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June 7, 1945 - Nov. 21, 1945

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large,

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FROM (A) Originator: 53 BLU

Date-Time of Origin: 22 1509

For Action.

MMIA ROME

TO

(Wi) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

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Originator's No.

OP 68 O Unclassified O Ref your ST/1410 of 16 O Tel 0005 sent to JCIP Simone for anti barge fuel cons available O May action be taken to release Tulpine allocation as soon as possible

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Vienna for anti freeze but now available
O May attempt to obtain & release Fulpro
allocation as soon as possible

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref: Q8 - 67.
21 Nov 45.

To: HQ Folgore Inf. Div.

1. Authority has been given to CIPs to issue to Italian units during November, any balance of POL which was left undrawn at the end of October.

2. This does not affect the Reserve held at CIP BOLZANO, which must remain untouched.

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Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Done aero 14/11

S-T

8840

SUBJECT: POL for Italian Combat Divisions.

HQ No. 2 District, CMF.
1295/Q2.

14 Nov 45.

Land Forces Sub Commission (MMIA),
R O M E.

1. Reference your ST/1602 dated 2 Nov.

2. The instrs governing issues of POL to the Italian Army given in para 6(c) of AFHQ Adm Memo 42 of 1944, state that bids for POL will be made through MMIA LO for onward transmission to you. It has therefore been decided by this HQ in conjunction with MMIA LO MILAN that he will make bids in respect of December supplies of POL for the w/m Combat Groups:

1356

FOLGORE
FRIULI
LEGNANO
CREMONA
MANTOVA

3. Bids in respect of the PICENO Division and RTC IOV have not been made in the past by this HQ as these units are under Comd 3 District.

John Beaumont
Lt Colonel,
for Colonel,
DA & QMG.

Copy to: MMIA LO
ST
~~FOLGORE GRUPPO~~ 53 GRU
FRIULI " 50 GRU
~~LEGNANO~~ " 52 GRU
~~CREMONA~~ " 51 GRU
~~MANTOVA~~ " 56 GRU

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SUBJECT :- P.O.L. Requirements for FULGORE Division - Nov.

8835

[illegible]/1602

7 Nov 45

Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMIA)
HQMS
Tel : Rose 489081 Ext 526

To :- AFHQ Pet S.O., RAAC.

1. Herewith copy of signal received from 53 ELU for your information.

2. In view of forthcoming move of this Division a supplementary allocation will be requested and you will be informed of the additional quantities required in due course.

1355

for Lt. Col. ADST.,
Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMIA).

ALC/ag

Copy to :- 53 ELU (Ref QB-62)

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COPY OF INCOMING MESSAGE

FROM : 53 BLU

Date Time 050805 A

TO : M.M.I.A.

REF : Q8-62

CONFIDENTIAL

POL REQUIREMENTS FOR FOLGORE DIVISION IN NOVEMBER WILL BE CONSIDERABLY IN EXCESS OF ALLOCATION ALREADY MADE (.) AS SOON AS DETAILS OF MOVE RECEIVED EXACT REQUIREMENTS WILL BE MADE

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T11443/1444 130,120 pads 3/44 MP (52-6387)

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Date-Time of Origin: 16 1645

For Action.

TO MMIA ROME

(W) For Information (INFO)

MMIA N ITALY.

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No. 1353

~~QS-66. O Confidential O Concerning upon~~
~~receipt detailed instructions for redeployment of~~
~~Polgen Inf Bde in Brescia - Cremona area~~
~~and further to this office signal QS-62~~
~~dated 14 Nov O Extra requirements of POL~~
~~required immediately are as follows O Petrol~~
~~29,025 galls O Engine oil 1155 galls O~~
~~May the reserve at the CIP Palermo be taken~~
~~immediately to meet part of the extra requirements~~
~~and may the balance be released by CIP Palermo~~
~~as soon as possible~~

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and further to this office signal 68-62
dated 4 Nov & extra requirements of POL
required immediately are as follows Petrol
29,000 galls & Kerosene 1155 galls &
may the reserve at the CMP Borzano be taken
immediately to meet part of the extra requirements
and may the balance be released to CMP Borzano
as soon as possible

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T1143/1444 138,120 pads 3/44 MP (52 6387)

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For Action.

TO (W) For Information (INFO) Message Instructions. GR

Headquarters Fifth Army

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Originator's No.

0168 ⊙ Hueloio ⊙ Instead of sending your combat group monthly POL requirements for december to disturer forward them direct to HQ NMA Copy this office ⊙ For NMA ⊙ Disturer letter 1995/02 of 7 Nov refers

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POL requirements for december be
distributed forward Then direct to
HQ USMTB Copy This office @
For USMTB @ Distribution letter
1295/92 of 7 Nov refers

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Signed.	Signed.				

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T11455/1444 138 120 pads 3/44. MP (52-6387)

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FROM (A) Originator: 53 ENG

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For Action.

MMIA ROME

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

MMIA N ITALY

Message Instructions. GR

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Originator's No.

~~A/38-65 Unexpended Fuels Jet Engine POL requirements for Ducati or future Bunkers Rome 3510 Tow 2050 Kmora 400 Mosso at 1500 Mosso at 400 Hemos 50 at 50 Ceno at 50 Gruss 3000 Cos Fonte 1 at 20 - 40 Jet Fuel extra POL requirements for [redacted] [illegible] not yet known at this place at the moment~~

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Bundle 0 Pulac 3360 0 Lolo 2050 0 Kowam
400 0 1050 at 100 0 1050 at 400
Timor 90 at 50 0 C 600 at 50 0 Guam
3500 lbs 0 Pulac to use 20 lbs of 4 ~~one~~ Pro-
ects for requirements for ~~[illegible]~~ Remainder
not yet known so will space not yet allocated

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Fabbisogno carburanti e lubrificanti mese di dicembre

- Benzina	fusti da 42 gls americani	3860	pari a litri	613.624,200
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- Petrolio	" " " " "	400	" " "	63.588,000
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- Olio H.D. 50	" " " " "	40	" " "	6.358,800
- Olio HY 90	" " " " "	50	" " "	7.948,500
- Olio C. 600	" " " " "	50	" " "	7.948,500
- Grasso	libbre	3000	" " Kg.	1.359,000

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For Action.

MMIA

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

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Originator's No.

G Sec ① Confirmation ① POL requirements for Jalgaon division in November with the considerably increases of allocation already made ① As soon as details of move received exact requirements will be notified

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FROM (A) 53 BLU — Originator — Date-Time of Origin. 05 1630A

For Action.

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TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR 1348

Originator's No.

AG/08-64 ⊙ Reference HQ 2 District letter 1296/Q 2 dated 3 Nov 45 addressed to you ⊙ ~~Anti-freeze~~ Immediate Anti-freeze requirements for Folsom Mission in accordance with latest GRO are 144 galls ⊙

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for Folgore division in accordance with latest GRO are .144 galls ⊙

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Subject. Culpificant forwarding.

To 53 BLV

The researches made by the ST Company at the pompre to ascertain if the content of the railwaiv carricg 200652 has been collected by the dependent P.P. have ~~given~~ 13 ~~7~~ IV negative issue.

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COMANDO DIVISIONE "MONGRE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - Sezione Servizi

n° 4365/Serv. di pent. Bressanone (P.M. 146), li 23 ottobre 945

OGGETTO: Spedizione imballaggi.-

AL 53° R. I. T.

Rif. foglio 08-52 del 12.10.1945.-

La ricerca effettuata dal Reparto Trasporti e Rifornimenti per accertare se il contenuto del vagone 200652 fosse stato ritirato dal dipendente Deposito Carburanti hanno dato esito negativo.-

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CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE s.p.s.
(Col. Umberto De Martino)
(Maggiore Petrilli)

A FO23.X45.GR SIGNALS

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Amy Emerging DD

MESSAGE FORM

FROM : HQ 60 SUB AREA on 1630A.

TO : LIST 'A'

Q 22. UNCLASSIFIED (.) PETROL POINT OPERATED BY 68 FD REGT ON MERANO RD BOLZANO CLOSES WEF 0800 1 NOV (.) NEW PETROL POINT OPEN WEF SAME TIME AND DATE AT CASERMA VITTORIO EMANUELE (AT REAR OF STN XDS)

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This message may be sent
AS WRITTEN

IMPORTANT

Signed:- Commanding Capt.

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SUBJECT:- Conservation of Fuel.

Headquarters,
60 Sub Area,
CAE
301/Q
10 Oct 45.

List 'A'

1. Owing to the extreme scarcity of solid fuel in this Area it is necessary that the most stringent economy be practised at all times by all Units.

2. In order to cut down the consumption of solid fuel in this Area all Units will convert immediately to oil burning for all cooking and heating purposes.

3. It is pointed out that there is very little solid fuel available at present and the position is not expected to improve in the future.

4. In these circumstances it is requested that CoC Units will give this matter their closest attention.

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R. W. Harding
Capt
for Major,
DAA & QMG.

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53 B.L.U.
Ref: QB - 53.
5 Nov 45.

Subject: Packed P.O.L.

To: OC 7 Petrol Depot, EAAF.

Reference your POL/224 dated 7 Oct 45.

Full enquiries have been made into this matter, but no trace of the truck load of POL can be found by the Falgore Division.

for Major,
DAA & QMG.

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. Q8-60
30 Oct 45

8568

To :- H.Q. FOLGORE Inf Div

Ref our Q8-52 of 12 Oct 45 and your 4248/Serv of 16 Oct 45.

No.7 Petrol Depot are anxious to have a reply on this matter. Will you please take immediate hastening action to get the matter cleared up.

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Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. Q8-59
30 Oct 45

To :- No.7 Patrol Depot, RASC, CMF

In reply to your POL/224 dated 17 Oct 45, we have not yet received information on the subject from FOLCORE Div, but hastening action is being taken.

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Lt.Col. for Director
G.S.

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Subject:- Packed POL.

No. 7 Petrol Depot, RASC., CMF.
Ref:- POL/224.

17 Oct 45.

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25 OCT 1945

BTA/35.
~~731 DVA.~~
~~46 Div.~~
~~84 Div.~~
POLCOMM GROUPS.

8254/Q8

1. A reply is awaited on our POL/224 dated 7 Oct 45. Please expedite.

for Major RASC.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

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(W) For Information (INFO)

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref 98 - 58
30 Oct 45

To:- FOLCORE Inf Div

1. The u/m quantities of POL have been released to the FOLCORE Infantry Division for the month of November 1945, to be drawn from CIP BOLZANO.

MT 80 Barrels	AGO Barrels	KORO Barrels	Motor Oil	Grease lbs	0600
3587	600	10	139	2050	20.5

2. Up to 10% of the petrol allocations may now be made in coupon form to allow vehicles proceeding out of the area on long journeys to draw petrol from other CIPs when necessary.

3. All quantities of POL not drawn by 30 Nov 45 will automatically be cancelled.

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4. The Reserve held at CIP BOLZANO from the October allocation will remain untouched and will continue to be held as a Reserve.

5. Arrangements have been made with the Italian Ministry of War and HQ CIP whereby Combat Divisions will not be required to pay cash for POL products, such payment being made on their behalf by the appropriate Territorial Commands.

Lt. Col.
G.S.

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COMANDO DIVISIONE "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M.-Sez. Servizi
- - -.

N. 4442/Serv. di prot. Bressanone (P.M. 146), li 27 Ottobre 945

OGGETTO: Buoni di prelevamento carburante.

AL 53° B. L. U.
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Risp.f. n. Q.U-50 del 12-10-45
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ARMY
FO27 X4E GR
SIGNALS

Si restituisce, firmato per ricevuta, il buono di prelevamento
n. 191/9 del 1-9-45
con preghiera di inoltro al 7° Petrol Depot.

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p. IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE a.p.s.
(T. Col. Umberto De Martino)
(Maggiore Francesco Petrilli)

COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio Capo di S.M. - 2^ Sez. Personale e Segreteria
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N° 5176/Ru

Bressanone P.M. 146, 15 ottobre

ARMY
FO 16.X.45 GR
SIGNALS

OGGETTO: olio di oliva.-

AL 53. B.L.U.
(rif. Q8 - 42 del 2.10.45)
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1. - Nel mese di giugno u.s. il S.ten. Chiesa del Quartier Generale del Gruppo "Folgore", veniva fermato al posto di blocco di Col di Nava e gli venivano sequestrati Kg. 250 di olio che egli aveva acquistato in Liguria per miglioramento rancio della truppa del "Folgore".-

2. - Il tenente Chiesa aveva l'autorizzazione di questo Comando ed aveva dimenticato di portare seco l'autorizzazione dell'A.M.G.O.T. di Bressanone, che probabilmente gli avrebbe facilitato la missione, considerato che in quell'epoca erano ammessi gli scambi di merce (farina con olio) fra le province dell'Italia settentrionale e la Liguria.-

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3. - Ritornato il Chiesa senza l'olio e con la perdita di oltre £. 17.000.=, questo Comando si interessò presso il Comando della Legione Territoriale CC.RR. di Genova che aveva effettuato il blocco, presso la Prefettura di Imperia e presso l'A.M.G.O.T. di Imperia, pregando detti Enti di volersi interessare perchè l'olio, che non costituiva elemento di illecito commercio, ma miglioramento rancio per la truppa, fosse sbloccato o quanto meno venisse rimborsata la somma spesa, la cui sottrazione avrebbe inciso sul vitto della truppa nel mese di luglio.-

4. - Il tenente Chiesa ritornò sul posto con lettera di accreditamento dell'A.M.G.O.T. di Bressanone, del B.L.U. e del Comando "Folgore" per cercare di sistemare la questione, ma gli venne risposto che non si aveva alcuna prova che i docu-

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La cosa giunta a questo punto venne messa nelle mani del Maggiore Gibb del 53° B.L.U. che scrisse all'A.M.G.O.T. di Imperia chiedendo lo sblocco dell'olio.-

A tale lettera fu data la risposta: che per la restituzione della somma occorre prendere accordi col proprietario dell'olio.-

5. - In sintesi i soldati del Gruppo "Folgore" hanno perduto l'olio e la somma.-

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(ten. col. U. De Martino)

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Subject: Olive Oil

55 B.L.U.
Ref. 98-56
25 Oct 45

8484

To :- A.M.G. BRESSANONE

In reply to your R XII/BZ/AMG/GEN/729 dated 27 Sep 45.

Enquiries into this matter reveal that 2/Lt.CHIESA proceeded to LIGURIA with an authority from AMG BRESSANONE to purchase olive oil for the FOLGORE Division. This officer is not at present with the Division but information has been received that he visited a number of places in the area, buying at several different establishments in varying quantities, but exactly where is unknown. He apparently did not set off with any definite knowledge of establishments but just called in at various likely places on his tour.

Although the persons selling the oil may be at fault, it is submitted that the officer making the purchases, in possession of an authority, was not, and, therefore, the FOLGORE should have the olive oil returned to them.

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A Chaure
Capt
Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. Q8-55
22 Oct 45

8431

To :- H.Q. FOLGORE Inf Div

Information has now been received that lubricants are now available from CIP VENICE.

If you are still unable to obtain lubricants from CIP BOLZANO, the latter should be informed that VENICE now have received stocks and CIP BOLZANO should take action to collect.

