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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

AGENDA

The 238th meeting will be held at 1400 hours on Monday, 1st October 1945 in the G-1 (British) Conference Room, Caserta Palace.

Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2636	Amendment to ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS OFFICE OF ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF	CM/30/5	Yes	G-2	1400
	By the proposed deletion of :- (A) Under Signals Intelligence in G(I) Central Mediterranean Forces. Officers 6 (B) Delete to clerks to reduced scale of officers. Vide Annexure 1. File : 254/Org-3				
2637	Amendment to ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) C.M.F.		Yes	A.C.A. G-5	1410
	By the proposed addition of a note to all A.C. Austria War Establishments. Vide Annexure 2. File : 597/Org-3				
2638	Approval of ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA	New W.E.	Yes	A.C.A.	1420

GSO 1 ——
GSO 2 (Ops) ——
GSO 2 (SD) ——
GSO 2 (WE) ——
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2636 Amendment to

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS OFFICE OF ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF	CM/30/5	Yes	G-2	1400

By the proposed deletion of :-

(A) Under Signals Intelligence in GHQ Central Mediterranean Forces.

Officers 6

(B) Delete clerks to reduced scale of officers.

Vide Annexure 1.

File : 254/Org-3

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GSO 2 (Ops)
GSO 2 (GD)
GSO 2 (WS)
GSO 2 (L)
GSO 2 (Sc)
GSO 2 (Obs)
GSO 2 (S)

2637 Amendment to

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) C.M.F.		Yes	A.C.A. G-5	1410

By the proposed addition of a note to all A.C. Austria War Establishments.

Vide Annexure 2.

File : 597/Org-3

2638 Approval of

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) REPATRIATION, DELIVERIES AND RESTITUTION DIVISION	New T.E.	Yes	A.C.A. G-5	1420

Strength :

Officers	5
Other ranks	4
ATS Other ranks	3

Vide Annexure 3.

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2639	Amendment to ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) By the proposed addition of the following note to six A.C. Austria War Establishments. "If Clerks A.T.S. are not available, clerks (any arm) of suitable medical category may be employed in lieu". Vide Annexure 4. File : 597/Org-3	XVI/8005/1 XVI/8106/1 XVI/8420/1 XVI/8580/1 XVI/8760/1 XVI/8900/1	Yes	A.C.A. G-5	1435
2640	Amendment to ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) INTELLIGENCE ORGANIZATION By the proposed deletion of :- Officers 8 Other ranks 11 Vide Annexure 5. File : 778/Org-3	XVI/8002/2	Yes	A.C.A. G-2 G-5	1445
2641	Review of POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. GREECE In accordance with Troopers 74611 (SD 3c) of 18th September 1945. Vide Annexure 6. File : 590/Org-3	TM/1005/5	Yes	G-5	1450
2642	Approval of GERMAN INCREMENT TO A	New W.E.	No	S & T	1500

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"If Clerks A.T.S. are not available, clerks (any arm) of suitable medical category may be employed in lieu". XVI/8760/1 XVI/8900/1

Vide Annexure 4.

File : 597/Org-3

2640 Amendment to

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) INTELLIGENCE ORGANIZATION — XVI/8002/2 — Yes — A.C.A. G-2 G-5 — 1445

By the proposed deletion of :-

Officers	8
Other ranks	11

Vide Annexure 5.

File : 778/Org-3

2641 Review of

POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. GREECE — 71/1005/5 — Yes — G-5 — 1450

In accordance with Troopers 74611 (SD 3c) of 18th September 1945.

Vide Annexure 6.

File : 590/Org-3

2642 Approval of

GREEK INCREMENT TO A. DET. IL ISSUE DEPOT A.A.S.C. — New W.E. — No — S & T — 1500

Strength :

Other ranks 18

Vide Annexure 7.

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2643	Amendment to CIVIL POLICE INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS XIII CORPS By the proposed addition of personnel to supervise equipment and transport for Venizia Giulia Police. Vide Annexure 8. File : 745/Org-3	CM/1046/1	No	XIII Corps G-5 P.M. (Br)	1505
2644	Review of ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTRUCTIONAL POOL FOR THE POLISH FORCES In accordance with War Office signal 63297/SD3 of 28 July 1945. Vide Annexure 9. File : 623/Org-3	CM/968/1	No	G-1 (Br) A-5 Liaison	1530
2645	Approval of (A) ENGINEER STORE DEPOT (GERMAN) Strength : Officers 15 Other ranks 680 Vehicles 15	New W.E.	No	Engrs	1550
	(B) BRITISH CADRE FOR AN ENGINEER STORE DEPOT (GERMAN) Strength : Officer 1 Other ranks 12 Vehicle 1 Vide Annexure 10.	New W.E.	No	Engrs	

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Vide Annexure 8.

File : 745/Org-3

2644 Review of

ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTRUCTIONAL POOL FOR THE POLISH FORCES	CM/968/1	No	G-1 (Br) A-5 Liaison	1530

In accordance with War Office signal 63297/SD3 of 28 July 1945.

Vide Annexure 9.

File : 623/Org-3

2645 Approval of

(A) ENGINEER STORE DEPOT (GERMAN)	New W.E.	No	Engrs	1550

Strength :

Officers	15
Other ranks	680
Vehicles	15

(B) BRITISH CADRE FOR ENGINEER STORE DEPOT (GERMAN)	New W.E.	No	Engrs	

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Strength :

Officer	1
Other ranks	12
Vehicle	1

Vide Annexure 10.

File : 780/3/Org-3

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TLE (hours)
2646	Amendment to SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING By the proposed deletion of :- Officers 8 Other ranks 21 Vehicles 10 Vide Annexure 11. File : 665/Org-3	XII/230/1 CM/115/2	Yes	Engrs R.E.M.E.	

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Other ranks 21
Vehicles 10

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

AGENDA

The 237th meeting will be held at 1400 hours on Monday 24th September 1945 in the G-1 (British) Conference Room, Caserta Palace.

Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2628	Amendment to 'X' SPECIAL RECEPTION CAMP C.M.	XII/668/1 CM/677/1	No	G-1 (Br) G-4 (Mov & Tn) 3 District	1400
	By the proposed addition of : Officer 1 Other ranks 6 Vide Annexure 1. File : 319/Org-3				
2629	Amendment to HEADQUARTERS BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA	XII/46/1 CM/223/1	Yes	G-1 (Br) Q (Maint) HQ. B.T.A.	1415
	By the proposed deletion of Camp commandant, Major 1 and the addition of Camp commandant, Lieutenant-colonel 1 Vide Annexure 2. File : 500/Org-3				
2630	Amendment to HEADQUARTERS BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA	XII/46/1 CM/223/1	Yes	R....C. HQ. B.T.A.	4408 1430
	By the proposed deletion of all detail under -				

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	higher approval required	to send representative	Time (hours)
2628	Amendment to 'X' SPECIAL RECEPTION CAMP C.M.	XII/668/1 CM/677/1	No	G-1 (Br) G-4 (Mov & Tn) 3 District	1400

By the proposed addition of :

Officer	1
Other ranks	6

Vide Annexure 1.

File : 319/Org-3

2629	Amendment to HEADQUARTERS BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA	XII/46/1 CM/223/1	Yes	G-1 (Br) Q (Maint) HQ. B.T.A.	1415

By the proposed deletion of

Camp commandant, Major	1

and the addition of

Camp commandant, Lieutenant-colonel	1

Vide Annexure 2.

File : 500/Org-3

2630	Amendment to HEADQUARTERS BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA	XII/46/1 CM/223/1	Yes	R.A.C. HQ. B.T.A.	4:00

By the proposed deletion of all detail under -

(i) Personnel
Attached to General Staff
Armoured Fighting Vehicle

and the proposed substitution of -

Officers	2
Other ranks	5

Vide Annexure 3.

File : 500/Org-3

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2631	Amendment to DIRECTORATE OF ARMY EQUIPMENT AND MECHANICAL TRANSPORT FOR U.D.F. C.M.F. By the proposed deletion of :- Other ranks 3 and the addition of :- Civilians 10 Vide Annexure 4. File : 408/Org-3	CM/996/1	Yes	Q (ME)	1440
2632	Review of POOL OF TRADESMEN AND DRIVERS ROYAL SIGNALS In accordance with Serial No. 2398 of the 215 Meeting of the War Establishments Committee. Vide Annexure 5. File : 712/Org-3	CM/938/1	No	Signals	1445
2633	Review of HEADQUARTERS ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND (BRITISH PERSONNEL) (a) All first grade appointments in accordance with War Office signal 68674 SD 3(C) of 22nd August 1945 and (b) the addition to S & T Branch of Serjeant (clerk) 1 Lance-corporal (Clerk) 1 Vide Annexure 6.	XII/74/1 CM/450/1	Yes	G-1 (Br) Q (Maint) G-2 S & T Med Ord P.M. (Br) Rome Area	1450

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Other ranks 3

and the addition of :-

Civilians 10

Vide Annexure 4.

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2632 Review of

POOL OF TRADESMEN AND DRIVERS ROYAL SIGNALS	CM/938/1	No	Signals	1445

In accordance with Serial No. 2398 of the 215 Meeting of the War Establishments Committee.

Vide Annexure 5.

File : 712/Org-3

2633 Review of

HEADQUARTERS ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND (BRITISH PERSONNEL)	XII/74/1 CM/450/1	Yes	G-1 (Br) Q (Maint) G-2 S & T Med Ord P.M. (Br) Rome Area	1450

(a) All first grade appointments in accordance with War Office signal 68674 SD 3(C) of 22nd August 1945 and

(b) the addition to S & T Branch of

Sergeant (clerk) 1
Lance-corporal (Clerk) 1

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2634	Approval of				
	(A) 33 MILITARY MISSION Strength : Officers 33 Other ranks 104 Vehicles 28	New W.E.	Yes	G-1 (Br) Q (Maint) D.M.T. Engrs Signals S & T Med Ord R.E.M.E. M.M.I.A.	1510
	(B) INCREMENT TO MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY Strength : Officers 13 Other ranks 18	New W.E.	No		
	(C) BRITISH LIAISON UNIT TO TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS TYPE 'A' Strength : Officers 7 Other ranks 18 Vehicles 6	New W.E.	Yes		
	(D) BRITISH LIAISON UNIT TO AN ITALIAN TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS TYPE 'B' Strength : Officers 4 Other ranks 7 Civilians 8 Vehicles 3	New W.E.	No		

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	Vehicles	28		Med Ord R.E.M.E. M.M.I.L.
(B)	INCREMENT TO MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY		New W.E.	No
	Strength :			
	Officers	13		
	Other ranks	18		
(C)	BRITISH LIAISON UNIT TO TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS TYPE 'A'		New W.E.	Yes
	Strength :			
	Officers	7		
	Other ranks	18		
	Vehicles	6		
(D)	BRITISH LIAISON UNIT TO AN ITALIAN TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS TYPE 'B'		New W.E.	No
	Strength :			
	Officers	4		
	Other ranks	7		
	Civilians	8		
	Vehicles	3		

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WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

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236th Meeting, held on Monday, 17 September 1945

Present:	Brigadier J.D'A. ANDERSON	Chairman
	Brigadier F.N. MITCHELL	G-1 (Br)
	Brigadier M.C.E. SHARP	Q (Maint)
	Lieut-Col J.J. SLOAN	Q (M.E.)
	Lieut-Col R.H. BURNETT	Financial Advisor
	Major H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)
	Captain J.N. GRAHAM	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of Meeting No. 220.	
2461	22 CIVIL AFFAIRS UNIT	(CM/568/3) (XII/672/2)

War Office have approved upgrading of senior public health officers for LAND STEIERMARK and LAND KARNTEN to staff officers, first grade, civil affairs/military government, w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.

War Establishment CM/568/3, LAND KARNTEN, Public Health Branch, will be amended by deletion of staff officer, grade II, civil affairs/military government and addition of staff officer, grade I, civil affairs/military government.

Authority : War Office cable 73869 SD3C dated 15 Sep 45

File : 423/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 222.

2494 CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER, CHIEF LINES OFFICER MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCE (CM/45/2) (XII/290/1)

War Office have approved continuation of the appointments of Chief Air Formation Signals Officer, M.A.A.F. (Brigadier) and staff officer, grade I, Royal Signals (lieutenant-colonel), subject to review 1 Oct 45.

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Major [illegible] G-3 (Org)
Captain J.N. GRAHAM

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 220.

2461 22 CIVIL AFFAIRS UNIT (CM/568/3) (XII/672/2)

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Authority : War Office cable 73869 SD3C dated 15 Sep 45

File : 423/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 222.

2479 CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER, CHIEF LINES OFFICER MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCE (CM/45/2) (XII/290/1)

War Office have approved continuation of the appointments of Chief Air Formation Signals Officer, M.A.A.F. (Brigadier) and staff officer, grade I, Royal Signals (lieutenant-colonel), subject to review 1 Oct 45. 4401

2479C CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER, AIR FORMATION SIGNALS, NORTH WEST AFRICAN COASTAL AIR FORCE (CM/47/2) (XII/282/1)

War Office have approved continuation of the appointment of Chief Signals Officer, Air Formation Signals, N.W.A.C.A.F., subject to review 1 Dec 45.

Authority : War Office cable 73957 SD3 dated 15 Sep 45.

File : 380/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2438 STAFF INCREMENT TO A CORPS HEADQUARTERS (CM/947/2) (XII/115/1)

War Office have approved war establishment CM/947/2 including appointments of -

Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general	1
Assistant director of medical services	1
Assistant director of veterinary and remount services	1
Deputy director of technical services, R.E.M.E. (colonel)	1
Assistant director of technical services, R.E.M.E.	1

w.e.f. 3 Aug 45, subject to review at 1 Nov 45.

War Establishment CM/947/2 supersedes CM/947/1.

Authority : War Office cable 73971 SD3 dated 15 Sep 45.

File : 775/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 226.

2524B MOVEMENT CONTROL, ALLIED FORCE (CM/24/4) (XII/890/4)

Minute 2524(B) will be amended as follows :-

Delete	Warrant officer, class II	1
Add	Warrant officers, class II	2
Delete	Cooks (civilians)	6
	General dutymen (may be civilians)	13
Add	General dutymen	5
	Batmen	8

and amend totals accordingly.

Amendment No. 10 to CM/24/4 will be changed in accordance with this minute.

File : 540/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 227.

2537 26 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/646/1) (XII/886/1)

War Office have approved continuation of the [illegible] Territorial

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w.e.f. 3 Aug 45, subject to review at 1 Nov 45.

War Establishment CM/947/2 supersedes CM/947/1.

Authority : War Office cable 73971 SD3 dated 15 Sep 45.

File : 775/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 226.

2524B MOVEMENT CONTROL, ALLIED FORCE (CM/24/4) (XII/890/4)

Minute 2524(B) will be amended as follows :-

Delete	Warrant officer, class II	1
Add	Warrant officers, class II	2
Delete	Cooks (civilians)	6
	General dutymen (may be civilians)	13
Add	General dutyman	5
	Batmen	8

and amend totals accordingly.

Amendment No. 10 to CM/24/4 will be changed in accordance with this minute.

File : 540/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 227.

2537 26 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/646/1) (XII/886/1)

War Office have approved continuation of the appointment of assistant director, Auxiliary Territorial Service - 1, subject to review 14 Dec 45.

Authority : War Office cable 73969 SD3 dated 15 Sep 45.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 232.

2567 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4) (XII/30/5)

War Office have approved the following additional appointments on the above war establishment w.e.f. 15 Sep 45 -

Assistant director of dental services	1
Nursing officer, principal matron, Q.A.I.L.N.S.	1

and w.e.f. 1 Oct 45 -

Deputy director of mechanical engineering (brigadier)	1

and have approved the upgrading of the Assistant director of labour - 1 to Deputy director of labour (colonel) w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 73970 SD3 dated 15 Sep 45.

File : 492/Org-3

MINUTES

2615 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) POLITICAL DIVISION, PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH (CM/1119/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45, the appointments of Deputy Director (colonel) and Assistant Director (lieutenant-colonel) being recommended to the War Office.

The transmission sub-section is subject to review after a period of three months w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	20
	Other ranks	75
	Civilian	1

Owing to the lapse of censorship regulations it was agreed that the censorship section was no longer required but that one officer should be retained to ensure continuity.

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Deputy director [illegible] (brigadier) 1

and have approved the upgrading of the Assistant director of labour - 1 to Deputy director of labour (colonel) w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 73970 SD3 dated 15 Sep 45.

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2615 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) POLITICAL DIVISION, PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH (CL/1119/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45, the appointments of Deputy Director (colonel) and Assistant Director (lieutenant-colonel) being recommended to the War Office.

The transmission sub-section is subject to review after a period of three months w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	20
	Other ranks	75
	Civilian	1

Owing to the lapse of censorship regulations it was agreed that the censorship section was no longer required but that one officer should be retained to ensure continuity.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2616 PUBLIC RELATIONS MILITARY DIVISION OCCUPIED ZONE (AUSTRIA) (CE/1120/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officers	8
		Other ranks	27
		Vehicles	10

Both this war establishment, and the directorate (vide serial 2615 above) are intended for use in place of No. 2 Public Relations Service (W.E. CE/195/1) and No. 2 Army Film and Photo Section, (W.E. CE/494/1).

The sponsors stated that conversion would take place in mid November.

File : 597/Org-3

2617 HEADQUARTERS OF A GERMAN ENGINEER BATTALION (CE/1121/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officers	3
		Other ranks	23
		Vehicles	4

File : 780/3/Org-3

2618 HEADQUARTERS OF A GERMAN ENGINEER REGIMENT (CE/1122/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officers	8
		Other ranks	78
		Vehicles	9

File : 780/3/Org-3

2619 A GERMAN FIELD PARK COMPANY (CE/1123/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officers	6
		Other ranks	253
		Vehicles	36

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The sponsors stated that conversion would take place in mid November.

