also liaison with Jod Line RMA Works for spares and assistance required.

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Annexure to Annex 'B'

Table I - Distribution by Trades and Regts.

Unit.	Rank.	Plt. Bnads- tens, smths, dars.	Vol- dars.	Brought Eleo- tens, mtrs, dars.	Camp- tens, mtrs, dars.	Train- tens, mtrs, dars.	Bar- tens, mtrs, dars.	Totals.
68 Inf Regt	Sjts							4
	Opis		1	1	1	1	1	5
	Ptes							10
69 Inf Regt	Sjts	2						2
	Opis	7	1	1	1		2	10
	Ptes	16	1	1	2			22
11 Arty Reg	Sjts	2						2
	Opis	2			2			2
	Ptes							
114 Inf Reg Mantova Div	Sjts	1						1
	Opis	1						1
	Ptes	6	3	1	2			12
51 Ingt Bn	Sjts							
	Opis	1						1
	Ptes	1						1
51 Med Sec	Sjts							
	Opis		1					2
	Ptes	10	2	1	4		2	19
TOTAL (Grade) =								92

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
51 High En Opis Ptes	1											
51 Med Sec Opis Ptes	10											
TOTAL (Grade) =	58.	6.	6.	2.	1.	4.	2.	3.	5.	92		

Table 2 - Distribution by Grades and Class.

Class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Totals
1920	1											1
21	2											15
22	8											12
23	10											15
24	10											19
25	10											16
26	5											7
27	4											5
28	1											2

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Subject:- Proposed RME Re-org-Italian Inf.Div.

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52 British Liaison Unit,
C.N.F.
Tele No 2451-2-3.
6 Nov.45.

To: MAJME, MILIA.

Copy to: DMH, 2 District.
CSOL, 52 BU.
ORD, 52 RM.

1. Since the MILIA meeting in MILIA on 2 Nov.45, considerable thoughts has been given to the decisions made, particularly the one regarding the removal of the RME Increment, and as emphasised by both myself and SO RME 50 BU during this meeting, under the present circumstances this step is considered most inadvisable and serious consequences would immediately result. Particularly in view of the complete absence of Mechanical Specialist replacements and the proposed increase of specialised eqpt, ie: 4.2" motors, 17 pr A. Tk, Secut eqts, etc, which will all require additional RME instructions and liaison, and from the ORD point of view, considerable work in the preparation of additional spare sealings.

2. If, in the first place, CESMO Mfts Centre had been able to produce the anticipated flow of Italian Tradesmen replacements, trained in the repair of Brit eqpt and conversant with Brit repair procedure, the proposed withdrawal of the majority of the RME Increments would, by now, have been feasible; in fact, it can be said that with the ITCMWO Div, a fairly efficient RME org was in full swing by Apr 45 - this in spite of a late start. However, CESMO have been unable to produce this reserve of Technical personnel and since the commencement of the Italian Army Acc and Service Release scheme the work of the RME Increment has steadily increased, until at its present state it is considerably higher than during the actual war period.

3. This replacement difficulty is not only confined to OR Tradesmen and a far more serious effect has resulted from the loss of experienced officer personnel in both the Workshops and the Regts; and this has made necessary considerable additional supervision and

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and as emphasized by both myself and the meeting, under the present circumstances this stop is considered most inadvisable and serious consequences would immediately result. Particularly in view of the complete absence of mechanical specialist replacements and the proposed increase of specialized equipment, 17 PT & MS, Scout cars, etc, which will all require additional REME instructions and liaison, and from the GRD point of view, considerable work in the preparation of additional spare holdings.

2. If, in the first place, CESANO RFE Centre had been able to produce the anticipated flow of Italian Tradesmen replacements, trained in the repair of Brit eqpt and conversant with Brit repair procedure, the proposed withdrawal of the majority of the REME Increments would, by now, have been feasible; in fact, it can be said that with the IFFWAVO Div, a fairly efficient REME org was in full swing by Apr 45 - this in spite of a late start. However, CESANO have been unable to produce this reserve of Technical personnel and since the commencement of the Italian Army Age and Service Release scheme the work of the REME Increment has steadily increased, until at its present state it is considerably higher than during the actual war period.

3. This replacement difficulty is not only confined to OR Tradesmen and a far more serious effect has resulted from the loss of experienced officer personnel in both the Waups and the Legte, and this has made necessary considerable additional supervision and instruction by REME.

4. The present position was foreseen by us in its early stages and steps were taken to counteract it by arranging Wksp courses and other forms of instruction, with the result that we are now probably in a better position than most other Italian Divs, and with a continued effort will have some possibility of recovery. It will therefore be realised that it will be most disappointing and unsatisfactory to us to see our plans and efforts fall through and the IFFWAVO Div disintegrate, due to a premature removal of REME Increment.

5. To obtain some true idea of the present critical position a review of the present commitments of my REME Incr will possibly be useful, and we are therefore detailing some of these in brief note-form at APPX 'E'.

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6. In view of the above, it is obvious that some transition plans are required from the Service point of view for the change-over from British to Italian Administration, particularly in view of the statement by MILA that no such Specialist replacements can be expected before Mar 46, and it is felt that immediate consideration should be given to a joint Ord and RME proposal. We have discussed the matter with Ord 52 EIU who are in entire agreement and we propose the following alternative given at Appx'A'; and in view of the seriousness of this matter would appreciate an immediate review of the whole question, which we suggest could best be effected by a joint Ord and RME meeting at HQ. MILA, ROME.

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Appendix A' RME/9/42 of 6Nov.

PROPOSED 'TRANSITION' PLAN (BRITISH TO ITALIAN ADMINISTRATION).

1. Primary consideration.

(a) ITC replacement personnel can only be obtained from civilian sources and will therefore continue to require trg and instruction if the Italian Div is to continue with British eqpt.

(b) 3rd Line Repair is still Brit RME and although Italian Territorial 3rd Line Whaps are being formed they are at present concerned entirely with Italian eqpt and if required to handle Brit eqpt held by Italian Divs will obviously require extensive re-org.

(c) Veh replacement and LIR procedure is still controlled by Brit Ord and RME and for liaison with Ord Veh Lark and RME Whaps Brit personnel are required.

(d) Ord indents to Base still require Brit channels and MADOS Dump and CPP in this Div although Italian are run on Brit lines and require considerable Brit supervision.

(e) The proposal regarding the allocation of one year's supply of spares and replacements to the Italian Divs is most impracticable as no satisfactory allocation could be forecast and it is unlikely that present commitments would permit an allocation on such a scale.

2. Proposed Plan.
Stage 1.

(a) RME Inco to remain with Div until either trg of civilian tradesmen has been completed, or trained rfts are available from CWSINC, and the present crisis is over and the Div is once again on a sound technical footing. This period will also be dependent on the obtainment of trained Italian Whap officers and the importance of this question can not be over emphasised.

(b) SC RME operates from the Italian Terr Cond nearest to his present Italian Div. Under this arrangement he could divide his time between instruction of Italian RME at Cond (who from past experience are not even conversant with the basic RME procedure) and his respective Italian Div. In my case I would suggest that I should be temporarily attached to the Terr Cond, MILAN from where I could quite easily attend to the requirements of the LEGNANO Div and also maintain MY RME Inco in its present location.

NOTE: The above 2 paras will, with slight modifications, be also applicable to Ord, so under present circumstances it is difficult to imagine an Italian Div equipped with Brit eqpt and supplied from Brit sources functioning without Ord representation.

men has been completed, or trained rifts are available from
CESMNC, and the present crisis is over and the Div is once again on a
sound technical footing. This period will also be dependent on the
obtaining of trained Italian Wisp officers and the importance of this
question can not be over emphasized.

(b) SC RENE operates from the Italian Terr Comd nearest to his
present Italian Div. Under this arrangement he could divide his time
between instruction of Italian RENE at Comd (who from past experience
are not even conversant with the basic RENE procedure) and his
respective Italian Div. In my case I would suggest that I should be
temporarily attached to the Terr Comd, MIAN from where I could quite
easily attend to the requirements of the INCANTO Div and also maintain
my RENE Inoc in its present location.

NOTE: The above 2 paras will, with slight modifications, be
also applicable to Ord, as under present circumstances
it is difficult to imagine an Italian Div equipped
with Brit eqpt and supplied from Brit sources functioning
without Ord representation.

Stage 2.
Change-over to complete Italian Adm.

(a) RENE Inoc withdrawn but WOC and Sjt Vab Tech and S/Sjt Ed
posted to Capt RENE at Terr Comd. These additional personnel are
absolutely essential as it is quite impossible for the SC RENE to
efficiently attend to his duties without their assistance. Particularly
as it is quite possible that more than one Gruppo may come under his
respective Terr Comd with possible additional Terr Wisps.
(b) A pool of Specialist Technicians, i.e. Radio and Instrument Techs and
Armazere, held for all five Italian Divs; this pool to assist with any
particular difficulties and to be co-ordinated with either by SC RENE
of BUs or RENE in MIAN.

(c) A Tech Translation Bureau to be set up by BIA to attend to the
translation and co-ordination of Technical instructions and data at
present being handled by individual SCs RENE. This has been necessary
since the inauguration of the Italian ~~CFAS~~ groups and the saving in

repetition and overlapping of this type of work would be most beneficial to the Italian Div organization.

(a) The Italian Div is a very small organization with a very limited staff. It is not possible to have a large staff of specialists in all the various fields of interest to the Italian Div.

(b) The Italian Div is a very small organization with a very limited staff. It is not possible to have a large staff of specialists in all the various fields of interest to the Italian Div.

(c) The Italian Div is a very small organization with a very limited staff. It is not possible to have a large staff of specialists in all the various fields of interest to the Italian Div.

(d) The Italian Div is a very small organization with a very limited staff. It is not possible to have a large staff of specialists in all the various fields of interest to the Italian Div.

(e) The Italian Div is a very small organization with a very limited staff. It is not possible to have a large staff of specialists in all the various fields of interest to the Italian Div.

URGENT COMMITMENTS OF REPAIR TRADESMEN FROM ATTACHED TO 52 DIV.

1. Tech and Instruction of civilian Tradesmen. Approx 120 civilians tradesmen are now held in lieu of deficiencies of Mil personnel, and although the majority of these personnel are satisfactory from the tech point of view they are not conversant with Brit equip or REPAIR methods and their instruction will largely be the problem factor. It should also be noted that with the latest age and Service releases it will be necessary to increase the figure of 120 by approx 6 further 80 personnel which will then represent the thirds of the total of specialists held by an Italian Div.

These Tradesmen have not been taken on by some of the other Divs but it is apparent that this step is necessary if the Divs are to MM survive and a reasonable efficiency of the MM Services maintained - an efficiency without which no operational role, however small, can be allotted to the Div.

2. Census of potential Tradesmen in Units of 100000 Div. A complete census of all potential Tradesmen has just been completed by this Div and in spite of REPAIR statements that no Tech personnel could be found, some 90 Tradesmen of classes 1930-28 have been found in the Regts and in the lower classes 1920 and under, the figures were considerably higher. Complete details of their trades and distribution are given in Tables 1 and 2 to this type.

These personnel are now passing through the Div where where they are being vetted and trained, prior to reallocation. It is then proposed to redistribute them independent of previous Regts, and to supply them them the following urgent requirements:

- (i) Unit Fitters
 - (ii) Repair Tradesmen
 - (iii) Tpt NCOs.
- This work is largely being conducted by the REPAIR Inco and should show considerable results within the next few weeks.

3. REPAIR MT School. Courses in MT Repair, Gun and Small Arms Repair and other trades have been continuous since Feb, and since we have been static it has been possible to open a Div MT School, which in view of the unavoidable gap between the release of Mil personnel and the first Italian call-up is now of even greater importance.

Arrangements have been made for an MCO MCC course, and within the next few days the Inf Regts will be sending in their MCOs and tpt NCOs. For this course, complete translation has been made of Tech Tpt - Veh Records etc, 1942, and other Standard Maint Guides, from which a standardized method of tpt control has been drawn up for general adoption throughout this Div.

Driving and Maint classes are also being arranged by some of the Regt MCOs under REPAIR supervision, and as considerable enthusiasm has been raised by various forms of propaganda, the time is now ripe for a general effort in this direction.

4. Provisional MT Maint Scheme. A scheme for the withdrawal and release of the Div tpt has been drawn up by this

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Census of potential tradesmen in Units 10 and 11. Census of all potential tradesmen has just been completed by this HQ and in spite of this statement that no tech personnel could be found, some 50 tradesmen of classes 1920-28 have been found in the Regts and in the lower classes 1920 and under, the figure was considerably higher. Complete details of their trades and distribution are given in Tables 1 and 2 to this report.

These personnel are now passing through the Div where there they are being vetted and trained, prior to reallocation. It is their purpose to rededicate them independent of previous Regts, and to supply them the following urgent requirements:

- (i) Unit Fitters
- (ii) Wasp tradesmen (all) Tpt NCOs.

This work is largely being conducted by the REME Iner and should show considerable results within the next few weeks.

3. WASP MT School. Courses in MT Repair, Gun and Small Arms Repair and other trades have been continuous since Feb, and since we have been static it has been possible to open a Div MT School, which in view of the unworkable gap between the release of Mil personnel and the first Italian call-up is now of even greater importance.

Arrangements have been made for an MTO PCC course, and within the next few days the Inf Regts will be sending in their MTOs and tpt NCOs. For this course, complete translation has been made of Mech Tpt - Ven Records etc, 1942, and other standard Maint Guides, from which a standardised method of tpt control has been drawn up for general adoption throughout this Div.

Driving and Maint classes are also being arranged by some of the Regt MTOs under REME supervision, and as considerable enthusiasm has been raised by various forms of propaganda, the time is now ripe for a general effort in this direction.

4. Provisional IT Maint Scheme. A scheme for the withdrawal and conservation of a percentage of the Div tpt has been drawn up by this HQ and put into operation by 500 IAGMVC Div. The first Regt Maint Area has already been opened at CHMOM, and when further Regt Areas have been opened, these will require considerable initial supervision and assistance from REME and the whole scheme should beneficially affect the Div Repair and Maint programme.

5. Recovery Courses. Most of the IAGMVC recovery crews are new and therefore not experienced in Recovery techniques, film shows and instruction on which have also been arranged by the REME Iner. This instruction is considered by us to be of the utmost importance in view of the climatic condition in this area and in other parts occupied by the IAGMVC Div, and will also be beneficial to Brit units moving in the area.

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6. Accumulator Maint. Due to the loss of trained personnel and the extremely low tech knowledge of the replacement personnel, the accumulator wastage is serious and replacements have been unable to meet even a fraction of the present demand, with a consequent alarming increase in VOMs. To counteract this the ICAO Signal Section who have been without work since their jobs are in the process of being formed into a temporary Accumulator Maint Section which will visit units and give instruction and assistance in the maint and repair of accumulators. Here again some assistance is essential and it is anticipated that the results obtained will amply justify this additional effort.

7. Technical Support. There have been several reports of difficulties and problems to the extent of the ICATA, notably the fact that the crew received considerable increase in work and the fact that the maintenance of the ICATA is very difficult. The fact of the ICATA personnel are not competent to identify a component in the CRAT, particularly the fact of carrying and re-demolition. The fact of the ICATA is that the crew are responsible for the maintenance of the ICATA. The fact of the ICATA is that the crew are responsible for the maintenance of the ICATA. The fact of the ICATA is that the crew are responsible for the maintenance of the ICATA.

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SUBJECT : Demobilization of 1920 Class

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C.
(M.H.I.A.) R O M E .
A 017
Nov. 45

TO : Ministry of War

1. Authority is hereby given for the demobilization of the 1920 class between 15 November and 15 December. Personnel in depots or transit camps, or personnel of units in disbandment, will be released immediately.
2. The temporary provision vide A 1222 of 8 August whereby BR-ITI units could hold 20 % surplus to W.E. is cancelled. Personnel will no longer be posted to BR-ITI units in excess of numbers required to complete W.E. or replace demobilizable personnel.

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M.H.I.A.

- DIST: A.F.H.Q.
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BR Cadre 802 Reorganisation Centre, ORVETO

Br Cadre 807 Transit Camp, RAVISCANINA

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INTERNAL : MA for GOC

All Branches and Services.

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Major General

M.A.I.A.

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LAND FORCES SUB-COMMISSION AC (1951)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT COMMITTEE

19th Meeting held on Saturday 27 October 1945

Present	Lt-Col S. H. INGLEDEW	Chairman
	Lt-Col A. G. SOUTHEY	G(SD)
	Lt-Col A. H. GILMORE	W. Branch
	Lt-Col R. A. CURTIS	W. Branch
	Major J. H. W. CHRYSLER	G(SD)
	Capt. T. L. L. TEMPLE	US Army

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

War
Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 14

AN ITALIAN ARM REGT HQ

CM/886/1

This est has been approved
by AFHQ
(AFHQ REG 242/2672)
File: SD/35/2

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 15

AN ITALIAN ARM DIV HQ

CM/886/1

This est has been approved
by AFHQ
(AFHQ REG 242/2673)
File: SD/35/2

Serial
No

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Category

BR-III
Service Tpn

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BR-III
Service Tpn

MINUTES

807 ITALIAN TRANSIT CAMP

CM/599/1

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BR-III

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HR AN ITALIAN AIM DIV HQ

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Service Tpn

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This est has been approved
by AMHQ
(AMHQ WDC 242/2675)
File: SD/35/2

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807 ITALIAN TRANSIT CAMP

BR-III

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The committee reconsidered the proposal to add staff and vehicles to the est of 807 Italian Transit Camp. It was decided that as this Transit Camp would be transferred to III-III control, at the same time as the Interim Army on Nov 14, it was not desirable to amend the existing war establishment. It was however agreed that the Br. Cadre would be required until approx. 14 Nov and that to assist the camp staff until the handover they should be authorized to hold on attachment 4 offrs & 4 GRs from the transit personnel. 1st Branch agreed to study urgently the possibility of emptying the camp and of preventing future accumulations of personnel. A new camp site would also be required if it could be found. The new III-III camp would be responsible for housing & maintaining BR-III units or transit personnel when necessary.

File: SD/34/2

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Serial No	Category	How Established
123	III-III	171/3000/4
		<u>ROME MECHANICAL SPECIALIST SCHOOL</u>
		This new est was approved W.S.F. 27 October 45.
		It consists of 10 officers, 20 ORs & 1 pt.
		It was agreed that the school should eventually come under control of the Reinforcement Centre at GERMIA.
		File: 02/10/2
124	III-III	507/3000/4
		<u>ITALIAN REFUGEE CAMP STAFF</u>
		The following unit was approved W.S.F. 27 October 45.
		delete: general duty unit 3
		off: nurses 3
		File: 02/20/2
125	III-III	04/750/4
		<u>ITALIAN TRANSPORT LIAISON UNIT</u>
		The following unit was approved W.S.F. 27 October 45, subject to ANIC concurrence.
		delete: office 7
		ORs 53
		This leaves the present strength of the unit at 41 officers and 40 ORs.
		File: 02/18/2

New war establishments will NOT be implemented without the authority of ANIC if in III-III category or of Land Forces Sub Commission 10 (LSC10) if in III-III category.

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TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT DIVISION UNIT

(M/782/1)

The following unit was ~~cancelled~~
on 27 October 45, as per to AFHQ communication.
Date: 28/10/45
By: [Signature]

This leaves the present strength of
the unit at 41 officers and 18 CSMs.

This: 28/10/45

New war establishments will not be implemented without the
authority of AFHQ in II-III category or of Land Force
HQ Commission HQ (AFHQ) in III-III category.

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Major G.S.
Secretary War Establishments Committee

29 October 45

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- 1st Corps
- 2 District
- 3 District
- RIIAC
- Executive Commissioner AC
- MIHL LO c/o 201 Sub Area
- MIHA LO c/o 86 Area
- MIIA LO N.W. ITALY MILAN
- MIJA LO c/o Signal Office GENOA
- MIKA LO TURIN c/o 7 ACCL
- MIILA LO N.W. ITALY MILAN (Att Capt FOX)
- MIOLA LO BOLZANO c/o 68 Arty Regt c/o 217 Area
- MIPIA LO SARDEGNA
- MIPLA LO SICILY
- MIPIA LO NAPLES
- MIPLA LO c/o 217 Area
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- MIPIA LO c/o Florence City Comd APO 782
- MIPIA LO c/o 3 District
- MIPIA LO c/o 54 Area
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- MINISTRY OF WAR (two)

INTERNAL:

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- WAF
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- WAF
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- War Diary (two)
- SP/105
- SP/131
- SP/162

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MINISTRY OF WAR (two)

INTERNAL:

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- WAR (three)
- WAR
- WAR
- WAR
- WAR
- War Diary (two)
- SD/105
- SD/131
- SD/10/2
- SD/35/2
- SD/31/2
- SD/10/2
- SD/21/2

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 Q2 Will above points be discussed
 with this? *Spoke with [unclear]*
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OUTGOING MESSAGE

DATE 27
 TIME 1500

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 TO : 50 ELU
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 MMIA LO MILAM FOR SENIOR MMIA LO

REF : SP 9031
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BY BLUS WILL BE SENT TO ADDRESSEES BEFORE CONFERENCE (*) TOWN
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SUBJECT: War Establishment Committee Meeting.

**TO : A
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1. WEC meeting No. 19 is postponed from 1500 hrs today 26 Oct. to 0900 hrs. tomorrow 27 Oct.
2. It will be held in the office of OSO1 and not in the conference room.

26 Oct

J. W. Chepe
Secretary
War Establishment Committee

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SUBJECT: Index to Italian Army WEs.

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

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22 Oct 45

1. Herewith index to Italian Army War Establishments as at 1 Sep 45.
2. Please acknowledge on form of receipt below.

[Signature]
 Major General,
 MMIA.

DISTRIBUTION:

GHQ (30)
 13 Corps (6)
 2 Dist (6)
 3 Dist (6)
 M of W (IT) (40)
 All MMIA LOs (16)

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Subject :- Reorganisation of War Ministry.

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Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C.(M.M.I./A.)
ROME
EME/1608
17 Oct 45.

To : 'GII'(WE)

1. Reference G/3/2 dated 15 Oct 45 Appendix 'A'.
2. Under Corpo Automobilistico should be included what is the present Motorisation Division of the Director of Artillery and Motorisation, who are responsible for all repairs to Army vehicles and provision of spares.
3. The men are of Corpo Automobilistico but for work they are controlled by Motorisation Division.

Major R.A.O.C.
for R.E.M.E. Branch,
Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.(M.M.I.A)

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W.E. - Workshops Joy R.A.O.C. (M.E.) - contd.

(iii) Table of weapons and ammunition

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Detail.	Number.	Ammunition - rounds.		
		On men.	Reserve.	Total.
Pistols .38-1noh.	10	12	60	180
Rifles .303-1noh.	356	50		17,800

NOTES.

- (a) Includes 2 W.O. class I
- (b) Includes 1 W.O. Class I
- (c) Regimental Duties.
- (d) 3 may be civilian foremen or supervisor in lieu of military.
- (e) 9 may be civilian foremen or supervisors in lieu of military.
- (f) 6 may be civilian foremen or supervisors in lieu of military.
- (g) To be W.O. Class II and not as C.S.M.

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Effective date 6 January 1944.

HEADQUARTERS, ADVANCED BASE WORKSHOPS, F.E.M.E.,
NORTH AFRICA.
(for three or more companies)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(1) Personnel.

Unit No.	-
Date	6 Jan 44
Officers	15
C. Ps.	71
Total	86
M. Os.	2
Vehicles	24
Trailers	19

DETAIL	Experimental	Administrative and workshop	Advanced Base Workshops, F.E.M.E., North Africa
Colonel			
Lieutenant-colonel		1	1
Officers	1	1	1
Captains		4	5
Electrical assistant mechanical engineer		2	3
Workshop executive officer		1	1
Assistant inspector of armourers	1	1	1
Quartermasters (F.E.M.E.)		1	1
Total, officers	3	12	15
Regimental sergeant-major			
Artisans	1	1	1
Clerks	1	1	2
Storemen		1	1
Total, warrant officers	2	3	(a) 5
Artisans		(b) 3	3
Clerks		2	2
Storemen	(c) 1	1	2
Total, staff-serjeants	1	6	7
Artisans		3	3
Clerks	1	1	2
Storemen	1	1	2
Transport serjeant		1	1
Total, serjeants	2	6	8
Corporals			
Artisans		3	(b) 3
Storemen			

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1	1	2
3	12	15
1	1	1
1	1	2
1	1	1
2	3	(a) 5
(c) 1	(b) 3	3
	2	2
	1	2
1	6	7
1	3	3
1	1	2
1	1	2
2	6	8
1	3	(b) 3
1	1	1
	3	1
	1	1
	30	30
2	3	5
1		1
5	41	46
5		5
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18	68	86

Inspector of Armourers
Quartersmasters (R.F.A.F.)

Total, officers

Regimental sergeant-major

Artisans
Clerks
Storeman

Total, warrant officers

Artisans
Clerks
Storeman

Total, staff-serjeants

Artisans
Clerks
Storeman
Transport serjeant

Total, serjeants

Corporals
Artisans
Storeman

Regimental police

Lance-corporals

Artisans
Storeman
Post corporal
Craftsmen
Artisans
Storeman
Non-tradesman

Total, rank and file

Attached -
R.F.C.C. - Cooks (including 1 corporal)

Total, other ranks (including attached) **7922**

Total, headquarters advanced base workshops
R.F.A.F., North Africa.
(including attached)

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SHEET NO. 2.

HEADQUARTERS, ADVANCED BASE WORKSHOPS, R.E.M.E., NORTH AFRICA.

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (continued)

(i) Personnel (continued)

DETAIL	Regimental	Administrative and workshop	Total, H.Q. advanced base workshops, R.E.M.E., North Africa
<u>Dilutees (uniformed labour)</u>			
Servicants - Non-tradesmen	1		1
Corporals - Clerks Non-tradesmen	1	1	(d) 2
Lance-corporals - Clerks Non-tradesmen	1	(e) 3	3
Privates - Clerks Non-tradesmen	12	(e) 8	8
Total, rank and file	15	23	21
Total, dilutees	16	23	38
Total, all ranks (including attached and dilutees)	34	91	125
<u>Civilian increment (f)</u>			
Supervisor		1	1
Foremen		4	4
Clerks (A)		1	1
Clerks (B1)		3	3
Clerks (B2)		2	2
Clerks (C1)		5	5
Clerks (C2)		3	3
Drivers			
Total, civilian increment		22	22

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Non-tradesmen					
Lance-corporals - Clerks	1	1	2		
Non-tradesmen		(e) 3	3		
	1	1	2		
Privates - Clerks	12	(e) 8	8		
Non-tradesmen		9	21		
Total, rank and file	15	23	38		
Total, dilutees	16	23	39		
Total, all ranks (including attached and dilutees)	34	91	125		
<u>Civilian increment (f)</u>					
Supervisor		1	1		
Foremen		4	4		
Clerks (C)		1	1		
Clerks (P1)		3	3		
Clerks (P2)		3	3		
Clerks (C1)		2	2		
Clerks (C2)		5	5		
Drivers		3	3		
Total, civilian increment		22	22		
<u>(ii) Distribution of other ranks by trades and duties.</u>					
<u>Tradesmen -</u>					
Artisans - Drougtsmen, mechanical		2	2		
Driver-mechanics		14	14		
Electrician (charring board attendant)		1	1		
Mechanists, metal		7	7		
Millwright		1	1		
Sawyers		1	1		
Toolmaker		1	1		
Turners		13	13		
Vulcanisers		2	2		
Watchmakers		1	1		
Clerks	2	4	6		
Storemen	5	7	12		
Total, tradesmen	7	54	61		

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SHEET NO. 3.

HEADQUARTERS, ADVANCED BASE WORKSHOPS, R.E.M.E., NORTH AFRICA.

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (continued)

(ii) Distribution of other ranks by trades and duties (continued)

DETAIL	Regimental	Administrative and workshop	Total, H.Q., advanced base workshops, R.E.M.E., North Africa.
<u>Non-tradesmen -</u>			
Regimental sergeant-major	1		1
Driver		1	1
General dutymen	2	1	3
Total, non-tradesmen	3	2	5
<u>Attached - A.C.C. Cooks</u>	5		5
<u>Dilutees -</u>			
Clerks	1	12	13
Drivers		9	9
Motor-cyclists	15	2	17
General dutymen			15
Total, dilutees	16	23	39
<u>Civilian increment</u>			
Supervisor		1	1
Foremen		4	4
Clerks		14	14
Drivers		3	3
Total, civilian increment		22	22

(iii) Transport.

Headquarters	Vehicle increment (E)
2	
1	

Motor-cycles
Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2

Perimental serjeant-major
Driver

General dutymen

Total, non-tradesmen

Attached - A.C.O. Cooks

Militias - Clerks
Drivers
Motor-cyclists
General dutymen

Total, dilutees

Civilian increment

Supervisor
Foreman
Clerks
Drivers

Total, civilian increment

(iii) Transport.

Motor-cycles

Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2
Cars, 4-seater, 4 x 2
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, G.S.
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery
Tractors, 6 x 4, breakdown
Crane, 5-ton, mobile

Total, vehicles

Trailers, 4-ton, 4-wheeled, machinery
Trailers, 6-ton, 4-wheeled, light recovery
Trailers, 6-ton, 10-wheeled, light recovery

Total, trailers

1	1	1	1
2	1	1	3
3	2	2	5
5			5
1	12	12	13
15	9	2	9
	2		2
			15
16	23		39
	1	1	1
	4	4	4
	14	14	14
	3	3	3
	22	22	22

Headquarters	Vehicle increment (A)
2	
1	
1	
1	1
10	1
(h) 6	
4	
1	
24	2
15	
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SHEET NO. 4.

HEADQUARTERS, ADVANCED BASE WORKSHOPS, R.E.M.E., NORTH AFRICA.

WIA ESTABLISHMENT (continued)

(iv) Weapons.

- Pistols, .38-inch 15
- Rifles, .303-inch 34
- Machine carbines 34
- L.M.G.s., .303-inch 3

- (e) One to be warrant officer, class I in addition to regimental sergeant-major.
- (f) Includes draughtsmen, mechanical.
- (g) To be quartermaster-serjeant.
- (h) May be civilian BII clerk.
- (i) May be civilian CII clerk.
- (j) For every 250 civilians employed over and above the 600 which can be supervised by each workshop company, add one civilian increment on a pro-rata basis. The following are included in the civilian clerk category :- Clerks, shorthand-typists, typists, draughtsmen, timekeepers, clerical storemen.
- (k) For every civilian increment add one vehicle increment.
- (l) Type M1 - 2, Type M2 - 2, Type M21 - 1, Type M1 - 1.

NOTE.

This establishment is a re-write of Middle East Establishment VI/1044/1.

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SUBJECT :- W.E. H.Q. Advanced Base Workshop R.A.O.C. (W.E.) ME/662/1

GHQ MEF
Ext No. 562
CRME/44448/GSD.1b

7 Aug 42.

SECURITY

The attached W.E. has been approved by GHQ MEF and is promulgated to all concerned, w.e.f. 17 Jul 42.

This W.E. will not be implemented until instructions have been received from GHQ MEF.

Lt. Gen. C.G.S.
Lt. Gen.
C.G.S.

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<u>Distn</u> :-	W.O.	BTE	HQ PALESTINE					
	IS	AG	Q	OS	O2B	FA	PAY	PRINT
	R	DCO	M	12TEC	Q(AE)			WD

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WAR ESTABLISHMENT
HEADQUARTERS ADVANCED BASE WORKSHOP R.A.O.C. (H.Q.)
(i) Personnel

Detail	Advd Sec	Rear Sec	Total
Lt-Col (O.M.E. 1st class)	1		1
Majors (O.M.E. 2nd class)	1	1	2
Major (Regtl)		1	1
Cpts or Subalterns (O.M.E. 3rd or 4th class)	2	1	2
Subaltern (Regtl)		1	1
A.O.M.E.		1	1
A.I.A.	1	1	1
W.E.O.		1	1
O.E.O.		1	1
Total Officers	5	6	11
<u>Warrant Officers</u>			
<u>Armament Artificer</u>	(e)1		1
Motor vehicle	(e)1	(a)1	1
Instruments	(e)1	1	2
Clerks	1	1	2
Storemen	(d)1	(b)1	2
S/Sgts	1		1
Artizans	1	1	2
Clerks		1	1
Storemen	(d)1	(d)1	2
Non-tradesmen			
Cpls			
Artizans	1	1	2
Clerks	1		1
Storemen		(d)1	1
L/Cpls			
Artizans	1		1
Clerks		1	1
Storeman	1		1
Non-tradesmen			
Ptes	1	(f)1	2

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Motor vehicle				
Instruments	(c)1			1
Clerks	(c)1	(a)1		1
Storemen	(c)1	1		2
S/SGts	1			2
Artizans	(d)1	1		2
Clerks	1	1		2
Storemen	1	(b)1		2
SGts				
Artizans	1	1		2
Clerks		1		1
Storemen	(d)1	1		1
Non-tradesmen		(d)1		1
Cpls				
Artizans	1	1		2
Clerks	1			1
Storemen		(d)1		1
L/Cpls				
Artizans	1			1
Clerks		1		1
Storeman	1			1
Non-tradesmen	1	(f)1		2
Ptes				
Artizans	4	4		8
Clerks	3	5		8
Storemen	(d)2	(d)3		5
Non-tradesmen	12	5		17
Total other ranks	35	29		64
Total all ranks (excl attd)	40	35		75
Attached :-				
R.A.I.C. Medical Officer		1		
A.C.C. Cooks				
Total HQ Advd Base Wkshop (incl attd)	40	36		76

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 W.E. - H.Q. Advanced Base Workshop RAOC(17) - contd

(ii) Distribution of other ranks by trades and duties

Detail	Advd Sec	Rear Sec	Total
<u>Tradesmen</u>			
<u>Armament Artificer</u>			
Motor vehicles	1		1
Instruments	1		1
Draughtsman mechanic	1		1
Driver mechanics	7	7	14
Clerks	6	9	15
Storemen	6	6	12
<u>Total tradesmen</u>	22	22	44
<u>Non-tradesmen</u>			
<u>Drivers I.C.</u>			
General duties	7	2	9
Motor cyclists	5	4	9
	1	1	2
<u>Total non-tradesmen</u>	13	7	20
<u>Total other ranks</u>	35	29	64

(iii) Transport

Motor cycles	2
Cars 2-str Bantam	1
Cars 4-str	1
Trucks 15-cwt water	1
Lorry 3-ton 6-whld GS	10
Lorry 3-ton 6-whld machinery	6(e)
Tractors Scammol Bkdown	2
Tractors Matador Bkdown	2
Trailers 3-ton 4-whld machinery carrying	15
Trailers Recovery Rogers	2
Trailers 6-ton 6-whld	2
Mobile Crane 7-ton Ransome tracked with trailer	1

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Total tradesmen		22	22	44
<u>Non-tradesmen</u>				
Drivers I.C.		7	2	9
General duties		5	4	9
Motor cyclists		1	1	2
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Total non-tradesmen		15	7	22
Total other ranks		35	29	64
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(iii) <u>Transport</u>				
Motor cycles		2		
Cars 2-str Bantam		1		
Cars 4-str		1		
Trucks 15-cwt water		1		
Lorry 3-ton 6-whld GS		10		
Lorry 3-ton 6-whld machinery		6(e)		
Tractors Seammel Bkdown		2		
Tractors Matador Bkdown		2		
Trailers 3-ton 4-whld machinery carrying		15		
Trailers Recovery Rogers		2		
Trailers 6-ton 6-whld		2		
Mobile Crane 7-ton Ransome tracked with trailer		1		

(iv) Table of weapons and ammunition

Detail	Number	Ammunition - rounds		Total
		On man	Reserve	
Pistols, .38-inch	18	12	108	324
Rifles, .303-inch	50	50		2,900

NOTES

- (a) WO class I who will act as RSM
- (b) Will act as QFS
- (c) WO class I
- (d) One will be employed on Regtl duties
- (e) Type "A" - 2, Type "M" - 2, Type "D2" - 1, Type "F" - 1
- (f) To be Medical Officers orderly

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WAR ESTABLISHMENT

WORKSHOPS COMPANY R.A.O.C.(M.E.)

(This M.E. allows for the supervision of up to 500 civilians).
(1) personnel.

Detail.	Regtl.	MT Wkshop & Armt Gen. Wkshop.	TOTAL.
Major (O.M.E. 2nd Class)		1	1
Capt. (OME 3rd class)		2	2
Subaltern (OME 4th class)	1	2	3
Capt. (Regtl).		1	1
A.O.M.E.		1	1
TOTAL OFFICERS	1	6	7
WARRANT OFFICERS.			
Armament Artificer		(a) 10	10
Armourers		(b) 3	3
Artizans		8	8
Clerks	(E) 1	1	2
TOTAL W.O.	1	21	22(d)
S/SGTS.			
Armament Artificer		31	31
Armourers		1	1
Artizans		9	9
Clerks			
TOTAL S/SGTS.	1	41	41(e)
SGTS.			
Artizans		24	24
Clerks	1	2	3
Storeman		1	1
Non-tradesmen	(c) 1	1	2
TOTAL SFTS.	2	27	29(f)
CPLS.			
Armourers		1	1
Artizans		14	14
Clerks		3	3
Storemen	1	1	2
Non-Tradesmen.	2		2
L/CPLS			
Armourers		2	2

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Artisans	8	1
Clerks	22(d)	

TOTAL W.O.

S/SGTS.	31	41(e)
Armament Artificer	1	
Armourers	9	
Artisans		
Clerks		

TOTAL S/SGTS.

SGTS.	24	29(f)
Artisans	3	
Clerks	1	
Storeman	1	
Non-tradesmen		

TOTAL SGTS.

CPLS.	1	14	1
Armourers	14	14	
Artisans	3	3	
Clerks	1	1	
Storemen			
Non-Tradesmen.	1	2	

L/CPLS	2	15	2
Armourers	15	15	
Artisans	2	2	
Storemen			

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Armourers	214	214	
Artisans	4	4	
Clerks.	1	1	
Storemen	2	2	
Non-Tradesmen.			

TOTAL RANK AND FILE

TOTAL OTHER RANKS	9	350	359
TOTAL ALL RANKS	19	356	366

Attached - A.C.C. Cooks (to scale)

TOTAL Wkshop coy	10	356	366
(Incl. attd)	785020		

TOTAL Wkshop coy (Incl. attd)

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W.E. - Work Shop Coy R.A.O.C. (M.E.) - ntd.
(11) Distribution of other ranks by trades and duties.

Detail.	Regtl.	MT. Wkshop & Armt & Gen Wkshop.	TOTAL.
<u>TRADESMEN</u>			
<u>Armament Artificers.</u>			
A.A.	2	6	2
A.F.V.	4	4	4
Fd	14	4	14
M.V.	4	4	4
Electricians	1	1	1
Instruments.	2	2	2
Instruments A.A.	2	2	2
Instruments Fd.	4	4	4
Radio	2	2	2
Wireless	2	2	2
	11	11	11
<u>Armourers</u>			
<u>Artizans</u>	2	6	2
Blacksmiths	16	5	16
Carpenters	5	1	5
Coopersmiths	1	4	1
Dreughtsmen Mech.	24	8	24
Driver Mech.	8	50	8
Electricians.	39	5	39
Fitters	8	7	8
Fitters M.V.	7	10	7
Grinders Precision	3	25	3
Instrument Mechs.	1	4	1
Hammermen	2	1	2
Machinists Metal.	1	2	1
Machinists wood	1	1	1
Moror Mechs.	2	2	2
Moulders	16	4	16
Painters.	4	4	4
Panel Beaters.	2	1	2
Pattern Makers.	1	1	1
Push Cycle Repairers.	2	2	2
Rivettters.	2	2	2
Sagalers.	1	6	1
Sawyers	4	4	4
Sheet Metal Workers.	4	4	4
Textile refettters.	2	2	2
Tinsmiths.	12	1	12
Toolmakers.	1	1	1
Turners	1	1	1
Vulcanisers	1	1	1
Watchmakers.	19	6	19
Welders acet & elect.	6	5	6
Wireless mech.	5	5	5

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Artizans	2	2
Blacksmiths	16	16
Carpenters	5	5
Coopersmiths	1	1
Draughtsmen Mech.	24	24
Driver Mech.	8	8
Electricians	50	50
Fitters	3	3
Fitters M.V.	3	3
Grinders Precision	8	8
Instrument Mechs.	7	7
Hammermen	10	10
Machinists Metal	3	3
Machinists wood	25	25
Moror Mechs.	1	1
Moulders	4	4
Painters	2	2
Panel Beaters	1	1
Pattern Makers	1	1
Push Cycle Repairers	2	2
Riveters	2	2
Saddlers	1	1
Sawyers	6	6
Sheet Metal Workers	4	4
Textile refetters	4	4
Tinsmiths	2	2
Toolmakers	12	12
Turners	1	1
Vulcanisers	1	1
Watchmakers	1	1
Welders acet & elect.	19	19
Wireless mech.	6	6
Radio Mechs.	5	5
CLERKS.	9	9
STORMEN.	7	7
	2	2
	2	2
TOTAL TRADESMEN	4	350
TOTAL TRADESMEN - General Duties.	5	5
TOTAL TRADESMEN & NON-TRADESMEN	9	359

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Sheet 2 (11) Distribution of P.I.s. by
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	TOTAL		PERCENTAGE TOTAL	
<u>Argument Artificers</u>	0	0	0	0
A.A.	0	0	0	0
A.P.V.	0	0	0	0
Pd.	0	0	0	0
M.V.	0	0	0	0
Electrical	0	0	0	0
Instr A.A.	0	0	0	0
Instr Pd	0	0	0	0
Wireless	0	0	0	0
<u>Armourers</u>	0	0	0	0
<u>Artisans</u>	7	0	7	0
Blacksmith	0	0	0	0
Carpenter	0	0	0	0
Coppersmith	0	0	0	0
Driver Mech	0	0	0	0
Electrician	0	0	0	0
Fitter	0	0	0	0
Fitter M.V.	0	0	0	0
Instr Mech	0	0	0	0
Mechanic	0	0	0	0
Motor Mech	0	0	0	0
Painter	0	0	0	0
Panel Maker	0	0	0	0
Riveter	0	0	0	0
Saddler	0	0	0	0
Sheet Metal Worker	0	0	0	0
Textile Refitter	0	0	0	0
Turnsmith	0	0	0	0
Welders (Acet & Elec)	0	0	0	0
W/T Mech	0	0	0	0
<u>Clerks</u>	0	0	0	0
<u>Storemen</u>	0	0	0	0

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(III) Table of weapon & Ammunition

Detail	Number	Ammunition - rounds		Total
		In hand	Reserve	
Pistols .38-inch	20	12	80	180
Rifles .308-inch	333	50	18000	33000

NOTES

- (a) To be E.O. II G.S.M.
- (b) To be E.O. I
- (c) Uniformed Labour
- (d) May be civilian E. II Clerk
- (e) May be civilian G Clerk
- (f) Includes 1 Sgt 2 Cpls 7 Ptes

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Subject :- Deficiencies of Personnel - R.M.E.

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Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C.(M.M.I.A.)
R.M.E.
S.M./1008
15 Sept 45

'A' Branch (through 'C')

1. Confirming conversations (Major Dobbs-Taylor)
2. Attached is a schedule showing the specialist personnel which will be required when the reorganisation of ITI+ITI Repairs Units is completed about Nov 30th. The deficiency at stage 2 of the reorganisation as at Sept 30th is approximately the same.
3. The figure of 360 present is felt to be largely a "paper" figure and men actually present is now probably nearer 260 with further releases in progress.