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Lt.Col.
G.S.

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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) Originator: Q DUSTO

Date - Time of Origin: 19 1720 A

For Action: (1) 217 Area (2) 60 Sub Area

TO (W) For Information (INFO): PIA 90 EAG 55 TAU

Message Instructions: QSH

GR: 14

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[illegible] (1) [illegible] (2) fourteen days [illegible] to be issued to [illegible] and without prejudice [illegible]

QOZ 2 SS

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Signed

Signed

Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority: (2) IMMEDIATE

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo ddi S.M. - 1^ Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.

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n° 4248 /Serv. di prot; Bressanone P.M. 146, li 16.10.1945

OGGETTO: Spedizione lubrificanti.-

AL COMANDO REPARTO TRASPORTI E RIFORNIMENTI

per conoscenza:

AL 53° B. L. U.
(rif. Q8 - 52 del 12.10.45)

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Il 25 settembre il 7° Petrol Depot ha spedito al 1330
6 M P F C di Verona, a mezzo ferrovia, 152 taniche da 4 gals. di H D 10, caricati sul vagone 200652. Poichè a Verona non si è fin'ora riusciti a rintracciare nè il vagone nè il contenuto, si presume che questo possa essere stato incluso in altro convoglio.

Si prega voler fare gli opportuni accertamenti onde stabilire se il lubrificante sia stato per errore ritirato da codesto Reparto e riferire in merito.-

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per conoscenza:

AL 53° B. L. U.
(Rif. 08 - 52 del 12.10.45)

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d' ordine

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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ARMY FO 1945 GR SIGNALS OCT 1945

COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOGGIA"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1^ Sez.O.-Inf.Serv.

N.4236/Serv. di prot. Bressanone P.M. 146, li 15 OTT. 1945

OGGETTO: Buoni di prelevamento carburanti.

AL 23° D. I. U.

Si restituiscono firmati per ricevuta, i seguenti buoni di prelevamento trasmessi con i fogli:

Q.8.44 del 4-10-45 buoni n. 244/9 - 234/9 - 221/9 - 212/9
Q.8.46 " 7-10-45 " " 256/9

con preghiera di inoltro al 7^ Petrol Depot.

1329

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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32 OCT 1945

MODE V LNCF NR 2010 IMPORTANT CVR 1/5
FROM W W I A 1114002A
TO SIPTIC
INFO S4 BLU - S1 BLU - S3 BLU - S5 BLU - S6 BLU -

HUIA LO MIRAN

CH --- ET

C SSS (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.)

REFERENCE DIS TWO RE SAS OF 9 OCT NOT TO ALL AGENT BRITISH SOURCES

NOT ALLOWED IN FOR HEATING FUEL FOR COMBAT GROUPS BUT BRITISH ORDINANCE

HAS ISSUED OIL BURNING STOVES AND ITALIANS ONLY SUPPLY WOOD FUEL (.)

CAN ONLY SUGGEST YOU ARRANGE OIL BURNING STOVES BY WOOD BURNING 1328

OR MAKE LOCAL ADJUSTMENTS

ET

NNNN SS42 21S7A RE E1

RR CHH 21S6 A E1

(9)

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827h

TRANSITIAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit
Ref. QB-50
Date 12 Oct 45

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLCOME

Enclosed herewith AF G.1033
~~Letter/Signal~~ Ref. in duplicate
Dated 24 Sep 45
Received from No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

Forwarded for :-
Information .....
Necessary action, please .....
Investigation & report .....
Perusal & return, please .....
Remarks Please sign duplicate copy and return to this HQ. 1327

.....
for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Sil. No. | Priority | Transmission Instructions

8274

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

Office Date Stamp

FROM (A) Originator: 53 B.L.U. For Action

Date-Time of Origin: 121215 A

H.Q. Combat Group POLGORE.

TO (A) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions — GR

Originator's No.

QB-31 (.) Ref this H.Q letter Ref QB-12 dated Oct 2, 45. (.)

Please instan reply.

1326

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR		
Time cleared		

This Message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except wireless

Signed

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

Signed

Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority

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COPY

Subject: Packed P.O.L.

No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC, CMF
Ref. POL/224
7 Oct 45

To :- FOLGORE Gruppo

1. On 25 Sep 45, railway truck No.200652 was loaded with 152 x 4 gall drums of HD 10 for 6 MPFC/VERONA. No trace of this truck or contents can be found arriving at VERONA and it is presumed it may have been included in one of the other packs.

2. Any information you can shed upon this matter would be appreciated.

Signed - L.Williams, Lt.
for Major RASC
O.C. No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Subject: Packed P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. Q8-52
12 Oct 45

1325

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Herewith copy of letter ref POL/224 of 7 Oct 45 received from No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

May any available information on this matter please be forwarded to this HQ.

Reply not yet received

Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject:- Pecked POL

No. 7 Petrol Depot R.A.S.C., C.M.F.
Ref:- POL/224.

7 Oct: 45.

BTA/25
033 DMA.
46DIV.
DAA 27.
POLGOR GRUPPO.

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Report if to investigation [illegible]

1324

for Major R.A.S.C.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot R.A.S.C.

The Field.

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No. 8237

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A)

Originator: 53 Bde

Date-Time of Origin: 111600A

Office Date Stamp

For Action

Dist Two

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Ref my O Urgent 23 Bde O Reference this HQ's

QS-43 of 2 Oct and MM 17 reply Q 624

of 8 Oct O LG Decoc allotted 750

1323

stoves heating O Authority requested

installation of kerosene to tank O tank

will be at the HQ /

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Q 5-43 of 3rd and MMA reply Q 6:4
of 8 Oct 0 < 6 inches allotted 750
1323
Gross ~~of heating~~ 0 Authority requested
for allocation of Kerosene to Sale & Sale
at Cardiff Port. MA

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except WIRELESS	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.	Time	System	Op.
Signed	Signed		THI or TOR		
			Time cleared		

F.S.S. "A" M 150 - 28,000 Pads 100-44

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MODE V LROF NR 9745 CVR 1

FROM N N IA 081100Z

TO SS BLU

INFO DISTWO

GR --- ET

C 634 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.)

REFERENCE YOUR 00-43 OF 4 OCTOBER (.) SPACE HEATING DOES NOT COME UNDER ALLOCATION OF POL (.) NO PARAFFIN KNOWN AUTHORISED FOR HEATING (.) SUGGEST YOU CONTACT DISTWO

RT

SENT 9745 2125A SE AR TOT

D ONN 2125 A D1

1322

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI CACCIA TERRESTRE "MONTEBELLO"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1° Sez.Op.Int.Serv.

N. 4050/Serv. di prot. Dressanone p.... 14.10.1943

OGGETTO: Buoni di prelevamento carburante e lubrificante

Subject: Have to receive vouchers for P.O.L.

A 55° R. L. V.

All return signed & receipted the following vouchers forwarded with the following notes:

Si restituiscono firmati per ricevuta i seguenti buoni di prelevamento trasmessi con i fogli:

- 31 del 5-8-45 - Buoni n. 156/8 - 166/8 - 176/8
- 2.8-36 del 25-9-45- " n. 102/9 - 80/9
- 2.8-37 " 26-9-45- " n. 127/9 - 129/9 - 54/9 - 105/9
- 2.8-38 " 27-9-45- " n. 137/9 - 157/9
- 2.8-39 " 28-9-45- " n. 138/9 - 141/9 - 149/9 - 157/9

con preghiera di inoltro al 7° Petrol Depot.

requesting you forward same to 7 Petrol Depot.

1321

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. Q8-47
7 Oct 45

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

ST

1. It is emphasised that under no circumstances will issues of P.O.L. be made from Allied Military stocks to vehicles of Italian Combat units. Allocations have been made to C.I.P. to allow them to issue to all Gruppi from civilian sources.

2. If journeys longer than the vehicle tank capacity permit are necessary, it is the responsibility of the unit to arrange for refuelling with C.I.P. Application to Allied petrol points will be refused.

1320

Major
G.S.

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7 OCT 1945

12466

MBDB V MEAV 050244/050245 QVR 3/4

FROM Q DISTWO 051430 A

TO 217 AREA MMIA 50 BLU 53 BLU

QQX GR 42 BT

QS 819 (.) RESTRICTED (.) REF QS 796 OF 021120A (.)

GHQ CMF TAKING HASTENING ACTION REGARDING P O L

SUPS FROM C IP FOR ITALIAN ARMY UNITS (.) ISSUES P O L EX

BRITISH STOCK S TO GRUPPOS WILL CONTINUE UNTIL RELEASE FROM C I P

EFFECTED BUT ESSENTIAL ISSUES ARE REPORTED AS IN PAST

BT 051430 A

SENT NR 244/245 M.M. AR K

RD OHH 1810A AR TKS

1319

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. QB-45
7 Oct 45

To :- ST 217 Area

ST 2 District

1. In view of the fact that Combat Group FOLGORE commenced drawing P.O.L. through Italian channels, may this HQ please be informed if the former returns on P.O.L. are still required.

1318

Major
G.S.

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816

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. Q8-46

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Date 7 Oct 45

Enclosed herewith AF G.1033 ~~Letter/Signal~~ Ref. in duplicate

Dated 30 Sep 45

Received from No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks Please sign duplicate copy and return to this HQ

.....

.....

.....1317

..... for Major ~~Lt.Col.~~ C.S.

Subject : [illegible] for [illegible].

50 British Liaison Unit.

Ref 37/6/25.

6 Oct 45.

817

[illegible]
rpt
HQ 2 District
HQ 217 Area
SS B.L.U.

1. The take over by the Italians of the responsibility for provisioning PGMMI 100 with POL has proved most unsatisfactory and the following observations are forwarded.

2. The first intimation of the change over was received by this HQ in your 37/1601 dated 7 Sep. This merely stated that it was anticipated that the effective date of the change over would be on 1 Oct.. The next intimation of the change over came in your signal 37/1611 dated 25 Sep which merely confirmed that 1 Oct was to be effective date of change over. Finally, your signal ref 37/1610 dated 27 Sep arrived at this HQ on 30 Sep. This gave allocation of [illegible] to the C.I.F. but conveyed little because of distortion. Final sentence stated that letter follows which to date has not been received.

3. The action taken was as follows.

The Gruppo were informed immediately of the impending change over and all available information was passed to them by this HQ.. Little, however, could apparently be done until the allocation of POL was known and more details were forthcoming. On 30 Sep when the information was available an Officer from the Gruppo was sent to contact the Director of the C.I.F. but being a Sunday no one was available. On 1 Oct tpt and another Officer was sent and they were informed by the C.I.F. that they knew nothing of the military drawing from them. On 2 Oct an Officer from the HQ was sent to contact the Director to sort out the difficulties and it was arranged that POL could be drawn on the following day. The tpt duly went to draw on 3 Oct and were asked for the money to pay for the petrol, this amounted to over 900,000 lire. This being the first intimation that this was in fact to be worked on a cash basis, they were naturally without the money and were in consequence refused petrol. Finally, by sending Officers to various centres the picture became clearer, but time had to be allowed to raise the necessary cash. The Gruppo is apparently now expected to draw 9 million lire every 10 days to pay for 10 days POL consumption. This is a fairly neat sum of money and it seems to this HQ an extraordinary bad and cumbersome system open to all sorts of abuses.

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4. In order that the Groups would not come to a complete standstill and admin break down altogether, this HQ has received authy from HQ 2 District via HQ 217 Area to carry on drawing from British sources.

5. The difficulties in liaison and making all the arrangements outlined above were enhanced by difficulties in comms and the fact that [illegible] and [illegible] are some 75 miles away and [illegible] some 40 miles and various people at all these places had to be seen.

6. Neither Groups have received no instructions from either [illegible] or the Territorial Comd and were in consequence only in possession of the limited information which could be given them by this HQ.

7. It is felt strongly by this HQ that the disagreement and difficulties encountered are entirely due to the very scanty information which was given regarding the functioning of the S.I.A.. Will those who were asked about this were also extremely vague and gave no more information than was contained in your correspondence. Had authy not been obtained to draw POL from British sources whilst this matter was being sorted out, the Groups would undoubtedly have come to a complete standstill.

[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

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8145

SUBJECT:- P.O.L. for Italian Combat Groups.

ST/1610

2 Oct 45

Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMIA)
ROME
Tel : Rome 489081 Ext 526

To :- All Bdes.

Reference ST/1602 of 28 Sept 45.

1. Owing to the limited quantities of P.O.L. available at each C.I.P. and Posto di carburanti it is not possible for vehicles to be refuelled in regions other than those in which the units's allocation has been made available.

2. Accordingly all vehicles proceeding on long journeys must carry sufficient fuel to complete the round trip until the introduction a coupon system which may possibly be introduced shortly and which would obviate this necessity. 1315

3. In the case of large convoys, it is possible to obtain an authority from the local C.I.P. depot for vehicles to refuel at another specified C.I.P. depot, and for the amounts so drawn to be debited against the depot from which the allocation is normally obtained.

for Lt. Col. ADST.,
Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

AMB/mg

Copies to:- ST 2 District
ST. RAAC.
Ministry of War

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Subject : POL

To : HQ Combat Group FOLGORE
ST

53 B.L.U.
Ref. 48 - 48
7 Oct 45

415

1. Further to this HQ letter 53 - 40 of 29 Sep 45.

2. The object of the reserve of MT 80 and Gasoil to be held at CIP Bolzano is that, should any of the other Combat Groups experience a serious shortage later in the month, MMIA could arrange to make the whole or part of it available to them.

3. With regard to demands for POL, MMIA state that in general the quantities demanded for October have been considerably "cut", and that owing to the limited quantities available no supplementary allocation can be made for October and that further reductions will probably be necessary for November.

Major, 1314
G.S.

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8129

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. Q8-44

Date 4 Oct 45

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLCOIE

Enclosed herewith 4 AFs. C.1033 in duplicate

Letter/Signal Ref.

Dated 27 (2), 28 & 29 Sep 45

Received from No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks Please sign duplicate copies and return to this HQ.

1313

for Lt.Col.
G.S.

ARMY FORM C 2186 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No. C.I.P/5. 1

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
	13034	P	QVR 2

8101

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY. Office Date Stamp

FROM (A) Originator: 217 AREA — Date-Time of Origin: 021800A

For Action

50 BLU 53 BLU

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

ST 217 AREA DISTWO

Message Instructions. G

R

Originator's No. QG 195 ⊙ Rectel ⊙ Ref conversation DAQMG 217 Area SC Q ONE TWO DIST 1 Set ⊙ Authority given for issue of POL to 50 and 53 BLU pending CIP pt CIP becoming operational ⊙ for 50 BLU 1200 POL for one plt pt VERONA authorised until such time Plt (PC) is moved

1312

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Recd 50 @ ONE TWO DIST 1 Det @ Artillery

given for issue of POL to 50 and 53

BLU pending CIP upt CIP becoming operational

@ for 50 BLU 1200 POL for one plt at VERONA

authorized until such time Pl (PL) is moved

1312

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except } WIRELESS.	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.	Time	System	Op
Signed	Signed	Important	THI or TOR		
			Time cleared		

P.S.S. "A" M 150 - 25,000 Pads 100-44

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ARMY FORM C 2156 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
			8103

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
	53 Bde	031800A	

For Action

HHIA

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

DISTRO

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

48-43 0 Unclassified 0 Reference the HQ's

88.35 of 21 Sep and your SS/1610

of 27 Sep 0 C 53 Troops has recently

requested again that allocation to Southend

of 425 Bands of Parachutes for 2nd Bde

be required for training.

