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POL Adjustments - Sicily

Sept. 1944 - Mar. 1945

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM : N.M.I.A.

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TO : ALEXANDER STOUT

REF : 07/160.

CONFIDENTIAL

FOR INFO LD (.) YOUR 1032 / 74 OF 27 (.) DRAW POL FOR CALL UP FROM
APRIL ALLOCATION (.) HOWEVER THIS IS SEVEN DAYS IN ADVANCE IF ALLOCATION
NOT MET NOT LIKELY TO SUFFICE FOR APRIL STARTING ADDITIONAL QUANTITIES
REQUIRED.

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Gibbs, L.C.H.

ROUTING

L.C.H.

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IMPORTANT

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

AMPLIAZIONE ROMA PALERMO 15426 70 27/3 1755 -

TO: HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA ROME -

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: LS

FROM LONG MMIA LO SICILY 1082/715IFICATION: RESTRICTED

REFERENCE No: 2 lag PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: 27 MARCH 1945 ORIGIN: 2 lag

RESTRICTED PD PARA ONE PD REFERENCE MY ONE ZERO EIGHT TWO SLANT
FOUR WIVE OF TWO EIGHT FEB PD PARA TWO PD WILL ADDITIONAL
ALLOCATION OF P D L FOR APRIL CALL UP BE MADE QUERY REGULAR
ALLOCATION FOR APRIL PAREN LONG MMIA LO SICILY TO HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA
ROME CITE ONE ZERO EIGHT TWO SLANT SEVEN ONE PAREN 18 REDUCED CMA
THEREFORE ADDITIONAL ALLOCATION MOST NECESSARY - - -

28 MAR 1945 0025

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CAPIANO ADDETTO
(Cuffigiano)

L. Fover

1000 Sent

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Recd 29 MAR

File 211 1604 Sicily

March 800

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ALLOCATION FOR APRIL PAREN LONG MMIA LO SICILY TO HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA

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THEREFORE ADDITIONAL ALLOCATION MOST NECESSARY --

L. Fover

28 MAR 1950

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PA CAPITANO ADDETTO

(Capitano)

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S & T. W. H. H.

Recd

29 March

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1604 Sicily

APRIL

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Re Nalin P.S.

1604 Sicily

Subject :- POL in Sicily.

ST/1604

22 May 45

LAND FORCES SUB CORP A.C. (MFA)

RHE

Ref : Memo 189001 Ext 526To :- 3 DIVISION.

Ref your 503 Q. of 11 Jan and subsequent signals.

1. It is regretted that an earlier reply was not given. The matter has been thoroughly investigated, and the apparent shortage of POL was due to a reservation having been made to allow for additional MT. movement anticipated as attendant upon Phase 3 of the Sicily Call-up.
2. This phase was subsequently cancelled, and it was considered that the normal allocation of P.O.L. to Sicily should suffice.
3. The monthly allocation of POL to Italian Army Units is closely supervised by this HQ in conjunction with AFHQ Petroleum Section, and is based on vehicle holdings of authorised units in the regions concerned. You will appreciate that, unless a rigid and economical control is exercised considerable wastage occurs, since there are still in existence many unauthorised units whose locations and vehicle holdings are not known to the Italian War Ministry, and who are not, in fact, entitled either to draw P.O.L. or hold Italian Army MT.

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Rasm/ag.

Lt. Col. ADSE,
LAND FORCES SUB CORP A.C. (M.F.A.) 2303

Copy to :- HQ Allied Commission.

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LROF V MEDY 070530 T LRKB

FROM DISTHREE 071706

TO HQ ALLIED COMMISSION.

QGX BT

QG3528 .. RESTRICTED . RE MY ~~5030~~ ~~ARAX~~ 5030 OF 11 JAN AND

SIGNALS QG2238 OF 3 FEB AND QG3340 OF 21 FEB M. REQUEST REPLY NOW FORWARDED

BT

SENT 530 0020 KJC AR AR K

RD NR 530 DML 0020 (AR)

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L. FORCE

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M.M.I.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

ST ROMA PALERMO 27426 82 28 1635==

TO: HQ QLCOM FOR MMIA ROME ==

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No:

FROM LONG MMIA LO SICILY 1082/45 SIFICATION: RESTRICTED

REFERENCE No: PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: 28 FEBRUQRY 45 JF ORIGIN: 1114/28

-- RESTRICTED PD PARA ONE PD REFERENCE YOUR SUGAR TARE SLANT ONE
 ZERO SIX FOUR OF TWO SIX PD PARA TWO PD REQUEST TWO HUNDRED
 TWENTY EIGHT MT DASH EIGHTY CMA PAREN LONG MMIA LO SICILY TO HQ
 ALCOM FOR MMIA ROME CITE ONE ZERO EIGHT TWO SLQNT FOUR FIVE PAREN
 SIXTY FIVE GASOIL AND SIX SAE THRTY ALL FIGURES BARRELS CMA IN
 ADDITION TO REGULAR MARCH ALLOCATION =====

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 Benji 228
 Gannho 65

28 FEB 1945 18.45
 IL CAPITANO ADDETTO
 (Cavani inc)
 In the presence

S & T
 Recd 1 hour
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TRAS. CALOGIURI AT ORE 1850280245

Distribution:

RCV. NALIN S.O.D.

ST/1604/ Sicily *Recd 27/2/22*

LRKB V MEDY NR262
 FROM DISTHREE 211233A
 TO HQ ALLIED COMMISSION

9019 QQX BT

QG 3340
OF 3 FEB

BT 211233.A

SENT 0136

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REQUEST REPLY BY RETURN

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"....-AR-...." (-TKUVI-)

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REF MY 5030 OF 11 JAN AND

QG 2235

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Sub - "Transcript"
 Sent to LF

SIGNAL

FROM : H.M.I.A.

-26 1230A

TO : ALCON SIGINT

REF : 02/102

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FOR INFO LC (.) REFER YOUR 1012/44 OF 23 LAST PARA (.)
STATE MINIMUM QUANTITIES REQUIRED IN RESPONSE TO DUNN
ALLOCATION

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

++ SS RM PALERMO 21626 150 23 1635 ++

TO: HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA ROME +++

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: _____

FROM: LONG MMIA LO SICILY 1082/41 FICATION: ++ RESTRICTED

REFERENCE No: _____ PRECEDENCE: _____

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: _____ OFFICE OF ORIGIN: _____ PRIORITY

++ RESTRICTED PD PARA ONE (PD) REFERENCE YOUR SUGAR TARE SLANT
 ONE SIX ZERO FOUR OF ONE SEVEN FEBRUARY (PD) PARA TWO (PD) EXTRA
 CASOIL NOT NECESSARILY NEEDED CMA - HOME VER CALLUP IS STILL
 GOING ON AND VARIOUS SERVICES HAVE BEEN CURTAILED TO DIVERT POL
 TO TRANSPORTS USED IN CONDUCTING CALLUP AND TRANSPORTING TROOPS (PD)
 PARA THREE (PD) REQUEST THAT A SUBSTANTIAL ALLOCATION OF POL
 SPECIFICALLY FOR CALLUP AND PUBLIC DISORDER NEEDS BE MADE FOR MARCH
 CMA THIS TO BE ADDITION TO REGULAR MONTHLY ALLOCATION (PD) PARA FOUR
 (PD) DURING JANUARY MANY TROOPS MOVEMENTS TOOK PLACE BECJUSE OF
 PUBLIC DISORDER CMA THIS NECESSITATED MOVEMENT OF ADDITIONAL
 SUPPLIES AS WELL AS RECUALR CALLUP OPERATIONS PD PARA FIVE (PD)
 WE MAY ANTICIPATE THE SAME INCREASED LOAD ON TRANSPORT
 REQUIREMENTS FOR MARCH THEREFORE THIS REQUEST -CMA ASNORMAL
 SERVICES MUST CONTINUE REGARDLESS +++

S & T. L. L. L.

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1604/Sicily

2 FEB 1945

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DATE and Time of RECEIPT TR 5 A ROMA ACC ORE 9/45 DELEO +++

Distributi ++ RCV. 5 DS + DA R.C. AT ORE 0945240245 NALIN +

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M.H.L.

17 1945

ALAN BROWN

SE/162/ BROWN

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FOR INFO TO (.) VICE PRESIDENT FROM BROWN ONLY IS
DO YOU STILL NEED BROWN CLOTH IN BROWN BROWN IN YOUR CLOTH
OF 26 JAN 45.