V. J. A. J. J. J.

Major R.M.E.
for R.M.E. Branch,
Land Forces Sub Comd. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

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SUBJECT: Strength State and Order of Battle of the Italian Army

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

SD/92/1

2 Sep 45

1. Herewith Italian Army Strength State (including Order of Battle of the Italian Army) serial 2/12 as at 8 Aug 45.
2. Addressees are asked to check this document and to inform MMIA of any amendments considered necessary.
3. Please acknowledge on form of receipt below.

P. 10/1/45

L.M. J. [Signature]
Major General, MMIA.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC (MIA)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT COMMITTEE

15th Meeting held on Saturday 25th August 1945

Present: Lt Col S.M. INGLEDEW
Col F.J. NOAKES
Major J.A. LOBBS
Capt F.W. CHERROW (US ARMY)
Major J.L.W. CHRYNE

Chairman
'Q' Branch
'A' Branch
'G' Branch
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ADDITION TO MINUTES

<u>Serial No</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Addition to minutes of meeting No</u>	<u>War Establishment</u>
20	BR-ITI Service	Addition to minutes of meeting No 6 <u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO COMBINED SERVICES</u> <u>DETAILED INTERROGATION CENTRE</u> AFHQ have approved amendment No 1. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers)	CM/308/1
42	BR-ITI Combat Troops	Addition to minutes of meeting No 9 <u>TRANSPORT PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT</u> <u>GROUP</u> AFHQ have approved Amendment No 2. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers)	CM/533/1
43	BR-ITI Combat Troops	<u>HQ TRANSPORT & SUPPLY COMPANY FOR AN ITALIAN</u> <u>COMBAT GROUP</u> AFHQ have approved amendment No 2. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers)	CM/531/1
44	BR-ITI Combat Troops	<u>MECHANICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN</u> <u>COMBAT GROUP</u> AFHQ have approved amendment No 2. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers)	CM/539/1
		Addition to minutes of meeting No 10	

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Serial No	Category	<u>WAR</u> Establishment	<u>ADDITION TO MINUTES OF MEETING NO 8</u>
20	BR-ITI Service	CM/308/1	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO COMBINED SERVICES</u> <u>DETAILED INTERROGATION CENTRE</u> AFHQ have approved amendment No 1. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers) <u>Addition to minutes of meeting No 2</u>
42	BR-ITI Combat Troops	CM/533/1	<u>TRANSPORT PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP</u>
43	BR-ITI Combat Troops	CM/531/1	AFHQ have approved Amendment No 2. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers) <u>HQ TRANSPORT & SUPPLY COMPANY FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP</u>
44	BR-ITI Combat Troops	CM/539/1	AFHQ have approved amendment No 2. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers) <u>MECHANICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP</u>
51	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1505/1	AFHQ have approved amendment No 2. (AFHQ WEC 224 refers) <u>Addition to minutes of meeting No 10</u> AFHQ have approved the following WEs <u>AN ITALIAN VEHICLE TRANSIT PARK (MAIN)</u>
52	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1506/1	<u>AN ITALIAN VEHICLE PARK ("B" VEHICLES)</u>
55	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1509/1	<u>AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT</u>

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<u>Serial No.</u>		<u>War Establishment</u>
56	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1510/1
58	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1512/1
62	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1514/1
65	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1517/1
66	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1518/1
71	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1521/1
72	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1522/1
73	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1523/1
74	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1524/1
75	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator.	CM/1525/1
77	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1527/1
69	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1519/1
70	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	CM/1520/1

AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A BASE HOSPITAL LAUNDRY

AN ITALIAN SPECIAL V.P. POLICE COMPANY

AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A VEHICLE DISPOSAL UNIT

AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A RECEPTION STATION TYPE "A"

AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A RECEPTION STATION TYPE "B"

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO ACC TRAINING CENTRE

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A FIELD COOKERY TRAINING CENTRE

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO "X" REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO "X" SPECIAL RECEPTION CAMP

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A FIELD SURVEY DEPOT RE (AFHQ WEC 223 refers)

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HQ AN AREA

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HQ A SUB AREA

71	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO ACC TRAINING CENTRE</u>	CM/1521/1
72	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A FIELD COOKERY TRAINING CENTRE</u>	CM/1522/1
73	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING</u>	CM/1523/1
74	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO "X" REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE</u>	CM/1524/1
75	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator.	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO "X" SPECIAL RECEPTION CAMP</u>	CM/1525/1
77	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A FIELD SURVEY DEPOT RE (AFHQ WEC 223 refers)</u>	CM/1527/1
69	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HQ IN AREA</u>	CM/1519/1
70	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HQ & SUB AREA</u>	CM/1520/1
82	BR-ITI Ex-cooperator	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A BASE DEPOT POST OFFICE (AFHQ WEC 224 refers) RE Addition to minutes of meeting No 11</u>	CM/1530/1
85	BR-ITI Service Tps	<u>ITALIAN SERVICE AND MT COMPANY AC</u> The above establishment has been approved by AFHQ. (AFHQ WEC 223 refers)	CM/882/1
86	BR-ITI Service Tps	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A HORSE TRANSPORT COMPANY</u> AFHQ have approved the above establishment. (AFHQ WEC 223 refers)	CM/883/1

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<u>Serial No</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>War Establishment</u>
83	BR-ITI Service Tps	CA/825/1
	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO EQUIPERRY GROUP HQ</u>	
	AFHQ have approved amendment No 1 to the above establishment. (AFHQ WEC 223 refers)	
97	BR-ITI Service Tps	CA/1526/1
	<u>MINUTES</u>	
	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO AFHQ (BR SEC) LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF</u>	
	The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 1 offr and 29 ORs.	
98	BR-ITI Service Tps	CA/1531/1
	<u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO GHQ 2nd BATTALION</u>	
	The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 2 offr, 106 ORs and transport.	
99	ITI-ITI	172/SARE/1
	<u>A LIGHT WORKSHOPS</u>	
	The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 1 offr and 12 ORs.	
100	ITI-ITI	181/SARE/1
	<u>GENERAL LT SPARES DEPOT</u>	
	The new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 5 offr and 21 ORs. The following transport was also approved :-	
	Passenger vehicle	1
	Load carriers	2
	Trailers	2

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 1 offr and 29 ORs.

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98 BR-III Service Tps

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO GHQ 2nd BULION

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 2 offr, 106 ORs and transport.

172/SARE/1

99 III-III

A LIGHT WORKSHOPS

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 1 offr and 12 ORs.

181/SARE/1

100 III-III

GENERAL INT SUPPLIES DEPOT

The new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45. It consists of 5 offr and 24 ORs. The following transport was also approved :-
Passenger vehicle 1
Load carriers 2
Trailers 2

104/SARE/1

101 III-III

FOOD DISTRIBUTION METHODS

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45.

add 1 offr and 6 ORs
Will be promulgated as amendment No 1.

103/SARE/1

102 III-III

A BAKERY

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 25 August 45.

delete 17 ORs
Will be promulgated as amendment No 2.

New war establishments will NOT be implemented without the authority of AFHQ if in BR-III category or of Land Forces Sub Comm AC (MIL) if in III-III category.

Th. W. Chapman
Secretary

War Establishments Committee

31 August 45

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DISTRIBUTION

- AFHQ (three)
- 13 Corps
- 2 District
- 3 District
- RAAC
- Executive Commissioner AC
- 121A 10 13 Corps
- " " 3 District
- " " NW ITALY, MILAN
- " " NAPLES c/o PERSOUTH
- " " SICILY
- " " SARDINIA
- " " 54 Area
- " " FLORENCE City Command
- " " 151 Sub Area
- " " 230 Adm Div HQ
- " " 231 Adm Div HQ
- Ministry of War (two)

INTERNAL

- Chief of Staff
- "A"
- "Q" (three)
- "G"
- Engrs
- ST

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- " " 3 District
- " " NW ITALY, MILAN
- " " NAPLES c/o PENSOUH
- " " SICILY
- " " SARDINIA
- " " SA Area
- " " FLORENCE City Command
- " " 151 Sub Area
- " " 230 1st Div HQ
- " " 231 1st Div HQ

Ministry of War (two)

INTERNAL

- Chief of Staff
- "A" (three)
- "B"
- Engrs
- ST
- Med
- Ord (through "Q")
- War Diary (two)
- SD/131/1
- SD/105

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

From : G(SD)

File SD/39/2

To : "A", "C", RE, Sigs, ST, Med, Ord, ~~REME~~, Labour, Welfare

1. It is proposed to review the war establishments of the Combat Groups so as to ensure that they are organised in the best possible way to carry out their new role.
2. It is considered that a move in this direction should originate at this HQ and it is, therefore, proposed to circulate proposals to BLUs etc as early as possible for comment.
3. Will branches and services please review the establishments which concern them and decide what revision they consider necessary.
4. There will be a conference after the morning conference on Tuesday 4th September to consider what changes are necessary. Heads of branches are requested to attend.
5. For SO II R Sigs May we have your comments in writing before you leave on your tour.

J. W. Cheyne
Lt Col
GS

1 Sep 1945

6 L.A. Co's
1 M.E. Platoon attached to HQ 14/9/45
1 M.E. Workshop
7907

Role?
How many guns and equipment (ammos, etc?)
BLU's still there?

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ROME

By former letter
held up.

India Reports contain
if required must
be included in
War Man reply

to 8/80/34/2 29 Aug
in reply to 16813/02d/II

22 Aug

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1000. mha
for War Command
etc.

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<u>To See</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Lt Col Shipley	
Lt Col Rose	
Maj Gregson	
Maj Barton	
Maj Wyatt	
Capt Archer	
J/Coind Fardell	

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Subject :- Territorial Depots 13/3ME/1 Part III. 1. Cat 1(B).

Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (M.I.A.)
ROME
ME/1608
27 August 45.

To : 'G' (through 'Q')

1. A request has been received from Motorisation Branch Ministry of War for 7 more Territorial Depots for use as Deposito Autieri.
2. These units are responsible for the preparation and custody of detailed records in respect of all Transport personnel of Repairs Units, Transport Companies, F.O.L. Units, etc within the Territory. *in both ST & REME.*
3. Of the 30 Territorial Depots already formed only four have been allotted as Deposito Autieri, these being situated in Rome, Milan, Naples, and Bari.
4. With the formation of a further seven it will be possible to allot one to each Territorial Command and facilitate the important duty of making the best use of the limited number of .T. and Repair Unit personnel available.
5. My approval please be given for the formation of these seven depots on 19/3 ME/1.

*Received and
forwarded to Col.*

J. W. Taylor
Major R.A.C.C.
R.E.M.E. Branch,
Lt Col. A.D.S.T.
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.I.A.)

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SUBJECT: Formation Orders 760 to 766 inclusive,
Part III III-III Units (a) (b).

OK

LAND FORCES SUP COM, A.C. (MILIA)

SD/10/2

Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

OK

TERRITORIAL DEPOSITS 91 AND 97 INCLUSIVE

1. Authority is given for the formation of the above mentioned units with effect from 2 Sept 45.
2. Units will be organized on to WE 19/20RE/1 strength 5 Cofre each.
3. These units will be carried in Part III III-III (a) Italian Op Comd (1) Italian Adm (b) Territorial Depots of MILIA Italian Army Strength State.
4. Report formation progress to this HQ on 30 Sept 45.

OK

Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy To: MILIA LG MILAN
 " " 3 District
 " " Pensouth
 " " 50 Area

Internal: A (Two)
 Q (Two)
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Major General,
M. L. I. J.

Copy To: ASIA LC MIAMI
" " 3 District
" " Pensacola
" " 5L Area

Internal: A (Two)
Q (Two)
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KMS
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*SL It's it's units being forwarded and
referred to A. (Not coordinated
with 4. north 2d team.)*

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33

SUBJECT: Formation Orders 760 to 766 inclusive,
Part III III-III Units (a) 1 (b).

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

SD/10/2

AUG 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

TERRITORIAL DEPOSITS 21 197 INCLUSIVE

1. Authority is given for the formation of the above mentioned units with effect from 8 Sept 45.
2. Units will be organized on to WE 19/SUPP/1 strength 5 Offrs each.
3. These units will be carried in Part III III-III (a) Italian Op Comd (1) Italian Acm (b) Territorial Depots of MILIA Italian Army

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33

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Subject :- Territorial Depots 19/SMB/1 Part III. 1. Cat 1(B).

Land Forces Sub Comm.

A.C. (M.E.I.A.)

ROME

EME/1608

27 August 45.

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To : 'G' (through 'Q')

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2. These units are responsible for the preparation and custody of detailed records in respect of all transport personnel of Repairs Units, Transport Companies, P.O.L. Units, etc within the Territory.
3. Of the 30 Territorial Depots already formed only four have been allotted as Deposito Autieri, these being situated in Rome, Milan, Naples, and Bari.
4. With the formation of a further seven it will be possible to allot one to each Territorial Command and facilitate the important duty of making the best use of the limited number of M.T. and Repair Unit personnel available.
5. My approval please be given for the formation of these seven depots on 19/SMB/1.

P/A

Lyn Taylor

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28/8/45

FGWT/fr

Major R.A.C.C.
R.E.M.E. Branch,
Lt Col. A.D.S.T.
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.E.I.A.)

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P/A W

UNIT	LOCATION	VEHICLES					GENSUS			PERSONNEL		
		M/Cs	P/Vs	L/Cs	Q/Vs					NS	STR	
No 1 Regt Guard HQ		2	3	5	-						40 +800 (on In)	
502 Guard Bn		5	1	5	-						800	
503 Guard Bn		5	1	5	-						800	
519 Guard Bn		5	1	5	-						800	

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P/A W/E file REME. EME/1608

ICELLS		CENSUS	PERSONNEL		FILE	REMARKS
L/Cs	O/Vs		NS	STR		
5	-			40 +800 (on file)	SI/1302/1	
5	-			800	SI/1303/502	
5	-			800	SI/1303/503	
5	-			800	SI/1303/519	

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE ARTIGLIERIA E MOTORIZZAZIONE
Divisione Corpo Automobilistico-Sezione 2^a
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SITUAZIONE FORZA ORGANICA, EFFETTIVA E PRESENTE AL 1° AGOSTO 1945

SEZIONE 9^a (riparazioni)

		di collocazione	Forza mi		
			uffi ciali	sot. trile	total le
Direzione Generale Motorizzazione		Roma			36
Direzione Riparazioni Automob. cdo. mil.		Torino	4	2	6
"	"	Genova	4	2	6
"	"	Milano	4	2	6
"	"	Bolzano	4	2	6
"	"	Udine	4	2	6
"	"	Bologna	4	2	6
"	"	Firenze	4	2	6
"	"	Roma	4	2	6
"	"	Bari	4	2	6
"	"	Napoli	4	2	6
"	"	Palermo	4	2	6
1° reparto riparazioni automobilistiche		Roma	12	188	200
2°	"	Napoli	12	188	200
3°	"	Bari	12	188	200
4°	"	Catanzaro	9	91	100
5°	"	Firenze	9	91	100
14°	"	Abbasanta	5	45	50
Reparto ausiliario pesante riparazioni automob.		Terni	12	188	200
1° parco mobile automobilistico		Bari	9	199	208
2° parco mobile automobilistico		Airagola	9	199	208
Direzione officina n.1 (O.A.ME)		Bologna-Piacenz	4	7	11

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
GENERALE ARTIGLIERIA E MOTORIZZAZIONE
Corpo Automobilistico-Sezione 2°
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MA W/E file

EFFETTIVA E PRESENTE AL 1° AGOSTO 1945

EME/608

SEZIONE 9° (riparazioni)

di	di	di	Forza militare (escluso pers.civile)											
			organica			effettiva			presente					
			uffi	sot.	tota	uffi	Sott.	tota	uffi	sott.	tota			
!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!		
	Roma				36				36				36	
mil.	Torino	Torino	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Genova	Genova	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Milano	Milano	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Bolzano	Bolzano	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Udine	Udine	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Bologna	Bologna	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Firenze	Firenze	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Roma	Roma	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Bari	Bari	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Napoli	Napoli	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
"	Palermo	Palermo	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6	4	2	6
tiche	Roma		12	188	200	15	99	114	15	87	110			
	Napoli		12	188	200	15	136	151	15	123	138			
	Bari		12	188	200	15	153	168	15	142	157			
	Catanzaro		9	91	100	7	57	64	7	52	59			
	Firenze		9	91	100	9	39	48	9	38	47			
	Abbasanta		5	45	50	8	84	92	5	68	73			
oni automob.	Terni		12	188	200	12	157	169	12	112	124			
	Bari		9	199	208	9	148	157	8	113	121			
	Afragola		9	199	208	8	176	182	8	141	149			
	Bologna-Piacenz		4	7	11	5	6	11	5	6	11			

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	!	diàlocazione	!	forza militar		
	!		!	organica		
	!		!	uffi	sottitota	
	!		!	cia	le trile	
Magazzino centrale parti di ricambio	!	Roma	!	2	18	20
1^ sezione soccorso stradale	!	Napoli	!	2	32	34
2^ " " "	!	Roma	!	2	32	34
		totale	!			1667

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! di	! locazione	! forza militare (escluso personale civile)																			
		! organica			! effettiva			! presente													
!	!	! org.	! sott.	! tota	! org.	! sott.	! tota	! org.	! sott.	! tota											
!	!	! cia/	! le tr.	! le	! cia.	! le tr.	! le	!	! le tr.	! le											
!	Roma	!	2	!	18	!	20	!	2	!	4	!	6	!	2	!	4	!	6		
!	Napoli	!	2	!	32	!	34	!	2	!	28	!	30	!	2	!	16	!	18		
!	Roma	!	2	!	32	!	34	!	2	!	32	!	34	!	2	!	30	!	32		
totale		!	!1667			!	!1330			!	!1139			!				!			

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FME/1608
PIA W/c file
Effective Date 18 Apr 45. Ha effetto dal giorno 18 Aprile 1945. CM/875/1
RESTRICTED
RISERVATO

LIGHT AID DETACHMENT FOR AN ITALIAN TPT COMPANY
(Designed to carry out first line repairs for a Transport Coy. of H. Q. and 4 Platoons)

OFFICINA MOBILE LEGGERA
PER UNA COMPAGNIA ITALIANA TRASPORTI
(Per effettuare le riparazioni di prima linea per una Compagnia Trasporti su un Comando e quattro Plotoni)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT — ORGANICO DI GUERRA

i) PERSONNEL — PERSONALE

Headquarters — *Comando*:

Mechanic Sergeant Major — <i>Sottufficiale meccanico (Serg. magg.)</i> ..	1
Clerk (Technical MT) (Private) — <i>Scritturale tecnico (sold)</i>	1
Drivers I. C. (Privates) — <i>Autiere (sold)</i>	2
Total Headquarters — <i>Totale Comando</i> ...	4

Workshop Section — *Squadra Officina*:

Blacksmith — <i>Fabbro</i>	1
Welder — <i>Saldatore</i>	1
Vulcaniser — <i>Vulcanizzatore</i>	1
Storeman (Tech M.T.) — <i>Magazziniere tecnico</i>	1
Electricians — <i>Elettricisti</i>	2
Vehicle Mechanics — <i>Meccanici per autoveicoli</i>	7
Total Workshop Section — <i>Totale Squadra Officina</i> ...	13 (a)
Total Light Aid Detachment for an Italian Tpt Coy — <i>Totale Officina mobile leggera per una Compagnia Italiana Trasporti</i> ...	17

ii) TRANSPORT — MEZZI DI TRASPORTO

Lorry 3 ton 4x2 G. S. (for technical stores and equipment) — <i>Autocarro pesante (per i materiali e l'equipaggiamento)</i>	1
Lorry 3 ton 4x2 (or 6x2) breakdown or tractor, breakdown — <i>Autocarro pesante (carro soccorso)</i>	1
Truck 15 cwt 4x2 G. S. (for maintenance duties) (driven by specialist personnel) — <i>Autocarro leggero (per servizi generali) (condotto da personale specializzato)</i>	1

NOTES — **7897**

(a) Includes: 1 Sgt. Vehicle Mechanic
3 Corporal Artificers and
1 Lt/Cpl Artificer.
Comp. 3 sottufficiale meccanico autiere
3 corporali specializzati
1 sottile scelto specializzato.

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GB/fm

Direzione Generale delle Forze Armate
Divisione Motorizzazione

ORGANICO STAZIONI SERVIZIO -

1 Ufficiale

1 Sottufficiale

10 Militari: 2 motoristi

4 montatori

2 elettricisti

1 saldatore

~~1 radiatorista~~

~~1 falegname~~

x 1 vulcanizzatore.-

0.C. Major
2/c. Capt
3. tenente
5 sottufficiale
14 truppe

IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE
(Gen. D. D. D. D. D.)

13/1/55

[Signature]

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Maffin Parte Picambis

1	direttore	(maffin)	
1	vice direttore	(capitano)	
3	uff. addetti	(subalterni)	
16	subufficiali		
15	militari tecnici	(3 sentinelle
			2 attendenti
		3 3	conduttori
		3	maffinieri
		4	servizi vari

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subject : Transport W/TO - Ministry of War Admin Tpt Coy.

ST/1201
18 Aug 45

Land Forces Sub Comd A.C. (MCLA)
Rome
Tel : Rome 489081 Ext 526

To :- S.M.R.E., Ufficio Automobiliamo.

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Reference your 6/8697/Serv of 17 August.

It is agreed that the revised Tpt W/TO of the Ministry of War Admin Tpt Coy be as follows :-

- Cars - 115
- Lorries - 55
- Busses - 10
- Motorcycles - 40

WGS/og

Alchukhi
for Lt. Col. ADST.,
Land Forces Sub Comd A.C. (MCLA)

Internal :- 0/2.
REMS.

PA W/E file
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25/8/45
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION (L.F.S.C.)
WAR ESTABLISHMENT COMMITTEE

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13th Meeting held on Thursday 3rd August 45

Present : Lt Col S.M. INGLETON Chairman
 Col F.J. MOAKES 'Q' Branch
 Maj J.A. DOBBS 'A' Branch
 Capt F.W. CHESROW US Army 'G' Branch
 Maj J.L.V. CHEVAL 'G'(SD)

ADDITION TO MINUTES

Addition to minutes of meeting No 8 and 9

War
 Establishment

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO BR LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT FOR R.T.C., I.C.F.

CM/880/1

AMHQ have approved the above war est.

File : SD/45/2

HQ AN ENGR BN

CM/881/1

AMHQ have approved the above war est.

(AMHQ W.E.C. 219 Serial 2444)

File : SD/4/2

Addition to minutes of meeting No 10

AMHQ have approved the following new war ests as stated below, w.e.f. 23 Jul 45.

AN ITALIAN WORKSHOP COMPANY

CM/1515/1

AN ITALIAN FROVOST COMPANY

CM/408/2

Serial No Category

34 BR-III
 Combat

40 BR-III
 Service

63 BR-III
 Ex-Operator

59 " "

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<u>Serial No</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>War Establishment</u>
48	Lx Coop-erator	<u>AN ITALIAN ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL SECTION</u>	CM/1502/1
67	"	The provision of Br vehs and motor cycles was approved in respect of the above three units providing that they are not att to e Br Cadre.	CM/347/2
50	"	<u>ITALIAN INCORPORATE TO GENERAL HOSPITALS</u>	CM/1503/1
49	"	<u>ITALIAN GENERAL STORES COMPANY</u>	CM/1504/1
53	"	<u>AN ITALIAN REARMED STORES COMPANY</u>	CM/1507/1
54	"	<u>AN ITALIAN M.F. STORES COMPANY</u>	CM/1508/1
57	"	<u>AN ITALIAN AMMUNITION COMPANY (ORD)</u> <u>AN ITALIAN TECHNICAL STORES COMPANY</u>	CM/1511/1

It was decided by AFHQ that only Italian tpt should be implemented in respect of the above six ests and then only when the unit was not att to a Br Cadre.

Notes were added to the WEs accordingly.
(AFHQ W.E.C. 221 Serial 2478 refers)

File : SD/131

MINUTES

89 BR-IFI POOL OF ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICERS CM/884/1

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CM/1503/1
CM/1504/1
CM/1507/1
CM/1508/1
CM/1511/1

- ITALIAN GENERAL STORES COMPANY
- AN ITALIAN REARMED STORES COMPANY
- AN ITALIAN M.T. STORES COMPANY
- AN ITALIAN AMMUNITION COMPANY (ORD)
- AN ITALIAN TECHNICAL STORES COMPANY

It was decided by AFHQ that only Italian tpt should be implemented in respect of the above six ests and then only when the unit was not att to a Br Cadre.

Notes were added to the VEs accordingly. (AFHQ W.E.C. 221 Serial 2478 refers)

File : SD/131

MINUTES

CM/884/1

POOL OF ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICERS

BR-ITI
Service

89

This new est was approved w.e.f. 2nd Aug 45. It consists of 110 Offrs. It was agreed to add a note saying that up to 50% could be NCO's. As NCO interpreters were hard to find it was more desirable to incl only Offrs in the VE itself however.

Concurrences: 2 and 3 Dists in principle.

File: SD/22/2

CM/885/1

AN ITALIAN REORGANISATION CENTRE

BR-ITI
Service tps

90

The proposed strength of this est was considered too high. It was, therefore decided to reduce the est to 7 Offrs and 293 ORs and an est of this size was approved w.e.f. 2nd Aug 45.

File : SD/39/2

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f. 7892

Serial No. Category War Establishment

91 ER-III Ex
Cooperator

AM ITALIAN PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION

CM/206/2

The above est was approved w.e.f. 2 Aug 45.

It consists of 1 Offr and 60 ORs and tpt. It is an exact rewrite of CM/206/1 which it superseded except that the Br personnel will be replaced by Italian personnel.

Concurrence: In ABHQ

File : RE/14/1

92 III-III
Italian Op Comd

ITALIAN BASE LOGI OFFICE

306/SURE/1

The above est was approved w.e.f. 2nd Aug 45.

It consists of Post offices as below:-

Type A	25 Offrs	18 ORs
Type D	10 Offrs	20 ORs
Type C	4 Offrs	5 ORs

(deferred from W.E.C. 11 Serial 87)

File : SD/52/2

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The above est was approved w.e.f. 2nd Aug 45.

It consists of Post offices as below:-

Type A	25 Offrs	16 ORs
Type B	10 Offrs	20 ORs
Type C	4 Offrs	5 ORs

(deferred from W.E.O. 11 Serial 87)

File : SD/52/2

New war establishments will not be without the authority of AME if in ER-III category or of Land Forces Sub Commission AC., MIA, if in III-III category.

J. V. Chatterjee
Secretary,
War Establishments Committee.

7 Aug 45

JV

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DISSEMINATION:

- AFHQ (three) (3)
- 13 CORPS
- 1 DISTRICT
- 2 DISTRICT
- 3 DISTRICT
- RACG
- EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER A.C.
- MATA LO 13 CORPS
- MATA LO 1 DISTRICT
- MATA LO 3 DISTRICT
- MATA LO NAPLES o/o TENSOUTH
- MATA LO SICILY
- MATA LO SARDINIA
- MATA LO 54 AREA
- MATA LO FLORENCE CITY COMMAND
- MATA LO 151 SUE AREA
- MATA LO 230 ADM DIV HQ
- MATA LO 231 ADM DIV HQ
- ACTIVSURY OF WAR
- 7th PL & TV for the RHC, IOR.
- MATA LO NW ITALY MILAN (2)

INTERNAL:

- C of S
- A
- Q (Three)
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- REME
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- SD/45/2 D/4/2
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MIA LO 231 ADM DIV HQ
MINISTRY OF WAR
"P" BL & TU for the RTC, ICS.
MIA LO NW ITALY MILAN

INTERNAL:

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Subject :- Special Equipment List.

Lend Forces Sub Comm.
A.C.(M.M.I.A.)

ROME
EME/1608

7 August 45.

To :- D.A.D.M.E.

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1. The attached has been forwarded to this office by A.F.H.Q.
2. Will you please forward your recommendations,

John Taylor

Major R.A.O.C.
for R.E.M.E. Branch,
Lend Forces Sub Comm.(MMIA) A.C.

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SUBJECT: War Establishment of RCO, ICF.

Lend Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
R C M E
EME/1608.

27 Aug '45.

To: "G" Branch (thro Q)
M.M.I.A.

Reference your SD/45/2 dated 4 Aug'45, herewith further comments on general points:-

1. M.T. Maintenance.
 This appears to be well covered by MT Sections in each of the separate units.
 It is presumed that the important duty of co-ordination of maintenance of MT and Arms will be undertaken by Sizione Automobilista on the Headquarters. For this it is considered that a Senior WCO should be added as Senior MT. WCO for the Centre.
2. Vehicles.
 This W/E mentions only British vehicles throughout. The bulk of Italian vehicles are oil driven and it is felt that instruction on these types should be included in the Dand M and E and M School. This may entail substitution of Italian for British vehicles for part of the training W.E. if this policy is approved.
3. Marezzino Gruppo C. (Headquarters)

1. M.T. Maintenance.

This appears to be well covered by MT Sections in each of the separate units.

It is presumed that the important duty of co-ordination of maintenance of MT and Arms will be undertaken by Sezione Automobilista on the Headquarters. For this it is considered that a Senior NCO should be added as Senior MT. NCO for the Centre.

2. Vehicles.

This W/E mentions only British vehicles throughout. The bulk of Italian vehicles are oil driven and it is felt that instruction on these types should be included in the Dard II and E and M School. This may entail substitution of Italian for British vehicles for part of the training W.E. if this policy is approved.

3. Mazzegno Gruppo C. (Headquarters)

This section will, it is presumed, be responsible for submission of all indents for all units. This will probably entail much checking and translation. It is felt that a further Technical Interpreter should be added and that 1 Junior NCO and two private clerks will be required.

4. Repair of Armaments held for training.

The holding of guns and small arms is not shown and it is therefore not possible to say whether the repairs facilities in the new W.E. are adequate.

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W. W. Wainwright

Major R.A.O.C.
for R.E.F. Branch,
Land Forces sub Comd. A.O. (MILIT)

FGWT/ajm.

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SUBJECT: War Establishment of RMV. ICE.

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Land Forces Sub Com.
A.C. (H.M.I.A.)
R O M E
RMV/1608.
6th Aug '45.

To: "G" Branch (thro G)
H.M.I.A.

Reference your SO/45/2 dated 4 Aug '45, herewith
further comments on general points:-

1. M.T. Maintenance.

This appears to be well covered by MT Sections
in each of the separate units.
It is presumed that the important duty of co-ordination
of maintenance of MT and Arms will be undertaken by Sizione
Automobilisti on the Headquarters. For this it is considered
that a Senior WCO should be added as Senior MT. WCO for the
Centre.

2. Vehicles.

This W/3 mentions only British vehicles throughout.
The bulk of Italian vehicles are oil driven and it is felt
that instruction on these types should be included in the
Dand II and B and B School. This may entail substitution of
Italian for British vehicles for part of the training W.R.
if this policy is approved.

3. Magazzino Gruppo C. (Headquarters)

This appears to be well covered by IT Sections in each of the separate units.

It is presumed that the important duty of co-ordination of maintenance of MT and Arms will be undertaken by Sizione Automobilista on the Headquarters. For this it is considered that a Senior NCO should be added as Senior MT, NCO for the Centre.

2. Vehicles.

This W/3 mentions only British vehicles throughout. The bulk of Italian vehicles are oil driven and it is felt that instruction on these types should be included in the Dams M and B and C School. This may entail substitution of Italian for British vehicles for part of the training N.S. if this policy is approved.

3. Marezzino Gruppe C. (Headquarters)

This section will, it is presumed, be responsible for submission of all indents for all units. This will probably entail much checking and translation. It is felt that a further Technical Interpreter should be added and that a Junior NCO and two private clerks will be required.

4. Repair of Armaments held for training.

The holding of guns and small arms is not shown and it is therefore not possible to say whether the repairs facilities in the new W.P. are adequate.

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Major R.A.C.C.
for R.A.C.C. Branch,
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.F.I.)

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Subject: Amendments to SMLg.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

AMM/6508/5/127/0(L.E)

24 July '45.

To

Below is amendment No. 4 to SML No. 127/2,
published April '45 for a Mechanical Engineers Platoon, Italian Combat Group,
on AM No. 539/1.

Sheet 1.

Amend AM to read AM/539/1.

Part I Vehicles.

insert in order: Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, stores - 1

Personal Weapons.

Amend Rifles, .303-in to read: 35.

P/A W/E file

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Subject: Authority for ITI-ITI units

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC (AMIA)

SD/94/1

16 July 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Reference this HQ letter SD/94/1 of 3 June and 5 July 45.

In order to complete the situation as at 8 May the following amendments to SD/94/1 of 3 June 45 are notified

(a) The authority for two units which were then in existence is hereby regularised. New serials will be added as below to Appendix B.

Serial	WE NUMBER	UNIT'S AUTHORIZED AND FORGED By Title	ITALIAN TITLE	WE STRENGTH Oftrs ORs
361A	203/SARE/1	3 Wks Services & Engns Stores Directorate	3 ^o Direzione Lavori e Servizi Genio	10 10
575A	186/SARE/1	11 Terr Repairs Directorate	11 ^o Direzione riparazioni Automobiliistiche	3 3

(b) The Italian title of the WE for Recovery Section (178/SARE/1) will be changed from SEZIONE RICUPERO to SEZIONE SOCCORSI STRADALI. Serial 561 on page 33 of Appendix B will be amended accordingly.

(c) No 25 Remount Depot (25 Centro Rifornimento Quadrupedi) on page 27 is allotted new serial number 480A.

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Serial	WE NUMBER	UNIT'S AUTHORIZED AND FORMED	WE STRENGTH
	Dr title	Italian title	Offrs ORs
381A	203/SARE/1	3 Wks Services & Engne Stores Directorate	10 10
575A	166/SARE/1	11 Terr Repairs Directorate	3 3
		3 ^o Direzione Lavori e Servizi Genio	
		11 ^o Direzione riparazioni Automobiliistiche	

- (b) The Italian title of the WE for Recovery Section (176/SARE/1) will be changed from SEZIONE RICUPERO to SEZIONE SOCCORSI SERBANTI. Serial 561 on page 53 of Appendix B will be amended accordingly.
- (c) No 25 Remount Depot (25 Centro Rifornimento Quadrupedi) on page 27 is allotted new serial number 480A.

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Major General
M.M.I.A.

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ATTN	10	c/o 1 District	
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG. (GMA)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT COMMITTEE

10th Meeting held on Saturday 7th July 45

Present : Lt Col S. M. INGLETON
Col E. J. NOAKES
Major S. D. ARCHER
Major J. L. W. CHEYNE

Chairman
'Q' Branch
'A' Branch
G(SD)

MINUTES

Serial No Category War Establishment

46 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN ARTISAN WORKS COMPANY CM/1500/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence.
It consists of 6 offrs and 250 ORs.
It was decided by the Committee that an allocation of vehs was necessary for the operation of this unit. Tpt was added accordingly.

47 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN INCORPORATED TO AN ENGR WORKSHOPS SEC CM/1501/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject AFHQ concurrence.
It consists of 2 offrs and 108 ORs.
The Committee decided that adm tpt would be necessary if the unit was to be self-administering. Tpt was added and personnel adjusted accordingly.

45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 6 offr and 250 ORs. It was decided by the Committee that an allocation of vehs was necessary for the operation of this unit. Tpt was added accordingly.

CM/1501/1

47 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN INCORPORATE TO AN ENGR WORKSHOPS SEC

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject AFHQ concurrence.

It consists of 2 offr and 108 ORs. The Committee decided that adm tpt would be necessary if the unit was to be self-administering. Tpt was added and personnel adjusted accordingly.

CM/1502/1

48 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL SECTION

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence.

It consists of 2 offr and 57 ORs. The Committee decided that if the unit was to be fully self-administering tpt would be necessary. Tpt was added and drivers adjusted accordingly.

CM/1504/1

49 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN REFINED STORES COMPANY

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence.

It consists of 4 offr and 153 ORs. The Committee decided that, if the unit was to be self-administering tpt would be necessary. Tpt was added and drivers adjusted accordingly, as no tpt was allotted to Br Cadre establishment.

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50 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN GENERAL STORES COMPANY CM/1503/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence.

It consists of 2 ofrs and 59 ORs.

The Committee decided that if the unit was to be fully self-administering it would be necessary. As no tpt was allotted to Dr Cadre establishment tpt was allotted and drivers adjusted accordingly.

51 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN VEHICLE TRANSIT PARK (CAIN) CM/1505/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence.

It consists of 4 ofrs and 379 ORs.

It was decided that no tpt should be added to the est as tpt will be held in Dr Cadre est.

52 Ex Cooperator ITALIAN VEHICLE PARK (" " " VEHICLES) CM/1506/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence.

It consists of 2 ofrs and 150 ORs.

It was decided that no tpt should be added to the est as tpt will be held in Dr Cadre est. This est also includes 5 specialist ex-cooperators transferred from Carrier Maint Sec (CM/290/1).

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This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July

45, subject to AFHQ concurrence.
It consists of 4 offr and 379 ORs.
It was decided that no tpt should be added to the est as tpt will be held in Dr Cadre est.

EX/1506/1

ITALIAN VEHICLE PARK ("M" VEHICLES)

52 Ex Cooperator

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
45, subject to AFHQ concurrence.
It consists of 2 offr and 130 ORs.
It was decided that no tpt should be added to the est as tpt will be held in Dr Cadre est.
This est also includes 5 specialist ex-cooper-ators transferred from Carrier Maint Sec (EX/250/1).

EX/1507/1

ITALIAN MT STORES COMPANY

53 Ex Cooperator

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
subject to AFHQ concurrence.
It consists of 4 offr and 140 ORs.
The Committee decided that an tpt was necessary, as the Dr Cadre was allotted no tpt, a veh and driver was added.

EX/1508/1

AN ITALIAN ACQUISITION COMPANY

54 Ex Cooperator

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
45, subject to AFHQ concurrence.
It consists of 1 offr and 55 ORs.
The Committee decided that domestic tpt was required by the unit and as no tpt is allotted in the Dr Cadre est tpt was added and drivers adjusted accordingly.
The amt approved at TEC 8 Serial 33 was included.

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55 Ex Cooperator

CM/1509/1

AN ITALIAN INSTRUMENT TO A MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT

This new est was approved v.c.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence. It consists of 1 offr and 67 ORs. As tpt is held on Dr unit, no tpt was allotted.

56 Ex Cooperator

CM/1510/1

AN ITALIAN INSTRUMENT TO A BASS HOSPITAL LAUNDRY

This new est was approved v.c.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence. It consists of 2 offr and 242 ORs. No tpt was necessary as tpt was held on est of Dr unit.

57 Ex Cooperator

CM/1511/1

AN ITALIAN TECHNICAL STORES COMPANY

This new est was approved v.c.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence. It consists of 4 offr and 94 ORs. The Committee decided that no tpt should be added as no tpt was available on the Dr Cadre est.

58 Ex Cooperator

CM/1512/1

AN ITALIAN SPECIAL V.P. POLICE COMPANY

This new est was approved v.c.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence. It consists of 3 offr and 114 ORs. It was decided that no tpt was necessary as it would be held on the Dr Cadre est.

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CM/1511/1

AN ITALIAN TECHNICAL STORES COMPANY

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 4 offrs and 94 ORs. The Committee decided that adm tpt should be added as no tpt was available on the Ir Cadre est.

57 Ex Cooperator

CM/1512/1

AN ITALIAN SPECIAL V.P. POLICE COMPANY

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 3 offrs and 114 ORs. It was decided that no tpt was necessary as it would be held on the Ir Cadre est.

58 Ex Cooperator

CM/400/2

AN ITALIAN PROJECT COMPANY

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It supersedes CM/407/1 and consists of 2 offrs and 98 ORs. The Committee decided that adm tpt was required to enable it to operate. One veh and one driver was added accordingly.

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60 Ex Cooperator

A DOG PROTEST COMPANY

This est was not approved.
The proposed est consisted of an HQ to administer 3 secs each of 3 ex-cooperator cooks. The secs are spread over a wide area of Italy.
It was considered that the difficulties in making a self-administering unit of this personnel, were insuperable, since the HQ could not adequately control a unit spread over so large an area and the 3 men with secs could not be self-administering on a separate W.I.

61 Ex Cooperator

AN ITALIAN INCUBATOR TO CIP DEPT AND TRG EST

CS/1513/1

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to ITIQ concurrence.
It consists of 1 offr and 65 ORs.
The Committee decided that tpt should be found by the tr unit for all com purposes.

62 Ex Cooperator

AN ITALIAN INCUBATOR TO A VEHICLE DISPOSAL UNIT

CS/1514/1

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to ITIQ concurrence.
It consists of 2 offr and 210 ORs.
Tpt was not added as tpt is allotted on Ex Centre est.

63 Ex Cooperator

AN ITALIAN WORKSHOP COMPANY

CS/1515/1

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to ITIQ concurrence.
It consists of 1 offr and 305 ORs.
The Committee decided that an allocation of tpt for unit com was necessary. Tpt was added accordingly.

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CA/1515/1

61 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN INCORPORATE TO CIE DEPOT AND TROOP EST
 This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
 45, subject to JHQ concurrence.
 It consists of 1 offr and 63 ORs.
 The Committee decided that tpt should
 be found by the br unit for all adm purposes.

CA/1516/1

62 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN INCORPORATE TO A VEHICLE DISPOSAL UNIT
 This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
 45, subject to JHQ concurrence.
 It consists of 2 offrs and 210 ORs.
 Tpt was not added as tpt is allotted on
 Dr Cadre est.

CA/1515/1

63 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN WORKSHOP COMPANY
 This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
 45, subject to JHQ concurrence.
 It consists of 4 offrs and 305 ORs.
 The Committee decided that an allocation
 of tpt for unit adm was necessary. Tpt was
 added accordingly.

CA/1516/1

64 Ex Cooperator AN ITALIAN INCORPORATE TO A FIRE-FIGHTING COY
 This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
 45, subject to JHQ concurrence.
 It consists of 2 offrs and 102 ORs.
 The Committee decided that the unit would
 require adm tpt particularly as the HQ will
 be responsible for supervision of personnel
 att to First Class Fire Brigades. Tpt and
 drivers were added accordingly.

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CU/1517/1

AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A RECEPTION STATION TYPE "A"

Ex Cooperator

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This new est was approved v.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 10 other ranks. It was considered that an allocation of tpt for so small a unit was uneconomic. Tpt was therefore omitted from the est.

CU/1518/1

AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A RECEPTION STATION TYPE "B"

Ex Cooperator

66

This new est was approved v.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 14 ORs. The Committee decided that an allocation of tpt for so small a unit was uneconomic, and it was accordingly omitted.

CU/1517/2

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO GENERAL HOSPITALS

Ex Cooperator

67

This new est was approved v.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It supersedes CU/1517/1 and consists of 1 offr and 30 ORs for a 600 bedded general hospital and 1 offr and 50 ORs for a 1,200 bedded hospital. The Committee decided that some adm tpt would be required by the unit. Tpt was added and drivers adjusted accordingly.

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CA/317/2

ITALIAN INCUMBENT TO GENERAL HOSPITALS

Ex Cooperator

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This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to A.H.Q. concurrence.

It supercedes CA/317/1 and consists of 1 ofpr and 30 ORs for a 600 bedded general hospital and 1 ofpr and 50 ORs for a 1,200 bedded hospital.

The Committee decided that some adm tpt would be required by the unit. Tpt was aided and drivers adjusted accordingly.

Ex Cooperator

68

AN ITALIAN INCUMBENT TO A BASH SALVAGE UNIT

The proposed est was NOT approved as it was considered that the unit was too small to be made self-administering economically.

It was decided to recommend that the ex-cooperators be mobilised and reemployed as civilians.

Ex Cooperator

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ITALIAN INCUMBENT TO HQ AN AREA

This est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to A.H.Q. concurrence.

