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A/100/1 Repatriation of Slav Personnel

Sept. - Dec 1945

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SUBJECT : Prisoners of War - YUGOSLAVS.  
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LAND FORCES SUB COMM, A.C.  
( M.M.I.A. ) R O M E .  
Tel: 489081 Ext: 533 .  
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TO : G.I. British G.H.Q.  
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The attached correspondence is forwarded for the records of  
the men concerned.

B. Wilson Capt.  
for Lt. Colonel A.A.G.  
M.M.I.A.

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SECRET

A 100/1

072045 A Nov. (57)

FROM : MILIA DO 201 SUB AREA  
TO : HEAD 13 CORPS  
INFO : MOV HEAD 13 CORPS MAIL 13 CORPS MILIA HOME  
201 SUB AREA NOV UDINE

IMPORTANT *PS*

ONE/437 (.) UNCLASS (.) SECRET RACIAL SLAVERS (.)  
ONE (.) HEAD 13 CORPS AS DETAILED PARAS 3 AND 4 DEP TODAY AS FOLLOWS (.)  
TO MORGAN EAST BY TRAIN 0845 (.) TO MORGAN WEST BY RD AREA CAPOREZZO  
DO AREA AREA 6 0 1 1 3 1 A 214 OMA AREA T R I B S T E 04 OMA  
AS A U D I N E 5 (.)  
TWO (.) JAMES DOGAL ARRIVED YESTERDAY TO HEAD 1135 (.)  
THREE (.) 113 ARRIVAL CASES NOW AT U D I N E. THREE ASYLUM LIND TWO ATTEMPTED  
SUPPORTS (.) ATTEMPTING DIFFICULTY POINT WITH NUMBERS (.)  
REQUEST EARLY DISPOSAL ISSUES (.) AND REQUIRE PERSONAL KEEPERS (.)  
TWO LIVE AT T R I B S T E OMA UTABLE PUNISH DESTINATION AND  
BEST DUE MORLAY EAST (.)  
FOUR (.) 25 SIGN IN TO MIL HOPE U D I N E OF WHICH 11 REQUIRE ARMS TO  
MORGAN EAST AND FOR WHICH DISPOSAL ISSUES REQUESTED OMA 6 REQUIRE  
ARMS TO MORGAN WEST WHICH 5 COMMISSION WILL FURNISH OMA 4 REQUIRED  
ATT TSPD TPT TO MORGAN EAST (.) MAIL MOVE BY RD TO MORGAN WEST ON

FILE : A 100/1 (Action)

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C O P Y .

FROM : MMIA LO 201 SUB AREA 061953 A Nov.

TO : REAR 13 CORPS

INFO : MOV REAR 13 CORPS - MAIN 13 CORPS - MMIA ROME -  
201 SUB AREA - MOV UDINE

I M P O R T A N T

- MM434 (.) SITREP RACIAL SLAVS (.)
- ONE (.) LAST PARTY NUMBERING 1120 ALL RANKS ARRIVED UDINE  
061800 A NUMREG INCL 14 MENTAL CASES NOW IN ASYLUM, 13  
STRETCHER CASES NOW IN MIL HOSP AND 28 WALKING SICK NOW AT  
CAMP (.) ALL WILL BE MEDICALLY EXAMINED AND SENT ON IF FIT (.)  
FULLER PARTICULARS FOLLOW (.)
- TWO (.) AA PERSONNEL DESPATCHED (.)
- THREE (.) HAVING LARGE NUMBER DO NOT ANTICIPATE ALL BE CLEARED  
UNTIL 08 (.)
- FOUR (.) DOCUMENTATION AND DEMOB PROCEEDING NOW (.) ALL INFM (.)

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FROM : BELIA DO 201 SUB AREA 031835A Mov.  
 TO : KEAE 13 CORPS  
 INFO : MOV NEAR KAMUSORPS - MAIN 13 CORPS  
 BELIA ROME - 201 SUB AREA - MOV UBIHE

IMPORTANT

IN/426 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) SECRET RACIAL SLAVS (.) ONE (.) BAL  
 OF 115 FOR MORGAN WEST DEF 030900A (.) TRAIL LAID ON FOR BAL  
 OF 105 DESTINED MORGAN EAST CANCELLED LAST MOMENT OWING  
 DISTURBANCES T R I S T E (.) AS ALL PERS DESTINED JUGOSLAVIA  
 NEIGHBOURHOOD F O R T Z I A 104 DESPATCHED BY RD TO FRONTIER (.)  
 DEF 031715A (.) ONE MAN TO R O M E (.) CAMP NOW CLEAR

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C O P Y .

FROM : M M I A LO 201 SUB AREA 021851 A Nov.  
 TO : (1) REAR 13 CORPS  
 INFO : (2) MOV REAR 13 CORPS (3) MAIN 13 CORPS (4) M M I A ROME  
 (5) 201 SUB AREA (6) MOV UDINE

I M P O R T A N T

MM/423 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) SITREP RACIAL SLAVS (.) DESPATCH OF THIRD  
 PARTY PROCEEDING AS FOLLOWS (.)  
 ONE (.) BY RD TO MORGAN WEST (.) 173 TO G O R I Z I A 44 TO  
 C A P O R E T T O 40 TO T R I E S T E TOTAL 257 (.) BAL OF  
 115 DEP 030900 A (.) ABOVE DELAY OWING BACK MT (.)  
 TWO (.) BY RAIL TO MORGAN EAST (.) 697 DEP EVENING 02 (.) BAL OF  
 105 DEP 03 AS RTO UNAUTHORISED CLEAR MORE THAN 700 PER  
 TRAIN

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FROM : MMIA LG 201 SUB AREA  
TO : REAR 13 CORPS  
INFO : NOV REAR 13 CORPS - MAIN 13 CORPS

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MMIA/419 (.) SIBRE BATAL BIAVE (.)  
ONE (.) THIRD BATTY NUMBERING 1174 ALL BATTY ARRIVED U D I N E 011825A  
TWO (.) NO PERSONNEL DISPATCHED (.)  
THREE (.) DEMOBILIZATION PROCEEDING NOW (.)  
FOUR (.) ANTICIPATE CLEAR ALL RD PERSONNEL FOR MORGAN WEST ND RAIL  
BATTY FOR MORGAN EAST BY EVENING OF (.) ALL INFO

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C O P Y .

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Oct. 251717

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Oct. 261000

OP-PRIORITY

FROM : DELTA BASE SIGNED RATAY CITE DBLSA-43  
TO : 13 CORPS, RPT TO USFET MAIN, AFHQ, TSFET MAIN, TSFET REAR, M M I A,  
USFET REAR, ALCOM USFET MISSION FRANCE, 88 DIV, UDINE ITALY, 201 SUB AREA

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Reured dated 24 October 45 schedule and strength of Slav repatriates follows.

Expected time of departure Annemasse, France : shipment first, 23 October 45-999. Shipment second, 26 October 45-900. Shipment third, 3045-900. Shipment fourth, 2 November 45-900. Shipment fifth, 5 November 45-850.

Expected time of arrival U D I N E, Italy; Shipment first, 26 October 45. Shipment second, 29 October 45. Shipment third, 2 November 45. Shipment fourth, 5 November 45. Shipment fifth, 8 November 45.

Arrival time all shipments 0100 hours.

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C O P Y .

