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Jan. - July 1946

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref. CC.RR./20

July 17th '46

Subject: Ammunition Thompson SMGs.

To : Mr. 3rd Bde Carabinieri.

From : 7 B.L.U. Florence

1. The Staghound A. Cs have a Thompson sub machine gun as part of their equipment.
2. Owing to the difficulty of obtaining ammunition and to avoid the complication of yet another type of ammunition, the Thompson SMGs should be stored.


W. GREENOUGH
Major
7 B.L.U.

TRADUZIONE

Oggetto: Munizioni per Fucili Mitragliatori Thompson

1. Le Autoblindo Staghound sono dotate di un fucile mitragliatore Thompson che costituisce una parte del loro equipaggiamento.
2. Date le difficoltà nell'ottenere le munizioni ed anche per evitare la complicazione di usare altri tipi di munizioni, i fucili mitragliatori Thompson dovranno essere messi in deposito.

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref: CC.RR.20

Florence, 13 June 1946

Subject: Ammunition CC.RR.

To : H.Q. M.M.I.A. Rome

From : 7 B.L.U. Florence

Ref CC.RR. Bulletin No 4 dated 17 May 1946.

1. All Legions in 3rd Bde have collected their respective allotments of 9 mm. ammo, for Beretta automatic rifles, from Artillery Directorate.

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Major
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7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref. CC.RR./20

Florence 4th April 1946

Subject: Arms for Carabinieri.

To : HQ. 3rd Bde CC.RR. Florence

1. Beretta Mitra Automatic rifles have been sent to Florence and Leghorn Legions on the scale already agreed.
2. Please inform this office when the weapons have been received by the Legions concerned and distributed to their respective stations.


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Major
7 B.L.U.

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TRADUZIONE

Oggetto: Armi per i Carabinieri

1. Moschetti automatici Beretta sono stati spediti alle Legioni di Firenze e di Livorno nella proporzione già stabilita.
2. Vi preghiamo informare questo ufficio non appena le suddette armi saranno ricevute dalle legioni cui si riferiscono e distribuite alle rispettive stazioni.

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref. CC.RR./20

Florence, 16th March 1946

Subject: Arms & Ammunition

To : HQ. 3rd Brigade CC.RR. - Florence

1. Attached is War Establishment of Arms and ammunition for CC.RR.
2. Whenever any of these supplies are received by Legions every effort must be made to see that they are distributed to depending stations as speedily as possible.
3. This office should be informed immediately if any difficulties are encountered in complying with above.

W. GREENHOUGH
Major
7 B.L.U.

ITALIANO

Oggetto: Armi e munizioni

1. Allegato alla presente e' il prospetto della dotazione di Armi e Munizioni per i CC.RR.
2. Ogni qual volta una qualsiasi parte di tali rifornimenti viene ricevuta dalle legioni, deve essere fatto ogni sforzo affinche' siano distribuiti alle stazioni dipendenti con la massima speditezza.
3. Questo ufficio deve essere informato immediatamente se viene incontrata una qualsiasi difficolta' nell'attenersi a quanto sopra detto.

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref. CO.PR./20

Florence 16 March 1946

Subject: Arms

To : Hq. 3rd Bde CC.PR. - Florence

1. Please inform this office whether or not the Beretta rifles recently issued to Bologna Legion have now been distributed to all stations within that Legion according to War establishment.
2. If this has not been done, the reason for the delay should be stated.


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Major
7 B.L.U.

ISTRUZIONE

Oggetto: Armi

1. Vi preghiamo informare questo ufficio se i mitra Beretta, recentemente assegnati alla Legione di Bologna sono stati o no distribuiti alle stazioni dipendenti dalla Legione in conformita' alla dotazione stabilita.
2. Se questo non e' stato ancora eseguito, vi preghiamo renderci nota la ragione del ritardo.

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref. CC.RR./20

Florence 16th March 1946

Subject : Arms

To : Hq. 3rd Bde CC.RR. - Florence

1. Automatic rifles - Beretta - Cal. 9 - are to be distributed to the undermentioned units in the near future:

Florence Legion	-	362
Livorno Legion	-	405
Ancona Legion	-	379
Central School Florence	-	34

2. Please inform this office when above have been received by the units concerned, and ensure that the rifles are distributed as speedily as possible to the various stations within the respective Legions.