It consists of 1 ofpr and 24 ORs

The Committee decided that adm tpt for the unit should be found from the Area HQ est or Area tpt pool. No tpt was added to War est.

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70	Ex Cooperator	<p><u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HQ A SUB AREA</u> <u>CI/1520/1</u></p> <p>This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 16 ORs. Tpt would be provided by Sub Area HQ or Sub Area tpt pool. No tpt was therefore included.</p>
71	Ex Cooperator	<p><u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A.C.C. TRAINING CENTRE</u> <u>CI/1521/1</u></p> <p>This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 1 offr and 14 ORs. As this is a purely domestic increment it was considered that the Br unit would be responsible for providing adm tpt. No tpt was therefore included in the W.E.</p>
72	Ex Cooperator	<p><u>ITALIAN INCREMENT TO FD COOKERY TRG CENTRE</u> <u>CI/1522/1</u></p> <p>This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 14 other ranks. It was decided that as the unit was an adm increment to a Br unit, the Br unit would be responsible for providing necessary tpt. Tpt was not therefore added to the est.</p>

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CM/1522/1

ITALIAN INCORPORATION TO 1ST COOPERATION TROOP CENTER

Ex Cooperator

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This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATRQ concurrence. It consists of 14 other ranks. It was decided that as the unit was an adm increment to a br unit, the br unit would be responsible for providing necessary fpt. Tpt was not therefore added to the est.

CM/1523/1

ITALIAN INCORPORATION TO B.I.A.

Ex Cooperator

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This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATRQ concurrence. It consists of 2 OFTs and 740 ORs. Tpt was not added for reasons similar to serial 72 above.

CM/1524/1

ITALIAN INCORPORATION TO "X" REG TROOP CENTER

Ex Cooperator

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This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATRQ concurrence. It consists of 1 OFT and 42 ORs. No tpt was allotted for reasons given in serial 72 above.

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75 Ex Cooperator

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO "X" SPECIAL
RECEPTION CAMP

CM/1525/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to A.I.Q. concurrence. It consists of 1 offr and 92 ORs. No tpt was allotted for reasons given in serial 72 above.

76 Ex Cooperator

ITALIAN ADM UNIT, A.F.H.Q.

CM/1526/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to A.I.Q. concurrence. It consists of 2 offrs and 217 ORs and incorporates ex-cooperator personnel for A.F.H.Q. (CM/50/1), A.F.H.Q. Staff and Services Pool (CM/605/2) and Officer's Mess Unit, A.F.H.Q. (CM/550/2). No tpt was allotted for reasons given in serial 72 above.

77 Ex Cooperator

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A FIELD SURVEY DEPT. RE.

CM/1527/1

This new est was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to A.I.Q. concurrence. It consists of 17 ORs and is designed to be attached for all purposes to Italian Adm Unit A.F.H.Q. (CM/1526/1). Tpt was not allotted for reasons given in serial 72 above.

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serial 72 above.

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77 Ex Cooperator

ITALIAN INCUMBENT TO A FIELD SURVEY DETACH, RE.

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to AMN concurrence. It consists of 17 ORs and is assigned to be attached for all purposes to Italian 44th Unit A.P.F.C. (CM/1526/1). Tpt was not allowed for reasons given in serial 72 above.

CM/1528/1

78 Ex Cooperator

AN ITALIAN PIONEER COMPANY

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to AMN concurrence. It consists of 4 offrs and 282 ORs. Tpt was added to the est as it was considered essential that the unit should be self-sufficient with regards to tpt, especially if no Dr Cadre was allotted.

CM/1529/1

79 Ex Cooperator

HQ AM ITALIAN COMPANY (PIONEER) 7879

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to AMN concurrence. It consists of 3 offrs and 35 ORs. The Committee decided that, as the HQ would have its own own domestic tpt requirements besides being responsible for supervising adm arrangements of sections, tpt was necessary. This was added accordingly.

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80 Ex Cooperator INCREMENT TO G.S.D.I.C. CM/508/1

The following amt was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AMHQ concurrence:-

add General Dutyman 6

Will be promulgated as amt No 2 on receipt of AMHQ concurrence.

81 Ex Cooperator INCREMENT TO 1. 10 RESIDENT DEPOT FOR 1,500 AMMUN CM/820/1

The following amt was approved w.e.f. 1 July 45, subject to AMHQ concurrence.

add under rank and file Ptes 1(a)
add under distribution by trades
add cooks (ptes) 1(a)

"Note"
(a) for use of No 1 School of Veterinary

Will be promulgated as amt No 1 on receipt of AMHQ concurrence.

82 Ex Cooperator ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A BASE DEPOT POST OFFICE, RG. CM/1530/1

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The following audit was approved w.o.f. 1 July 45, subject to ATHQ concurrence.

add under rank and file Eten 1(a)
add under distribution by trades
cooks (ptes) 1(a)

"Note"
(a) For use of No 1 School of Veterinary
will be promulgated as audit No 1 on receipt
of ATHQ concurrence.

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INFLUX INCREMENT TO A BASE BEFORE
POST OFFICE, ETC.

32 Ex Cooperator

This new est was approved w.o.f. 1 July
45, subject to ATHQ concurrence.
It consists of 1 offr and 75 ORs.
The Committee agreed that the Br unit
which is allotted adm tpt, would have to be
responsible for the adm of the increment and
that no allocation of tpt was justified.
Tpt was therefore omitted from the est.

New war establishments will not be implemented
without ATHQ authority.

TLW Chyng
Secretary,
War Establishments Committee.

10 July 45
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 Eighth Army
 1 District
 2 District
 3 District
 Rome Area Allied Command
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 131A LO c/o 3 District
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 131A LO SICILY
 131A LO SARDEGNA
 131A LO c/o 54 Area
 131A LO c/o Florence City Command APO 782
 131A LO c/o 151 Sub Area
 131A LO c/o 60 Sub Area
 131A LO 230 Adm Div
 131A LO 231 Adm Div
 War Ministry (two)

INTERNAL

Chief of Staff
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 War Diary (two)
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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S COMMISSION
UNIT

ANNEX

The meeting will be held at 11.45 hrs in the
Conference room on Thursday 14 June 55.

<u>Serial Number</u>	<u>Proposal</u>	<u>W.S.</u>	<u>Category of Unit</u>	<u>Branches to send Rep</u>	<u>Time (hrs)</u>
33	<u>Italian Ord</u> <u>Ann Coy</u>	CM/202/T	Co-ordinator	G/CS	11.45
	<u>Delete</u>	S/Sgt	-	-	-
		Sgts	-	-	-
		Cpls	-	-	-
	<u>Insert</u>	Sgts	-	-	-
		Cpls	-	-	-
34	<u>Workshops</u> <u>Directorate</u>	New	I-ITI-ITI	REME	11.50
	4 Officers				
	7 CRs				
35	<u>Ministry of War MS</u> <u>Coy</u>	New	I-ITI-ITI	Sigs	11.55

3 Officers
82 CRs

75 vehicles (1:1:1:20 M/CS)

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C/CS

Co-ordinator

CM/200/H

Italian Ord
Ann Coy

S/Sgt	-	1
Sgts	-	3
Cpls	-	3
Sgts	-	1
pls	-	5

34 Workshops New I-ITI-ITI RENE II.50
Directorate

4 Officers
 7 ORG

35 Ministry New I-ITI-ITI SIGS II.55
of War ELS
Coy

3 Officers
 82 ORG
 76 Vehicles (Incl 70 M/Cs)

36 Italian Incr 'F' ELU I2.C5
to SR Liaison New 2-ER-ITI
& Trg Unit for Combat
RUC ICF

NE not available.
 To be issued at meeting.
 Approx strength 56 ORG.

13 June 45

Major
 Secretary War Establishments Committee.

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Subject:- No 1 Mobile Park.

Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
ROME
EME/1608

2 July 45

M.M.I.A. Senior Liaison Officer
c/o 54 Area.

1. Reference your ST/41 dated 20 June 45.
2. When the Heavy Mobile Workshops from Sardinia was split, it was necessary to produce a War Establishment for authorisation by M.M.I.A. War Establishments Committee.
3. This Proposed W.E. was submitted to us by the War Ministry. This office made certain alterations and finally agreed the W.E. which was finally passed by W.E. Committee and a copy of which is attached.
4. This, therefore is the official strength of No 1 Mobile Workshops for personnel and transport.
5. It is a liberal W.E. and Major Hall agrees that no alterations can be made.

R.A.O.C.

Major R.A.O.C.
for R.E.M.E. Branch,
Land Forces Sub Comm. (M.M.I.A.)

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Tel: Bari 13484

Subject:- N° 1 Mobile Park

MMIA Liaison Office
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
C/o 54 Area, C.M.F.

ST/41

20 June 45.

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To: HQ, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. (MMIA)

1. I understand from the Commanding Officer of the above unit, he has received instructions from the War Ministry to slightly reduce the size of his work shop.
2. As this unit is operating in this Area and the above mentioned instructions affect the General Policy of the work shop, it would be appreciated if copies of such instruction could be forwarded to this office for information.
3. For your information I understand it is the intention of the C.O. 1 Mobile Park to visit the Ministry of War and M.M.I.A. H.Q to discuss this question amongst others during the next few days.

J. J. ... Major REME
for Senior L.O.
Eastern Italy

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Copy for Major Wall

Bari, June 18, 1945

Ref. No. 429

To: Ministry of War - Artillery & Motorization Directorate
M.T. Corps Div.
R O M E

Subject: War establishments of 1st Mobile Park
(Ref. letter 4049/2 A/08044 of June 12, 1945)

On May 22nd last and in pursuance of letter 05427/3019/2 A of May 7th this Directorate forwarded to your Division a report containing the names of the personnel and a description of motor vehicles, pending transmittal of the corresponding war establishments.

This report, however, referred to the two sections of the Park still considered as part of the same war establishments - including the recovery section - and, therefore, there had not been assigned to the second section any of the motor vehicles especially equipped for the Park as one unit. Since it seems that the report in question has not reached your Division, this Directorate is forwarding you a copy thereof.

Said report shows that as of that date there was a total of 429 men of whom

7	comprising the Park Directorate
197	" the first section
178	" the second section
31	" the recovery section
16	" the motor mechanics section
2	in charge of the towcar for Terzi
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the motor vehicles numbered 163 of which

77	of the 1 st Section and special ones for the Park
63	of the 2 nd Section which became 64 with the L.A.D. 38
17	of the recovery squad
5	of the motor mechanics squad
1	towcar for Terni

The difference of 14 motor vehicles between the 1st and 2nd Section was due to

4	motor vehicles of the Park Directorate (passenger car, office bus - 2 Spa 39 for officers' billets)
2	motor vehicles for Medical and Chaplain's billets
1	motor ambulance
2	trucks equipped as Kitchens and officers mess.
1	tractor for laboratory duty
1	P. V. truck for fast deliveries
1	Storage truck for the transport of batteries
1	" " " " " tires
1	Extra truck equipped for blacksmiths

Originally, and in accordance with our agreement with Major Hall and his instructions, when it was a question of organizing a single Park, the motor vehicles totaled 145; the increase to 163 is due to the split-up of the Park into 2 sections, each of which had to be equipped for its particular tasks.

As for the contemplated reduction in the number of motor vehicles of this Park, this Directorate wishes to point out that by doing so its overall equipment would be greatly reduced, due to a decrease in the means which enable the Park to establish itself with all its services at any place and in a very short time (at Bari, the

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Park, which arrived late in the afternoon of the 8th, started its regular activities on the morning of the 11th.)

In view of the purposes for which the Mobile Parks were created and the fact that they are expected to move from one place to another quickly and perform their duties anywhere, it is believed that a modest but nevertheless generous amount of means should be provided, affording both officers and OR's those facilities and comforts which may be lacking at their particular place of work, and that the equipment of the Park should be ample enough to cover all eventualities.

Consequently, this office wishes to submit to your Directorate General a table of the new establishment, both for personnel and motor vehicles, which, subject to your approval, it believes to be more in accord with the nature and requirements of mobile Parks.

As a result the following motor vehicles will become available:

- 2 extra light ones
- 2 heavy "

Signed: Maj. Gen. Martillecci
Park Director

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12.11
22.6
17.30
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№ *124* di prot.

Bari, li 18 Giugno 1945

Al MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA - Direz. Artiglieria e Motorizzazione
Div. Corpo Automobilistico

R O M A

OGGETTO: Organici del 1° Parco Mobile.-

(Riferimento foglio 4049/2 A/08044 del 12 Giugno corr.)

In data 22 Maggio u.s. ed a seguito del foglio 05427/3019/2 A del 7 maggio stesso fu trasmesso da questa Direzione a codesta Divisione la situazione nominativa del personale e descrittiva degli autoveicoli in attesa di trasmettere i relativi organici.

Tale situazione però si riferiva alle due sezioni del Parco considerate ancora come facenti parte dello stesso organico, sezione recuperi compresa, e quindi non erano stati assegnati alla seconda sezione alcuni degli automezzi specialmente attrezzati per il Parco unito. Poichè senza che la situazione in parola non sia pervenuta a codesta Divisione, questa Direzione si fa dovere di trasmetterne copia.-

Risulta da tale situazione che a quella data complessivamente gli uomini erano 429 dei quali:

-	7	componenti la Direzione del Parco	
-	197	" " la prima prima sezione	12.11
-	178	" " la seconda sezione	22.6
-	31	" " la sezione recuperi	
-	16	" " la sezione motoristi	
-	2	1 conduttori del carro grue per Terni	17.30
-	431		23.6

- gli automezzi erano 163 dei quali:
- della 1° Sezione e speciali per il Parco 77
- della 2° Sezione passati a 64 con l'autofficina 38 63
- della squadra recuperi 17
- della squadra motoristi 5

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La situazione però si riferiva alle due sezioni del Parco con siderate ancora come facenti parte dello stesso organico, sezione ricuperi compresi, e quindi non erano stati assegnati alla seconda sezione alcuni degli automezzi specialmente attrezzati per il Parco unito. Poiché sembra che la situazione in parola non sia pervenuta a codesta Divisione, questa Direzione si fa dovere di trasmetterne copia.

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178	" la seconda sezione	22.6.
31	" la sezione ricuperi	
16	" la sezione motoristi	
2	1 conduttori del carro grue per Terni	18.30
431		23.6.

La differenza di 14 automotomezzi tra la 1° e la 2° Sezione era

4	automezzi della Direzione del Parco (autovettura - autobus ufficio - 2 Spa 39 per alloggio ufficiali)
2	automezzi alloggio medico e cappellano
1	autambulanza
2	autocarri attrezzati per cucina e mensa ufficiali
1	trattore per servizio laboratorio
1	autofurgoncino per servizi rapidi
1	autocarro magazzino per trasporto batterie
1	" " " gomme
1	autocarro in più attrezzato per fabbri

Originariamente e secondo gli accordi presi col Maggiore Hall e le sue istruzioni, quando trattavasi di costituire un solo Parco, gli automezzi erano complessivamente 145; l'aumento a 163 è dovuto alla suddivisione del Parco in due sezioni, ciascuna delle quali doveva essere attrezzata per i suoi compiti di lavoro.

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Quanto alla riduzione che dovrebbero essere apportata al numero degli automotomezzi di questo Parco, questa Direzione si permette di far presente che in tal modo ne verrebbe di molto ridotta l'attrezzatura in genere, per la diminuzione di mezzi che permettono al Parco di assistere con tutti i suoi servizi in qualunque luogo e in brevissimo periodo (a Bari il Parco giunge nel tardo pomeriggio del giorno e ha iniziata la sua vita regolare di lavoro il mattino dell'11).--

Dati gli scopi per i quali i Parchi mobili sono stati creati e la facilità che debbono avere di spostarsi con rapidità e di vivere ovunque, si ritiene sia necessaria una modesta larghezza di mezzi dai quali gli ufficiali e soldati possano trarre quelle comodità e quei ristori che eventualmente difettano nei luoghi del loro lavoro, e la attrezzatura del Parco abbia quella ampiezza necessaria per tutte le evenienze.--

In conseguenza questa Direzione si permette sottoporre all'esame di codesta Superiore Direzione Generale uno specchio dell'organico del personale e degli automotomezzi che, subordinatamente, ritiene più consoni alla natura ed alle necessità dei Parchi mobili.--

Dall'organico risulteranno disponibili 4 automezzi e precisamente:
 2 extra leggeri
 2 pesanti

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Dall'organico risulteranno disponibili 4 automezzi e precisamente:
te: 2 extra leggeri
2 pesanti

IL DIRETTORE DEL PARCO
(Magg. Corrado Martellacci)

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1st Mobile Park
1° PARCO MOBILE

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Unit establishment of 1st Mobile Park
ORGANICO DEL 1° PARCO MOBILE

	PERSONE		MEZZI			
	Ufficiali	Sottufficiali	Truppa	Autovetture	Autocarri	Moto
<u>DIREZIONE PARCO</u> Park Directorate			EM			
1 Direttore ^{Director}	1					
1 Ufficiale addetto (interprete)	1					
1 Scrivani-conduttori ^{clerk - Drivers}		1	6	1	3	
<u>UFFICIO REGIMENTALE</u> Regimental Office						
1 Capo ufficio chief clerk	1					
1 Ufficiale addetto ^{Adjutant}	1					
1 medico ^{Medical Officer}	1					
1 Sottufficiale contabilità ^{Bookkeeping}	1					
3 Sottufficiali ^{Senior NCO's}		3				
1 Truppa ^{EM}			28			3
<u>MAGAZZINO MATERIALI</u> Materials Depot						
1 Consegnatario ^{IC of Depot}	1					
4 Sottuff. magazzinieri ^{Senior NCO Warehousemen}		4				
1 Personale ^{Personnel}			9			15
<u>LABORATORIO</u> Laboratory						
1 A) Direzione ^{Head office}	1					
1 Direttore ^{Director}						
1 Capo ufficio ^{Foreman}						

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Sottufficiali Truppa E.M.	3	28	16	3
MAGAZZINO MATERIALI Materials Depot				
Consegnatario I.C. of Depot	1			
Sottuff.mezzagzineri Svin MCO Warehouse	4			
Personale Personnel		9	15	
LABORATORIO Laboratory				
A) Direzione Head office	1			
Direttore Director				
Capo officina Foreman	1	4		
Squadra collaudo Testing Squad	1	3	4	
" controllo checking squad	2			1
B) 1ª Sezione 1st Section				
Capo Sezione Section Head	1			
Capo reparto Department Head				
operai Workmen		74		
scrivetturali clerks		2		
conduttore (*) Driver x)		1		12
C) 2ª Sezione 2nd Section				
Capo Sezione Section Head	1			
Capo reparto Department Head				
Operai Workmen		55		
Scrivetturali clerks		2		18
TOTALE	9	164	68	3

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6°) conduttore del carro gru. =
x) driver of tower

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Translation.

From; Major Martellacci.-
1st MT. park Directorate.
To ; Major Hall.
Subject; W/E Mobile Park.

Ref; Bari. 19th June, 1945.

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From the M.of W. Arty., Directorate & Motorisation, we have received for information, letter 4049/2A/010445 (COPY ATTACHED.,) which lays down the W/E of Mobile parks.

- 1) ~~ments~~ ^{ments} Regarding the personnel, there are no ~~conditions~~ ^{comments}; their ~~appoint-~~ ^{appoint-} ~~ments~~ ^{ments}, especially for duties, are governed by the necessities that arise, ~~the line, and type of work~~ ^{and possibilities at the time and place of work}.
- 2) Regarding the vehicles, the Ministry has evidently worked on ~~the~~ ^{the} basis ~~from the~~ ^{from the} information sent by the 2nd Section, which as you know, ~~does not include~~ ^{does not include} many specially equipped vehicles, i.e. the vehicle for the Park Directorate, Mess and Kitchen vehicles and tractors etc., all these, being allotted for one Park, and not two.

Consequently I think; that in view of the nature and purpose of Mobile Parks, the instructions issued by you, the long and arduous work of organisation, the much thought devoted (even using the maximum economy in men and vehicles) to furnishing the park with the few necessary commodities of articles and labour, and in consideration of their mobility, and the fact that they have to camp under canvas in all places, that it is not possible to reduce the equipment without reducing the efficiency, and the work carried out.

The reduction put forward would create some difficulties (Kitchen & Officers Mess) ~~or~~ ^{or} some inconvenience (Motor ambulance) and would reduce the transport capabilities of articles and materials.

I have thought it therefore opportune to submit the W/E, copy of which is attached to this letter, to the Ministry, and to you, for your respective consideration.

Things here are going satisfactorily, Major Truscott gives me all the help possible, and the work is proceeding well. As soon as the leaves are over, things will go very well indeed, and you will always have cause for satisfaction, with the organisation you have formed. In any case come and see us.

Cordial Salutations.

(Major Martellacci)

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REPME (9)

1° PARCO MOBILE
Direzione

Bari, 19 Giugno 1945

AL MAGGIORE FALLE
DAL MAGGIORE MARTELLACCI

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OGGETTO: Organici del Parco Mobili.=

Dal Ministero della Guerra, Direzione Artiglierie e Motorizzazione, è pervenuto per conoscenza al Parco il foglio 4049/2A/08044, che trasmetto in copia, foglio che fissa gli organici del Parco Mobili. -

1°) Per il personale nulla da osservare; la destinazione degli uomini, specialmente per i servizi, è dettata dalle necessità che si presentano e dalle opportunità del tempo e dei luoghi di lavoro. -

2°) Per gli automezzi evidentemente il Ministero si è basato sulla segnalazione fattagli dalla 2° Sezione, la quale, come Lei sa, mancava di alcuni auto-speciali e cioè quelli della Direzione del Parco, mense e cucine, trattori ecc. tutti mezzi che erano previsti per un solo parco e non per due. -

In conseguenza lo ritengo che, data la natura e gli scopi del Parco mobili, le direttive da Lei date, il lungo e minuzioso lavoro di organizzazione e lo studio per fornire (pur facendo la massima economia di mezzi e di uomini) al Parco quelle poche ma necessarie comodità di cose e di lavoro, anche in considerazione della sua mobilità e della necessità di attendersi dovunque, non si debba diminuire l'attrezzatura per non diminuirne l'efficienza e il rendimento. -

La riduzione perciò prevista, creerebbe qualche disagio (cucina e mense uffici-ali) o qualche inconveniente (autoambulanza) e simi-

Per gli automezzi evidentemente il Ministero si è basato sulla vendita che fattagli dalla 2^a Sezione, la quale, come Lei sa, mancava di alcuni auto-speciali e così quelli della Direzione del Parco, manse e cucine, trattori ecc. tutti macchi che erano previsti per un solo parco e non per due.

In conseguenza lo ritengo che, data la natura e gli scopi del Parco mobili, le direttive da Lei date, il lungo e minuzioso lavoro di organizzazione e lo studio per fornire (pur facendo la massima economia ai mezzi e ai uomini) al Parco quelle poche ma necessarie comodità di cose e di lavoro, anche in considerazione della sua mobilità e della necessità di attendersi dovunque, non si debba diminuire l'attrezzatura per non diminuirne l'efficienza e il rendimento.

La riduzione perciò prevista, creerebbe qualche disagio (cucina e mensa ufficiali) o qualche inconveniente (autoambulanza) e diminuirebbe le possibilità eventuali di trasporto di cose e di materiali.

Ho creduto perciò di sottoporre all'esame del Ministero l'organico che allego in copia anche a Lei con la lettera che lo accompagna, per il Suo interessamento.

Qui le cose vanno bene abbastanza: il Magg. Truscott mi da tutto l'aiuto possibile e il lavoro procede benino. Finite le licenze le cose andranno ottimamente e lei avrà sempre da essere contento dell'organismo che ha voluto. Comunque venga a vedere.

Cordiali saluti

Luigi. Luantelance

TRANSMISSION	
IN	12.11
	22/1
OUT	11.45
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Luigi. Luantelance

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Translation.

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From: M. of W. Ref: 4049/2A/08044.
To : MMIA 12/6/45.
Subject: Future disbandment of the 13th MT. Park, and the forming of the 1st and 2nd Mobile Park, and 1st Recovery Section.

The MMIA in relation to the instructions in force for the reorganisation of MT Service units, has ordered the disbandment of the 13th MT Park, and the forming of the 1st and 2nd Mobile MT.Parks, and the Recovery section.

- 1) Names of new units.
 - 1st Mobile MT. Park.
 - 2nd " " "
 - 1st Recovery Section.
- 2) V/E - Attached to this sheet. (Temporary while awaiting approval of the MMIA).
- 3) Commanding Officers.
 - Major Mantellacci Corrado. - 1st Mobile MT Park.
 - Capt., Volpati Gerolamo - 2nd " " "
 - 2nd Lt., Bellagamba Luciano - 1st Recovery Section.
- 4) Location.
 - 1st Mobile MT Park. : Temporarily at Bari.
 - 2nd " " " : " " Afragola.
 - 1st Recovery Section. : " " Naples with the 2nd Repair MT. Unit.
- 5) Higher formation control.
 - a) Territorial and Disciplinary: Competent Territorial Military HQ, through the MT.Repair Directorate.
 - b) Duties: M. of W.- General Directorate of Arty., and Motorization, Motorisation Division through the MT repair Directorate of the competent Military Territorial HQ.
- 6) Formation.
By the respective commanding officers, drawing personnel, and vehicles from the effective strength of the 13th MT., Park.
- 7) Date of formation, Mobilisation centre, administrative responsibilities, of the new units, and the disbandment date of the 13th MT., Park. will be decided by the SMRE.

GD.

(Gen U. Russo)

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direzione Artiglieria e Motorizzazione
Div. Corpo Automob/co - Sez. 2^a

n° 4044/2 A/00044 di prot. Roma, 11 12 Giugno 1945

Oggetto: Preavviso scioglimento 13^o parco automobilistico e costituzione
ne 1^o e 2^o parco Mobile e 1^a Sezione Recuperi.

..... indirizzi onessi

La L.F.S.C. AC. (MMA) - in relazione alle disposizioni in atto per la riorganizzazione delle unità del servizio automobilistico ha disposto lo scioglimento del 13^o parco automobilistico e la costituzione del 1^o e 2^o parco mobile automobilistico e della 1^a Sezione recuperi.

- 1^o) - Denominazione dei nuovi enti:
 - 1^o Parco mobile automobilistico
 - 2^o Parco Mobile automobilistico
 - 1^a Sezione Recuperi.
- 2^o) - Organici: allegati alla presente (provvisori in attesa di approvazione da parte della MMA)
- 3^o) - Comandanti:
 - Magg. Martellacci Corrado - 1^o parco mobile automobilistico
 - Cap. No Volpati Gerolamo - 2^o parco mobile automobilistico
 - S. Ten. Bellagamba Luciano - 1^a Sezione recuperi.
- 4^o) - Bede:
 - 1^o parco mobile automobilistico : temporaneamente a Bari
 - 2^o parco automobilistico : " " ad Afragola
 - 1^a Sezione recuperi : " " a Napoli presso il 2^o Reparto Riparazioni automobilistiche.
- 5^o) - Dipendenze amministrative:

- 1° Sezione Recupero.-
- 2°)- Organici: delegati alla presente (provvisori in attesa di approvazione da parte della MMIA)
- 3°)- Comandanti:
 magg. Bertellacci Corrado
 cap.no Volpati Gerolamo
 S.Ten. Sellagamba Luciano
- 4°)- Sede:
 1° parco mobile automobilistico : temporaneamente a Berti
 2° parco automobilistico : " " ad Affagola
 1° Sezione recupero : " " a Napoli presso il
 2° Reparto Riparazioni automobili-
 stiche.-
- 5°)- Dipendenze gerarchiche:
 a)- territoriali e disciplinari: Comando militare territoriale compe-
 tente, tramite direzione riparazioni automobilistiche;
 b)- d'impiego: Ministero della Guerra - Direzione Generale Artiglieria
 e motorizzazione: divisione motorizzazione: - tramite direzione ripara-
 zioni automobilistiche del comando militare territoriale competente.
- 6°)- Costituzione:
 a cura dei rispettivi comandanti che trarranno personale e mezzi
 dalla forza effettiva del 13° Parco Automobilistico.-
- 7°)- Data di costituzione, centro di mobilitazione, dipendenza amministra-
 tiva, dei nuovi enti e data di scioglimento del 13° parco automobili-
 stico: saranno determinate a cura dello Stato Maggiore R.Esercito.-

F. C. C.
 IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE
 F.to (Col.A.Faronato)

P. IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
 F/to Gen. U.Russo

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ORGANICO DI UN PARCO MOBILIE AUTOMC. LISTICO
(forza militare autorizzata : 208 unita)

	ufficiali	sottufficiali	graduati e truppa	autoveicoli	Autocarr	motocicli
<u>DIREZIONE</u>						
- direttore (col. o ten. Col)	1					
- addetto (ufficiale interprete)	1	7	7	1	2	
- scritture conduttori						
Totale	2	-	7	1	2	
<u>UFFICIO REGGIMENTALE</u>						
- capo ufficio (capitano) (1)	1					
- addetto (te. o S. ten.) (2)	1					
- ufficiale medico	1	1				
- sottufficiale dicontab.		3	28		13	3
- " automobilisti (3)						
- servizi vari (4)						
totale	3	4	28	-	13	3
<u>MAGAZZINO MATERIALI AUTOM/CI</u>						
- consegnatario (ten. o s. ten)	1	4	9		14	
- sottuff. li magazzinieri						
- personale di magazzino (5)						
totale ...	1	4	9		14	

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autobilisti (3)	3	28	13	3
servizi vari (4)	3	4	13	3
totale	1	4	14	14

MAGAZZINO MATERIALI AUTOM/GI
 -consegnatario (ten. o s. ten) 1
 -sottuff. li magazzinieri 4
 -personale di magazzino (5) 9

totale ... 14

- N O T E :
- (1) - ~~ai~~ ha la amministrazione del reparto.-
 - (2) - è anche ufficio al vettovagliamento.-
 - (3) - ai cui: uno addetto alla cucina truppa, uno addetto ai carburanti, uno aiutante di sanità.-
 - (4) - di cui: un dattilografo, tre scritturali, due telefonisti, quattro cu- cinieri, due addetti mensa ufficiali, un barbiere, un sarto, un calzoi- laio, un addetto al magazzino viveri, due infermieri, tre motocicli- sti, sette servizi vari.-
 - (5) - I conduttori dei tredici autocarri sono tratti dal personale di cui sopra.-
 - (5) - I conduttori degli autocarri sono tratti dal personale del magazzino

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- 2 - (segue organico d un parco mobiliie au-
tomobilistico)

	personale			autoveicoli	
	uffi- ciali	sottu- ficcia- li	Gradue- ti e truppa	auto- vettu- re	auto- carri moto cicli
		1	4		4(1)
		1	3		11(1)
		2			16(1)
Totale	3	6	141	-	31

LABORATORIO

- A) - Direzione:
- Direttore (Cap.no e Ten.) 1
 - Capo officina
 - Squadra collaudo
 - " controllo automezzi
- B) - 1° Sezione (montatori motoristi):
- capo sezione (ten.o s.ten.) 1
 - capo meccanico
 - operai montat.o motoristi
 - scritturali
 - conduttore (2)
- C) - 2° Sezione (lavori vari):
- capo sezione (ten.o s.ten.) 1
 - capo meccanico
 - operai (3)
 - scritturali

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Rome HQ MEFIA

Subject : Amendments to SELs.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

AFHQ/6508/5/127/2(AE)

21 June '45.

To

Below is Amendment No. 3 to S.E.L. No. 127/2, published April '45 for a Mechanical Engineers Platoon, Italian Combat Group on WE CS/539/1.

Sheet 2 after Section F. insert :

SECTION F.2.

Fa 20207 Tool kits, carpenters, supplementary

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P/A W/E file

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC (MIA)

TAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

8th Meeting held on Thursday 14 June 45

Present :	Lt Col	S.M. INGLEDEN	Chairman
	Col	F.J. NOAKES	'Q' Branch
	Maj	R.E. PINKLEY	'G' Branch
	Maj	S.D. ARCHER	'A' Branch
	Maj	J.L.W. CHESTER	C(SD)

Serial Number	Category	ADDITIONS TO MINUTES	Ver Establishment
12	Cat 2 - BR-III Combat Tps	<u>Addition to minutes of Meeting No 4</u> <u>AN ITALIAN FIELD SURGICAL UNIT</u>	CM/575/1

The proposed amdt No 2 has been approved by AFHQ and will be promulgated accordingly (AFHQ WEC 211)

File SD/12/2

Addition to minutes of Meeting No 6

22	Cat 3 - BR-III Service Tps	<u>AN ITALIAN GRAVES CONCENTRATION PLATOON</u>	CM/890/1
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This ect has been approved by AFHQ and will be issued accordingly (AFHQ WEC 210/2357 refers)

File SD/27/2

Addition to minutes of Meeting No 7

32	Cat 3 - BR-III Service Tps	<u>A PIGEON SECTION</u>	CM/892/1
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Category of this unit is Category 3 BR-III - Service Troops, as now notified.

MINUTES

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The proposed amdt No 2 has been approved by AFHQ and will be promulgated accordingly (AFHQ TEC 211)

File SD/12/2

22 Cat 3 -
ER-III
Service Tps

AN ITALIAN GRAVES CONCENTRATION PLATOON

CM/890/1

This est has been approved by AFHQ and will be issued accordingly (AFHQ TEC 210/2357 refers)

File SD/27/2

Addition to minutes of Meeting No 7

32 Cat 3 -
ER-III
Service Tps

A PIGEON SECTION

CM/892/1

Category of this unit is Category 3 BR-III - Service Troops, as now notified.

MINUTES

33 Co-operator

AN ITALIAN ORDNANCE AMMUNITION COMPANY

CM/202/1

As this unit will shortly be transferred to BR-III Category from present status the proposed amdt was considered.

The following amdt was approved :-
delete
S/Sgt - 1
Sgts - 3
Cpls - 3

Substitute

Sgts - 1
Cpls - 5

Will be included in new Italian Army est to be promulgated later.

Concurrences

Ord AFHQ

File SD/15/2

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Establishment
CY/889/1

ITALIAN INCR TO BR LIAISON & TRAINING UNIT
FOR RTC ICF

This est was approved w.c.f. 14 June 45 subject to AFHQ concurrence. It consists of 2 offr and 46 ORs.

WORKSHOPS HQ

This est was approved w.c.f. 14 June 45. It consists of 4 offr, 7 ORs and is assigned to control civilian personnel.

File SD/10/2

A MOBILE PARK

This est was approved w.c.f. 14 June 45. It consists of 9 offr and 199 ORs and Tpt.

File SD/10/2 (VEC 7/27 refers)

A RECOVERY SECTION

This est was approved w.c.f. 14 June 45. It consists of 2 offr 32 ORs and Tpt.

File SD/10/2 (VEC 7/28 refers)

MINISTRY OF WAR ELS COMPANY

This est was approved w.c.f. 14 June 45. It consists of 3 offr, 82 ORs and Tpt.

File X/517/1

Category

Serial Number

Cat 2 -
BR-ITI
Combat Tps

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Cat 1(C) -
ITI-ITI

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Cat 1(C) -
ITI-ITI

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Cat 1(C) -
ITI-ITI

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Cat 1(C) -
ITI-ITI

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179/SITE/1

A MOBILE PARK

This est was approved w.e.f. 14 June 45.
It consists of 9 offrs and 199 ORs and Tpt.

File SD/10/2 (WEC 7/27 refers)

178/SITE/1

A RECOVERY SECTION

This est was approved w.e.f. 14 June 45.
It consists of 2 offrs 32 ORs and Tpt.

File SD/10/2 (WEC 7/28 refers)

223/SITE/1

MINISTRY OF WAR ELS COMPANY

This est was approved w.e.f. 14 June 45.
It consists of 3 offrs, 82 ORs and Tpt.

File X/517/1

New war establishments will not be implemented without authority of AFHQ if in categories 2 & 3 (ER-ITI) or of Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MIA) if in categories 1,4,5 & 7 (ITI-ITI)

Lt Col GS

DISTRIBUTION

- AFHQ (Three)
- CG 15 Army Group
- Fifth Army (Br Incr)
- Eighth Army
- 1 District
- 2 District
- 3 District
- MIA LO Fifth Army (Br Incr)
- " " Eighth Army
- " " 1 District
- " " 3 District
- " " NAPLES
- " " 54 Area
- " " 52 Area
- " " SICILY
- " " SARDINIA

- INTERNAL
- Chief of Staff
- G(SD)
- G(Trg)
- IA
- IQ (Two)
- Sigs
- Ord
- REME
- War Diary (Two)
- Files
- SD/12/2
- SD/27/2
- SD/15/2
- SD/10/2
- X/517/1
- SD/105

Cat 1(C) - ITI-ITI

Cat 1(C) - ITI-ITI

Cat 1(C) - ITI-ITI

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EME/1608

Subject:- Equipment - No. 3 Italian General Transport Coy.

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
Q/15
17 June 45.

To:-

A.F.H.Q. for Q(AE)

1. The Mechanical Engineer's Platoon of No. 3 Italian General Transport Coy. is entitled under WENA/531/1 to two carpenters. No provision is made however, for sets of Carpenters' Tools in SEL 127/2 or NEL schedule No. 96.

2. In view of the above facts, could you please arrange for the issue of an amendment for the addition of the following item to SEL 127/2 -

Section F.

FA 0790 Chests, tools, filled, Carpenters 2.

[Signature]
F.J. NOAKES Colonel
for Major General.
M. M. I. A.

Copy to:- Q (OS)
R.E.M.E.
S.T.

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P/A W/E file

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EME/1608

Ministero della Guerra
Direzione Generale Artiglieria e Motorizzazione
Divisione: Corpo Automobilistico
Sezione 2^a

SITUAZIONE PERSONALE MILITARE SPECIALIZZATO EFFETTIVO AI REPARTI RIPARAZIONI AUTOMOBILISTICHE alla data 1 Giugno 1945

(48)

Qualifica	1° Reparto Mobile	2° Reparto Mobile	14° Reparto Riparazioni
capo officina	1	-	2
capi meccanici	18	11	!
montatori-aggiustatori	40	38	!
motoristi	5	15	!
tornitori	3	5	!
elettrici	5	3	!
lamieristi	1	4	!
tappezzieri	4	3	!
falegnami	8	9	!
verniciatori	4	3	!
vulcanizzatori	2	3	!
atrezzi	1	1	!
fabrori	8	4	!
saldatori	5	3	!
radiatori	3	2	!
specialisti pompe iniezione	2	2	!

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tornitori
 elettricisti
 lamieristi
 tappezziere
 falegnami
 verniciatori
 vulcanizzatori
 attrezzisti
 fabbri
 saldatori
 radiatori
 specialisti pompe iniezione

totale

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Category	1st	2nd	1 Res. Spec	Total	# of items actually made
Handwritten					
M.C.D.'s	4	4	2	10	4
Handwritten	7	7	5	19	9
Handwritten	3	3	1	7	3
Handwritten	11	11	-	10	9
Handwritten	5	5	-	10	9
Handwritten	5	5	-	8	4
Sheet Metal Work	11	4	-	10	6
Handwritten	5	5	-	20	18
Handwritten	10	10	-	8	4
Carpenter	11	10	-	4	3
Painter	2	2	-	4	4
Yukonians	2	2	-	11	11
Tool Makers	7	7	-	4	3
Blacksmiths	2	2	-	4	4
Welders	2	2	-	4	3
Radio Makers	2	2	-	4	4
By P. p. Spec	2	2	-	4	3
				<u>310</u>	<u>216</u>

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Panteno	2	1	4
Yulcanicus	2	1	4
Asch. Platensis	2	1	4
Blackburniana	2	1	4
Waldens	2	1	4
Radiata Michs	2	1	4
Ly. Par. p. Spier	2	1	4
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		216	<hr/>

Defy 9th

26a	10.	16	16
23A	40	6	14
22.	16.	6	6
24.	18	12	13
14.	2	30	14
26.	6	10	17
28.	9	8	11
25	17	13	11
Can. pan-tus	9	2	7
Blackburniana	4	4	7
Waldens	7	17	11
Radiata Michs	2	17	11
Waldens Michs	1	11	11
Panteno	1	1	7
Yulcanicus			<hr/>
<i>Epist. Waldens</i>	8		310

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC (MATA)

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

7th Meeting held on Thursday 31 May 45.

Present :	Lt Col	S.M. INGLETON	Chairman
	Col	F.J. NOAKES	'Q' Branch
	Major	R.E. PINKLEY	'G' Branch
	Major	J.A. DOBBS	'A' Branch
	Major	J.L.V. CHEENE	G(SD)

<u>Serial Number</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>ADDITIONS TO MINUTES</u>	<u>War Establishments</u>
16	3 - BR-ITI Service Tps	<u>Addition to minutes of Meeting No 4</u> <u>ARMY VEHICLE DISPOSAL UNIT</u> AFHQ have approved the above establishment.	CM/879/1
14	3 - BR-ITI Service Tps	<u>Addition to minutes of Meeting No 6</u> <u>AN ITALIAN OFFICER'S SHOP (Mobile)</u> Cancellation of this establishment which has been approved by AFHQ less transport, is rescinded. The establishment will be issued so that Italian transport can be allotted if so desired.	CM/877/1
26	2 - BR-ITI	<u>VEHICLE REPAIR WORKSHOP FOR RTC IOF</u> The above establishment was approved subject to AFHQ concurrence v.e.f. 31 May. It consists of 3 offrs, 96 CHs and transport.	CM/891/1

File : SD/15/2

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- 16 3 - BR-ITI
Service Tps
AN ARMY VEHICLE DISPOSAL UNIT
CM/879/1
AFHQ have approved the above establishment.
- 14 3 - BR-ITI
Service Tps
Addition to minutes of Meeting No 6
AN ITALIAN OFFICER'S SHOP (Mobile)
CM/877/1
Cancellation of this establishment which has been approved by AFHQ less transport, is rescinded. The establishment will be issued so that Italian transport can be allotted if so desired.
File : SD/15/2
- 26 2 - BR-ITI
VEHICLE REPAIR WORKSHOP FOR RTC ICF
CM/891/1
The above establishment was approved subject to AFHQ concurrence w.e.f. 31 May. It consists of 3 offrs, 96 ORs and transport.
File : SD/45/2
- 27 1(C)- ITI-ITI
A MOBILE PARK
179/SMRE/1
The proposal for a superseding establishment was deferred.
- 28 1(C) -ITI-ITI
A RECOVERY SECTION
178/SMRE/1
The proposal for a superseding establishment was deferred.
- 29 1(C)-ITI-ITI
A REPAIRS UNIT(Higher establishment)
190/SMRE/1
This establishment was approved w.e.f. 31 May. It consists of 10 offrs and 190 ORs.
- 30 1(C)-ITI-ITI
A REPAIRS UNIT(Lower Establishment)
177/SMRE/1
This establishment was approved w.e.f. 31 May. It consists of 8 offrs and 92 ORs.
File : SD/10/2

Spoke changes re these amendments 6/6/59
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<u>Serial number</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>War Establishment</u>
31	5(C) ITI-ITI	808 C.S EN CW/512/1

The proposed increase of 380 all ranks was NOT approved as it was considered undesirable to increase LAI establishments now that hostilities have ceased. Further the requisite ceiling was not available.

As this is an ITI-ITI unit it was agreed to rewrite this establishment as 546/ WEE/1 w.e.f. 31 May. CW/512/1 will therefore be cancelled. AFHQ letter AG 091.711/051 COT-0 of 17 May refers.

File : SD/18/2

32 3- ITI
Service Tps

A PIGEON SECTION
CW/892/1

This establishment was approved, subject to AFHQ concurrence, w.e.f. 31 May. It consists of 19 ORs.

The proposal to include transport was not approved as it was not considered that the section would be required to move frequently enough to warrant the inclusion of permanent transport. 1 driver i/c was deleted accordingly.