FROM : MMIA LO 201 SUB AREA 261630 A Oct.  
 TO : REAR 13 CORPS  
 INFO : MOV REAR 13 CORPS - MAIN 13 CORPS - MMIA ROME -  
 201 SUB AREA - MOV UDINE

MM/399 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) SITREP RACIAL SLAVS (.)  
 FIRST (.) 474 DESPATCHED MORGAN EAST TODAY 1530 HRS (.)  
 SECOND (.) ONE STIL IN HOSPITAL SUSPECTED APPENDICITIS (.)  
 THIRD (.) FOR MOV REAR 13 CORPS (.) YOUR Q MOV 930 RECEIVED TOO  
 LATE FOR ACTION RE RATIONS (.) HAVERSACK RATION WAS PROVIDED  
 PLUS HOT MEAL IMMEDIATELY PRIOR DEPARTURE (.)  
 FOURTH (.) FORECAST FOR TOMORROW (.) SECOND PARTY OF 1000 EXPECTED

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C O P Y .

FROM : DELTA BASE SIGNED RATAY (UNDATED)  
TO : ROMAN 13 CORPS (REAR), TSFTT REAR, AFHQ, USFET (MAIN), TSFET (MAIN),  
USFET MISSION FRANCE, SACMED, N M I A, ROMAN 13 CORPS (MAIN)

OP-PRIORITY

REF 23266 CITE DELSA-45 (.) SECRET (.)  
REPATRIATION OF SLOVENES IS SUBJECT : REF-CABLE AFHQ FX-48492, DATED 13 OCTOBER  
45 (.) 1099 SLOVENES DEPARTING ANNEMASSE, FRANCE, BY RAIL 26 OCTOBER 1945  
ENROUTE U D I N E, ITALY, VIA D O M O D O S S O L A, ITALY (.)  
ESCORTING ARE 2 OFFICERS AND 3 ENLISTED MEN (AMERICAN) (.) EXPECTED  
TIME OF ARRIVAL 0100 HOURS, 29 OCTOBER CURRENT

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C O P Y .

FROM : MMIA LO 201 SUB AREA 281737 A Oct.  
 TO : REAR 13 CORPS  
 INFO : (2) MOV REAR 13 CORPS (3) MAIN 13 CORPS (4) MMIA ROME  
 (5) 201 SUB AREA (6) MOV UDINE

I M P O R T A N T .

MM 405 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) SITREP RACIAL SLAVS (.) ALL SECOND PARTY  
 DESPATCHED TODAY AS FOLLOWS (.) TO MORGAN EAST BY RAIL 702 AT 1645  
 HRS (.) TO MORGAN WEST BY RD 190 TO GORIZIA 101 TO CAPO-  
 RETTO 133 TO TRIESTE, TOTAL 1096 (.) ONE MAN LEFT BEHIND  
 AT VICENZA ARRIVED UDINE AFTER MAIN BODY, ALL INFORMED

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FROM : M.M.I.A. LO 201 SUB AREA 271850 A Oct.

TO : REAR 13 CORPS

INFO : MOV REAR 13 CORPS - MAIN 13 CORPS - MMIA ROME -  
201 SUB AREA MOV UDINE

IMPORTANT

MM 403 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) SIRREP RACIAL SLAVS (.)

ONE (.) SECOND PARTY NUMBERING 1095 ALL RANKS ARRIVED UDINE 271600 A (.)

TWO (.) NO PERSONNEL DESPATCHED (.)

THREE (.) DEMOBILIZATION PROCEEDING NOW (.)

FOUR (.) ALL PERSONEL FOR MORGAN WEST ANTICIPATED CLEAR BY EVENING 28 (.)

FIVE (.) HAVE REQUESTED MOV UDINE SUP TRAIN FOR MORGAN EAST 281600 A (.)

THIS SHOULD CLEAR ALL SECOND PARTY (.) FOR SIXTH ADDRESSEE SPOKE BURNES-  
NEWTON THIS DATE REF

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LRCP V LRCL NR 2131  
FROM NMIA LG 201 SUB AREA 201730A  
TO NMIA ROME

BT

MM/380 . UNCL . 77///// SUBJECT IS PAY FOR RACIAL SLAVS .  
UNDESXXXXX UNDERSATAND FROM USFET REP THAT US AUTHORITYSXXXXX  
AUTHORITIES PAID SLAVS DURING THEIR PERIOD ON SERVICE ON CIVILIAN  
RATES . INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED TO 9 THER HQ BY WAR MINISTRY LAY DOWN  
THAT SLAVS WILL BE PAID BACK PAY AND ALLOWANCES AS REPATRIATED  
FOR WEF 8 SEP 43 . RQUXXX REQUEST YOU CONFIRM WAR  
MINISTRY ORDERS ARE CORRECT

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM : M M I A  
TO : 201 BUS AREA FOR M M I A LO

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN  
27 A

REF A 1358

UNCLASSIFIED

REFERENCE A 1351 OF 25 (.) NAMES OF REPRESENTATIVES OF MINISTRY OF  
POST WAR ASSISTANCE ARE (.) SIGNOR GINO MITTONI VIA GARDINI  
8 VIA UDINE (.) DOCTOR DEL PIERO VIA REGIONAL INSPECTOR  
VIA PRATO DELLA VALLE VIA 12 VIA DADOVA

PRIORITY : IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED : \_\_\_\_\_

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FILE A 100/1

Rappresentanti per l'assistenza ai reduci slavi alloggiati  
che non saranno tratti alle armi e che non vogliono  
raggiungere le loro case ad est della linea Morgan :

Signor Gino MITTONI, via Gardini, 8 - UDINE

Dottor DEL PIERO, Ispettore Regionale, Prato della Valle, 12 - PADOVA

(Comunicazione telefonica del Col. VALLESE, Ufficio Reduci,  
MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA)

27 October 1945

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FROM : WFOUSA  
TO : DELTA BASE  
REAR 15 CORPS  
USPIT REAR  
LONIA  
GLOOM  
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201 SUB AREA  
USPIT MAIN  
USPIT REAR

DATE/TIME  
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REF : FX 50252

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SIGNED US MED GEN NAJOT

REFERENCE 9, REAR CORPS Q 1570 DATED 23 OCTOBER 1945 AND YOUR  
23119 DATED 23 OCTOBER(.)

REQUEST SOLVENE EQUIPMENT B SCALE TO RATE OF 500 ITEMS EVERY  
OTHER DAY(.) OUR FX 47849 DATED 8 OCTOBER 1945 REFERS

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C O P Y .

FROM : M.M.I.A. LO 201 SA 251810 A Oct.

TO : R E A R 13 CORPS

INFO : MAIN 13 CORPS - MMIA ROME - 201 SUB AREA BY HAND - MOV  
UDINE BY HAND

I M P O R T A N T .

- MM/395 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) SITREP RACIAL SLAVS AS AT 1700 HRS TODAY (.)
- FIRST (.) FIRST PARTY 999 ALL RANKS DEMOBILIZED (.)
- SECOND (.) DESPATCHED MORGAN EAST NIL (.)
- THIRD (.) DESPATCHED MORGAN WEST 387 (.)
- FOURTH (.) TO BE DESPATCHED MORGAN EAST <sup>(TO MORROW (3))</sup> TOMORROW 474 (.)
- FIFTH (.) ONE IN HOSPITAL (.)
- SIXTH (.) THIS WILL COMPLETE DESPATCH OF 999

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**IMMEDIATE**  
**INCOMING MESSAGE**  
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: **FX 50252**  
Date/Time of Origin: **OCT 241821A**

Message Centre No: **G/1970**  
Date Time Rec'd: **OCT 251130A**  
Precedence: **IMMEDIATE**

FROM: **MTOUSA SIGNED COMMANDING GENERAL MEDITERRANEAN**  
TO: **(1) DELTA BASE (2) REAR 13 CORPS (3) USFET REAR (4) MMIA (5) ALCOM (6) MIL(?) (7) 201 SUB AREA (8) USFET MAIN (9) USFET REAR**

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References: **REAR 13 CORPS G 1570 dated 23rd October and your 23119 dated 23rd October.**

Request Slovene shipment be held to rate of 500 every other day. Our **FX47849** dated 8th October 1945 refers.