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2617 HEADQUARTERS OF A GERMAN ENGINEER BATTALION (CM/1121/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officers	3
		Other ranks	23
		Vehicles	4

File : 780/3/Org-3

2618 HEADQUARTERS OF A GERMAN ENGINEER REGIMENT (CM/1122/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officers	8
		Other ranks	78
		Vehicles	9

File : 780/3/Org-3

2619 A GERMAN FIELD PARK COMPANY (CM/1123/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officers	6
		Other ranks	253
		Vehicles	36

File : 780/3/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2620 AUSTRLIN ADMINISTRATIVE INCREMENT TO ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CE/1124/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength : Other ranks 509

File : 286/Org-3

2621 INCREMENT TO XIII CORPS (CE/1070/1)

The proposed addition of 1 officer and 7 other ranks for staff message control was not considered essential.

Owing to the critical shortage of manpower, and in view of the recent decision to exclude staff message control personnel from the war establishments of all District Headquarters, the proposal was NOT agreed: It was decided that provision would have to be made from existing establishments.

File : 745/Org-3

2622 AN INCREMENT TO MILITARY PRISONS, DETENTION BARRACKS AND FIELD PUNISHMENT BARRACKS (CE/592/1) (XII/1027/1)

The addition of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Nursing orderlies, R.A.M.C. -
Corporal 1
Private 1

Medical officers' orderlies, any arm,
Privates 2

File : 436/Org-3

2623 ... COMPOSITE PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/1125/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength : Officers 5
Other ranks 68
Civilians 20
Vehicles 2

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It was agreed that the implementation of 6 clerks (typists) should be withheld until 1 Feb 46.

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The proposed addition of 1 officer and 7 other ranks for staff message control was not considered essential.

Owing to the critical shortage of manpower, and in view of the recent decision to exclude staff message control personnel from the war establishments of all District Headquarters, the proposal was NOT agreed: It was decided that provision would have to be made from existing establishments.

File : 745/Org-3

2622 ..N I.CRE..NT TO .ILIT.RY PRISONS, DETENTION B..R..CKS ..ND FIELD PUNISH..NT B..R..CKS (CL/592/1) (XII/1027/1)

The addition of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Nursing orderlies, R...M.C. -		
	Corporal	1
	Private	1
Medical officers' orderlies, any arm,		
	Privates	2

File : 436/Org-3

2623 .. CO..POSITE .RINTING ..ND ST..TIONERY SERVICES U.IT, CENTR.L MEDITERR..NE.N (C../1125/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	5
	Other ranks	68
	Civilians	20
	Vehicles	2

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It was agreed that the implementation of 6 clerks (privates) should be withheld until 1 Feb 46.

File : 624/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2624 A ROYAL AIR FORCE GERMAN SERVICE COMPANY, TYPE 'A' (CM/1126/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	3
	Other ranks	286
	Vehicle	1

File : 780/Org-3

2625A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH DIRECTORATE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1127/1)

The above para military establishment was recommended to the War Office with effective date 17 Sep 45, the appointment of Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general being subject to review on 1 Jan 46.

Strength :	Officer personnel	12
	Other rank personnel	93
	Vehicles	13

The Assistant administrative officer (captain) and the Assistant camp commandant (subaltern) were not considered necessary and were deleted from the establishment.

It was further agreed that very considerable decreases in the administrative staff would be made as soon as the directorate should move to the same location as A.F.H.Q., or G.H.Q., C.M.F.

File : 583/Org-3

2625B PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH BASIC UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1128/1)

The above para military establishment was recommended to the War Office with effective date 17 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officer personnel	61
	Other rank personnel	156
	Vehicles	57

The Finance and administrative officer in the Zone Headquarters detachment was downgraded to the rank of captain. It was not considered that his responsibilities justified a higher rank.

File : 583/Org-3

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The above para military establishment was recommended to the War Office with effective date 17 Sep 45, the appointment of Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general being subject to review on 1 Jan 46.

Strength	:	Officer personnel	12
		Other rank personnel	93
		Vehicles	13

The Assistant administrative officer (captain) and the Assistant camp commandant (subaltern) were not considered necessary and were deleted from the establishment.

It was further agreed that very considerable decreases in the administrative staff would be made as soon as the directorate should move to the same location as A.F.H.Q., or G.H.Q., C.M.F.

File : 583/Org-3

2625B PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH BASIC UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1128/1)

The above para military establishment was recommended to the War Office with effective date 17 Sep 45.

Strength	:	Officer personnel	61
		Other rank personnel	156
		Vehicles	57

The Finance and administrative officer in the Zone Headquarters detachment was downgraded to the rank of captain. It was not considered that his responsibilities justified a higher rank.

File : 583/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2625C PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH BRITISH UNIT, AUSTRL.

The above para military establishment was recommended to the War Office with effective date 17 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officer personnel	38
	Other rank personnel	122
	Vehicles	42

File : 583/Org-3

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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A.Z. Pegum Major

Lieutenant-colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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New War Establishments will not be implemented
without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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Deputy Chairman.

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20 Sep 45

Distribution :

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

235th Meeting, held on Wednesday 12 Sep 45

Present : Brigadier J.D'A. ANDERSON — Chairman
Lieut-Col A.G. DAWTRY — G-1 (Br)
Lieut-Col R.H. BURNETT — Financial Advisor
Major R.E. NICHOLLS — Q (Maint)
Major A.R. DICKER — Q (AE)
Major H.K. JACQUES — G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number — War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 179.

1927B — POOL OF CONDUCTING OFFICERS ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS — (CM/762/1) (XII/98/1)

The above war establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 30 Sep 45.

Authority : AFHQ letter WSD/101 dated 8 Sep 45.

File : 776/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2210 — 'J' MILITARY MISSION — (CM/994/1) (XII/1200B/1)

The above war establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.

Authority : AFHQ letter G1(Br)/1076/.1 (Serial 2752) dated 29 Jul 45.

File : 779/Org-3

Addition to Minutes of meeting No. 217.

2413 — HEADQUARTERS TRAIN GUARD CONTROL — (CM/761/1) (XII/1005/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of Commander (lieutenant-colonel) w.e.f. 9 Jul 45. The appointment of Commander (colonel) was not approved.

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Authority : War Office cable 73069 SD 30 dated 12 Sep 45.

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 179.	
19273	POOL OF CONDUCTING OFFICERS ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS	(CL/762/1) (XII/98/1)
	The above war establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 30 Sep 45.	
	Authority : AFHQ letter WSD/101 dated 8 Sep 45.	
	File : 776/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.	
2210	'J' MILITARY MISSION	(CL/994/1) (XII/1200B/1)
	The above war establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.	
	Authority : AFHQ letter G1(Sr)/1076/.1 (Serial 2752) dated 29 Jul 45.	
	File : 779/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.	
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	Authority : War Office cable 73069 SD 30 dated 12 Sep 45.	
	File : 341/Org-3	

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2418 XIII CORPS LIAISON DETACHMENT (CM/1045/1) (XII/881H/1)

War Office have promulgated war establishment CM/1045/1 as XII/881H/1 showing interpreters as majors, captains or subalterns.

War Establishment CM/1045/1 will be amended to conform.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

Authority : War Office cable 71108 SD 3C dated 2 Sep 45.

File : 745/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2423 HEADQUARTERS CRETE (CM/760/1) (XII/10/1)

The above war establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 20 Sep 45.

The appointment of Commander (colonel) will be deleted w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Authority for cancellation, AFHQ letter WSD/101 dated 15 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 714/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2427 INCREMENT TO III CORPS (CM/555/2) (XII/82/2)

War Office have approved continuation of appointment A.D.M.E. - 1 until 31 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 71606 SD 3C dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 225.

2519 A TRANSIT CAMP (REVISED) (CM/552/1)
(312 TRANSIT CAMP, TOULON) (XII/664/1)

War Office have approved upgrading Commander (major) to Commander (lieutenant-colonel) in the case

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Authority : War Office cable 71108 SD 3C dated 2 Sep 45.

File : 745/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2423 HEADQUARTERS CRETE (CM/760/1) (XII/1C/1)

The above war establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 20 Sep 45.

The appointment of Commander (colonel) will be deleted w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Authority for cancellation, AFHQ letter WSD/101 dated 15 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 714/Org-3

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War Office have approved continuation of appointment A.D.M.E. - 1 until 31 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 71606 SD 3C dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 225.

2519 A TRANSIT CAMP (REVISED) (312 TRANSIT CAMP, TOULON) (CM/552/1) (XII/664/1)

War Office have approved upgrading Commander (major) to Commander (lieutenant-colonel) in the case of 312 TRANSIT CAMP, TOULON only, w.e.f. 10 Aug 45. subject to review 10 Feb 46.

Authority : War Office 72267 SD 3C dated 7 Sep 45.

File : 319/Org-3

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Serial Number

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 226.

2525 BRITISH CIVIL POLICE UNIT FOR GREECE (CM/972/1) (XII/675/1)

War Office have approved deletion of appointments of staff officers 1st grade, civil affairs - 2 w.e.f. 13 Aug 45, and continuation of appointments of Chief Police Advisor - 1 and staff officer 1st grade, civil affairs - 1 until 15 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 71608 SD 3C dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 226.

2553 HEADQUARTERS OF A.N ARE. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/41/3) (XII/18/2)

War Office have approved the addition of the appointment of A.A. and Q.M.G. - 1 w.e.f. 13 Aug 45 for 207 Sub-Area only.

The appointment of A.Q.M.G. - 1 on war establishment CM/223/1 HQ. B.T.A. will be deleted w.e.f. the date of implementation of the above appointment.

Authority : War Office 73044 SD 3(C) dated 11 Sep 45.

File : 323/9/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 227.

2539 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

War Office have approved the interim reductions to the above war establishment included in amendment No. 9, w.e.f. from the dates shown.

Authority : War Office cable 14616 SD 3 dated 8 Sep 45.

File : 250/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 227 and 228.

2550 MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA (CM/667/1) (XII/397/1)

War Office have approved the continuation of the above war establishment until 1 Oct 45 subject to review with AFHQ war establishment at 21 Sep 45.

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4 Sep 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 226.

(CM/41/3)
(XII/18/2)

2553 HEADQUARTERS OF AN ARE.
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

War Office have approved the addition of the appointment of A.A. and Q.M.G. - 1 w.e.f. 13 Aug 45 for 207 Sub-Area only.

The appointment of A.Q.M.G. - 1 on war establishment CM/223/1 HQ. B.T.A. will be deleted w.e.f. the date of implementation of the above appointment.

Authority : War Office 73044 SD 3(G) dated 11 Sep 45.

File : 323/9/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 227.

(CM/30/4)

2539 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

War Office have approved the interim reductions to the above war establishment included in amendment No. 9, w.e.f. from the dates shown.

Authority : War Office cable 14616 SD 3 dated 8 Sep 45.

File : 250/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 227 and 228.

(CM/667/1)
(XII/497/1)

2550 MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA

War Office have approved the continuation of the above war establishment until 1 Oct 45 subject to review with AFHQ war establishment at 21 Sep 45.

Deletion of appointment general staff officer 1st grade - 1 and downgrading of appointment general staff officer 2nd grade - 1 to general staff officer 3rd grade w.e.f. 20 Aug 45 is approved.

Authority : War Office cable 72639 SD 3 dated 8 Sep 45.

File : 770/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 227 and 228.

2547 HEADQUARTERS 218 SPECIAL AREA. (CM/1072/1)

The following amendment is approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

STAFF

GENERAL STAFF BRANCH

Delete	Staff captain	- 1
	Staff lieutenant	- 1

BRANCH OF THE ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL

Add	Staff captain	- 1
	Staff lieutenant	- 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 323/9/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 229.

2555 BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION (CM/999/1) (XII/19/1)

War Office have approved transfer of following appointments, Colonel general staff - 1, general staff officer 3rd grade - 1, clerks Sjt - 1 Cpl - 1 Pte - 1 from war establishment of the Historical Section (FHQ) CM/30/4 to the war establishment of the British Historical Section, Central Mediterranean w.e.f. 1 Oct 45 subject to review at 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 72638 SD 3 dated 8 Sep 45.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 232.

2567 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4)

Amend upgrading of clerks, technical, REME, shown in paragraph (c) of minute 2567, as follows :-

Delete "Serjeant to rank of staff-serjeant - 1"

Insert "Staff-serjeant to rank of warrant officer class II - 1"

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Add Staff captain - 1
Staff lieutenant - 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 323/9/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 229.

2555 BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION (CM/999/1) (XII/10/1)

War Office have approved transfer of following appointments, Colonel general staff - 1, general staff officer 3rd grade - 1, clerks Sjt - 1 Cpl - 1 Pte - 1 from war establishment of the Historical Section AFHQ CM/30/4 to the war establishment of the British Historical Section, Central Mediterranean w.e.f. 1 Oct 45 subject to review at 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 72638 SD 3 dated 8 Sep 45.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 232.

2567 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4)

Amend upgrading of clerks, technical, REME, shown in paragraph (c) of minute 2567, as follows :-

Delete "Serjeant to rank of staff-serjeant - 1"

Insert "Staff-serjeant to rank of warrant officer class II - 1"

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Addition to minutes

HEADQUARTERS STAFF POOL (CM/15/1)
(XII/8/1)
STAFF POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/339/1)
(XII/50/1)
POOL OF A.T.S. STAFF OFFICERS (CM/292/1)
(XII/630/1)

The above war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 21 Aug 45.

Authority : AFHQ letter WSD/101 dated 8 Sep 45.

File : 698/Org-3

Addition to minutes

R.A.S.C./E.F.I. (III/70/4)

War Office have considered recommendations from all Theatres for the revision of the war establishment for R.A.S.C./E.F.I. III/70/3 and have published a revised edition III/70/4 including all appointments approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office letter 103/Gen/6413/ (SD3(a)) dated 16 Aug 45.

File : 404/Org-3

Addition to minutes

Minutes of MMA War Establishments Sub-Committee Meeting No. 15 refer :-

97 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A.F.H.Q. (CM/1526/1)
(BRITISH SECTION) LCC.L
ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

The above war establishment is approved w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

File : 303/2/Org-3

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MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
2595	GERMAN INCREMENT TO A BASE SUPPLY DEPOT, TYPE 'B', R.A.S.C.	(CM/1114/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 142

File : 780/2/Org-3

2596 A DEPENDANT GERMAN P OR S LABOUR UNIT (CM/1038/1)

The addition of the following officer personnel was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Captain 1
Subalterns 2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 780/Org-3

2597A A GERMAN DRIVING TEAM FOR 'A' VEHICLES (CM/1115/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 58

File : 780/4/Org-3

2597B A GERMAN DRIVING TEAM FOR 'B' VEHICLES (CM/1116/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 55

File : 780/4/Org-3

2598 GERMAN DOCUMENTATION AND REINFORCEMENT UNIT (CM/1117/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 161

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LABOUR UNIT

The addition of the following officer personnel was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Captain	1
Subalterns	2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 780/Org-3

2597A A GERMAN DRIVING TEAM FOR 'A' VEHICLES (CM/1115/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	58

File : 780/4/Org-3

2597B A GERMAN DRIVING TEAM FOR 'B' VEHICLES (CM/1116/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	55

File : 780/4/Org-3

2598 GERMAN DOCUMENTATION AND REINFORCEMENT UNIT (CM/1117/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	161
	Vehicle	1

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2599 BRITISH CADRE TO A GERMAN DOCUMENTATION AND REINFORCEMENT UNIT (CM/1118/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 19

File : 780/Org-3

2600 A HOSPITAL (600 and 1200 BEDS) FOR GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR AND SURRENDERED ENEMY PERSONNEL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/977/2)

The above new war establishment, designed to supersede WE CM/977/1 was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength :

British Personnel

Officers	2
Other ranks	9

German Personnel

	600 Beds	1200 Beds
Officers	17	21
Other ranks	190	243
Vehicles	3	

File : 553/Org-3

2601 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4)

The addition of the following personnel and vehicle was approved w.e.f. the date of disbandment of Headquarters 1 District.

A.D.V. & R.S.	1
Clerk, R.A.V.C. (serjeant)	1
Batman-driver, R.A.V.C.	1
Car 4 seater, 4 x 2	1

The appointment of A.D.V. & R.S. is subject to War Office approval.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 492/Org-3

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNBC No. T85220

2600 A HOSPITAL (600 and 1200 BEDS) FOR GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR AND SURRENDERED ENEMY PERSONNEL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CL/977/2)

The above new war establishment, designed to supersede WE CL/977/1 was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Strength :

British Personnel

Officers	2
Other ranks	9

German Personnel

	600 Beds	1200 Beds
Officers	17	21
Other ranks	190	243

Vehicles 3

File : 553/Org-3

2601 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CL/128/4)

The addition of the following personnel and vehicle was approved w.e.f. the date of disbandment of Headquarters 1 District.

A.D.V. & R.S.	1
Clerk, R.A.V.C. (serjeant)	1
Batman-driver, R.A.V.C.	1
Car 4 seater, 4 x 2	1

The appointment of A.D.V. & R.S. is subject to War Office approval.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

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Serial Number | War Establishment

2602 ST.FF INCREMENT TO XIII CORPS (CM/1070/1)

The addition of the following personnel and vehicle was approved w.e.f. 25 Jul 45, this being the date upon which XIII Corps was placed under command of AFHQ.

D.A.D. Salvage	1
Staff lieutenant Salvage	1
Clerk, R.A.S.C. (private)	1
Batman-driver	1
Car 4 x 2 light utility	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 745/Org-3

2603. IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO G.H.Q. 2.. ECHELON (CM/1531/1)

The above war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

Strength : (including P.W. Accounts Staff (A.G. Minute 16/103))	Officers	2
	Other ranks	117
	Motor-cycle	1

The provision of a truck 15 cwt and driver was not agreed.

Included in this war establishment is a staff for the documentation and records of Italian military personnel. As it was considered that this function should, at an early stage be undertaken by the Italian military authorities, this establishment is subject to review by the MMLA on 1 Nov 45.

File : 317/Org-3

2603B G.H.Q. 2nd ECHELON (CM/163/1)

The deletion of the Italian staff, added to the above establishment by amendment 3 was approved w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 11.

File : 317/Org-3

2604 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) POLITICAL DIVISION PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH (New W.E.)

2605 PUBLIC RELATIONS MILITARY DIVISION OCCUPIED ZONE (AUSTRIA) (New W.E.)

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 745/Org-3

2603. IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO G.H.Q. 2nd ECHELON (CE/1531/1)

The above war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

Strength :	Officers	2
(including P.W. Accounts	Other ranks	117
Staff (MMLA Minute 16/103))	Motor-cycle	1

The provision of a truck 15 cwt and driver was not agreed.