The approval in principle has been received. AG 091.711/157 COT-0 of 25 April refers.

File : SD/24/1

New war establishments will not be implemented without authority of AFHQ if in categories 2 and 3 (PR-ITI) or of Land Forces Sub Commission AC (AMIA), if in categories 1, 4, 5, and 7 (ITI-ITI).

J.H. Chappin

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This establishment was approved, subject to AFHQ concurrence, v.e.f. 31 May. It consists of 19 ORs.

The proposal to include transport was not approved as it was not considered that the section would be required to move frequently enough to warrant the inclusion of permanent transport. 1 driver i/c was deleted accordingly.

AFHQ approval in principle has been received. AG 091.711/167 COT-0 of 25 April refers.

File : SD/94/1

New war establishments will not be implemented without authority of AFHQ if in categories 2 and 3 (PR-III) or of Land Forces Sub Commission AC (LALA), if in categories 1, 4, 5, and 7 (III-III).

J.H. Chapman
for Lt Col GS

4 June 45

DISTRIBUTION

AFHQ (3)
 CG 15 Army Group
 5 Army (Br Incr)
 Eighth Army
 1 District
 2 District
 3 District
 MIA LO 5 Army (Br Incr)
 " " 8 Army
 " " 1 District
 " " 2 District
 " " 3 District
 " " NAPLES
 " " 54 Area
 " " 52 Area
 " " SICILY
 " " SARDINIA
 " " ELIJ
 AFHQ Liaison Officer to
 LAI (RAAC).
 808 C.S. Sq.
 Ministry of War (2)

INTERNAL DISTRIBUTION

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 G(SD)
 GS(I)
 G(TRE)
 " " " (2)
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 Sigs
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 War Diary (2)
 Files SD/15/2
 SD/45/2
 SD/10/2
 SD/18/2
 SD/94/1
 SD/105

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Engineer

PROPOSED WAR ESTABLISHMENT FOR REPAIRS UNIT - 200 all ranks.

1. The Proposal :

- (a) Repairs Unit 190/SARE/2
- (b) Amendment.
- (c) Repairs Unit 190/SARE/1. No's 1, 2 and 3 Repairs Unit.

2. The effect of the proposal :

- (a) Decrease of 50 all ranks.
- (b) NIL
- (c) 3
- (a) NIL
- (c) NIL
- (f) Any
- (g) Detailed w/s attached.

3. The Reasons for the proposal :

Decrease proposed in order to provide for further units within the ceiling.

Organisation as follows i-

HQ Repairs Unit

1	Regtl Office & Admin.	1	Ineff Veh Park.
1		1	M.T. Stores.
		1	HQ Workshops

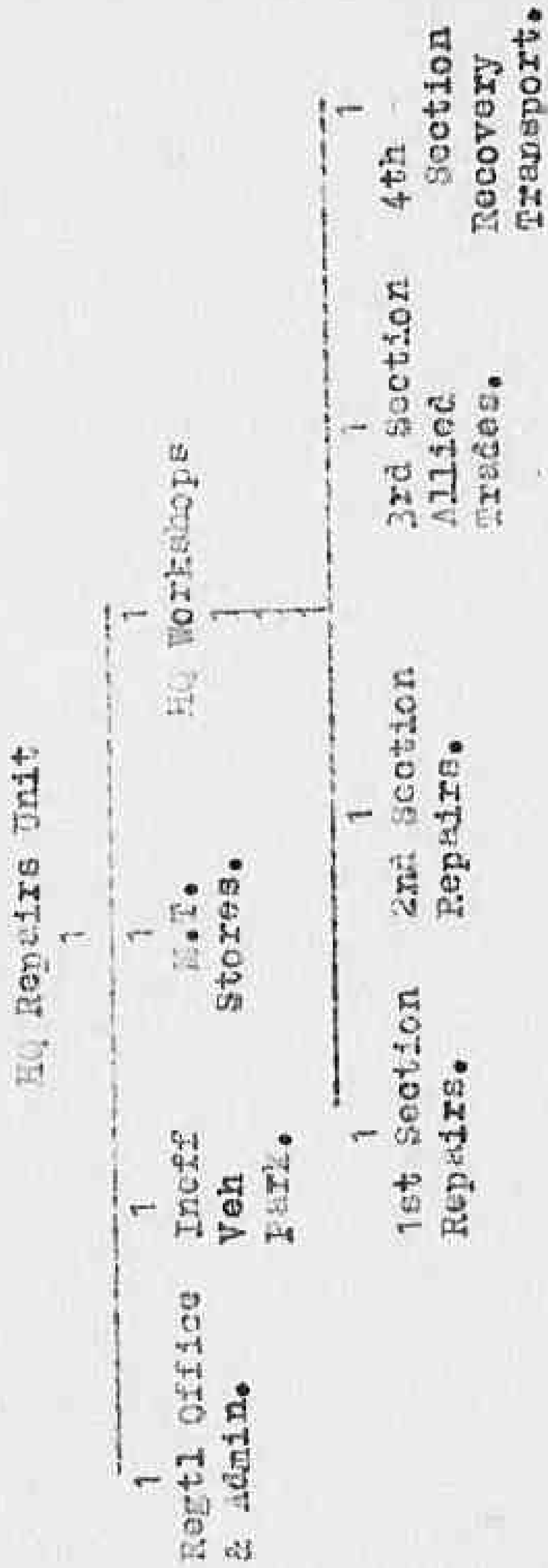
(1) Any

(2) Detailed W/M attached.

3. The Reasons for the Proposed:

Decrease proposed in order to provide for further units within the ceiling.

Organization as follows :-



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Rank & Trade	Hq. Rep. Unit	Regtl. Office & Admin	A.P. Stores	Ineff Vehicle Park	Hq. Workshop	1st Section	2nd Section	3rd Section	4th Section	TOTAL
Pl. Col. or Major	1				1					2
Junior Officer		4	1	1		1	1	1	1	10
Senior NCO										
Regtl Spec.		3								3
Stoker		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Clerk										
Fitter				1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Junior NCO's & Ptes		15								15
G. Duties		3								3
Cook		1								1
Barbers		2								2
Telephone Ops		2								4
Clerks					1					1
Stokers		1	2							3
Fitters & Students					30	30				60
Turners							6			6
Adjusters								6		6
Tail Makers								4		4
Electricians								10		10
Sheet Metal Workers								8		8
Carpenters								7		7
Blacksmiths								6		6

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Cooks	3																			3
Barbers	1																			1
Telephone Ops	2																			2
Clerks	6																			4
Stenographers	1																			3
Fitters & Students																				60
Turners																				6
Adjusters																				6
Toil Makers																				4
Electricians																				10
Sheet Metal Workers																				6
Carpenters																				7
Blacksmiths																				6
Welders																				2
Radiator Mechs																				2
Upholstery Workers																				5
Painters																				4
Vulcanizers																				3
Drivers	1																			21
Inj Pump Spec																				2

TOTAL = 4 31 3 5 4 32 34 67 44 200

Vehicles : Caru 2
M/CS 5
Load Carriers & Recovery Vehs 15

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ORGANICO DI UN REPARTO RIPARAZIONI AUTOMOBILISTICHE TIPO : 200
(forza militare autorizzata : 200 unità)

	personale	autoveicoli
comandante	1	
conduttore	1	1
totale	2	1

COMANDO

-comandante (cap. o ten.col.)
-conduttore

UFFICIO REGGIMENTALE

-capo ufficio (capitano) (1)
-addeetto (ten. o sottotenente) (2)
-ufficiale medico
-sottufficiale di contabilità
-sottufficiali automobilisti(3)
-servizi vari (4)

	1	1	
	1	1	1
	1		
	3	4	23
totale	6	6	23

UFFICIO PERSONALE CIVILE

-capo ufficio(cap.o ten.d'amm/ne)
totale

	1	
totale	1	

MAGAZZINO MATERIALI AUTOMOBILISTICI

-consegnatario (cap.o ten.)
-sottufficiale magazzino
-personale di magazzino

	1		
		1	
totale	1	1	

Note : (1) -ha l'amministrazione del reparto.-
(2) -è anche ufficiale al vettovagliamento.-
(3) - di cui:1 addeetto cucina truppa,1 addeetto ai carburanti,1 addeetto 1 aiutante di sanità.-

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1	1				
1	1	1			
1	3				
3	4	23			
totale					
		23			

UFFICIO PERSONALE CIVILE
 -capo ufficio (cap.o ten.d'amm/ne)
 totale

1	1				
1					
1	1				
1	1	1			
1	1				
totale					
		1			

MAGAZZINO MATERIALI AUTOMOBILISTICI
 -consegnatario (cap.o ten.)
 -sottufficiale magazzino
 -personale di magazzino
 totale

- Note: (1) -ha l'amministrazione del reparto.-
 (2) -è anche ufficiale al vettovagliamento.-
 (3) - di cui: 1 addetto cucina truppa, 1 addetto ai carburanti, ~~1~~
~~XXXX~~ 1 aiutante di sanità.-
 (4) -di cui: 2 scrittureli dattilografi, 2 telefonisti, 3 cucinieri,
 2 addetti mensa ufficiali, 2 addetti mensa sottufficiali, 1 sar
 to, 1 calzolaio, 1 barbiere, 1 addetto distribuzione carburanti,
 1 addetto magazzino viveri, 7 servizi vari.-

- (1) - manages the unit
 (2) - is also the ration officer
 (3) - of which: 1 ORs cookhouse assistant, 1 fuel assistant, 1 medical order
 (4) - of which: 2 clerk typists, 2 telephonists, 3 cooks, 2 officers, mess ry
 assistants, 2 Sgts. Mess assistants, 1 tailor, 1 cobbler, 1 barber, ~~1~~
 1 petrol point assistant, 1 ration store assistant, 7 General Duties.

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-capo sezione (cap.o tenente)	1	30		
-capo meccanico				
-operai montatori e motoristi(1)				
-operai montatori, motoristi)	1			
C)-2 SEZIONE(montatori, motoristi):				
-capo sezione(cap.o tenente)	1	30		
-capo meccanico				
-operai montatori e motoristi (1)				
-operai montatori, motoristi)	1			
D)-3 SEZIONE(lavori vari):				
-capo sezione (cap.o ten.)	1	65		
-capo meccanico				
-operai (1) e (2)				
E)-4 SEZIONE (trasporti):				
-capo sezione(ten.o sottotenente)	1			
-capo sezione(ten.o sottotenente)	1	21	1	15
-sottufficiale automobilista				
-conduttori e motociclisti		1		
-scritturale	3	148	1	15
totale				5

PARCO VEICOLI INEFFICIENTI				
-consegnatario(cap.o ten.)	1			
-sottufficiali automobilisti	2			
-servizi vari	1	2		
totale				
TOTALE REPARTO RIPARAZIONI AUTOMOB.	12	13	175	2
				15
				5

Notes: (1) - possono essere anche sottufficiali.
 (2) - di cui: 6 tornitori, 6 aggiustatori, 4 attrezzisti, 10 elettricisti, 8 lamieristi, 7 falegnami, 8 fabbri saldatori, 2 radiatori, 5 tappezzeri sellai, 4 verniciatori, 3 vulcanizzatori, 2 specializzati per pompe iniezione.

(1) can also be senior MCCs
 (2) of which: 6 lathe operators, 6 adjusters, 4 toolmen, 10 electricians, 8 sheet metal workers, 7 joiners, 3 forge welders, 2 radiator workers, 5 upholsterers, 4 varnishers, 3 vulcanisers, 2 fuel pump specialists.

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PROPOSED WAR ESTABLISHMENT FOR REPAIRS UNIT - 100 all ranks.

1. The Proposal :

- (a) Repairs Unit 177/SNRE/1.
- (b) New W.E.
- (c) Repairs Unit 199/SNRE/1. N°4 Repairs Unit.

2. The Effect of the Proposal :

- (a) Increase of 100 all ranks in the case of N°5 Repairs Unit.
Decrease of 50 all ranks in the case of N°4 Repairs Unit.
- (b) NIL
- (c) 2
- (d) By reduction of N°s 1,2 and 3 Repairs Units on 190/SNRE/2.
- (e) No increase in ceiling.
- (f) Any.
- (g) Draft proposal attached.

3. The Reasons for the Proposal :

Reduction in N°4 Repairs Unit because the volume of work has decreased and personnel are required to form new units.

N°5 Repairs Unit formed as a separate unit - and; not as a Detachment of N°1 Repairs Unit - because the volume of work in Florence is increasing and the distance from Rome too far for control. Now directly under Director of Repairs, Florence Territorial HQ.

Organisation as follows :-

HQ Repairs Unit

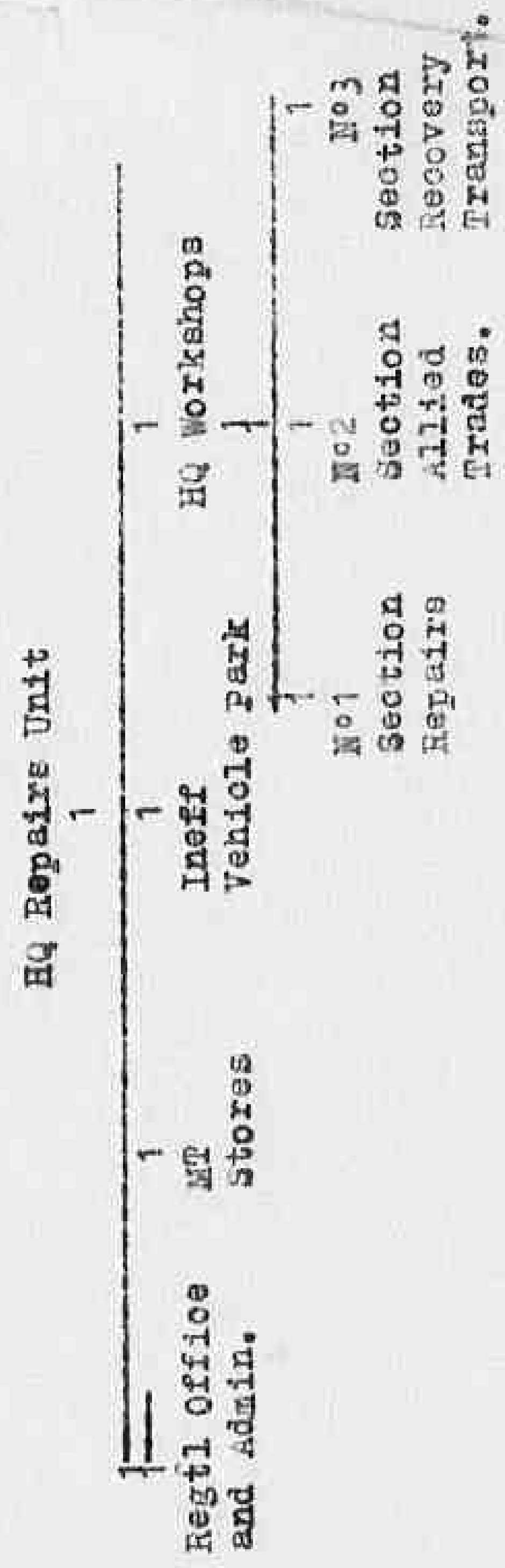
- (c) 2
- (d) By reduction of No's 1, 2 and 3 Repairs Units on 190/SERU/2.
- (e) No increase in ceiling.
- (f) ANY.
- (g) Draft proposal attached.

3. The Reasons for the Proposal:

Reduction in No 4 Repairs Unit because the volume of work has decreased and personnel are required to form new units.

No 5 Repairs Unit formed as a separate unit - and; not as a Detachment of No 1 Repairs Unit - because the volume of work in Florence is increasing and the distance from Rome too far for control. Now directly under Director of Repairs, Florence Territorial HQ.

Organisation as follows :-



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Storeman	1	1	1	1	1	3
Clerk				1	1	1
Fitter				1	1	4
Junior NCO's & Ptes	6					6
G. Duties	2					2
Cooks	1					1
Barbers	2					2
Telephone Ops	2		1			3
Clerks	2	1	2			5
Storemen			27			27
Fitters & Students				2		2
Turners				3		3
Adjusters				1		1
Tool Makers				3		3
Electricians				2		2
Sheet Metal Workers				2		2
Carpenters				2		2
Blacksmiths				2		2
Upholstery Workers				2		2
Painters				1		1
Vulcanisers	1				12	13
Drivers				1		1
Inf. Equip. Sec'd						
TOTAL =	2	22	2	4	29	23
				4	14	100

Vehicles : Cars 2
 M/Cs 3
 Load Carriers 8
 & Recovery Vehs

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ORGANICO DI UN REPARTO RIPARAZIONI AUTOMOBILISTICHE TIPO : 100

(forza militare autorizzata : 100 unità)

	personale	autoveicoli
1	1	1
1	1	1
totale		

COMANDO

- comandante (ten.col.o magg.)
- conduttore

UFFICIO REGGIMENTALE

- capo ufficio (capitano) (1)
- addetto (tenente o sottotenente)(2)
- sottufficiale di contabilità
- sottufficiali automobilisti (3)
- servizi vari (4)

1	1	1
1	1	1
	1	
	3	
	4	15
totale		

UFFICIO PERSONALE CIVILE

- capo ufficio (cap.o ten.d'amm/ne)

1	1	1
1	1	1
totale		

OFFICINA

- A)-DIREZIONE:
- direttore (capitano o ten.)
 - capo officina
 - capo meccanico collaudatore
 - scritturale disegnatore
- B)-1^ SEZIONE (montatori, motoristi):
- capo sezione (Ten.o sottot.)
 - capo meccanico
 - operai montatori e motoristi (5)
- C)-2^ SEZIONE (lavori vari):
- capo sezione (Ten.o sottot.)
 - capo meccanico

1	1	1	1	1
	1	1	1	1
			1	
1	1	1	1	1
			27	
1	1	1	1	1
			1	
1	1	1	1	1
			2	
totale				

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1	1	3	15
2	4	15	

- addetto (tenente o sottotenente) (2)
 - sottufficiale di contabilità
 - sottufficiali automobilisti (3)
 - servizi vari (4)
 totale

1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1

UFFICIO PERSONALE CIVILE
 - capo ufficio (cap.o ten.o amm/ne)
 totale

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1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

A)-DIREZIONE:
 -direttore (capitano o ten.)
 -capo officina
 -capo meccanico collaudatore
 -scritturale disegnatore

1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

B)-1^ SEZIONE (montatori, motoristi):
 -capo sezione (ten.o sottot.)
 -capo meccanico
 -operai montatori e motoristi (3)

1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

C)-2^ SEZIONE (lavori vari):
 -capo sezione (ten.o sottot.)
 -capo meccanico
 -operai (5) e (6)

1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

D)-3^ SEZIONE (trasporti):
 -capo sezione (ten.o sottotenente)
 -sottufficiale automobilista
 -conduttori e motociclisti

1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

E)-MAGAZZINO MATERIALI AUTOMOBILISTICI
 -sottufficiale di magazzino
 -personale di magazzino

4	6	62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4	6	62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

totale

Note: vedi pagina n.2

TRANSPORTATION
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(segue organico di un reparto riparazioni automobilistiche tipo :100)

6		personale	autoveicoli
1	1	sottufficiale	autoveicoli
1	1	ufficiale	autoveicoli
1	1	ufficiale	autoveicoli
1	2	ufficiale	autoveicoli
1	2	ufficiale	autoveicoli

PARCO VEICOLI INEFFICIENTI

- consegnatario (cap.o ten.)
- sottufficiale automobilista
- servizi vari

totale

1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1
1	2	2	2	2	2
1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1

TOTALE REPARTO RIPARAZIONI AUTOMOB. 9 11 80 2 8 3

- NOTE :
- (1)- ha l'amministrazione del reparto .-
 - (2)- è anche ufficiale al vetovagliamento.-
 - (3)- di cui: 1 addetto cucina truppa, 1 addetto ai carburanti, 1 aiutante di sanità.-
 - (4)- di cui: 2 telegrafisti, 2 scritturali-dattilografi, 2 cuccinieri, 3 addetti mense ufficiali e sottufficiali, 1 infermiere, 1 sarto, 1 calzolaio, 1 barbiere, 1 addetto magazzino viveri, 1 addetto distribuzione carburanti.-
 - (5)- possono essere sottufficiali.-
 - (6)- di cui: 3 aggiustatori, 1 attrezzista, 2 tornitori, 2 fabori saldatori, 2 lamieristi, 3 elettricisti magnetisti, 2 falegnami scoccai, 2 tappezzeri, 2 verniciatori, 1 vulcanizzatore, 1 specializzato per pompe d'iniezione.-

- Notes: (1)- ha l'amministrazione del reparto .-
- (2)- è anche ufficiale al vetovagliamento.-
- (3)- di cui: 1 addetto cucina truppa, 1 addetto ai carburanti, 1 aiutante di sanità.-
- (4)- di cui: 2 telefonisti, 2 scritturali-dattilografi, 2 cuccinieri, 3 addetti mense ufficiali e sottufficiali, 1 infermiere, 1 sarto, 1 calzolaio, 1 barbiere, 1 addetto magazzino viveri, 1 addetto di distribuzione carburanti.-
- (5)- possono essere anche sottufficiali.-
- (6)- di cui: 3 aggiustatori, 1 attrezzista, 2 tornitori, 2 fabori saldatori, 2 lamieristi, 3 elettricisti magnetisti, 2 falegnami scoccai, 2 tappezieri, 2 verniciatori, 1 vulcanizzatore, 1 specializzato per pompe d'iniezione.-

- (1) - Manages the unit
- (2) - is also the ration officer
- (3) - of which: 1 employed in O.R.s cookhouse, 1 employed on fuels, 1 Medical Orderly,
- (4) - of which: 2 telephonists, 2 clerk-typists, 2 cooks, 3 employed in Officers and NCOs messes, 1 nurse, 1 tailor, 1 cobbler, 1 barber, 1 ration store assistant, 1 petrol point assistant.
- (5) - can also be senior NCOs
- (6) - of which: 3 adjusters, 1 toolman, 2 lathe operators, 2 forge welders, 2 sheet metal worker, 3 magneto electricians, 1 joiners, 2 upholsterers, 2 varnishers, 1 vulvaniser, 1 fuel pump specialist.

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PROPOSED SPLITTING OF 1 H AVY MOBILE WORKSHOPS.

1. The Proposal:

- (a) To split 11 Heavy Mobile Workshops on 184/SMRE/1 into :-
 - No1 Mobile Park on 179/SMRE/1
 - No2 Mobile Park on 179/SMRE/1
 - No1 Recovery Section on 178/SMRE/1.
- (b) New W/E.
- (c) As in 1(a).

2. The Effects of the Proposal :

- (a) No change.
- (b) NIL
- (c) One to be disbanded, 3 to be formed.
- (d) No change.
- (e) No change.
- (f) Any.
- (g) Draft proposals attached.

3. The Reasons for the Proposal :

The proposal is to make better use of the personnel by having three completely mobile Workshops which can move at short notice to any required destinations on the mainland.

The organisation of a Mobile park is as follows :-

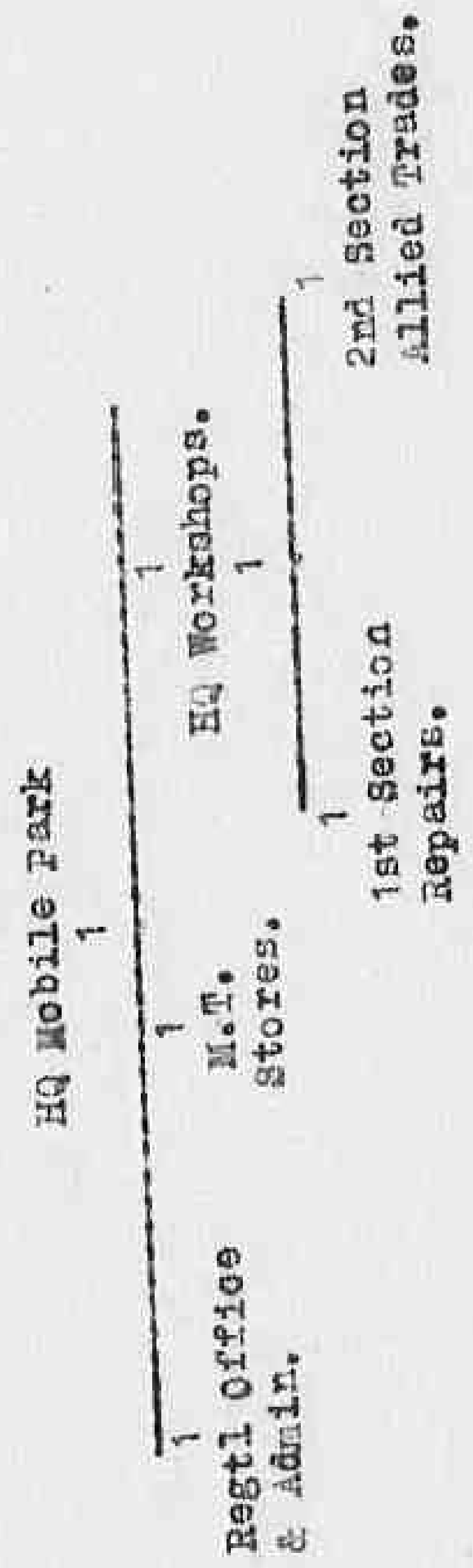
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- (a) No change.
- (b) Nil
- (c) One to be disbanded, 3 to be formed.
- (d) No change.
- (e) No change.
- (f) Any.
- (g) Draft proposals attached.

3. The Reasons for the proposal :

The proposal is to make better use of the personnel by having three completely mobile workshops which can move at short notice to any required destinations on the mainland.

The organisation of a Mobile park is as follows :-



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Clerk	3	2	1	1	4
Fitter					4
Junior NCO's & Ptes	14				14
G. Duties	4				4
Cooks	1				1
Barbers	2				2
Telephone Ops	4	2	2	2	10
Clerks	9	2			11
Storemen			74		74
Fitters & Students			5	5	5
Turners			3	3	3
Adjusters			2	2	2
Tool Makers			5	5	5
Electricians			4	4	4
Sheet Metal Workers			2	2	2
Radiator Mechs			10	10	10
Carpenters			7	7	7
Blacksmiths			5	5	5
Upholstery Workers			4	4	4
Painters			2	2	2
Welders			2	2	2
Vulcanisers	4	3	3		11
Drivers				2	2
Inj Pump Spec				2	2
Battery Repairers	9	35	17	9	79
Total Personnel =				59	208
Vehicles: Cars	1				1
Load Carriers & Special Vehs.	2	13	14	7846	16
M/Os		3			3

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RECOVERY SECTION - 34 All Ranks 178/SIRE/1.

Junior Officers	2
Senior NCO's	
Regimental	1
Specialist	2
Junior NCO's & Ptes	
Clerk	1
Barber	1
Cook	1
General Duties	2
Drivers	19
Fitters	5
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Total =	34
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Vehicles :

Cars	1
Motor Cycles	2
Load Carriers	6
& Recovery Vchs.	16
	<i>6 trailers.</i>
	<i>2 trailers.</i>

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ORGANICO DI UN PARCO MOBILE AUTOMOBILISTICO
(forza militare autorizzata: 208 unità)

	personale	autoveicoli
ufficiali	1	1
ufficiali e sottufficiali	1	1
truppa	7	2
totale	9	4

DIREZIONE

- direttore (col. ~~ten. col.~~ *Indolo Martini*)
- addetto (ufficiale interprete)
- scritturelli-conduttori

UFFICIO REGGIMENTALE

- capo ufficio (capitano) (1)
- addetto (ten. o sottotenente) (2)
- ufficiale medico
- sottufficiale di contabilità
- sottufficiali automobilisti (3)
- servizi vari (4)

MAGAZZINO MATERIALI AUTOMOBILISTICI

- consegnatario (ten. o sott.)
- sottufficiali magazzinieri
- personale di magazzino (5)

NOTE: (1) - ha l'amministrazione del reparto.-

(2) - è anche ufficiale al vettovagliamento.-

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-ufficiale medico	1	1	1	1
-sottufficiale di contabilità	1	1	1	1
-sottufficiali automobilisti (3)	1	1	1	1
-servizi vari (4)	1	1	1	1
totale	3	4	28	13
	3	4	28	13

MAGAZZINO MATERIALI AUTOMOBILISTICI

-consegnatario (ten.o sott.)	1	1	1	1
-sottufficiali magazzinoieri	1	4	1	1
-personale di magazzino (5)	1	1	9	14
totale	1	4	9	14
	1	4	9	14

- NOTE: (1) - ha l'amministrazione del reparto.-
 (2) - è anche ufficiale al vettovagliamento.-
 (3) - di cui: 1 addetto cucina truppa, 1 addetto carburanti, 1 aiutante di sanità.-
 (4) - di cui: 1 dattilografo, 3 scritturali, 2 telefonisti, 4 cucinaieri, 2 addetti mensa ufficiali, 1 barbiere, 1 sartò, 1 calzolaio, 1 addetto magazzino viveri, 2 infermieri, 3 motociclisti & servizi vari.-
 I conduttori dei 13 autocarri sono tratti dal personale di cui sopra.-

- (5) - i conduttori degli autocarri sono tratti dal personale di magazzino.-
 (1) - does the unit administration
 (2) - is also the ration officer
 (3) - of which: 1 ORs cookhouse assistant, 1 fuel assistant, 1 medical ordnance assistants, 1 barber, 1 tailor, 1 cobbler, 1 ration store assistant, 2 nurses, 3 motorcyclists, 7 general duties.
 The drivers of the 13 trucks are drawn from the above personnel.
 (5) - the truck drivers are drawn from the stores personnel.

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- 2 - (segue organo di un parco mobile auto
mobilitistico)

	personale	autoveicoli
<u>LABORATORIO</u>		
A) <u>Direzione:</u>		
- direttore (capit.o ten.)	1	1
- capo officina	1	1
- squadra collaudo	1	4 (1)
- squadra controllo automezzi	2	3
B) <u>-1 Sezione (montatori, motoristi):</u>		
- capo sezione (ten.o sott.)	1	1
- capo meccanico	1	1
- operai montatori e motoristi	74	11 (1)
- scritture	2	1
- conduttore (2)	1	1
C) <u>-2 Sezione (lavori vari):</u>		
- capo sezione (ten.o sott.)	1	1
- capo meccanico	1	1
- operai (3)	55	16 (1)
- scritture	2	1
totale	3	141
TOTALE PARCO MOBILE AUTOMOB.	9	185

I sottufficiali e i vetturieri della truppa re

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4 (1)

-squadra controllo automezzi	1	1	4	!	!	!	!	!	!
B)-1 Sezione (montatori, motoristi):									
-capo sezione (ten.o sott.)	1	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!
-capo meccanico	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!
-operai montatori e motoristi	!	!	74	!	!	!	!	!	11 (1)!
-scritturali	!	!	2	!	!	!	!	!	!
-conduttore (2)	!	!	1	!	!	!	!	!	!
C)-2 Sezione (lavori vari):									
-capo sezione (ten.o sott.)	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!
-capo meccanico	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	!	16 (1)!
-operai (3)	!	!	55	!	!	!	!	!	!
-scritturali	!	!	2	!	!	!	!	!	!
totale	3	!	6	!	141	!	!	!	31
TOTALE PARCO MOBILE AUTOMOB.	9	!	14	!	185	!	!	!	60
									3

NOTE: (1) - i conduttori degli autocarri sono tratti dal personale del laboratorio.-

(2) - è il conduttore dell'autocarro gru.-
(3) - di cui: 5 tornitori, 5 elettricisti, 2 carica batterie, 2 specializzati per pompe d'iniezione, 5 tappezzeri, 4 verniciatori, 3 aggiustatori, 7 fabbri, 2 saldatori, 2 vulcanizzatori, 2 radiatoristi, 2 atrezziisti, 10 falegnami, 4 lamieristi.-

(1) - the truck drivers are drawn from the workshops personnel
(2) - is the driver of the mobile crane.
(3) - of which: - 5 lathe operators, 5 electricians, 2 battery chargers, 2 fuel pump specialists, 5 upholsterers, 4 varnishers, 3 adjusters, 7 ~~ferre~~ blacksmiths, 2 welders, 2 vulcanisers, 2 radiator workers, 2 toolmen, 10 joiners, 4 sheet metal workers.

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ORGANICO DI UNA SEZIONE RECUPERO

(forza militare autorizzata: 34 unità)

personale	Autoveicoli
1 sottufficiale	1 auto
1 ufficiale	1 motocicletta
1 truppa	1 motocicletta

-Comandante (capitano o tenente)	1	!	!	!	!
-Addetto (ten.o sottotenente)	1	!	!	!	!
-Sottufficiale di contabilità	1	!	!	!	!
-Sottufficiali automobilisti	2	!	!	!	!
-Servizi vari (1)	5	!	!	!	!
-Conduuttori e motociclisti	19	!	!	!	16
-Personale per i recuperi	5	!	!	!	!
totale	2	3	29	1	16

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Nota: (1) - di cui: 1 graduato di contabile, 1 scrivano, 1 barbiere, 1 cuoco, 1 infermiere.

NGO book-keeper, 1 clerk, 1 barber, 1 cook,

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Conducenti e motociclisti	1	1	1	5	1	1	1
Personale per i recuperi	2	3	29	1	1	1	16
totale	3	4	30	2	2	2	17

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 Nota: (1) - di cui: 1 graduato di contabilità, 1 scritturale,
 1 barbiere, 1 cuoco, 1 infermiere.-

(1) - of which: 1 junior NCO book-keeper, 1 clerk, 1 barber, 1 cook,
 1 nurse.



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PROPOSED FORMATION OF N°1 WORKSHOP DIRECTORATE IPI-ITI-CAT IS SEC 2

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1. The Proposal : *Central Headquarters*
 - (a) Workshops Directorate - 174/1888/1.
 - (b) New W/E.
 - (c) NIL.
2. The Effect of the Proposal :
 - (a) Increase of 4 officers and 7 G.Ns.
 - (b) NIL.
 - (c) GNS.
 - (d) Additional within ceiling of Cat. 1 (e) See 9.
 - (e) as in (d).
 - (f) All.
 - (g) 3 (all) G.Ns.
 - (h) Proposed W/E shown below.

3. Reasons for the Proposal :
 To form a nucleus of Italian Army personnel to employ civilian labour and bring into operation the officina Automobilistica Regio Esercito at Bologna and the depot containing A.L. spares at Piacenza.

4. Personnel of Proposed W/E :

Officer i/c Major	1.	
Junior Officers	3.	4.
Senior A.C.O. Clerks.	2.	
" " Storemen.	1.	3.
Other Ranks, Cook.	1.	
G.D.	3.	4.
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	Total =	11

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 Major General's Branch,
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Subject:- Special Equipment List.

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
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F BLU RTC ICE

1. Will you please render a list of Technical items required for an Italian Driving and Maintenance School on CR/991/1.
2. Domestic items will be in accordance with the Italian Basic Equipment List, but a list of technical stores is required for compilation of Part II of a Special Equipment List.

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R.A. CURTIES Lt. Col.
for Major General.
M.E.I.A.

COPY M.E.I.A. R.E.M.E. Please contact F BLU and assist in compilation of this list.

RAC/fem

*Copy sent to RAC/1
to R.E.M.E. for list*

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1st TMM WMS IOT
Ref No/6/459
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THE PROPOSAL

- (a) To improve War Establishment for :-
TMM WMS Workshop
- (b) This is a new War Establishment.
- (c) The following Units will be converted to the new War Establishment :-

- (1) 152 Mechanical Engineer Platoon ✓
- (11) 152 LAD ✓
- (111) 153 LAD

THE STATEMENT OF THE PROPOSAL

(a) Increase of :-	Subalterns	2
	Other ranks	55
	Total Increase	57

Decrease of :-	Motor Cycles	4
	Trucks 15-cwt 4 x 2 GS	2
	Lorries 2-ton 4 x 2 GS	2
	" " 4 x 2 Breakdown	2
	" " 4 x 2 Stores Binns	2
	Trailer 15-cwt 2 wheeled Motor } 100 gallons }	1
	Total Decrease Vehicles	10

(b) N.A.

(c) There will be only one Unit on this War Establishment

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

(a) Increase of :-
 Subalterns - 2
 Other Rank - 35
 Total Increase 37

Decrease of :-
 Motor Cycles - 4
 Trucks 15-wht 4 x 2 GS - 2
 Lorries 3-ton 4 x 2 GS - 2
 " " 4 x 2 Breakdown - 2
 " " 4 x 2 Stores Binners - 2
 Tractor 15-wht 2 wheeled Water }
 100 gallons } - 1
 Total Decrease Vehicles 10

- (b) N.A.
- (c) There will be only one Unit on this War Establishment in the theatre.
- (d) This proposed War Establishment is within the ceiling of the PTC ICF.
- (e) N.A.
- (f) See Appendix 'A' 'B' and 'C'.

REASONS FOR THE PROPOSAL

(a) PTC ICF have a Vehicle Establishment of War Establishment and Training Vehicles of approximately :-

Motor Cycles	-	125	40 off road.
'A' Vehicles	-	50	
'B' Vehicles	-	400	225 off road.

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3. (Continued)

(b) The present Workshop facilities at RTO ICF are totally inadequate to provide services required to enable RTO ICF to be self-supporting in respect of :-

- (i) Inspection of vehicles
- (ii) " " of Unit IT Records
- (iii) Records
- (iv) Second Echelon repairs
- (v) Inspection of Weapons
- (vi) Repair of Weapons
- (vii) " and Maintenance of Mine Detectors

(c) The proposed War Establishment will enable the RTO ICF Workshop to undertake all the above. It will also enable all repairer services to be concentrated and ensure proper control and supervision of all IT, IT Documentation and provision action for vehicles, spares etc.

(d) The apparently large increase in vehicle mechanics and driver mechanics is to enable simultaneous repairs to be carried out on :-

- 6 Motor Cycles
- 4 'A' Vehicles
- 12 'B' Vehicles

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- (c) The proposed War Establishment will enable the RTO ICF Workshop to undertake all the above. It will also enable all repairer services to be concentrated and ensure proper control and supervision of all W, in Documentation and provision action for vehicles, spares etc.
- (d) The currently large increase in vehicle mechanics and driver mechanics is to enable simultaneous repairs to be carried out on :-
 - 6 Motor Cycles
 - 4 'A' Vehicles
 - 12 'B' Vehicles
- (e) which is considered essential if an adequate repair turnover is to be maintained.
- (f) Armourers have been included in the War Establishment for repair and maintenance of all types of Weapons.
- (g) BAMEB 'B' WEM (Major C.H.C. HILTON WEM) is available for the War Establishment Committee WIA to discuss the above.

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 [Signature] for
 12/15/45; Dated
 27 April 45

FORWARDED TO [Signature] FOR
 VEHICLE REPAIR NUMBERS FOR
 SAC [Signature]

Assignment No	-
Date	12/15/45
Outposts	3
Cas	96
Total	99
ISS	3
Vehicles	3
Trailers	-

(4) Personnel

Detail	Offrs	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Pts	Total
<u>Officers</u>					
Captain CO	1				1
Lieutenant (Inspection)	1				1
" (Administration)	1				1
Total	3				3
<u>Other Ranks</u>					
<u>Technical Sergeants -</u>					
1st Vehicles		1			1
2nd Vehicles		2			2
Motor Cycles		1			1
Inspection		2			2
<u>Vehicle Mechanics -</u>					
1st Vehicles			3		3
2nd Vehicles			3		3
Motor Cycles			2		2
Inspection			2		2
<u>Driver Mechanics -</u>					
1st Vehicles				1	1
2nd Vehicles				4	4
Motor Cycles				2	2
Recoveries				-	-
Writers			1		1
Electricians			1		1
1st Vehicles				1	1

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	1	1	1	5						
Other Ranks										
Lieutenant (Inspections)	1	1	1	5						
Lieutenant (Administration)										
Total										
Technical Sergeants -										
A1 Vehicles					1	2	1	0		
B1 Vehicles										
Motor Cycles										
Inspections										
Vehicle Mechanics -										
A1 Vehicles					5	0	0	0		
B1 Vehicles										
Motor Cycles										
Inspections										
Driver Mechanics -										
A1 Vehicles										
B1 Vehicles										
Motor Cycles										
Recoveries										
Written										
Electricians -										
A1 Vehicles										
General										
Laborers										
Computerers										
Painters										
Welders										
Sheet Metal Workers										
Mechanists										
Turner										
Coach Trainer										
Stevens Technical (Vehicles)										
Stevens Technical										
Stevens Regimental										
Interpreter										
Flower -										
Technician										
Postmaster										
Refinish										
Books										
Sub Sergeant										
Drivers IG										
General Duties										
Unitary Ordinances										
Other										
Total ORS					14	22	60	96		
Total All Ranks					14	22	60	96	7837	99

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Continuation of Appx "A"

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(ii) Transcript

Motor Cycles	-	2
Cars 2-str 4 x 2	-	1
Trucks 15-cwt 4 x 2 GB	-	2
Trucks 3-ton 4 x 2 GB	-	2
" " 4 x 2 Workshops	-	2
Instructor 6 x 4 Breakdown	-	2

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Appendix 'C' to
 'P' HCU Letter
 AG/CS/459 Dated
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COMPARATIVE TABLE

(ii) Vehicles

152 LAD GM/540/1	153 LAD GM/540/1	Total Present War Establish- ment	Proposed War Establishment	Increase	Decrease
2	2	6	2	-	4
-	-	1	1	-	-
1	1	4	2	-	2
-	-	5	2	-	3
-	-	2	-	-	2
-	-	2	2	-	-
1	1	2	-	-	2
-	-	1	-	-	1
1	1	2	2	-	-

Total savings on vehicles - 10
 " " " LADs - 4

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(2) Personnel

Detail	152 Mechanical Engineer PI E/539/1	152 LAD E/540/1	153 LAD E/540/1	Total Present War Establish- ment	Proposed Establi
Officers -					
Captain	1	-	-	1	1
Lieutenant	-	-	-	-	2
Armament Artificers	-	1	1	2	-
Technical Sergeants	3	1	1	5	6
Vehicle Mechanics	11	-	-	11	22
Driver Mechanics	-	3	3	6	20
Fitters	-	3	3	6	2
Electricians	3	1	1	5	6
Armourers	-	-	-	-	5
Carpenters	2	-	-	2	2
Coach Trimmer	1	-	-	1	1
Painter	1	-	-	1	5
Turner	-	-	-	-	1
Welders	-	1	1	2	1
Sheet Metal Workers	2	-	-	2	1
Blacksmiths	2	-	-	2	2
Steward -					
Technical	2	2	2	6	3
Regional	-	-	-	-	2
Interpreter	-	-	-	-	1
7835 Clerks -					
Technical	2	-	-	2	1
Regional	-	-	-	-	1
Station	-	-	-	-	2
Duty AGO	1	-	-	1	1
Cooks	2	-	-	2	2
Motor Cyclists	1	-	-	1	-
Drivers IC	5	-	-	5	5
General Duty	-	-	-	-	3
Sanitary Company	-	-	-	-	1
Section	1	1	-	1	2
Total Personnel	40	12	12	64	99

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 DA Letter
 42/62/135 dated
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COMPARATIVE TABLE

(3) Personnel

Activity	152 MAD 3/540/1	153 MAD 3/540/1	Total Present War Establish- ment	Proposed War Establishment	Increase	Decrease
	-	-	1	1	-	-
	-	-	2	2	-	-
	1	1	2	-	-	2
	4	1	5	6	1	-
	-	-	11	22	11	-
	3	3	6	20	14	-
	3	3	6	2	-	4
	1	1	5	6	1	-
	-	-	2	5	3	-
	-	-	1	2	1	-
	-	-	1	1	-	-
	1	1	2	1	-	1
	-	-	2	1	-	1
	-	-	2	2	-	-
	-	-	2	2	-	-
	2	2	6	3	-	3
	-	-	-	2	2	-
	-	-	-	1	1	-
	-	-	2	1	-	1
	-	-	-	2	2	-
	-	-	1	1	-	-
	-	-	1	2	1	-
	-	-	1	2	1	-
	-	-	1	3	2	-
	-	-	5	5	-	-
	-	-	1	1	-	-
	-	-	1	1	-	-
	4	-	4	2	-	2
	12	12	64	29	50	15
					Total Inc. 35	

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LAND FORCES SUB-COMMISSION, AC
(M. M. I. A.)