1311

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RE: 35 (2) 2nd and 3rd Gren 87/1610

(2) Sect 0 (6) Inc Cross has urgently requested again that allocation be authorised of 425 Barrels of Paraffin for Cooking (this is required for heating)

PA/

1311

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except WIRELESS	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.	Time	System	Op.
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T.S.S. "A" M 150 - 25.000 Pads 100-44

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Subject: Olive Oil

To:- HQ Combat Group FOLGORE

53 B.i.U.
Ref Q8 - 42
2 Oct 45

1. Reference this HQ's Q8-8 of 17 Aug 45.

2. AMG now report that the return of the oil to Combat Group FOLGORE is not possible and that arrangements for the restitution of the 17,500 lire are to be made direct by you with the owner.

3. In addition, AMG desire to have a detailed report on this transaction which shows when, in what manner, from whom and under what authority the oil was purchased by the Combat Group FOLGORE.

4. Please submit these details to this HQ as soon as possible.

1310

Lt.Col.
G.S.

Reply not yet received

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8068

COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO " FOLGORE "
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1 Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.

21 OCT 1945

R. 3921/serv.

P.M. 146 li 30 settembre 945

OGGETTO : Carburanti e lubrificanti.

Subject: Petrol & Lubricants

5015 A L 53 B. L. UL
To 53 B. L. U.

Rif. f. 98 - 40 del 2º sett.

Ref No. 98-40 of 29 Inf.

7805

.425 x 43 gls

Questo Comando con foglio 3677/serv. del 19 sett. aveva richiesto, per il mese di ottobre, un'assegnazione di gls 425 di petrolio.

Poiche' il foglio a riferimento non prevede alcuna assegnazione di tale tipo di carburante, si prega voler interessare le ~~le~~ superiori 1309 autorita' competenti perche' sia assegnato, per il mese di ottobre, il quantitavo di petrolio richiesto. La richiesta riveste carattere di particolare importanza ed urgenza, occorrendo il petrolio per il funzionamento della stufe gia' richieste.-

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

7805

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Ref No. 98-40 of 29 Sep

7805

.425 x 40

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

7805

This HQ on ref 3677 Serv. of 19 Sept. requested for October an allotment of ~~425 galls~~ 425 x 42 galls of paraffin

Since the H/Q ref. No does not provide any allotment of this oil, we beg you to request the higher authorities to allot for October the quantity of paraffin requested. The request is of particular importance & urgency as the paraffin is for stoves already requested.

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053 BLU

8056
30 SEP 45

SUBJECT :- Supply of P.C.L. to Italian Combat Troops.

ST/1610

27 Sep 45

Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMIA)
ROME
Tel : Roma 489081 Ext 526

1308

To :- ALL MMIA LOs
" BLUs

Attached copy of AFHQ signal FX 45700 dated 25 September is forwarded for information.

for Lt. Col. ADST.,
Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMIA)

W3305/ag

Copy to :- Q.
ST/1601

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COPY OF SIGNAL

FROM : AFHQ 25 1930 A

TO : REAR XIII CORPS
DISTWO
DISTHREE
ROME AREA

INFO : M.A.I.A.

FX 45700

RESTRICTED (.) SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGDQ (.) SUBJECT IS SUPPLY POL TO ITALIAN COMBAT TROOPS (.) ONE (.) EFFECTIVE 1 OCT ITALIAN COMBAT TROOPS WILL DRAW POL FROM CIVIL SOURCES (.) AFTER THAT DATE NO ISSUES FROM W.D. STOCKS WILL BE MADE TO ITALIAN COMBAT TROOPS (.) WORK TICKETS AND RUBBER STAMPS QUOTE ENTITLED TO DRAW POL FROM ALLIED MILITARY STOCKS UNQUOTE WILL BE WITHDRAWN AND RETURNED TO THE NEAREST STATIONERY DEPOT (.) TWO (.) THIS INSTRUCTION IS NOT APPLICABLE TO ER-ITI US-ITI SERVICE TROOPS (.) THREE (.) AFHQ LETTER FILE AG463.7/229 PET-O DATED 9 SEP IS BEING AMENDED ACCORDINGLY

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IMPORTANT

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

BOLZANO PROVINCE
VENEZIE REGION

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
A. P. O. 394.

Bressanone
DATE: 27 Sept.1945

SUBJECT: Purchase of Olive Oil.

TO: OFFICER COMMANDING 5 3 B L U .

REF: R XII / BZ / AMG/GEN/ 729

1- Attached is certain correspondence relating to the purchase of olive oil by the Combat Group "Folgore" in Imperia.

2- This office has been requested to obtain a detailed statement of this transaction through 53 BLU and also if possible the name of the person from whom the oil was purchased. 1306

3- It would be greatly appreciated if this statement could be forwarded to this office, for onward transmission to the P.P.S.O. Bolzano.

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
Province of Bolzano
Civil Affairs Officer

Capt.

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit
Ref. Q8-39
Date 29 Sep 45

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLGOTE

Enclosed herewith in duplicate
~~Letter/Signal Ref.~~ AF G.1033
Dated 24 Sep 45
Received from No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC

Forwarded for :-
Information .....
Necessary action, please .....
Investigation & report .....
Perusal & return, please .....
Remarks Please sign duplicate copies and return to this HQ.

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for Lt.Col.
G.S.

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

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FROM (A) — Originator: S=KKU — Date-Time of Origin: 20 09 50 A

Office Date Stamp: 8019

For Action

TO: ST 217 Area

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

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Ref my O Restricted O Answering your verbal request of 29 Sep O Alleged theft of Japanese s/m Modified 2 Sep O Quote O Reference your signal of 27 Aug O Pre Stock summary of foodstuffs as follows O 20 Sep O Petrol 0 Kerosene 4 Mogas O Diesel 891 litres O Unquote

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OPTIONAL Instructions Urgent your medical requirements
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Petrol 2 qsbs gals O Kerosene 2 qsbs gals
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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1^ Sez.Op.Inf.Serv.

28 SEP 1945

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N. 3836/Serv. di prot.

P.M. 146, li 27 Settembre 945

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OGGETTO: Buoni di prelevamento

AL 53^ B. L. U.

ARMY
FO 27.IX.45.GR
SIGNALS

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Rif. Q 8-29 del 15/9/45

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Si trasmettono, debitamente firmati per ricevuta, i sottonotati buoni di prelevamento carburante:

- 184/8
- 10/9
- 4/9
- 30/9
- 191/8

con preghiera di inoltro al n. 7 Petrol Depot.

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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Subject : POL

53 B.L.U.
Ref. G8 - 40
29 Sep 45

To : Hq Combat Group FOLGORE (2)
68 (SM) Fd Regt RA
Italian CIP BOLZANO
ST
Camp

1. Reference this HQ's G8-35 of 21 Sep 45 (not to 3rd and 4th addressee) and G8-28 of 14 Sep 45 (not to 2nd, 3rd and 5th addressee

2. It has now been confirmed by ST 217 Area and by MMIA that wef 1 Oct 45 all Italian Combat Tps will draw POL from CIP sources and after that date no issues will be made to them from Allied Military stocks.

3. Under ST/1610 of 27 Sep MMIA have authorised the following issues of POL for October to Combat Group FOLGORE (under authy : AFHQ Pet Sec Ref. Pet 30/B/18 of 25 Sep):

Ex CIP BOLZANO

Barrels	Qty	3860	MT 80
"		258	Gasoil
"		107	Point 7 Motor Oil
"		26	Point 5 0600
Lbs		2600	Grease

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4. Of the above allocation 12 % MT 80 and 60 % Gasoil will remain undrawn at CIP and will not be released without prior reference to MMIA through this HQ.

5. Please arrange to liaise forthwith with CIP BOLZANO regarding the details of receipt and accounting og the POL.

6. All work tickets and stamps "Entitled to draw POL from Allied Military Stocks" will be returned to this HQ, with a certificate that no such work tickets or stamps are held by any unit in Combat Group FOLGORE.

7. Wef 1 Oct this BLU will draw POL from the Petrol Point set up by 68(SM) Fd Regt RA in BOLZANO.

Lt. Col.
G.S.

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. 1 Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.
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Prot.n.3854/serv. P.M.146,li 28 settembre 1945

OGGETTO: Buoni di prelevamento.

Subject: Issue of Receipt vouchers.

AL 53 B. L. U.

(Riferimento foglio Q8-32 del 17 c.m.)

Ref 98-32 of 17 sept) — 1763/98

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* Si trasmettono gli unuiti buoni di prelevamento carburanti n.44/9 - 67/9 - 73/9 - 23/9 - 17/9 - 36/9 - 51/9 - 60/9 - con preghiera di inoltro al 7. Petrol Depot.=

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col.Umberto De Martino)

* We forward attached receipt vouchers for 44/9 - 67/9 - 73/9 - 23/9 - 17/9 - 36/9

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SIGNAL

(Riferimento foglio 08-32 del 17 c.m.)

Ref 08-32 of 17 Sept) — 7763/78

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

* We forward attached receipts vouchers for petrol. Nos. 44/9 - 67/9 - 73/9 - 23/9 - 17/9 - 36/9 51/9 - 60/9 asking you to please forward same to No. 7. Petrol Depot

Rec'd in Dec 24 Oct 45

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FROM: M.M.I.A. 271745A

TO: DISTWOGM RAAC.

INFO:

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'F' BL & TU CESANO

MMIA LO TURIN

MMIA LO GENOA

MMIA LO MILAN

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201 SUB AREA FOR MMIA LO

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S.M.R.E.

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LEGHANO (.) EX CIP MILAN (.) 4443 MT 80 (.) 75 GASS OIL Q 17 KERO (.) 113 MOTOR OIL (.) 2200 GREASE (.) 22 POINT 6 0600(.) TWO [illegible] MT 80 (.) 11 POINT 4 MOTOR OIL (.)

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. Ref. 98-38

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Date 27 Sep 45

Enclosed herewith, in duplicate

Letter/Signal Ref. AFs G.1033

Dated 19 Sep 45

Received from No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

53 British Liaison Unit
Ref. QB - 37
Date 26 Sep 45

Enclosed herewith
AFs G1033 ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Ref. 109/9 127/9 120/9 92/9
Dated 1 Sep 45
Received from No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for :-
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Investigation & report .....
Perusal & return, please 1298
Remarks .....
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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO " FOLGORE "
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1 Sez.Op. inf. Serv.

n. 3739/serv. P.M. 146 li 24 settembre 945

OGGETTO : consumo carburanti .

AL COMANDO REGT. PARACADUTISTI " NEMBO "
AL COMANDO REGT. FANTERIA " GARIBALDI "
AL COMANDO REGT. ARTIGLIERIA " FOLGORE "
AL COMANDO ENG. MISTO GENIO
AL COMANDO REP. TRASPORTI E RIF.
AL COMANDO OFFICINE MECCANICHE
AL COMANDO PARCO MOBILE A.C.A.
AL COMANDO SEZIONE SANITA'
ALLA DIREZIONE 516 OSPEDALE CAMPO
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AL COMANDO 131 NUCLEO CHIRURGICO
ALLA 114 AMBULANZA OFTALMOLOGICA
AL COMANDO COMPAGNIA CC.RR.
AL COMANDO QUARTIER GENERALE
AL COMANDO 2' SQUADRA PARAFTIERI
AL COMANDO CITTA' DI BOLZANO
AL COMANDO CITTA' DI BRUNICO
AL COMANDO CITTA' DI GORIZIA

e per conoscenza :
A.M. 53 B. L. U.

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Seguito fogli : 1555/serv. del 6.5.1945
1626/serv. del 13.5.1945

1. Nei mesi di agosto e settembre il consumo medio di benzina ha raggiunto circa i 5000 gls.al giorno,superando cosi' di molto il contingente giornaliero stabilito dalle Autorita' alleate (3000 gls escluso il Rgp.Trasporti e rif.).-

2. In relazione a quanto sopra e nella considerazione che dal prossimo primo ottobre il Gruppo di Combattimento effettuera' i prelevamenti non piu' dai depositi alleati ma dal C.I.P. (Consorzio Italiani Petroli) con conseguente forte riduzione del quantitativo attualmente assegnato,e' necessario che i reparti cominciino fin d'ora ad orientarsi verso un regime di estrettissima economia.
Tale orientamento manca assolutamente oggi.
Giornalmente ho modo di constatare come l'impiego degli automezzi dei reparti non sia inspirato al criterio di massima economia.

3. In attesa che siano rese note le assegnazioni di carburante da parte del C.I.P. la spet-
[illegible] sia cosi' stabilita :

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AL COMANDO 131 NUCLEO CHIRURGICO
ALLA 114 AMBULANZA ODONTOIATRICA
AL COMANDO COMPAGNIA CC.RR.
AL COMANDO QUARTIER GENERALE
AL COMANDO 2' SQUADRA PARAFTIERI
AL COMANDO CITTA' DI BOLZANO
AL COMANDO CITTA' DI MERANO
AL COMANDO CITTA' DI CORTINA

e per conoscenza :

A.L. 55 B. L. U.

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Tale orientamento manca assolutamente oggi.
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3. In attesa che siano rese note le assegnazioni di carburante da parte del C.I.P. la spettanza giornaliera per i reparti dipendenti rimane cosi' stabilita :

- Rgt. Nembo - Garibaldi ed Artigl.	500 gls. giornalieri ciascuno
- Btg. misto Genio	300
- Officine Meccaniche	200
- Parco Mobile A.G.A.	200
- Compagnia CC.RR. (S.S.M. compresa)	100
- Quartier Generale	150
- Sezione di Sanita'	145
- 516 Ospedale da Campo	30
- 517 Ospedale da Campo	30
- 131 Nucleo Chirurgico	15
- 2' Squadra Paraftieri	5

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- C.do Citta' di Bolzano 30 gls. giornaliori ciascuno
- C.do Citta' di Merano 10
- C.do Citta' di Cortina 15

Il carburante per la 114' Ambulanza cicatrizatrice sara' assegnato di volta in volta in relazione ai eventuali spostamenti.

4. Il prelevamento del carburante dovra' essere effettuato :

- ogni 2 giorni: dal Rgt.1 di Fta. e Artgl., dal Btg. Genio, dalle Officine Meccaniche, dal Parco M.A.G.A. e dal Quartier Generale;

- ogni 4 giorni: dalla Pesione Sonita' e dalla Compagnia CC.RR.;

- ogni 7 giorni: dal 516 e 517 Deposito Campo, 151 Nucleo Chirurgico, 2' Squadra Fanteria e dai Comandi Militari di Citta'.