Included in this war establishment is a staff for the documentation and records of Italian military personnel. As it was considered that this function should, at an early stage be undertaken by the Italian military authorities, this establishment is subject to review by the MMLA on 1 Nov 45.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 11.

File : 317/Org-3

2604. ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (New W.E.)
(BRITISH ELEMENT) POLITICAL DIVISION
PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH

2605 PUBLIC RELATIONS MILITARY DIVISION (New W.E.)
OCCUPIED ZONE (AUSTRIA)

Consideration of the above proposals was deferred owing to the absence of the sponsors.

File : 597/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2606 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) MILITARY COMPONENT TO THE AIR DIVISION (XVI/8100/2)

The deletion of the following officers was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45 in accordance with minute serial 226/2522.

Under Air formation signals section
Staff officer (R. Signals) lieut-col 1

Under Technical services section
A.D.M.E. 1

Under War materials section
A.D.O.S. 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2607 RESERVE AND TRAINING POOL OF AIR OBSERVATION POST PILOTS (New W.E.)

Hearing of this proposal was postponed at the request of the sponsors.

File : 531/Org-3

2608 DIVISIONAL DUMP UNIT (CM/907/1)

2609 DISBANDMENT CONCENTRATION AREA CONTROL UNIT (CM/921/1)

In view of the acute shortage of military vehicles, the addition of transport to the above establishments was not agreed.

File : 775/Org-3

2610 VEHICLE COMPANY (BASE ORDNANCE DEPOT) R.A.O.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/570/1)

The deletion of drivers IC, 10 and Note C and the substitution of drivers "Crane", 10 was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 413/Org-3

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A.D.M.E. 1

Under War materials section

A.D.O.S. 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 413/Org-3

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Serial Number | War Establishment

2611A HEADQUARTERS, BASE ORDNANCE DEPOT R.A.O.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/68[illegible]/1)

The deletion of notes (a) and (b) was approved w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

The Committee also agreed to recommend to the War Office the upgrading of the senior provision officer, major, to the rank of lieutenant-colonel w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 413/Org-3

2611B DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF ORDNANCE SERVICES L OF C CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/288/3)

It was agreed that the A.D.O.S. (P) element of the above war establishment should be deleted w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated No. 6.

File : 566/Org-3

2612 TYRE REPAIR WORKSHOP R.E.M.E. (CM/371/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Add under Headquarters

Storeman (serjeant)	1
Vehicle mechanics (corporals)	3
Electricians (includes 2 lance corporals)	8

Under Tyre Repair Section

Delete	lance corporals	4
Substitute	lance corporals	5

Under Increment 'A'

Delete	lance corporals	2
Substitute	lance corporals	3

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 706/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG No. T25020

File : 413/Org-3

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File : 706/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402(3)(NND) No. 763020

Serial Number

War Establishment

2613 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/3)

The above establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 71607 SD 3 dated 4 Sep 45.

In view of the needs of Static headquarters in this theatre, all of which are organised on standard establishments, retention of this pool was regarded as essential, and continuation recommended.

A number of reductions, both in staff and services were found to be practicable and a total decrease of 27 officers, 39 other ranks and 7 vehicles was approved.

On the other hand, a small increase in Medical officers was occasioned by the disbandment of HQs 1 District, 94 and 210 Sub-Areas.

It was agreed that the present establishment should be re-written as WE CM/605/4 w.e.f. 10 Sep with a strength of :

Officers	144
Other ranks	197
Vehicles	85

File : 602/Org-3

2614 ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT AND ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION FOR ITALY (CM/266/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

(a) Under Part II, Field Staffs

Pool for allotment as required.

Delete	Staff officers, 1st grade, civil affairs	10
	Staff officers, 2nd grade, civil affairs	30
	Staff officers, 3rd grade, civil affairs	40

(b) Under Part III, Other ranks

Delete	Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.	
	Corporals	3
	Lance corporals	10
	Privates	37

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 8.

File : 423/Org-3

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 8.

File : 423/Org-3

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WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

SD/102.

234th Meeting, held on 7 September 1945

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	Major	A.R. DICKER	Q (AE)
	Captain	J.N. GRAHAM	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to Minutes of Meetings Nos. 28 and 214.	
258	FINANCIAL AND AUDIT STAFF CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/1034/1)
	War Office have promulgated the above war establishment as XII/930/2 w.e.f. 1 Jul 43.	
2381	War Office have promulgated amendment No. 1 to CM/1034/1 (XII/930/2) including deletion of appointment Assistant financial adviser (lieutenant-colonel) - 1 w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.	
	Authority : War Office cable 71674 SD3 dated 5 Sep 45.	
	File : 250/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 135.	
1461	WELFARE TRAINING CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/564/1) (XII/1160/1)
	This war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 22 Sep 45.	
	Authority : G-1(Br)/8042/44 dated 30 Aug 45.	
	File : 497/Org-3	

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Major	[illegible]	G (AE)
Major	A.R. DICKER	G-3 (Org)
Captain	J.N. GRAHAM	

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 28 and 214.	
258	FIELD ARTILLERY AUDIT STAFF CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/1034/1)
	War Office have promulgated the above war establishment as XII/930/2 w.e.f. 1 Jul 43.	
2381	War Office have promulgated amendment No. 1 to CM/1034/1 (XII/930/2) including deletion of appointment Assistant financial adviser (lieutenant-colonel) - 1 w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.	
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	File : 250/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 135.	
1461	WELFARE TRAINING CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/564/1) (XII/1160/1)
	This war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 22 Sep 45.	339
	Authority : G-1(Br)/8042/44 dated 30 Aug 45.	
	File : 497/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 163.	
1762	HEADQUARTERS AN ASSAULT BRIGADE R.E/RE	(CM/660/1)
	The above title is amended to read "Headquarters an Armoured Engineer Brigade RE", w.e.f. 5 Jan 45.	
	Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.	
	File : 713/Org-3	

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.

2180 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/3)

The addition to the Artillery Section of one Captain, R.A. (for duty as search-light adviser with MAAF) is approved w.e.f. 18 Jul 44.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 42.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

The addition to the Artillery Section of one Captain, R.A. for duty as search-light adviser with MAAF is approved for period 16 Mar 45 to 16 Apr 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 10.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 209.

2361 BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/614/2) (MII/12001/1)

War Office have approved appointment of Colonel A/Q - 1 w.e.f. 20 Jul 45 subject to review 1 Oct 45.

Authority : War Office cable 70061 SD 30 dated 28 Aug 45.

File : 763/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2440 ARMY EDUCATION CORPS CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/48/5)

War Office have approved transfer SO I (Education) - 1 on above war establishment from HQ 1 District to HQ 2 District w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 72266 SD 30 dated 7 Sep 45.

File : 389/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2451B BLEDING STAFF ITALY (CM/1053/1)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

The addition to the Artillery Section of one Captain, R.A. for duty as search-light adviser with MLF is approved for period 16 Mar 45 to 16 Apr 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 10.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 209.

2371 BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/614/2)
(XII/12001/1)

War Office have approved appointment of Colonel A/Q - 1 w.e.f. 20 Jul 45 subject to review 1 Oct 45.

Authority : War Office cable 70061 SD 3C dated 28 Aug 45.

File : 763/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2410 ARMY EDUCATION CORPS (CM/48/5)
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

War Office have approved transfer SO I (Education) - 1 on above war establishment from HQ 1 District to HQ 2 District w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 72266 SD 3C dated 7 Sep 45.

File : 389/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2431B BREEDING STAFF ITALY (CM/1053/1)

War Office have promulgated the above war establishment as XII/842/1 w.e.f. 13 Jul 45. As a "water and sanitary dutyman" is not permissable the war establishment will be amended to read "water or sanitary dutyman".

Authority : War Office cable 70835 (SD 3C) dated 31 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 319/1/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 219.

2451 .. BASE STATIONERY DEPOT CMTR.L. MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1059/1)

War Office have promulgated the above war establishment as WE XII/1073/1 w.e.f. 16 Jul 45.

Authority : War Office cable 14110 (SD 3C) dated 5 Sep 45.

File : 624/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 219.

2452.. TRIESTE BUREAU (CM/1060/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment including the appointment of general staff officer, 1st grade w.e.f. 16 Jul 45, subject to review at 1 Feb 46.

2452B ..LLIED COMMISSION AUSTRIA (XVI/8002/2)
(BRITISH ELEMENT) INTELLIGENCE ORGANISATION

The appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade (intelligence) on the above war establishment will be deleted w.e.f. 16 Jul 45 on transfer to WE CM/1060/1 TRIESTE BUREAU, as in serial 2452..

Authority : War Office cable 71604 SD 3 dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 778/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2490 HEADQUARTERS 218 SPECIAL AREA (CM/1072/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment w.e.f. 3 Aug 45 subject to review 1 Nov 45 including appointments of Commander (Brigadier) - 1, G.S.O. I (Ops and SF) - 1, A.Q.M.G. - 1, A.A.G. - 1, A.D.S.T. - 1, A.D.M.S. (Lieutenant-Colonel) - 1. The appointments of A.D.O.S. - 1 and A.D.M.E. - 1 are still under consideration.

War Establishment CM/1072/1 is to be promulgated as XII/2../1.

Authority : War Office cable 71616 SD 3C dated 4 Sep 45.

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File : 624/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 219.

2452A TRIESTE BUREAU (CM/1060/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment including the appointment of general staff officer, 1st grade w.e.f. 16 Jul 45, subject to review at 1 Feb 46.

2452B ALLIED COMMISSION AUSTRIA. (KVI/8002/2)
(BRITISH ELEMENT) INTELLIGENCE ORGANISATION

The appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade (intelligence) on the above war establishment will be deleted w.e.f. 16 Jul 45 on transfer to WE CM/1060/1 TRIESTE BUREAU, as in serial 2452A.

Authority : War Office cable 71604 SD 3 dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 778/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2490 HEADQUARTERS 218 SPECIAL AREA (CM/1072/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment w.e.f. 3 Aug 45 subject to review 1 Nov 45 including appointments of Commander (Brigadier) - 1, G.S.O. I (Ops and SD) - 1, A.Q.M.G. - 1, A.A.G. - 1, A.D.S.T. - 1, A.D.M.S. (Lieutenant-Colonel) - 1. The appointments of A.D.O.S. - 1 and A.D.M.E. - 1 are still under consideration.

War Establishment CM/1072/1 is to be promulgated as XII/2A/1.

Authority : War Office cable 71616 SD 3C dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 323/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 228.

2543 BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/945/1) (XII/12/1)

War Office have approved continuation of appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 until 1 Oct 45, subject to review with other AFHQ appointments at 21 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 72295 SD 3C dated 7 Sep 45.

File : 298/Org-3

Addition to minutes

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) HEADQUARTERS, INTERIOR DIVISION (XVI/8660/1)

War Office have approved appointment of Chief (Major-General) w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 71016 SD 3 dated 1 Sep 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 172.

1875 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS LIAISON LLISON POOL - AMENDMENT NO. 2. (CM/707/1)

War Office have approved the addition of a footnote to the above amendment No. 2. "Present incumbents may retain rank of major for a period of up to two months with effect from 23 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 68806 SD 3(C) dated 23 Aug 45.

File : 618/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 144.

1570 HEADQUARTERS AM AREA (CM/41/3)

1571 HEADQUARTERS A SUB AREA (CM/118/3)

The above war establishments will be amended in accordance with AFHQ letter AG 387.4/079 GOT-0 of 13 Jul 45 and the following notes added :-

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Authority : War Office cable [illegible]
7 Sep 45.

File : 298/Org-3

Addition to minutes

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) HEADQUARTERS. INTERIOR DIVISION (XVI/8660/1)

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Authority : War Office cable 71016 SD 3 dated 1 Sep 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 172.

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Authority : War Office cable 68806 SD 3(C) dated 23 Aug 45.

File : 618/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 144.

1570 HEADQUARTERS A. REL. (CM/41/3)

1571 HEADQUARTERS A. SUB. REL. (CM/118/3)

The above war establishments will be amended in accordance with AFHQ letter AG 387.4/079 GCT-O of 13 Jul 45 and the following notes added :-

Note

(1) "For Italian Administrative Staff substitute Civilian Administrative Staff".

(2) For existing Note 3 Substitute

"3(a) The Civilian Administrative Staff may be replaced by Italian Army personnel WE CM/1519/1 or CM/1520/1 which allow for dilution with Civilians. The staff may thus either be all Civilian, all Italian Army or partly Italian Army and partly Civilian.

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 219.

2451 A. BASE STATIONERY DEPOT CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1059/1)

War Office have promulgated the above war establishment as WE XII/1073/1 w.e.f. 16 Jul 45.

Authority : War Office cable 14110 (SD 3C) dated 5 Sep 45.

File : 624/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 219.

2452A TRIESTE BUREAU (CM/1060/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment including the appointment of general staff officer, 1st grade w.e.f. 16 Jul 45, subject to review at 1 Feb 46.

2452B ALLIED COMMISSION AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) INTELLIGENCE ORGANISATION (XVI/8002/2)

The appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade (intelligence) on the above war establishment will be deleted w.e.f. 16 Jul 45 on transfer to WE CM/1060/1 TRIESTE BUREAU, as in serial 2452A.

Authority : War Office cable 71604 SD 3 dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 778/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2490 HEADQUARTERS 218 SPECIAL AREA (CM/1072/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment w.e.f. 3 Aug 45 subject to review 1 Nov 45 including appointments of Commander (Brigadier) - 1, G.S.O. I (Ops and SD) - 1, A.Q.M.G. - 1, A.A.G. - 1, A.D.S.T. - 1, A.D.M.S. (Lieutenant-Colonel) - 1. The appointments of A.D.O.S. - 1 and A.D.M.E. - 1 are still under consideration.

War Establishment CM/1072/1 is to be promulgated as XII/24/1.

Authority : War Office cable 71616 SD 3C dated 4 Sep 45.

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File : 624/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 219.

2452A TRIESTE BUREAU (CM/1060/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment including the appointment of general staff officer, 1st grade w.e.f. 16 Jul 45, subject to review at 1 Feb 46.

2452B ALLIED COMMISSION AUSTRIA (XVI/8002/2)
(BRITISH ELEMENT) INTELLIGENCE ORGANISATION

The appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade (intelligence) on the above war establishment will be deleted w.e.f. 16 Jul 45 on transfer to WE CM/1060/1 TRIESTE BUREAU, as in serial 2452A.

Authority : War Office cable 71604 SD 3 dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 778/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2490 HEADQUARTERS 218 SPECIAL AREA (CM/1072/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment w.e.f. 3 Aug 45 subject to review 1 Nov 45 including appointments of Commander (Brigadier) - 1, G.S.O. I (Ops and SD) - 1, A.Q.M.G. - 1, A.A.G. - 1, A.D.S.T. - 1, A.D.M.S. (Lieutenant-Colonel) - 1. The appointments of A.D.O.S. - 1 and A.D.M.E. - 1 are still under consideration.

War Establishment CM/1072/1 is to be promulgated as XII/2A/1.

Authority : War Office cable 71616 SD 30 dated 4 Sep 45.

File : 323/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 228.

2548 BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/945/1) (XII/12/1)

War Office have approved continuation of appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 until 1 Oct 45, subject to review with other AFHQ appointments at 21 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 72295 SD 3C dated 7 Sep 45.

File : 298/Org-3

Addition to minutes

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) HEADQUARTERS, INTERIOR DIVISION (XVI/8660/1)

War Office have approved appointment of Chief (Major-General) w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 71016 SD 3 dated 1 Sep 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 172.

1575 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS ITALIAN LIAISON POOL - AMENDMENT NO. 2. (CM/707/1)

War Office have approved the addition of a footnote to the above amendment No. 2. "Present incumbents may retain rank of major for a period of up to two months with effect from 23 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 68806 SD 3(O) dated 23 Aug 45.

File : 618/Org-3

3393

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 144.

1570 HEADQUARTERS AN AREA (CM/41/3)

1571 HEADQUARTERS A SUB AREA (CM/118/3)

The above war establishments will be amended in accordance with AFHQ letter AG 387.4/079 GCT-O of

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Authority : War Office cable 72295 SD 3C dated 7 Sep 45.

File : 298/Org-3

Addition to minutes

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) HEADQUARTERS, INTERIOR DIVISION (XVI/8660/1)

War Office have approved appointment of Chief (Major-General) w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 71016 SD 3 dated 1 Sep 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 172.

1675 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/707/1)
BALKANS LIAISON POOL - AMENDMENT NO. 2.

War Office have approved the addition of a footnote to the above amendment No. 2. "Present incumbents may retain rank of major for a period of up to two months with effect from 23 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 68806 SD 3(C) dated 23 Aug 45.

File : 618/Org-3

3393

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 144.

1570 HEADQUARTERS ARMY AREA. (CM/41/3)

1571 HEADQUARTERS ARMY SUB AREA. (CM/118/3)

The above war establishments will be amended in accordance with AFHQ letter AG 387.4/079 GCT-O of 13 Jul 45 and the following notes added :-

Note

(1) "For Italian Administrative Staff substitute Civilian Administrative Staff".

(2) For existing Note 3 Substitute

"3(a) The Civilian Administrative Staff may be replaced by Italian Army personnel WE CM/1519/1 or CM/1520/1 which allow for dilution with Civilians. The staff may thus either be all Civilian, all Italian Army or partly Italian Army and partly Civilian.

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(b) Where neither Italian Army or Civilian personnel are available, or where local circumstances render it undesirable for such personnel to be employed, personnel may, if specially authorised by A.F.H.Q. be British in lieu".

CM/1519/1 is for an Area Headquarters (CM/41/3)
CM/1520/1 for a Sub-Area Headquarters (CM/118/3)

Will be promulgated as amendments No. 6 and 7 respectively.
File : 323/Org-3

Addition to minutes

War Office have notified the following amendments to war establishments w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

In each instance where trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 are deleted add an equivalent number of trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 armoured ambulance.

A/ ARMOURED CAR REGIMENT (II/236/2)

Under (iii) Tpt : four sqns(each) Sqn HQ adm portion delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel - 1.