AGENDA

The 7th meeting will be held at 1130 hrs
in the Conference Room on Thursday 31 May 1945.

Serial Number	PROPOSAL	War Establishment	Category of Unit	Branches to send representative	TIME (hrs)
26	<u>Italian Veh Repair Wksp</u> for RTC, ICF. Offrs - 3 ORs - 96 and transport	New	Cat 2 BR-ITI Combat Tps	REME	1130
27	<u>A Mobile Park</u> Offrs - 8 ORs - 200 and transport.	New	Cat 1(C) ITI-ITI	REME	1145
28	<u>A Recovery Section</u> Offrs - 2 ORs - 52 and transport	New	Cat 1(C) ITI-ITI	REME	1150
29	<u>A Repairs Unit</u> <u>(Higher Est)</u> Offrs - 10 ORs - 190	New	Cat 1(C) ITI-ITI	REME	1155
30	<u>A Repairs Unit</u> <u>(Lower Est)</u> Offrs - 8 ORs - 92	New	Cat 1(C) ITI-ITI	REME	1157

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	War Establishment	Category of Unit	Branches to send representatives	TMB (m)
31	<u>808 C.S. Bn. I.A.L.</u> <u>Add</u> Offrs - 39 ORs - 341 <u>Rewrite</u> CM/512/1 as an SMRE Est.	CM/512/1	Cat 5(C) ITI-ITI	GS(I) 808 CS Bn	1200
32	<u>Italian Ministry of War Pigeon Section.</u> ORs - 20	New	Cat 3 IR-ITI Service Top	Sigs	100

D. W. Chapman

MAJ.
Sec. War Establishments Committee.

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Subject: - Amendments to S.E.Ls.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

AFHQ/6500/5/127/3(AE)

14 May '45

To

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Below is Amendment No. 2 to S.E.L. No. 127/2, published April 1945, for a Mechanical Engineers Platoon, Italian Combat Group on W.M. CM/539/1.

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After section LVG/MT 14.

Insert :

U.S.A. Supply.

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Tool sets, general mechanics

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Subject: Amendments to Special Equipment Lists.

UNITED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

AFHQ/65NS/5/127/A(E)

27 April, '45.

To

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Follow is amendment No. 1 to SML No. 127/2, published April, '45 for A Mechanical Engineers Platoon, Italian Combat Group on ME CH/535/1.

Part 1. Vehicles.

against Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, C.S., insert Note (a)

add footnote (a). :

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against Lorries, 5-ton, 4 x 2, C.S., insert photo (a)

add footnote (a). :

(a) Two of these will be equipped as stores lorries in accordance with the Normal Equipment List, Schedule No. 56.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
AEHQ/6500/5/127/5(18)
27 April, '45.

Subject: Amendments to Special Equipment Lists.

To
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Below is Amendment No. 1 to SUL No. 127/2, published April, '45 for 4 Mechanical Bn, incors 1st Tech, Italian Combat Group on WE 03/53/1.

Part 1. Vehicles.

Against Lorries, 5-ton, 4 x 2, G.S., insert Note (a)

Against Trucks (a)

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Part I. Vehicles.

Against Lorries, 5-ton, 4 x 2, G.S., insert Koto (a)

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(a) Two of these will be equipped as stores lorries in accordance with the Normal Equipment List, Schedule No. 96.

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SPECIAL EQUIPMENT LIST

for
 A MECHANICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON, ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP

on

CM/539/1

A.F.H.V.
 (AD) (This list supersedes SM No. 127/1, (Sept '44) S.E.L. No. 127/2, April, 1945.)

NOTE - The personal weapons, unit weapons and vehicle entitlement are shown in Part 1 of this list, other personal and common unit equipment will be in accordance with the Normal Equipment List for an Italian Combat Group.

The Special Equipment not covered by the Normal Equipment List will be in accordance with Part II of this list.

PART 1.
VEHICLES.

Detail	Quantity
Motor-cycles, solo	2
Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2	1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (a)	5
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, breakdown	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, workshops	2

PART 1.

VEHICLES.

Detail	Quantity
Motor-cycles, solo	2
Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2	1
Trucks, 15-cwt., 4 x 2, G.S.	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (ca)	5
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, breakdown	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, workshops	2
Total, vehicles	12
Trailers, 15-cwt., 2-wheeled, water, 100-gallons	1

PERSONAL WEAPONS

Pistols, .38-in1
 Rifles, .303-in30
 Carbines, machine, Thompson, .45-in7

UNIT WEAPONS

Guns, machine, Bren, .303-in2
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Rifles
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Part 11.

Special Equipment

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
AA 0611 1441	SECTION A.1. Cases, binocular, W.E., patt. '37 Pockets, compass, W.E., patt. '37 SECTION F.	1 1
EA 0230 0250 4491	Hooks - Scribing 'V', large Saws, tenon, 14-in Stamps, steel, for metal, 1/4-in -	1 1 1 1
5193 5195	Figures, 0 - 0 Letters	1 1
CR 20107	TOOL KITS, CARPENTERS, SUPPLY COMPANY, Sec. K.2 SECTION H.1.	1
HA 0562 0535	Soap, yellow Containers, tin, 2-gallon Cylinders -	9 14
0542 0561 0002 0167	Acetylene (100-cu ft capacity) Oxygen, gas (100-cu ft capacity) Acetylene, dissolved Oxygen, gas	4 6 400 1000
HD 0551	SECTION H.2. Cotton, waste, coloured N.I.V.	2
0088	Bags, cotton, white SECTION J.1.	3
JA/IE 2572 JA 1340	SECTION K.E. Sheets, ground, unserviceable Spades, lk. 111	1 1
KE 0625 0027	Brooms - Mass - Handles 24-02	1 1
0635 0030 0091 2524	Sweeping, 11-in - Bristle Handles Brushes, water carriage, lk. 1 Funnels, oil, 6-in Lamps, hurricane -	1 1 1 1
0025 3203	Without globes (a) Globes, clear (a)	30 30

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Item No.	Description	Units	Quantity
0562	Soap, yellow	bars	9
0535	Containers, tin, 2-gallon		14
0542	Cylinders - Acetylene (100-cu ft capacity)		4
0551	Oxygen, gas (100-cu ft capacity)	cu ft	6
0002	Acetylene, dissolved	cu ft	400
0167	Oxygen, gas	cu ft	600
0551	Cotton, waste, coloured SECTION K.2. N.I.V.	lbs	2
8888	Rags, cotton, white SECTION J.1.	lbs	3
JA/AF 2572	Sheets, ground, unserviceable		1
JA 1340	Spades, Mk. III SECTION I.E.		1
IE 0625	Brooms -		1
0027	bass -		1
0635	Handles		1
0036	24-cz		1
0891	Sweeping, 11-in -		1
2524	Bristle		1
0025	Handles		1
3203	Brushes, water carriage, Mk. 1		1
3512	Furrows, oil, 6-in		1
3513	Lamps, hurricane -		1
	Without globes (a)		30
	Globes, clear (a)		30
	Matchets, 15-in., blade		3
	Sheaths		3
IF 3032	Knives, opening, tins SECTION K.E.		1
IG 2212	Extinguishers, fire, tetrachloride type SECTION K.G. SECTION V.2.		1
VG 5630	Compasses, prismatic -		1
0710	Liquid -		
0702	Mk. III (or)		
0700	Mk. VII		
	Mk. III (or)		
	Mk. II (or)		
	Mk. IX (or)		
	Mk. VIII		
	SECTION V.6.		
VF 0020	Binoculars, prismatic, No. 2 -		
0027	Mk. II (or)		
	Mk. I		

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NOTE - (a) Includes 24 for breakdown work, parking etc.

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Part 11.

Special Equipment.

Catalogue Number	Description	Quantity
OS 764 A	Spectacles, tinted - SECTION V.6. (cont)	4
VF 0444		
0436		
0437	SECTION V.1.	25
WA 10122		
WB 1502	Batteries, dry, lamp, electric	3
1502	Bulbs, 2.5-volt, 0	2
0066		
0151	Cable, electric, 1/4" twin, flat, low, 0.06 (a)	40
1501	Lamps, electric, No. 1	3
WE 0457	Plants - Welding & cutting H.F. oxy-acetylene Lightweight (c)	2
0390	Fluents - Vulcanizer, electric, for tubes, Dunlop Nos 1, 110-volt D.C.	1
0914	Sparkling plug cleaners - Machines - Grinding valve seats P.E. 110V.D.C. (b)(c)	1
0259	Sewing 45/150 with stand & table treadle. SECTION IV6/AT 1	1
0304		
0535	Gauges, pressure, type -	1
46293	10 to 50-lbs per sq. in.	1
47407	U.I.V.	1
02370	Mephtha, (light) in one pint tins, screw top tin, with spout	1
1	Chests, tool, H.F. saws to with tools - Painters and sashers	1

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WS 1502	SECTION W.2. Batteries, dry, lamp, electric		
1502			
0666	Bulbs, 2.5-volt, 0		
0151	Cable, electric, 1/4" twin, flat, low, 0.06 (a)		
1501	Lamps, electric, No. 1		
	SECTION W.3.		
WE 0457	Plants - Welding & cutting E.P. Oxy-acetylene Lightweight (c)		
0090	Flouts - Vulcanizer, electric, for tubes, Dunlop No. 3 110-volt D.O.		
0914	Spanning plug cleaver Machines - Grinding valve seats 110V, 110V, D.O. (b)(c) Refacing valves 110V, D.O. (b) (c) Sewing 45/K50 with stand & table treadle. SECTION LMS/AT 1		
46293	Gauges, pressure, tyre - 10 to 50-lbs per sq. in. 20 to 120-lbs per sq. in. M.I.V.		
47407			
12370	Naptha, (light) in one pint tins, screw top tin, with spout		tins
	SECTION LMS/AT 2		
43966	Chests, tool, M.T. complete with tools - Painters and organizers		
43960			
12355	Micrometers, 0 - 2-in		
	Tools - Repairing Schrader valve Reseating valve tyre Schrader, No. 7571 Screwdrivers, for Schrader valves SECTION LMS/AT 2 M.I.V.		
37457			
21813			
19723			
34043	Extractors, screw, 'EZAJUT' size, 1 to 6, complete with drills		
23022	Rollers, (edge wheel), 1 1/2-in x 1/2-in, milled, Dunlop No. 4		
	Spinners, ring, S.A.S. - (Set of 6) 12-point, 3/8-in to 1-in (Set of 3) 3/8-in to 1 1/16-in		sots sots
31597			
33246	Tools - Removing damaged core, Schrader, No. 4520 Valve fishing, complete with 12-in chain Schrader No. U104		
26000			
26015			

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NOTE - (a) For coupling up 2 Workshops lorries when working in same area.
 (b) To be carried in Workshop or Machinery Lorry.
 (c) Not provided when lorries machinery 'M' type are held.

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S.E.L. No. 127/2

PART II.

SPECIAL EQUIPMENT

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
26009	Branches - (Sets of 2) for tyre valve nuts, Schrader, No. 6974 sets	1
26010	Star, for tyre valve base nuts, Schrader, No. 5507	1
26007	Material, tyre repair - Compound, vulcanizing, rubber, (sheet) 1/16-in gauze (in 1-lb tins) tins	1
25405	SECTION IV6/AT 1	1
17570	Knives, tamping - Light, No. III/4 15-ft Medium, No. III/1	5
14234	Valves, tyre, Schrader -	1
19416	Tools, No. 7799 Tool, valve, converting No. 7250E	1
	SECTION IV6/AT 14. USA Supply	1

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Valves, type, Schneider -
Tools, No. 7799
Tool, valve, converting No. 726CE

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SPECIAL EQUIPMENT LIST

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for
 LIGHT AID DETACHMENT FOR AN ITALIAN TRANSPORT COMPANY
 (Designed to carry out first line repairs for a
 transport company of headquarters and four
 platoons)

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on

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A. F. H. Q.
 0(42).

S.E.L. No. 306/1.
 April, 1945.

NOTE - The personal weapons, unit weapons and vehicle entitlement are shown in Part I of this list, other personal and common unit equipment will be in accordance with the Basic Equipment List for British - Italian Service Units.

The Special Equipment not covered by the Basic Equipment List will be in accordance with Part II of this list.

Certain items in Part II will be supplied from Italian sources: a list of such items appears on the Table Index Sheet of the Basic Equipment List.

Appendix 1 shows Scales of Kits of Workshop Tools - Vehicle Makers Special Tools - 1st Echelon Workshop Kits - Sets.

PART I.

VEHICLES.

Detail	Quantity
Trucks, 15-cwt., 4 x 2, G.S.	1
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (or 6 x 2) breakdown or tractor breakdown	1

in accordance with Part II of this list.

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Part I.
VEHICLES.

Detail	Quantity
Trucks, 15-cwt., 4 x 2, G.S.	1
Trucks, 5-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1
Trucks, 5-ton, 4 x 2 (ex 6 x 2) breakdown or tractor breakdown	1
Total, vehicles	3

PERSONAL WEAPONS (a)

Rifles,15
 Carbines, machine2

LIGHT WEAPONS

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NOTE - (a) To be supplied from Italian sources.

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Part 11.

Special Equipments

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
FA 10013	Section F, Part 1.	1
10020	Anvils, single, bick, 12-cwt	1
10237	Blocks, 12-cwt	1
	Blocks, 'V', 7-in x 5-in x 2 1/2-in	1
	Braces -	1
	Engineers, ratchet, 14-in S.F.S.	1
	Pillar drilling, 10-in	1
	Brushes -	6
	Flat, point, G.S. -	6
10626	1-in	1
10628	4-in	2
10630	Gilao	1
10740	Stencil	1
	Writing -	2
15770	Crew	3
15771	Duck	3
	Drills -	1
	Stock -	1
11740	Breat	1
11741	Hand	1
	Twist -	1
	No. 2 square, taper shank, English -	1
11874	5/8-in	1
11876	7/16-in	1
11878	1/2-in	1
11880	9/16-in	1
11882	11/16-in	1
11884	3/4-in	1
	Parallel shank, jobbers, English -	5
11911	1/32-in	5
11912	3/64-in	5
11913	1/16-in	5
11914	5/64-in	5
11915	3/32-in	5
11916	7/64-in	5
11917	1/8-in	5
11918	5/64-in	5
11919	5/32-in	5
11920	11/64-in	5
11921	3/16-in	5
11922	15/64-in	5

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Stencil
Writing -

10770
10771

Draw
Duck

Drills -

Stock -

11740
11741

Prep
Hand

Twist -

11874
11875
11876
11880
11882
11884

No. 2 square, taper shank, English -
5/8-in
7/16-in
1/2-in
9/16-in
11/16-in
3/4-in

Parallel shank, jobbers, English -

11911
11912
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11914
11915
11916
11917
11918
11919
11920
11921
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11937
11939

1/32-in
3/64-in
1/16-in
5/64-in
3/32-in
7/64-in
1/8-in
9/64-in
5/32-in
11/64-in
3/16-in
13/64-in
7/32-in
15/64-in
1/4-in
5/32-in
3/16-in
11/32-in
3/8-in
15/32-in
7/16-in
15/32-in

Extractors, screw, 'Ezyout', c/w with drills -

No. 1
No. 2
No. 3
No. 4
No. 5
No. 6
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ARMED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

AFHS/6508/5/508/6(LB)

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Below is Amendment No. 1 to SEL No. 500/1, published April, '45 for A Light Aid Detachment for an Italian Transport Company on WE CM/875/1.

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insert in order :

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|-----------|--|
| Pa. 10450 | |
| 10451 | |
| 10452 | |
| 10453 | |
| 10454 | |
| 10455 | |
| 10456 | |
| 10457 | |
| 10458 | |
| 10459 | |
- Tools, screwcutting -
- | | |
|------------------|---|
| 40.F. die nuts - | |
| 1/4-in | 1 |
| 5/16-in | 1 |
| 3/8-in | 1 |
| 7/16-in | 1 |
| 1/2-in | 1 |
| 5/8-in | 1 |
| 3/4-in | 1 |
| 7/8-in | 1 |
| 1-in | 1 |

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Sheet 3. Section F. Part 1.

insert in order :

Tools, screwcutting -

W.F. die nuts -

- Pa 10400
- 10401
- 10402
- 10403
- 10404
- 10405
- 10406
- 10407
- 10408
- 10409

- 1/4-in
- 5/16-in
- 3/8-in
- 7/16-in
- 1/2-in
- 5/16-in
- 3/8-in
- 7/16-in
- 1/2-in
- 1-in

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Special Equipment

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
SECTION F. Part 1 (cont)		
EA 13716	Forges, smiths, portable, 32-in x 26-in	1
14115	Hammers, copper, 1-lb	1
15015	Lamps, brazing, 2-pint, complete	1
16595	Rules, steel, 6-in	1
16335	Saws - Crosscut, 3-ft., Mk. 1	1
16653	Hack, hand, blades -	72
16655	Coarse, 12-in	72
16795	Fine, 12-in	1
16887	Screwdrivers, magnet, 1 1/2-in	1
16883	Shears, tinners, snip - 10-in., bent	1
	10-in., straight	1
	Scissors -	
	American thread, open jaw, D.E. -	
17095	5/16-in x 3/8-in	3
17096	7/16-in x 1/2-in	3
17097	5/16-in x 5/8-in	3
17098	19/32-in x 1 1/16-in	3
17099	3/4-in x 7/16-in	1
17685	Squares, steel, engineers, 6-in	1
17890	Straight edges, engineers, 24-in	1
	Tools, screwcutting -	
	Stocks, dies, and taps -	
18466	A.N.P. set No. 1	1
10500	A.N.P. set No. 1	1
	Vices -	
19513	Bench, parallel cast, 4-in	2
19555	Stand, portable	1
	Stencils, for marking vehicles	(a)
	SECTION F. Part 11.	
	Tool kits -	
	Electricians -	
20215	Basic	2
20217	M.T. and G.S., supplementary	1
20221	Fitters -	7
	Basic	2

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10007	10-in., bent	1
10080	1-in., straight	1
	Spanners -	
	American thread, open jaw, D.E. -	
17055	5/16-in x 3/8-in	3
17056	7/16-in x 1/2-in	3
17057	5/8-in x 5/8-in	3
17058	1 1/2-in x 1 1/16-in	1
17059	3/4-in x 7/16-in	1
17085	Squares, steel, engineers, 6-in	1
17090	Straight edges, engineers, 24-in	1
	Tools, sawcutting -	
	Stocks, dies, and taps -	
18466	A.N.S. set No. 1	1
18580	A.N.S. set No. 1	1
	Vices -	
19513	Bench, parallel cast, 4-in	2
19555	Stand, portable	1
	Stencils, for marking vehicles SECTION F. Part 11.	(a)
	Tool kits -	
	Electricians -	
20215	Basic	2
20217	F.S. and G.S., supplementary	1
	Fitters -	
20221	Basic	7
20222	Supplementary	2
20233	Metal workers, heavy basic	1
20266	Woodworkers, basic	1
20236	Motor-cycle, artificers, small	1
20264	Welders, electric and acetylene SECTION G.1.	1
	Screws, iron, flattened -	
04 1313	3/4-in gauge, No. 6	238
1315	3/4-in gauge, No. 10	144
1324	7/8-in gauge, No. 12	144
1327	1-in gauge, No. 12	144
1328	1-in gauge, No. 12	144
1336	1 1/2-in gauge, No. 12	144
1337	1 1/2-in gauge, No. 14	144
1347	2-in gauge, No. 14	144
1352	2 1/2-in gauge, No. 12	144
1356	3-in gauge, No. 12	144
	Belts, with nuts, cup head, square -	
0005	1/2-in x 2-in	30
0047	1/2-in x 6-in	12

NOTE (a) To be made under unit arrangements.

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Part II.

Special Equipment.

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
	SECTION G.1. (cont)	
	Nails, wire, iron procured -	
GA 0620	1-in	7
0622	1 1/2-in	7
0624	2-in	7
0626	3-in	7
	Pins, keep, split -	
0632	1/16-in x 1 1/2-in	144
0612	5/64-in x 1 1/2-in	144
0822	3/32-in x 1 1/2-in	144
0814	1/8-in x 2-in	144
0666	5/16-in x 2-in	144
6129	Tacks, steel, cut, 1/2-in	1
	SECTION G.2.	
GB 0078	Brass, sheet, No. 22 SWG	3
10645	Gauge, brass, copper, or phosphor, bronze-	
10642	36-mesh	2
	120-mesh	2
15089	Plate, vitreous, sheet, 3/4-in x 25-in -	
15090	.024-in thick	3
	0.01-in thick	3
	Steel -	
	Mild -	
0450	2-in x 2-in x 5/8-in	14
10546	1 1/2-in x 1 1/2-in x 1 1/2-in	14
15505	Flat, 1/4-in x 1-in	14
	Mild -	
	Round -	
	Fluor -	
0779	1/4-in	7
0771	1/2-in	14
0769	3/4-in	14
	Brigs -	
16050	1/4-in	3
16052	3/8-in	42
16054	1/2-in	6
16057	5/4-in	9
0815	Sheet, black, No. 16 DG	28
	Square, black -	
0863	5/8-in	14
0860	1-in	14

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0022	5/32-in x 18-in	lbs	144
0044	1/8-in x 2-in	lbs	144
0866	3/16-in x 2-in	lbs	144
6129	Tacks, steel, cut, 2-in SECTION G.2.	lbs	1
GB 0078	Brass, sheet, No. 22 SWG	lbs	3
10649	Gauze, brass, copper, or phosphor, bronzo-	sq ft	2
10642	56-mesh	sq ft	2
15059	120-mesh	sq ft	3
15090	Plate, tinned, sheet, 3/4-in x 25-in - .024-in thick	sheets	3
	0.011-in thick	sheets	3
	Steel -		
	Mild -		
0450	2-in x 2-in x 3/8-in	lbs	14
10546	1-in x 1/2-in x 1/2-in	lbs	14
15005	Plate, 1/4-in x 1-in	lbs	14
	Mild -		
	Round -		
	Black -		
0775	1/4-in	lbs	7
0771	1/2-in	lbs	14
0759	3/4-in	lbs	14
	Bright -		
10050	1/4-in	lbs	3
16052	3/8-in	lbs	42
16054	1/2-in	lbs	6
16057	3/4-in	lbs	9
0613	Sheet, black, No. 16 MC	lbs	28
	Square, black -		
	5/8-in	lbs	14
	1-in	lbs	14
0063	Solder, tinmans, soft	lbs	10
0060	Solder, brazing	sticks	6
0363	Tubing, seamless, copper -		
10020	1/4-in x 10 SWG	ft	12
10933	5/16-in x 20 SWG	ft	12
10936	Wire -		
1914	Copper, soft, No. 16 SWG	lbs	7
	Steel -		
1330	Soft, No. 16 SWG	lbs	3
20675	Spring, 20 SWG	lbs	1
	SECTION H.1.		
	Acetylene, dissolved	cu ft	200
HA 0002	acid, sulphuric, refined, spec. gravity,		
0009	1.84	qt bottles	2
	Borax, powder, in 7-lb tins	tins	1
0030	Chalk, prepared, white	sticks	1/4
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Part III.

Special Equipment

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
	SECTION H.1. (cont)	
	Cloth, emory -	24 sheets
0043	No. F	24 sheets
0045	No. 1/2. middling	
	Cylinders -	
0512	acetylene, (100-cu ft capacity)	2 lbs
0531	Oxygen gas, (100-cu ft capacity)	4 galls
0086	Gaug, ordinary	3 cu ft
0428	Oil, linseed, beiled	2
0167	Oxygen, gas	400
	Paint -	
0166	Red lead, dry	7 lbs
5149	Dark, tarmac, No. 4	3 galls
0242	Spraying, olive drab	5 galls
0295	White, lead C.S., I.P.U.	14 lbs
0612	Paper, abrasive, waterproof, grade C, grit. med. fine	12 sheets
0360	Soap, soft	7 lbs
0324	Turpentine, lead free	2 pints
0444	Varnish, shellac	1 pint
	SECTION H.2.	
0121	Asbestos, yarn, 6-thread	4 lbs
0256	Cardiac -	
	European hemp, tarred, 1-in	25 fms
	Sisal, white -	
	2-in	48 fms
	3-in	40 fms
	4-in	42 fms
	Hessian, packing -	
	No. 1, 72-in	25 yds
	No. 2, 36-in	8 yds
	Jointing, sheeting, asbestos, compound, 1/16-in	7 lbs
	Packing, greased, round, 3/16-in dia.	2 lbs
	Rubber, vulcanised, insertion sheet, 1/16-in	7 lbs
0926	Spun yarn, hemp, tarred, 3-yarn	4 lbs
1099	Twine, packing, coarse, sisal N.I.V.	4 lbs
0056	Rags, cotton, white	1 cwts
	SECTION H.3.	
	Timber, deal, yellow -	36 ft run

5145	Red lead, dry	lbs	7
0242	Dart, tarmac, No. 4	galls	3
0295	Spraying, Clivo grab	galls	5
0612	White, lead C.S., I.F.U.	lbs	14
0360	Taper, abrasive, waterproof, grade C, grit, mod. fine	sheets	12
0384	Soap, soft	lbs	7
0414	Turpentine, lead free	pints	2
	Varnish, shellac	pints	1
	SECTION 5.2.		
0121	Asbestos, yarn, 6-thread	lbs	3
0436	Cordage - European hemp, tanned, 1-in	fms	25
5146	Sisal, white - 2-in	fms	44
5147	3-in	fms	44
5151	4-in	fms	44
0670	Hessian, packing - No. 1, 72-in	yds	25
	No. 2, 36-in	yds	0
0732	Jointing, sheeting, asbestos, compound, 1/16-in	lbs	7
0815	Packing, pressed, round, 3/16-in dia.	lbs	2
0860	Rubber, vulcanised, insertion sheet, 1/16-in	lbs	7
0926	Spun yarn, hemp, tanned, 3-yarn	lbs	4
1099	Twine, packings, coarse, sisal N.I.V.	lbs	4
0350	Rags, cotton, white	cwts	1
	SECTION H.3.		
HC 0340	Timber, deal, yellow - 3-in x 1-in	ft run	36
0390	(3-in x 3-in cuts)	ft run	9
0390	5-in x 3-in	ft run	18
	SECTION LV6/ATL.		
10519	Brake fluid, No. 3	galls	1
	Cables, Bowden pattern - Inner -		
	No. 1, .060-in dia.	ft	50
	No. 2, .075-in dia.	ft	50
	Outer -		
	No. 1 for cable .060-in dia	ft	25
	No. 2 for cable .075-in dia	ft	25
	Spare parts -		
	Caps -		
	No. 1		24
	No. 2		24
	Nipples -		
	No. 9/1		24
	No. 5/2		24

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Part 12.

Special Equipment

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
	SECTION LVG/ATL. (cont)	
42156	Carborundum, paste -	4
42161	Fine, 2-oz tins	2
	Coarse, 4-oz tins	1
24296	Clips, hose -	4
24317	Strip	1
44600	Strip, clip	4
	Compound, case, hardening, grade 'C', 4-lb tins	1
2212	Extinguishers, fire -	3
4274	Tetrachloride type, 1-qt, filled	30
46655	Refills	3
11317	Drackets	2
3081	Felt, extra hard, thick	4
44932	Fibre, vulcanised, sheet, hard, 1/8-in sq ft	3
55050	Fluxin, solderin', paste, 2-oz tins	3
4157	Goldsike, 1-pint tins	1
31443	Graphite, powder, 1-lb tin	1
36959	Jacks, lifting, screw type, 4-ton	2
	Jahving, liquid, 4-oz tin	0
	Leather, oil dressed -	
722	1/2-in	2
16066	1/16-in	2
1521	Lockets, iron, O.S., 1/2-in with key	3
21234	Lumps, tyre, Scot, c/w tongue and connection, Hattersley and Davidson, multi-stage	2
44429	Solution, solvent, rust, 1-pint tin	2
20275	Springs, tension and compression	1
2253	Tapes, insulating, 2-in wide, 2-oz rolls	8
	Washers, copper and asbestos, round -	
23385	11-mm, 3/8	24
23355	14-mm, 1/2	56
16671	Assorted sizes, gross pkts	4
	SECTION LVG/MT2.	
	Extractors -	

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33050	Fluxing, soldering, paste, 2-oz tins	1
4157	Goldsize, 1-pint tin	1
31443	Grease, powder, 1-lb tin	2
36552	Grease, lifting, screw type, 4-ton tins	0
722	Leather, oil dressed - 1/2-in.	2
10006	1/16-in.	2
1521	Washers, iron, 0.3, 1/2-in with key	6
21234	Washers, tyre, feet, 5/8 with and camusation, Hatterley and Davidson, multi-stage	2
44429	Solution, solvent, rust, 1-pint tin	2
30275	Springs, tension and compression boxes	1
2253	Tapes, insulating, 2-in wide, 2-oz rolls	0
23395	Washers, copper and neobates, round - 1/2-in., 1/4	24
23355	1/4-in., 1/4	30
10071	Assorted sizes, brass pkts SECTION LV6/MT2.	1
33210	Extractors - Ball race for bearings	1
19154	Wheel hub, universal	1
520	Lifters, valve spring, car size	1
2960	Tools, screwcutting, sets of stocks dies, (and taps, 0.12. thread, 5/16-in - 9/16-in sets)	1
4109	Tools, tyre, knives - 10-110-lbs per sq in	2
4105	5-10-lbs per sq in	6
45447	Lever, Durdop - No. TL/5	2
45443	No. TL/6	2
35584	No. TL/2	2
19392	Lever, tyre - Elstone pattern, 12-in lens	2
15391	Elstone pattern, 24-in lens	2
44102	Pitting and reblowin, RT tyres - Blocks, hardwood - 1/2-in x 1/2-in x 1/2-in (set of 2)	1
44103	5-10-lbs x 1/2-in x 1/2-in (set of 2)	1
44104	5-10-lbs x 1/2-in x 1/2-in (set of 2)	1

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Catalogue Number	Description	Quantity
	SECTION LV6/MT2. (cont)	
	Tools -	
	Fittings and removing, 17 tyres -	1
33507	Bolts, clamp and nut, (set of 2)	1
33508	Clamp plates, complete (set of 2)	1
25059	Levers, cranked	1
53509	Levers, cranked, long	1
	Spanners, D.E., cranked -	
	.715-in x .925-in	1
22110	1.017-in x 1.017-in	1
22109	Removing and fitting, IF, portable	1
29046	Valve, repairing -	
	Packing tool, Schrader, No. 1262	1
19416	Converting spanner, Schrader, No. 7799	1
14234	Cone, removing tool, Schrader, No. 2688	1
19723	Damaged cone, removing	1
26800	General repair, tool, Schrader No. 3263	1
57457	Vulcanizers, fuel type	1
50046	Tools, valve repairing, wrench set, No. 6374	1
26809	N.I.V.	
	Tools, tyre, valve, repairing -	
	Reseating, tyre, valve, Schrader, No. 7571	1
26813	Rollers (edge wheel) 1/2-in x 1/2-in, milled,	
26822	Dunlop No. 4	1
	Valve fitting: 3/8 12-in chain, Schrader,	
26815	No. 1104	1
	Star, for tyre valve base nuts, Schrader,	
26810	No. 5507	1
	SECTION LV6/MT4	
	Cable, electric -	
	Single lead -	
	37/.056 cond. for MS	12
11347	35/.012 cond. for batteries	24
11345	14/.012 cond. for lead, side or tail	60
11344	Ignition, 40/010 cond., 7-mm dia. ft	72
	Compound, Chatterone	1
7930	Hydrometers, acid testing; 1,100 - 1,400	
13008	Paper, pole finding	2
29017	Syringes, acid or alkaline, 0-cc size	3
1405	Terminals -	2
25224	Cable ends, 1/4-in x 5/8-in x 3/16-in	144
1974	Section bottom, 3/16-in stud hole	4

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26000	Cord, removing tool, Schrader, No. 2590	1
37457	Dunlop core, removing	1
50045	General repair, tool, Schrader No. 3263	1
26009	Vulcanizers, fuel type	1
	Tools, valve repairing, wrench set, No. 6574 H.I.V.	1
26013	Tools, tyre, valve, repairing -	1
26022	Resouting, tyre, valve, Schrader, No. 7571	1
	Rollers (adze wheel) 1/2-in x 3/8-in, milled, Dunlop No. 4	1
26015	Valve fishing, 3/8 13-in chain, Schrader, No. 3104	1
26010	Star, for tyre valve base nuts, Schrader, No. 5507	1
	Cable, electric -	12
	Single lead -	24
11347	37/.056 cord, for MS	60
11345	35/.012 cord, for batteries	72
11344	14/.012 cord, for head, side or tail lamps	1
7950	Ignition, 40/610 cord, 7-mm dia, ft	2
13600	Compound, Chatverton	3
29017	Hydrometers, acid testing, 1.100 - 1.400 with tin box	2
1405	Fezer, pole fining	2
25224	Syringes, acid or alkaline, 0-oz size Terminals -	2
1974	Cable ends, 1/4-in x 5/8-in x 3/16-in	144
26307	Socket pattern, 2/8-in stud hole	4
30444	Voltmeters, 0-16-volt	3
	Wire, fuse -	2
	Lead -	2
12453	2-amp, 50 SWF	2
16000	10-amp, 10 SWF	2
12671	Tinned, copper -	2
14700	14-amp, 50 SWF (No. 124) 24.5-amp, 57 SWF (No. 6104) SECTION IV/AE5.	2
44700	Rolls, A.F.P., R.S.S., maximum speed -	72
44444	1/4-in x 2-in	72
44727	3/4-in x 1 1/2-in	72
24957	7/8-in x 1 1/2-in	36
44744	1 1/2-in x 2-in	24

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SECTION 11

Part 11.

Special Equipment

Catalogue Number	Designation	Quantity
4608	Bolts and nuts, coach cup head -	54
46603	Square neck Whitworth -	54
	Bolt, 1/2-in x 5/8-in	24
	Nut, black square, 1/2-in	24
	Nuts -	24
	A.S.F., bright steel, hexagon -	12
	1/4-in	12
	5/16-in	12
	3/8-in	12
	7/16-in	12
	1/2-in	12
	5/8-in	12
	3/4-in	12
	B.S. bright steel, hexagon -	12
	No. 0	12
	No. 2	12
	No. 4	12
	Rivets -	1
	Bifurcated, No. 3, assorted	boxes
	Copper, countersunk head -	
	1/8-in x 1/2-in	40
	3/16-in x 3/4-in	40
	Copper, flat, countersunk head -	
	1/8-in x 3/4-in	96
	3/16-in x 1-in	40
	1/4-in x 1 1/2-in	24
	Wild steel, sharp head, 1/4-in x 1 1/2-in	40
	Screws, D.S., bright steel, roundhead -	
	No. 0 x 1 1/2-in	24
	No. 2 x 1-in	40
	No. 4 x 1-in	24
	Washers -	
	D.S.F., bright steel, omnibus	40

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15115	3/16-in S.A. bright steel, hexagon - No. 0		12
15139	No. 2		12
15595	No. 4		12
16420	Rivets - Bifurcated, No. 0, assorted Cooper, counterbore head - 1/8-in x 1/8-in 3/16-in x 3/8-in Cooper, flat, counterbore head - 1/8-in x 3/4-in 3/16-in x 1-in 1/4-in x 1/2-in Mild steel, surge used, 1/4-in x 1/2-in Sears, 2-in, bright steel, roundhead - No. 0 x 1 1/2-in No. 2 x 1-in No. 4 x 1-in	boxes	45 45 45 24 24 26 45 24 4 24 45 45
16745	Washers - S.S.P., bright steel, engineers - 1/4-in 5/16-in 3/8-in 7/16-in 1/2-in Spring, single coil - 1/2-in 5/16-in 3/8-in 7/16-in 1/2-in 5/8-in		45 45 45 24 24 40 24 40 24 24 24 6 2
16865	SECTION LVC/116, Sealant, rubber, 2-oz tins	tins	3
18209	Fuel tablets N.E.V.	tins	1
1721	Compound, vulcanizing, rubber (sheet) 1/16-in x 1/8-in x 1-1/2-in SECTION LVC/111.	tins	1
1728	Keys, leveling, steel - Light, 1/2-in dia, 11, 15-ft		4
1729	Medium, 1/2-in dia, 15-ft	(6)	7818
1730			
1731			
42947			
42948			
42949			
42950			
42951			
42953			
17422			
3147			
25307			
25445			
17571			

NOTE - (6) 0/8 will be deducted when TYPED, 6-wheeled, breakdown are held in lieu of Lewis, 4 x 6-wheeled, breakdown.

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Special Equipment

Catalog No Number	Designation	Quantity
20226 44062	SECTION LV5/MTM4. Valves, two, Schrader - Cars, valve No. 4000 (5 in box) boxes Assorted components, motor-cycle size kits	12 6 6
22204	Assorted components, car size kits SECTION LV 7 SUPLY. Initial supply of spare parts and accessories (Picnic Baskets and P.A.M.T.O.S.)	(a)
WD 2290	SECTION LV5 M.T. SUPLY. Kits of Workshop Tools - Vehicle makers special tools - sets 1st Echelon Workshop Kits	(b)
WD 0655 0655	Tapes, measuring, metallic woven, 50-ft SECTION W.2. Fibre, vulcanised - Rod, 1/2-in Sheet, 1/2-in	1 2 1
WX 0025 0504	BENCHES, portable, 7-84 Compressor, air, portable, 4.5 cu ft on-line Driven for tyre inflation	2 1
0457	Plants, welding and cutting, oxy-acetylene, light-weight, M.I. Flares, angle, 5/8-in x 3/8-in x 3-in Slovens, screw, taper, drill - No. 2 to No. 1 No. 3 to No. 2 No. 4 to No. 3	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
2436 2437 9590 0502	Sparkling plug cleaner and tester SECTION W.3. SECTION W.2.	1 1 1 1

M.H.S.C. SUPPLY.

	(a)	(b)
Initial supply of spare parts and accessories (Picnic Baskets and N.A.M.T.O.S.) SECTION IWS N.T. SULLY.		
Kits of Workshop Tools - Vehicle makers special tools - 1st Echelon Workshop Kits SECTION V.2.		sets
Tapes, measuring, metallic woven, 50-ft SECTION W.2.	1	
Fibre, vulcanised - Rod, 1/2-in Sheet, 1/2-in SECTION W.3.	2 1	ft lbs
Mercury, portable, 7-ft Compass, air, portable, 4.5 cu ft on the diver for wire installation Flame, welding and cutting, oxy-acetylene, light-weight, H.L. Flator, 4-in, 3/4-in x 3/4-in x 3-in Sleeves, nurse, heavy, drill - No. 2 to No. 1 No. 3 to No. 2 No. 4 to No. 3 Sarking glu. electric and tester	2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
Din cards (AF 03920) (c)		500

N.A.M.T.O.S. SULLY.

NOTE - (a) Scales as laid down in Mediterranean Vehicle Master Scales.
(b) For scales see Appendix 1.
(c) Initial supply for stock maintenance of consumable items and spare parts.

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Appendix 1.

Scales of Kits of Workshop Tools - Vehicle Makers
Special Tools - 1st Echelon Workshop Kits.
Sets

No. of Kits for each Make of vehicle.	Workshop Platoons of Unit with:					
	1 Sgt Plus.					
	Homogeneous Vehicles					
	66	66	99	33	33	33
2	1	1	1	2	1	1
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- 1 Armr Art AA
- 2 " " Elec
- 3 " " Field
- 4 " " Vehicle
- 5 " " Instr (A)
- 6 " " Instr (Fd)
- 7 " " Radio
- 8 " " Wireless
- 9 Armourer
- 10 Blacksmiths
- 11 Hammeron
- 12 Carpenter & Joiner
- 13 Clerk
- 14 Coachpainter
- 15 Coachtrimmer
- 16 Cycle Repairer
- 17 Draughtsman Mech
- 18 Driver Mech
- 19 Driver Operator
- 20 Electrician (all kinds)
- 21 Electro Plater
- 22 Fitter
- 23 Grinder Precision
- 24 Instr Mech
- 25 Machinist Metal
- 26 Millwright
- 27 Motor Assembler
- 28 Moulder
- 29 Operator Tyre Repair Plant
- 30 Painter and Decorator
- 31 Pattern Moler
- 32 Rivetter
- 33 Saddler
- 34 Sawyer
- 35 Sheet Metal Worker
- 36 Storeman
- 37 Telecom Mech
- 38 Toolmaker
- 39 Turner
- 40 Vehicle Mech
- 41 Vulcanizer
- 42 Wagonmaker
- 43 Welder
- 44 Wheeler
- 45 Woodturner & Machinist
- 46 Driver IC

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- ✓18 Draughtsman Mech
- ✓19 Driver Mech
- ✓20 Driver Operator
- ✓21 Electrician (all kinds)
- ✓22 Electro Plater
- ✓23 Fitter
- ✓24 Grinder Precision
- ✓25 Instr Mech
- ✓26 Machinist Metal
- ✓27 Millwright
- ✓28 Motor Assembler
- ✓29 Moulder
- ✓30 Operator Tyre Repair Plant
- ✓31 Painter and Decorator
- ✓32 Pattern Maker
- ✓33 Rivetter
- ✓34 Saddler
- ✓35 Sawyer
- ✓36 Sheet Metal Worker
- ✓37 Storeman
- ✓38 Telecon Mech
- ✓39 Toolmaker
- ✓40 Turner
- ✓41 Vehicle Mech
- ✓42 Vulcanizer
- ✓43 Watchmaker
- ✓44 Welder
- ✓45 Wheeler
- ✓46 Woodturner & Machinist
- ✓47 Driver IC
- ✓48 General Duty
- ✓49 Motor Cyclist

Complete list of REME Trades as received from

Majors Bekker 25/4.

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Rem 5.

SUBJECT :- LAD for an Italian Combat Gp

Land Forces Sub.Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A)
File N° SD/10/2
Mar 45

TO :- AFHQ For G-3 Org (FOR)

1. It has been observed that the NOTE appended to WE CM/540/1 of a Light Aid Detachment for an Italian Combat Group contains certain mistakes. May a corrected NOTE as in Appx "A" be substituted.

C. H. H. H.

Major General
M.M.I.A.

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 letter SD/10/2 of Mar 45

NOTE

LADs will be provided for following units
 forming part of an Italian Combat Group:-

Two Infantry Regiments	2
Artillery Regiment	2
Engineer Bn (one for Engineer, one for signals)	2
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>6</u> =====

" LADs verranno provvisti per le seguenti unità
 che formano parte di un Gruppo Combattente Italiano:-

Due Reggimenti di Fanteria	2
Reggimento d'Artiglieria	2
Battaglione del Genio (uno per il Genio, uno per i collegamenti)	2
<u>TOTALE</u>	<u>6</u> =====

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Subject Amendment to WE of HQ Italian Combat Group

Land Forces Sub Com AC
(M.M. I.A.).
File No S/G/29/20/1

2. March 45.

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G-3 Org 4 (1 copy)

I. THE PROPOSAL

- (a) HC, An Italian Combat Group
CW/523/1
- (b) Amendment to existing WE
- (c) Not applicable

II. EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Increase - OR (Bobman-Driver) - one
Car 5cwt 4 x 4 - one
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Five
- (d) Overall increases (Italian personnel)
- (e) Nil
- (f) Nil
- (g) Not applicable

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- (b) Amendment to existing WE
- (c) Not applicable

II. EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Increases - OR (Battman-Driver) - one
Car 5cwt 4 x 4 - one
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Five
- (d) Overall increases (Italian personnel)
- (e) Nil
- (f) Nil
- (g) - Not applicable
- (h) "

III. REASONS FOR THE PROPOSAL

This was omitted by oversight from Andt No 4 submitted under ref S/G/20/20 of 4 Nov 44 adding an MT officer to HQ Combat Group. It is understood that this has now been accepted.