Inoltre per comodo di automezzi e di carburanti desidero che il prelevamento sia effettuato direttamente dai Comandi interessati, che a loro volta provvederanno a distribuire il carburante ai reparti dipendenti. Cio' quando non sia piu' economico far prelevare i reparti direttamente alle G.M.A.-

Ad ogni modo desidero che non si ripeta piu' quello che ho dovuto constatare nel prelevamento del giorno 18 u.s. in cui il Rgt. " Garibaldi " inviava alla 16 G.M.A. per prelevare 25 fusti di benzina 7 autocarri 3 tonn, dove ne sarebbero bastati due. Altrettanti ne inviava il rgt. Artiglieria per il prelevamento di 35 fusti di benzina, mentre il battaglione genio ne inviava 5 per prelevare solo 17 fusti.
Se tale e' la mentalita' occorrerebbe ad ogni modo di carburante di parte dei reparti.

IL GENERALE COMANDANTE
(Guido Piglorni)

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Se tale e' la mentalità nell'impiego il forte consumo di carburante da parte dei reparti.

IL GENERALE COMANDANTE
(Guido Fidelora)

P. C. C.

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject POL

53 British Liaison Unit
Ref. G8 - 36
Date 23 Sep 45

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLGOEE

Enclosed herewith
Letter/Signal Ref. AF G 1033
Dated
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Forwarded for :-
Information ...XXXXX.....
Necessary action, please ...XXXX
Investigation & report .....
Perusal & return, please 1295
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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. QC-35
21 Sep 45

To :- Land Forces Sub Comm A.C.(MMIA)

H.Q. Combat Group POLGORE
68 (SH) Fd Regt RA
SF

1. Ref your SF/1607 of 7 Sep 45.

2. The estimated requirements of POL for Combat Group POLGORE for October, to be drawn through Italian Regional CIPs, are as follows :-

Petrol	3400	Barrels of 42 US gells
Diesel	100	" " " " "
Paraffin	425	" " " " "
Oils: MD 30	130	" " " " "
MD 50	60	" " " " "
MY 90	50	" " " " "
C 600	50	" " " " "
Grease GS	3000	lbs

3. The above requirements are solely for Combat Group POLGORE and do not include any estimated amounts for other units and transit convoys which are being supplied at present through the POLGORE Petrol Point at BOLZANO. Daily issues of this nature are 1000 - 1500 gells of petrol.

4. 68 (SH) Fd Regt RA, it is understood, are setting up a Petrol Point at BOLZANO which will cater for all non-Italian units vehicles. It is hoped that this point will be set up prior to 1 Oct 45.

Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject: Economy - POL and Tyres

53 B.L.U.
Ref. 98-33
19 Sep 45

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To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Camp

Herewith copy of General Routine Order 1015 of 1945 for your information and necessary action.

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Lt.Col.
G.S.

ECONOMY - P.O.L. and TYRES

1. GENERAL

The termination of the war has in no way decreased the need for economy in POL and tyres; in fact it is of the greatest importance still to ensure control and economy in the use of MT.

All economies in the use of POL and tyres are a direct contribution towards general recovery and a more speedy return to normal conditions.

Therefore, it is essential that all practicable steps are taken immediately to reduce the uneconomical use of MT, to tighten up the existing procedure for issue and recording of POL and to implement measures for the conservation of tyres.

2. RATIONING OF P.O.L.

The quantities of POL available to this theatre on military account are to be reduced, and the theatre as a whole will be rationed. It is not, however, practicable to adopt rationing within the theatre but economies will be effected by the adoption of methods set out in paras 3 and 4 below.

3. ACTION BY DISTRICT/FORMATION COMMANDERS

(a) District/Formation Commanders will be responsible for ensuring strict compliance with GRO 223/45 (Use of WD Transport for Recreational purposes), GRO 546/44 (Tyres - Conservation, Maintenance and Pressures) and for implementing such of the following measures as are appropriate to the local conditions prevailing in their respective areas.

(i) The limitation of distance which a vehicle may travel without the authority of the next higher formation.

(ii) The maintenance by units of a "Work Book" showing the disposition of vehicles and how they are engaged day by day.

(iii) Extension of the system of milk-rounds among units for the collection of rations laundry etc.

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(iv) Institution of unit slogan campaigns.

(v) Erection of sign boards and propaganda posters.

(vi) Encouragement of a competitive spirit among units and drivers by the publication in orders of MPG figures for the various types of vehicles.

(vii) Examination of the practicability of imposing one or two days MT holidays per week.

(viii) The reduction in the number of petrol points operated by units.

(b) In addition to the method outlined in para 3 (a) above District/Formation Commanders will initiate any further methods for co-ordinating the use of transport which they consider would be of value in effecting the desired economy.

4. ACTION BY UNIT COMMANDERS

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4. ACTION BY UNIT COMMANDERS

Unit Commanders will be responsible for the following action :-

(a) Supervision of unit MT administration, with special reference to the following points :-

(i) Comparison of actual petrol consumption with target MPG. In cases of excessive consumption, vehicles will be evacuated for workshop examination.

(ii) Daily check of tyre pressures.

(iii) Weekly check of brakes and wheel alignment.

(iv) Every vehicle to be off the road for at least one day per week for overall check under unit inspection.

(v) Strict scrutiny and maintenance of Army Forms and Records.

(b) The introduction of work tickets (AF C.3518) for all vehicles. The custody and care of work tickets will be tightened up. They will be serially numbered and will be kept under lock and key by an officer.

(c) Re-education of unit drivers with special attention to the following :-

(i) Rigid compliance with speed limits.

(ii) Avoidance of engine idling while vehicles are stationary.

(iii) Reduction of wastage and spillage to a minimum.

(iv) Prevention of overloading.

(d) Close co-operation with local units to ensure that vehicles do not travel empty.

5. All orders issued by Districts/Formations in respect of economy of POL and tyres will be repeated in unit orders.

(To be published in unit and formation orders). GRO 1015/45.

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1ª Sez.Op.Inf. Serv.

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P.M. 146, li 21 Settembre 945

Al Sig. Cap. King

Le invio la copia di quella lettera sui carburanti 1291
Tale lettera, spedita il 20.9.945, è stata ricevuta alle ore 11.40 dello stesso giorno dal Signal Office del 53ª B.L.U.

Cordialità
Cap. Guardabassi

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N. 3677/Serv. di prot. P.M. 146, li 19 Settembre 945

OGGETTO: Carburanti

AL 53ª B.L.U.

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Rif. foglio Q 8-28 del 14 Settembre

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Il quantitativo di carburante occorrente ai reparti del Gruppo di Combattimento "Folgore" per il mese di ottobre è il seguente:

Benzina	3400	Barrels	da	42	gals	americani
Gasolio	100	"	"	"	"	"
Petrolio	425	"	"	"	"	"
H.D.30	130	"	"	"	"	"
H.D.50	60	"	"	"	"	"
H.Y.90	50	"	"	"	"	"
C. 600	50	"	"	"	"	"
Grasso	3000	lbs				

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Il quantitativo di petrolio è stato calcolato supponendo che vengano assegnate le 750 stufe a petrolio già richieste dal dipendente Dados. Nel fabbisogno non è compreso il carburante occorrente per i veicoli in transito attualmente riforniti dal Petrol Point di Bolzano. Pertanto qualora debbano essere ancora riforniti, occorre che l'assegnazione venga maggiorata (si tenga presente che attualmente le distribuzioni si aggirano sui 1000-1500 gals inglesi di benzina giornaliera)

IL GENERALE COMANDANTE
(Guido Pialorsi)

P.c.c.
IL CAPO SEZIONE SERVIZI
(Magg. F.Petrilli)

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1ª Sez.Op. Inf. Serv.

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N. 377/Serv. di prot. P.M. 146, li 19 Settembre 945

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FO 20.IX.45.GR
SIGNALS

OGGETTO: Carburante

AL 53ª B. L. U.

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Rif. foglio Q 8- 28 del 14 settembre.

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Rif. foglio Q c= 20 del 14 settembre.

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IL GENERALE COMANDANTE
(Guido Fialorsi)

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject ..POL.....

Ref ...G.-32.....

From : 53 British Liaison Unit

Enclosure Ref ...AT.G.1033.....

To : H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action please .XXX.

Investigation and report .....

Porusal & return please .....

Remarks ...Please sign.....
duplicate copy and return
to this HQ. 1287

Date ..17.Sep.45.

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. G8 - 31

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Date 15 Sep 45

Enclosed herewith

Letter/~~Signal~~ Ref. POL/213

Dated 7 Sep 45

Received from CMASC 13 Petroleum

Installations under cover of ref 13PI/47 of 7 Sep 45

Forwarded for :- ~~XXX XXXXX~~

Information .....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks 1286

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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT :- Pack Despatches.

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations.
G. . T.
13 17/47
7 Sep 45

CRASC 13 Div
GC 5 [illegible]
GC 6 [illegible]
GC 139 Petrol Depot
GC 300 [illegible]
GC 12 [illegible]
53 [illegible]
733 [illegible]

1. Herewith details of Pack Despatches for 6 Sep 45

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Lt. Col.
CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations

In teh Field.

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SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C., C.M.F.
Ref:- POL/213. 7 Sept. 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations. (3)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Polgoro Gruppo by this Unit on 6 Sept. 45.

Truck No.	MT,SO Brls.
413602	1700
270699	2380
42509	1870
Total.	5950

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Capt. R.A.S.C.
for Major, R.A.S.C. (A.O.L.)
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject E.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. 48 - 30

To :- B.A. Combat Group POLCOM

Date 15 Sep 45

Enclosed herewith

Letter/Signal Ref. BLU/313

Dated 28 Aug 45

Received from CRAMC 13 Petroleum Installations under cover of ref 13PI/47 of 29 Aug 45

Forwarded for :-

Information ...xxxxxxxx.....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks .....

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..... For Lt.Col.
G.S.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

SUBJECT: [illegible] Decorations.

GRADE 15 Intrepidus Irsin Tolbiss
D.S.C.
13 Sep 47
[illegible]

GRADE 45 Div.
CC 5 Regts.
CC 6 Regt
CC 250 Patrol Depot.
[illegible]
[illegible]

1. Reason in detail of Pack decorations by 28 Aug 45.

45 SEP 1945

Wand Arthur
Lieu

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In the Field.

GRADE 15 Intrepidus Irsin Tolbiss.

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CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT : Economy in POL

HQ 50 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT

HQ AMIA
rptd: Senior Liaison Offr, AMIA ROME
51 BLU
52 BLU
53 BLU
56 BLU

ST/G/15

11 Sep 45

Ref your Q 22 dated 28 Aug 45.

1. Your above quoted letter was received by this HQ today in company with replies to it from 51, 52, and 53 BLU.

2. Ref AMIA LO 230 ITI Div letter 230/14 dated 19 Aug 45.

a) All the journeys quoted were in fact journeys authorised by GOC FRIULI ICG or his rep of the rank of full COLONEL.

b) It is agreed that carelessness is shown in that work tickets were not correctly made out. Disciplinary action may be taken on those grounds if the Gp Comd so wishes.

c) No flagrant abuse of tpt appears to arise.

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3. a) For the last twelve months BLUs have implored your HQ for executive authority to "curtail" abuses and negligences within the GRUPPI.

b) The necessary authority has not been forthcoming.

c) This unit is only able to advise FRIULI of the regrettability of such occurrences.

4. a) Exception is taken to the tone and substance of the last para of Capt THRUPP's letter.

b) With the notable exception of Lt col EXERTON, Senior AMIA LO stationed in ROME, no out-station AMIA LO and to my knowledge visited my HQ for the past four months.

c) It is submitted that junior officers employed as AMIA LOs might be more conversant with the functions of BLUs and the workings of ITALIAN COMBAT GROUPS, as well as obtaining wider experience as staff officers, if in fact they occasionally visited BLUs.

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5. This BLU is so well aware of the abuse of tpt by this ICG that at my request 217 Area agreed some weeks ago to refuse all POL at all Pet Pts to all single vehicles belonging to FRIULI ICG.

A.R. Courtney
Lt Col
GS

ARCS/SYB

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[redacted]

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. (SUB)

[redacted]

1. Ref your 1/22 of 20 Aug and HQA 10 letter 250/1/. of 19 Aug attached

Observe.

2. At this HQ every effort is made to prevent the unauthorised and improper use of tpt by Combat Group POLOGNA. Issues of petrol to the Group units are rationed, no vehicle is allowed to be driven without its driver being in possession of a movts ticket, and if the vehicle has to leave the Group area and is likely to require POL from Allied dumps the movts ticket is endorsed and countersigned by an officer of this HQ. In addition, all GP reports of Group vehicles outside the Group area are investigated and a report submitted to this HQ.

3. However it is realised that the s/c endeavours by no means prevent the unauthorised and improper use of Allied tpt and any advice as to what additional safeguards could be instituted would be appreciated.

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4. It is, however, with some amazement that the last sentence of the HQA 10 letter is received. Have especially in this so when it is appreciated that this letter is written by a junior officer and one who is unlikely to have had as much experience in dealing with Italian Combat Groups as nearly all the members of this HQ staff.

5. It is pointed out that even the safeguards enumerated in para 2 will become increasingly difficult to enforce now that the HQ MT is so greatly reduced.

Lt.Col.
G.S.

Subject : Economy in P.O.L.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
S/22

7 Sep 45.

To : 51 M.L.U.

1. Reference your Q.6 of the 4 Sep 45 received today. Your comment on the implied criticism of the work of the M.L.U. by a junior Liaison Officer is noted. This M.L. is not in agreement with the suggestion made in the last paragraph of the letter referred to above. It was not intended, and it was unjust to the originator, to pass on this extract from his letter to you without comment. It was not intended and it was not intended to either criticise your liaison unit or those affiliated to the other Gruppi for their failing to "exercise effective control over the movement of all vehicles of the Gruppi".

2. The information contained in the letter in question came at a time when the attention of the War Ministry had been directed to the flagrant abuse of transport by Italian Unit Commanders. It was therefore appropriate and is intended to direct your attention to this failing which may not be so apparent in the unit as it is to the out station Liaison Officers who are called upon to authorise the issue of petrol to vehicles which have run dry.

3. The action which is expected of you and of the senior officers of the other Liaison Units is to impress to the Italian Commander the necessity for the closest supervision by his officers of the employment of transport.

4. It is probable in the near future that the issue of petrol to the Combat Groups will be made from stocks supplied by the Italian Government and that all Italian Army vehicles will be forbidden the use of Allied Petrol Points.

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R.A. Curtiss

R.A. CURTISS, Lt.Col.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to : 50 B.L.U.
52 B.L.U.
53 B.L.U.
56 B.L.U.
M.M.I.A. L.O. 230 Div., c/o Florence Cmd. (Ref. your 230/14, dated 19 Aug 45.)

/Ago

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLCOM

55 British Liaison Unit

Ref. 98 - 29

Date 15 Sept 45

Enclosed herewith

AFs G1033 Letter/Signal Ref. 191/8 10/9 2/9

Dated 30 AUG. 2 SEP 30/9 191/8

Received from 1 SEP, 5 SEP, 31 AUG No. 7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks .....

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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject: POL

53 A.L.U.
Ref 28 - 28
14 Sep 45

To:- 1Bn Combat Group FOLGORE

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1. Herewith attached copy of MMIA letter ST/1601 of 7 Sep 45 forwarded for information and necessary action.