Under (v) Org each sqn HQ adm portion delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel.

A MOBILE BATTALION (II/231/3)

Under (iii) Tpt : HQ Coy adm pl, delete trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel-3.

AN INFANTRY BATTALION (II/233/3)

Under (iii) Tpt : Bn HQ, delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel-1.

A RECONNAISSANCE REGIMENT (II/251/2)

Under (iii) Tpt : Regt HQ, delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel - 1. Three Recce Sqns (each), delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel.

Authority : War Office cable 72364 SD 3(A) dated 7 Sep 45.

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Will be promulgated as amendments No. 6 and 7 respectively.
File : 323/Org-3

Addition to minutes

War Office have notified the following amendments to war establishments w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

In each instance where trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 are deleted add an equivalent number of trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 armoured ambulance.

A ARMOURED C.R REGIMENT (II/236/2)

Under (iii) Tpt : four sqns(each) Sqn HQ adm portion delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel - 1.

Under (v) Org each sqn HQ adm portion delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel.

A MOBILE BATTALION (II/231/3)

Under (iii) Tpt : HQ Coy adm pl, delete trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel-3.

AN INFANTRY BATTALION (II/233/3)

Under (iii) Tpt : Bn HQ, delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel-1.

A RECONNAISSANCE REGIMENT (II/251/2)

Under (iii) Tpt : Regt HQ, delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel - 1. Three Recce Sqns (each), delete truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 personnel.

Authority : War Office cable 72364 SD 3(A) dated 7 Sep 45.

File : 437/Org-3

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Serial Number

Establishment

Addition to minutes

The following war establishments, being no longer required, are cancelled w.e.f. 7 Sep 45.

MOBILE LAUNDRY COMPANY, R...O.C.	(CM/66/1) (XII/558/1)
BASE ORDNANCE DEPOT	(CM/76/1) (XII/560/1)
BASE WORKSHOPS STORES SECTION, R...O.C.	(CM/299/1) (XII/572/1)
ORDNANCE AMMUNITION SECTION	(CM/360/1) (XII/578/1)
POST DETACHMENT, R...C.C.	(CM/434/1) (XII/599/1)
SPECIAL POST DETACHMENT	(CM/594/1) (XII/255/1)
IT.ALIAN CAPTURED ORDNANCE STORES COMPANY	(CM/196/1) (XII/564/1)
HEADQUARTERS R...O.C. (IT.ALIAN) TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT	(CM/175/2)
STORES AND AMMUNITION UNIT (L.F.A.)	(CM/626/1)
G.S DISTRIBUTION CENTRE (MAIN)	(CM/873/1)
ARMY INDUSTRIAL G.S UNIT, R...O.C.	(CM/267/1)

File : 301/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 34	(VIII/660/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 38	(VIII/541/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 40	(VIII/542/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 43	(VIII/538/2)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 46	(VIII/587/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 48	(VIII/588/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 53	(VIII/739/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 54	(VIII/740/1)

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(XII/572/1)

ORDNANCE AMMUNITION SECTION	(CM/360/1) (XII/578/1)
POST DETACHMENT, R.A.C.C.	(CM/434/1) (XII/599A/1)
SPECIAL POST DETACHMENT	(CM/594/1) (XII/255/1)
ITALIAN CAPTURED ORDNANCE STORES COMPANY	(CM/196/1) (XII/564/1)
HEADQUARTERS R.A.O.C. (ITALIAN) TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT	(CM/175/2)
STORES AND AMMUNITION UNIT (L.F.A.)	(CM/626/1)
GAS DISTRIBUTION CENTRE (ALIED)	(CM/873/1)
ARMY INDUSTRIAL GAS UNIT, R.A.O.C.	(CM/267/1)

File : 301/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 34	(VIII/660/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 38	(VIII/541/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 40	(VIII/542/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 43	(VIII/538/2)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 46	(VIII/587/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 48	(VIII/588/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 53	(VIII/739/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 54	(VIII/740/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 56	(VIII/741/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 58	(VIII/742/2)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 59	(VIII/793/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 60	(VIII/794/1)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 63	(VIII/789/2)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 66	(VIII/795/3)
MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 75	(VIII/674/1)

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Addition to minutes - continued

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 102 (VIII/212/4)

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 103 (VIII/953/1)

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 104 (VIII/954/1)

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT 105 (VIII/1060/1)

HEADQUARTERS SP SIGNALS COMPANY MODIFIED (VIII/957/1)

SP SIGNALS PARK (VIII/962/1)

SP SIGNALS TECHNICAL MAINTENANCE (VIII/963/1)

SP WIRELESS SECTION (VIII/965/1)

HEADQUARTERS SP SIGNALS COMPANY (VIII/956/1)

SP MOBILE WIRELESS DETACHMENT (VIII/964/1)

SP WIRELESS SECTION MIXED (VIII/966/1)

SP SIGNALS TRAINING (VIII/967/1)

File : 714/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following Italian Army war establishments are approved w.e.f. dates shown.

(Minutes of M&L. War Establishments Sub-Committee Meeting No. 15 refer).

89 POOL OF ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICERS (CM/884/1)

With effect from 2 Aug 45.

Strength : Officers 110

90 AN ITALIAN REORGANISATION CENTRE (CM/885/1)

With effect from 2 Aug 45

Strength : Officers 89
Other ranks 281

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HEADQUARTERS SP SIGNALS COMPANY MOTIFIED (VIII/957/1)

SP SIGNALS PARK (VIII/962/1)

SP SIGNALS TECHNICAL MAINTENANCE (VIII/963/1)

SP WIRELESS SECTION (VIII/965/1)

HEADQUARTERS SP SIGNALS COMPANY (VIII/956/1)

SP MOBILE WIRELESS DETACHMENT (VIII/964/1)

SP WIRELESS SECTION MIXED (VIII/966/1)

SP SIGNALS TRAINING (VIII/967/1)

File : 714/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following Italian Army war establishments are approved w.e.f. dates shown.

(Minutes of MIL. War Establishments Sub-Committee Meeting No. 13 refer).

89 POOL OF ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICERS (CM/884/1)

With effect from 2 Aug 45.

Strength : Officers 110

90 AN ITALIAN REORGANISATION CENTRE (CM/885/1)

With effect from 2 Aug 45

Strength : Officers 89
Other ranks 281

(Minutes of MIL. War Establishments Sub-Committee Meeting No. 14 refer).

94 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/823/2)

With effect from 10 Aug 45.

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 64

File : 303/2/Org-3

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MINUTES

Serial Number

War Establishment

25921 MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY (CM/241/4)

The above new war establishment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 7 Sep 45. This war establishment is intended to supersede WE CM/241/3, 33 MILITARY MISSION, and is designed to give advice and support to the Italian War Ministry on a first grade level in all branches and services.

The Committee also agreed to recommend to the War Office the ranks of major-general and brigadier for the respective appointments of commander and chief of staff and also all other new appointments of first grade and above.

Strength :	Officers	34
	Other ranks	99
	Vehicles	23

It was agreed that this war establishment should be reviewed after a period of three months.

File : 544/Org-3

2592B INCREMENT TO MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY (CM/1111/1)

The above new war establishment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 7 Sep 45 and is intended to supplement WE CM/241/4 as in minute 2592A above by providing lower-grade staff support for the Military Mission to the Italian Army until the detailed work can be taken over by the Italian War Ministry.

Strength :	Officers	14
	Other ranks	20

It was agreed that this war establishment should be reviewed after a period of three months.

File : 544/Org-3

2592C BRITISH LIAISON UNIT TO AN ITALIAN TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS (CM/1112/1)

The above new war establishment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 7 Sep 45. The Committee agreed to the deletion of one Staff captain (A and Q)

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and support to the Italian War Ministry on a first grade level in all branches and services.

The Committee also agreed to recommend to the War Office the ranks of major-general and brigadier for the respective appointments of commander and chief of staff and also all other new appointments of first grade and above.

Strength :	Officers	34
	Other ranks	99
	Vehicles	23

It was agreed that this war establishment should be reviewed after a period of three months.

File : 544/Org-3

25928 INCREMENT TO MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY (CM/1111/1)

The above new war establishment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 7 Sep 45 and is intended to supplement WE CM/241/4 as in minute 25921 above by providing lower-grade staff support for the Military Mission to the Italian Army until the detailed work can be taken over by the Italian War Ministry.

Strength :	Officers	14
	Other ranks	20

It was agreed that this war establishment should be reviewed after a period of three months.

File : 544/Org-3

25929 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT TO ITALIAN TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS (CM/1112/1)

The above new war establishment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 7 Sep 45. The Committee agreed to the deletion of one Staff captain (A and Q) as it was considered that the General staff officer, 3rd grade, could perform all necessary duties.

Strength :	Officers	5
	Other ranks	10
	Civilians	8
	Vehicles	4

It was agreed that this war establishment should be reviewed after a period of three months.

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Special Number

War Establishment

2593 TRANSPORT UNIT FOR ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) - JOINT OFFICE AND JOINT TECHNICAL POOL - FACTORY CONTROL (GERMAN SURRENDERED PERSONNEL) (CM/1113/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 7 Sep 45. It was agreed that C (AE) should issue vehicles in relation to the number of officers implemented on the Pool up to a total of 26 vehicles.

Strength : Other ranks 31
Vehicles 26

File : 597/Org-3

2594 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) - JOINT OFFICE AND JOINT TECHNICAL POOL) FACTORY CONTROL (XVI/8106/1)

The addition of a British Serjeant - 1 and Corporal - 1 to control German Surrendered Personnel of the Transport Unit WE CM/1113 as in minute 2593 above was approved w.e.f. 7 Sep 45. The Committee also agreed to the upgrading of the Lance-corporal clerk to Corporal and the addition of 36 civilians.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 597/Org-3

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New war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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1/Lt Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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2594 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (XVI/8106/1)
(BRITISH ELEMENT) - JOINT OFFICE
AND JOINT TECHNICAL POOL) FACTORY
CONTROL

The addition of a British Serjeant - 1 and Corporal - 1 to control German Surrendered Personnel of the Transport Unit WE CH/1113 as in minute 2593 above was approved w.e.f. 7 Sep 45. The Committee also agreed to the upgrading of the Lance-corporal clerk to Corporal and the addition of 36 civilians.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 597/Org-3

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New war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

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233rd Meeting, held on 3rd September 45

Present : Lieut-Col E.A.W. WILLIAMS — Deputy Chairman
Lieut-Col A.G. DAWTRY — G-1 (Br)
Lieut-Col R.H. BURNETT — Financial Advisor
Major R.E.J. NICHOLS — ? (Maint)
Major A.E.R. DICKER — ? (AE)
Captain M.E. HODGSON — G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 69.	
805(b)	EX COOPERATOR INCREMENT TO COMBINED SERVICES DETAILED INTERROGATION CENTRE	(CM/308/1)

The following amendment will be made to War Establishment CM/308/1 w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Add General dutymen - 6

Authority : MML. WEC Meeting No. 10 Serial 80.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 569/Org-3

	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 119.	
1257	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS POOL OF BRIGADIERS	(CM/480/1)

War Establishment CM/480/1 is cancelled w.e.f. 30 Jul 45.

File : 250/Org-3

	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 156.	
1699	NO. 5 BATTALION GENERAL REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT	(CM/194/1) (XII/1143/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f.

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Lieut-Col	A.H. BENNETT	[illegible]
Major	R.E.J. NICHOLS	Q (Maint)
Major	A.E.R. DICKER	Q (AE)
Captain	M.E. HODGSON	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 69.

805(b) EX COOPERATOR INCREMENT TO COMBINED SERVICES DETAILED INTERROGATION CENTRE (CM/308/1)

The following amendment will be made to War Establishment CM/308/1 w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Add General dutyman - 6

Authority : MMLA WEC Meeting No. 10 Serial 80.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 569/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 119.

1257 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS POOL OF BRIGADIERS (CM/480/1)

War Establishment CM/480/1 is cancelled w.e.f. 30 Jul 45.

File : 250/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 156.

1699 NO. 5 BATTALION GENERAL REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT (CM/194/1) (XII/1143/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Authority : WSD/134 of 24 Aug 45.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 165.

1782(A) INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE, HEADQUARTERS ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION UNIT (CM/669/1)

War Establishment CM/669/1 is cancelled w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

Authority : WSD/131 of 18 Aug 45.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1972 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A BRITISH REMOUNT DEPOT (L.E.) FOR 1500 ANIMALS (CM/820/1)

The following amendment will be made to War Establishment CM/820/1 w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Add under rank and file	Private	1(a)
Add under distribution of trades	Cook (private)	1(a)

Add "Note"

(a) for use of No. 1 School of Farriery.

Authority : MMLA WEC Meeting No. 10 Serial 81.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 811/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1980 MECHANICAL WARFARE EXPERIMENTAL ESTABLISHMENT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/291/2) (XII/1185/2)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 30 Sep 45.

Authority : WCD/124 of 24 Aug 45.

File : 620/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2055 ROYAL ARTILLERY TRAINING DEPOT (CM/387/2)

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Authority : WSD/131 of 18 Aug 45.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1972 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A BRITISH REMOUNT DEPOT (L.E.) FOR 1500 ANIMALS (CM/820/1)

The following amendment will be made to War Establishment CM/820/1 w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Add under rank and file — Private 1(a)

Add under distribution of trades — Cook (private) 1(a)

Add "Note"

(a) for use of No. 1 School of Farriery.

Authority : MMLA WEC Meeting No. 10 Serial 81.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 811/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1980 MECHANICAL WARFARE EXPERIMENTAL ESTABLISHMENT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/291/2) (XII/1185/2)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 30 Sep 45.

Authority : WSD/124 of 24 Aug 45.

File : 620/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2055 ROYAL ARTILLERY TRAINING DEPOT (CM/387/2)

a) The following amendment is published w.e.f. 23 Mar 45.

Under Headquarters

Attached personnel A.C.C.

Delete — Catering advisor (major) - 1

Substitute — Catering advisor (captain) - 1

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189 - continued

2055 ROYAL ARTILLERY TRAINING DEPOT - continued (CM/387/2)

b) The following amendment is published w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Under No. 1 Regiment

Delete Attached R.A.C. personnel.

Comprising Captain - 1
Vehicle mechanic (Sjt) - 1
Driver mechanics AFV (troopers) - 5

Authority : War Office signal 69953 SD 3C dated 28 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 662/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2207 ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION WELFARE STAFF (CM/992/1) (XII/1007/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

Authority : WSB/131 of 24 Aug 45.

File : 452/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 206.

2317 A MICROGRAM UNIT CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1022/1) (XII/200B/1)

The title of the above unit will be amended to read w.e.f. 21 May 45 :-

NO. 10 SPECIAL MICROGRAM UNIT AUSTRIA

and is allotted War Office Serial Number XII/200B/1.

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Authority : War Office signal 68405 SD 3C dated 21 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 185020

Delete Attached R.A.C. personnel.

Comprising Captain - 1
Vehicle mechanic (Sjt) - 1
Driver mechanics AFV (troopers) - 5

Authority : War Office signal 69953 SD 3C dated 28 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 662/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2207 ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION WELFARE STAFF (CM/992/1) (XII/1007/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

Authority : WSE/131 of 24 Aug 45.

File : 452/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 206.

2317 .. MICROGRAM UNIT CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1022/1) (XII/200B/1)

The title of the above unit will be amended to read w.e.f. 21 May 45 :-

NO. 10 SPECIAL MICROGRAM UNIT AUSTRIA

and is allotted War Office Serial Number XII/200B/1.

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Authority : War Office signal 68405 SD 3C dated 21 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 135020

Serial Number

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 214.

2388 ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY) (CM/1032/1)

ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (GREECE) (CM/1033/1)

The following amendment to the above war establishments is published w.e.f. 25 Aug 45.

Delete all Cars 4 x 2 light utility

Substitute Cars 5 cwt 4 x 4

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 for both war establishments.
File : 588/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2427(g) INCREMENT TO III CORPS (CM/555/2) (XII/82/2)

The appointment of Assistant Director of Mechanical Engineering is deleted from the War Establishment of the Increment to HQ III Corps w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 9.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2428 140 ORDNANCE DEPOT (CM/1047/1) (XII/598X/1)

The above War Establishment has been promulgated and allotted War Office Serial XII/598X/1 w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

The following amendments will be made.

(a) Under Attached R.E.M.E.

for Tyre Repair Operators

read Operators Tyre Repair Plant

(b) Under Transport

for Trucks 8 cwt

read Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 GS

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Delete all Cars 4 x 2 light utility

Substitute Cars 5 cwt 4 x 4

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 for both war establishments.

File : 588/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2427(g) INCREMENT TO III CORPS (GM/555/2) (XII/82/2)

The appointment of Assistant Director of Mechanical Engineering is deleted from the War Establishment of the Increment to HQ III Corps w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 9.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2428 140 ORDNANCE DEPOT (GM/1047/1) (XII/598X/1)

The above War Establishment has been promulgated and allotted War Office Serial XII/598X/1 w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

The following amendments will be made.

(a) Under Attached R.E.M.E.

for Tyre Repair Operators

read Operators Tyre Repair Plant

(b) Under Transport

for Trucks 8 cwt

read Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 GS

(c) Cranes mobile NO longer shown in War Establishments.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 683/Org-3

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

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 220.

2462A BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/614/2)

War Office have approved continuation of the rank of Major-General for the Commander, British Military Mission to Greece w.e.f. 14 Jul 45.

Authority : War Office signal 61941 SD3(D) dated 18 Aug 45.

File 763/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 221.

2466 HEADQUARTERS FIFTH (U.S.) ARMY BRITISH INCREMENT (CM/79/6)
(for liaison duties only.)

War Establishment CM/79/6 is cancelled w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Authority : WSD/101 dated 18 Aug 45.

File : 422/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2437 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P. (CM/164/3)

The deletion of 10 trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S. is approved w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 573/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 222.

2483 STAFF INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS XIII CORPS (CM/1070/1)
(XII/1X/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment including the following first grade appointments with effect from 27 Jul 45 subject to review on 1 Nov 45:-

General staff officer, 1st grade (staff duties)	1
Assistant adjutant-general	1
Staff officer, R.E. (lieutenant-colonel)	1
Assistant director of supplies and transport	1
Assistant director of medical services	1

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18 Aug 45.