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H.C.L. *[Handwritten signature]*

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator Reference: 00 2238
 Date/Time of Origin: FEB 03/1508A

Message Centre No: D/ 568
 Date Time Rec'd: FEB 04/0200
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: DISTHREN
 TO: HQ ALLIED COMMISSION

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Ref this Hq letter 503 Q of 11 January. Expedite reply.

ACTION

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Action Land Forces S/C

Info A/President
 Chief Commissioner
 File (2)
 Fleet

"S & T, MMIA.

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HEADQUARTERS

1 - FEB. 1945

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SUBJECT:- Transport3 District
Baseball 15/Dial 10752
503 QHQ Allied Commission11 Jan 45ST
MMIA LO

see 42.

1. During the recent disturbances in SICILY numerous requests were received from AC by 204 Sub Area for tpt to assist in emergency movement of Italian tps.
2. After investigation it was found that Italian Army tpt was not available due to shortage of petrol.
3. It will be appreciated if you will investigate this matter and take such steps as may be necessary to ensure that CIP are in a position to meet the Italian Army requirements of POL.
4. Your comments on the case in point are requested.

"S & T" MMIA / ES PHS

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R. B. LEECH

Maj Gen
Comd
(R.B. LEECH)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

27 --ROMA PALERMO 190 26 108 27 18 02-- 27 JAN 45 RESTRICTED
TO 1082 26 HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA ROME --

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: *N36/28*FROM: PRIORITY LONG MMIA LO SICILY LOCATION:

REFERENCE No:

PRECEDENCE:

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN:

OFFICE OF ORIGIN: *ST 28/1 28/28*
IMPORTANT

REFERENCE YOUR SUGAR TARE SLANT ONE ZERO THREE SEVEN OF TWO SIX
PD AMOUNT OF GASOIL MENTIONED IN MY ONE ZERO EIGHT TWO SLANT TWO
T REE V OF TWO FIVE CMA IS NEEDED IN ADDITION TO FEBRUARY RELEASE
PD PAREN LONG XMIA LO SICILY TO ALTOM HQ MMIA ROMA CITE ONE ZERO
EIGHT TWO SLANT TWO SIX PAREN LUCRICATING OIL MENTIONED THEREIN
NOT RPT NOT NEEDED IN ADDITION (PD) NEW SUBYECT PD IN FUTURE
ALLOCATIONS GASOIL SHOULD BE INCREASED ONE HUNDRED BARRELS AND MIKE
TARE EIGHTY DECREASAD A LIKE AMOUNT PD VTHIS ACTION RECOMMENDED DUE
TO A HINGHER PERCENTAGE OF DIESEL BURNING VEHOCLES THAN PREVIOUS
AZLOCATIONS PROVIDE FOR --

S & T, MMIA.

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IL CAPITANO ADDETTO

(Signature)

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Distribution:

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FOR EMIA DO (.) YOUR DATE 1082/23 OF 25 (.) AFTER THE SEC HAVE
 RELEASED UNDER AUTHORITY PER 30/8/18 OF 23 FAREN YOUR (4)
 COLIER CIP PALERMO FAREN FEBRUARY ALLOCATION AS FOLLOWS (.)
 FIFTEEN TONS GREASE IN BARRELS (.) 815 MT EIGHTY (.) 272
 GASOIL (.) 7 KEROSENE (.) 38 GAL THIRTY (.) 3 POINT 4 0
 SIX HUNDRED (.) 400 POUNDS GREASE No 1 (.) 150 POUNDS GREASE
 No 3 (.) CONTACT CIP PALERMO TO MEET IMMEDIATE REQUIREMENTS FROM
 THIS RELEASE (.) SIGNAL THIS IN IF AMOUNTS MENTIONED IN YOUR SIGNAL
 UNDER REPLY WILL BE REQUIRED IN TOTAL IN ADDITION TO
 FEBRUARY RELEASE

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

PRIORITY DD PALERMO 17726 135 25 1830 -

TO: MMIA ROME ==

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 113/26

FROM: LOMG MMIA LO SICILY CLASSIFICATION: PRIORITY 1082/23

REFERENCE No: PRECEDENCE:

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OFFICE OF ORIGIN: URGENT

SPECIAL ALLOCATION OF POL FOR CALL UP IS SUBJECT PD REFERENDE
 YOUR SUGAR TARE SLANT ONE ZERO THREE SEVEN OF SEVEN DECEMBER FOUR
 FOUR PD ADDITIONAL QUANTITY OF GASOIL IN THE AMOUNT OF THREE
 THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY GALLON AND ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN
 GALLON LUBRICATING OIL IS NEEDED TO MEET SHORTAGES DUE TO CALL
 UP AND ADDED TRANSPORT REQUIREMENTS DURING DISTURBANCES PD
 PAREN LOMG MMIA LOVE OBOE SICILY TO MMIA ROME CITE ONE ZERO
 EIGHT TWO SLANT TWO THREE PAREN REFERENCE PARAGRAPH SIX YOUR LETTER
 ABOVE CMA LOCAL C I P WILL NOT ISSUE ON MY DEMAND UNLESS AFHQ
 APPROVES PD ACTUALLY THE REQUIREMENTS WERE MUCH GREATER THAN
 THE ABOVE INDICATES BUT FOR THE PRESENT THE ABOVE WILL COVER PD
 - HOMER E LONG MAIOR QMC L O SICILY

"S & T, MMIA.

Reed No. 1037

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HEADQUARTERS

25 JAN 1945

25 GEN 45

IL CAPITANO LOBETTO

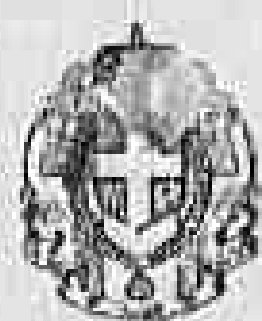
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Distribution:

RCV. NALIN S.O.D. +



Ministero della Guerra

Direzione Gen. della Motorizz.

Roma,

Gennaio 1945

13 GEN 1945

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COM-
MISSION A.G. (MMIA)

=ROMA=

Divisione 2^a Leg. 3^a
Det. N. 1062 Allegato

Proposta di del.
Div. Leg. N.

23/2/4

OGGETTO: C.I. per richiamo armi ed esigenze d'ordine pubblico Sicilia.

Si trasmette per conoscenza, copia del telegramma n.1058/23/Q, inviato dallo scrivente al Comando Territoriale di Palermo in risposta del tele 466/Aut. del 10 gennaio, che si trascrive:

"Da Comando territoriale di Palermo Direzione n.466/Aut. punto Assegnazione carburanti mese di gennaio disposta codesto Ministero con foglio 4/23/Q del 3 corrente est insufficiente per fronteggiare fabbisogno esigenze ordine pubblico et richiami alle armi punto Pregasi voler provvedere ulteriore assegnazione suppletiva di chilogrammi 15.000 gasolio et relativo olio lubrificante fine ordine castanaggiore Comando Territoriale Palermo 190010"

P.IL MINISTRO

S & T. MMIA.

Recd

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Copia telegramma diretto AL COMANDO TERRITORIALE DIREAUTO
PALERMO

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"GUERRAMOTORI N.1058/23/Q/4 ALT RIFERIMENTO TELE 466/AUT. DATA
10.1. ALT COME DISPOSTO DA ALLEATI CON FOGLIO ST/1082 DATA 27 DICEMBRE
TRASMESSO CON DISPACCIO 4/23/Q DATA 3.1. FABBISOGNO CARBURANTI RISCHIAMO ARMI
ET EVENTUALE DEFICIENZA ASSEGNAZIONE MENSILE DEBENT ESSERE RAPPRESENTATE
AT UFFICIALE COLLEGAMENTO MMIA SICILIA ALT GUERRAMOTORI"

PER COPIA CONFORME

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Subject:- Special Allocation of POL for
Call-up in Sicily.

ST/1037

LAND FORCES SUB COMM A.C.(MIA)
ROME

Tel: 489081 EXT 526

19 Dec. 44

To:- Direzione Generale della Motorizzazione
Ministry of War.