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

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Removals

Subject: Proposed WE for a Driving & Maintenance School, Reinforcement Training Centre, Italian Combat Force.

Land Forces Sub Commission AC
(M.M. I. A.)

File No SD/45/1

21 March 45

AFHQ for G3 (For) (7 copies)

I THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Driving & Maintenance School, Reinforcement Training Centre, Italian Combat Force.
- (b) New WE
- (c) None

II THE EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

(a) Increase of :-		
Offrs	13	
ORs	156	
	<u>Total</u>	<u>169</u> (All Italian personnel)
(b) Not applicable		
(c) One		
(d) Overall increase		
(e) Nil		
(f) All		
(g) Yes, from DMT		

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II THE EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Increase of :-

Offrs	13
ORs	156
Total	169

 (All Italian personnel)

- (b) Not applicable
- (c) One
- (d) Overall increase
- (e) Nil
- (f) All
- (g) Yes, from DMT
- (h) Draft WE attached at Appendix "A"

MCs	5
Vchs	8

III REASONS FOR THE PROPOSAL

The administration and instruction at the Driving and Maintenance School, RTC ICF, is now being undertaken by an Italian CF Coy. It is required to release this CF Coy for operations. It is therefore essential to have a separate administration and training HQ to run the Driving and Maintenance School.

A.M. Ingledew
for Major General
 H.M. I.A.

[Signature]
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Land Forces Sub Commission AC
(M.M.I.A.)

File S/G/29/45

15 M/A

Subject: RTO ICF OMSANO

War Ministry

Reference S/G/29/45 of 9 March 45.

1. Herewith one copy of each of the following WEs.

- HQ PICMG Combat Force CM/734/1
- Ret Trg Centre CM/735/1
- Ration & POL Depot & Clothing Stores CM/736/1
- Field Hygiene Sec CM/533/1
- Independent Tpt platoon CM/539/1
- Mech Engr Platoon CM/540/1
- IAD CM/737/1
- HQ Provost Coy (CC.RR) CM/524/1
- Provost Sec CM/738/1
- HQ Reception Regt CM/739/1
- HQ Reception Bn CM/740/1
- HQ Inf Rfts Regt CM/741/1
- HQ Inf Rfts Trg Bn CM/742/1
- HQ Composite Rft Regt CM/743/1
- Arty Rfts CM/744/1
- Arty School CM/745/1
- HQ Mixed Rfts Bn CM/746/1
- HQ Engrs Rft Bn CM/747/1
- Ed Engineering School CM/748/1
- Combat Force Sigs Trg Centre CM/749/1
- HQ Mech Engrs Rft Coy CM/750/1
- HQ Trg Schools CM/751/1
- Infantry School CM/752/1
- Instructors School (All Arms) CM/752/1
- Mechanics School CM/752/1

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- Regt Trg Centre CW/734/1
- Ration & PCL Depot & Clothing Stores CW/735/1
- Field Hygiene Sec CW/736/1
- Independent Tpt Platoon CW/533/1
- Mech Engr Platoon CW/539/1
- LAD CW/540/1
- HQ Provost Coy (CC. RR) CW/737/1
- Provost Sec CW/524/1
- HQ Reception Regt CW/738/1
- HQ Reception Bn CW/739/1
- HQ Inf Rfts Regt CW/740/1
- HQ Inf Rfts Trg Bn CW/741/1
- HQ Composite Rft Regt CW/742/1
- Arty Rfts } CW/743/1
- Arty School CW/744/1
- HQ Mixed Rfts Bn CW/745/1
- HQ Engrs Rft Bn CW/746/1
- Hd Engineering School CW/747/1
- Combat Force Sigs Trg Centre CW/748/1
- HQ Mech Engrs Rft Coy CW/749/1
- HQ Trg Schools CW/750/1
- Infantry School CW/751/1
- Instructors School (All Arms) CW/752/1
- Mechanics School CW/752/1

2. These are serials 1 to 30 in the above quoted letter.
3. Will you please ensure that the Italian versions of these VEE are in accordance with the attached.

W. H. H. H. H. H.

Major General
M.M. I.A.

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AMENDMENT NO 1
TO MCIA LETTER S/G/29/45 OF 9 MAR 45

Appendix "A", Serial 33, Column (b) -
for "Category 6(B)(ii)"
read "Category 2"

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Major General
F.M.I.A.

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RESTRICTED *Remels*

Subject: RTC ICF CESANO Land Forces Sub Commission AC
(M.M.I.A.)

File No S/G/29/45
4 March 45

War Ministry

Reference Appendix "A" to CR/1116/G1(BR)(ser 1663) of
22 February 45. (Formation Order).

Attached is a summary of the War Establishments of the
units composing the RTC ICF, CESANO as follows :-

- Appendix "A" Personnel
- Appendix "B" Transport

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Major General
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Appendix "A"
Personnel

Appendix "B"
Transport

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Major General
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Appendix "A" to MIA letter
S/G/29/45 dated 9 March 45.

REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE
ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE - CASANO

PERSONNEL

Serial (a)	Designation of Unit Title (b)	No (c)	W.E. No (d)	W.E. Strength		Total (g)	Remarks
				Offrs (e)	CRs (f)		
1.	HQ PICENO Combat Force		CM/734/1	22	138	160	
2.	Rft Trg Centre	152	CM/735/1	4	51	55	
3.	Ration & POL Depot & Clothing Stores	152	CM/736/1	1	27	28	
4.	Field Hygiene Section	1500	CM/533/1	1	49	50	
5.	Independent Tpt Platoon	152	CM/535/1	1	39	40	
6.	Mechanical Engr Platoon	152	CM/540/1	-	12	12	
7.	IAD	152	CM/737/1	2	20	22	
8.	HQ Provost Coy (CC.RR.)	155	CM/524/1	1	51	52	
9.	Provost Section (Duty)	319	"	1	51	52	
10.	" " (Holding)	196	"	1	51	52	
11.	HQ Reception Regt	1	CM/738/1	14	100	114	
12.	HQ Reception Bn	1	CM/739/1	11	79	90	
13.	" "	2	"	11	79	90	
14.	" "	3	"	11	79	90	
15.	HQ Inf Rfts Regt	2	CM/740/1	12	85	97	
16.	HQ Inf Rfts Trs Bn	1	CM/741/1	18	129	147	
17.	" "	2	"	18	129	147	
18.	" "	3	"	18	129	147	
19.	HQ Composite Rft Regt	3	CM/742/1	8	41	49	
20.	Arty Rfts Depot	4)		25	172	198	
21.	Arty School	152)	CM/743/1	8	36	44	
22.	HQ Mixed Rfts Bn	6	CM/744/1	5	27	32	
23.	HQ Engrs Rft Bn	5	CM/745/1	10	94	104	
24.	Rd Engineering School	152	CM/746/1	32	145	177	
25.	Combat Force Signal	152	CM/747/1				
26.	Training Centre	6	CM/748/1	3	20	23	
27.	HQ Mech Engrs Rft Coy	152	CM/749/1	22	52	74	
28.	HQ Trg Schools	152	CM/750/1	12	49	61	
29.	Infantry School	152	CM/751/1	38	133	171	
30.	Instructora School (All Arms)	152	CM/752/1	7	92	99	

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6.	Technical Engr Platoon	152	CM/539/1	1	39	40
7.	LAD	152	CM/540/1	-	12	12
8.	HQ Provost Coy (CC.RR.)	152	CM/737/1	2	20	22
9.	Provost Section (Duty)	153	CM/524/1	1	51	52
10.	" " (T/E)	319	"	1	51	52
11.	" " (Holding)	198	"	1	51	52
12.	HQ Reception Regt	1	CM/738/1	14	100	114
13.	HQ Reception Bn	1	CM/739/1	11	79	90
14.	" " "	2	"	11	79	90
15.	" " "	3	"	11	79	90
16.	HQ Inf Rfts Regt	2	CM/740/1	12	85	97
17.	HQ Inf Rfts Trg Bn	1	CM/741/1	18	129	147
18.	" " "	2	"	18	129	147
19.	" " "	3	"	18	129	147
20.	HQ Composite Rft Regt	3	CM/742/1	8	41	49
21.	Arty Rfts Depot	4)				
22.	Arty School	152)	CM/743/1	26	172	198
23.	HQ Mixed Rfts Bn	6	CM/744/1	8	36	44
24.	HQ Engrs Rft Bn	5	CM/745/1	5	27	32
25.	Fd Engineering School	152	CM/746/1	10	94	104
26.	Combat Force Signal	152	CM/747/1	32	145	177
27.	Training Centre	6				
28.	HQ Mech Engrs Rft Coy	152	CM/748/1	3	20	23
29.	HQ Trg Schools	152	CM/749/1	22	52	74
30.	Infantry School	152	CM/750/1	12	49	61
31.	Instructors School (All Arms)	152	CM/751/1	38	133	171
32.	Mechanics School	152	CM/752/1	7	92	99
33.	TOTAL			318	2159	2477
34.	TOTAL in Category 7A (serials 7 to 10)			5	173	178
35.	TOTAL in Category 6(B)(ii)			313	1986	2299

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REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE
ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE
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TRANSPORT

Ser No.	Designation of Unit		P/Cs	V E H I C L E S								
	Title	No		Cars	Trucks 15 cwt GS	Trucks 15 cwt Water	Trucks 15 cwt fitted for wheels (h)	Trucks 15 cwt Compre- ssor (i)	Lorries 3 ton GS (j)	Lorries 3 ton Disinf- ector (k)	Lorries 3 ton Stores Binned (l)	Lorries 3 ton Bkdn. (m)
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)
1.	HQ PICENO Combat Force Trg Centre		9	5	5				3			
2.	Ration & POL Depot & Clothing Stores	152			1				1			
3.	FD Hygiene Sec	152	6		1				1	1		
4.	Independent Tpt Pl	1500	3	1	1				31			
5.	Mech Engrs Pl	152	2	1	2				5			2
6.	LAD	152	2		1						1	
7.	HQ Provost Coy (CC.RR)	152	2		1				1			
8.	Provost Sec(CC.RR)											
9.	" " (Duty)	155	14	1	3				1			
10.	" " (Trg)	319	14	1	3				1			
11.	" " (Holding)	198										
11.	HQ Reception Regt	1	2	2	2	1			2			
12.	HQ Reception Bn	1		2	2				2			
13.	" " "	2		2	2				2			
14.	" " "	3		2	2				2			
15.	HQ Inf Rfts Regt	2	2	2	3	1			4			
16.	HQ Inf Rfts Trg Bn	1	2	2	4		2		4			
17.	" " " " "	2	2	2	4		2		4			
18.	" " " " "	2	2	2	4		2		4			
19.	EQ Composite Rft Regt	3	1	3	3				1			
20.	Art Rfts Depot	4	6	4	3	1	6		8			1
21.	Art School	152										
22.	HQ Mixed Rfts Bn	6	2	2	1				2			
23.	HQ Engr Rft Bn	5	1	1	1				1			
24.	EN Engr School	152	2	1	1			1	2			
25.	7808 Combat Signal Training Centre	152	20	1	1		5		2			
26.	HQ Mech Engrs Rft Coy	6	1	1					1			

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REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE
ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE
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Appendix "B" to MMIA letter
S/G/29/45 dated 9 March 45

V E H I C L E S

Trucks cwt GS	Trucks 15 cwt Water	Trucks 15 cwt fitted for Wireless (h)	Trucks 15 cwt Compre- ssor (i)	Lorries 3 ton GS (j)	Lorries 3 ton Disinf- ector (k)	Lorries 3 ton Stores Binned (l)	Lorries 3 ton Bkdn. (m)	Lorries 3 ton Wasp (n)	Lorries 3 ton Winch (o)	Tru- cto- rs (p)	Trai- lers (q)	Total (r)	Remarks (s)
				3								13	
				1								2	
				1	1							3	
				31								33	
				5			2	2			1	13	
				1		1						3	
				1								2	
				1								5	
				1								5	
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				2								6	
				2								6	
1				4								10	
				4								12	
		2		4								12	
		2		4								12	
		2		4								12	
		6		1								4	
1				8			1		1		6	30	
				2								5	
				1								3	
			1	2								5	
		5		2								9	
				2								9	
				1								2	

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TRANSPORT - continued.

Serial	Designation of Unit		M/Cs	VEHICLES								
	Title	No		Cars	Trucks 15 cwt GS	Trucks 15 cwt Water	Trucks 15 cwt fitted for Wireless	Trucks 15 cwt Compressor	Lorries 3 ton GS	Lorries 3 ton Minifactor	Lorries 3 ton Stores Binned	Lorries 3 ton Bkdn
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)
27.	HO Trg Schools	152	2	3	1				1			
28.	Inf School	152	2	1								
29.	Instructors School (All Arms)	152	5	8	3				3			
30.	Mechanics School	152	1	1					1			
31.	TOTAL		105	51	52	3	17	1	90	1	1	3

- NOTES
- Serial 6, IAD - Col (p) Tractor is Tractor 6 x 4 Bkdn
 - Serial 20, Arty Rfts Depot } - includes following trg vehs: M/Cs 4, Trucks 15 cwt fi
21 } Tractors(17 pr) 2, Tract
 - Serial 24, Pd Engineering School- " " " " : Trucks 15 cwt Compressor

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V E H I C L E S

Cars	Trucks 15 cwt GS	Trucks 15 cwt Water	Trucks 15 cwt fitted for Wireless	Trucks 15 cwt Compre- ssor	Lorries 3 ton GS	Lorries 3 ton Disin- fecter	Lorries 3 ton Stores Binned	Lorries 3 ton Bkdn	Lorries 3 ton wkap	Lorries 3 ton Winch	Trac- tors	Trai- lers	Total	Re
(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)	(n)	(o)	(p)	(q)	(r)	(s)
3	1				1								5	
1													1	
8	3				3								14	
1					1								2	
51	52	3	17	1	90	1	1	3	2	1	7	1	231	

- Col (p) Tractor is Tractor 6 x 4 Bkdn

by Rfts Depot } - includes following trg vehs: W/Cs 4, Trucks 15 cwt fitted for wireless 6, Tractors AA 2,
Tractors(17 pr) 2, Tractors FA 2.
Engineering School- " " " " : Trucks 15 cwt Compressor 1, Lorry 3 ton Winch 1.

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Subject: War Establishments - (BR-ITI & ITI-ITI)

Land Forces Sub Commission AC
(M.L.I.A.)

File No SD/103

7 March 45

1. Branches are asked to submit all proposals for new BR-ITI and ITI-ITI War Establishments and amendments to existing BR-ITI & ITI-ITI War Establishments according to the proforma attached at Appendix "A" and the instructions contained therein.
2. All proposals originated by Services should be submitted through the appropriate staff branch.

*W. P. Pratt
Lt Col.
CS*

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Appendix "A" to MILA letter
SD/103 dated 7 March 45.

I THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Full title of the War Establishment(s) to be approved or amended together with the II numbers, both CA/- and Vol XII (in the case of amendments to existing IEs).
- (b) Is the proposal for a new IE or for an amendment to an existing IE?
- (c) The title and number of any IE to be superseded, or designation of any unit to be converted to the new proposed IE.

II THE EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

- (a) What are the increases or decreases in the number of Officers, ORs, ATS, Civilians, W/Os, and vehicles (by types)? (Where a number of comparisons is involved, these should be shown in detail on a comparative table attached on the proposal)
- (b) What upgradings or downgradings are proposed? (Where a number of changes in rank are involved these also should be shown in the form of a comparative table)
- (c) How many units in this theatre are affected?
- (d) Are any additional personnel, vehicles etc required to be obtained by conversion or reduction of any existing units, or does the proposal involve an overall increase to the number of personnel, vehicles etc required for this theatre?
- (e) If the proposal involves any increase in personnel, what reduction in the overall manpower ceiling is contained in the AFHQ Basic Order of Battle is to be made, or what reduction already effected but subsequent to 25 Mar 44 is to be used as an offset to cover such an increase?
- (f) Which of the personnel can be Medical Category "B" (unfit for service with fighting units)?

(e) The title and number of any VE to be superseded, or designation of any unit to be converted to the new proposed VE.

II THE EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

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- (f) Which of the personnel can be Medical Category "B" (unfit for general service with fighting units)?
- (g) Has approval in principle been obtained (where necessary) for the formation of the unit(s)? If so, from whom and when?
- (h) If the proposal is for a new VE, the draft of the proposed establishment should be attached to the proposal, together with a table showing detailed comparison(s) with any existing VE of the same type

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III. REASONS FOR THE PROPOSAL

In the case of a new establishment these will necessarily include its function and should be as concise as possible but enough to give members of the Committee a clear description of the purpose of the organisation.

In the case of amendments they should show what has necessitated the change.

It will assist the Committee and consequently the sponsors if sponsoring branches anticipate the questions which are likely to be asked by the Committee and other interested branches. In particular a clear picture of the organisation in diagrammatical form should be included.

A long detailed description of the duties of each individual will be unnecessary, but the sponsor must be prepared to give oral answers on the duties of each individual at the meeting.

Sufficient detailed information to provide the Committee with a basis for assessing the need for the numbers proposed must always be

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Instructor - the number of students and basis of allotment.

Mess Orderlies } The number type and strength
and Cooks } of each mess.

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FROM: LAKE
TO: MIA.
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ALSO REFER TO ME CM/539/1 SUBMITTED IN YOUR S/G/29/20/1 OF 2 March ALREADY APPROVED BY WAC EXCEPT VEHICLES TO BE LOBBY THREE NOT FOUR BY TWO THESE

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FROM: LARS (CONT)
TO: 15 ASEC GROUP
INFO: MIA

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SUBJECT MIA 2/6/29/20/1 of 2 MARCH AGREEMENT TO WE CR/525/1 (.) WILL
SUBMIT PROPOSAL TO WSC ONLY IF AGENCIES HAVE NO PENDING AGREEMENTS FOR THEM
WE (.) OTHERWISE REQUEST YOU ADVANCE FOR AGENCIES TO INCLUDE IN
CONSOLIDATED PROPOSALS IN NEXT CONCUR WITH APPLICATIONS

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
MEMO

NOTES & SUGGESTIONS ON DRAFT W.I.T.E. TRAINING SCHOOL

1. Veh Mech Wing (and Dvr Mech Wing)

(a) Could not overall figure for Assistant Instructors be reduced to one per eight students? (perhaps not for Italians). (Proportion of ranks as shown seems about right).

(b) Suggest AIs be 75-80% Arm Arts or Veh Mechs, remainder electricians. Veh Mech Wing might be called (say) Veh Wing, and train electricians as well (veh mechs and dvr mechs will also want training in automobile electricity).

(c) Based on above, suggest Italian E.M.E. instructors as follows:-

Arm Art Veh, WO II	---	1
Arm Art Veh, S/Sjt	---	1
Electricians, S/Sjt	---	1
Electrician, Sjt	---	2
Veh Mech, Sjt	---	4

2. (a) Gun Wing

1st Arty Sec have informed us that the only trade training required by them is for Fitters, Gun; and that on a 20% basis there will be 16 of these at a time. (They have informed us that 20% has now been accepted as a basis instead of 15%)

We have found an error in the establishment for a LAD (we were not consulted in the preparation of this establishment - No. 540/1). We calculate, however, that 20% holding should be 11 REWE Fitters, making a total holding of 27.

- Arm Art Veh, WC II --- 1
- Arm Art Veh, S/Sjt --- 1
- Electricians, S/Sjt --- 1
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I think it is an open question as to whether an officer is required for the Gun Wing; if so, we might be able to find a REME subaltern, with difficulty. Suggest an officer is provided if you think this necessary. It is suggested that AIs should be as follows:-

- Arm Art Pz --- 1 (Italian RME)
- (WC II if no officer provided, S/Sjt if an officer is provided).
- Fitters, Sjt --- 3 (incl 1 Italian RME)

(o) Armourers Wks

Suggest this be included in Gun Wing; for eight students as shown by you, suggest that all that is required is one AI; Armourer, S/Sjt (RME).

3. Wireless

Estimated number of trainees; one Arm Art Wireless and four Telecom Mechs. Consider these should be trained at 7 Sub Wks of 16 Base Wks, Artillery Barracks, NAPLES.

It is considered that a REME tradesman should supervise the training of these. A suitable Arm Art Wireless, WC II, is available for this purpose.

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4. Instrument Mechs

Estimated number of trainees, two. These to be dealt with in the same way as wireless personnel - see para 3 above.

5. Welders

Estimated number of trainees, nine. It is recommended that these receive such training as may be required at the School of E & ME, SCAFATI. An instructor is available but one interpreter would have to be provided. Both gas and electric welding can be taught under the arrangements suggested.

6. Storemen

It is considered that the training of tool storemen of all arms is of paramount importance with Italian or any other Allied troops. It is considered essential that this should be carried out on a very thorough basis, presumably by Ord in conjunction with you.

7. Other Trades (Italian E.M.E.)

It is considered that any training for other trades, e.g., Turners, could best be carried out by attachment to selected REE Workshops in ROME.

8. On the above suggestions the following Italian E.M.E. personnel would be provided:-

- 1 or 2 Officers
- 12 Other Ranks

In addition a measure of REE supervision for the proposed Wksp in the Re-inforcement Training Depot is considered desirable.

The following is proposed:-

- | | | |
|-------------------------|-----|---|
| Arm Art Veh, WC II | --- | 1 |
| Arm Art Fd or AA, S/Sjt | --- | 1 |

Thus, the overall REE British personnel would be:-

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Summary

Total ITI E.M.E. (Suggested)
 Capt E.M.E. 1
 Lieut 1 (Perhaps)

	<u>Tech School</u>	<u>Trg Centre Wksp</u>	<u>16 B Wksp</u>
Arm Art Veh, WO II	1	1	
" " " S/Sjt	1		
" " " Fd or AA	1 (WO II or Sjt Fd)	1 S/Sjt . Fd or AA	
" " " Wireless WO II			1
Armourer S/Sjt	1		
Electrician S/Sjt	1		
" Sjt	2		
Veh Mech Sjt	4		
	<u>11</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>

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Chief (Major)	1																		
Chief Inspector (Capt R. J. ...)	1																		
Asst Inspector (Arm Arts or Veh Books)	1	1	4	20	4														
Asst Inspector (Electronics)																			
Veh Books Insp.																			
Chief Inspector (Capt H. J. ...)	1	1	5	12	3														
Asst Inspector (Arm Arts or Veh Books)																			
Asst Inspector (Electronics)																			
Asst Inspector (Lieut R. J. ...)	1																		
Asst Inspector (Arm Arts M.)			1																
Asst Inspector (A. J. ...)			1																
Asst Inspector (Writers)						5													
TOTAL (Inter staff only)	4	2	9	42															57

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NOTE: Wireless and Instrument Books, Wireless Stores, and Drivers to be trained at British Establishments.

SITUAZIONE DEL PERSONALE CHE HA FREQUENTATO IL CORSO SUL MATERIALE
AUTOMOBILISTICO INGLESE A TOR SAPIENZA.

GRADO, COGNOME E NOME	QUALIFICA	N O T E
Cap. magg. COLOMBINI Luciano	conduttore	
Cap. magg. DE LORENZI Agostino	meccanico	
Cap. magg. DE NEGRI Angelo	meccanico	
Cap. magg. LOMBARDI Fernando	mecc. operai	Rientrato all'87° ftr.
Caporale DALL'AGLIO Eros		
Caporale GABUSI Rinaldo	meccanico	
Autiere ACERBI Mario	meccanico	
Geniere ARIONI Alberto	meccanico	
Autiere BONAVERI Amedeo	meccanico	
Artigliere BARBIERI Giovanni	armaiuolo	
Autiere BENTIVOGLIO Achille	conduttore	
Granatiere BERLATO Giovanni	meccanico	
Artigliere BIZZARRO Angelo	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Autiere BRASCA Maurizio	meccanico	
Artigliere BRAZZOLI Silvio	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Autiere BUSSOLIN Emilio	meccanico	
Artigliere CANUTI Ulderico	armaiuolo	
Geniere CANETTI Attilio	meccanico	
Geniere CARAGNANI Giuseppe	meccanico	
Granatiere DASAMMARTINO Guido	conduttore	
Fante FORNACIARI Gilfredo	conduttore	
Autiere FROSI Franco	meccanico	
Artigliere FUMAGALLI Angelo	armaiuolo	
Autiere GASPARI Luigi		
Autiere IURETICH Mario		
Artigliere MANDOLFI Vittorio	operaio	Rientrato all'88° ftr.
Artigliere MAURO Andrea	operaio	Trasfer. rgt. complementi.
Granatiere MERSONI Angelo		Trasfer. rgt. complementi.
Artigliere ORTOLAN Antonio		Ricover. osped. Maddaloni
Fante PAGANELLI Luciano	armaiuolo	Ricover. osped. Maddaloni
Granatiere PALMIERI Carlo	meccanico	
Artigliere PECCINI Alfredo	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
	meccanico	

Autiere	Angelo	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Artigliere BRASCA	Maurilio	meccanico	
Artigliere BRAZZOLI	Silvio	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Autiere BUSSOLIN	Emilio	meccanico	
Artigliere CANUTI	Ulderico	armaiuolo	
Geniere CANETTI	Attilio	meccanico	
Geniere CARAGNANI	Giuseppe	meccanico	
Granatiere DASAMMARTINO	Guido	conduttore	
Fante FORNACIARI	Gilfredo	conduttore	
Autiere FROSI	Franco	meccanico	
Artigliere FUMAGALLI	Angelo	armaiuolo	
Autiere GASPARI	Luigi	meccanico	
Autiere IURETICH	Mario	meccanico	
Artigliere MANDOLFI	Vittorio	operaio	Rientrato all'88° ftr.
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Granatiere PALMIERI	Carlo	operaio	
Artigliere PECCINI	Alfredo	meccanico	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Geniere PECINI	Oswaldo	meccanico	
Autiere PIOVAN	Carlo	meccanico	
Artigliere SCAPOLAN	Bruno	conduttore	
Artigliere SERPENTARIA	Mario	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Geniere STERNIERI	Athos	meccanico	
Artigliere TRENTANOVI	Armando	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Artigliere VERCILLO	Filippo	cond. operaio	
Artigliere VECCHIA	Sergio	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Geniere VERACCHI	Pietro	meccanico	
Fante VERTEMATI	Franco	meccanico	
Artigliere VICHI	Dino	operaio	Rimasto a Tor Sapienza.
Autiere VIVIANI	Aldo	meccanico	
Fante ZANARDI	Giovanni	meccanico	Rientrato all'87° ftr.
Geniere ZECCHINI	Giuseppe	meccanico	
Artigliere ZENI	Nadir	mecc. operaio	
Geniere TRAVERSI	Renato	meccanico	Trasf. gr. "Cremona".
Soldato ZADRO	Geldo	meccanico	
Soldato BATTISTINI	Remo	meccanico	

Operai artigiani - armatori

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FRIULI"
Ufficio Automobilistico

No. 2654/Aut. di prot.

P.M. 79. December 28th. 1944.

SUBJECT.- Men employed at the L.A.D.

TO THE 50 B. L. U.

In accordance with Capt. STOCKER's verbal request, we are now stating below, the number of men who are still required for the L.A.D.

- 87th. Infantry Regiment.- 1 Welder.
- 35th. Artillery Regiment.- 1 serg. Mechanic.
- do. 1 Electrician.
- Mixed Engineer Battalion.- 1 N.C.O. Armourer.

IL TEN. COL. CAPO DI S. M.

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1st Cavalry Division

PERSONNEL DATA - U.S. AND FOREIGN

1st Cavalry Division

U.S. Held. Foreign Held.

	U.S. Held.	Foreign Held.
<u>Officers.</u>	1	1
<u>Major</u>	1	1
<u>Captains or Lts.</u>	5	5
<u>Mechanic Serjt Maj.</u>	1	1
<u>" / Sigs</u>	1	1
<u>Arm Arts - Artillery</u>	2	2
<u>Clerks</u>	2	2
<u>Artificers</u>	1	1
<u>Storeroom</u>	1	1
<u>Sergeant</u>	1	1
<u>Archivers</u>	4	4
<u>Arm Arts - Vehs</u>	7	7
<u>" - Wireless</u>	1	1
<u>Blacksmiths</u>	3	3
<u>Carpenters</u>	3	3
<u>Trimmer</u>	1	1
<u>Driver Mech</u>	41	40
<u>Electricians</u>	9	9
<u>Fitters</u>	7	7
<u>Instr Mech</u>	3	3
<u>Cook Painter</u>	1	1
<u>Sheet Metal Wks</u>	2	2
<u>Telecom Mech</u>	3	3
<u>Turners</u>	3	3
<u>Vehicle Mech</u>	25	25
<u>Welders</u>	6	6
<u>Clerks (MT Stores)</u>	6	6
<u>Storemen</u>	10	10
<u>Driver Batmen</u>	2	2
<u>Motor Cyclists</u>	3	3

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Driver Mechs	41	40	2	11
Electricians	9	9	0	11
Fitters	7	7	0	11
Engin Mechs	5	5	0	11
Cook Painter	1	1	0	11
Sheet Metal Wks	3	3	0	11
Telecom Mechs	3	3	0	11
Turners	25	25	0	11
Vehicle Mechs	3	3	0	11
Welders	3	3	0	11
Clerks (MT Stores)	3	3	0	11
Storemen	10	10	0	11
Driver Mechan	2	2	0	11
Motor Cyclists	6	6	0	11
General Dutyman	16	16	0	11
Adminiatr. Cpl	-	-	-	11
Cooks	-	-	-	11
Drivers of Vehs	-	-	-	11
TOTALS.	174	174	0	11

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In the field.
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ENR - 50 B.L.U.

Proposed REMB Attachments W.B.

	No.	
Arm Art (Veh) WOII.	1	7294300 AQMG Brcawia.
Arm Art (Field) S/Sgt	1	10585639 Sgt Cowill.
Armourer Sgt	1	7887694 Cfn Symonds
Veh Mech Sgt	1	
Telecom(Field) Cpl	1	18000250 L/Cpl McGregor
Veh Mech Cpl	1	7632263 L/Cpl Simpson
Storeman Veh Cpl	1	4347441 Cfn Horsfield.
Driver Mech L/Cpl	2	3457876 Cfn Shaw.
Veh Mech L/Cpl	1	14429148 Dvr Cutler
Driver I/C Dvr		
Clerk	1	7646137 L/Cpl Knights
Inst Mech	1	7602923 Cfn Kemp.
Driver Mech	1	10572206 Cfn Gibbs
Cook (ACC)	1	

10000000 Cpl 1.

In the field.
29 Dec 44.

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Mechanical engineers responsible for field in combat group.

DEFICIENCIES OF TRANSPORT

	Deficient.
Cars Ford 4x4	1
_____	1
_____	1
Lorry Sten 6x4 Macky Type "A"	1
_____	1
Tractors, Breakdown 6x4	6
Trucks, Breakdown 4x2	8

TOTAL DEFICIENCY

15

(11)

1 half not essential

In the field.
18 Dec 44.

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30 Dec 44.

(10)

Subject: Mechanical Engineers,
No. 1 Italian Combat Group.

To: DDME.,
No. 1 District.

To: DADNE.,
MMIA.

Continual difficulty is being experienced with all six LADs regarding indenting for normal replacement parts which are not illustrated in their respective catalogues or Ordnance Vocab. It is essential that this position be regulated with the minimum of delay.

Many Spare Parts Catalogues have few or no illustrations. e.g. LV6/M1 to M15, Leyland, BSA M/Cycle etc. There is no method for Italian Storemen to demand replacement parts unless:

1. There is an illustration.
2. Aid of an Interpreter.
3. English speaking Italians trained as Storemen.

I consider that the minimum of eight English speaking Italians is essential. Distribution proposed as follows:

1 per LAD.	Total =	6
1 " M.E. Wksp	=	1
1 " M.E. platoon	=	1.

May steps please be taken to acquire these Personnel, with a view to the amendment of War Establishment in due course.

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- 1 per LAD. Total = 6
- 1 " M.S. Wkap = 1
- 1 " M.S. Platoon = 1.

Any steps please be taken to acquire these personnel, with a view to the amendment of War Establishment in due course.

W J Stocker

S/Capt. RME.,
(W J Stocker)
50 Brit Liaison Unit.

In the field.
CMF.

Copy to: MACMG.,
50 B.L.U.

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Capt Edwards

ELENCO DI SPECIALIZZATI

LIST OF SPECIALISTS

GRUPPI DI COMBATTIMENTO

COMBAT GROUPS

NO D'ORDINE SERIAL	SPECIALIZZATI	SPECIALISTS	TOTALE DELL'ORGANICO TOTAL NO. ON W. E.
1	AUTISTI	DRIVERS	1,237
2	MECCANICI AUTISTI	DRIVER MECHANICS	138
3	MECCANICI MOTORISTI	VEHICLE MECHANICS	91
4	AUTISTI RADIOELEGRAFICI	DRIVER OPERATORS	24
5	MOTOCICLISTI	MOTOR CYCLISTS	277
6	MONTATORI (CAPI TECNICI COMPRESI)	ARMAMENT ARTIFICERS	11
7	MECCANICI	FITTERS	37
8	OPERAI DI ARTIGLIERIA	GUN FITTERS	30
9	SALDATORI (ELETTRICISTI AUTO-GENO)	WELDERS, ELECTRIC OR GAS	9
10	TORNITOFI	TURNERS	3
11	CARRICZIERI/TAPPEZZIERI	COACH TRIMMERS	2
12	MECCANICI POMPISTI	ENGINE FITTERS I.C. AND PUMPS	14
13	VERNICIATORI/PITTORI	PAINTERS	12
14	MINATORI	MINERS	12
15	FIGURISTI	PLUMBERS	8
16	LAMINATORI	SHEETMETAL WORKERS	4
17	CONDUTTORI DI CALDAIO DA VAPORE	BOILERMEN	2
18	RAFFAIGLI	WATERMEN	8
19	ARMAIOLI	ARMOURERS & ARMOURER MECHS	68
20	SPECIALIZZATI PER IL TIRO	DIRECTOR OPERATORS (ARTILLERY)	95
21	ARTEFICIARI	AMMUNITION EXAMINERS	13
22	FABBRICI	SMITHS	38
23	FALEGNAMI	CARPENTERS	82
24	MURATORI	MASONS	56
25	MECCANICI DI PRECISIONE	INSTRUMENT MECHANICS	2
26	CALZOLAI	SHOEMAKERS	3
		ELECTRICIANS (SIGS)	5

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8	OPERAI DI ARTIGLIERIA		
9	SALDATORI (ELETTRICISTI AUTOGENO)	GUR FITTERS	30
10	TORNITORI	WELDERS, ELECTRIC OR GAS	9
11	CARRAZZIERI/TAPPEZZIERI	TURNERS	3
12	MECCANICI POMPISTI	COACH TRIMMERS	2
13	VERNICIATORI/PITTORI	ENGINE FITTERS I.C. AND PUMPS	14
14	MINATORI	PAINTERS	12
15	FIGURISTI	MINERS	12
16	LAMINATORI	FLUWERS	8
17	CONDUTTORI DI CALDAIO DA VAPORE	SHEETMETAL WORKERS	4
18	BANCAIOLI	SCILERMEN	4
19	ARMAIGLI	WATERMEN	2
20	SPECIALIZZATI PER IL TIPO	ARMOURERS & ARMOURER MECHS	68
21	ARTEFICIERI	DIRECTOR OPERATORS (ARTILLERY)	95
22	FABBR	AMMUNITION EXAMINERS	13
23	FALCONAMI	SMITHS	38
24	MURATORI	CARPENTERS	82
25	MECCANICI DI PRECISIONE	MASON	56
26	CALZOLAI	INSTRUMENT MECHANICS	2
27	ELETTRICISTI (GENIO)	SHEDMAKERS	3
28	ELETTRICISTI (ANCHE PER BATTERIE)	ELECTRICIANS (SIGNS)	5
29	APPARECCHIATORI TELEFONICI	ELECTRICIANS (ALSO FOR BATTERIES)	35
30	RADIO TELEGRAFISTI/TELEGRAFISTI (ADETTI AL FULLERPHONE COMPRESO) GENIO	OPERATORS WIRELESS AND LINE (INCL FULLER PHONE) OTHER ARMS	7 128
31	RADIO TELEGRAFISTI/TELEGRAFISTI (ADETTI AL FULLERPHONE COMPRESO) ALTRE ARMI	OPERATORS WIRELESS AND LINE (INCL FULLER PHONE) OTHER ARMS	395
32	CENTRALINISTI (GENIO)	SWITCHBOARD OPERATORS (SIGNS)	15
33	CENTRALINISTI (ALTRE ARMI)	SWITCHBOARD OPERATORS (OTHER ARMS)	24
34	RADIO MONTATORI	INSTRUMENT MECHANICS (SIGNS)	16
35	CIFRATORI	CIPHER OPERATORS	13
36	SPEDITORI/GUARDAPILI	LINEMEN	43
37	MECCANICI TELE COMUNICAZIONI	TELECOMMUNICATION MECHANICS	3

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Subject: Amendment to WE of Italian Mech Engr Platoon.

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M.M.I.A.
File No S/G/29/20/1 ✓

2 March 45

ATHQ for G-3 Org (For) - { 7 copies }
G-5 Org 4 - { 1 copy }

I. THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Mech Engr Pl for an Italian Combat Group
CM/539/1
- (b) Amendment to existing WE
- (c) Not applicable

II. THE EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Increases:- OR (Driver i/c - one
Lorry 3 ten 6 x 4 - one
Stores (Binned)
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Five
- (d) Overall increases (Italian personnel)
- (e) Nil

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I. THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Mech Engr Pl for an Italian Combat Group
CM/539/1
- (b) Amendment to existing WE
- (c) Not applicable

II. THE EFFECT OF THE PROPOSAL

- (a) Increases:-- ON (Driver 1/c- - one
lorry 3 ton 6 x 4 - one
Stores(Binned))
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Five
- (d) Overall increases (Italian personnel)
- (e) NIL
- (f) NIL

(g) Not applicable
(h) "

III. REASONS FOR THE PROPOSAL

Provision of a stores lorry omitted from original WE, essential for work of unit.

L.M. Ing...
for Major General H.M.I.A.

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FROM LAEB

TO EIGHTH ARMY, MIA

INFO 15 ARMY GROUP, 56 BLU, DISTONE, REAR EIGHTH ARMY, FIFTH ARMY,
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EIGHTH ARMY CABLE SD 2293 OF 06 MARCH NOT TO ALL (.) PRESENT SUBMISSION
OF THE AMENDMENTS FOR ITALIAN COMBAT GROUPS BY BLUS DIRECT TO MIA IS
CAUSING DISTURBANCE OF PROPOSALS AND WASTE OF TIME (.) INFORMATION TO
FIFTH ARMY FOR BRIT INCR SIGNED SIGNED CITE THCT (.) PROPOSALS FROM
BLUS WILL IN FUTURE BE SUBMITTED ONLY THROUGH ALL (.) FOR 15 ARMY
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11/14/14
A Priority Mail

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Company & establishment - information

No. of individuals employed (2)

How best to be reached (11/14/14) 51 2014
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U.S. in 11/14/14 Postal 1 cont. 146
11/14/14 for an Italian owned store.

1. Information received in 1965, from 11/14/14, my contact in February 1965. I have been advised that this should include communication independently for a specific establishment for group 53 members, as facility present information in particular the fact that this shop is not large enough to host several vehicles simultaneously.
2. This receipt reported establishment was a follow from the 11/14/14. It was noted which is that this job refers to the Italian army and others may be involved e.g. "about usual members" who translation an "internal established" which is that name "Italian". The internal layout was unrecognizable.
3. As the subject the radio was not encouraged on any or less actual ideas and having regard only to the total strength allowed. Certain communication items were also made, and as a rule the organization was functionally similar, but there remains the fact that the vehicle may be not large enough and it was more necessary to have additional Italian from other units, and possibly even employ civilian labor.
4. Lack of lack of the radio lead is not a satisfactory matter, because the the less certain members of the vehicle team under study currently the groups have been, have in general, been always too heavily allocated to give more close control job, than existing.
5. The information received establishment obtained cooperation to the organization as revealed in operations to German groups (which with the exception that the vehicle shop has been mentioned in normal working capacity by about 25 a party by members in numbers and partly by providing a better class of treatment (possibly). It should not be anticipated.

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Transition is done by DFHQ and in regard shall
+ paid to J. ...
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1. General

The 3 types of auxiliary trays in badly needed, and could be well instead of
the 100% of which there is less used.

2. General

The 3-4-5 and 4-4-4 auxiliary trays (shown below) in
necessary to the industry, and the industry should be to get the necessary.

3. General

In addition to the 5-5-5 tray it is necessary to make the working
fully useful, in the in possible all in transport has been pooled in a
transportation system that provides training and some of engineering maintenance.

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Personnel by Station

ITALIA

1	Operator Commodity	1st Sgt
1	Adjutant	
1	Chief Clerk	
3	clerk	
1	Interpreter	
2	Secretary	
1	Chief Clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
25	clerk	
3	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
4	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
2	clerk	
3	clerk	
3	clerk	

ITALIA

1	Operator Commodity	1st Sgt
1	Adjutant	
1	Chief Clerk	
3	clerk	
1	Interpreter	
2	Secretary	
1	Chief Clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
25	clerk	
3	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
4	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
1	clerk	
2	clerk	
3	clerk	
3	clerk	

PERSONNEL BY STATION

PERSONNEL BY STATION

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Item	Quantity	Description
1	1
2	1
3	1
4	1
5	1
6	1
7	1
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46	1
47	1
48	1
49	1
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Subject: Amendments to Special Equipment Lists.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

ARHQ/6500/5/127/3(AB)

19 Jan. '45

To DADME Land Forces Subcommission,
M.M.I.A.

Below is Amendment No. 2 to S.E.L. No. 127/1, published Sept. '44,
for A Mechanical Engineers Platoon for Italian Combat Group on W.E. NA/539/1.

Sheet 2. Section J.1.

After :-

Sheets, ground, unserviceable

Insert :-

JA 5597

Shelters, portable, No. 2, (complete)

Qty. 1.

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Subject Amendments to Special Equipment Lists.

ARMED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

AFHQ/AFCE/5/129/S(EE)

19 Jan. '45

To

Below is Amendment No. 1 to S.E.L. No. 129/1, published Sept. '44, for A Mechanical Engineers Workshop, for Italian Combat Group on W.E. NA/538/1.

Sheet 21. Section J.1.

Delete :-

JA 5594 Shelters, portable, No. 1, (complete) (a) Qty. 2.

and insert :-

JA 5597 Shelters, portable, No. 2, (complete) Qty. 2.

Delete footnote (a).

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
ROME

Tel: FREEDOM 503

ME A1/1605/1

Subject:- WE for IAD for Italian
Combat Group NA/540/1

9 Jan 45

To:- DADME MMIA

An error has been noted in the w/m establish-
ment.

Fitter (meccanici) - 3 should read
Veh Mech (meccanici autieri) - 3(a)

and a footnote (a) should be added which should read -

(a) In the case of LAD attached Arty Regts two
will be Fitters (meccanici).

To ensure correct distribution of personnel by
trades it is necessary for this amendment to be effected.
You should therefore initiate appropriate action through
Staff channels at your HQ.