File 763/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 221.

2466 HEADQUARTERS FIFTH (U.S.) ARMY BRITISH INCREMENT (CM/79/6)
(for liaison duties only.)

War Establishment CM/79/6 is cancelled w.e.f. 12 Sep 45.

Authority : WSD/101 dated 18 Aug 45.

File : 422/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2487 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P. (CM/164/3)

The deletion of 10 trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S. is approved w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 573/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 222.

2483 STAFF INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS XIII CORPS (CM/1070/1) (XII/1X/1)

War Office have approved the above war establishment including the following first grade appointments with effect from 27 Jul 45 subject to review on 1 Nov 45.:-

General staff officer, 1st grade (staff duties)	1
Assistant adjutant-general	1
Staff officer, R.E. (lieutenant-colonel)	1
Assistant director of supplies and transport	1
Assistant director of medical services	1
Assistant director of veterinary and remount services	1
Assistant director of labour	1

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Allotted War Office serial No. XII/1X/1.

Authority : War Office cable 70510 SD 30 dated 30 Aug 45.

File : 745/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. T-15020

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 224.

2493 INDIAN ARMY LIAISON MISSION (CM/517/1)

G.H.Q. India have approved the deletion of General staff officer, 2nd grade - 1, Aide-de-Camp (lieutenant) - 1 and Batman (Indian) - 1, and the addition of General staff officer, 3rd grade w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

Authority : GHQ India signal 73172 SD6 dated 18 Aug 45.

File : 655/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 224.

2505 BRITISH CONTROL OF POLISH REPATRIATION CAMP (XII/1012/1) (CM/1071/2)

War Office have approved the first grade appointment of Commandant (colonel) w.e.f. 6 Aug 45, subject to review 6 Feb 46.

The following amendment was approved by War Office -

Add note against Commandant (colonel)

"only when strength of Poles exceeds 8,000".

Authority : War Office cable 69305 SD3C dated 24 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 623/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 225.

2518 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI) (CM/508/2) (XII/884/2)

BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE) (CM/1018/1) (XII/881E/1)

War Office have approved continuation of the appointments of Commander (lieutenant-colonel) on W.E. XII/881E/1 and General staff officer, 1st grade on W.E. XII/884/2, subject to review on 1 Dec 45.

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Authority : GHQ India signal 73172 SD6 dated 18 Aug 45.

File : 655/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 224.

2505 BRITISH CONTROL OF POLISH REPATRIATION CAMP (XII/1012/1) (CM/1071/2)

War Office have approved the first grade appointment of Commandant (colonel) w.e.f. 6 Aug 45, subject to review 6 Feb 46.

The following amendment was approved by War Office -

Add note against Commandant (colonel)

"only when strength of Poles exceeds 8,000".

Authority : War Office cable 69305 SD30 dated 24 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 623/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 225.

2518 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI) (CM/508/2) (XII/384/2)

BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE) (CM/1018/1) (XII/881E/1)

War Office have approved continuation of the appointments of Commander (lieutenant-colonel) on W.E. XII/881E/1 and General staff officer, 1st grade on W.E. XII/384/2, subject to review on 1 Dec 45.

Authority : War Office cable 69286 SD3 dated 23 Aug 45.

File : 758/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDQ No. 12502

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 226.

2000 SPECIAL LIAISON SECTION (CIVIL), BRITISH EMBASSY, GREECE (CM/985/1) (XII/881E/1)

War Office have confirmed the downgrading of Chief liaison officer (brigadier) to the rank of Colonel w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office signal 69960 SD3C dated 28 Aug 45.

File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 21 Aug 45.

196/ STAFF POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/15/1) (XII/8/1)

196/ - POOL OF A.T.S. STAFF OFFICERS, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/292/1) (XII/630/1)

75/845 STAFF POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCE (CM/339/1) (XII/50/1)

Authority : War Office cable 68832 SD3 dated 23 Aug 45.

File : 365/Org-3

Addition to minutes

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA BRITISH ELEMENT

The under-mentioned amendments are published w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

(a) XVI/8100/2

Delete "Military Component to the Air Forces Division"
Add "Military Component to the Air Division"

(b) XVI/8200/3

Delete "Army Division"
Add "Military Division"

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNNC No. 165020

File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 21 Aug 45.

196/	STAFF POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/15/1) (XII/8/1)
196/ -	POOL OF A.T.S. STAFF OFFICERS, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/292/1) (XII/630/1)
75/845	STAFF POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCE	(CM/339/1) (XII/50/1)

Authority : War Office cable 68832 SD3 dated 23 Aug 45.

File : 365/Org-3

Addition to minutes

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA BRITISH ELEMENT

The under-mentioned amendments are published w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

(a) XVI/8100/2

Delete "Military Component to the Air Forces Division"
Add "Military Component to the Air Division"

(b) XVI/8200/3

Delete "Army Division"
Add "Military Division"

(c) XVI/8300/2, XVI/8320/2, XVI/8360/2, XVI/8380/1, XVI/8390/2, XVI/8400/1.

Delete "Economics Division"
Add "Economic Division"

(d) XVI/8660/1, XVI/8700/2, XVI/8740/1, XVI/8760/1, XVI/8780/1, XVI/8800/1, XVI/8940/1.

Delete "Interior Division"
Add "Internal Affairs Division"

(e) XVI/9000/1

Delete "Displaced Persons and Prisoner of War Division"
Add "Prisoners of War and Displaced Persons Division"

File : 597/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 178502

M I N U T E S

Serial Number		War Establishment
2571	TRANSIT CASH OFFICE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/1015/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Delete	Batman	- 1
Add	Batman-driver	- 1
	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	- 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 435/Org-3

2572	GENERAL HEADQUARTERS 2ND ECHELON	(CM/163/1) (XII/12/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Add Transit Camp Despatching Centre

Officer	- 1
Other ranks	- 21

Two are required, one for Calais and one for Dieppe.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 10.

File : 317/Org-3

2573	FOREIGN OFFICE ITALIAN ARCHIVES SECTION	(CM/1090/1)

The above new para military establishment was examined and recommended w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	4
	Other ranks	8
	Vehicles	2

File : 741/Org-3

2574	A BASE POST OFFICE, R.E., C.M.F.

The above proposal was withdrawn at the request of the sponsors.

File : 527/Org-3

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 18502

Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S. - 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 435/Org-3

2572 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS 2ND ECHELON (CM/163/1) (XII/12/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Add Transit Camp Despatching Centre

Officer	- 1
Other ranks	- 21

Two are required, one for Calais and one for Dieppe.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 10.

File : 317/Org-3

2573 FOREIGN OFFICE ITALIAN ARCHIVES SECTION (CM/1090/1)

The above new para military establishment was examined and recommended w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	4
	Other ranks	8
	Vehicles	2

File : 741/Org-3

2574 A BASE POST OFFICE, R.E., C.M.F.

The above proposal was withdrawn at the request of the sponsors.

File : 527/Org-3

2575 MOVEMENT CONTROL, ALLIED FORCE (CM/24/4) (XII/890/4)

The addition of Officers - 29 and Other ranks - 155 was deferred pending further investigation.

File : 540/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG NO. T2502D

Serial Number		War Establishment
2576	ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) LEGAL DIVISION	(XVI/6020/1)

The following amendment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Delete	Military judges (colonels)	- 3
Add	Military judges (colonels)	- 2
	Under Legal Advice and Drafting Board	
Delete	Director (civilian of suitable grade)	- 1
Add	Director (colonel)	- 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2577	AN ENGINEER WORKSHOP SECTION (E.S.B.D.)	(CM/107/3) (XII/224/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Amend title to read -

"BRITISH CADRE TO AN ENGINEER WORKSHOP SECTION (E.S.B.D.)"

Delete	Italian other ranks	- 108

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 450/Org-3

2578	AN ITALIAN ARTIZAN WORKS COMPANY, R.E.	(CM/158/1) (XII/204/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. dates as shown -

Amend title to read "BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN ARTIZAN WORKS COMPANY, R.E." w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Under British personnel

Delete	Major	- 1
	Company quartermaster-serjeant	- 1

w.e.f. 1 September 45.

Delete	Serjeant	- 1
Add	Serjeant (clerk)	- 1
Delete	Corporal	- 1

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NRRD No. T6502D

Add Director (colonel)

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2577 AN ENGINEER WORKSHOP SECTION (E.S.B.D.) (CM/107/3) (XII/224/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 5 Sep 45.

Amend title to read -

"BRITISH CADRE TO AN ENGINEER WORKSHOP SECTION (E.S.B.D.)"

Delete Italian other ranks - 108

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 460/Org-3

2578 AN ITALIAN ARTIZAN WORKS COMPANY, R.E. (CM/159/1) (XII/204/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. dates as shown -

Amend title to read "BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN ARTIZAN WORKS COMPANY, R.E." w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Under British personnel

Delete	Major	- 1
	Company quartermaster-serjeant	- 1

w.e.f. 1 September 45.

Delete	Serjeant	- 1
Add	Serjeant (clerk)	- 1
Delete	Corporal	- 1
Add	Corporal (storeman)	- 1
Delete	Sappers	- 3
Add	Sappers (includes 1 lance-corporal)	- 2

Under Italian personnel

Delete	Officers	- 4
	Other ranks	- 251

w.e.f. 1 July 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 395/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 13065 Section 3-402(NNC) No. 185020

Serial Number		War Establishment
2579	AN ITALIAN ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL SECTION	(CM/472/1) (XII/611D/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Amend title to read -

"BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL PLATOON"

Delete Italian other ranks - 55

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 577/Org-3

2580	(A) INFANTRY BRIGADE WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)	(CM/321/2) (XII/601A/1)
	(B) ARMOURED OR TANK BRIGADE WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)	(CM/322/2) (XII/628/1)
	(C) ARMY TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.)	(CM/323/2) (XII/606A/2)
	(D) CORPS TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.)	(CM/324/2) (XII/602A/1)
	(E) ARMOURED TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)	(CM/325/2) (XII/625/1)
	(F) INFANTRY TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)	(CM/326/2) (XII/600A/2)
	(G) TANK TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)	(CM/327/2) (XII/603A/1)

The addition of the following note to the above establishments was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

"When the Captain, R.A.O.C. is not implemented a clerk, R.A.O.C. (warrant officer, class I) will be substituted and the R.A.O.C. batman-driver and car, 5-cwt, 4 x 4 will be withdrawn."

File : 692/Org-3

2581	HEADQUARTERS, DOG PROVOST COMPANY, C.M.P., C.M.	(CM/466/1) (XII/1052/1)

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 165020

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 577/Org-3

2580 (A) INFANTRY BRIGADE WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (CM/321/2) (XII/601A/1)

(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)

(B) ARMOURED OR TANK BRIGADE WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (CM/322/2) (XII/628/1)

(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)

(C) ARMY TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (CM/323/2) (XII/606A/2)

(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.)

(D) CORPS TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (CM/324/2) (XII/602A/1)

(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.)

(E) ARMOURED TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (CM/325/2) (XII/625/1)

(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)

(F) INFANTRY TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (CM/326/2) (XII/600A/2)

(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)

(G) TANK TROOPS WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. (CM/327/2) (XII/603A/1)

(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)

The addition of the following note to the above establishments was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

"When the Captain, R.A.O.C. is not implemented a clerk, R.A.O.C. (warrant officer, class I) will be substituted and the R.A.O.C. batman-driver and car, 5-cwt, 4 x 4 will be withdrawn."

File : 692/Org-3

2581 HEADQUARTERS, DOG PROVOST COMPANY, C.M.P., C.M. (CM/466/1) (XII/1052/1)

DOG PROVOST SECTION, C.M.P., C.M. (CM/467/1) (XII/1049/1)

The deletion of Co-operators - 22 and the addition of civilians - 22 from the above Headquarters and seven sections was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 513/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 165020

Serial Number		War Establishment
2582	ITALIAN INCREMENT TO ARMY CATERING CORPS TRAINING CENTRE	(CM/1521/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Amend title to read -

"GERMAN INCREMENT TO ARMY CATERING CORPS TRAINING CENTRE"

Delete Italian personnel

Officer	1
Other ranks	44

Add German personnel

Officer	1
Other ranks	44

This war establishment will be re-written as CM/1521/2.

File : 780/2/Org-3

2583	ITALIAN INCREMENT TO FIELD COOKERY TRAINING CENTRE	(CM/1522/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Amend title to read

"GERMAN INCREMENT TO FIELD COOKERY TRAINING CENTRE"

Delete Italian other ranks 14

Substitute German other ranks 14

This war establishment will be re-written as CM/1522/2.

File : 780/2/Org-3

2584	ARMY CATERING CORPS TRAINING CENTRE	(CM/113/3)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45, subject to review 1 Dec 45.

Add Supervisory Staff, German P.O.W. Cooks' Pool

Officer	1
Other ranks	2

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Delete Italian personnel

Officer	1
Other ranks	44

Add German personnel

Officer	1
Other ranks	44

This war establishment will be re-written as CE/1521/2.

File : 780/2/Org-3

2583 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO FIELD COOKERY TRAINING CENTRE (CE/1522/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Amend title to read

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File : 780/2/Org-3

2584 ARMY CATERING CORPS TRAINING CENTRE (CE/113/3) 3381

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45, subject to review 1 Dec 45.

Add Supervisory Staff, German P.O.W. Cooks' Pool

Officer	1
Other ranks	2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2585	AN ITALIAN ADMINISTRATIVE HEADQUARTERS	(CM/886/1)

The proposal for the above new war establishment was deferred.

File : 303/2/Org-3

2586	+BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE GENERAL STORES COMPANY		(CM/1094/1)
	Strength :	Officer	1
		Other rank	1
	+BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE RETURNED STORES COMPANY		(CM/1095/1)
	Strength :	Officer	1
		Other ranks	2
	BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE TRANSIT VEHICLE PARK (MAIN)		(CM/1096/1)
	Strength :	Officers	2
		Other ranks	60
		Vehicles	8
	BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE VEHICLE PARK ('B' VEHICLES)		(CM/1097/1)
	Strength :	Officers	2
		Other ranks	33
		Vehicles	7
	+BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE M.T. STORES COMPANY		(CM/1098/1)
	Strength :	Officer	1
		Other ranks	13
	+BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE AMMUNITION COMPANY		(CM/1099/1)
	Strength :	Officer	1
		Other ranks	5
	+BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE TECHNICAL STORES COMPANY		(CM/1100/1)
	Strength :	Officer	1
		Other ranks	6
	GERMAN GENERAL ORDNANCE STORES COMPANY		(CM/1101/1)
	Strength :	Officers	2

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Strength : Officer 1
Other rank 1

+BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE RETURNED STORES COMPANY (CM/1095/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 2

BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE TRANSIT VEHICLE PARK (MAIN) (CM/1096/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 60
Vehicles 8

BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE VEHICLE PARK ('B' VEHICLES) (CM/1097/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 33
Vehicles 7

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Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 13

+BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE AMMUNITION COMPANY (CM/1099/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 5

+BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN OR GERMAN ORDNANCE TECHNICAL STORES COMPANY (CM/1100/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 6

GERMAN GENERAL ORDNANCE STORES COMPANY (CM/1101/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 88

GERMAN RETURNED ORDNANCE STORES COMPANY (CM/1102/1)

Strength : Officers 4
Other ranks 152

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2586 - continued

GERMAN ORDNANCE TRANSIT VEHICLE PARK (MAIN) (CM/1103/1)

Strength : Officers 4
Other ranks 379

GERMAN ORDNANCE VEHICLE PARK ('B' VEHICLES) (CM/1104/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 125

GERMAN ORDNANCE M.T. STORES COMPANY (CM/1105/1)

Strength : Officers 4
Other ranks 147

GERMAN ORDNANCE AMMUNITION COMPANY (CM/1106/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 55

GERMAN ORDNANCE TECHNICAL STORES COMPANY (CM/1107/1)

Strength : Officers 4
Other ranks 93

The above new War Establishments were approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45 including the following note.

+ NOTE "When operating as an independent unit, away from a Base or Advanced Ordnance or Ammunition Depot the following will be added :-

Personnel

Non-tradesmen -

Driver, I.C. 1
Batman-driver 1

Transport

Car 4 x 2 light utility 1
Lorry 3-ton 4 x 2 G.S. 1"

File : 780/14/Org-3

2587 HEADQUARTERS ARMOURED REPLACEMENT GROUP R.A.C. (CM/382/1) (XII/408/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

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Batman-driver 1

Transport

Car 4 x 2 light utility 1
Lorry ½-ton 4 x 2 G.S. 1"

File : 789/4/Org-3

2587 HEADQUARTERS ARMOURED REPLACEMENT GROUP R.A.C. (CM/382/1) (XII/408/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Under Attached

Delete Assistant director of ordnance services (lieutenant-colonel) 1

Add Deputy assistant director of ordnance services (major) 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

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Serial Number | War Establishment

2587 - continued

ARMOURED REPLACEMENT GROUP
FITTING AND STORES COY. R.A.O.C. (CM/401/1) (XII/589/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Delete Ordnance officer (major) 1

Under Non-tradesmen

Delete Drivers I.C. - Lance-corporal 1
Privates 2

Substitute Driver I.C. - Private 1

Under Transport

Delete Car 4 x 2 light utility 1

Will be promulgated as Amendment No. 1.

File : 373/Org-3

2588 ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION (CM/1093/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 5 Sep 45.

Strength :	Officers	8
	Other ranks	22
	Civilians	6
	Vehicles	4

File : 343/Org-3

2589 ARMY WELFARE SERVICES, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/563/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Delete	Major	1
	Captains	2
Add	Other ranks	4
	Vehicles	2

Will be promulgated as Amendment No. 2.

File : 497/Org-3

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Delete	Drivers L.C.	Privates 2
Substitute	Driver L.C. - Private	1
	Under Transport	
Delete	Car 4 x 2 light utility	1

Will be promulgated as Amendment No. 1.

File : 373/Org-3

(CM/1093/1)

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(CM/563/2)

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The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Delete	Major	1
	Captains	2
Add	Other ranks	4
	Vehicles	2

Will be promulgated as Amendment No. 2.