1. In reply to your letter No.25367/23/4.4. dated 16 Dec. 44.--
2. The basis of calculation in this HQ letter ST/1037 dated 7 Dec. 44 was clear and the vehicle figures quoted there in were obtained from Col. LEVER, Ufficio Gabinetto. If these figures are to be modified please inform this HQ. giving particulars.
3. Meanwhile POL allocation as given in this HQ.ST/1037 dated 7 Dec. 44 will stand.--
4. It is pointed out that requests for POL must always be supported by data and not merely in the form of demand for quantities of POL.--

(O.C. PAPIREAU)

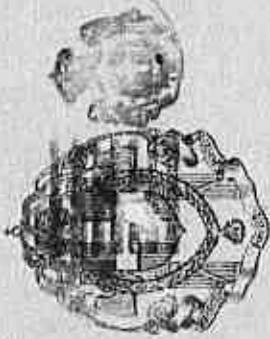
Major RASO

for Lt.Col. 2539

JMD/ag.

ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm A.C.(MIA).

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA MOTORIZZAZIONE

Divisione 2^a - Sezione 3^a

N^o 25367 23/Q.4

16 DIC. 1944

P.M.3800 li 14 dicembre 1944

O G G E T T O: Assegnazione speciale di carburante per la chiamata alle armi in Sicilia.

A LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

R O M A

Con riferimento al foglio ST/1037 in data 7 dicembre 44, si comunica che il Comando Militare della Sicilia ha segnalato il seguente fabbisogno di prodotti petroliferi per fronteggiare le esigenze trasporti per la nota chiamata alle armi in Sicilia:

- benzina	120 barrels (80.000 Kg.)
- gasolio	262 " (35.000 ")
- olio	28 " (4.000 ")

Poichè detti quantitativi sono di molto superiori a quelli richiesti da codesta Sottocommissione al A.F.H.Q., Pet.Sec., con il foglio sopracitato, si prega di volersi interessare perchè detta assegnazione venga aumentata.

p. IL MINISTRO

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OGGETTO: Assegnazione speciale di carburante per la chiamata alle armi in Sicilia.

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Vehicle figures obtained from Calener Ufficio
Carabinieri: 4 figures modified pl. in figures
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(a) that basis of calculation
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(b) automobile number with

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FROM : USA

NO. 1735

TO : THE STATE DEPT. *for info to* AND THE SEC. OF DEF.

10/10/57

LETTER

IN TRANSIT

REF. 10/10/57 DATED 7 TO THE SEC. OF DEF. AND THE SEC. OF STATE
 (.) THE SEC. OF DEF. REQUESTED THE SEC. OF STATE TO BE KEPT ADVISED OF
 ALL MATTERS RELATING TO THE SECURITY OF THE DEFENSE (.) THE SEC. OF
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Subject: General Allocation of MIL RVE
Call-up in Italy.

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2 Dec 41.

Lead Forces Sub Com A.C. (MIL)..
RUE.
Sub. Date 1000H EST RE.

To: AMM Pot Com. R.A.A.C. (by hand).

Cc: L.O. Lead Forces Sub Com A.C. (MIL)..
Italy.
C(3) RUE. 12.

RE: (attention USA JAMES Diagona notazione.)

Dec 17

1. A large call-up operation will be carried out by the Italian Army in Italy between the dates 15 Dec 41 and 22 Jan 42. The Allies are extremely interested in the success of this operation.
2. Approximately 20,000 men will require to be transported to nine receiving centers under Italian Army arrangements. Transport consists of convoys of drafters is an Allied responsibility.
3. For transport of call-up personnel from their homes to the centers, the Italian Army at present plans the use of 30 x 3 ton trucks (4 at each center) for approximately 30 days at approximately average 50 miles per day.
4. 24,000 truck miles at average 8 miles per gallon would require 6750 gallons fuel i.e. seven 1000 barrels.
5. The actual trucks for the operation are being provided partly by transfer of trucks from the national and partly from private mobile trucks.
6. As however the precise number of trucks to be used and other details of the operation are liable to adjustment, it is considered necessary that my general allocation of 200 for this job should be subject to the control of RUE 16, Italy who will accept responsibility for ensuring that any extra 200 drawn for this purpose is (a) genuinely needed (b) used only for the purpose authorized. RUE 16 would draw on such MIL over the full period of the call-up i.e. December/January independently of the routine allocations for December and January respectively.
7. It is therefore requested that a table can be sent to our strictly authorizing the numbers authorized by RUE 16, Italy of up to the following MIL additional to the numbers authorized for December and to be authorized in the course for January.