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**ACTION: L. Forces SC 2**  
**INFO: Chief Commissioner**  
**Ex Commissioner 2**  
**CA Sec**  
**File 2**  
**Float**

**ACTION**

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**HEADQUARTERS**  
**25 OCT 1945**  
**A. G.**

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C O P Y .

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FROM : M.M.I.A. LO 201 SUB AREA 241915 Oct.  
 TO : USFET MAIN  
       USFET REAR  
 INFO : REAR 13 CORPS - M.M.I.A. ROME - 201 SUB AREA - 5 TERR HQ

I M P O R T A N T

MM/392 (.) R.STRICED (.) FIRST PARTY RACIAL SLAVS ARRIVED U D I N E  
 1515 HRS 24 OCT (.) REQUEST YOU RESTRICT PARTIES TO 1,000 RPT 1,000  
 AS IMPOSSIBLE TO HANDLE LARGER NUMBERS U D I N E

FILE A 100/1 ✓ (Action)  
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C O P Y .

FROM : M.M.I.A. LO 201 SUB AREA 241915 A October.  
 TO : R E A R 13 CORPS  
 INFO : M A I N 13 CORPS - M.M.I.A. ROME - 201 SUB AREA  
 MOV UDINE

## I M P O R T A N T

MM/391 (.) RESTRICTED (.) SITREP RACIAL SLAVS (.)  
 FIRST (.) FIRST PARTY OF 999 ALL RANKS ARRIVED U D I N E 1515 HRS  
 TODAY (.)  
 SECOND (.) DISPATCHED EAST MORGAN LINE NIL, WEST MORGAN LINE NIL (.)  
 THIRD (.) BY 1800 HRS ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SEVEN DEMOBILISED (.)  
 OF THESE 103 MORGAN EAST - 34 MORGAN WEST (.)  
 FIRM TOTAL FIGURES TOMORROW EARLIEST (.) FOR GS1 MAIN 13 CORPS (.)  
 FOR INFORMATION SLAV MIL MISSION REPS MET PARTY U D I N E STATION

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

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FROM: MMIA E3 A

TO : (FOR ACTION) 201 SUB AREA

REFERENCE NUMBER Q 658

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UNCLASSIFIED (.) FOR MMIA LO (.) ADVISE WHEN DYED CLOTHING FOR TROOPS FROM FRANCE ARRIVES

PRECEDENCE \_\_\_\_\_

AUTHENTICATION C. P. KERR, Colonel

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FROM : MMIA LO 201 SUB AREA

DATE/TIME  
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TO : MMIA ROME

INFO : REAR 13 CORPS

REF : 104/384

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REAR 13 CORPS 1000 BLACK DYED ED FOR SLAVS ARRIVED TODAY

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OUTGOING SIGNAL.

FROM : M.H.I.A.  
TO : 201 SUB AREA FOR M.H.I.A. IO  
INFO : A.F.H.Q.

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN  
23 A

REF A 1351

SECRET.

REF M.H.I.A. A 1344 OF 16 OCTOBER AND A.F.H.Q. EX 49308 CITE FREQ  
NOT TO 201 SUB AREA (.) PERSONNEL NOT WILLING TO REENLIST IN ITALIAN  
ARMY WILL BECOME ORDINARY CIVILIANS NOT REPEAT NOT DISPLACED PERSONS (.)  
THEY WILL THEREFORE BE ELIGIBLE FOR ASSISTANCE FURNISHED BY MINISTER OF  
POSTWAR ASSISTANCE TO WHOM THEY WILL BE TRANSFERRED (.) ARRANGEMENTS  
ARE BEING MADE THROUGH MINISTRY OF WAR FOR REPRESENTATIVE OF MINISTRY  
OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE TO REPORT TO U D I N E TERRITORIAL H.Q. FOR  
THIS PURPOSE .

PRECEDENCE : I M P O R T A N T

AUTHENTICATED :

FILE A 100/1  
G (SD) (2)  
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FROM : A.F.H.Q. SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGEG 181851 A Oct  
 TO : M.M.I.A.  
 INFO : ALCOM

FX 49308 (.) <sup>32</sup> SECRET  
 REF YOUR A 1344 (.) IN ORDER TO QUALIFY AS D PS WITHIN  
 A.F.H.Q. DEFINITION OF TERM PERSONS MUST BE CIVILIANS WHO WERE  
 IN THAT STATUS ON MAY 8TH 1945 (.)  
 SLOVENES NOW BEING DEMOBILISED FROM ITALIAN ARMY DO NOT COME  
 WITHIN <sup>THIS</sup> CATEGORY AND ARE NOT THEREFORE ELIGIBLE FOR MAINTENANCE  
 THROUGH ALLIED DP CAMPS (.)  
 ANY WHO ARE UNWILLING TO CROSS MORGAN LINE MUST THEREFORE BECOME  
 MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITY OF ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

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 A 019/1 (Info)  
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 Show to Col H/P and COS  
 and pass this ruling to  
 Hq W and LO VOINE.  
 Hq 211-  
 19/10

AGG  
 — Shall we pass on other ruling  
 to M.I.D. and AMIA in Berlin?

maf. *Photocopy sent 20 Oct*

*[Signature]*

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FROM : SIGNED CONCERNED.

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DATE TIME.

TO : REAR XII CORPS, MACIA

161915 A

INFO : MAE XII CORPS, ALGER, USFET MAIN,  
USFET REAR, DELTA BASE.

REF : WAGET PX 49003

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SECRET

1. REFERENCE OURAD PX 48492 OF 12 OCTOBER.
2. CHANGE INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING CLOTHING TO READ "CLOTHING WILL BE EXCHANGED BY ARRANGEMENT WITH MEDIA"

ACTION COPY 7/12/77  
INFO T(AS)

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-FLGAT.

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C O P Y .

FROM : A.F.H.Q. SIGNED SACRED CITE FRENCH  
TO : M.M.I.A.  
INFO : ALOOM

181851 A Oct

SECRET

FX 49308 (.)  
REF YOUR A 1344 (.) IN ORDER TO QUALIFY AS D PS WITHIN  
A.F.H.Q. DEFINITION OF TERM PERSONS MUST BE CIVILIANS WHO WERE  
IN THAT STATUS ON MAY 8TH 1945 (.)  
SLOVENES NOW BEING DEMOBILISED FROM ITALIAN ARMY DO NOT COME  
WITHIN <sup>THIS</sup> CATEGORY AND ARE NOT THEREFORE ELIGIBLE FOR MAINTENANCE  
THROUGH ALLIED DP CAMPS (.)  
ANY WHO ARE UNWILLING TO CROSS MORGAN LINE MUST THEREFORE BECOME  
MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITY OF ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

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A 019/1 (Info) ✓  
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FROM : MIA LO 201 SUB AREA  
 TO : MIA ROME  
 INFO : MAIN 13 CORPS REAR 13 CORPS - 86 AREA FOR MIA LO  
 REF : M/359

DATE/TIME  
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SUBJECT CLOTHING FOR RADICAL SLAVS(.)