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Serial Number | War Establishment

2590 A MILITARY HOSPITAL (30 BED) (CM/1108/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 31
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Vehicles 2

File : 553/Org-3

2591(a) PHYSICAL AND RECREATIONAL TRAINING POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1109/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Strength : Officers 23
Other ranks 112
Vehicles 21

This establishment will supersede Physical Training Pool CM/265/2, Eighth Army Physical and Recreational Training Pool CM/956/1 and Sports Officers Increment to Staff and Services Pool CM/605/3.

The appointment of Staff officer for P.T. (lieutenant-colonel) was recommended to the War Office.

(b) The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Physical Training Pool (CM/265/2)
Eighth Army Pool (CM/956/1)

Implementation of Sports Officers Increment, including clerks, batman-drivers and vehicles, on Staff and Services Pool has been limited pending cancellation.

File : 516/Org-3

2592 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

The upgrading of Deputy assistant director of army fire services to Assistant director of army fire services was not approved.

W.E.C. Meeting 228 Serial 2539 refers.

File : 250/Org-3

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2593 HQ TROOPS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4)

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File : 516/Org-3

2592 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

The upgrading of Deputy assistant director of army fire services to Assistant director of army fire services was not approved. 3289

W.E.C. Meeting 228 Serial 2539 refers.

File : 250/Org-3

2593 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Add Captured Enemy Material.

Deputy assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general	1
Clerks, any arm - Corporal	1
Private	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 492/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2594	A TRANSIT CAMP	(CM/552/1) (XII/664/1)

The following additions were approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45. This amendment will apply only to 310 and 311 Transit Camps.

Officers	2
Other ranks	39
Civilians	101

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 319/Org-3

2595 POOL OF GERMAN P.O.W. COOKS (CM/1110/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45.

Strength : German privates 1000

File : 780/2/Org-3

2596 GERMAN SERVICE COMPANY TYPE 'A' (CM/1091/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 3 Sep 45 for employment with the R.A.F.

Strength :

German personnel -

Officers	3
Other ranks	300
Vehicle	1

File : 780/Org-3

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The 234th meeting will be held at 1400 hours on Friday, 7th September, 1945 in the G-1 (British) Conference Room, Caserta Palace.

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2592	Approval of				
	(A) MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY Strength : Officers 35 Other ranks 99 Vehicles 28 Vide Annexure 'A'.	New W.E.	Yes	R.A.C. R.A. Infantry Engrs R. Sigs S & T Medical Ordnance R.E.M.E. V & R Catering M.M.I.A.	1400
	(B) INCREMENT TO MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY Strength : Officers 15 Other ranks 21 Vide Annexure 'B'.	New W.E.			
	(C) BRITISH LIAISON UNIT TO AN ITALIAN TERRITORIAL HEADQUARTERS Strength : Officers 6 Other ranks 10 Vehicles 4 Vide Annexure 'C'.	New W.E.			

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

232nd Meeting, held on Friday, 31st August 1945.

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Present:	Lieut-Col	E.A.W. WILLIAMS	Deputy Chairman
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	Lieut-Col	W.B. WEBBER	Q (A.E.)
	Lieut-Col	A.G. DAWTRY	G-1 (Br)
	Major	R.E. NICHOLLS	Q (Maint)
	Major	H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
2560	GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES	(CM/30/5)

The remaining sections of the above new war establishment were approved w.e.f. 1 Oct 45, all appointments of first grade and above being recommended to the War Office.

a) Office of the Chief of Staff

In view of the decision to incorporate the functions of the Chief of the General Staff with those of the existing Assistant Chief of Staff (British), the inclusion of a General staff officer, 3rd grade (may be W.T.S.) in the above section was approved.

b) Supplies and Transport

The junior staff appointments and clerical staff, the hearing of which was deferred at the 231st meeting, were reconsidered. The duties of each officer were related in detail, and the staff was approved.

Strength	:	Officers	41
		Other ranks	76

The whole of the R.O.L. Section will be reviewed on 1 Nov 45.

c) Increment to Headquarters Command

Officers 4

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The whole of the I.O.L. Section will be reviewed on 1 Nov 45.

c) Increment to Headquarters Command

Strength	:	Officers	4
		Other ranks	10

It was agreed that this staff should be subject to review should the headquarters move from CASERTA.

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Establishment

2560 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, C.M.F. - continued (CM/30/5)

d) Camp Administrative Staff

Strength : Officers 12
Other ranks 434

The inclusion of 2 medical officers and 7 orderlies was approved, owing to the need to keep the M.I. Room open by day and night, and to the impending withdrawal of the 8th (U.S.) General Dispensary. It was decided that a large proportion of administrative duties such as general dutymen and batmen should be performed by surrendered enemy personnel and that a separate establishment for these should be drawn up as soon as possible.

e) The entire establishment will be reviewed on 15 Dec 45.

File : 250/4/Org-3

2561 HEADQUARTERS, 218 (SPECIAL) AREA (CM/1072/1)

In view of the medical responsibilities of the above area, the Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the upgrading of the A.D.M.S. (lieutenant-colonel) to the rank of Colonel, w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

File : 323/9/Org-3

2562 GREEK TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES MISSION (CM/1011/2)

The above para military establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 218/2430 dated 23 Jul 45. The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the continuation of this establishment until 30 Sep 45, after which date all responsibilities would become a civil commitment. It was agreed that w.e.f. 31 Aug 45 no appointments on this establishment, vacant or becoming vacant, should be implemented.

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Serial Number | War Establishment

2563A HEADQUARTERS, PUBLIC RELATIONS, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1087/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 31 Aug 45, the appointments of A.D.P.R., lieutenant-colonel and General staff officer, 1st grade, theatre censor being recommended to the War Office.

Strength	:	Officers	11
		Other ranks	33
		Vehicles	11

This establishment is intended for use in place of W.E. CM/195/1, No. 2 Public Relations Service, and W.E. CM/494/1, No. 2 Army Film and Photo Section: Implementation is subject to equivalent non-implementation of these two establishments.

Further war establishments for employment in occupied Austria are being submitted which will supersede the remainder of these two establishments.

File : 355/Org-3

2563B NO. 2 PUBLIC RELATIONS SERVICE (CM/195/1)

The appointment of the second Assistant director of public relations was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 88238 SD3 dated 25 Apr 45. The Committee agreed to recommend retention of this officer in view of the responsibilities involved in the Allied occupation of AUSTRIA.

File : 355/Org-3

2564 TEMPORARY ESTABLISHMENT FOR ENGINEER SERVICES WING, SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING (CM/1088/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

Strength	:	Officers	1
		Other ranks	7

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File : 665/Org-3

2565 BRITISH TROOPS NORTH AFRICA STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/754/1)

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Strength	:	Officers	11
		Other ranks	33
		Vehicles	11

This establishment is intended for use in place of W.E. CM/195/1, No. 2 Public Relations Service, and W.E. CM/494/1, No. 2 Army Film and Photo Section: Implementation is subject to equivalent non-implementation of these two establishments.

Further war establishments for employment in occupied Austria are being submitted which will supersede the remainder of these two establishments.

File : 355/Org-3

2563B NO. 2 PUBLIC RELATIONS SERVICE (CM/195/1)

The appointment of the second Assistant director of public relations was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 88236 SD3 dated 25 Apr 45. The Committee agreed to recommend retention of this officer in view of the responsibilities involved in the Allied occupation of AUSTRIA.

File : 355/Org-3

2564 TEMPORARY ESTABLISHMENT FOR ENGINEER SERVICES WING, SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING (CM/1088/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

Strength	:	Officers	1
		Other ranks	7

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2565 BRITISH TROOPS NORTH AFRICA STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/754/1)

The above establishment was reviewed in accordance with A.F.H.Q. letter HSD/198/A dated 29 Mar 45.

Owing to the diminishing commitment in North Africa, considerable reductions were recommended, and the following amendment was approved w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2565	B.T.N.A. STAFF AND SERVICES POOL - continued	
	Delete :	
	Under Supplies and Transport	
	Lieutenant-colonel, R.A.S.C. (The appointment of Officer commanding, RASC (major) authorised on HQ 213 Sub-Area will be implemented in lieu)	1
	Catering advisor (captain)	1
	Supervising travelling instructors (warrant officers, class II)	2
	Major, R.A.S.C. (for local resources)	1
	Under Medical	
	Major (for P.W. hospital)	1
	Under Ordnance	
	Subaltern, R.A.O.C.	1
	Clerk, R.A.O.C. duties (warrant officer, class II)	1
	Storeman, technical, R.A.O.C. (warrant officer, class II)	1
	Under Salvage	
	Deputy assistant director of salvage	1
	Area salvage officers (captains)	2
	Clerks, R.A.S.C. (includes one lance-corporal)	2
	Under Miscellaneous Appointments	
	Medical officer	1
	Permanent president of courts-martial (major)	1
	Medical officer's orderly	1
	Add :	
	Under Supplies and Transport	
	Catering advisor (captain or lieutenant)	1

The above establishment, incorporating the above amendment, will be re-written as CM/754/2.

File : 496/Org-3

2566 POOL OF AREA STAFF OFFICERS (LABOUR) (CM/424/1)

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Catering advisor (captain)	1
Supervising travelling instructors (warrant officers, class II)	2
Major, R.A.S.C. (for local resources)	1

Under Medical

Major (for P.W. hospital)	1

Under Ordnance

Subaltern, R.A.O.C.	1
Clerk, R.A.O.C. duties (warrant officer, class II)	1
Storeman, technical, R.A.O.C. (warrant officer, class II)	1

Under Salvage

Deputy assistant director of salvage	1
Area salvage officers (captains)	2
Clerks, R.A.S.C. (includes one lance-corporal)	2

Under Miscellaneous Appointments

Medical officer	1
Permanent president of courts-martial (major)	1
Medical officer's orderly	1

Add :

Under Supplies and Transport

Catering advisor (captain or lieutenant)	1

The above establishment, incorporating the above amendment, will be re-written as CM/754/2.

File : 496/Org-3

2566 POOL OF AREA STAFF OFFICERS (LABOUR) (CM/424/1)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 72415 SD3C dated 28 Feb 45, and it was agreed that the entire establishment should be disbanded and cancelled w.e.f. 25 Sep 45.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

(CM/123/4)

2567 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT

In view of the intention to disband Headquarters 1 District on 15 Sep 45, and to meet the added responsibilities which will then devolve upon Headquarters 2 District, the following amendments were approved w.e.f. the dates as shown, all first grade appointments and above being recommended to the War Office.

a) w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

Add	General staff officer, 3rd grade, staff duties	1
	Intelligence officer (captain or lieutenant)	1
	Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C. - Corporal	1
	Lance-corporal	1
	Privates	3
	Deputy assistant adjutant-general	1
	Staff captain 'A'	1
	Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C. - Serjeant	1
	Privates	2
	Storeman, R.Signals, Corporal	1
	Assistant inspector of armourers	1
	Officers' mess steward, Serjeant	1
	Driver-mechanic	1
	Drivers, I.C.	8
	Cars, 4 x 2, light utility	5
	Cars, 4-seater, 4 x 2	4

b) w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Add	Assistant director of dental services (lieutenant-colonel) +	1
	Nursing officer, principal matron, Q.A.I.M.N.S. +	1
	Deputy assistant director of hygiene	1
Upgrade	Assistant director of labour to Deputy director of labour (colonel) +	

Note + These appointments are transferred fr Headquarters 1 District (W.E. CM/77/4).

c) w.e.f. 1 Oct 45.

Add	Deputy director of mechanical engineering (brigadier)	1

(appointment transferred from Allied

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a) w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

Add	General staff officer, 3rd grade, staff duties	1
	Intelligence officer (captain or lieutenant)	1
	Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C. -	
	Corporal	1
	Lance-corporal	1
	Privates	3
	Deputy assistant adjutant-general	1
	Staff captain 'A'	1
	Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C. -	
	Serjeant	1
	Privates	2
	Storeman, R.Signals, Corporal	1
	Assistant inspector of armourers	1
	Officers' mess steward, Serjeant	1
	Driver-mechanic	1
	Drivers, I.C.	8
	Cars, 4 x 2, light utility	5
	Cars, 4-seater, 4 x 2	4

b) w.e.f. 15 Sep 45.

Add	Assistant director of dental services (lieutenant-colonel) +	1
	Nursing officer, principal matron, Q.A.I.M.N.S. +	1
	Deputy assistant director of hygiene	1
Upgrade	Assistant director of labour to Deputy director of labour (colonel) +	

Note + These appointments are transferred fr Headquarters 1 District (W.E. CM/77/4).

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c) w.e.f. 1 Oct 45.

Add	Deputy director of mechanical engineering (brigadier)	1
	(appointment transferred from Allied Force Headquarters (W.E. CM/30/4) vide minute 231/2559)	
	Clerk, technical, R.E.M.E., craftsman	1
	Draughtsman, R.E.M.E., craftsman	1
Upgrade	Clerks, technical, R.E.M.E. -	
	Serjeant to rank of staff-serjeant	1
	Corporal to rank of serjeant	1

The proposal to add a staff officer, 3rd grade, R.Signals was not agreed, as it was stated that an officer could be made available from the establishment of Chief Signals Officer, L of C, Italy.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

231st Meeting, held on Wednesday 29th August 1945

Present :	Brigadier	J.D'A. ANDERSON	Chairman
	Brigadier	J.L.C. NAPIER	G-1 (Br)
	Brigadier	M.C.E. SHARP	Q (Maint)
	Lieut-Col	E.A.W. WILLIAMS	Deputy Chairman
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	Lieut-Col	W.B. WEBBER	Q (AE)
	Major	H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
2559	GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES	(CM/30/5)

The following branches of the above new war establishment were approved w.e.f. 1 Oct 45, all appointments of first grade and above being recommended to the War Office.

The rank of major-general for the directors of S & T, Ordnance, and R.E.M.E. was recommended subject to there being only one director of this rank in the two general headquarters of CMF and MEF.

a) Office of the Commander in Chief, and Chief of the General Staff

Strength :	Officers	6
	Other ranks	43
	Vehicles	16

It was stated that a separate proposal would be submitted to transfer the staff of the Supreme Allied Commander's Advanced Camp, previously attached to HQ 15 Army Group, to the war establishment of HQ 2 District.

b) Q Maintenance

Strength :	Officers	12
	Other ranks	23

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Brigadier	A.C.E.	SHARP	Q (Maint)
Lieut-Col	E.A.W.	WILLIAMS	Deputy Chairman
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Lieut-Col	W.B.	WEBBER	Q (AE)
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Serial Number

War Establishment

2559 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

(CM/30/5)

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b) Q Maintenance

Strength :	Officers	12
	Other ranks	23

c) Q Army Equipment

Strength :	Officers	14
	Other ranks	41

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War Establishment

(CM/30/5)

2559 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES - continued

d) Q Movements

Strength : Officers 37
Other ranks 81

The sponsors stated that the appointment of Colonel Q (M) for shipping would be required until the responsibility for shipping in Mediterranean waters were transferred to GHQ MEF.

It was agreed that the appointment of AQMG (Mov 1) (coordination) was required during the initial stages of the MEDLOC scheme.

It was decided to review both these appointments on 1 Oct 45 and on 15 Nov 45.

e) Postal

Strength : Officers 9
Other ranks 26

The retention of the Indian Section was agreed so long as Indian Divisional troops remain in CMF.

f) Supplies and Transport

The sponsor stated that there was unlikely to be an appreciable fall in commitment, particularly in regard to supplies, until early in 1946. The Committee agreed to recommend a staff, including a deputy director (brigadier) and a colonel (supplies) until the end of this year.

In view of the uncertainty with reagrd to the responsibilities devolving on the P.O.L. staff, consequent to the impending disbandment of the AFHQ Petroleum section, it was agreed to recommend the appointment of DDST (colonel) subject to review on 1 Nov 45.

An objection was lodged by the Financial Advisor on the ranks of the junior staff officers, particularly in respect to the proportion of majors to captains, and consideration of these, and of the clerical staff was deferred.

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g) Prints and Stationery

Strength : Officers 6
Other ranks 12

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War Establishment

(CM/30/5)

2559 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

h) Ordnance

Strength Officers 24
Other ranks 54

In view of the continuous and heavy responsibilities pertaining to the Ordnance Services in this theatre, it was agreed that the existing staff should be retained, subject to review at the end of this year.

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Upgrade clerk (R.A.O.C. duties) from the rank of WO II to WO I. This WO is employed as a Tyre Specialist.

j) R.E.M.E.

Strength : Officers 20
Other ranks 57

It was agreed that the appointment of DDME (colonel) was required until the end of 1945, particularly with regard to the handing over of base workshops to Italian Civilian organisations.

The Committee agreed to the need of a DDME (brigadier) as a forward link in the North of Italy, but it was decided that he should be appropriately held on the war establishment of HQ 2 District, and that separate action be taken to substitute this appointment for that of DDME (colonel) at present authorised on WE CM/128/4.

k) Labour

Strength : Officers 6
Other ranks 7

The appointment of DDL (brigadier) was not agreed, and was not included.

l) Veterinary and Remounts

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 6

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k) Labour

Strength : Officers 6
Other ranks 7

The appointment of DDL (brigadier) was not agreed, and was not included.

l) Veterinary and Remounts

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 6

n) Salvage

Strength : Officers 7
Other ranks 9

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Serial Number

War Establishment

(CM/30/5)

2559 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

n) Transportation

Strength : Officers 50
Other ranks 161
Vehicles 20

As it is anticipated that considerable responsibilities will be transferred to the Italian State railways on or about 1 November, it was stated that a proportionate decrease in British staff should be expected as soon as the transfer were completed.

o) Army Fire Services

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 5

Consideration of the rank of the senior fire officer was deferred.

The inclusion in this staff of a staff lieutenant is subject to a corresponding decrease in the AFHQ Staff and Services Pool, vide serial 2559A below.

p) Medical

The ranks of the three senior staff officers, deferred from the 230th meeting were agreed as proposed.

As the sponsors had stated that the need for an ADMS (colonel) for administration, and an ADMS (lieutenant-colonel) for organisation was needed only for a period of two or three months, it was agreed that a special review of these appointments be made on 15 Dec.

q) It was agreed after consultation with the DDAPS to recommend that the title of the new war establishment be "General Headquarters, Central Mediterranean Forces".