RE 30
General
Sub 30
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100 barrels
100 " "
5 " "
1 " "

2536

1. A large call-up operation will be carried out by the Italian Army in Sicily between the dates 15 Dec 44 and 22 Jan 45. The Allies are actively interested in the success of this operation.
2. Approximately 10,000 men will require to be transported to nine existing crossings under Italian Army arrangements. Transport consists of convoys of draft horses in an Allied responsibility.
3. The transport of call-up personnel from their homes to the crossing, the Italian Army at present plans the use of 35 x 3 ton trucks (4 sq each centre) for approximately 30 days at approximately average 50 miles per day.
4. 54,000 truck miles at average 8 miles per gallon will require 6750 gallons fuel i.e., approx 164 tons.
5. The total trucks for the operation are being provided partly by transfer of trucks from the unbalanced and partly from German Military trucks.
6. As however the precise number of trucks to be used and other details of the operation are liable to adjustment, it is considered necessary that any eventual allocation of MTR for this job should be subject to the consent of MTR HQ. Sicily who will accept responsibility for ensuring that any extra MTR drawn for this purpose is (a) genuinely needed (b) used only for the purpose authorized. MTR HQ will draw on such MTR over the full period of the call-up i.e., December/January inclusively of the various allotments for December and January respectively.
7. It is therefore requested that a telegram be sent to MTR Sicily advising the release of MTR by MTR HQ. Sicily of up to the following MTR additional to the quantities authorized for December and to be authorized in the course of January:

MTR HQ	130 trucks	2536
General	40 "	
3rd ID	5 "	
6600	1 "	
Others	400 lbs.	

8. On receipt of your confirmation MTR HQ, Sicily will be signalled to proceed in accordance with the terms of this letter.

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(C.O. MTRHQ),
Major General,
MTR HQ, Col.
AMM, Long Marches Rd, Gen. A.C. (MTRHQ).

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA MOTORIZZAZIONE



Roma, 21 VI 1944 19 A

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER
L'ESERCITO DELLA COMMISSIONE
NE ALLEATA (C.M.M.I.A.A.) =

R O M A

Divisione 2^a Sez. 3^a
Prot. N. 21841 Allegati
-23/G/3.-



Risposta al Foglio del

Dir. Sez. N. 2

OGGETTO : - Carburanti e lubrificanti per la Sicilia (richiesta straordinaria per trasporto legname).-

AL COMANDO MILITARE DELLA SICILIA - Direzione Auto - P.M. 126 -

e, per conoscenza : -

Con riferimento al foglio T/83 del 9 Ottobre 1944 si precisa che il Comando Militare della Sicilia non ha mai incluso i quantitativi di c. e l. occorrenti per il trasporto in questione nelle richieste ordinarie, dal momento che per il relativo fabbisogno era stata inoltrata la richiesta di assegnazione straordinaria. Tale inclusione sarebbe stata d'altronde in contrasto con la disposizione a carattere permanente delle Autorità Alleate, che vieta la cessione a civili e fornitori civili di carburanti destinati alle FF.AA. Italiane, senza la specifica autorizzazione della Sezione Carburanti dell'A.F.H.Q.-

Solo in seguito a richiesta telegrafica in data 10/10/44 del Comando Militare della Sicilia, per non ritardare ulteriormente l'inizio del trasporto, che per l'approssimarsi della stagione delle piogge diventa sempre più difficoltoso e forse impossibile, ed in considerazione dell'assoluta necessità del servizio, la scrivente ha autorizzato il predetto Comando Militare a concedere alla Direzione di Commissariato un anticipo di c. e l. traendo il quantitativo dall'assegnazione base per l'Isola.-

Si precisa inoltre che gli automezzi a gasolio che dovrebbero effettuare il trasporto del legname non sono stati compresi neanche nella richiesta c. e l. relativa al mese di Novembre, già inoltrata a codesta Sottocommissione.-

Pregasi pertanto di voler curare con cortese sollecitudine l'assegnazione dei prodotti petroliferi richiesti, per mettere la Direzione di Commissariato della Sicilia in condizioni di dar corso.