K.A. McK. Randles
K.A. McK. RANDES, Lt-Col. ADME.,
for Major-General,
Director of Mechanical Engineering.

Copy to:- G-3 Org AFHQ
Q(AE) AFHQ

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SUBJECT: - Formation of New Units - REME

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
OR/1158/G-1(BR) (Ser. 1411)
17 Jan 45.

FIVE TRAINING INCREMENTS, REME (FOR GRUPPI DI COMBATTIMENTI)

1. (a) The under mentioned Increments will be formed as shown with effect from 20 Jan 45:-

Unit	W.E.	Serial No. allotted	Supervisory Authority
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)
Training Increment, REME att 50 BLU	NA/640/1	11753(b)	Br Increment Fifth (US) Army
-do-	-do-	11754(b)	HQ Eighth Army
-do-	-do-	11757(b)	HQ No.1 District
-do-	-do-	11758(b)	HQ Eighth Army
-do-	-do-	11997(b)	HQ No.3 District

(b) Copies of the W.E. will be distributed automatically by supervisory authorities. Additional copies, if required, may be obtained from No.1C Publications Depot. Indents should state that these copies are in addition to those received from supervisory authorities.

2. PERSONNEL

(i) Personnel to complete as far as possible to W.E. will be found from the following units, which will be disbanded as shown with effect from 20 Jan 45:-

Unit.	W.E.	Supervisor Authority
(i)	(ii)	(iii)
65 Hqs Wksp Type 'A'	III/204/3	HQ Rome Area Allied Comd
83 Hqs Wksp Type 'A' (less Telecomn Sec)	III/204/3	HQ No.3 District.
16 Lhs Wksp	VI/576/2	HQ Eighth Army
45 Lhs Wksp	III/210/3	HQ No.1 District.

(ii) Postings will be effected as follows:-

- (a) Officers - by G-1 (B), AFHQ.
 - (b) Other Ranks - by DAC GHQ 2nd Echelon
- } in conjunction with DME, AFHQ.

(b) Copies of the W.E. will be distributed automatically by supervisory authorities. Additional copies, if required, may be obtained from No. 10 Publications Depot. Incidents should state that these copies are in addition to those received from supervisory authorities.

2. PERSONNEL

(i) Personnel to complete as far as possible to W.E. will be found from the following units, which will be disbanded as shown with effect from 20 Jan 45:-

Unit.	W.E.	Supervisory Authority
(i)	(ii)	(iii)
65 Hqs Wksp Type 'A'	III/204/3	HQ Rome Area Allied Comd
83 Hqs Wksp Type 'A' (less Telecomn Sec)	III/204/3	HQ No. 3 District.
16 Lia. Wksp	VI/576/2	HQ Eighth Army
45 Lia. Wksp	III/210/3	HQ No. 1 District.

(ii) Postings will be effected as follows:-

- (a) Officers - by G-1 (B), AFHQ. } in conjunction with
- (b) Other Ranks - by DLG GHQ 2nd Echelon } DME, AFHQ.

3. CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT & TRANSPORT

(i) Incidents for the following will be submitted in accordance with instructions to be issued by supervisory authorities:-

- (a) Replacements of clothing, necessities and personal equipment to scale.
- (b) Unit equipment to scale A.F. G.1098-1000 (including anti-gas stores).
- (c) Any other special or technical equipment of Ordnance supply required additional to A.F. G.1098 scale, in accordance with Special Equipment List, issued by Q.(AE), AFHQ.
- (d) Transport to complete to W.E.

(ii) Existing equipment and transport of the units listed in para 2(i) above will be handed over as far as possible towards completion to scale.

Any such equipment or transport found unsuitable or surplus will be handed in to Ordnance in accordance with instructions to be issued by supervisory authorities. A list of all vehicles returned will be sent to Q. (AE), AFHQ, COM, and Q.(AE) 4, GHQ MEF, showing:-

- (a) U.D. Numbers
- (b) Type
- (c) Make
- (d) To whom returned.

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4. STATIONERY

- (a) Existing Stationery and Office Machinery of the units listed in para.2(i) above will be handed over as far as possible towards completion to scale. Office Machinery will be vouchered over on A.F.C.1033, copy vouchers to ADPSS, AFHQ.
- (b) Requirements to complete to scale (based on two months' estimated consumption) will be indented for as follows:-
 - (i) Army Forms, Books & Stationery (indent form A.F.L.1393) - to the nearest Stationery Depot (see GEO.377/44).
 - (ii) Publications (indent form A.F.L.1394) - to No.10 Publications Depot. (Indents to be endorsed 'Initial Demand').
 - (iii) Office Machinery (indent form A.F.L.1392) - to ADPSS, AFHQ.
- (c) Surplus will be disposed of as follows:-
 - (i) Army Forms, Books & Stationery - to the nearest Stationery Depot.
 - (ii) Publications (including file copies of GROs & AOs) to No.10 Publications Depot.
 - (iii) Office Machinery - to the nearest Stationery Depot (to be vouchered back on A.F.C.1033 - copy vouchers to ADPSS, AFHQ).

5. PAY

- (a) Increments will be paid by the unit to which attached.
- (b) Imprest & PRI accounts of the units listed in para.2(i) above will be closed and forwarded to the Command Paymaster, No.8 Command Pay Office. Any balances of cash from Imprest account will be handed in to the nearest Area or Fd Cashier. Recremental Funds will be disposed of in accordance with AOI. 1394/44.

6. POSTAL

- (a) Postal address will be :- The Increment, REME, att ----- BLU, CMF.
- (b) Attention is directed to GEO. 683/43.

7. COMPLETION

- (a) Supervisory authorities will report to G.L.(B), AFHQ, copy to DME, AFHQ, when formations and disbandments are complete.
- (b) Disbandments will be completed by 7 Feb 45.

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... opportunity - to the nearest Stationery Depot (to be vouchered back on A.F.G. 1033 - copy vouchers to ADPSS, AFHQ).

- 5. PAY
 - (a) Increments will be paid by the unit to which attached.
 - (b) Imprest & PRI accounts of the units listed in para. 2(i) above will be closed and forwarded to the Command Paymaster, No. 8 Command Pay Office. Any balances of cash from Imprest account will be handed in to the nearest Army or FA Cashier. Recessional Funds will be disposed of in accordance with AOI. 1394/44.

- 6. POSTAL
 - (a) Postal address will be :- Try Increment, REME, att ----- BLU. CME.
 - (b) Attention is directed to GHO. 683/43.

- 7. COMPLETION
 - (a) Supervisory authorities will report to G.L.(B), AFHQ, copy to DME, AFHQ, when formations and disbandments are complete.
 - (b) Disbandments will be completed by 7 Feb 45.

8. ACK

P. S. Min H. Cloud

Supremo Allied Commander,
Mediterranean Theatre.

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10 January 1945

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-3 DIVISION.

FILE NO : ASD/922(M)

SUBJECT : Move of FRIULI, CREMONA, LEGNANO and
FOLGORE Italian Combat Groups

TO : All Concerned.

1. As FRIULI and CREMONA Italian Combat Groups are to move into the line on or after 15 Jan., and as LEGNANO and FOLGORE Italian Combat Groups will move into locations at present occupied by FRIULI and CREMONA respectively, on or after 25 Jan, will you please state which Italian Auxiliary Units will be required to move:

- a. with FRIULI Group to FIFTH ARMY (Br.Inc) area.
- b. with CREMONA Group to EIGHTH ARMY area.
- c. with LEGNANO Group to RADDA area.
- d. with FOLGORE Group to ASCOLI - TERAMO area.

2. The following units are at present with FRIULI Group:

- 1 Fd Pk Coy
- 181 Tech Maint Sec
- 316 and 317 Fd Bakeries
- 130 FSU
- 316 Carabinieri Sec

3. The following unit is at present with CREMONA Group:

- 44 FSU

4. FRIULI and CREMONA Groups will be engaged in defensive operations. LEGNANO and FOLGORE Groups will be engaged in operational training. MANTOVA Group will remain in the L of C area for further equipment and training.

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- a. with FRIULI Group to FIFTH ARMY (Pr.Inc) area.
- b. with CREMONA Group to EIGHTH ARMY area.
- c. with LEGNANO Group to RADDA area.
- d. with FOIGORE Group to ASCOLI - TERAIO area.

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5. The following is the disposition of BRITISH units attached to Combat Groups:

With FRIULI Group:

- 70 ORs (arty)
- 45 LAA Wksp
- 54 Training Inc

With CREMONA Group:

- 16 LAA Wksp
- 55 Training Inc

With LEGNANO GROUP:

- 65 HAA Wksp
- "C" Training Inc

With FOIGORE Group:

- 83 HAA Wksp
- "D" Training Inc

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- 6. Will you please state whether above British personnel will remain attached to Groups as shown, for current moves.
- 7. Will Q(AE) please say:
 - a. whether wksp personnel are to be provided for MANTOVA Group
 - b. whether there are now in existence Ord teams to be moved with each Group.
- 8. It is requested that replies be forwarded through appropriate Staff Sections as soon as possible.
- 9. The Order of Battle of Auxiliary Units is shown in this HQ letter, file ref. ASD/922.5 dated 20 Dec. '44.

For Co. Sgt. F. Train
 For DANIEL NOCE, 1st Col
 Major General, G.S.C.,
 Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3.

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Richard F. ...
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Subject:- TRAINING OF LEMMO, POLSKE & MANTOVA COMBAT GROUPS.

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3 District.
Tel: Ext 96.
3021 EHE.
13 Dec. 1944.

To:- DDI 1 Dist. (5)
Copy to:- DDI 52 Dist. (2)
DDI 57 Dist. (2)
DDI 53 Dist. (2)
DDI 54 Dist. (2)

1. LEMMO and POLSKE Divisions supervised by 52 and 53 D.I. Ua respectively are now urgently requiring the Initial Cadres of 45 LAA W/Shop. and 37 LAA W/Shop. These Units were sent forward with 50 and 51 D.I. Ua respectively and the intention was that they should be used to assist in training all the various combat groups. If it would cause serious embarrassment to release the complete Workings at present, it is requested that you make up two small Cadres as under and route them as early as possible to the E.M. Co 52 and 53 D. I. U :-

- | | | | |
|------|---|-------|---|
| 1/54 | Ant. Ar. Veh. or Sgt. Veh. Mech. | ..... | 1 |
| 1/54 | Ant. Ar. Veh. Mech. | ..... | 1 |
| | Vehicle Mechanics. | ..... | 5 |
| | Electricians (V and P). | ..... | 1 |
| | Instrument Mechanics. | ..... | 1 |
| | Trayer Mechanics. | ..... | 3 |
| | Drivers L.S. | ..... | 2 |
| | Car 5 and 1, or 4 | ..... | 2 |
| | Lorry 3 and G.S.) transport to High
Persuasiol. | | 1 |

2. The 45 LAA Workings party should be instructed to report to MS 52 D.I. U. at HULLOZIMO, (M/A. 2,490) and the 37 LAA Workings party should be instructed to report to MS 53 D.I. U at TRESSE (M/A. N.491).

3. MANTOVA Division will be requiring assistance very shortly and it will be appreciated if you can say when you can release the remaining personnel and vehicles of these two Workings.

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5/84	Antibomb. Vch. or Sgt. Tech. Tech.	1
5/84	Antibomb. Tech.	1
	Vehicle Mechanics	5
	Electricians (V and P)	.....	1
	Instrument Mechanics	.....	1
	Driver Mechanics	.....	3
	Drivers T.O.	.....	2
	Call 3 and 4 } Or suitable alternative		2
	Lorry 3 and C.S. } transport to flight		1
		personnel.	

2. The 45 IAA Workshops party should be instructed to report to MSB 52 D.L.U. at WASHINGTON, (A/A. 3,4990) and the 37 IAA Workshop party should be instructed to report to MSB 53 D.L.U. at TAMMERS (A/A. N.4,01).
3. MAMOVA Division will be requiring assistance very shortly and it will be appreciated if you can say when you can release the remaining personnel and vehicles of these two Workshops.

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IBLN/cao.

(M.S.L. WILLIAMS) MAJOR.
FCI COLONEL, DEAC.

68 days in ... (13/11/11) (16/11/11)

MSB 52 D.L.U. (Washington)

MSB 53 D.L.U. (Tammars)

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(iii) Transport

Motor cycles, solo	2
Cars, 5-cwt, 4 x 4	5
Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2	3
Car, 4-seater, 4 x 4	1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	4
Water trailer, 250 gallons	1
For rear link signals	
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.	1
Trucks, 15-cwt, wireless house	2
Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1

(a) This appointment may be filled by an Indian Army officer on Indian Army pay and allowances when the Gruppo di Combattimenti is employed in conjunction with an Indian formation.

(b) Includes 1 lance-serjeant.

NOTES

1. A general staff officer, 2nd grade, will be attached from Headquarters, Army sub-commission for liaison duties.
2. Drivers, batmen, pecks and orderlies are provided from the Italian increment to the British liaison unit.

Subject to War Office approval

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AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A
BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
(for Gruppo di Combattimenti) NORTH AFRICA

(Italian Army Personnel)

War Establishment

(i) Personnel

DETAIL	Officers	Warrant Officers Class I	Warrant Officers Class II	Staff-Serjeants	Serjeants	Corporals	Lance-Corporals	Privates	Total
Officer Commanding (Lieutenant) (a)	1								1
Duty N.C.O.						1			1
Interpreters						2			2
General Dutymen							1	3	3
Drivers I.C.								12	13
Batmen								5	5
Cooks for								1	1
Officers Mess								1	1
Serjeants' Mess								2	2
Rank & File Mess									
Total, an Italian Incr to British liaison unit (for Gruppo di Combattimenti)	1					3	1	24	29

(a) Must be able to speak English

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AN ITALIAN C.S. BATTALION
(Italian Army Personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT

(a) Personnel

DETAIL	WAR ESTABLISHMENT														Total, on Italian C.S. Battalion		
	1st section	2nd section	3rd section	4th section	5th section	6th section	7th section	8th section	9th section	10th section	11th section	12th section	13th section	14th section			
Lieutenant-colonel	1																1
Majors	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	14
Captains	7	5	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	31
Lieutenants	3	1	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	19
2nd lieutenants	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4
Total, officers	14	8	5	4	6	4	4	4	4	5	2	3	3	3	3	2	69
Warrant officers, class I	4	28	5	4	6	2	2	2	1	1	3	1	5	2	4	3	69
Warrant officers, class II	17	24	12	17	8	9	6	6	5	5	3	13	20	25	17	9	186
Total, warrant officers	21	52	17	21	14	11	6	6	6	6	6	14	25	27	21	12	255
Staff-serjeants	7	23	8	12	12	8	5	14	3	6	15	12	10	8	4	4	147
Serjeants	7	6	14	11	4	5	4	7	1	6	14	8	10	6	4	4	107
Total, staff-serjeants and serjeants	14	29	22	23	16	13	9	21	4	12	29	20	20	14	8	8	254
Corporals	4	7	1	11	7	6	1	3									43
General dutymen (lance-drivers	18	34	38	43	14	25	8	8	3	10	15	15	11	8	28	3	267
corporals)	20	8	6	6	6	8	3	1	2	6	5	7	7	6			93
Cooks (privates)	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
Drivers	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Total, rank and file	43	49	45	62	27	39	6	18	3	16	23	22	18	14	31	31	422
Total, other ranks	83	100	65	106	57	63	21	45	13	42	77	69	59	40	41	41	931

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14	8	5	4	6	4	4	5	2	3	3	3	3	2	69
4	23	5	4	6	2		1	3	1	5	2	4	3	69
17	24	12	17	8	2	6	5	3	13	20	25	17	9	186
21	52	17	21	14	11	6	6	6	14	25	27	21	12	255
7	23	8	12	12	8	5	14	3	6	15	12	10	8	147
7	6	14	11	4	5	4	7	1	6	14	8	10	6	107
14	29	22	23	16	13	9	21	4	12	29	20	20	14	254
4	7	1	11	7	6	1	3							43
18	34	38	43	14	25		8		10	15	15	11	8	267
20	8	6	6	6	8	3		2	6	8	7	7	6	73
2		1	1				1	1						7
4			1				6							12
48	48	46	62	27	39	6	18	3	16	23	22	18	14	422
83	130	65	106	57	63	21	45	13	42	77	69	59	41	931
97	136	90	110	63	67	25	50	15	45	80	72	62	43	1006
(ii) Transport (a)														
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	28
4							1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
2	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	1	1	3	1	3	1	21
6	1	1	1	1	1	4	5	1	2	3	2	3	1	32

Total, officers
 Warrant officers, class I
 Warrant officers, class II
 Total, warrant officers
 Staff-serjeants
 Serjeants
 Total, staff-serjeants and serjeants
 Cornorals
 General dutymen) (lance-
 Drivers) corporals)
 Cooks) (privates)
 Drivers)
 Total, rank and file
 Total, other ranks
 Total, an Italian C.S. battalion

Motor-cycles, solo
 Trucks, 30-cwt
 Public utilities, 8-cwt
 Total, vehicles

(a) All motor-cycles, solo and vehicles will be Italian.

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Offrs (Ufficiali)	28
ORs. (Sottuff e truppo)	113
Total (Totale)	141
TCs. (motocicli)	10
Vchs. (veicoli)	19
Trailers (Trattrici)	-

HEADQUARTERS, AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Comando, Gruppo Combattenti Italiano)

(Italian Army Personnel)

(Personale delle Arme Italiane)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(i) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters staff (Comando Ufficiali)	Headquarters platoon (Comando platoon)	M.T. section (Sezione M.P.)	Post office (Posta)	Equipment unit for ordnance dump	Total, headquarters on Italian combat group (Totale comando e gruppo combattenti Italiano)
Commander (major-general) (Comandanti (maggiore generale))	1					1
Lieutenant-captain (captain or lieutenant) (Aiutanti maggiore (capitano o tenente))	1					1
STAFF						
Chief of Staff (colonel or lieutenant-colonel) (Capo di stato maggiore (colonnello o tenente-colonnello))	1					1
Operations and intelligence section (Sezione informazione e operazione)						
Chief of section (lieutenant-colonel or major) (Capo (tenente-colonnello o maggiore))	1					1
Staff officers (any arm) (Aiutanti di stato maggiore (qualsunque unite))	7					7

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1	1	Commander (major-general) (Comandanti (maggiore generale))
1	1	Side-camp (captain or lieutenant) (Aiutanti maggiore (capitano o tenente))
		STAFF
1	1	Chief of Staff (colonel or lieutenant-colonel) (Capo di stato maggiore (colonnello o tenente-colonnello))
		<u>Operations and intelligence section</u> (Sezione informazione e operazioni)
1	1	Chief of section (lieutenant-colonel or major) (Capo (tenente-colonnello o maggiore))
7	7	Staff officers (any arm) (Aiutanti di stato maggiore (qualunque unite))
		<u>Personnel section</u> (Sezione personale)
1	1	Chief of section (lieutenant-colonel or major) (Capo (tenente colonnello o maggiore))
2	2	Staff officers (Aiutanti di stato maggiore)
2	2	Interpreters (Interpreti)
		<u>Commissariat</u> (Commissariato)
1	1	Chief of section (lieutenant-colonel or major) (Capo (tenente-colonnello o maggiore))
1	1	Captain (capitano)
1	1	Subaltern (subalterno)
		<u>Medical services</u> (Servizio di Sanita)
1	1	Director (lieutenant-colonel or major) (Direttore (tenente-colonnello o maggiore))
1	1	Staff officer (captain or lieutenant) (Ufficiali superiori (capitano o tenente))

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HEADQUARTERS AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Comando, Gruppo Combattenti Italiano)

AIR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel - continued (Personale - continuazione)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	HEADQUARTERS STAFF (Comando ufficiali)						HEADQUARTERS PLATOON (Comando plotone)	I.F. SECTION (Sezione I.F.)	POST OFFICE (Posta)	EQUIPMENT UNIT FOR ORDNANCE DUMP	Total, headquarters an Italian combat group (Totale, gruppo combattenti italiano)
	HEADQUARTERS STAFF (Comando ufficiali)	HEADQUARTERS PLATOON (Comando plotone)	I.F. SECTION (Sezione I.F.)	POST OFFICE (Posta)	EQUIPMENT UNIT FOR ORDNANCE DUMP	Total, headquarters an Italian combat group (Totale, gruppo combattenti italiano)					
<u>Medical services - continued</u>	21	3		3	1	28					
Majors or captains (Maggiori o capitani)		1		1	1	3					
Captains or subalterns (Capitani o subalterni)		2		2		4					
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)											
Clerks and draughtsmen (Scritturali e disegnatori)		20			3	23					
Clerks for pay and accounts (Scritturali contabile)		4				4					
Cooks (Cuochi)		4				4					
Drivers, I.C. (Autisti)				22		22					
General duty men (servizi generali)		12				12					
Mess orderlies (attendenti)		3				3					
Motor-cyclists (motociclisti)				10		10					
Transport serjeant (serjenti trasporti)		1				1					
Orderlies (ordinanze)		28				28					
Storemen (magazzinieri)											
Stretcher bearers (porta feriti)		2			4	4					

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	21	3	3	1	28
	20			3	23
	4				4
	4				4
	12	22			22
	3				12
	10				13
	1				10
	28				1
				4	28
	2				4
	73	33		7	2
					113
	21	76	33	3	8
					141

Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)

Clerks and draughtsmen (Scrivitturali o disegnatore)

Clerks for pay and accounts (Scrivitturali contabilita)

Cooks (Cocchi)

Drivers, I.C. (Autisti)

General dutymen (servizi-general)

Mess orderlies (attendenti)

Motor-cyclists (motociclisti)

Transport serjeant (serjenti trasporti)

Orderlies (ordinanze)

Storemen (magazzinieri)

Stretcher bearers (porta feriti)

Total, other ranks (Totale, truppe)

Total, headquarters an Italian combat group. (Totale, commando gruppo combattenti Italiano)

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

Motor-cycles, solo (motociclette monoposta)

Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2 (auto, 2 posti, 4 x 2)

Cars, 4-seater, 4 x 2 (Auto, 4 posti, 4 x 2)

Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.)

Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water (autocarri, 15-cwt, acqua)

Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, office (autocarri, 15-cwt, ufficio)

Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri da 3-tonn, 4 x 2, G.S.)

Car, race (auto)

Total, vehicles (Totale, veicoli)

10

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4 PROVOST SECTION (C.C.R.R.) FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
Sezione polizia (C.C.R.R.) per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano.)

(Consisting of headquarters, 2 foot squads, and 1 motor-cycle squad.)
(Consistente di comando, 2 squadre a piede e 1 squadra motocicliste)

(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	2 foot squads (each)	(2 squads & plods (placemo))	1 motor-cycle squad	(1 squad motociclisti))	Total (Totale)
Officer commanding (subaltern) (Comandante (subalterno)) Subaltern (subalterno)	1					1
Subaltern (subalterno)	1					1
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	2					2
Warrant officer Squad leaders (serjeants) (comandanti di squadra (sergenti))	1	1		1		3
Clerk for pay duties (serjeant) (Scritturale servizi paga (sergente))	1					1
Corporals (Caporali) Privates (Truppa) Subaltern Drivers etc.	(a) 6	2 11		(b) 1 (b) 13		5 41
Total, other ranks (Totale, compresi sott'ufficiali)	8	14		15		50
Total, provost section (C.C.R.R.) for an Italian combat group (Totale, sezione di polizia (C.C.R.R.) per un gruppo combattente Italiano)	9	14		15		52

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~~Commandante (subalterno)~~
Squad leader (serjeant)

Total, officers (totale, ufficiali)

Squad leaders (serjeants)
(Comandanti di squadra (sergenti))
Clerk for pay duties (serjeant)
(Scritturale servizi paga (sergente))
Corporals (corporals)
Privates (truppe) ~~Subalterni~~

Total, other ranks (totale, compressi sott'ufficiali)

Total, provost section (G.C.R.R.) for an Italian combat group
(Totale, sezione di polizia (G.C.R.R.) per un gruppo combattente Italiano)

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

Motor-cycles, solo (motociclisti, monoposto)
Car, 2-seater, 4 x 2 (auto, 2 posti, 4 x 2)
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.
(Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.)
Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.
(Autocarro, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)

Total, vehicles (totale, veicoli)

(c) Includes 2 motor-cyclists.
(Inclusi 2 motociclisti)

(b) Motor-cyclists (motociclisti)

1				1
+				1
2				2
1		1	1	3
1		2	(b)1	1
(e)6	11	14	(b)13	5
				41
8	14	15		50
9	14	15		52
		13		14
1	1	1		1
1				3
1				1
2	1	1		5

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AN ARTILLERY REGIMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Un Reggimento d'Artiglieria per un Gruppo di Combattimento Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(Organico di Guerra)

(i) Personnel (personale)

DETAILED (Descrizione)	Regimental headquarters (Comando reggimento)	4 Batteries x 25 pdr. (4 Gruppi x 25 pdr.)	1 Battery x 17 pdr. (1 Gruppo x 17 pdr.)	1 Battery x 40 mm. (1 Gruppo x 40 mm.)	Total (totale)
Officer commanding (colonel or lieutenant-colonel) (Comandante (Colonnello o tenente Colonnello))	1				1
Adjutant (major or captain) (Aiutante maggiore (maggiore o capitano))	1				1
Survey officer (ufficiale di rilevamento)	1				1
Quartermaster (ufficiale di rifornimenti)	1				1
Medical officers (ufficiale medico)	1				1
Administrative officer (ufficiale amministrazione)	1				1
Chaplain (cappellano)	1				1
Lieutenant-colonels or majors (tenente-colonnello o maggiore)	1	1	1	1	4
Captains or subalterns (capitani o subalterni)	1	2	1	2	6
Subalterns (subalterni)	2	3	1	4	10
		2 Troops (each) (2 Batterie (ciascuna))	2 Troops (each) (2 Batterie (ciascuna))	2 Troops (each) (2 Batterie (ciascuna))	
		Battery headquarters (Gruppo comando)	Battery headquarters (Gruppo comando)	Battery headquarters (Gruppo comando)	
		Total battery (Totale Gruppo)	Total battery (Totale Gruppo)	Total battery (Totale Gruppo)	
					3
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Officer commanding (colonel or lieutenant-colonel)	1																			1
Commandante (Colonnello o tenente Colonnello)	1																			1
Adjutant (major or captain)	1																			1
Adjutante maggiore (maggiore o capitano)	1																			1
Survy officer (ufficiale di rilevamento)	1																			7
Quartermaster (ufficiale di rifornimenti)	1																			1
Medical officers (ufficiali medico)	1																			1
Administrative officer (ufficiale amministrazione)	1																			1
Chaplain (cappellano)	1																			6
Lieutenant-colonels or majors (tenente-colonnello o maggiore)	1																			24
Captains or subalterns (capitani o subalterni)	5																			50
Subalterns (subalterni)																				
Total, officers (totale ufficiali)	11	7	4	13	5	2	9	5	4	13	5	4	13	5	4	13	5	4	13	93
Warrant officers (marescialli)	1																			7
Sergeants (sergenti)																				36
Sergeants for - (sergenti per)																				10
M.T. (M.T.)	2																			1
Ammunition (munizioni)	1																			5
Gunnery (cannoni)	1																			12
Signals (collegamenti)	1																			19
Pay and accounts (paga e contabilita)	1																			
Total, warrant officers and sergeants	7	6	5	16	4	4	12	5	5	15	5	5	15	5	5	15	5	5	15	98
(Totale, marescialli e sergenti)																				

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AN ARTILLERY REGIMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Un Reggimento d'Artiglieria per un Gruppo di Combattimento Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (Organico di Guerra)

(1) Personnel - continued
(personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Residential headquarters (comando residente)		4 Batteries x 25 pdr. (4 gruppi x 25 pdr.)		1 Battery x 17 pdr. (1 gruppo x 17 pdr.)		1 Battery x 40 mm. (1 gruppo x 40 mm.)		Total (totale)
	Battery headquarters (gruppo comando)	2 Troops (each) (2 batterie (ciascuna))	Total battery (totale gruppo)	Battery headquarters (gruppo comando)	2 Troops (each) (2 batterie (ciascuna))	Total battery (totale gruppo)	Battery headquarters (gruppo comando)	2 Troops (each) (2 batterie (ciascuna))		Total battery (totale gruppo)
Ammunition storemen (munizioni magazzinieri)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Clerks (corporals) (scritturali (caporali))	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Draughtsmen and clerks (disegnatori e scritturali)	20	6	42	6	12	12	9	14	261
Drivers (antisti)	5	3	5	5	1	1	5	5	24
Driver operators (antisti operatori)	11	6	12	2	4	2	5	5	46
Motor cyclists (motociclisti)									16
Fitters, gun (montatori cannoni)									88
General duty men (including cooks) (servizi generali (inclusi cuochi))			6	6	4	4	5	5	36
Gun Nos. 1 (cannoni numerari 1)			3	3	3	3	3	3	330
Gun numbers (numerari cannoni)			24	48	24	48	48	48	66
L.M.G. numbers (numerari L.M.G.)			4	12	4	12	4	4	15
Medical orderlies (soldati di sanità)	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	2
Stretcher bearers (porta feriti)	2	4	4	4	1	1	1	1	68
Survey personnel (personale di rilevamento)	12	4	14	14	1	1	1	1	6
Trumpeter (trombettiere)			1	1	1	1	1	1	3
Wireless operators (telegrafisti)	4	16	36	36	4	4	8	4	180
Orderlies and batmen (piantoni e attendenti)	7	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	17

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	5	5	1	7	4	4	4	5	5	19	52
cars, 2-seater 4 x 2 (auto, 2-posti 4 x 2)	2	2	1	4	3	1	5	2	2	6	29
Cars, 4-seater 4 x 2 (auto, 4-posti 4 x 2)	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	4	7
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.	6	1	2	5	3	2	7	2	1	4	37
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	8
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water											
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, acqua)	1	1									1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, office											1
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, ufficio)	1	1									1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, personnel											
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, personale)	1	2	2	6				1	1	1	26
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, fitted for wireless											
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, completo col telegrafo senza fili)	5	7	8	7	2	2	6	3	3	9	48
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 G.S.											
(autocarri, 3-ton 4 x 2 G.S.)				16	1	1	1	1	1	1	65
Trailers, artillery (carrello, artiglieria)											
Trailer, 15-cwt, 2-wheeled, water, 180 gallons											
(carrello, 15-cwt, 2-wheeled, water 180 gallons)											
Tractor, A.Tk (carrello, A.Tk)											9
Tractor, F.A. (carrello, F.A.)											46
Tractor, L.A.A. (carrello, L.A.A.)											12
Trailers, universal (carrelli, universal)											3
Cars, recon (auto)	1	1	1	3							12

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AN INFANTRY REGIMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP (Excluding Infantry Battalions)
 (Regimento di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

(For an infantry battalion see NA/527/1)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters company (Compagnia commando)	Mortar company (Compagnia mortai)	6-pdr gun company (Compagnia cannone 6-pdr)	Total, Infantry Regiment (excluding Inf Regt)
Commanding officer (colonel) (Comandante (colonnello))	1			1
Second-in-command (lieutenant-colonel) (Vice comandante (tenente colonnello))	1			1
Adjutant (lieutenant colonel or major) (Aiutante maggiore (tenente colonnello o maggiore))	1			1
Senior officers for general duties (Ufficiale superiore per servizio general)	1			1
Senior officer for legal duties (Ufficiale superiore per servizio legale)	1			1
Regimental headquarters staff				
	Headquarters platoon (Platoon commando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon commando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon commando)	
	Duty platoon (Platoon di servizio)			
	L.P. platoon (Platoon L.P.)			
	Total, headquarters company (Totale, compagnia commando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon commando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon commando)	
		2 mortar platoons (each) (Platoon commando)	4 gun platoons (each) (Platoon commando)	
		2 platoon mortar (ciascuno)	4 platoon cannon (ciascuno)	
		Total, mortar company (Totale, compagnia mortai)	Total, gun company (Totale, compagnia cannoni)	
				Total, Infantry Regiment (excluding Inf Regt)

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Regimento (Regiment)	Headquarter (Platoon)	Duty platoon (Platoon)	L.T. platoon (Platoon)	Total, headquarter (Totale, headquarter)	Headquarter (Platoon)	2 mortar (Platoon)	2 platoon (Platoon)	Total, mortar (Totale, mortar)	Headquarter (Platoon)	1 gun platoon (Platoon)	Total, gun platoon (Totale, gun platoon)	Total, 2 mortar (Totale, 2 mortar)	Total, 1 gun platoon (Totale, 1 gun platoon)	Total, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon (Totale, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon)	Total, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon + 2 mortar (Totale, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon + 2 mortar)	Total, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon + 2 mortar + 2 platoon (Totale, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon + 2 mortar + 2 platoon)	Total, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon + 2 mortar + 2 platoon + 1 gun platoon (Totale, 2 mortar + 1 gun platoon + 2 mortar + 2 platoon + 1 gun platoon)
Commanding officer (colonel) (Comandante (colonnello))	1																
Second-in-command (lieutenant-colonel) (Vice comandante (tenente colonnello))	1																
Adjutant (lieutenant colonel or major) (Aiutante maggiore (tenente colonnello o maggiore))	1																
Senior officer for general duties (Ufficiale superiore per servizio generale)	1																
Senior officer for legal duties (Ufficiale superiore per servizio legale)	1																
Quartermaster (captain or lieutenant) (Ufficiale ai rifornimenti (capitano o tenente))	1																
Intelligence officer (captain or lieutenant) (Ufficiale informatore (capitano o tenente))	1																
Medical officer (captain or lieutenant) (Ufficiale medico (capitano o tenente))	1																
M.T. officer (captain or lieutenant) (Ufficiale M.T. (capitano o tenente))	1																
Administrative officer (captain or lieutenant) (Ufficiale amministrativo (capitano o tenente))	1																
Chaplain (capellano) Majors or captains (maggiori o capitani) Subalterns (subalterni)		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	11	2	1	1	4	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	1	2	1	6	24

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SHEET NO. 2.

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AN INFANTRY REGIMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP.
(Reggimento di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

ARMY ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(i) personnel (personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Regimental headquarters staff (Reparto comando)		Headquarters company (Compagnia comando)		Mortar company (Compagnia mortai)		6-pdr gun company (Compagnia cannone 6-pdr)		Total, Infantry Regiment (excluding Infantry battalions). (Totale, reggimento fanteria)
	Headquarters platoon (Platone comando)	Duty platoon (Platone di servizio)	M.T. platoon (Platone M.T.)	Total, headquarters company (Totale, compagnia comando)	Headquarters platoon (Platone comando)	2 mortar platoons (each) (2 platoni mortai (ciascuno))	Headquarters platoon (Platone comando)	4 gun platoons (each) (4 platoni cannoni (ciascuno))	
Warrant officers (marescialli)	2			2					2
Sergeants for (sergenti per) - pay and accounts (paga e contabilita)		1		1					1
Rations (razioni)			3	3					3
Trumpeter sergeant (sergente trombettieri)	1		1	1					1
Sergeants (or company sergeant-majors) (Sergenti (o sergenti-maggiore))	3	1		4	1	5	2	4	33
Total, warrant officers and sergeants (Totale, marescialli o sergenti)	6	2	3	11	1	5	3	4	41
Corporals (caporali)	7	6	7	20	8	5	6	7	72
Privates (soldati)	17	20	33	70	22	22	29	20	245
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	24	26	40	90	30	27	35	27	317
Total, other ranks (Totale, compresi i sott'ufficiali)	30	28	43	101	31	32	38	31	358

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AN INFANTRY REGIMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COLT GROUP

(Regimento di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties - continued

(Distribuzione di servizio per i graduati e la truppa - continue)

Regimental headquarters staff (Reparto comando)	Headquarters company (Compagnia comando)		3" mortar company (Compagnia mortar 3")		6-pdr gun company (Compagnia cannone 6-pdr)		Total, Infantry Regiment (excluding Infantry battalions), (Totale, reggimento di fanteria)
	Duty platoon (Platoon di servizio)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	
General duty men (includes 3 corporals) (Servizi generali (inclusi 3 caporali))	10	4	14	1	1	2	17
Signaller (includes 2 corporals) (Telefonisti linee aeree (inclusi 2 caporali))							2
Gun numbers (includes 24 corporals) (Cannonieri (inclusi 24 caporali))							1
Medical orderlies (corporals) (Infermieri (caporali))	1		1	1	1	1	4
Stretcher bearers (porta barellieri) (Stretcher bearers (porta barellieri))				3	3	3	6
Mortar men (includes 6 corporals) (Mortaiari (inclusi 6 caporali))				12	24	24	24
Orderlies (pilotoni) (Orderlies (pilotoni))				2	2	2	2
Pay and accounts corporals (Caporali per paga e contabilita)	1		1	1	1	1	3
Rifle men and L...G. numbers (includes 2 corporals) (Fucilieri e truppa L...G. (inclusi 2 caporali))						6	6
Signallers (corporals) (Caporali di collegamento)							1
Signallers (privates) (Truppa di collegamento)	1						1
Telephonist linesmen (includes 2 corporals) (Telefonisti linee aeree (inclusi 2 caporali))	3						3
							7
							8

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(Descrizioni)

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Regimental headquarters (Raporto comando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	Duty platoon (Platoon di servizio)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon H.Q.)	Total, headquarters company (Totale, compagnia comando)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	2 mortar platoons (each 2 platoon mortar) (Totale, compagnia morta)	Headquarters platoon (Platoon comando)	4 gun platoons (each 4 platoon cannon) (Totale, compagnia cannon)	Total, infantry regiment (Total, Infantry battalions)	Total, regiment of Infantry (Totale, reggimento di Infantry battalions)	
General duty men (includes 3 corporals) (Servizi generali (inclusi 3 caporali))		10	4	14	1	1	2	2	17	17	
Cominetrists											
Gun numbers (includes 24 corporals) (Canonieri (inclusi 24 caporali))		1		1	1	3	1	1	4	4	
Medical orderlies (corporals) (Attendenti scintori (corporali))				1	1	1	1	1	3	3	
Stretcher bearers (porta barellii)					3	3	3	3	6	6	
Mortar men (3") (includes 3 corporals) Orderlies (picotoni)					2	24			24	24	
Pay and accounts corporals (Caporali per paga e contabilita)		1		1	1	1	1	1	3	3	
Riflemen and L.M.S. numbers (includes 2 corporals) (Fucilieri e truppe L.M.S. (inclusi 2 caporali))							6	6	6	6	
Signallers (corporals) (Caporali di collegamento)	1		1	1					1	1	
Signallers (privates) (Truppa di collegamento)	3		3	3		4			7	7	
Telephonist linesmen (includes 2 corporals) (Telefonisti e porta linee (inclusi 2 caporali))					4	4	4	4	8	8	
Wireless operators (corporals) (Telegrafisti (corporali))	1		1	1		3			4	4	
Wireless operators (privates) (Telegrafisti (truppa))	3		3	3		3			6	6	
Total, rear and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	24	26	40	90	30	27	84	55	27	143	317
(iii) Transport											
Motor-cycles, solo (motociclette)		8									
Cars, 2-seater, 4x2 (auti, 2-posti, 4x2)			2	10	1	1	2	1	6	19	
Cars, 4-seater, 4x2 (auti, 4-posti, 4x2)			2	2	1	1	1	1	4	4	
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4x2, GS (autocarri)			11	11	2	1	6	1	10	25	
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4x2, water (autocarri, acqua)			1	1					1	1	
Truck, office (autocarri, ufficio)			1	1					1	1	
Lorries, 3-ton, 4x2, GS (autocarri, 3-ton)			12	12	1	4	2	6	26	26	
Carriers, mortar (carelli, mortaia)											
Carriers, Loyd (carelli)											
Total, vehicles			29	29	4	5	14	9	7	37	80
Trailers, GS (autocarri)			2	2							
Total, vehicles											9770

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HEADQUARTERS, AN ENGINEER BATTALION FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Comando, un battaglione del genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Designed to command two field companies and one signal company)

(Fatto per comandare due compagnie da campi e una compagnia di collegamento)

(Italian Army personnel)
WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

Officer commanding (lieutenant-colonel)	1
(Comandante (tenente colonnello))	
Adjutant (captain) (aiuto maggiore (capitano))	1
Field engineer (captain) (arclutetto (capitano))	1
Subalterns (subalterni)	2
Medical officer (ufficiale medico)	1
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Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	6
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Warrant officers, class II (marescialli classe II)	2
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Corporals (corporali)	3
Privates (soldati)	11
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Total, rank and file (totale, graduati e soldati)	14
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Total, other ranks (totale, compresi i sott: ufficiali)	16
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Total, headquarters, an engineer battalion for an Italian combat group (Totale, comando un battaglione del Genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)	22
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Officer commanding (lieutenant-colonel)	1
(Comandante (tenente colonnello))	
Adjutant (captain) (aiuto maggiore (capitano))	1
Field engineer (captain) (arcolutetto (capitano))	1
Subalterns (subalterni)	2
Medical officer (ufficiale medico)	1
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Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	6
Warrant officers, class II (marescialli classe II)	2
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Corporals (caporali)	3
Privates (soldati)	11
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Total, rank and file (totale, graduati e soldati)	14
Total, other ranks (totale, compresi i sott: ufficiali)	16
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Total, headquarters, an engineer battalion for an Italian combat group (Totale, comando un battaglione del Genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)	22

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties (Distribuzione di lavori e servizi dei graduati e truppa)

Clerks (scritturali)	2
Draughtsman (disegnatore)	1
Drivers (autisti)	5
General dutymen (servizi generali)	3
Medical orderly (aiutante di sanità)	1
Batmen (attendenti)	2
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Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	14
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(iii) Transport (Trasporto)	
Motor cycle, solo (motociclette)	1
Cars, 4 seater 4 x 4 (auto 4 posti 4 x 4)	1
Trucks, 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S. (autocarri 15 cwt x 2)	2
Lorry, 3 ton 4 x 4 G.S. (autocarro 3 ton x 4 G.S.)	1

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A FIELD COMPANY FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Une compagnie du montagne per un gruppo combattenti
Italiano)
(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

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DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (comando)	Workshops platoon (Platone officina)	2 Pioneer platoons (each) (2 platone pionieri)	Defence platoon (Platone difesa)	Total (Totale)
Officer commanding (captain) (comandante (capitano)) Subalterns (subalterni)	1	1	1	1	4
Total, officers (totale, ufficiali)	1	1	1	1	5
Company serjeant major (maresciallo capo) Company quartermaster-serjeant (sottufficiale ai rifornimenti) N.C.O. i/c transport (staff-serjeant) (sergente maggiore trasporto) Serjeants (sergenti)	1 1 1				1 1 1 7
Total, warrant officers, staff-serjeants and serjeants (Totale, marescialli, sergenti maggiore e sergenti)	3	1	1	4	10
Corporals (corporali) Scappers (zappatori) Drivers, I.C. (autisti)	3 10 9	5 41 4	5 38 6	3 39 5	21 166 30
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	22	50	49	47	217
Total, other ranks (Totale, inclusi i sott' ufficiali)	25	51	50	51	227

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A FIELD COMPANY FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
 (Una compagnia di montagna per un gruppo combattenti Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (comando)	Workshops platoon (Platone officina)	2 Pioneer platoons (each)	Defence platoon (Platone difesa)	Total (Totale)
Pioneers for duty as - (servizio di pionieri) -	1	5	17	39	79
General dutymen (servizi generali)	2				2
Stretcher bearers (porta barelle)	1				1
Medical orderly (aiutante di sanità)	1				1
Bugler runner (trombettiere)	1				1
Plumbers and pipefitters (piombatori e idraulici)	1	8			8
Shoemaker (calzolaio)		4			4
Vehicle mechanics (meccanici classe auticri)			2		4
Water dutymen (servizi idraulici)					4
Drivers I.C. for duty as - (autisti coll' incarico di) -	1	1	1	1	2
Batmen drivers (autisti attendenti)					3
Batmen (also motor cyclists) (attendente motociclisti)			6	5	28
Drivers of vehicles (conducenti veicoli)	8	3			1
Motor cyclists (motociclisti)	1				
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	22	50	49	47	217
(iii) <u>Transport</u>					
Bicycles (bicycle)	1	1	3	1	2
Motor cycles, solo (motociclette)	2			3	12

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1	4	2	4	1	217
4					
4					
2	1	1	1	1	47
3					
28	3	6	3	5	49
1					
22	50	49	50	47	217

(iii) Transport (Transporto)

Bicycles (biciclette)	1				2
Motor cycles, solo (motociclette)	2	3	1	3	12
Cars, 5-cwt, 4 x 4 (auto, 5-cwt, 4 x 4)	2				2
Cars, light recee (auto recee)	2				2
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2 G.S.	1	1	1	1	5
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.)					
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, air compressor		1	1		2
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2 compressore ad aria)					
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water	1				1
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, autobotte)					
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, personnel	1		1	1	5
(autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, personale)					
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 4, G.S.	2	2	2	2	10
(autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 4, G.S.)					
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 4, winch		1	1	1	3
(autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 4 elevatore meccanico)					

Vehicle mechanics (meccanici classe autieri)
 Water dutyman (servizi idraulici)
 Drivers I.C. for duty as -
 (autisti coll' incarico di) -
 - Battalion drivers (autisti attendenti)
 Battalion (also motor cyclists) (attendante
 motociclisti)
 Drivers of vehicles (conducenti veicoli)
 Motor cyclists (motociclisti)

Total, rank and file
 (Totale, graduati e truppa)

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HEADQUARTERS, TRANSPORT AND SUPPLY COMPANY
FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Comando compagnia di trasporti e rifornimenti)
di un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)
(Italian Army personnel)
WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA.)