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r) The entire war establishment is subject to review on 15 Dec 45.

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Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 161
Vehicles 20

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Serial Number

War Establishment

(CM/605/3)

25594 A.F.H.Q. STAFF AND SERVICES POOL

The deletion of Staff lieutenant, Army Fire Services - 1 was approved w.e.f. 1 Oct 45.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

230th Meeting, held on Monday, 27th August 1945

Present :	Brigadier J.D'A. ANDERSON	Chairman
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	Brigadier M.C.E. SHARP	Q (Maint)
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	Major H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
2558	HEADQUARTERS CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES	(CM/30/5)

The following branches of the above new war establishment were approved w.e.f. 1 Oct 45, all appointments of first grade and above being recommended to the War Office.

(a) Office of the Major-General i/c Administration

Strength : Officers 6
Other ranks 9

It was agreed that the rank of the Chief Clerk (WO I) should be reviewed on relinquishment by the incumbent.

(b) Branch of the Adjutant-General

Strength : Officers 101
Other ranks 213

Included in this branch are staffs for Army Education (A5), A.T.S. (A8) and Indian Army (A6). It was agreed that the Colonel "A" in A6 Section would be required until the Indian divisional troops had left CMF.

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(c) Chaplain

Strength : Officers 3

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Brigadier	M.C.E.	SHARP	[illegible] (Maint)
Lieut-Col	E.A.W.	WILLIAMS	Deputy Chairman
Lieut-Col	R.H.	BURNETT	Financial Advisor
Lieut-Col	W.B.	WEBBER	Q (CE)
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War Establishment

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(c) Chaplain

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 3

(d) Medical

The proposed staff, including the appointments of consultants and advisors was agreed with the exception of the three senior staff officers. Consideration of these appointments was deferred pending a policy decision on the inclusion in the establishment, of deputy directors.

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2558 HEADQUARTERS CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES - continued (CM/30/5)

(e) Deputy Judge Advocate General

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 6

(f) Provost

Strength : Officers 7
Other ranks 10

The new war establishment incorporates an S.I.B. staff, and it was agreed that WE CM/37/2 should be disbanded w.e.f. 1 Oct 45.

(g) Miscellaneous Appointments

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 17

Included in the above are

(i) The inspector of prisoners of war (lieutenant-colonel).

(ii) The supervising officer and his staff.

(iii) A small staff of other ranks designed for employment in the Adjutant-General (US) Division, AFHQ.

(h) Civil Affairs

Strength : Officers 22
Other ranks 33

The Committee were informed that substantial reductions in this branch could be expected at the end of the year.

(j) Petroleum

Strength : Officers 17
Other ranks 20

It is intended that this branch, which includes detachments in ROME, GREECE and NORTH ITALY shall be

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Strength : Officers 7
Other ranks 10

The new war establishment incorporates an S.I.B. staff, and it was agreed that WE CM/37/2 should be disbanded w.e.f. 1 Oct 45.

(g) Miscellaneous Appointments

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 17

Included in the above are

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Other ranks 33

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(j) Petroleum

Strength : Officers 17
Other ranks 20

It is intended that this branch, which includes detachments in ROME, GREECE and NORTH ITALY shall be disbanded not later than 31 Dec 45.

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Serial Number

War Establishment (CM/30/5)

2558 HEADQUARTERS CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES - continued

(k) It was agreed that the entire war establishment should be subject to review on 15 Dec 45.

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 200.	
1900(B)	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS	(CM/30/4) (XII/1/5)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointment of Assistant quartermaster-general until the general review of A.F.H.Q. on 15 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 66367 SD3(C) dated 10 Aug 45.

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 214.

2388	ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)	(CM/1032/1)
	ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (GREECE)	(CM/1033/1)

War Office have approved the above new war establishments including the ranks of General staff officer - 1 in each establishment w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.

Authority : War Office cable 67157 SD3(C) dated 14 Aug 45.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 216.

2406B ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS WORKS POOL (CM/399/2) (XII/235/2)

Amendment No. 4.

Delete Staff officers, R.E., II
Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (majors)

Delete Staff officers, R.E., III
Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (captains)

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

Authority : War Office cable 66717 SD3(D) dated 11 Aug 45.

File : 263/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 216.

2406C HEADQUARTERS, FIFTEEN ARMY GROUP (CM/13/6) (XII/69/3)

Amendment No. 1.

Delete Staff officers, R.E., II
Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (majors)

Delete Staff officers, R.E., III
Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (captains)

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

Authority : War Office cable 66717 SD3(D) dated 11 Aug 45.

File : 263/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 220.

2462F BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/614/2) (XII/1200A/1)

War Office have approved the addition of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 to the above war establishment, w.e.f. 14 Aug 45, subject to the whole establishment being reviewed on 1 Oct 45.

Authority : War Office cable 67155 SD3(C) dated 14 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

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Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (majors)

Delete Staff officers, R.E., III
Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (captains)

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

Authority : War Office cable 66717 SD3(D) dated 11 Aug 45.

File : 263/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 216.

24060 HEADQUARTERS, FIFTEEN ARMY GROUP (CM/13/6) (XII/69/3)

Amendment No. 1.

Delete Staff officers, R.E., II
Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (majors)

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Substitute Staff officers, R.E. (captains)

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

Authority : War Office cable 66717 SD3(D) dated 11 Aug 45.

File : 263/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 220.

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War Office have approved the addition of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 to the above war establishment, w.e.f. 14 Aug 45, subject to the whole establishment being reviewed on 1 Oct 45.

Authority : War Office cable 67155 SD3(C) dated 14 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 221.	
2466	HEADQUARTERS FIFTH (U.S.) ARMY BRITISH INCREMENT	(CM/79/6)

War Office have approved the above war establishment including the appointments of Colonel, general staff - 1 and General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 w.e.f. 1 Aug 45, subject to review 15 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 67158 SD3(C) dated 15 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 422/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2486(..) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4) (XII/1/5)

Supreme Allied Commander's Secretariat

Historical Section

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointment of Colonel, general staff, subject to review 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 66367 SD3(C) dated 10 Aug 45.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes.

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. dates as shown :-

181/1949.. ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION DETACHMENT (GL/773/1) (XII/1004/1)

(w.e.f. 15 Aug 45)

131/1409 COLLECTION POST FOR EX PRISONERS OF W.A.R. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/549/1) (XII/1000/1)

(w.e.f. 15 Aug 45)

WSD/131 dated 13 Aug 45 refers.

File : 452/Org-3

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Authority : War Office cable 67158 SD3(C) dated 15 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 422/Org-3

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File : 452/Org-3

207/2323 'X' REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/414/3) (XII/1188/1)

(w.e.f. 15 Aug 45)

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Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes.	
	Cancellations - continued	
121/1278	A DEFENCE COMPANY (HEADQUARTERS ALLIED FORCES IN ITALY)	(CM/485/1) (XII/358/1)
	(w.e.f. 15 Aug 45)	
	File : 357/Org-3	
219/2433B	HEADQUARTERS, FIFTEEN ARMY GROUP	(CM/13/6) (XII/69/3)
	(w.e.f. 15 Aug 45)	
	File : 357/Org-3	
187/2041	5 REFRESHER FLYING UNIT, ARMY COMPONENT	(CM/930/1) (XII/419/1)
	(w.e.f. 13 Aug 45)	
	File : 531/Org-3	
54/571	1 DEMOLITION SQUADRON	(CM/229/1) (XII/957/1)
	File : 530/Org-3	
217/2421	HEADQUARTERS 1 DISTRICT	(CM/77/4)
	(w.e.f. 15 Sep 45)	
	WSD/101 dated 16 Aug 45 refers.	
	File : 486/Org-3	
AAI 8/44	SCHOOL OF FARRIERY	(CM/805/1) (XII/1117/1)
	(w.e.f. 13 Aug 45)	
	WSD/142 dated 16 Aug 45 refers.	
	File 278/Org-3	

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219/2433B HEADQUARTERS, FIFTEEN ARMY GROUP (CM/13/6) (XII/69/3)

(w.e.f. 15 Aug 45)

File : 357/Org-3

187/2041 5 REFRESHER FLYING UNIT, ARMY COMPONENT (CM/930/1) (XII/419/1)

(w.e.f. 13 Aug 45)

File : 531/Org-3

54/571 1 DEMOLITION SQUADRON (CM/229/1) (XII/957/1)

File : 530/Org-3

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(w.e.f. 15 Sep 45)

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File : 486/Org-3

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WSD/142 dated 16 Aug 45 refers.

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2534 WELFARE POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/132/3) (XII/43/3)

The addition of the following footnote was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

3. The Welfare Staff for Headquarters XIII Corps is authorised on the scale allotted to "each army or district", w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File 497/Org-3

2535 COMPANY FOR BASE REINFORCEMENT DEPOT (CM/1078/1)

The above new war establishment, designed to hold 300 psycho-neurotic or low medical category personnal, was approved w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	29

It is intended to form two such companies at the Base Reinforcement Depot, and to disband the Reallocation Centre w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

File : 663/Org-3

2536 NO. 7 TRAINING BATTALION, INFANTRY REINFORCMENT TRAINING DEPOT (CM/400/1) (XII/354/1)

The addition of the following personnel and vehicles, rendered necessary through the inclusion of the two extra companies, (vide serial 2535 above) was approved w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

Masseur (will be trained in occupational therapy), serjeant	1
Postal orderlies (lance-corporals)	2
Drivers, I.C. (any arm)	2
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.	1
Lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 663/Org-3

2537 26 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (CM/646/1)

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

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2537 26 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (CM/646/1) (XII/886/1)

The appointment of A.D.A.T.S. was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 01338 SD3(C) dated 16 May 45.

In view of the commitments of this unit, which were stated to have decreased in no way, the Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the continuation of this appointment, subject

(a) to an alteration in existing policy in relation to Polish forces, and

(b) to any appreciable decrease in the number of P.W.A.S. in this theatre.

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Serial Number			War Establishment
2538	(A)	PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH DIRECTORATE, ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS	(CM/922/1)
	(B)	PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH STANDARD UNIT	(CM/923/1)
	(C)	PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH BRITISH HEADQUARTERS STAFF (AUSTRLA)	(CM/925/1)
	(D)	PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH NO. 1 BRITISH UNIT (AUSTRL.)	(CM/926/1)
	(E)	PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH NO. 2 BRITISH UNIT (AUSTRL.)	(CM/927/1)

First grade appointments on the above para military war establishments were reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 59740 SD 3(D) dated 13 Jul 45.

It was agreed to recommend deletion of the following appointments, authorised on W.E. CM/922/1 w.e.f. 25 Jul 45.

Under Finance and administration (Br)
Principal finance and administrative officer (colonel) 1

Under Intelligence section
General staff officer, 1st grade 1

Under Planning section
General staff officer, 1st grade 1

Under News section
Chief of news, lieutenant-colonel, (may be a civilian) 1

Under Communications
Chief signals officer, colonel (may be a civilian) 1

The Committee agreed to recommend continuation of the remaining first grade appointments subject to a full and comprehensive review of all the above war establishments on 16 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 583/Org-3

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(E) PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH NO. 2 BRITISH UNIT (AUSTRIA) (CM/927/1)

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It was agreed to recommend deletion of the following appointments, authorised on W.E. CM/922/1 w.e.f. 25 Jul 45.

Under Finance and administration (Br)

Principal finance and administrative officer (colonel) 1

Under Intelligence section

General staff officer, 1st grade 1

Under Planning section

General staff officer, 1st grade 1

Under News section

Chief of news, lieutenant-colonel, (may be a civilian) 1

Under Communications

Chief signals officer, colonel (may be a civilian) 1

The Committee agreed to recommend continuation of the remaining first grade appointments subject to a full and comprehensive review of all the above war establishments on 16 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2539 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

The war establishment was reviewed in accordance with W.E.C. minute 212/2377 dated 19 Jun 45, and the Committee agreed to a nett reduction of 115 officers, 187 other ranks and 9 vehicles w.e.f. 20 Aug 45. except where otherwise stated.

The following first grade appointments are included in the above decrease :-

G-2 Division

Assistant chief of staff G-2 (major-general) (downgraded to colonel)	1	w.e.f. 21 Aug 45
Colonel, general staff, G-2 (operations)		1
Colonel, general staff, G-2 (signals intelligence)		1
Colonel, general staff, prisoner of war intelligence)		1
General staff officer, 1st grade, prisoner of war intelligence)		1

G-3 Division

Brigadier, general staff, plans	1
General staff officer, 1st grade, plans (appointment transferred to G-3 operations)	1
Colonel, general staff, training	1
General staff officer, 1st grade, training	1

G-4 Division

Assistant quartermaster-general, appointment downgraded to that of staff captain	1
Assistant quartermaster-general, army equipment	1

G-5 Division

Assistant director of civil affairs/military government, legal	1
Assistant director of civil affairs/military government, economics and supply	1

Artillery Division

General staff officer, 1st grade, field artillery	1
General staff officer, 1st grade, A.A. and C.D.	1

Engineers Division

Staff officer, R.E., I, camouflage	1
Deputy director of engineer stores, colonel	1) w.e.f.

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included in the above establishment.

G-2 Division

Assistant chief of staff G-2 (major-general) (downgraded to colonel)	1	w.e.f. 21 Aug 45
Colonel, general staff, G-2 (operations)	1	
Colonel, general staff, G-2 (signals intelligence)	1	
Colonel, general staff, prisoner of war intelligence)	1	
General staff officer, 1st grade, prisoner of war intelligence)	1	

G-3 Division

Brigadier, general staff, plans	1	
General staff officer, 1st grade, plans (appointment transferred to G-3 operations)	1	
Colonel, general staff, training	1	
General staff officer, 1st grade, training	1	

G-4 Division

Assistant quartermaster-general, appointment downgraded to that of staff captain	1	
Assistant quartermaster-general, army equipment	1	

G-5 Division

Assistant director of civil affairs/military government, legal	1	
Assistant director of civil affairs/military government, economics and supply	1	

Artillery Division

General staff officer, 1st grade, field artillery	1	
General staff officer, 1st grade, A.A. and C.D.	1	

Engineers Division

Staff officer, R.E., I, camouflage	1	
Deputy director of engineer stores, colonel	1	w.e.f. 1 Aug 45
Assistant director of engineer stores, lieutenant-colonel	1	w.e.f. 1 Aug 45

Survey

Director of survey, brigadier	1	w.e.f. 17 Aug 45

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2539	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS - continued	(CM/30/4)
	Allied liaison section	
	Brigadier 1	
	General staff officer, 1st grade 1	
	Transportation	
	Deputy directors of transportation, colonels 2	
	Assistant directors of transportation, lieutenant-colonels 3	
	Information and censorship	
	Colonel, G.S. 1	w.e.f. 31 Aug 45
	General staff officer, 1st grade, (appointment to be transferred to Headquarters, Public Relations, C.M.F.) 1	w.e.f. 31 Aug 45
	Supplies and transport	
	Assistant director of supplies and transport, supplies 1	
	Medical Section	
	Advisors, lieutenant-colonels 9	
	Consulting surgeon, colonel 1	
	Ordnance Section	
	Deputy director of ordnance services, brigadier 1	
	Assistant directors of ordnance services, lieutenant-colonels 2	
	R.E.M.E. Section	
	Assistant director of military engineering 1	
	Labour	
	Inspector of civil labour, lieutenant-colonel 1	w.e.f. 7 Aug 45
	Fire Service	
	Assistant director of army fire services, downgraded to Deputy assistant director of army fire services 1	

The following decisions were made in the course of the review.

(a) Staff Message Control

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Information and censorship

Colonel, G.S.	1	w.e.f. 31 Aug 45
General staff officer, 1st grade, (appointment to be transferred to Headquarters, Public Relations, C.M.F.)	1	w.e.f. 31 Aug 45

Supplies and transport

Assistant director of supplies and transport, supplies	1

Medical Section

Advisers, lieutenant-colonels	9
Consulting surgeon, colonel	1

Ordnance Section

Deputy director of ordnance services, brigadier	1
Assistant directors of ordnance services, lieutenant-colonels	2

R.E.M.E. Section

Assistant director of military engineering	1

Labour

Inspector of civil labour, lieutenant-colonel	1	w.e.f. 7 Aug 45

Fire Service

Assistant director of army fire services, downgraded to Deputy assistant director of army fire services	1

The following decisions were made in the course of the review.

(a) Staff Message Control

In view of the reduction in U.S. staff, the Committee approved the addition of 4 officers and 34 other ranks, transferred from HQ 15 Army Group, w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

(b) Information and censorship

The entire section was deleted w.e.f. 31 Aug 45. The General staff officer, 1st grade, Theatre Censor, and his clerks will be included in the proposed new war establishment for Headquarters, Public Relations, C.M.F.

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2539 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS - continued (CM/30/4)

(c) Engineers Division

The appointments of Deputy director of engineer stores, colonel and Assistant director of engineer stores, lieutenant-colonel were deleted w.e.f. 1 Aug 45, this being the date of implementation of Deputy director of engineer stores, (brigadier) on the Headquarters of the Allied Commission for Italy. It was stated by the sponsors that the existing responsibilities of engineer stores and production have not decreased, and still warrant the appointment of brigadier.

(d) Transportation

The proposed upgrading of a draughtsman (railway and port construction) to the rank of lance-corporal was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

(e) Postal

The upgrading of a clerk (postal worker) R.E. from the rank of serjeant to warrant officer, class II was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

(f) Salvage

The addition of a clerk (private) and the upgrading of a clerk from the rank of serjeant to staff-serjeant was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

(g) Central Statistical Section

The deletion of a clerk (warrant officer, class I) and the upgrading of a clerk from the rank of serjeant to staff-serjeant was approved w.e.f. 25 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 9.