2. Estimated requirements of POL for October to be drawn from CIP are to be forwarded to this Bn by 18 Sep for onward transmission. (Vide para 4 of attached letter.)

3. Estimated amount should be for Combat Gp FOLGORE only (and affiliated units) and is not to include transit vehicles etc which at present are supplied from BOLZANO PP.

Reply not yet received 18/9 [illegible]

Lt. Col.
G.S.

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Subject: P.O.L. Procedure

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. (MMIA)
R O M E
Tel: Rome 489001 Ext 526

SX/1601
7 Sep 45

To:- All HLU's and MMIA LOs

1. It is anticipated that effective the 1st Oct Gruppi BR-TTIS and US-TTIS will cease to draw POL from Allied Dumps but will be supplied by C.L.P. in the same manner as III-TTIS.

2. Army are asking all British and American Formations with Italian Army Units under their command for their estimated requirements of POL for October for these units.

3. This estimation is required to be given in Barrels (42 US Gallons) and grease in lbs, (35 Imperial galls = 42 US galls).

4. Each Formation's estimated requirements should be broken down to show quantities to be made available at each Regional C.L.P.

5. (a) If the above comes into operation on October 1st, all formations will be informed of their bulk allocations.

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(b) The formation concerned should then liaise with the appropriate Terr Command so that the Command can arrange with the Regional CLP at which Provincial CLP the various parts of their allotment should be made available. See Appx 'A'.

6. Once the monthly allotment has been notified, no supplementary allocations can be made unless a special task has to be performed in which case full details with supporting facts and figures will be required by AMG Pet Sec. The channels through which such applications are to be made will be notified later.

7. W.e.f. from the date on which the new system is introduced all Italian Army Units will change to III-III category as far as POL is concerned and work tickets will no longer be endorsed to permit the drawing of POL from Allied sources.

(Signed) ??????????
for Lt.Col. AMGT.,
Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMIA)

APPENDIX 'A'

REGIONAL CAPITALS	PROVINCIAL CAPITALS	DISTRICT
REGGIO CALABRIA	Reggio Calabria	3 District
	Catanzaro	" "
	Cosenza	" "
POTENZA	Potenza	" "
	Matera	" "
BARI	Bari	" "
	Brindisi	" "
	Foggia	" "
	Lecce	" "
	Taranto	" "
NAPLES	Naples	3 District - ~~1-B~~ S
	Salerno	3 District
	Benevento	" "
	Avellino	" "
AQUILA	Aquila	" "
	Campobasso	" "
	Chieti	" "
	Pescara	" "
	Teramo	" "
ROME	Rome	M.A.A.C.
	Viterbo	3 District
	Rieti	" "
	Littoria	" "
	Frosinino	" "
PERUGIA	Perugia	" "
	Terni	" "
ANCONA	Ancona	" "
	Ascoli Piceno	" "
	Macerata	" "
	Pesaro Urbino	" "
FLORENCE	Florence	" "
	Grosseto	" "

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	Pescara	"	"
	Teramo	"	"
ROME	Rome	R.A.A.C.	
	Viterbo	3 District	
	Rieti	"	"
	Littoria	"	"
	Frosinine	"	"
PERUGIA	Perugia	"	"
	Terni	"	"
ANCONA	Ancona	"	"
	Ascoli Piceno	"	"
	Macerata	"	"
	Pesaro Urbino	"	"
FLORENCE	Florence	"	"
	Grosseto	"	"
	Arezzo	"	"
	Livorno	P B S	
	Siena	3 District	
	Apuania	"	"
	Lucca	"	"
	Pisa	"	"
	Pistoia	"	"
BOLOGNA	Bologna	2 District	
	Ferrara	"	"
	Forli	"	"
	Modena	"	"
	Parma	"	"
	Piacenza	"	"
	Ravenna	"	"
	Reggio Emilia	"	"
GENOA	Genoa	"	"
	Imperia	"	"
	Savona	"	"
	La Spezia	"	"

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PROVINCIAL CAPITALS	PROVINCIAL CAPITALS	DISTRICT
TRENTO	Trento	2 District
	Bolzano	" "
VENICE	Venice	13 Corps
	Verona	" "
	Vicenza	" "
	Udine	" "
	Padua	" "
	Treviso	" "
	Belluno	" "
	Rovigo	" "
TRIESTE	Trieste	" "
	Pola	" "
	Gorizia	" "
	Fiume	" "
	Zara	" "
MILAN	Milan	2 Dist
	Bergamo	" "
	Brescia	" "
	Como	" "
	Cremona	" "
	Mantova	" "
	Pavia	" "
	Sondrio	" "
	Varese	" "
TURIN	Turin	" "
	Alessandria	" "
	Aosta	" "
	Asti	" "
	Cuneo	" "
	Novara	" "
	Vercelli	" "

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.W.

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. GB - 27

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLGOTE

Date 4 Sep 45

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Enclosed herewith

Letter/Signal Ref. POL/13

Dated 22 Aug 45

Received from GRAM 13 Petroleum Installations

under cover of ref 13X/47 of 27 and 30 Aug respectively

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks .....

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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT :- Pack Despatches

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations
C.A.F.
13P1/47
30 Aug 45.

GRASC 46 Div.
CC. 5 HPFC.
CC. 6 HPFC.
CC 219 Petrol Depot.
53 HGL.
733 DMA.

1. Herewith details of Pack despatches for 29 Aug 45.

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Lt. Col.
CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT :- Pack Despatches.

GRASU 13 Petroleum Installations
G.S.P.
T.S.I, 47
27 Aug 45.

GRASU 46 Div.
CC 5 MFPC.
CC 6 MFPC.
CC 239 Petrol Depot.
53 MLU.
133 MAL.

1. Herewith details of Pack despatches for 26 Aug 45.

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Lt. Col.
GRASU 13 Petroleum Installations.

In the Field.

COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1' Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.

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n. 3539/Serv. di prot. P.M. 146, li 14 Settembre 1945.-

14 SET. 1945

(143)

OGGETTO: Buoni di prelevamento.-

Subject: Collection vouchers.

AL 53' R. L. U.

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Si trasmettono gli uniti buoni di prelevamento carburanti n. 121/8 e 127/8, con preghiera di inoltro al 7' Petrol Depot.-

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

We forward attached collection vouchers

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 785020

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1' Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.

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n. 3539/Serv. di prot. P.M. 146, li 12 settembre 1945.-

14 SET. 1945

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OGGETTO: Buono di prelevamento.
Subject: Collection vouchers
AL 53' R. L. U.

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x Si trasmette l'unito buono di prelevamento carburanti n. 134/8, con preghiera di inoltro al 7' Petrol Depot.-

x Is forwarded attached petrol collection Ref. 134/8 asking for it to be sent same to 7 Petrol Depot.

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

CRASC 13 Petroleum Istallations
C.M.F.
13PI/47
5 Sept 45

CRASC 46 Div
OC 5 MPFC
OC 6 MPFC
OC 239 Petrol Depot
OC 300 BPSS
53 BLU
733 DMA

1. Herewith details of Pack Despatches for 4 Sept 45

Lt. Col:
for

In the Field: CRASC 13 Petroleum Istallations

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LO 53 OLV

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SUBJECT :- P.O.L. Procedure.

ST/1601

7 Sept 45

Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMLA)
ROME
Tel : Rome 489081 Ext 526

To :- ALL BLM's and M.M.A HQs.

1. It is anticipated that effective the 1st Oct Gruppi EM-ITIS and US-ITIS will cease to draw P.O.L. from Allied Dumps but will be supplied by C.I.P. in the same manner as ITI-ITIS.

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2. AFMQ are asking all British and American Formations with Italian Army Units under their command for their estimated requirements of P.O.L. for October for these Units.

3. This estimation is required to be given in Barrels (42 US Gallons) and grease in lbs, (35 Imperial gells = 42 US gallons).

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7. W. e. f. from the date on which the new system is introduced all Italian Army Units will change to III-III category as far as P.O.L. is concerned, and work tickets will no longer be endorsed to permit the drawing of P.O.L. from Allied Sources.

For Lt. Col. ADST.,
Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

JMO/ag

Copy to :- [illegible] Indo.

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APPENDIX 'A'.

REGIONAL CAPITALS	PROVINCIAL CAPITALS	DISTRICT
Reggio Calabria	Reggio Calabria Catanzaro Cosenza	3 District " "
Potenza	Potenza Matera	" "
Bari	Bari Brindisi Foggia Lecce Taranto	" " " " "
Naples	Naples Salerno Benevento Avellino	3 District - R.A.S 3 District " "
Aquila	Aquila Campobasso Chieti Pescara Teramo	" " " " "
ROME	Rome Viterbo Rieti Littoria [illegible]	R.A.A.C. 3 District " " "

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	Foggia Lecce Taranto	" "
Naples	Naples Salerno Benevento Avellino	3 District - P.P.S 3 District " "
Aquila	Aquila Campobasso Chieti Pescara Teramo	" " " " "
ROME	Rome Viterbo Rieti Littoria Frosinone	R.A.A.O. 3 District " " "
Perugia	Perugia Terni	" "
Ancona	Ancona Ascoli Piceno Macerata Pesaro Urbino	" " " "
Florence	Florence Arezzo Grosseto Livorno Siena Apuania Lucca Pisa Pistoia	" " " P.P.S. 3 District " " " "

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REGIONAL CAPITALS	PROVINCIAL CAPITALS	DISTRICT
Bologna	Bologna	2 District
	Ferrara	"
	Forli	"
	Modena	"
	Parma	"
	Piacenza	"
	Ravenna	"
	Reggio Emilia	"
Genoa	Genoa	"
	Imperia	"
	Savona	"
	La Spezia	"
Trento	Trento	"
	Bolzano	"
Venice	Venice	13 Corps
	Verona	"
	Vicenza	"
	Udine	"
	Padua	"
	Treviso	"
	Belluno	"
	Rovigo	"
Trieste	Trieste	"
	Pola	"
	Gorizia	"
	Fiume	"
	Zara	"

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	Savona	"
	La Spezia	"
Trento	Trento	"
	Bolzano	"
Venice	Venice	13 Corps
	Verona	"
	Vicenza	"
	Udine	"
	Padua	"
	Treviso	"
	Belluno	"
	Rovigo	"
Triesto	Triesto	"
	Pola	"
	Gorizia	"
	Fiume	"
	Zara	"
Milan	Milan	2 District
	Bergamo	"
	Brescia	"
	Como	"
	Cremona	"
	Mantova	"
	Pavia	"
	Sondrio	"
	Varese	"
Turin	Turin	"
	Alessandria	"
	Aosta	"
	Asti	"
	Cuneo	"
	Novara	"
	Vercelli	"

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Apt 48 - 25
10 Sep 45

To: O.C. 2nd Coy,
Combat Group POLACHEK

1. It is requested that you send to Major Pravis of this HQ 60 gallons of petrol in 4 gallon tins and 16 pints of oil.

Lt.Col.
C.O.

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L. Demolition

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. SM/

Date 9 Sept. 45.

Enclosed herewith

Letter/Signal Ref. 13 PE/47

Dated 4th/6th Sept. 45.

Received from 13 Petroleum Installation

Forwarded for :-

Information XXXXXXXX

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks .....

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for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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SUBJECT :- Pack Despatches.

ORASC 43 Petroleum Installations
C.M.F.
13PI/47
6 Sep 45

ORASC 46 Div
OC 5 MPFC
OC 6 MPFC
OC 239 Petrol Depot
OC 300 BPSS
53 BLU
733 DMA

1. Herewith details of Pack Despatches for 5 Sep 45.

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for Lt. Co
ORASC 13 Petroleum Installation

In the Field.

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(1)

SUBJECT: Rock Requisitions.

(2)

CRASD 13 Petroleum Installations
C.W.E.
1301/47
4 Sept 45

CRASD 66 Div
CO 5 NPSU
CO 6 NPSU
CO 239 Petrol Depot
CO 15 NPSU
CO 300 Engrs
53 ECD
133 DEA

1. Herewith details of Rock Requisitions for 3 Sept 45.

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Lt. Col.

In the Field.

CRASD 13 Petroleum Installations.

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Subject : Economy in [illegible]L

To : 50 B.L.U.

[illegible] B.L.U.
Ref. [illegible] - 28
10 Sep 45

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1. Ref telephone conversation (Black - Gibb) of 10 Sep.
2. Herewith copies of the u/m correspondence :

MMIA LO 230 IT DIVISION	Ref 230/14	of 19 Aug 45
Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (MMIA)	Ref Q/22	of 28 Aug 45

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Lt. Col.
G.S.

C O P Y

Subject : Economy in P.O.L.

To : 50 B.L.U.
52 B.L.U.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
Q/22
28 Aug 45

1. The attached communication from the M.M.I.A. at Florence discloses examples of the flagrant abuses of transport by the Gruppi.

2. It is requested that you take the necessary action to curtail the unauthorised and improper use of transport. In the cases specified disciplinary action should be instituted against the individuals concerned, the matter being brought to the notice of the Group Commander.

(Signed) R.A. CURTIES, Lt.Col,
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to : 51 B.L.U. }
53 B.L.U. } For information
56 B.L.U. } and necessary action.

C O P Y

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Subject : Issues of POL to BRITIS

To : LAND FORCES SUB COMM
A.C. (MMIA)
R O M E

MMIA MD 230 PT DIVISION
c/o FLORENCE COMMAND
Phone 1393
230/14
19 Aug 45

Ref your Q/22 of 4 Aug 45.

1. Petrol Points in this area are now exercising a rigid control over all issues of petrol to vehs driven by Italian soldiers. The result is that a large number of soldiers are directed to my office because their work tickets are either out of date, incorrectly endorsed or not endorsed at all.

2. For your information, scrutiny of documents and questioning of drivers has disclosed a significant number of cases of long unauthorised journeys and improper use of transport, practically all by Combat Groups. A few examples are given below :

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A.C. (MMIA)
R O M E

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87 Regt Friuli Gp	30 cwt	- - -	Location to PERUGIA carrying men on leave. No authority
Garibaldi Regt	3 ton	- - -	TRANI to BARI carrying men on leave. No authority.
35 Art Regt Friuli Gp	3 ton	- - -	TRENTO to BARI to pick up legless soldier from hospital and take home to MILAN. No authority.

3. In each case I have issued fresh work tickets and authorised petrol for journey back to unit only, cancelling remainder of tickets.

4. May the urgent attention of BLU's please be drawn to this matter. I should not imagine they are so overworked as not to be able to ensure compliance with orders or exercise a little control to prevent such flagrant misuse of transport and Allied petrol

(Signed) V.C.J. THRUPP
Captain,
MMIA LO.

Copy to : MMIA HQ N.W. ITALY

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Subject : Economy in P.O.L.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
Q/22

28 Aug. 45.

To : 50 B.L.U.
52 B.L.U.

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R.A. CURTISS, Lt.Col.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to : 51 B.L.U.)
53 B.L.U.) FOR INFORMATION AND NECESSARY ACTION.
56 B.L.U.)

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/COPY

Subject : Issues of POL to BR-ITIs.

MMIA LO 230 IT DIVISION
c/o FLORENCE COMMAND
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230/14
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A.C. (MMIA)
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Captain,
MMIA LO.