- (1) UNDERSTAND FROM CAPTAIN CRAIG THAT BLACK REPEAT  
 B L A C K DYED B.D. WILL BE ISSUED TO SLAVS IN EXCHANGE  
 FOR AMERICAN CLOTHING(.) THIS BLACK B.D. IS NOT IN W A P L E S(.)
- (2) HAVE NOTIFIED 13 CORPS THAT 5000 SETS B.D. WILL REPEAT WILL  
 BE IN HAND BY 19 OCT(.) REQUEST YOU VERIFY BY QUICKEST MEANS  
 THAT CLOTHING WILL REPEAT WILL ARRIVE BEFORE 20 OCT(.)
- (3) HAVE HAD NO REPLY TO MY M/349 OF XX 10 OCT OR MY M/351 OF  
 11 OCT(.) REQUEST YOU KEEP ME INFORMED AS TO ARRIVAL OF  
 CLOTHING ON WHICH AGREEMENT DATE HERE DEPENDS

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All above answered by folio 29 which was 3238  
 sent out on same date.

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM : M.M.I.A.  
TO : A.F.H.Q.  
INFO : REAR XIII CORPS  
MMIA LO 201 SUB AREA  
ALCOM

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN  
16 1110 A

REF A 1344

SECRET.

REF FX 48492 LAST SENTENCE (.) IF MEN UNWILLING TO RETURN TO HOMES  
EAST OF MORGAN LINE THEY CAN EITHER ENLIST IN ITALIAN ARMY OR BECOME  
DISPLACED PERSONS (.) CONSIDERED UNLIKELY THAT ANY WILL BE UNWILLING TO  
RETURN HOME

PRECEDENCE : IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED : *Wells*  
*f. Magis*

BT TO : G (SD) (2)  
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INCOMING SIGNAL

131540 Oct

FROM REAR 13 CORPS

TO DELTA BASE

INFO AFHQ USFET (MAIN) USFET (REAR) MMIA

(31)

REF: 1498

SECRET

REF F 47849 -Q- 1489 FROM MARCOUX (.)  
 ONE (.) CONFIRMED THAT 13 CORPS WILL ACCEPT SLOVENES AT UDINE FOR DEMOBILIZATION BY THE ITALIAN ARMY (.)  
 TWO (.) AFHQ RULES DO NOT AUTHORIZE DEMOBILIZATION OF SLOVENES IN AMERICAN UNIFORMS (.) AMERICAN BLOUSES TROUSERS TO BE EXCHANGED FOR A DYED BRITISH JACKET AND TROUSERS (.) ALL OTHER WEARING APPARELS, TOILET ARTICALS, MESS GEAR TO BE RETAINED BY SLOVENES (.)  
 THREE (.) AMERICAN OVERCOATS, HEADGEARS, WILL BE WITHDRAWN UNLESS PROVISIONS ARE MADE FOR DYEING PRIOR TO THEIR DEMOBILIZATION AT UDINE (.)  
 FOUR (.) TO FACILITATE THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY AND MEET THE 13 CORPS REQUIREMENT RECOMMEND THAT THE SLOVENES BE DESPATCHED WITHOUT AMERICAN OVERCOATS UNLESS PROVISION CAN BE MADE FOR DYING, AND ISSUE TWO BLANKETS IN LIEU OF OVERCOATS (.)  
 FIVE (.) RECOMMEND THAT ROSTER OF SLOVENES DISPATCHED AT UDINE INDICATE CLEARLY THEIR DESIRE OF GOING EAST OR WEST OF THE MORGAN LINE, FURNISHED IN QUADRUPLICATE (.)  
 SIX (.) THAT IMMEDIATE CONTACTS BE MADE WITH BRITISH LEGATION IN BERNE CAPT HAYNEMAN FOR FULL CLEARANCE OF SLOVENES TRAINS FROM SWITZERLAND BY ANNERPASSE STARTING ON OR ABOUT 23 OCT (.)  
 SEVEN (.) DIFFICULTY WILL ARISE IN THE EVACUATION OF HOSPITALIZED SLOVENES (.) NO FACILITIES ARE NOW AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA FOR THEIR RECEPTION

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator Reference: FX 48492  
Date/Time of Origin: OCT 12/1843A

Message Centre No: G 892  
Date Time Rec'd: OCT 13/1400A  
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: FREEDOM SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGOT

TO : ACTION: REAR 13 CORPS MMIA INFO: MAIN 13 CORPS ALCOM USFET MAIN,  
USFET REAR DELTA BASE

A. 1000  
HEADQUARTERS

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13 OCT 1945

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Reference your 01489 of 12 october.

your para 1. ourad FX 47849 does not require demobilization point be in 13 CORPS Area. Restriction was that a point be selected by MMIA west of TAGLIAMENTO river. However this Hq has no objection if UDINE is selected by mutual agreement between MMIA and 13 CORPS.

your para 3. All Italian cooperators of slovene origin will be accepted by MMIA from USFET and screening will be done in ITALY as arranged by MMIA to insure that those unwilling to return to homes east of Morgan Line Amerge Line are not required to do so.

your para 4. clothing will be turned in to nearest UNITED STATES supply depot for return to PBS Stocks.

your para 5. FOR DELTA BASE. Request you ship personnel equipped with mess kits and canteens.

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your para 6. FOR DELTA BASE. Request officer in charge each party bring rosters in quadruplicate. FOR MMIA. Furnish 13 CORPS Breakdown of rosters showing destination.

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your para 8. statement is being prepared and will be forwarded without delay  
plans for disposal of those unwilling to return to homes east of Morgan Line  
is desired from MMIA

*See signed copy last section*

*[Handwritten initials]*

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ACTION : LAND FORCES

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER  
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OUTGOING SIGNAL

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN  
13 11.30 A

FROM : M.M.I.A.

TO : A.F.H.Q.

REAR XIII CORPS

INFO : MAIN XIII CORPS

201 SUB AREA FOR M.M.I.A. LO

ALCOM

REF A 1342

S E C R E T

REF AFHQ FX 47849 AND XIII CORPS Q 1489 (.)

FIRST (.) U D I N E AS DEMOBILIZATION POINT IS AGREED (.)

SECOND (.) 2000 SETS DYED BLACK OUTER CLOTHING E T A U D I N E TERRITORIAL HQ

PRIOR TO 20 OCTOBER AND 3000 SETS PRIOR TO 27 OCTOBER (.) OUTER CLOTHING

IN POSSESSION OF PERSONNEL ON ARRIVAL WILL BE HANDED BACK TO ITALIAN

ARMY ON EXCHANGE FOR DYED CLOTHING (.)

THIRD (.) WAR MINISTRY WILL PROVIDE DEMOBILIZATION PERSONNEL AND RATIONS BY 20

OCTOBER (.)

FOURTH (.) FIRST GROUP CAN ARRIVE U D I N E 20 OCTOBER IF AGREEABLE TO XIII

CORPS (.) REQUEST XIII CORPS CONFIRM AND USFET BE ADVISED (.)

PRECEDENCE : I M P O R T A N T

AUTHENTICATED : M. J. ...