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Major
7 B.L.U.

TRANSMISSION

Soggetto : Armi

1. Monchetti automatici "Beretta" Cal 9 saranno distribuiti prossimamente alle sottoelencate legioni:

Legione di Firenze	-	362
Legione di Livorno	-	405
Legione di Ancona	-	379
Scuola centrale di Firenze	-	34

2. Vi preghiamo dare comunicazione a questo ufficio appena tali armi vengono ricevute dai reparti suddetti, e assicurarci che i mitra vengono distribuiti con la massima speditezza alle varie stazioni dipendenti dalle rispettive legioni.

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref CC.RR./20

Florence 7 Mar. 1946

SUBJECT: Arms and Ammunition.

TO : HQ. 3rd Bgde CC.RR.

1. 10.000 "Beretta" automatic rifles have been made available to the CC.RR.
2. 4.300 have been distributed to various Legions. Of these, Bologna Legion received 956.
3. The balance of 5.700 mitras will be distributed in about one month to the remaining Legions.
4. "Breda, M.30" calibre 6.5 machine guns are also being distributed to the Legions, so that there will be one "Breda" machine gun at every Carabinieri Caserma. A larger number of machine guns will be held at large Casermas, such as Legion and Gruppo HQ's.
5. Handgrenades are also being distributed so that each station will possess at least 20 handgrenades.
6. 8.000.000 rounds of 9. mm. ammunition for the "Beretta" automatic rifles (mitra) have been made available to the Carabinieri. This ammunition is at present being sent to the Italian Army Artillery Directorate, Territorial Command, for distribution to Carabinieri Legions.
7. The above is passed to you for your information.

W. GREENHOUGH
Major
7 E.L.U.

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TRADUZIONE

OGGETTO: Armi e munizioni.

1. 10.000 mitra "Beretta" sono stati messi a disposizione dei CC.RR.
2. 4.300 sono stati distribuiti alle varie Legioni. Di questi, la Legione di Bologna ne ha ricevuti 956.

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TRADUZIONE

3. La differenza di 5.700 mitra sarà distribuita circa in un mese alle rimanenti legioni.
4. Sono in corso di distribuzione alle Legioni anche mitragliatrici "Breda M. 30", calibro 6.5 in modo che ogni caserma di Carabinieri potrà avere una mitragliatrice "Breda". Un numero maggiore di mitragliatrici sarà tenuto dalle caserme grandi come i comandi di Legione e di Gruppo.
5. Sono in corso di distribuzione anche bombe a mano, in modo che ogni stazione ne possederà almeno 20.
6. Circa 8.000.000 di cartucce Cal. 9. per mitra "Beretta" sono state messe a disposizione dei Carabinieri. E' in corso la spedizione di queste munizioni alla Direzione di Artiglieria dell'esercito Italiano, Comando Territoriale, per la distribuzione alle legioni di Carabinieri.
7. Quanto sopra vi viene comunicato per informazione.

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)		MESSAGE FORM		Register No.
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FROM (A) 7TH BRITISH LIAISON UNIT		Originator 20	Date-Time of Origin. 6 MAR 46	Office Date Stamp 10
TO HQ 1541A		(W) For Information (INFO)		Message Instructions. GR

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This message may be sent
 AS WRITTEN by any means
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Signed. W. GREENHOUSE
 MAJOR 741J

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 into enemy hands this message must
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7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref. CC.RR./20

Florence 27th Feb. 1946

Subject : Arms

To : HQ. 3rd Bgde CC.RR. - Florence

1. Please inform this office of numbers of following weapons held by (a) Legions, (b) Mobile Battalions:-
 - (a) Auto Pistols Beretta Model 34 Cal. 9.
 - (b) Auto Rifles Beretta Model 38 Cal 9.
 - (c) L.M.G.S. Breda Model 30, Cal. 6,5
 - (d) Hand Grenades.
2. Above information is urgently required.