Copy to : MMIA L.O. N.W. ITALY.

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ARMY FORM C2-36 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No. 8

Call	Sri. No.	Pri.	Transmission Instructions
			QVR1

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 50 BLU

Date-Time of Origin: 08-1110B

OFFICE DATE STAMP

For Action

TO: 53 BLU

(W) For Information (INFO)

51 BLU

Message Instructions — GR —

3632/GHQP/12-43

Originator's No. ST 57 Ref your 8.8/23 dated 10 Can you please state whether MMIA letter 8 22 dated 28 Aug is addressed to this BLU or it has NOT yet been received.

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THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS—SECRET WIRELESS	IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER	ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY	Time	System	Op.
SIGNED [signature] Maj	SIGNED		THI or TOR 1230		
			Time cleared		

CONFIDENTIAL

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10 SEP 1945

SUBJECT:- Economy in P.O.L.

92 British Liaison Unit
CMF
4 Sep 45

To:- Land Forces Sub Comm. AC., (SMFA)

A/2/610

Ref your letter C.22 dated 28 Aug 45.

1. It is not understood on what evidence it is asserted that the example given discloses flagrant abuse of transport by this Gruppo. Attached herewith is a report from my Medical Liaison Officer which I consider is self-explanatory. I cannot agree that it discloses any flagrant misuse of S.C. transport.

1254

2. It would be appreciated if on any future occasions you should have reason to make comments of this nature that the true facts be ascertained prior to condemning either this unit or the Gruppo on inaccurate information.

3. Ref your para 2 I would be pleased to know therefore what disciplinary action you expect me to take in order to comply with your instructions.

4. Attached to your above mentioned letter is a copy of a letter from a Captain Thrupp, MMIA/IC, 230 Italian Division, c/o Florence Command and addressed to your HQ. As however you have seen fit to pass me this letter I consider therefore that I am entitled to comment upon it.

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5. As your aforementioned letter is signed on behalf of Major General MMIA, I propose to refer this case to General Browning in my fortnightly D.O. letter as originally instructed by him in the event of any cases of this nature.

Lamb Taylor.
Lieut-Col.
G.S.

JEHR/FN.

Copies to:- Senior Liaison Officer, MMIA.
50 B.L.U.
51 B.L.U.
53 B.L.U.
56 B.L.U.

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6 SEP 1945

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Subject :- FORCEWIN in P O L.

51 British Liaison Unit

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To :- Land Forces Sub Comm AC
(MMLA)

50 B L U
52 B L U
53 B L U
56 B L U

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Ref your letter Q/22 dated 26 Aug 45 forwarding me a copy of a letter written by the MMLA LO at FLORENCE COMMAND.

1. Please note that I take very strong exception to the last paragraph of Capt THRUPP's letter particularly as it reveals a complete lack of knowledge of the functions of a BLU.

2. I fail to see what authority this obscure and junior officer has for expressing his opinion on how much work BLU's do or do NOT perform.

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SW Wallace

Lieut Col
General Staff

Field
4 Sep 45
BWWO/FEM

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Sep A 2.

Subject : RAILHEAD - TRENTO

50 British Liaison Unit

N/5
1 SEP 45

217 Area.

rptd
53 BLU

1. Ref telephone conversation AA and QMG 217 Area - DAA and QMG this HQ on 24 Aug.

2. It is requested that the RH for FRIULI and POLGORE ICG's be moved to TRENTO w.e.f. 9 Sep.

- 1252

3. The RH will be staffed by Italian personnel as follows:-

FRIULI	POLGORE
1 Officer	1 NCO
1 NCO	2 OR's
2 OR's	

giving a total of 1 Officer, 2 NCO's and 4 OR's.
The DADOS Dump FRIULI BLD is moving to TRENTO, and the DCWO 50 BLU will be att to it and will visit the RH daily until it is operating smoothly.

4. It is requested that rail be used for the conveyance of all Ord Stores and POL for FRIULI. The daily consumption of POL being based on 6,000 galls. It is understood that arrangements for carriage of POL by rail already exist for POLGORE up to BOLZANO and that in consequence the RH at TRENTO will only receive Ord Stores consigned to POLGORE.

5. May this HQ please be informed soonest if these arrangements can be implemented.
It is understood that if P.O.L. can thus be fwded it will be received in bulk in rail cisterns.

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Maj
DAA and QMG

CMF
JTM/RJE

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Notify Rotac

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject POL Despatches

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. ST/

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLGOFE

Date 8 Sep 45

Enclosed herewith

Letter/Signal Ref. POL/213

Dated 13,30,31 Aug, 3 Sep 45

Received from 7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for :-

Information ..XXXX.....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks .....

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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject: POL Receipt Voucher

To:- OC 114 Petrol Depot RASC, CMF

ST

53 B.L.U.
Ref QB - 8
21 Aug 45

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1. Herewith returned your AF G1033, ref PD/RL/9/41, duly signed in respect of 28,800 gallons of MT80 consigned to Combat Group POLGORE on 31 July 45. 1250

Lt.Col.
G.S.

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject POL

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLCOIE

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. ST/

Date 1 Sep 45

Enclosed herewith

Letter/Signal Ref. AF G 1033

Dated 1 Aug 45

Received from No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for :-

Information XXXXX

Necessary action, please XXXX

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks Please sign duplicate copy AF G 1033 and return to this HQ

..... for Lt.Col. G.S.

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject .P.O.L.....

Ref .....08 - 24.....
AFs G 1033

From : 53 British Liaison Unit

Enclosure Ref 147/8, 140/8, 154/8

To : H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Forwarded for :-

Information .....
Necessary action please .....
Investigation and report .....
Perusal & return please .....
Remarks .....Please sign and return
.....duplicate copies
.....
.....1248

Date .5.Aug.45.....

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

7434
Sep 2

SUBJECT: Pet Pts - BOLZANO

HQ No 2 District, CMF.

1008/gl 29 Aug 45.

217 Area
53 BLU

1. It has been decided to set a pet pt at BOLZANO from which all units in the BOLZANO area (incl the BOLSORE Gruppo) and convoys and casual vehs passing through will draw pet.

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2. The pt will be operated under the supervision and control of 68 Fd Regt of 10 Ind Inf Div. Labour for work on the pt will be provided as far as possible by the BOLSORE Gruppo, supplemented as necessary by civil lab. It is suggested the pt be open for 12 hrs each day.

3. 217 Area will arrange details in connection with the pt. The date on which it will open will be reported to this HQ.

4. ST at this HQ will arrange through Service channels for:-

(a) Loan of pumps to 68 Fd Regt

(b) Railing of pack POL to BOLZANO for the pet pt.

(c) Loan of an ST clerk to 68 Fd Regt for a period of about a week to instruct their supervisory personnel in such accounting procedure as is necessary.

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J B Trumbell Maj
for Colonel,
DA & QMG.

Copy to: G(SD2)
ST
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TRIAL SLIP

Subject Back Despatches

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLCOM

53 British Liaison Unit
Ref. ST/
Date 1 Sep 45

Enclosed herewith
Letter/~~Signal~~ Ref. POL/213
Dated 19 Aug 45
Received from No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for :-
Information .....
Necessary action, please .....
Investigation & report .....
Perusal & return, please .....
Remarks .....

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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Part X Orders

53 British Liaison Unit

Serial No.
2 Sep 45

The u/m vehicles previously on charge to 'D' Training Increment (Inf) are transferred to 53 British Liaison Unit in excess of WE CM/508/2 wef 3 Aug 45.

Type of Vehicle	Make	WD No.	Contract No.	Chassis No.
Car 5cwt 4x4	Willys Bantam	M5662491		
	"	M5661890		
	"	M5661949	353121	
	"	M5661897		

1245

Lt. Col.
G.S.
Commanding 53 British Liaison Unit.

Field.

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Subject:- Pack Demolitions

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations
G.M.P.
13FI/47
22 Aug 45

28 AUG 1945

CRASC 46 Div
CC 239 Petrol Depot
CC 5 APPC
CC 53 BLU
733 DMA

Herewith details of ROI despatched on 21 Aug 45.

12/44

In Charge Petrol
Dist Col,
CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No. 7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMF.
Ref:- POL/213 21 Aug 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Volgoro Gruppo by this Unit on 21.8.45:-

Truck No.	MT.80 Brls	DERV Brls	KERO Brls	HD.30 Drms	HD.50 Drms	HD.90 Drms	S.600 Drms	Grease No. 2 25
151927	2720							
301165	2210	403	403					
1011298	1020			1000	480	400	400	400
	5950	403	403	1000	480	400	400	400

1243

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

SUBJECT :- Pack Despatches.

CRASC 15 Petroleum Installations
C.M.F.
15PI/47
24 Aug 45

CRASC 46 Div.
OC 5 MFPC.
OC 6 MFPC.
OC 239 Petrol Depot.
53 HLU.
733 DIA.

7229
29 AUG 1945

1 Herewith details of pack despatches for 23 Aug 45.

1242

Lt.Col.
CRASC 15 Petroleum Installations

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C., C.M.F.
Ref:- ROL/213. 23 Aug. 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations. (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo by this Unit on 23 Aug. 45.

Truck No.	MT.80 Bols.
1024911	2958
48175	2992
Total	5950

1241

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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SUBJECT :- Pack Description.

GRAND 46 DIV.
CO 5 MTRD.
CO 6 ARMD.
CO 235 Petrol Depot.
33 ARM.
133 ARM.

GRAND 15 Petroleum Installations
G.R.E.
15E1/47
26 Aug 45.

AUG 1945

1. Details of Pack descriptions for 25 Aug 45.

Sir
Please help
also detail contained
in the letter to previous
letter which has
not been done

G. Campbell Capt 40
Lieut. Col.
GRAND 15 Petroleum Installations.

In the field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

Subject: Pack Despatches.

No. 7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMF.
Ref:- POL/213 25 Aug 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
1) Petroleum Installations. (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo by this Unit on 25.8.45.

Truck No.	MT. 80 Brls.
7170037	3230
162850	2720
TOTAL	5950

1239

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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7379

Subject : Pack Despatches.

To : HQ Combat Group FOLGORE

53 B.L.U.
Ref. QS - 22
31 Aug 45

1. Herewith details of Pack despatches for 21, 23 and 25 Aug 45.

1238

Lt. Col.
G.S.

Subject : Pack Despatches

No.7 Petrol Depot RASC CMF
Ref : POL/213 21 Aug 45.

To : CRASC
13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatches to Folgore Gruppo by this Unit on 21 Aug 45.

Truck No	MT.80 Brls	DERV Brls	KERO Brls	HD.30 Dms	HD.50 Dms	C.600 Dms	Grease No.2
151927	2720						
301165	2210	408	408				
1031298	1020			1000	480	400	400
	5950	408	408	1000	480	400	400

(Signed) ? ? ? ? ? ?
Major RASC
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Subject : Pack Despatches

No.7 Petrol Depot RASC CMF
Ref : POL/213 23 Aug 45

1237

To : CRASC
13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatches to Folgore Gruppo by this unit on 23 Aug 45.

Truck No	MT.80 Brls
1024931	2958
48375	2992
Total	5950

(Signed) ? ? ? ? ? ?
Major RASC
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

Subject : Pack Despatches No.7 Petrol Depot RASC CMF

13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatches to Folgore Gruppo by this unit on 23 Aug 45.

Truck No	MT.80 Brls
1024931	2958
48375	2992
Total	5950

(Signed) ? ? ? ? ? ?
Major RASC
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Subject : Pack Despatches

No.7 Petrol Depot RASC CMF
Ref : POL/213 25 Aug 45

To : CRASC
13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatches to Folgore Gruppo by this unit for 25 Aug 45.

Truck No	MT.80 Brls
7170037	3230
162853	2720
Total	5950

(Signed) ? ? ? ? ? ? ?
Major RASC
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

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1363

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject POL

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. 98 - 21

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLCORE

Date 30 Aug 45

Enclosed herewith

~~Letter/Signal~~ Ref. AF G 1033

Dated 1 Aug 45

Received from 7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action, please XX...

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks ...Please sign duplicate copy and return to this HQ.

.....1236

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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7318

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

53 British Liaison Unit
Ref. G3-19
Date 28 Aug 45

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLGOEX

Enclosed herewith
~~Letter/Signal Ref.~~ AP G.1033 in duplicate.
Dated
Received from No.7 Petrol Depot

Forwarded for :-
Information .....
Necessary action, please .....
Investigation & report .....
Perusal & return, please .....
Remarks ..... Please sign duplicate copy and return to this HQ.
.....
.....
..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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File 7317

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject Peak Despatches

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. 03-20

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Date 23 Aug 45

Enclosed herewith copy of

Letter/~~Signal~~ Ref. FOL/213

Dated 23 Aug 45

Received from No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

Forwarded for :-

Information X

Necessary action, please X

Investigation & report .....

Perusal & return, please .....

Remarks .....

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.....1234

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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COPY

No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC
Ref. POL/213
24 Aug 43

Subject: Pack Despatches.

To :- GRASC
13 Petroleum Installations

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to POLCOM Group by this unit.

Track No.	MT 80 Brls
7170052	2890
202057	3060
Total	5950

1233

Signed. ??????? Lt.
for O.C. No.7 Petrol Depot.

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SUBJECT :- Pack D[illegible] patches.

GRAGO 13 Petroleum Installations
G.S.O.2.
1341/47
25 Aug 45.

7264

GRAGO 46 Div.
OC 5 MPPG.
OC 6 MPPG.
OC 239 Petrol Depot.
53 MLU.
733 DGA.

Original letter to 46 Div. 28 AUG 1945

28 AUG 1945

1. Herewith details of Pack despatches for 24 Aug 45.

1232

Lt. Col.

In the Field.

GRAGO 13 Petroleum Installations.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No. 7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C., C.M.F.
Ref:- POL/213. 24 Aug. 45.

C.M.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations.

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Polgore Gruppo by this Unit on 24 Aug. 45.

Truck No.	MT.90 Brln.
2170052	2890
202757	3060
Total	5950

1231

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

7285

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject .....P.O.W.....

Ref .....G3 - 17.....

From : 53 British Liaison Unit

Enclosure Ref AFs C1033 99/8, in duplicate

To : H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action please .....

Investigation and report .....

Perusal & return please .....

Remarks .....Please sign duplicate copies and return to this HQ.....

.....1230.....

Received from: No.7 Petrol Depot, MASC.

Date ....23 Aug 45.

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

7280

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject Prod Demonstrations

55 British Liaison Unit

Ref: QS-18

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POTCOR

Date 26 Aug 45

Enclosed herewith copy of
Letter/Signal Ref. POL/213
Dated 22 Aug 45
Received from No.7 Petrol Depot, RAOC.

Forwarded for :-
Information X
Necessary action, please ... 1229
Investigation & report .....
Forward to return, please .....
Remarks .....

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..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

SUBJECT :- Issues of POL - Troops of the Italian Combat Groups

19/2701/5/G

22 Aug 45

7226

26 AUG 1945

50 BLU

Ref your 20/6/15 of 20 Aug 45.