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AUTHENTICATED : *MSullivan L-lee*

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OCT 111045 A

OCT 121400 A

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FROM : DELTA BASE SIGNED RATAY CITE DBSLE  
TO : ACTION XIII CORPS  
INFO : TSFET, MMIA ALCOM, USFET (MAIN), SACMED, USFET (REAR)

SECRET.

REFERENCE SLAV REPATRIATION A.F.H.Q. CABLE FX-47849 FHGCT 9 OCTOBER 1945 (not to all) . MAJOR MARCOUZ THIS HEADQUARTERS WILL ARRIVE HEADQUARTERS XIII CORPS MONDAY F A L C O N E, ITALY BY MOTOR TRANSPORT 13 OCTOBER 1945 TO ARRANGE SCHEDULE AND DETAILS FOR REPATRIATION

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DUITY IMPROVING SIGNAL  
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FROM : MMLA LO 204 SUB AREA  
TO : MMLA ROME  
INFO : 86 AREA FOR MMLA LO 204 SUB AREA  
REF : 32/351

DATE/TIME  
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- (1) DIRECTION OF BARBERS IS CORP ROADHEAD BY DIRECTIONAL ARTILLERY(.)
- (2) AT CONFERENCE 13 CORPS TODAY DECISION REACHED THAT WE CANNOT  
ASS ET FIRST PARTY UNTIL 5000 MTS GREEN HD HAVE ARRIVED UHNS(.)  
228 DIV HAVE SUFFICIENT DYED HD FOR OUR PURPOSES AND I WILL  
ARRANGE RELEASE TO HD FIRST ROME DOES NOT ARRIVE
- (3) 13 CORPS AND 204 SUB AREA ARE SUPPLYING ACCN STORES OR CIGS  
AND TH(.)
- (4) UHNS TERRITORIAL HD CAN PROVIDE COORDINATING INFO IF WAR MIN  
COMMISSION DOES NOT ARRIVE IN TIME
- (5) ITH-ITP BATTNS AVAILABLE UHNS(.)
- (6) REQUEST URGENT BATTLE TO PARA FIVE BY 14/349 OF 10 OCTOBER

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Info:- O.I.  
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/Ten *see para 39*

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FROM : REAR 13 CORPS 111925 A

TO : A.F.H.Q. FOR C.M.F.

INFO : MAIN CORPS FOR G OPS ; GS I (B) ; MMIA ; ALCOM ; USFET MAIN ; USFET REAR ; DELTA BASE .

Q 1489

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PRIORITY  
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- REF YOUR FX 47849 OF 08.
- FIRST . IT IS PROPOSED TO RECEIVE RACIAL SLOVENES AT U D I N E . THIS IS NOT REPEAT NOT WEST OF TAGLIAMENTO BUT OWING ADMINISTRATIVE DIFFICULTIES IS ONLY SUITABLE LOCATION IN 13 CORPS AREA.
  - SECOND . AM MAKING ARRANGEMENTS ACCORDINGLY IN CONJUNCTION WITH MMIA AND WILL ADVISE YOU DATE OF ACCEPTANCE OF FIRST PARTY EARLIEST. THIS WILL NOT BE BEFORE 20 OCT AS MMIA A-RE PROVIDING DYED CLOTHING WHICH WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AT U D I N E BEFORE THAT DATE.
  - THIRD . COMMANDER WISHES THAT SLOVENES UNWILLING RETURN TO HOMES EAST OF MORGAN LINE ARE NOT DESPATCHED TO 13 CORPS AS FORCIBLE RETURN CONTRARY TO POLICY AND ALTERNATIVE DISPOSAL AS DISPLACED PERSONS NOT FOR THIS HQ. ACCORDINGLY REQUEST YOU ARRANGE WITH USFET TO SCREEN ALL PERSONNEL BEFORE DESPATCHED TO ENSURE THAT NO PERSONNEL UNWILLING TO RETURN TO TERRITORY EAST OF MORGAN LINE ARE DESPATCHED. SUGGEST YOU DESPATCH TO DELTA BASE BY FAST AIR LARGE SCALE MAP SHOWING MORGAN LINE TO ENSURE SLOVENES FULLY AWARE OF DELINEATION.
  - FOURTH. REQUEST DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR CLOTHING IN POSSESSION OF PERSONNEL ON ARRIVAL AND REPLACED BY DYED CLOTHING.
  - FIFTH . REQUEST ALL PERSONNEL IN POSSESSION OF EATING UTENSILS AND WATER BOTTLES.
  - SIXTH. REQUEST OF EACH PARTY BRINGS NOMINAL ROLLS IN QUADRUPLICATE SHOWING DESTINATIONS.
  - SEVENTH. ASSUME NO WOMEN INCLUDED IN 5000.
  - EIGHTH. REF MY 198 OF 17 SEPT . GRATEFUL YOUR IMPLEMENTATION OF PARA 5. CONVERSATION STEPANOVICH - TAYLOR REFERS.

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FROM : M.M.I.A. LO 201 SUB AREA  
 TO : M.M.I.A. ROME  
 INFO : REAR 13 CORPS - 86 AREA FOR M.M.I.A. LO

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MM/349 (.)

REF YOUR A 1320 OF 3 OCT NOT TO ALL (.)

FIRST (.) IN SPITE OF DIFFICULTIES SET OUT IN G SI MAIN 13 CORPS  
 SIGNALS UNDERSTAND 5,000 RACIAL SLAVS WILL BE ROUTED TO  
 U D I N E (.)

SECOND (.) PREPARATORY ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE HERE TO ACCOMODATE  
 1,000 AT U D I N E (.)

THIRD (.) 5 IT TERR H.Q. CAN FURNISH IT STAFF FOR DEMOBILISATION  
 PROCESS ONLY (.) THERE ARE NO RPTD NO FACILITIES ON THE  
 ITALIAN SIDE FOR HOUSING GUARDS COOKING AND TRANSPORT (.)  
 THESE MUST COME FROM ALLIED SOURCES (.)

FOURTH (.) NO SIGN OF DYED CLOTHING OR WAR MINISTRY PERSONNEL (.)

FIFTH (.) ITI-ITI DEPOT M E S T R E WILL FURNISH RATIONS AND 5 TERR.  
 H.Q. CAN SUPPLY M T FOR THIS PURPOSE (.)

SIXTH (.) REQUEST CONFIRMATION TARGET DATE FOR FIRST PARTY IS 14  
 OCT (.)

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SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian Military Personnel  
(US-ITIS) from southern FRANCE.

ITALY FOR THE 20th 21st 22nd 23rd 24th 25th 26th 27th 28th 29th 30th 31st  
(M.M.I.S.) K 10 20 30  
TEL: ADJUTANT 1st 2nd 3rd  
a 10/11 ✓  
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TO : MINISTRY OF WAR.

1. The 6,000 Italian military personnel (M-ITIS), mostly of Slovene origin, who have been serving in southern FRANCE are now to be repatriated and demobilized.
2. All the personnel concerned are to be sent by rail to a dispersal point West of the Tagliamento river. A suitable place is now being selected through MILA IO UDINE (Major 5515), and rail movement from Southern FRANCE will begin as soon as possible after this place is designated.
3. The Ministry of War will make the necessary arrangements to provide a screening staff at the dispersal point and will ensure that personnel are divided out on arrival between those whose domiciles are West of the MORVAN Line and those whose domiciles are West of the MORDAN Line.
4. 21st Corps will provide the necessary transportation from the point of dispersal to their homes for those who live West of the MORVAN Line; and for those living East of the MORVAN Line to points of transfer to be arranged by 21st Corps through the Jugoslav Mission.
5. Personnel will be received and demobilized at the rate of 500 every day.
6. Arrangements are being made by MILA through "G" channels for the dyeing of present clothing worn by the personnel prior to demobilization.
7. You will report when the Italian military personnel required by 2, 3 & 4 vide para 3 are ready to operate. This will in any case be not later than 10 October 1945.