Il pugno autentico per ogni foglio non deve essere indicato nella risposta
Il V. M. Autentico e la Direzione a cui si risponde

OGGETTO: - Carburanti e lubrificanti per la Sicilia (richiesta straordinaria per trasporto legname). -

e, per conoscenza: -

AL COMANDO MILITARE DELLA SICILIA - Direzione Auto - P.M. 126 -

Con riferimento al foglio T/83 del 9 Ottobre 1944 si precisa che il Comando Militare della Sicilia non ha mai incluso i quantitativi di c. e l. occorrenti per il trasporto in questione nelle richieste ordinarie, dal momento che per il relativo fabbisogno era stata inoltrata la richiesta di assegnazione straordinaria. - Tale inclusione sarebbe stata d'altronde in contrasto con la disposizione a carattere permanente delle Autorità Alleate, che vieta la cessione a civili e fornitori civili di carburanti destinati alle FF.AA. Italiane, senza la specifica autorizzazione della Sezione Carburanti dell'A.F.H.Q. -

Solo in seguito a richiesta telegrafica in data 10/10/44 del Comando Militare della Sicilia, per non ritardare ulteriormente l'inizio del trasporto, che per l'approssimarsi della stagione delle piogge diventa sempre più difficoltoso e forse impossibile, ed in considerazione dell'assoluta necessità del servizio, la scrivente ha autorizzato il predetto Comando Militare a concedere alla Direzione di Commissariato un anticipo di c. e l. traendo il quantitativo dall'assegnazione base per l'Isola. -

Si precisa inoltre che gli automezzi a gasolio che dovrebbero effettuare il trasporto del legname non sono stati compresi neanche nella richiesta c. e l. relativa al mese di Novembre, già inoltrata a codesta Sottocommissione. -

Pregasi pertanto di voler curare con cortese sollecitudine l'assegnazione dei prodotti petroliferi richiesti, per mettere la Direzione di Commissariato della Sicilia in condizioni di dar corso all'urgente servizio, e di reintegrare al Comando Militare dell'Isola i quantitativi avuti in anticipo, ad evitare che quest'ultimo si venga a trovare in grave crisi per l'espletamento dei propri servizi. -

P. IL MINISTRO

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Subject: Supplementary Request for POL for Sicily

T/83.

2 Oct 44.

Military Mission Italian Army,
ROME.
Ref: Memo 432031 MEI 226.

To: Dirca. Gen. della Motorizzazione,
Italian War Ministry.

Copies: ATTN: Pol. Gen., R.A.A.C.
MEI 10, Sicily.

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1. In reply to No. 19752(23/8/3) dated 5 Oct 44.
2. It is regretted that further information must again be requested before this demand can be considered and sent forward, but please see in this connection letter T/82 dated 10 Oct 44 to you.
3. Please ascertain from Comando Sicilia whether the civilian Casale vehicles to be employed on this labor haulage are to be newly hired for this work. If any or all of the vehicles are already on contract to Comando Sicilia, their POL requirements will presumably have been already budgeted for in the basic October allocation approved and communicated in T/82 of 30 Sep 44.

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(O.O. ROUTING).
Major R.A.C.
For Lt. Col.
ADRS, MEI.

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Direzione Generale della Motorizzazione

2^a Divisione 3^a Sezione

ROMA

25 SET. 1944

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ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER
L'ESERCITO DELLA COMMISSIONE
ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO
ROMA

Prot. N. 19210 /23/G/3

Risposta al foglio del

Dio. Sez. N.

OGGETTO: - c. e l. per la Sicilia.-

M.M.A.	ST
FILE REF	51/5
Date Recd	25/9/44

Ref. your ST/51/5 of 20/9/44.
Riferimento foglio ST/51/5 in data 20/9/44.-

matter has been referred to Sicily
I dati richiesti saranno trasmessi non appena saranno comunicati alla scrivente dal Comando Militare della Sicilia, cui è stata segnalata la vostra richiesta.-

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IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE
(Col. G. Balanzino)

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Subject:- POL for SICILY.

(File)
Military Mission Italian Army,
ROME.
ST/51/5.

Direz. Gen. della Motorizzazione,
Italian War Ministry.

20 Sep 44.

Reference your 18514/23/G dated 13 Sep 44.