1. DGS 196 of 15 Aug 45 refers to issues of POL to Pri-Itl and Ul-Itl units, e.g. Italian Engineer Coys, GT Coys and other service units. It does not refer to issues to troops of the Italian Combat Groups.

1228

2. Book tickets for drivers of the Priuli IGG will continue to be endorsed "entitled to draw POL from Allied Military Sources" but may be signed by either an Allied or Italian officer.

Col I/c Adm,
No. 1 District.

CMP.
AIT/ALM
Copy to :- 2 District
217 Area
53 BLU
ST
NSLOA

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COPY

Subject: Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC, GMF
Ref. POI/213
22 Aug 45

To :- GRASC
13 Petrol Installations

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo by this unit on 22 Aug 45.

Truck No.	MT 80 Brls
95642	2720
471007	1190
447208	2040
Total	5950

1227

Signed: ???????? Lt.
for O.C. No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

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Subject:- Pack Despatches

GRUSC 13 Petroleum Installations
G. A. P.
432I/47
22 Aug 45

7225
26 AUG 1945

GRUSC 46 Div
GC 239 Petrol Stock
GC 5 SEPC
GC 6 SEPD
GC 53 BOU
TIT MEI

Unsatisfactory

Herewith details of POL despatched on 22 Aug 45.

1226

Lt. Col.
GRUSC 13 Petroleum Installations.

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C., C.M.F.
Ref:- POL/213. 22 Aug. 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petrol Installations. (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Felpore Gruppo by this Unit on 22 Aug.45.

Truck No.	MT.90 Drlns.
93642	2720
474007	1190
417208	2040
TOTAL	5950

1225

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1^ Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.

- - -- -

nº 3162/Serv. di prot. P.M. 146, li 20 Agosto 1945.-

Alleg. 5

OGGETTO: Buoni di prelevamento.-
Subject: Coupons - receipt vouchers
AL 53º B. L. U.

(129)

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Si trasmettono, debitamente firmati, gli uniti buoni di prelevamento carburanti, con preghiera di inoltro al 7º Petrol Depot.-

* We forward duly signed the attached receipt vouchers for petrol, requesting same to be forwarded to 7th Petrol Depot.

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(F.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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7220

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.W. - Pack Despatches Ref ..GA.16.....

From : 53 British Liaison Unit Enclosure Ref ..POW/213.dt.18.Aug.....

To : H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Forwarded for :-

Information .....X.....
Necessary action please ..X...
Investigation and report .....
Perusal & return please ...
Remarks .Being copy of letter received from No.7 Petrol Depot .....F.A.S.C.

1223

Date 25 Aug 45

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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C O P Y

No.7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMP
Ref: POL/213 18 Aug 45

Subject: Pack Despatches

G.R.A.S.C.
13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to FOLGORE Gruppo/19 by this Unit on 18.8.45:-

Truck No.	MT.80 Brls	Grease 2 25
32698	1716	400
81391	1984	
13297	2640	
TOTALS	5940	400

1222

(Signed) ??????????
for Major, RASC,
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

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7219

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L. - Pack Despatches Ref ..AA.45.....

From : 53 British Liaison Unit Enclosure Ref .....POL/213.of.29.Aug..

To : H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Forwarded for :-

Information .....X.....

Necessary action please ...X..

Investigation and report ..

Perusal & return please .....

Remarks ..Being.copy.of.letter
..received.from.No.7.Petrol.Depot
.....R.A.S.C.

1221

Date 25 Aug 45 .....

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject: Pack Despatches

No.7 Petrol Depot RASC, CMF
Ref: POL/213 20 Aug 45

C.R.A.S.C.
13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to NOLGOKE Gruppe by this unit on 20.8.45:-

Truck No.	M.T.80 Brls
31480	1530
484935	1870
30767	1360
446362	1190
TOTAL	5950

1220

(Signed) ??????????
for Major, RASC,
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

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7218

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L.

To :- H.Q. Combat Group POLAND

53 British Liaison Unit

Ref. 98-43

Date 23 Aug 45

Enclosed herewith:

~~Letter/Signal Ref.~~ AFs G.1033

~~Dated~~ _____ in duplicate

Received from No.7 Petrol Depot RAOC

Forwarded for :-

Information .....

Necessary action, please .....

Investigation & report .....

Return & return, please .....

Remarks ..... Please sign duplicate copies and return to this HQ.

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.....

..... for Lt.Col.
G.S.

1219

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Subject:- Pack Despatches

13 FI/47
19 Aug 45

7193

25 AUG 1945

CRASC 46 Div
733 DMA
OC 239 Petrol Depot
OC 5 MPPC
OC 6 MPPC
OC 53 BDU

Sgt
Send letter to Sgt

28 AUG

Herewith details of POL despatched on 18 Aug 45.

1218

Lt. Col.

CMF

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT: Pack Despatches.

No. 7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMF.
Ref: POL/213 10 Aug 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/19 by this Unit on 18.8.45:-

Truck No.	MT.80 Bdls	Grease 2. 25
32693	1716	400
81591	1584	
13297	2640	
TOTALS	5940	400

1217

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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Subject:- Pack Despatches

GRASO 13 Petroleum Installations
G.M.P.
1321/47
21 Aug 45

7191
25 AUG 1945

GRASO 46 Div
733 WA
OS 239 Petrol Depot
OS 5 GRASO
OS 53 BEW

Usual letter to go

Herewith details of POL despatched on 20 Aug 45.

1216

Lt. Col,

In the Field,

GRASO 13 Petroleum Installations.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT: Pack Despatches.

No. 7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMF.
Ref:- POL/213 20 Aug 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations. (2)

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo by this Unit on 20.8.45:-

Truck No.	M.T.80 Brls
31480	1530
484935	1870
30767	1360
446362	1190
TOTAL	5950

1215

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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SS [illegible]
Ref [illegible] 48
24 Aug 45

7209

Subject: [illegible]

To: No. 1 District
No. 2 District

2 7 Area
H. Combat Group Poldhu
S2

1. Oil supplies for the Combat Group Poldhu are delivered by roll so POLDHU. The Gp have established a petrol supply point in that area.

2. At present all Gp units draw POL from this supply point, and all casual vehicles and [illegible] vehicles in the area can only obtain POL from there after authority has been obtained from an officer of this [illegible] who is located at City Command [illegible]. At present [illegible] up to [illegible] gallons of petrol are issued daily from this supply point to casual and [illegible] vehicles.

3. Recently [illegible] and Div [illegible]rty have applied for POL from the [illegible] supply point. They were supplied with sufficient petrol to enable them to send [illegible] to VARNA to collect POL, but were told that in future, unless orders to the contrary are received, no issues of POL will be made to them.

4. Owing to the small staff available in the Group to run this petrol point and to the limited quantity of POL available for the Gp it is requested that information be circularised that the Polgro POLDHU petrol point is not for general use, though the Gp will be only too willing to help casual vehicles in distress.

1214

[illegible] Lt. Col.
[illegible]

DISTRIBUTION:
Major [illegible], City Command POLDHU

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Subject:- Rail Pack Despatches

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations
C.M.F.
13PI/47
18 Aug 45.

O.C., 239 Petrol Depot
O.C., 53 B.L.U.
O.C., 733 D.M.A.
O.C., 5 M.P.F.C.
O.C., 6 M.P.F.C.
CRASC 46 Div

Herewith details of POL despatched on 16-~~17~~ August 45. 1213

Lt. Col,
CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

In the Field.

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SUBJECT: Peak Despatches.

No. 7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMF.
Ref:- POL/213 16 Aug 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations. (2)

1. Herewith return of peak despatched to Folgore Gruppo by this Unit on 16.8.45.

Truck No.	MT.80 44'c
3978	2420
35957	2420
30531	1100
Total	5940

1212

Major. RASC.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, RASC.

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7136

TRANSMITTAL SLIP

Subject P.O.L. - Peak Despatches

To :- I.A.A. Combat Group FORWARD

55 British Liaison Unit
Ref. QS-11
Date 22 Aug 45

Enclosed herewith copy of
Letter/Signal Ref. POL/213
Dated 14 Aug 45
Received from No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Forwarded for ...
Information X
Necessary action, please X
Investigation & report .....
Pursuit & return, please .....
Remarks .....
.....
.....

..... For Lt.Col.
G.S.

1211

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COPY

Subject: Pack Despatches

No.7 Petrol Depot RASC, CMF
Ref, POL/213
14 Aug 45

To :- CRASC, 13 Petroleum Installations

Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/15 by this unit on 14 Aug 45.

Truck No.	MT 80 Barrels
471478	2024
344795	1936
31463	1980
Total	5940

1210

Signed - ???????? Lt.
for Major RASC
Cmdng No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

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Subject:- Pack Despatches

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations
C.M.F.
13PI/47
15 Aug 45

22 AUG 1945

O.C., 239 Petrol Depot
O.C., 53 B.L.U.
O.C., 6 M.P.F.C.

Herewith details of POL despatched on 14 Aug 45.

Sd/ Myself better to go to

Lt. Col.,
CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No. 7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMP.
Ref:- POL/213. 14 Aug 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations.

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/15 by this Unit on 14 Aug 45.

Truck No.	M.T.80 Brls
471478	2024
344795	1936
11451	1980
TOTAL	5940

1208

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

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Subject: P.O.L.

To:- HQ Combat Group FOLGORE
ST

53 R.A.U.
Ref G8 - 12
24 Aug 45

1. Ref your HQ letter 2639/Serv of 2 Aug and further to this HQ letter G8 - 5 of 5 Aug.

2. The following reply has now been received from 114 Petrol Depot RASC:

"The difference between the gallonage actually received and the gallonage shown on AF G1033 is covered by AF G1033 No.Pd/9/Rd/13 of 21 Jul."

3. In view of the above AF G1033 No.Pd/Rd/9/5 of 15 Jul is forwarded for signature and return of duplicate copy.

1207

Lt.Col.
G.S.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

SUBJECT: P.O.L

Ref PD/POL/5.

7107

22 AUG 1945

H.Q.,
53 B.L.U.

Reference your Q8-5 dated 3 Aug 45.

The difference between the gallonage actually received and the gallonage shown on AF G 1033 is covered by AF G 1033 No. PD/9/RL/13 dated 21 July 45.

AF G 1033 No. PD/RL/9/3 is returned for signature.

1206

Field.
15 Aug 45.

Capt., R.A.S.C.
Commanding 114 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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7122

22 AUG 1945

COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1 Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.
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Nr.3938/serv. di prot, P.M.146,li 21 agosto 1945

OGGETTO: Buono di prelevamento.

Subject: Buono di prelevamento

AL 53 B.L.U.

1205

22 AUG 1945

Sgt. Mat. Kg.

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Si trasmette, debitamente firmata, l'unita copia del buono di prelevamento carburanti n. PD/RL/9/7, con preghiera di inoltre al 114. Petrol Depot.=

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col.Umberto De Martino)

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 785020

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col.Umberto De Martino)

Per forward, duly signed, the attached copy of petrol issue voucher PD/PL/9/7 asking for same to be sent to 114 Petrol Depot.

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To : 53 B.L.U.

From : City Command, Bolzano
(Liaison Officer)

SUBJECT : PETROL

It is requested that some representation be made to the relevant District H.Q. for the provision of a petrol point in this area.

120.

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Major

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Bolzano, 22/8/1945.

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SUBJECT:- POL.

HQ No.1 District, CMF.
Tel Ext: 22227
ST/321/10
16 Aug 45.

1208
20 AUG 1945

D.A.Q.M.G., 53 B.L.U.

1. Reference your ST/1 - 1 dated 12 Aug 45, arrangements have been made to despatch grease to FOLGORE Gruppo as requested.

1203

Colonel,
Deputy Director of Supplies and Transport.

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. ST/1 - 1
12 Aug 45

To :- ST. H.Q. 1 District

H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE
Q

1. Information has been received from the a/m Group that in the normal supplies of P.O.L. to BOLZANO railhead no grease is included.

2. It is requested that this be investigated and that arrangements be made for this lubricant to be included in future rail P.O.L. packs for this Group.

1202

Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject : POL

To : HQ Combat Group FOLGORE

53 BLL.U.
Ref. QB - 10
21 Aug 45

1. The following AFs G1033 from No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC, are forwarded for information and necessary action :

79/8, 75/8, 69/8, dated 1 Aug 45

2. Please sign the duplicate copies of the a/m AFs G1033 and return to this HQ.

Lt. Col.
G.S.

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Subject: P.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref Q8 - 200
12 Aug 45

To:- HQ Combat Group FOLGORE

ST

1. Herewith MMIA letter Q/22 of 4 Aug passed to you for action.

2. It is understood that all Gp vehicles are only driven by drivers in possession of "works tickets" completed. Kindly ensure that they are endorsed in accordance with para 1 of attached letter, duly signed by an officer of this HQ when the vehicle is likely to have to be refuelled from a non-FOLGORE petrol point.

Lt.Col.
G.S.

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Subject : POL - Pac. Despatches.

To : HQ Combat Group FOLGORE

53 B.L.U.
Ref. Q8 - 9
21 Aug 45

7112

Herwith copies of No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC, letters ref POL/213 dated 10 and 15 Aug 45, passed to you for information and necessary action.

Lt. Col.
G.S.

1200

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

No.7 Pe ol Depot, RASC, CMF
Ref. POL/213
15 Aug 45

Subject : Pack Desp Shea

To : CRASC
13 Petroleum Installations

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to FOLGORE Gruppo/16 by this Unit on 15 Aug 45.

Truck No.	MT.30, 44's
417739	1848
419783	1848
458196	2244
Total Gulls	5940

1199

(Signed) ? ? ? ? ?? ? ? Major
RASC
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

Subject : Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC, CMF
Ref. POL/213
10 Aug 45

To : CRASC
13 Petroleum Installations.

1. Herewith return of pack loaded for POLGORE Gruppo/11 by this unit on 10 Aug 45.

Truck No.	MT.80, 34's
720943	2040
465167	2040
86868	1870
Total	5950

1198

(Signed) ? ? ? ? ? ? Major
RASC
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot RASC.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

Subject:- Pack Despatches

7045

ORASC 13 Petroleum Installations
C.M.F.
13PI/47
15 Aug 45

C.O., 5 M.F.F.C.
C.O. 65 M.F.F.C.
C.O., 53 B.L.U.

Herewith details of POL despatched on 15 Aug 1997

Sgt Hand letter to Sgt
RG

27 AUG 1945

Lt. Col.

In the Field.

ORASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot RASC. CMF.
Ref:- POL/213. 15 Aug 45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations.

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/16 by this Unit on 15 Aug 45.

Truck No.	M.T80 44's.
417739	1848
419783	1848
458196	2244
Total Galls.	5940

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Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

Subject:- Rail Pack Despatches

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations
C.M.F.
13PI/47
11 Aug 45.

O.C., 239 Petrol Depot
O.C., 53 B.L.U.
O.C., 733 D.M.A.
O.C., 5 M.P.F.C.
O.C., 6 M.P.F.C.

Herewith details of POL despatched on 10 August 45.

1195

21 AUG 1945

Lt. Col,
CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C., G.M.T.
Ref:- POL/2'0.

10 Aug. 45.

SUBJECT:- Pack Demurrage.