*Fr/Cdr Vahan, M of W, phoned on 18 Oct and confirmed that all arrangements are complete except that the clothing has not arrived. I was then the man in hand and that he would try my best to get it done - W.P.*

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



1. The 5,000 Italian military personnel (M-1111), mostly of Slovene origin, who have been serving in Southern France are now to be repatriated and demobilized.

2. All the personnel concerned are to be sent by rail to a dispersal point west of the Tagliamento river. A suitable place is not being selected through 2014 to 2017 (Major 2011), and rail movement from southern France will begin as soon as possible after this place is designated.

3. The Ministry of War will make the necessary arrangements to provide a screening staff at the dispersal point who will ensure that personnel are divided up on arrival between those whose domiciles are west of the MORGAN line and those whose domiciles are east of the MORGAN line.

4. All Corps will provide the necessary transportation from the point of dispersal to their home for those who live west of the MORGAN line and for those living east of the MORGAN line to point of transfer to be arranged by All Corps through the Yugoslav Mission.

5. Personnel will be received and demobilized at the rate of 500 every day.

6. Arrangements are being made by All through 'G' channels for the issue of present clothing worn by the personnel prior to demobilization.

7. You will report when the Italian military personnel required 228 vice para 3 are ready to operate. This will in any case be not later than 13 October 1945.

*At Col Valer, m of W, planned on 18 Oct and confirmed that all arrangements were complete except that the clothing had not arrived. I told him the was in hand and that I would say Major 2011 for details. Major General M.F.I.A.*

COPY TO: MSLA LO UDISE

*ex*  
*Para 1. Called by SMRC (My Face) if those who were staying W. of Morgan line & some of service age could be kept in the Army.*  
*After referring to AAG & COS replied that personnel must be demobilized first, a few min. They said then to re-estimated so volunteers provided they were posted immediately to vacancies in units.*

*13 Oct*

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FROM : A.F.H.Q. SIGNED SACMED  
TO : M.M.I.A.

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SECRET.

REPATRIATION OF 4500 ITALIAN ARMY SLAVS FROM DELTA BASE (.) NOW FOLLOWS  
PARTIAL PARAPHRASE OF USFET SIGNAL S 26401 (.) ABOVE SLAVS HAVE GIVEN  
FAITHFUL SERVICE TO DELTA BASE SECTION (.) UP TO PRESENT THEY HAVE  
RECEIVED FOOD TREATMENT AND MEDICAL CARE (.) URGE THAT THIS TREATMENT  
BE CONTINUED DURING RETURN JOURNEY

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Exec Comm.

8th October, 1945

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Phoned General Lemnitzer 1140. Think those living East of Morgan Line should be turned over to JUG at a point east of the line.

(sgd) E.W.S. Chief Commissioner

To Land Office Sub-Commissioner.

EW.S. for Exec Com.

This has been approved on 18

EW.S.

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8th October, 1945

To: Chief Commissioner.

General Browning informs me that the latest form of returning Italian and Yugoslav troops to Venezia Giulia is as follows.

It has been recommended to AFHQ by Land Forces that these troops should arrive at Udine by rail in batches of 500 every 4 hours. At Udine they will be given and dressed in Army clothing dyed black without badges of rank or military emblems. So dressed, XIII Corps will transport them and distribute them in Venezia Giulia west of the Morgan Line.

AFHQ have not yet approved.

/s/ M.S. LUSH.

BRIGADIER  
Executive Commissioner

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FROM MMIA 111030A  
TO 201 SUB AREA  
REF Q.640 UNCLASSIFIED

FOR MMIA LO (.) REFERENCE A.1320 OF 3 OCTOBER (.) ORDERS RE  
DEMOBILISATION OF SLOVENES NOW IN POST MEANWHILE SIGNAL (a)  
LOCATION OF BARRACKS SELECTED WITH AGREEMENT 13 CORPS (b)  
DATE AVAILABLE

IMMEDIATE  
/s/ S.M. INGLEDEW

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C O P Y

SUBJECT: Demobilisation of SLOVENES

LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C.  
( M.M.I.A. ) R O M E  
Q/12/17  
10 Oct 45

MMIA LC  
c/o 201 Sub Area, UDINF  
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Ref this HQ signal A 1320 dated 3 Oct 45.

1. Attached FX 47849 of 9 Oct 45, which gives the governing and final instructions regarding the demobilization of SLOVENES.
2. You will find a suitable place for demobilization west of the river TAGLIAMENTO and inform this HQ of its location.
3. You are also requested to -
  - (a) give your views as to when rail movement from USFET can begin.
  - (b) Co-ordinate all details with 13 Corps Commander.

Major General  
M.M.I.A.

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OCT 9/1045 A

IMPORTANT

FK 47849  
OCT 8/1819 A

*See letter of 11 Oct*

FROM : A.F.H.Q. SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGOT  
TO : ACTION M.M.I.A. 13 CORPS  
INFO : USFET MAIN ALCOM DELTA BASE USFET REAR

SECRET.

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8 Reference USFET REAR EK 85264 12 September not to all. Our FK 43503 15 September.  
MMIA SD 2958 17 September not to all. 13 CORPS I 98 18 September not to all 13 CORPS  
I 99 20 Sept. not to all. MMIA A-1300(A-1400) (?) 21 Sept. not to all. ALCOM 5862  
22 September not to all.

MMIA will accept Slovenes and demobilize them at a point to be designated by MMIA west of the TAGLIAMENTO River. Repatriates will be carefully screened for Domicile to avoid releasing west of MORGAN Line those whose homes are in fact east thereof.

13 CORPS will provide necessary transportation from point of demobilization to homes for those living west of MORGAN Line and to points of transfer to be arranged by 13 CORPS through Yugoslav Mission for those living east of MORGAN Line.

These men will be received and demobilized at the rate of 500 every day.

MMIA will provide the necessary facilities for the drying of present clothing worn by this personnel prior to demobilization.

This personnel will not be used for bargaining purposes with BELGRADE.

MMIA will notify this HQ place of demobilization and when rail movement begins USFET can begin.

MMIA will coordinate all details with Commander 13 CORPS

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FROM: ISIA

DATE TIME  
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TO : MAIN 13 CODES

INFO: EOI SUB AREA FOR ISIA TO  
AFSA

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REF: A 1326

REFERENCE YOUR I 149 (.) OUR SIGNAL A 1520 OF 3 OCT STATED  
WE UNDERSTAND MESSAGE UNDERSTAND ONLY THAT AFSA PROPOSED  
MOVEMENT OF SLAVE (.) THIS WAS RESULT OF PHONE CALL FROM  
AFSA AND IS FOR PLANNING PURPOSES ONLY (.) REQUEST NO  
ACTION BY YOU EXCEPT PREPARATORY ACTION UNTIL AFSA ISSUES  
AN ORDER

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED

*[Signature]*

Not returned by  
any means or  
by instructions.