(1) Personnel
(personale)

Commanding officer (major) (comandante (maggiore)) 1
Captains (capitani) 2
Subaltern (subalterno) 1

Total, officers (Totale ufficiali) 4

Company serjeant major (Marescialli capi) 1
Company quartermaster serjeant (Maresciallo di rifornimenti) 1
Serjeants (Sergenti) 2

Total, warrant officers, staff-serjeants and serjeants (Totale, marescialli sergenti maggiori e sergenti) 4

Corporals (caporali) 5
Privates (soldati) 14
Drivers (autisti) 13
Total, rank and file (Totale graduati e truppa) 32
Total, other ranks (Totale incluso sottufficiali) 36
Total, headquarters, transport and supply company for an Italian Combat Group (Totale, comando di un compagnia di trasporti e rifornimenti Combattente) 40

(1) Distribution of rank and file by duties.

Company sergeant major (Marescialli capi)	1
Company quartermaster serjeant (Maresciallo di rifornimenti)	1
Serjeants (Sergenti)	2
Total, warrant officers, staff-serjeants and serjeants	<u>4</u>
(Totale, marescialli sergenti maggiori e sergenti)	
Corporals (caporali)	5
Privates (soldati)	14
Drivers (autisti)	19
Total, rank and file	<u>32</u>
(Totale graduati e truppa)	
Total, other ranks	<u>36</u>
(Totale incluso sottufficiali)	
Total, headquarters, transport and supply company for an Italian Combat Group	<u>40</u>
(Totale, comando di un compagnia di trasporti e rifornimenti Combattente)	

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties.
 (Distribuzione dei graduati e truppa dei diversi servizi)

Corporals for duty as (servizi per caporali)-	
M.T. corporal (caporali M.T.)	2
Administrative corporal (caporali amministrative)	1
Corporals I/C.L.M.G. detachments (caporali per I.C. L.M.G.)	2
Privates for duty as (servizio per truppa)-	
Batmen (attendenti)	2
Barber (barbiere)	1
Cobbler (ciabattino)	1
Cooks (cuochi)	2
Clerks (scritturali)	2
Sanitary dutyman (servizi sanitari)	1
Water dutyman (servizi idraulici)	1
L.M.G. detachments (gruppi per L.M.G.)	4
Drivers for duty as (servizi per conducente)-	
Batmen-drivers (attendenti-autisti)	2
Motor-cyclists (motociclisti)	5
Driver mechanics (meccanici autieri)	2
Drivers I.C. (autiere)	4
Total, rank and file	<u>77</u>
(Totale graduati e truppa)	<u>32</u>

Total, rank and file : 7767₃₂

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HEADQUARTERS TRANSPORT AND SUPPLY COMPANY FOR AN ITALIAN
COMBAT GROUP
(Comando compagnia di trasporti e rifornimenti di un Gruppo
Combattente Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(iii) Transport (trasporto)

Motor cycles, solo (motociclette monoposto)	<u>5</u>
Cars, 2 seater 4 x 2 (auto, 2 posti 4 x 2)	2
Cars, 4 seater 4 x 2 (auto 4 posti 4 x 2)	1
Trucks, 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S. (for L.M.G. detachments)	2
(autocarri 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S. (per Gruppi L.M.G.))	
Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 (for coaks, baggage and petrol)	3
(autocarri 3 ton 4 x 2 (per cuochi, bagaglio e benzina))	
Trailer, 15 cwt 2 wheeled, water, 180 gallons	<u>1</u>
(carrella 15 cwt a 2 ruote autobolte 180 gals.)	

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A RELIEF DRIVER INCREMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Aumento di un Autistu per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)
(Italian Army personnel)
WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

- (i) Personnel
- (i) Personale

Serjeant (serjente)	1
Drivers I.C.(autisti I.C.)	12
Total, a relief driver increment)	—
for an Italian combat group)	<u>13</u>
(Totale, Aumento di un Autistu per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano))	

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TRANSPORT PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Platone trasporti di un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(i) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	1 - 5 sections (each) (Gruppi 1 - 5 (ciascuno))	Total, transport platoon for an Italian combat group (Totale, plotone combattente Italiano)
Subaltern (subalterno)	1		1
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	1		1
Serjeants (sergenti) (a)	2		2
Corporals (corporali)		1	5
Privates (soldati)	7	6	7
Drivers (autisti)	5		35
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	12	7	17
Total, other ranks (Totale, incluso i sott'ufficiali)	14	7	49
Total, transport platoon for an Italian combat group (Totale, plotone trasporti di un gruppo combattente Italiano)	15	7	50

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties

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1		
2	2	
7	1	5
5	6	7
12	7	35
14	7	17
		49
15	7	50

Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)

Serjeants (sergenti) (a)

Corporals (caporali)

Privates (soldati)

Drivers (autisti)

Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)

Total, other ranks (Totale, incluso i sott'ufficiali)

Total, transport platoon for an Italian combat group

(Totale, platone trasporti di un gruppo combattente Italiano)

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties
(Distribuzione di lavori e servizi dei graduati e truppa)

1	1	5
3		1
2		3
1		2
1		1
2		1
2	1	2
	5	5
12	7	27
		47

Corporals i/c sections (caporali gruppi i/c)

Privates for duty as (servizi truppa) -

Cook (sergente)

L.M.G. detachment (gruppo L.M.G.) (b)

Cook (cuochi)

Mechanic (Meccanico)

Drivers for duty as (servizio autisti) -

Engine-driver (attendente-autista)

Motor-cyclists (motociclisti)

Driver-mechanics (meccanici-autisti)

Drivers, I.C., vehicles (conducenti veicoli)

Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)

(iii) Transport (Trasporti)

3		3
1		1
1		1
	6	30
1		1
3	7765	33
1		1

Motor-cycles, solo (motociclisti, monopeste)

Car, 2-seater, 4 x 2 (auto, 2 posti, 4 x 2)

Truck, 15-c-t, 4 x 2, GS, for I/MC detachment (Autocarro, 15-c-t, 4 x 2, GS, per gruppo I/MC)

Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, GS, task (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, GS, servizi)

Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, GS, for cooks and baggage (Autocarro, 3-ton, 4 x 2, per i cuochi e il bagaglio)

Total, vehicles (Totale, veicoli)

Trailer, 15-c-t, 2-wheeled, water, 180-gallons (carrela, 15-c-t, 2 ruota, autobotte, 180-gall)

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TRANSPORT PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN CO BATT GROUP
(Platone trasporti di un gruppo combattente italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT - cont.nued.
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA - continue)

- (a) One for administration, one to be i/c platoon.
(Uno per il comando, uno per il platone i/c)
- (b) Includes one man trained in water duties.
(Incluso un uomo adetto al servizio idraulico.)

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COMPOSITE PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Intiero plotone di un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)
(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(i) Personnel (Personale)

Captains (capitani)	2
Subaltern (subalterno)	1
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Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	3
Staff-serjeant (a) (sergente maggiore)	1
Serjeants (b) (sergenti)	4
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Total, staff-serjeants and serjeants (Totale, sergenti maggiori e sergenti)	5
Corporals (caporali)	3
Drivers I.C. (autisti I.C.)	7
Privates (soldati)	18
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Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	28
Total, other ranks (Totale, incluso i sott:ufficiali)	33
Total all ranks (Totale, incluso gli ufficiali)	36
<u>Attached (c) (aggregati)</u>	
Stoverman, ammunition)	
(includes 1 corporal))	3
(magazzinieri munizione))	
(incluso 1 caporale))	
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Total, composite platoon for an Italian combat group (including attached)	39
(Totale, intiero plotone di un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)	

Drivers I.C. (autisti I.C.)
Privates (soldati)

Total, rank and file
(Totale, graduati e truppa) 18
Total, other ranks
(Totale, incluso i sottufficiali) 28
Total all ranks
(Totale, incluso gli ufficiali) 33
Attached (e) (aggregati) 36

Squadman, ammunition
(includes 1 corporal) }
(magazzinieri munizione) }
(incluso 1 caporale) }

Total, composite platoon for an Italian
combat group (including attached) }
(Totale, intero plotone di un Gruppo }
(combattente Italiano) }

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties

(Distribuzione di lavori e servizi dei graduati e truppa)

Clerks - (scritturali)	2
Corporals (caporali)	4
Privates (soldati)	1
Storemen (magazzinieri)-	4
Corporal (caporale)	3
Privates (soldati)	1
Cooks (cuochi)	4
Drivers I.C. for duty as (servizi autisti)-	3
Batman-drivers (attendenti-autisti)	2
Motor cyclists (for liaison duties) (motociclisti (servizi di collegamento))	3
Drivers of vehicles (conducenti veicoli)	2
Supply issuers (truppa manutenzione)	7
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	<u>776</u>

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(iii) Transport (trasporti)

Motor-cycles, solo (motociclette, monovosto)	6
Cars, 2-seater, 1 x 2 (auti, 2-posti, 1 x 2)	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 1 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 1 x 2, G.S.)	2
Total, vehicles (Totale, veicoli)	4

- (a) Clerk (Scritturale)
- (b) 1 butcher, 1 clerk, 1 for ammunition, 1 for supplies.
(1 macellaio, 1 scrivano, 1 per munizioni, 1 per rifornimento.)
- (c) Attached from the equivalent of R.A.O.C. Require technical knowledge of ammunition for storage and maintenance duties.
(Aggregati come se venissero dal R.A.O.C. Devono avere un'istruzione tecnica riguardo il magazzino e la manutenzione della munizione.)

NOTES (AVISSI)

1. Two composite platoons are provided for the Italian combat group. These platoons, which form part of the company, comprise the specialist personnel for ammunition, supply and petrol duties.
One platoon is sufficient to meet the internal requirements of a combat group. The other is provided in order to be allotted to the higher formation, under whom the group is employed to increment the Allied Services maintaining the group.
(Due platonii composti saranno provvisti per il gruppo combattente italiano. Questi platonii, che formano parte della compagnia, includeranno il personale specializzato per munizioni, rifornimenti e benzina.)

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Un solo plotone sarà sufficiente per il bisogno interno di un gruppo combattente. L'altro è costituito per fare parte alla formazione più alta sotto il quale il gruppo è impiegato per aumentare il mantenimento dei Servizi Alleati.)

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(DESCRIZIONE)	Headquarters (Comando)	Two dressing Stations di (Comando)	Headquarters (Stazioni di Comando)	Two platoons (each) (Comando)	Two platoons (each) (Comando)	Hygiene and control platoons (Total, group, portabatterie)	Total (Totale)
Officer commanding (major or captain) (Comandante (maggiore o capitano))	1						1
Medical officers (captains or lieutenants) (Ufficiali medici (capitani o tenenti))		3				1	7
Malarial officer (Ufficiale per il malarial)	1					1	1
Pharmacist officer (Ufficiale farmacista)	1					1	1
Chaplain (Cappellano)	1					1	1
Administrative officer (Ufficiale d'Amministrazione)			1		1		1
Stretcher bearer officer (non-medical) (Ufficiale per porta. barelle (non sanitario))							
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	4	3	1		1	2	13
Warrant officer, class I (Maresciallo, capo I)	1						1
Warrant officers, class II or staff sergeants (Marescialli, capo II o sergenti-maggiori)				1		2	4
Sergeants (Sergenti)		1					2
Total, warrant officers, staff-sergeants and sergeants (Totale, marescialli, sergenti-maggiori e sergenti)	1	1		1		2	7
Corporals or lance corporals (Caporali maggiori o caporali)		3		2		4	10
Clerks (corporals and lance-corporals) (Scrivatturali, (caporali maggiori e caporali))	1	1	1		1		4
Nursing orderlies (Attendenti sanitari)		10					20
Stretcher bearers (Porta barelle)		14		34		68	96
Sanitary personnel (Personale sanitario)		7	1	3		7	16
General duty men (including batmen and cooks) (Servizi generali (inclusi attendenti e cuochi))	8						29
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)	9	35	2	39	80	16	175

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MEDICAL SECTION FOR AN ITALIAN CO.BAT GROUP
(Sezione Sanitaria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued
(i) Personnel (Personale) - continued

DETAIL (Descrizione)	WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)				(i) Personnel (Personale)				Total (Totale)
	Headquarters (Comando)	Two dressing stations (each) (Stazioni di pronto soccorso)	Headquarters (Comando)	Two platoons (each) (Gruppo portabarelle)	Headquarters (Comando)	Two platoons (each) (Gruppo portabarelle)	Hygiene and anti-malarial control platoon (Platoon control igienico e anti-malarico)	Total (Totale)	
Total, other ranks (Totale, inclusi i sott ufficiali)	10	36	2	40	82	18	182		
Total, all ranks (Totale, inclusi gli ufficiali)	14	39	3	40	83	20	195		
<u>Attached (Aggregati)</u> Transport personnel (Personale trasporto)									
Captain (or lieutenant) (Capitano o tenente)	1						1		
Serjeants (Sergenti)	1	1					2		
Corporal (Caporale)	2						1		
Fitters (Meccanici)	1						2		
Electrician (Elettricista)		2					1		
Driver-mechanics (Meccanici, autisti)	5	16	4		4	4	4		
Drivers (Autisti)							4		
Total, attached (Totale, aggregati)	10	19	4			4	4	56	

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Total, all ranks
(Totale, inclusi gli officials)

Attached (Aggregati)
Transport personnel (Personale trasporto)

Captain (or lieutenant)
(Capitano o tenente)
Serjeants (Sergenti)
Corporal (Caporale)
Fitters (Meccanici)
Electrician (Elettricista)
Driver-mechanics (Meccanici, autisti)
Drivers (Autisti)

14	39	3	40	83	20	195
1						1
	1					2
1						1
2						2
1						1
	2					4
5	16	4		4	4	45
10	19	4		4	4	56
24	58	7	40	87	24	251

Total, attached (Totale, aggregati)
Total, a medical section (including attached)
(Totale, sezione sanitaria (inclusi gli aggregati))

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

Bicycles (Biciclette)
Motor cycles, solo (Motociclette, monoposto)
Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2 (Auto, 4-posti, 4 x 2)
Car's, 2-seater, 4 x 2 (Auto, 2-posti, 4 x 2)
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (or 30-cwt 4 x 2, G.S.)
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (o 30-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.))
Lorry, 3-ton, disinfector (a)
(Autocarri, 3-ton, per disinfecto) (a)
Ambulances, light (Ambulanze, leggere)
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water (b)
(Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, autobotte)

1	1	1		1	3	3
1	1	1			1	5
1	1				2	1
2	5	3		3		15
					1	1
	9					18
	1					2

- (a) Or Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. in lieu.
(Oppure Autocarro, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. in sostituzione).
- (b) Or Trailers, 2-wheeled, water, 100 gallons, in lieu.
(Carrelle, 2-ruote, autobotte, 100 gall in sostituzione).

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A FIELD HOSPITAL FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Ospedale di Prima Linea per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(i) Personnel (Personale)

Officer commanding (major or captain) (Comandante (maggiore o capitano))	-	1
Medical officers (Ufficiali medici)	-	2
Pharmacist officer (Ufficiale farmacista)	-	1
Administrative officer (Ufficiale amministrativo)	-	1

Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)

5

Warrant officer, class II (Marescialli, classe II)
Serjeant, (clerk) (Serjente, (scritturale))

1
1

Total, warrant officers and serjeants
(Totale, marescialli e sergenti)

2

Corporals (Caporali)
Privates (Truppa)

6
30

Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppa)

36

Total, other ranks (Totale, inclusi i marescialli)

38

Total, all ranks (Totale, inclusi ufficiali)

43

Attached (Aggregati) :-

Chaplain (Cappellano)
Drivers (includes 1 corporal) (Autisti (incluso 1 caporale))

1
6

Total, attached (Totale, aggregati)

7

Total, a field hospital for an Italian combat group
(Totale, ospedale di prima linea per un gruppo combattente Italiano)

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Total, warrant officers and sergeants (Totale, marescialli e sergenti)	-	2
Corporals (Caporali)	-	6
Privates (Truppa)	-	30
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppe)	-	36
Total, other ranks (Totale, inclusi i marescialli)	-	38
Total, all ranks (Totale, inclusi ufficiali)	-	43
<u>Attached (Aggregati) :-</u>		
Chaplain (Cappellano)	-	1
Drivers (includes 1 corporal) (Autisti (incluso 1 caporale))	-	6
Total, attached (Totale, aggregati)	-	7
Total, a field hospital for an Italian combat group (Totale, ospedale di prima linea per un gruppo combattente italiano)	-	50

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties
(Distribuzione di lavori e servizi dei graduati e truppe)

Nursing orderlies (Attendenti sanitari) -	-	5
Corporals (Caporali)	-	13
Privates (Truppa)	-	1
Stretcher bearers (Porta barelli) -	-	6
Corporal (Caporale)	-	1
Privates (Truppa)	-	10
Disinfector operator (private) (Servizio di disinfezione (soldati))	-	1
General dutymen (privates) (Servizi generali (truppe))	-	10
Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppe)	-	36
<u>(iii) Transport (a) (Trasporto) (a)</u>		
Car, 2-seater, 4 x 2 (b) (Auto 2-posti, 4 x 2)(b)	-	1
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)	-	4

(c) Transport will be attached to medical section for maintenance etc.
(Il trasporto sarà aggregato alla sezione sanitaria per la manutenzione)
(b) Or truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. in lieu. (Oppure ~~7700~~ ^{15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.} in sostituzione).
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ORDNANCE FIELD PARK FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Pares d'Artigliere da Campo per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)
(Italian Army personnel)
WAR ESTABLISHMENT - (ORGANICO DA GUERRA)

(i) Personnel - (Personale)

Ordnance officer, 3rd class (ufficiale, 3 classe)	1
Ordnance officers, 4th class (captains or lieutenants)	1
(Ufficiali, 4 classe (capitani o tenenti))	1
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	<u>4</u>
Clerks (Scrittuali) -	
Warrant officer, class III (maresciallo, classe III)	1
Staff-serjeant (sergente maggiore)	1
Serjeants (sergenti)	2
Corporals (caporali)	2
Privates (soldati)	6
Storemen (will also act as drivers)	
(Magazzinieri (sara anche autisti))	
Serjeant (sergente)	1
Corporals (caporali)	3
Lance-corporals (caporali)	3
Privates (Soldati)	20
Electricians (elettricisti)	2
Vehicle-mechanics (lance-corporals) (meccanici autieri (caporali))	3
Cooks (cuochi) -	
Corporal (caporale)	1
Privates (soldati)	2
Drivers I.C. (autisti I.C.) -	
Serjeant (sergente)	1
Corporal (caporale)	1
Lance-corporal (Caporali)	1
Privates (soldati)	6
Motor-cyclists (motociclisti)	5
Batmen-drivers (attendenti-autisti)	4
General duty men (servizi generali)	4
Total, other ranks (Totale, inclusi i sott'ufficiali)	<u>69</u>
Total, ordnance field park for an Italian combat group	
(Totale, parco d'artiglieria da campo per un gruppo combattente Italiano)	<u>73</u>

Storemen (will also act as drivers)
 (Magazzinieri (sara anche autisti))
 Sergeant (sergente)
 Corporals (caporali)
 Lance-corporals (caporali)
 Privates (Soldati)
 Electricians (elettricisti)
 Vehicle-mechanics (lance-corporals) (meccanici autieri (caporali))
 Cooks (cuochi) -
 Corporal (caporale)
 Privates (soldati)
 Drivers I.C. (autisti I.C.) -
 Sergeant (sergente)
 Corporal (caporali)
 Lance-corporal (caporali)
 Privates (soldati) (motociclisti)
 Motor-cyclists (attendenti-autisti)
 Batmen-drivers (servizi generali)
 General dutymen

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 1
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 6
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 4
 69
 73
 5

Total, other ranks (Totale, inclusi i sott'ufficiali)

Total, ordnance field park for an Italian combat group
 (Totale, parco d'artiglieria da campo per un gruppo combattente Italiano)

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

Motor-cycles, solo (motociclette, monoposta)

Car, 1-seater, 4 x 2 (auto, 4 posti, 4 x 2)
 Cars, 5-cvt, 4 x 4 (auti, 5-cvt, 4 x 2)
 Trucks, 15-cvt, 4 x 2, G.S. (autocarri, 15-cvt, 4 x 2, G.S.)
 Truck, 15-cvt, 4 x 2, water (autocarro, 15-cvt, 4 x 2, acqua)
 Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)
 Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, for office (autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, ufficio)
 Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, battery charger (autocarro, 3-ton, per batterie)
 Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, battery storage (autocarro, 3-ton, 4 x 2, per batterie)
 Lorries, 6-ton, 6 x 4, G.S., binned (autocarri, 6-ton, 6 x 4, G.S.)
 Lorry, 3-ton, 6 x 4, crane (autocarro, 3-ton, 6 x 4, elevatore)

Total, vehicles (Totale, veicoli)

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MECHANICAL ENGINEERS WORKSHOP FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
 (Officina Meccanica del Genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)
 (Italian Army personnel)

U.S. ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(i) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop section (Gruppo officina)	Recovery Section (Sezione recupero)	Telecommunication section (Sezione telecomunicazioni)	Technical stores section (Sezione magazzini tecnici)	Total (Totale)
Majors (Maggiore)	1					1
Captains or lieutenants (Capitani o tenenti)	2	1	1		1	5
Total, officers (Totale ufficiali)	3	1	1		1	6
Armament artificers and armourers (Artifici armamento e armatori)	3	3	1	1		8
Clerks (Scritturali)	1	1	1	1	1	5
Artificers (Artifici)	1					1
Storeman (Magazziniere)	1					1
Sergeant (Sergente)	1					1
Total, staff sergeants and sergeants (Totale, sergenti maggiori e sergenti)	6	4	2	2	1	15
Armourers (armatori)	2	2	1			5
Armament artificers - (vehicles) (Artifici armamento - (veicoli))	1	3		1		5
Armament artificers - (wireless) (Artifici armamento - (telegrafisti))						
Blacksmiths (Fabbri)			2			2
Carpenters (Carpentieri)		2				2
Coachtrimmers (Carrozzeri)	2					2
Driver-mechanics (Autista-meccanico)	9	20	10	1	1	41
Electricians (Elettroicisti)	2	5	2			9

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Captains or lieutenants (Capitani o tenenti)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5
Total, officers (Totale ufficiali)	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Armament artificers and armourers (Artifici armamenti e armatori)	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Clerks (Scritturali)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Artificers (Artifici)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
Storeman (Magazziniere)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Serjeant (Sergente)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total, staff serjeants and serjeants (Totale, sergenti maggiori e sergenti)	6	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	15
Armourers (armatori)	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4
Armament artificers - (vehicles) (Artifici armamenti - (veicoli))	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
Armament artificers - (wireless) (Artifici armamenti - (telegrafisti))										1
Blacksmiths (Fabbri)		2								2
Carpenters (Carpentieri)		2								2
Coachtrimmers (Carrozzeri)	2									2
Driver-mechanics (Autista-meccanico)	9	20	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	41
Electricians (Elettricisti)	2	5	2							9
Fitters (Meccanici)		7								7
Instrument mechanics (Meccanici istrumenti)	1	2								2
Painter (Pittore)										1
Sheet metal workers (Meccanici idraulici)		2								2
Telecommunication mechanics (field) (Meccanico comunicazioni telefoniche)			3							3
Turners (Tornitori)	3	16	4							3
Vehicle mechanics (meccanici autieri)	5	1								25
Welders (Soldatore)	3									3
Storeman (also act as drivers) (Magazziniere (servous anche come autisti))	1	1	1						7	10
Clerks (Scritturali)	5								1	6
Drivers and Boatmen-Drivers (autisti e attendenti)									2	2
Motor cyclists (Motociclisti)	2		2						1	5
General dutymen (including cooks) (servizio generale (inclusi i cuochi))	5	5	3						3	16
Total, rank and file (totale graduati e truppe)	41	69	22	6	6	6	6	6	15	153
Total, other ranks (Totale, compresi i sott'ufficiali)	47	73	24	8	8	8	8	8	16	163
Total, mechanical engineers workshop for an Italian combat group (Totale, officina meccanica del genio per un gruppo combattente italiano)	50	74	25	9	9	9	9	9	18	174

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MECHANICAL ENGINEERS WORKSHOP FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Officina Meccanici del Genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop section (Gruppo officina)	Recovery section (Stazione recupero)	Telecommunication section (Stazione telecomunicazioni)	Technical stores section (Sezione magazzini tecnici)	Total (Totale)
motor-cycles, solo (motociclette, monoposto)	2		2		1	5
Cars, 5-cwt, 4 x 4 (Auto, 5-cwt, 4 x 4)	2	6	2		1	11
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.)	2				1	3
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, type 'K.L.' (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, tipo 'K.L.')	1					1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generator 9 K.W. (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generatore 9 K.W.)	1					1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water)	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)	4	3	2	(4)	4	13
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, stores, (pinned) (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, viveri)	1			1		2
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, breakdown (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, breakdown)	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'A' or 'X' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'A' o 'X')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'I' or 'I30' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'I' o 'I30')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'F' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'F')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'D1' or 'D2' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'D1' o 'D2')	1					1

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Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4 (Auto, 5-cwt, 4 x 4)	2					3
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.)	2					11
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, type 'K.L.'	1					1
(Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, tipo 'K.L.')	1					1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generator 9 K.W.	1					1
(Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generatore, 9 K.W.)	1					1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water	1					1
(Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, autopette)	4	3	2	(-)	4	13
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)	1		4			5
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, stores, (binned)	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, viveri)	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, breakdown	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, sustistenza)	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'A' or 'X'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'A' o 'X')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'I' or 'L30'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'I' o 'L30')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'F'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'F')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'D1' or 'D2'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'D1' o 'D2')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'Z'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'Z')	1					1
Tractors, 6 x 4, breakdown			2			2
(Autocarri, 6 x 4, sustistenza)						2
Trailers (Carrelle) -			3			3
7 1/2-ton, 6-wheeled, light recovery						3
(7 1/2-ton, 6-ruote, leggero)						3
15-cwt, 2-wheeled, machinery gas welding						1
(15-cwt, 2-ruote, macchinario, per il gas)						1
10-cwt, 2-wheeled, G.S.						1
(10-cwt, 2-ruote, G.S.)						1

(c) Flat floor type with drop sides.

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MECHANICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Plotone meccanizzato del genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop (Officina)	Total (Totale)
Captain (Capitano)	1		1
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	1		1
Mechanist sergeant-major (Maresciallo meccanista)	1	2	3
Mechanist staff-sergeant (Sergente maggiore meccanista)			
Total, warrant officers and staff sergeants (Totale, marescialli e sergenti maggiori)	1	2	3
Administrative corporal (Caporale amministrativo)	1		1
Blacksmiths (Fabbri)	2		2
Clerks for M.T. stores (corporals) (Scritturali per il magazzino M.T. (corporali))	2		2
Cooks (Cuochi)			
Carpenters (Carpentieri)		2	2
Coach painter (Pittore autocarri)		1	1
Drivers, I.C. for duty as - (Servizio per autisti I.C.) -			
Engine-driver (Attendente-autisti)	1		1
Drivers of vehicles (Conducente veicoli)	1	4	5
Motor-cyclist (Motociclista)	1		1
Electricians (Elettricisti)			
Sheet metal workers (meccanici idraulici)		3	3
Storeman (M.T. stores) (Magazziniere (magazzini M.T.))		2	2
Trimmer (Assostatore)		2	2
Vehicle-mechanics (meccanici autieri)		1	1
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1	3	5
1	2	2
	2	2
	1	1
	11	11
8	28	36
9	30	59
10	30	40

... warrant officers and staff sergeants.
 (Totale, marescialli e sergenti maggiori)

Administrative corporal (Caporale amministrativo)
 Blacksmiths (Fabbri)
 Clerks for M.T. stores (corporals)
 (Scritturali per il magazzino M.T. (caporali))
 Cooks (Cuochi)
 Carpenters (Carpentieri)
 Coach painter (Pittore autocarri)
 Drivers, I.C. for duty as -
 (Servizio per autisti I.C.) -
 Botan-driver (Attondente-autisti)
 Drivers of vehicles (Conducente veicoli)
 Motor-cyclist (Motociclista)
 Electricians (Elettricisti)
 Sheet metal workers (Meccanici idraulici)
 Storeman (M.T. stores) (Magazziniere (magazzini M.T.))
 Trimmer (Assostatore)
 Vehicle-mechanics (meccanici autieri)

Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppe)

Total, other ranks (Totale, compresi i sott'ufficiali)

Total, mechanical engineers platoon for an Italian combat group.
 (Totale, plotone meccanizzato del genio per un gruppo combattente Italiano)

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SHEET NO. 2.

TECHNICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Platone meccanizzato del genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued
(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop (Officina)	Total (Totale)
Motor cycles, solo (Motociclette, monoposto)	2		2
Car, 2 seater, 4 x 2 (.auto, 2 posti, 4 x 2)	1	2	3
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (for maintenance duties) (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (per servizio mantenimento))	1	4	5
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)		2	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (breakdown) (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (sussistenza))		2	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (workshop) (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (officina)			
Trailer, 15-cwt, 2-wheeled, wcter, 130 gallons (Carrelle, 15-cwt, 2-ruote, autobotte, 180 galls)	1		1

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(Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)
 Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (breakdown)
 (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (sussistenza))
 Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (workshop)
 (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (officina))
 Trailer, 15-cwt, 2-wheeled, water, 180 gallons
 (Carrozza, 15-cwt, 2-ruote, autobotte, 180 galls)

NOTE

This unit will be used with the transport and supply company for an Italian combat group.
 (Questo gruppo veria usato insieme alla Compagnia di trasporti e viveri per un gruppo combattente Italiano).

This establishment will NOT be implemented without A.F.I.O. authority.

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LIGHT AID DETACHMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Gruppo Lieve soccorso per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)
(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

Armament artificer (staff-serjeant)	1
(artificia armioli)(sergente maggiore)	
Vehicle mechanic(serjeant)	1
(meccanico veicoli)(sergente)	

Total, staff-serjeants and serjeants	<u>2</u>
(Totale,sergente maggiore o sergente)	

Driver mechanics(meccanici autisti)	3
Electrician (eletttricista)	1
Fitters (meccanici)	3
Welder (saldatore)	1
Stromen (including 1 corporal)	2
(magazzinieri)(incluso 1 caporale)	

Total, rank and file	<u>10</u>
(Totale, gradusti e truppi)	
Total, light aid detachment for un	12
Italian combat group	
(Totale, Gruppo lieve soccorso per un	
Gruppo combattente Italiano)	

(ii) <u>Transport</u> (Trasporto)	
Motor cycles, solo (motociclette monoposto)	2
Trucks, 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.	1
(autocarri 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.)	
Lorries, 3 ton 6 x 4 stores (binned)	1
(autocarri 3 tonn 6 x 4 store)	
Tractor 6 x 4, breakdown	1
(autocarri 6 x 4 sussistenza)	

NOTE (avviso)

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Welder (soldatore)
Stromen (including 1 corporal)
(magazzinieri (incluso 1 caporale))

Total, rank and file
(Totale, graduati e truppe) 10

Total, light aid detachment for an
Italian combat group } 12
(Totale, Gruppo lieve soccorso per un
Gruppo combattente Italiano) _____

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

Motor cycles, solo (motociclette monoposto) 2

Trucks, 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S. 1
(autocarri 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.)

Lorries, 3 ton 6 x 4 stores (binned) 1
(autocarri 3 ton 6 x 4 stores (binned))

Tractor 6 x 4, breakdown 1
(autocarri 6 x 4 sussistua)

NOTE (Avviso)

1. L.A.Ds. will be provided for following units forming part of an Italian Combat Group :-

Mech Infantry regiment 1
Artillery regiment 1
Engineer battalion (1 for 3) 3
Engineers, 1 for Signals _____
Total 5

(L.A.Ds. verranno provvisti delle seguenti unità alle fornite parte di un gruppo combattente Italiano :-

Ciascun regimento di fanteria 1
Regimento d'Artiglieria 1
Battaglio del genio (1 per il 3) 3
Genio, 1 per il collegamento) _____
Totale 5

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MECHANICAL ENGINEERS WORKSHOP FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Officina Meccanica del Genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop section (Gruppo officina)	Recovery section (Stazione recupero)	Telecommunication section (Stazione telecomunicazioni)	Technical stores section (Sezione magazzini tecnici)	Total (Totale)
motor-cycles, solo (Motociclette, monoposto)	2		2		1	5
Cars, 5-cwt, 4 x 4 (Auto, 5-cwt, 4 x 4)	2	6	2		1	3
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.)	2				1	11
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, type 'K.L.' (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, tipo 'K.L.')	1					1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generator 9 K.W. (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generatore, 9 K.W.)	1					1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, autobotte)	4	3	2	(+)	4	13
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)	1		4			5
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, stores, (binned) (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, viveri)	1	2				1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, breakdown (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, sustistenza)	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'A' or 'X' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'A' o 'X')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'I' or 'L30' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'I' o 'L30')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'FI'. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'FI')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'D1' or 'D2' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'D1' o 'D2')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, machinery, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'Z' (Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'Z')				1		1
Tractors, 6 x 4, breakdown			2			2

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Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generator 3 K.W.	1					1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, generator, 9 K.W.)	1					1
(Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, autobotte)	4	3	2	(P)4	13	1
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)	1	2	4	1	6	5
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, stores, (binned)	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, viveri)	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, breakdown	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, sustistenza)	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'A' or 'X'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'A' o 'X')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, machinery, type 'I' or '130'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'I' o '130')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'F'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'F')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'D1' or 'D2'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'D1' o 'D2')	1					1
Lorries, 3-ton, machinery, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'Z'	1					1
(Autocarri, 3-ton, macchinario, 6 x 4, macchinario, tipo 'Z')	1					1
Tractors, 6 x 4, breakdown		2				2
(Autocarri, 6 x 4, sustistenza)		3				3
Trailers (Carrelle) -						
7 1/2-ton, 6-wheeled, light recovery						
(7 1/2-ton, 6-ruote, leggero)						
15-cwt, 2-wheeled, machinery gas welding						
(15-cwt, 2-ruote, macchinario, per il gas)						
10-cwt, 2-wheeled, G.S.						
(10-cwt, 2-ruote, G.S.)						

(a) Flat floor type with drop sides.

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ENGINEERS WORKSHOP FOR AN ILLIUM COLLECT GROUP
(Officina meccanica del Genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(i) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop section (Gruppo officina)	Recovery Section (Sezione recupero)	Telecommunication section (Sezione telecomunicazioni)	Technical stores section (Sezione magazzini tecnici)	Total (Totale)
Majors (Maggiore)	1					1
Captains or lieutenants (Capitani o tenenti)	2	1	1		1	5
Total, officers (Totale ufficiali)	3	1	1		1	6
Armament artificers and armourers (Artifici armamenti e armatori)	3	3	1	1		8
Clerks (Scritturali)	1	1		1	1	4
Artificers (Artifici)	1		1			2
Storeman (Magazziniere)	1					1
Serjeant (Sergente)	1					1
Total, staff serjeants and serjeants (Totale, sergenti maggiori e sergenti)	6	4	2	2	1	15
Armourers (armatori)	2	2				4
Armament artificers - (vehicles) (artifici armamento - (veicoli))	1	5	1			7
Armament artificers - (wireless) (artifici armamento - (telegrafisti))				1		1
Blacksmiths (Fabbri)			2			2
Carpenters (Carpentieri)		2				2
Coachtrimmers (Carrozzeri)	2					2
Driver-mechanics (Autista-meccanico)	9	20	10	1	1	41
Electricians (Elettricisti)	2	5	2			9

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TECHNICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Distone meccanizzato del genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop (Officina)	Total (Totale)
Captain (Capitano)	1		1
Total, officers (Totale, ufficiali)	1		1
Mechanist serjeant-major (Maresciallo meccanista)	1		1
Mechanist staff-serjeant (Sergente maggiore meccanista)		2	2
Total, warrant officers and staff serjeants (Totale, marescialli e sergenti maggiori)	1	2	3
Administrative corporal (Caporale amministrativo)	1		1
Blacksmiths (Fabbri)	2		2
Clerks for M.T. stores (corporals) (Scritturali per il magazzino M.T. (corporali))	2		2
Cooks (Cuochi)			
Carpenters (Carpentieri)		2	2
Coach painter (Pittore autocarri)		1	1
Drivers, I.C. for Luty as - (Servizio per autisti I.C.) -			
Equip-driver (Attonente-autisti)	1		1
Drivers of vehicles (Conduttore veicoli)	1	4	5
Motor-cyclist (Motociclista)	1		1
Electricians (Elettricisti)		3	3
Sheet metal workers (Meccanici idraulici)		2	2
Storeman (M.T. stores) (Aggezziniere (magazzini M.T.))		2	2
Trimmer (Assostatore) - <i>Trimmer, fave</i>		1	1
Vehicle-mechanics (Meccanici autieri)		11	11

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1	2	3
1	2	1
2	2	2
2	2	2
	1	1
1	4	1
1	3	5
1	2	1
	2	2
	1	2
	11	1
8	26	11
9	30	36
10	30	39
		40

Total, warrant officers and staff sergeants (Totale, marescialli e sergenti maggiori)

Administrative corporal (Caporale amministrativo)

Blacksmiths (Fabbri)

Clerks for M.T. stores (corporals) (Scritturali per il magazzino M.T. (caporali))

Cooks (Cuochi)

Carpenters (Carpentieri)

Coach painter (Pittore autocarri)

Drivers, I.C. for duty as -

(Servizio per autisti I.C.) -

Busman-driver (Attendant-autisti)

Drivers of vehicles (Conducente veicoli)

Motor-cyclist (Motociclista)

Electricians (Elettricisti)

Sheet metal workers (Meccanici idraulici)

Storeman (M.T. stores) (Magazziniere (M.T.))

Trimmer (Assessore) - *Trimmer*

Vehicle-mechanics (Meccanici autieri)

Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppe)

Total, other ranks (Totale, compresi i sott'ufficiali)

Total, mechanical engineers platoon for an Italian combat group.

(Totale, plotone meccanizzato del Genio per un gruppo combattente Italiano)

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SHEET NO. 2.

MECHANICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Platoon meccanizzato del genio per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

DETAIL (Descrizione)	Headquarters (Comando)	Workshop (Officina)	Total (Totale)
Motor cycles, solo (motociclette, monoposto)	2		2
Car, 2 seater, 4 x 2 (auto, 2 posti, 4 x 2)	1	2	3
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (for maintenance duties) (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (per servizio mantenimento))	1	4	5
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)		2	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (breakdown) (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (assistenza))		2	2
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (workshop) (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (officina)		2	2
Trailer, 15-cwt, 2-wheeled, water, 180 gallons (Carrolle, 15-cwt, 2-ruote, autobotte, 180 galls)	1		1

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- (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)
- Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (breakdown)
- (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (sussistenza))
- Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2 (workshop)
- (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, (officine)
- Trailer, 15-cwt, 2-wheeled, water, 130 gallons
- (Carrelle, 15-cwt, 2-ructe, autobotte, 180 galls)

1	2	2	1
	2	2	

NOTE

This unit will be used with the transport and supply company for an Italian combat group.
 (Questo gruppo veria usate insienie alla Compagnia di trasporti o viveri per un gruppo combattente Italiano).

This establishment will NOT be implemented without A.F.H.O. authority.

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6 units in 170. Company
1 in East (Supply) 1 in West
2 to 6 (Supply) 1 to 2 in East
1 to 6 (Supply) 1 to 2 in East
1 to 6 (Supply) 1 to 2 in East

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LIGHT AID DETACHMENT FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP
(Gruppo Lieve soccorso per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)
(Italian Army personnel)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT
(ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(1) Personnel (Personale)

Armament artificer (staff-serjeant) (artific armatori (sergente maggiore))	1
Vehicle mechanic (serjeant) (meccanico veicoli) (sergente)	1
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Total, staff-serjeants and serjeants (Totale, sergente maggiore e sergente)	2

Driver mechanics (meccanici autisti)	3
Electrician (elettricista)	1
Fitters (meccanici)	3
Welder (saldatore)	1
Storeman (including 1 corporal) (magazzinieri (incluso 1 caporale))	2
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Total, rank and file (Totale, graduati e truppe)	10

Total, light aid detachment for an Italian combat group (Totale, Gruppo lieve soccorso per un Gruppo combattente Italiano)	12
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1 - ...
3 - ...
1 - ...
2 - ...*

(ii) Transport (Trasporto)

Motor cycles, solo (motociclette monoposto)	2
Trucks, 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S. (autocarri 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.)	1
Lorries, 3 ton 6 x 4 stores (binned) (autocarri 3 ton 6 x 4 stores (binned))	1
Tractor 6 x 4, breakdown (autocarri 6 x 4 sussistua)	1

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*1 - all items except the
1 - all items except the
2 - all items except the*

Electrician (elettricista)
Fitters (meccanici)
Soldier (soldatore)
Strawen (including 1 corporal)
(magazzinieri (incluso 1 caporale))

Total, rank and file
(Totale, gradanti e truppa)
Total, light aid detachment for un
Italian combat group
(Totale, Gruppo liye soccorso per un
Gruppo combattente Italiano)

10

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(ii) Transport (Trasporto)
Motor cycles, solo (motociclette monoposto)
Trucks, 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.
(autocarri 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.)
Lorries, 3 ton 6 x 4 stores (binned)
(autocarri 3 tonn 6 x 4 vivon
Tractor 6 x 4, breakdown
(autocarri 6 x 4 sussistua)

2
1
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NOTE (Avviso)

1. L.A.Ds. will be provided for following units forming part of an Italian Combat Group :-

Each infantry regiment
1
1
1
3

Total
5

L.A.Ds. verranno provvisti dello seguenti dalle seguenti unite olio formano parte di un gruppo combattente Italiano :-

Ciascun regimento di fantomia
1
Regimento d'Artiglieria
1
Battaglio del genio (1 per il
3
genio, 1 per il collegamento)

Totale
5

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