W. GREENHOUGH
Major
7 B.L.U.

TRADUZIONE

Oggetto : Armi

1. Vi preghiamo informare questo ufficio sul numero delle seguenti armi in possesso (a) delle Legioni, (b) dei Battaglioni Mobili:-
 - (a) Pistole automatiche Beretta Modello 34, Cal. 9.
 - (b) Fucili automatici Beretta Modello 38, Cal 9.
 - (c) Mitragliatrici leggere Breda Modello 30, Cal. 6,5.
 - (d) Bombe a mano.
2. Le suddette informazioni sono richieste con urgenza.

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

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Ref. CC.RR./20
Florence 2nd March 1946

SUBJECT: Re-organisation of CC.RR.

TO : M.M.I.A. Rome

FROM : 7 B.L.U. Florence

Reference your CC.RR./G/12 of 19 Feb. 46.

1. Attached are detailed lists of all weapons in possession of 3rd Brigade CC.RR.


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Major
7 B.L.U.

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7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Ref. CC.RR./20

Florence 22nd Feb 1946.

SUBJECT: Weapons

TO : HQ. 3rd Bde CC.RR. Florence.

1. In order to effect local standardisation of CC.RR. weapons complete detailed information is requested as follows.

Nomenclature - (Correct British, American, Italian,
or other name.)

Pattern, calibre, number held.

2. Please submit the above return as soon as possible.

*See HQ CCRR letter
CCRR/9/12 of 19 Feb 46**File CCRR/11.**W*
W. GREENHOUGH
Major
7 B.L.U.

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TRADUZIONE

SOGGETTO: Armi.

1. Allo scopo di effettuare il censimento locale delle armi dei CC.RR., si richiedono le seguenti complete e dettagliate informazioni:
Nomenclatura - (Con esattezza i dati inglesi, americani, italiani o altri.)
Tipo, calibro, quantità.
2. Vi preghiamo di fornirci le suddette informazioni al più presto possibile.

7TH BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

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Ref: CC.RR. 120

7 February 46

Subject : Br. or U.S. weapons.

To : HQ. 3 B.de CC.RR. - FLORENCE

1. Please, inform this office as soon as possible, as to number and type of British or American weapons in possession of CC.RR.
2. Nil return required.

[Signature]

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Major
7th B.L.U.

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*Replied to by CCRR/20
of 2 Mar 46*

File 51

7th BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

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Ref: BLU/57Florence, 16 Jan. 1946Subject : Arms for CC.RR. (Request for Artillery Stores)To : 7th Territorial CommandRef. your letter Sn 164 Serv dated 6 Jan. 1946

1. The request for the Arms & Ammunition should be made direct to the Ministry of War, not to this HQ.
The above mentioned letter should ^{have} ~~therefore~~ been addressed to Ministry of War & a copy sent to this HQ.
2. In the present instance please ensure that Ministry of War know that the necessary action is expected from them.
3. It is noted that your letter is dated 6 Jan, but it was not received in this office until last night, Jan 15.

Will you please investigate immediately the cause of this long delay and report the result of your investigations to this HQ.

Suspense 19/1.

D.S.L. GREGSON
Major

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Issue of bandoliers

1 7 BLU CG.
Florence Terr. 18 Dec.
HQ 7 1945

Issue of :

90 bandoliers

50 holsters

To CC.RR. School is fully approved
by this office .-

R. DOWNING
CAPT.
7 B.L.U.
Florence

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Precedence ROUTINE

(Deferred - Routine - Priority - Operational Priority - Urgent)

To : M.N.I.A.

INFO - 3 B.L.U.

MMIA LETTER Q/130 OF 29 NOV 45 REFERS (.) 3 BLU SIGNAL
 REF Q241 DATED 03 TO 7 BLU STATES THAT INFORMATION HAS
 BEEN RECEIVED FROM DISTWO THAT AMN NOT NOW AVAILABLE (.)
 FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS AWAITED

[Signature]
 MAJOR D.S.L. BISSON
 7TH B.L.U.

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To: 3 BLU

MMIA LETTER Q/130 DATED 29 NOVEMBER TO YOU REFERS (.) PLEASE
STATE IF 75000 ROUNDS AVAILABLE FOR COLLECTION AND IF SO WHERE

D.S.L. Gregson
D.S.L. GREGSON
Major
7 BLU

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