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FROM : MAIN 13 CORPS  
TO : M.M.I.A.  
INFO : FREEDOM CITE FHGOT FHGBI RESMIN 201 SUBAREA FOR MMIA LO

SECRET.

REF. I 149  
SUBJECT IS 5,000 REPEAT 5,000 RACIAL SLOVENES HELD BY USFET (.)  
YOUR A 1320 OF 3 OCT NOT TO FREEDOM NOT UNDERSTOOD (.) THIS H.Q.  
INFORMED VERBALLY BY FREEDOM 4 OCT THAT NO POLICY DECISION YET  
TAKEN BY LATTER H.Q. WHEREAS YOU STATE TARGET DATE FOR ARRIVAL  
FIRST PARTY IS 14 OCT (.) FURTHERMORE WE SHOULD BE GRAVELY  
CONCERNED AT PROSPECT OF DEMOBILISATION TAKING PLACE IN 13 CORPS  
AREA SEE MY 198 PARA 4 AND 199 PARA 1 AND OF THE ARRIVAL OF  
SLAVS IN LARGE BATCHES AT THIS DELICATE JUNCTURE.

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FROM : SIGNED EISENHOWER CITY ETGDD  
 TO : AFHQ FOR ALEXANDER  
 INFO : ALCONI ROME DELTA BASE SECTION THEATER SERVICE FORCES REAR.

SECRET

Subject is repatriation of Italian Army personnel of SLAV origin. At present there are in FRANCE 4,500 SLAVS who have given faithful service to the DELTA BASE SECTION. Up to date they have received good treatment and medical care and U.S. authorities request that this treatment be continued during their journey home and have asked if arrangements can be made for this personnel to travel by the following route in groups of 1,000 - from ANNEBOURG, FRANCE ATROYS (+) SWITZERLAND and onward to TRIESTE Via MILAN and VENICE. These persons are domiciled in the TRIESTE Area.

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This list up with 13. Council  
 order AFHQ.

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FROM MMIA

TO UDINE

INFO XIII CORPS

REF: A 1320

R E S T R I C T E D

FOR MMIA LG (.) WARNING ORDER (.) UNDERSTAND A F H Q WILL ORDER 5000  
U S - I T I PERSONNEL OF S L A V ORIGIN SERVING IN F R A N C E TO BE  
RAILED TO N E I T A L Y FOR IMMEDIATE DEMOBILISATION AT RATE OF 500  
PER 48 HOURS (.) UNDERSTAND XIII CORPS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONVEYENCE  
FROM DEMOBILISATION POINT AND DISTRIBUTION TO HOMES (.) CONTACT XIII CORPS  
IMMEDIATELY AND AGREE SUITABLE LOCATION WITH U D I N E T E R R C O M D (.)  
TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION FOR A MAXIMUM OF 1000 PREFERABLY ROAD AND RAIL  
SERVICED REPORT LOCATION SELECTED EARLIEST (.) WAR MIN WILL FURNISH DYED  
CLOTHING IN REPLACEMENT PRESENT UNIFORMS AND WILL SEND ADEQUATE PERSONNEL  
FOR DEMOBILISATION PURPOSES (.) R A T I O N S FROM I T I - I T I D E P O T S (.)  
J D I N E T E R R C O M D WILL UNDERTAKE LOCAL ADMINISTRATION ( ) XIII CORPS  
I 99 OF 19 SEPT REFERS (.) TARGET DATE FOR FIRST PARTY 14 O C T (.)

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*W.P. ...*  
*Colman*

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SECRET

I M M E D I A T E

FROM : MAIN 13 CORPS  
TO : FREEDOM CITE FHGCT FHGBI RESMIN  
INFO : M.M.I.A. ALCOM CITE AGEXE  
I 114

REFERENCE ALCOM 5862 OF 22 SEPTEMBER NOT TO M.M.I.A. AND OUR  
I 98 OF 17 SEPTEMBER (.) AGREED THAT 500 RACIAL SLOVENES ARE  
ITALIAN SUBJECTS BUT ARE KNOWN TO BE PRO TITO (.) THEIR RETURN  
HAS THEREFORE BEEN DEMANDED NOT BY ITALIANS BUT JUGOSLAVS WHO  
RIGHTLY REGARD THEM AS POTENTIAL SUPPORTERS OF JUGOSLAV CLAIMS  
TO VENEZIA GIULIA

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FROM : ALCOM CITE ACEYE  
FREEDOM CITE FHGCT FHGBI  
INFO : XIII CORPS USFOT REAR

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22 SEPTEMBER 1945

PRIORITY

UNCLASSIFIED (.)

REFERENCE YOUR FOX XRAY 43503 OF 15 SEPTEMBER AND M.M.I.A. SIGNAL  
A 1300 OF 21 SEPTEMBER (.) PROPOSAL CONTAINED IN LAST SENTENCE,  
PARA 2 OF 13 CORPS TELEGRAM ITEM 98 OF 17 SEPTEMBER IS NOT  
<sup>CONCURRED</sup>  
CONQUERED AS PERSONNEL IN QUESTION ARE ITALIAN SUBJECTS.

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Land Forces S/C (M.M.I.A.)  
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S I G N A L

FROM MILA

TO AFHQ

INFO ALCOM, XIII CORPS

211130 A

REF: A 1300

S E C R E T

REFERENCE 13 CORPS SIGNALS I 98 AND I 90 (.) FIRST (.) NOT ADVISABLE FOR PERSONNEL TO BE DETAINED IN ITALY BY ITALIAN ARMY AS DETENTION AND RELEASE BY SMALL PARTIES INTO T R I E S T E AREA ASSURED ONLY IF PERSONNEL DETAINED BEHIND WIRE OTHERWISE WOULD DESERT (.) FORCED DETENTION BY ITALIAN ARMY WOULD BE BIG PROPAGANDA FOR B E L G R A D E AND ONLY TEND TO INCITE THESE PEOPLE AGAINST ITALIAN ARMY (.) SECOND (.) IF RETURN OF THESE TROOPS TO BE USED FOR BARGAINING PURPOSES WITH B E L G R A D E SUGGEST PLANS PROVIDE FOR MOVEMENT FROM U S F E T BY SHIP TO ISOLATED PORT WHERE RELEASE WOULD BE MADE ONLY ON DELIVERY BY B E L G R A D E OF EQUAL NUMBER OF ITALIANS (.) THIS WOULD SOLVE PROBLEM OF DISCORDERS WHICH MIGHT BE CREATED IF MEN TRAVERSE OR STOP ANYWHERE IN ITALY (.) THIRD (.) SUGGEST RETURN OF SMALL PARTIES ONLY SO THAT DEMOBILIZATION CAN BE COMPLETED BY ITALIANS IN MATTER OF HOURS AND IMMEDIATE TRANSPORT BY TRUCK TO HOME AREA BE ARRANGED BY 13 CORPS (.) FOURTH (.) SCREENING TO ELIMINATE THOSE WHO DO NOT DESIRE TO RETURN TO HOMES SHOULD BE DONE IN U S F E T AND THIS CLASS THEN HANDLED AS DISPLACED PERSONS (.) FIFTH (.) CIVILIAN CLOTHING SHOULD BE ISSUED BEFORE DEPARTURE FROM U S F E T IN ANY CASE AS NONE AVAILABLE TO ITALIAN ARMY (.) SIXTH (.) ANOTHER ALTERNATIVE WOULD BE FOR DEMOBILIZATION PRESENT LOCATION AND SUBSEQUENT HANDLING FROM THAT POINT AS DISPLACED PERSONS (.) THIS WOULD REQUIRE THAT ITALIAN ARMY REPRESENTATIVES BE ALLOWED TO GO TO PRESENT LOCATION AND COMPLETE DOCUMENTATION PRIOR TO DEMOBILIZATION AND HANDOVER TO

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TO : FREEDOM CITE FBCT FEBBI RESMIN

INFO: ALCOM  
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REFERENCE ALCOM SD 2958 (.)