1. Before an allotment can be obtained, the following further information is required:-

- (a) Approximate size or capacity of trucks involved and
- (b) number of days likely to be engaged on this project.
- (c) Nature of vehicles, i.e. Italian Military or civil.
- (d) Daily distance travelled by all the vehicles and/or total distance each vehicle will travel on the project.

2. Please forward this information as quickly as possible.

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capt.
for B.L. PERCEVAL.
Lt. Col. RASC,
ADST, Military Mission Italian Army.

AFHQ PETROLEUM SECTION

ROME ALLIED AREA COMMAND

Tel:- ROME 478876

PET 30/B/1

18 Sep. 44

SUBJECT: POL for Sicily.

Army Sub-Commission (MMA),
HQ. A.C.C., Rome.

1. Reference your ST/51/5 dated 15 September 1944.
2. This Section must have more information before it can allot the requested POL.
3. Please furnish this Section with information as to the approximate size or capacity of the trucks and the number of days they will be engaged on this project. It is also requested that advice be given as to whether or not these trucks are Italian Army or civil vehicles.
4. As to the mileage involved, is the 2450 Kms the daily distance travelled by all the vehicles or the total distance each vehicle will travel on the project?

DABS _____
SE's: LemmyH. B. EYLES 2531
Colonel
Petroleum Section

Subject:- FOL for Sicily.

Army Sub Commission, (MILIA),
HQ, ACC, ROME.
ST/51/5.

15 Sep 44.

AMHQ Petroleum Section
RAAC.

1. Italian War Ministry request the following may be released from CIP Sicily. -

Diesel Oil	610 bbls.
SAE 50	35 bbls.

2. This is required to bring 12,000 tons of fuel wood (required for Italian Army) from the forests to railway stations for subsequent distribution.

3. The estimated mileage of 40 trucks to be employed is 2450 Kms, and they ask for early approval as it is desired to complete above service before commencement of the first rains.

DVM/jc

Reply at (3)
S. L. Gann Major
for B.L. PERCEVAL.
Lt. Col. RASC,
ADST, Army Sub Commission, (MILIA).

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n. 18514/23/G di prot. URBENT
OGGETTO: - Pila -
ROMA, li 13-9-944
sezione - 139

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Special publ. request for SICILY.
ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER I RENDICONTI

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1. STATION

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Si gradirebbe pertanto fosse data alla presente richiesta sollecita evasione.-

Very urgently needs 610 barrels Diesel oil &
35 barrels lubricating oil (SAE 30) from CAP. Escar
to bring fuel from 120000 g. (120000 g. = 120000 g.)

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO DELLA

COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO (M.M.I.A.)

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e, per conoscenza :-

AL COMANDO MILITARE DELLA SICILIA-Dir. Automob.

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(rif. tele 6113/03 dell'11/9/44)

Il Comando Militare della Sicilia ha segnalato a questa Direzione Generale la necessità di una urgente assegnazione di 610 barrels di gasolio e 35 barrels di olio lubrificante (SAE 30) da prelevarsi presso il C.I.P. della Sicilia.

Detti quantitativi di c. e l. dovrebbero essere impiegati per il funzionamento di n.40 automezzi da impiegarsi per il prelevamento in sito ed il trasporto agli scali ferroviari di 120.000 quintali di legna da ardere quale fabbisogno invernale per le truppe dislocate in Sicilia.- Il numero complessivo dei viaggi dai boschi di produzione agli scali ferroviari si prevede si aggiri sui 2450 per un percorso medio di Km.86 ciascuno.-

Detti trasporti dovrebbero effettuarsi quanto prima, ad evitare che con l'inizio delle piogge siano rese impraticabili le piste di accesso ai luoghi di carico, attualmente già molto difficili a percorrere.-

Si gradirebbe pertanto fosse data alla presente richiesta sollecita evasione.-

Handwritten note:
We really urgently need 610 barrels diesel oil & 35 barrels lubricating oil (SAE 30) from C.I.P. Sicily to bring fuel wood from forests to ry. stns. for distribution to Italian troops in Sicily for winter. Estimated mileage of 40 trucks to be employed is 2450 kms. They wish to get the distribution over before the first rains.

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

(Col. G. Balanini)

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