C.R.A.S.C.,
10 Petroleum Installations.

1. Herewith return of pack allowed for Polgore Gruppo/11 by this Unit on 10 Aug. 45.

Truck. No.	No. of Packs
720443	2040
469167	2040
26658	1870
Total.	5950

1194

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No. 7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

Subject: POL - Pack Despatches.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. Q8-7
19 Aug 45

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To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

Herewith copies of No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC, letters ref POL/213 dated 11 and 12 Aug 45, passed to you for information and necessary action.

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Lt.Col.
G.S.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

COPY

No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC, CMF
Ref. POL/213
11 Aug 45

Subject: Pack Despatches.

To :- CRASC, 13 Petroleum Installations

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/12 by this Unit on 11 Aug 45.

Truck No.	IE 80 44's	IE 80 34's
20305	1232	884
93789	1048	
477139	968	1020
Total	4248	1904

Signed - ????????? Lt.
for Major RASC
Coming No.7 Petrol Depot

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

COPY

Subject: Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot, RASC GHF
Ref. POL/213
12 Aug 45

To :- GRASC 13 Petroleum Installations

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/13 by this Unit on 12 Aug 45.

Truck No.	MT 80 44's	Derv 44's	Kero 44's	HD 30 4's	HD 50 4's	HX 90 4's	C.600 5's
7995	1364	396					
51400	2244						
45511	2332						
93782			396	1000	480	400	400
Total Galls	5940	396	396	1000	480	400	400

1191

Signed - ????????? Major RASC
Coming No.7 Petrol Depot RASC

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

Subject:- Rail Pack Despatches

7006

CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations
G.M.P.
13PI/47
13 Aug 45

O.C., 53 T.D.U.
O.C., 6 M.R.P.C.

Herewith details of POL despatched on 12 Aug. 45.

for Lieutenant Colonel
Lt. Col.

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CRASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

In the Field.

Pass copies of Petrol Report letter to Gp with covering letter.

SECRET

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SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C., C.M.F.
Ref:- POL/213.

12 Aug. 45.

C.R.A.S.C., 10 Petroleum Installations.

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/13 by this Unit on 12 Aug. 45.

Truck No.	M.T.30. 44's.	Derv. 44's.	Kero. 44's.	MD.30. 4's.	MD.50. 4's.	MT.90. 4's.	C.600. 5's.
7995	1364	396					
51400	2244						
45511	2332						
93782			396	1000	430	400	400
Total Galls.	5940	396	396	1000	430	400	400

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Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

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Subject:- Rail Pack Despatches

ORASC 13 Petroleum Installations
O.M.P.
13PI/47
12 Aug 45

7004

O.C., 53 P.I.U.
O.C., 6 M.P.P.C.

Herewith details of POL despatched on 11 Aug. 45.

for Lieutenant Colonel
Lt. Col,
ORASC 13 Petroleum Installations.

1188

In the Field.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. 785020

SUBJECT:- Pack Despatches.

No7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C., C.M.F.
Ref:- R01/213.

11 Aug.45.

C.R.A.S.C.,
13 Petroleum Installations.

1. Herewith return of pack despatched to Folgore Gruppo/12 by this Unit on 11 Aug. 45.

Truck No.	MT.30 44's	MT.30 34's
20305	1232	384
91739	1648	
477109	968	1020
Total.	4048	1404

1187

Major, R.A.S.C.
Commanding No.7 Petrol Depot, R.A.S.C.

7036/ 213

COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1^ Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.
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n. 2991/Serv. di prot. P.M. 145, li 19 Agosto 1945

OGGETTO: Buono prelevamento carburante.

Subject: Buon prelevamento carburante per [illegible]

AL 5 3° B . L . U .

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Si trasmette l'unito buono di prelevamento carburante n° PD/RL/9/41, con preghiera di inoltro al 114° Petrol Depot.

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col. Umberto De Martino)

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Buono attualmente in fabbr. [illegible] PD/RL/9/41 [illegible] 114° Petrol Depot.

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1032

53 D.I.U.
Ref 08 - 8
17 Aug 45

Subject: Oil

To:- AMG IMPERIA

HQ Combat Group FOLGORE

1. It has been reported to this HQ by Combat Group FOLGORE that 250 Kg of cooking oil were confiscated by your Pro control point at NAVA.

2. This oil was bought by 2nd Lieut CHIESA for use of soldiers of the a/m Gp for the sum of 17,500 lire and the purchase authorised by AMG BRESSANONE.

3. In view of the above please arrange for the return of the a/m quantity of cooking oil to HQ Combat Group FOLGORE at BRESSANONE or, failing that, the return of the sum of 17,500 lire.

Lt.Col.
G.

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Subject: F.O.L.

53 B.L.U.
Ref. QM-5
3 Aug 45

To :- 114 Petrol Depot RASC

H.Q. Combat Group FOLGORE

1. Herewith AF G.1033 ref no. FD/AI/9/3 of 15 Jul 45, in duplicate.

2. Combat Group FOLGORE submit that the waggons numbered as under arrived at BOLZANO carrying the u/m quantities of petrol, and that the particulars listed on your AF G.1033 are incorrect.

Waggon Number	Petrol carried
459191	3432 galls
416327	3388 "
488517	3476 "
7104863	2278 "
Total	12674 "

3. If the a/m submission is correct it is requested that you amend the enclosed AFs G.1033 and return them to this HQ for signature.

Lt.Col.
G.S.

1184

Ref 2031/Sec to front To 120 Aug 2/20

Subject: Petrol receipts vouchers

To 53 3 2.0

Q8.

I do not, not expected to be received,

from 9 1033 and by the 1st Petrol Depot,

pointing out that the grant for petrol stated

as forwarded to the Group do not correspond

that they have actually received to find

on the vouchers indicated on the voucher

the quantities that arrived are as follows:

voucher No 5 7191 – 3483 gals contained to Group 8 and

" No 4 1337 – 3383 " " " " "

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as forwarded to the Group above corresponds to that that have actually arrived at Port. The wagon is situated on the marks the quantities that arrived are as follows:-

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Wagon No 757191 - 3432 gals contained in 78 tins garage drums

" No 416327 - 3388 " " 77 " " " "

" No 415517 - 3476 " 79 " " " "

" No 710463 - 3272 " " 87 " " " "

making a complete total of 12 5 7 gals petrol which is just 2278 gals more than the quantity shown on the marks

2) We should ask you to request the depot concerned to send us the marks 4/1033 with the correct amount of petrol.

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Sez/a-

COMANDO GRUPPO I C. RAPPRESENTANTI "TULSA"
Ufficio del Capo di S. - 1^ Sez. Op. Ins. Serv.
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N.2639/serv. di prov. P.M.146;li 2 agosto 1945

OGGETTO: Buono prelevamento carburante.

Al 53° S. L. U.

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1) - Si restituisce, non firmato per ricevuta, il modulo G 1033, pervenuto dal 114 Control Depot RASC, significando che i quantitativi di benzina segnati come spediti a questo Gruppo non corrispondono a quelli effettivamente giunti. Infatti con i vagoni indicati nel modulo in parola sono giunti i quantitativi sotto specificati:

- vagone n.459191 gls 3432 contenuti in 78 fusti da 44 gls
- " " 416327 " 3388 " " 77 " " " "
- " " 488517 " 3476 " " 79 " " " "
- " " 7104863 " 2278 " " 67 " " " "

per un totale complessivo di gls 12.574 di benzina superiore di ben 2278 gls al quantitativo indicato nel modulo.

1182

2) - Si prega voler interessare il Deposito mittente perchè ritrasmetta un nuovo modulo G 1033 con l'esatto quantitativo di benzina spedito.=

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[illegible], non firmato per ricevuta, il modulo 3 1033, pervenuto dal 114 Petrol Depot R.S.C., si rilevando che i quantitativi di benzina segnati come spediti a questo Gruppo non corrispondono a quelli effettivamente giunti. Infatti con i vagoni indicati nel modulo in parola sono giunti i quantitativi sotto specificati:

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Col.Umberto De Marvino)

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NR 4 AF
LOAD LCL KK

LOAD.V MBZY ASAS IMPORTANT

FROM ST DISTCDE 231015R
TO FS P L U

STF S2 RESTD. REF YOUR OB - 4 OF 15. LOADINGS COMMENCED
A P C O M A 13 LIBS 17 AND 18. PLEASE ADVISE IF ANY YET ARRIVED.
BT
TENT MT ASAS I WH B K
R 0835 E JJB (= 6)

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M40738/1444 350M 11/43 M Ltd 553

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)

MESSAGE FORM

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Office Date Stamp

FROM (A)

Originator

Date-Time of Origin.

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.

GR

Originator's No.

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This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except } WIRELESS.	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.	Originator's Instructions, Degree of Priority.	Time	System	Op.
			THI or TOR		
			Time Cleared		
Signed.	Signed.				

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Originator's No.

OS - 4

[illegible] Alpine Troops for Tel o Tedesco [illegible] attached to rest of BOLZANO & Rio BOLZANO [illegible] no knowledge of any attempt to the future of [illegible] from [illegible] at 11 and 13 Tel o Mare after the HQ of position

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no knowledge of such deliveries in the future c Gp does not
for TOCB or th and 18 Tel c Phone after the HQ
of position

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1^ Sez. Op. Inf. Serv.
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N.2307/serv. di prot. P.M.146,li 18 luglio 1945

OGGETTO: Prelevamento carburanti.

AL 53° B. I. U.

""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""

1°) - Rif. f. G.8-1 del 7-7-45.

2°) - Si comunica che la stazione ferroviaria di Bolzano, alla quale il Reparto Trasporti e Rifornimenti si è rivolto per ottenere il carburante di cui al foglio a riferimento, non ha saputo dare alcune indicazione per il prelevamento del carburante stesso.
Pertanto il Reparto Trasporti e Rifornimenti continua a fare i prelevamenti dal Deposito Americano di Isola.-

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T.Col.Umberto De Martino)

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COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FOLGORE"
Ufficio del Capo di S.M. - 1' Sez.Op.Inf.Serv.
- - - -

n' 2324 /Serv. di prot. P.M. 146, li 18 luglio 1945

OGGETTO: Assegnazione benzina.

AL 53 B. L. U.

e, per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO RGT. "NEMBO"

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1) Il Governatore militare alleato di Brunico ha fatto presente che in conseguenza della partenza dei reparti americani, dai quali riceveva un'assegnazione giornaliera di circa 25 gls di carburante, avrebbe necessita' di effettuare ora il prelevamento presso il comando III btg. "Nembo"

2) Si prega voler comunicare se questo comando puo' dare disposizioni per l'assegnazione al btg. "Nembo" del quantitativo di benzina sopra richiesto.

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(T. Col. Umberto De Martino)

17 JUL

The Allied military governor of Brunico used to draw 25 gls of petrol from the Americans. As these have now left, could he now draw the same amount from the H.Q. III Battalion "Nembo".

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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G III

cdr 15 h

TO SOB

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. | GR

Originator's No.

Overheads 7336 of 10 Inty Bde directing guard be placed on Ham Rd Oil Dump at Bedzano 119771 is hereby rescinded.

Also this to G.D. for any action necessary.

1176

Q5 of 4 "Roman Three PDL Products"

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 785020

Contents 1556 gyro pump at Guam should be
placed on Navy [illegible] Oil Pump at Kwajalein 119771
is hereby rescinded.

clear this to (-2) for any action necessary!

1176

Q5-4 "Remove Three POL
Products"

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P.S.S. "A" M 150 - 25,000 Pads 100-44

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FROM (A) Originator

Date-Time of Origin.

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.

GR

Originator's No.

OK-2 [illegible] Safe in [illegible] Volume [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] contained [illegible] HQ OFFEC [illegible]

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[illegible] Lt. Colonel F. H. McFC FALCONARA

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LCAO V NBZY NR 6958
OVR 2
FROM ST DIPUDNI 140930B
TO (1) 216 SUP AREA
(2) 55 BLUE
ST
STP/S1 . RESTRICTED . EMPTY BRLS EX VERONA AND BOLZANO
SHOULD BE BACKLOADED BY RAIL CONSIGNED 19 B P F C
FALCONARA
SENT REP AF 1/30
INI LAST GR IN NEG PLS
FALCONARA
RECD 14/1625B MS BB

5962

Ref 2107/Chm Ch prot

TM 146 July 6/45

Subject: POL

1) Should the usual arrangements made with GS POL be advised that the issue of POL to the civil trade must be made in England yet there are not American, in other words the issue to be carefully kept the consideration of 5 gallons not 5

H Gillons.

2) The present order must take effect from 9 July

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the unit must be made in English gallons, not American, in other words the commercial capacity must be considered as 7 · 5 gallons instead of 5

H Gallons.

2) The proposed order would take effect from 9 July

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53 B.L.U.
Ref. 98 - 1
7 Jul 45

Subject: P.O.L.

To :- H.Q. Combat Group FOLCONE
SF

1. P.O.L. for your Group will be drawn daily from railhead BOZZANO, commencing 16 Jul.

2. For the period 16 - 22 Jul the following quantities will be arriving at railhead -

Daily	MT 80 Brls	5,500 gallons
One consignment	Dsrv	400 "
	Kero	400 "
	OS 30	1,000 "
	OS 50	400 "
	GO 90	400 "
	C 600	400 "

3. Any additional or emergency requirements may be drawn from 6 MFPU at VERONA Petrol Point, which it is hoped to have operative by 18 Jul.

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Lt.Col.
G.S.

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LONG V NEZK NR 481/2 OVR 2-3
FROM DISTONE 021800Z
TO AFHQ CITE ~~FHQ/7~~ FHQDQ
INFO 50 BRU - 53 BRU
COPY EASTMOVES - ST - ORD - 2701/Q
BT
Q 76 . RESTRICTED . NO BIDS TO VERONA RM PERIOD 9 - 15 JULY .
BIDS TO COVER SUPS AND POL FOR FOLGORE AND FRUILU GRUPPI
~~[illegible]~~
~~[illegible]~~
WILL BE SUBMITTED NORMAL WAY PERIOD16 - 20 JULY AND ORD PERIOD 23 - 27
JULY . FOR GRUPPI . PROPOSE EST. SUP AND POL PTS VERONA AREA FOR YOUR
MAINT . WILL NOTIFY DATES LATER
BT
SENT NR 748 1/2 2350 B ~~[illegible]~~ K.
~~[illegible]~~
RED AT LONG ~~[illegible]~~ 2/2350Z JL BEBENR

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For Action.

TO HQ Tactical Grp Fairgate

(W) For Information (INFO) — Message Instructions. — GR

Originator's No.

Reference to Bde letter HQ 1170 dated 6th June 1944 and the extension of the HQ grant HQ 64-M of 14th June 44 Tactical HQ will be applied with the question of POL

in view you of applications the ~~Corps~~ ~~applied~~ ~~by extend~~ ~~for~~ a

Bde will be conducted for Tactical HQ the question of POL on monthly

expired the period for date 1 July

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[illegible] Tenderd [illegible] supplied with the quantities of [illegible]

as shown on the said quantities [illegible] supplied by [illegible] for

Small Craft for Tenderd [illegible] the quantities of [illegible] on regarding

approved [illegible] period for delivery 1 July

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