- 1 (.) WOULD POINT OUT EMPHATICALLY THAT NO ACTION ADVISABLE BY ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IN VENEZIA GIULIA FOR POLITICAL REASONS (.) NOR CAN WE ALLOW DETACHMENT OF 228 ITALIAN DIV INTO VENEZIA GIULIA FOR DEMOBILISATION PURPOSES AS THIS WOULD CONTRAVENE THE DUNO AGREEMENT (.) THEREFORE REITERATE OUR SUGGESTION THAT THIS BE DONE IN DISTWO (.) SEE CUR I 98 DATED 17 SEPTEMBER PARA 4 (.)
- 2 (.) DO NOT ANTICIPATE ANY DIFFICULTY FROM JUGOSLAV SIDE REGARDING THOSE WILLING TO RETURN TO JUGOSLAV OCCUPIED ZONE (.)
- 3 (.) AS RETURNING PERSONNEL ARE LIKELY TO BE INVOLVED IN DEMONSTRATIONS ETC SERIOUS DIFFICULTIES MAY ARISE IF THEY ARE IN UNIFORM (.) AS THEY ARE LIKELY TO ARRIVE DESTITUTE WOULD UNDERLINE IMPORTANCE OF THEIR BEING SET UP IN CIVILIAN CLOTHING BEFORE ARRIVAL

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SECRET. (.) REFERENCE FREEDOM FX 43503 (.)

ONE (.) AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO REPATRIATION THESE PERSONNEL (.)

TWO (.) BELGRADE HAS ALREADY GIVEN CONSIDERABLE PUBLICITY TO ITS DEMANDS FOR RETURN OF THESE MAINLY PRO-TITO ELEMENTS AND THEREFORE THEIR ARRIVAL IN VENEZIA GIULIA WOULD APPEAR AS MORAL VICTORY FOR JUGOSLAVS AND TEND TO LOWER ALLIED PRESTIGE SINCE IT WOULD APPEAR TO ITALIANS THAT ALLIES WERE UNABLE TO OBTAIN RETURN OF ITALIANS DEPORTED FROM VENEZIA GIULIA (.) SUGGEST THEREFORE THAT RETURN OF SLOVENES BE MADE BARGAINING COUNTER FOR RETURN OF ITALIANS STILL HELD BY JUGOSLAVS (.)

THREE (.) ASSUME THESE PERSONS UNWILLING TO RETURN TO VENEZIA GIULIA AND IN PARTICULAR TO JUGOSLAV OCCUPIED ZONE WILL BE WITHHELD UNTIL PRIOR TO ARRIVAL OUR AREA (.)

FOUR (.) IN VIEW PROBABILITY OF USE BY LOCAL PRO-JUGOSLAV FACTION OF RETURN OF THESE ELEMENTS FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES E.G. DEMONSTRATIONS ETC; AT TIME WHEN TENSION SOMEWHAT HIGH REQUEST THEY BE DESPATCHED IN SMALL BODIES *2012* REPEAT NOT ALL BELONGING TO SAME LOCALITY OVER PERIOD OF SOME WEEKS SO THAT MINIMUM LOCAL PUBLICITY BE GIVEN (.) SUGGEST TRANSIT RECEPTION ARRANGEMENT TO FACILITATE THIS MIGHT BE ESTABLISHED IN DISTWO AS CONCENTRATION IN CORPS AREA FOR THIS PURPOSE CONSIDERED MOST UNDESIRABLE (.)

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FIVE (.) AT SAME TIME REQUEST STORY OF THEIR CONDITIONS UNDER ALLIED ADMINISTRATION FOR PUBLICATION IN LOCAL PRESS IF DEEMED NECESSARY TO FORESTALL ANY RENEWAL OF PREVIOUS ALLEGATIONS BY BELGRADE OF THEIR ILL TREATMENT (.)

SIX (.) BELIEVE PERSONNEL NOW CLOTHED IN U.S. UNIFORMS (.) MOST IMPORTANT THAT ALL PERSONNEL BE DEMOBILISED AND PUT INTO CIVILIAN CLOTHES BEFORE ARRIVAL THIS AREA (.)

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USFET CAME EX 85264 DATED 12 SEPTEMBER NOT TO ALL BURNS (\*)

PARA 1 (\*) THIS HEADQUARTERS RECENTLY APPROVED REPATRIATION 5000 ITALIAN ARMY PERSONNEL (SLAV ORIGEN) FROM DELTARASE TO ITALY (\*) USFET REQUESTS APPROVAL TO REPATRIATE SUBJECT PERSONNEL BY RAIL FROM ANHEMASSE TO TRIESTE VIA MILAN AND VENICE (\*)

PARA 2 (\*) DESIRE YOUR COMMENTS SOONEST ON PROPOSED MOVE (\*)

PARA 3 (\*) FOR 13 CORPS (\*) ABOVE PERSONNEL ALL SLOVENES WHO WERE CONSCRIPTED INTO ITALIAN ARMY PRIOR TO ITALIAN SURRENDER AND WERE EMPLOYED AS LABOR UNITS IN SUPPORT US LINE OF COMMUNICATIONS SOUTHERN FRANCE (\*) THEIR HOMES ARE ALL LOCATED IN VENEZIA GIULIA ON BOTH SIDES OF MORGANA 3211 (\*)

PARA 4 (\*) FOR USFET REAR (\*) ABOVE PERSONNEL WILL NOT BE REPATRIATED UNTIL ABOVE ADDRESSEES HAVE VOICED OPINION GIVING DESIRED DESTINATIONS FOR DEMOBILIZATION AND ACCEPTANCE RATE THEREAT (\*) MINIMAL ROLLS LISTING LOCATIONS OF HOMES WILL BE REQUIRED PRIOR TO

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USFET CAME EX 85264 DATED 12 SEPTEMBER NET TO ALL R.F.ES (\*)

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ITALIAN ARMY PERSONNEL (STAV ORIGIN) FROM DELTA BASE TO

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USFET REAR INFO DELTA BASE ALCOM ROME USFET M, USFET M, USFET R.

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Your X-85264 dated 12 September refers.

Further study being made on destination 5000 army (ITALIAN)  
personnel of SLAV origin from DELTA BASE to ITALY.

Desire personnel be retained by you until details of  
demobilization can be worked out.

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FROM (A) SIGNED MCNARNEY

TO (FOR ACTION) USFET BEAR

TO (FOR INFORMATION) USFET MAIN, AQWAR, DELTABASE, **IA**

(REF. No) EX 41982 CITE NAGCT

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YOUR EX 61500 DATED 24 AUGUST REFERS TO ASSIST YOU CAN NOW ACCEPT REPATRIATION OF 5000 ITALIAN ARMY PERSONNEL FO YUGOSLAV ORIGIN FROM DELTABASE TO ITALY.

DESIRE INFORMATION AS TO WHETHER SHIPPING CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE FROM YOUR RESOURCES.

FINAL DESTINATION WILL BE PORT OF LEGHORN.

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