File : 250/2/Org-3

2540 ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/48/5)
(XII/725/3)

In view of the recent implementation of the standard A.E.C. war establishments for field formations, the deletion from the above war establishment of the columns headed "Each Corps", "Each Division", and "Each Brigade and HQ. R.A. of each Infantry Division and

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CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

(CM/48/5)
(XII/725/3)
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In view of the recent implementation of the standard A.E.C. war establishments for field formations, the deletion from the above war establishment of the columns headed "Each Corps", "Each Division", and "Each Brigade and HQ. R.A. of each Infantry Division and Armoured Division and Army Group" was approved w.e.f. 9 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 8.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2541A A GARRISON GUARDROOM (TO HOLD 50 SOLDIERS IN CUSTODY) (CM/1079/1)

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	36
	Vehicle	1

2541B A GARRISON GUARDROOM (TO HOLD 100 SOLDIERS IN CUSTODY) (CM/1080/1)

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	39
	Vehicle	1

The above two new war establishments, intended for use in place of WE CM/225/3, were approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

File : 616/Org-3

2542 A.T.S. TRANSIT AND ASSEMBLY CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1031/2)

The above revised establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/1031/1, was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	21
	Other rank (Army)	1
	Civilians	21
	Vehicles	2

File : 633/Org-3

2543 MEDICAL TROOPING PARTY CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1081/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

File : 539/Org-3

2544 ITALIAN PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION (CM/206/2)

The above revised establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/206/1 was approved w.e.f. 2 Aug 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	60
	Vehicles	2

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Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 39
Vehicle 1

The above two new war establishments, intended for use in place of WE CM/225/3, were approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

File : 616/Org-3

2542 A.T.S. TRANSIT AND ASSEMBLY CENTRE (CM/1031/2)
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

The above revised establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/1031/1, was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 21
Other rank (Army) 1
Civilians 21
Vehicles 2

File : 633/Org-3

2543 MEDICAL TROOPING PARTY (CM/1081/1)
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

File : 539/Org-3

2544 ITALIAN PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION (CM/206/2)

The above revised establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/206/1 was approved w.e.f. 2 Aug 45.

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 60
Vehicles 2

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2545 BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN REORGANISATION DEPOT (CM/1082/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45, subject to review in a period of three months.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	5
	Vehicles	11

File : 742/Org-3

2546 BRITISH CADRE FOR ITALIAN TRANSIT CAMP (CM/1083/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45, subject to review in a period of two months.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	5
	Vehicle	1

Implementation is subject to the proposed disbandment of the British Cadre to 803 Italian Base Reinforcement Depot, organised on WE CM/731/1.

File : 742/Org-3

2547 HEADQUARTERS 218 (SPECIAL) AREA (CM/1072/1)

In view of the administrative difficulties now being experienced in regard to the large numbers of surrended enemy personnel, the Committee agreed to substantial increases in the above war establishment, on the condition that the whole establishment be reviewed at an early date.

The following amendment was therefore approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45, subject to review on 1 Oct 45, the appointment of A.A.G. being recommended to the War Office.

Add	Staff Captain	1
	Staff Lieutenant	1

The above two officers are urgently required for duty in the documentation centre.

Add	G.S.O. 3	1

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Other ranks	5	
Vehicles	11	

File : 742/Org-3

2546 BRITISH CADRE FOR ITALIAN TRANSIT CAMP (CM/1083/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45, subject to review in a period of two months.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	5
	Vehicle	1

Implementation is subject to the proposed disbandment of the British Cadre to 803 Italian Base Reinforcement Depot, organised on WE CM/731/1.

File : 742/Org-3

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	Staff Lieutenant	1

The above two officers are urgently required for duty in the documentation centre.

Add	G.S.O. 3	1

Upgrade D.A.A.G. to A.A.G.

Redesignate A.A. and Q.M.G. as A.Q.M.G.

Add	Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties	
	W.Os. II	2
	Privates	2
	Storemen, technical, R.A.O.C.	
	Corporals	2
	Privates	3

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 323/9/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2548	BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER A.F.H.Q. POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE BRANCH	(CM/945/1)

The appointment of G.S.O. I, intelligence duties, was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 95601 ICFW C dated 23 May 45, and was recommended for continuation, subject to further review on 15 Oct 45.

File : 298/Org-3

2549A	STAFF INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS XIII CORPS	(CM/1070/1)

The addition of a Civil liaison branch, consisting of 4 officers, 5 other ranks and 4 vehicles was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45. It was agreed that this section should be reviewed together with the remainder of the Staff increment on 1 Nov 45.

This amendment is conditional on the deletion of the Civil liaison staff from WE CM/223/1, vide serial 2549B below.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 745/Org-3

2549B	HEADQUARTERS BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA	(CM/223/1) (XII/46/1)

The deletion of the Civil liaison section, comprising 8 officers, 9 other ranks, and 8 vehicles was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 42.

File : 500/Org-3

2550	MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA	(CM/667/1) (XII/1197/1)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 65964 SD 3 dated 9 Aug 45, and continuation was recommended.

In view of the decision that this unit should, in future become an Intelligence commitment, the following amendment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Delete all officers

Substitute

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

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Delete all officers

Substitute

Head of Mission (brigadier)	1
G.S.O. II Intelligence	1
G.S.O. III Intelligence	1
Liaison officer, G.S.O. III, (for duties in Italy)	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 770/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2551 FEEDING STAFF, ITALY, TYPE 'A' (CM/1084/1)

The above new war establishment, intended for use in place of WE CM/1053/1, was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	14
	Vehicle	1

File : 319/1/Org-3

2552 FEEDING STAFF, ITALY, TYPE 'B' (CM/1053/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Amend title to read Feeding Staff Italy Type 'B'.

Delete under title

"Designed to provide for 200 personnel per day".

Add Cook, A.C.C. (corporal) 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 319/1/Org-3

2553 GERMAN INCREMENT TO FEEDING STAFF ITALY, TYPE 'A' (CM/1085/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	49

File : 319/1/Org-3

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File : 319/1/Org-3

2552 FEEDING STAFF, ITALY, TYPE 'B' (CM/1053/1)

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Amend title to read Feeding Staff Italy Type 'B'.

Delete under title

"Designed to provide for 200 personnel per day".

Add Cook, A.C.C. (corporal) 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 319/1/Org-3

2553 GERMAN INCREMENT TO FEEDING STAFF ITALY, TYPE 'A' (CM/1085/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 20 Aug 45.

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 49

File : 319/1/Org-3

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New war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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The 228th Meeting will be held at 1515 hours on Monday, 20th August 1945 in the G-1 (British) Conference Room, Caserta Palace.

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2540	Amendment to ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS (CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN) By the deletion of the columns headed "Each Corps", "Each Division" and "Each Brigade and HQ R.A. of each Infantry Division and Armoured Division and Army Group" and the addition under each Corps of :- SO I (Education) 1 WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 2 Other ranks 6 Vehicle 1 under each Division of :- SO II (Education) 1 Subaltern 1 WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 4 Other ranks 6 Vehicle 1 under each Brigade of WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 4 Pte 1 under each A.G.R.A. of :- SO II (Education) 1 SO III (Education) 1 Subaltern 1 WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 4 Other ranks 4	XII/725/3 CM/48/5	No	G-1 (Br) A-5	1515

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2540	Amendment to ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS (CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN) By the deletion of the columns headed "Each Corps", "Each Division" and "Each Brigade and HQ R.A. of each Infantry Division and Armoured Division and Army Group" and the addition under each Corps of :- SO I (Education) 1 WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 2 Other ranks 6 Vehicle 1 under each Division of :- SO II (Education) 1 Subaltern 1 WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 4 Other ranks 6 Vehicle 1 under each Brigade of WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 4 Pte 1 under each A.G.R.A. of :- SO II (Education) 1 SO III (Education) 1 Subaltern 1 WOs and Sjts (A.E.C.) 4 Other ranks 4 under each Corps Delete :- Batman-drivers 2 Storeman 1	XII/725/3 CM/48/5	No	G-1 (Br)	1515

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2540	ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS (C.M.) Continued	XII/725/3 CM/48/5			

Under each Division

Delete :-

Storeman 1

Under each Brigade

Delete :-

Storeman 1

Under each HQ R.A.

Delete :-

Clerk (lance-corporal) 1
Storeman 1

Under each Army Group R.A.

Delete :-

Captain 1
Storeman 1

Vide Annexure 1.

File : 389/Org-3

2541 Approval of

(A) A GARRISON GUARDROOM (TO HOLD 50 SOLDIERS IN CUSTODY — New W.E. — No — G-1 (Br) — 1520

Strength :

Officer 1
Other ranks 37
Vehicle 1

Vide Annexure 2.

(B) A GARRISON GUARDROOM (TO HOLD 100 SOLDIERS IN CUSTODY) — New W.E. — No — G-1 (Br) — 3361

Strength :

Officers 2

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Under each Brigade

Delete :-

Storeman	1

Under each HQ R.A.

Delete :-

Clerk (lance-corporal)	1
Storeman	1

Under each Army Group R.A.

Delete :-

Captain	1
Storeman	1

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2541 Approval of

(A) A GARRISON GUARDROOM (TO HOLD 50 SOLDIERS IN CUSTODY — New W.E. No G-1 (Br) 1520

Strength :

Officer	1
Other ranks	37
Vehicle	1

Vide Annexure 2.

(B) A GARRISON GUARDROOM (TO HOLD 100 SOLDIERS IN CUSTODY) — New W.E. No G-1 (Br) 3361

Strength :

Officers	2
Other ranks	40
Vehicles	2

Vide Annexure 2.

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours
2542	Amendment to A.T.S. TRANSIT AND ASSEMBLY CENTRE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN By the addition of Other Ranks, A.T.S. :- Tradeswomen Clerks, general duties 2 Cooks 3 Non-tradeswomen 'Q' corporal 1 Storewoman (private) 1 Officers' mess orderly 1 Sergeants' mess orderly 1 Driver, I.C. (may be ATS) 1 Civilians Interpreter 1 Vehicle 1 and the upgrading of cooks (2), one to be sergeant the other lance-corporal. Vide Annexure 3. File 633/Org-3	CM/1031/1	No	G-1 (Br)	1540
2543	Approval of MEDICAL TROOPING PARTY, C.M.F. Strength for a ship carrying less than 1000 Officer 1 Other ranks 3 + For a ship carrying between 1000 and 2000 Officer 1 Other ranks 5 + For a ship carrying more than 2000 Tradeswomen	New W.E.	No	G-4 (Mov & Tn) 1555 Medical	

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Tradeswomen

Clerks, general duties	2
Cooks	3

Non-tradeswomen

'Q' corporal	1
Storewoman (private)	1
Officers' mess orderly	1
Sergeants' mess orderly	1
Driver, I.C. (may be ATS)	1

Civilians

Interpreter	1

Vehicle 1

and the upgrading of cooks (2), one to be sergeant the other lance-corporal.

Vide Annexure 3.

File 633/Org-3

2543 Approval of

MEDICAL TROOPING PARTY, C.M.F. New W.E. No G-4 (Mov & Tn) 1555 Medical

Strength for a ship carrying less than 1000

Officer	1
Other ranks	3 +

For a ship carrying between 1000 and 2000

Officer	1
Other ranks	5 +

For a ship carrying more than 2000

Officer	1
Other ranks	8 +

+ All to be nursing orderlies.

Vide Annexure 4.

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL		W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2544	Approval of ITALIAN PORT MAINTENANCE SECTION Strength : Officer 1 Other ranks 60 Vehicles 2 Vide Annexure 5. File : 561/Org-3		New W.E.	No	M.M.I.A. Tn (Br) G-3 (AMO)	1610
2545	Approval of BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN REORGANISATION DEPOT Strength : Officers 2 Other ranks 6 Vehicles 11 Vide Annexure 6. File : 742/Org-3		New W.E.	No	M.M.I.A. G-3 (AMO)	1615
2546	Approval of BRITISH CADRE FOR ITALIAN TRANSIT CAMP Strength : Officers 3 Other ranks 5 Vehicles 2 Vide Annexure 7. File : 442/Org-3		New W.E.	No	M.M.I.A. G-3 (AMO)	1625
2547	Amendment to HEADQUARTERS 219 (SPECIAL)		GW/1072/1		1 District	1635

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	Other ranks 60 Vehicles 2 Vide Annexure 5. File : 561/Org-3				
2545	Approval of BRITISH CADRE TO ITALIAN REORGANISATION DEPOT Strength : Officers 2 Other ranks 6 Vehicles 11 Vide Annexure 6. File : 742/Org-3	New W.E.	No	M.M.I.A. G-3 (AMO)	1615
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2547	Amendment to HEADQUARTERS 218 (SPECIAL) AREA. Details will be circulated later. Vide Annexure 8. File : 323/Org-3	CM/1072/1		1 District	1635

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Serial Number		W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2548	Review of BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS In accordnance with War Office cable 95601 ICFC of 23 May 45. Vide Annexure 9. File 298/Org-3	CM/474/2	Yes	Resident Minister	1650
2549	Approval of CIVIL LIAISON (ITALY) Strength : Officers 8 Other ranks 9 Vehicles 8 Vide Annexure 10. File : 745/Org-3	New W.E.	No	G-2	1700
2550	Review of MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA In accordnance with War Office cable 65964 SD3 of 9 Aug 45. Vide Annexure 11. File : 770/Org-3	XII/1197/1 CM/667/1	No	G-2	1715
2551	Approval of MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT NO. 78. Strength : Officers 6 Other ranks 13 Vehicles 6	New W.E.	Yes	SOM G-2	1730

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Vide Annexure 9.

File 298/Org-3

2549 Approval of

CIVIL LIAISON (ITALY) — New W.E. — No — G-2 — 1700

Strength :

Officers	8
Other ranks	9
Vehicles	8

Vide Annexure 10.

File : 745/Org-3

2550 Review of

MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA — XII/1197/1 CM/667/1 — No — G-2 — 1715

In accordnance with War Office cable 65964 SD3 of 9 Aug 45.

Vide Annexure 11.

File : 770/Org-3

2551 Approval of

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT NO. 78. — New W.E. — Yes — SGM LA 3358 G-2 — 1730

Strength :

Officers	6
Other ranks	13
Vehicles	6

Vide Annexure 12.

File : 714/Org-3

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226th Meeting, held on Monday 13th August 1945

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Major H.J.K. JACQUES — G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 129.	
1379	TRAINING INCREMENT (INFANTRY) TO BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI)	(CM/542/1) (XII/883/1)
	The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 3 Aug 45.	
	WSD/134 dated 6 Aug 45 refers.	
	File : 758/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.	
2239	INCREMENT TO BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE	(CM/1016/1)
	The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 4 Mar 45.	
	WSD/131 dated 10 Aug 45 refers.	
	File : 763/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.	
2294(c)	INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS NO. 1 DISTRICT	(CM/1012/2) (XII/1[illegible]/2)
	The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.	

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Major	R.T. NICHOLS	Q (Maint)
Major	R.B. D'EATH	Q (AE)
Major	H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 129.	
1379	TRAINING INCREMENT (INFANTRY) TO BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI) The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 3 Aug 45. WSD/134 dated 6 Aug 45 refers. File : 758/Org-3	(CM/542/1) (XII/883/1)
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.	
2289	INCREMENT TO BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 4 Mar 45. WSD/131 dated 10 Aug 45 refers. File : 763/Org-3	(CM/1016/1)
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.	
2294(c)	INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS NO. 1 DISTRICT The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 31 Aug 45. WSD/101 dated 12 Aug 45 refers. File : 486/Org-3	(CM/1012/2) (XII/1[illegible]/2)

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FILE: CM/1012
DATE: 8/5/9

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 186.

2021 PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH DIRECTORATE, A.F.H.Q. (CM/922/1)

The following editorial amendment will be made to the above establishment.

Under Finance and Administration (Br)

Against Principal finance and administrative officer

Delete Lieutenant-colonel
Insert Colonel

Add Finance officer and assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general (lieutenant-colonel) 1

With effect from 16 March 1945.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2417 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

Branch of the Military Secretary

War Office have approved the deletion of Assistant Military Secretary (lieutenant-colonel) - 1 w.e.f. 15 Jul 45.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 9.

Authority : War Office cable 66367 SD3(c) dated 10 Aug 45.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2486(B) BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/S 9/1) (XII/10/1)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointments of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 and Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general - 1, subject to review 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 66367 SD3(c) dated 10 Aug 45.

File : 250/Org-3

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Insert Colonel

Add Finance officer and assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general (lieutenant-colonel) 1

With effect from 16 March 1945.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

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File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 223.

2486(B) BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/S 9/1) (XII/19/1)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointments of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 and Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general - 1, subject to review 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 66367 SD3(c) dated 10 Aug 45.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes.

HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH ARMY (CM/223/1) (XII/46/2)

Amend title to read - "HEADQUARTERS, BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA" w.e.f. 25 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 42.

File : 500/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2121 HEADQUARTERS 3 DISTRICT (CM/264/3)

The following amendment is promulgated w.e.f. 9 Jul 45.

Under Local Administrative Appointments

Add Vehicle mechanics -
Corporal - 1
Private - 1

HQ. 3 District letter 801/G dated 8 Aug 45 refers.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 625/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 222.

826 BRITISH CADRE R...S.C. FOR AN ITALIAN ARMY GENERAL TRANSPORT COMPANY (CM/317/1) (XII/456/1)

The effective date of cancellation of the above War Establishment is amended to read 20 Aug 45.

WSD/131 dated 9 Aug 45 refers.

File : 567/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 222.

2184 BRITISH CADRE TO POLISH REPATRIATION CAMP. (CM/1071/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of Commandant (lieutenant-colonel) w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

Authority : War Office cable 66606 SD3 dated 11 Aug 45.

File 623/Org-3

Addition to minutes

War Office have published the cancellation of the following War Establishments. ACI 908/45 refers.

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HQ. 3 District letter 801/G dated 8 Aug 45 refers.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 625/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 222.

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File 623/Org-3

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Addition to minutes

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INGREDIENT GENERAL TO A.F.H.Q. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/586/1) (XII/85/1)

AIR SUPPLY BASE, R.A.S.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/610/1) (XII/477/1)

BRITISH STAFF FOR ITALIAN ARMY PACK TRANSPORT TRAINING CENTRE FOSSOMBRONE (CM/698/1) (XII/483/1)

OFFICERS' CONVALESCENT WING, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/49/2) (XII/503/2)

CIVIL AFFAIRS LIAISON OFFICERS' POOL (CM/973/1) (XII/676/1)

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	Addition to minutes - continued	
	INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS' TRAINING CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/84/2) (XII/803/2)
	G-2 (ADVANCED INTELLIGENCE) A.F.H.Q.	(CM/281/1) (XII/806/1)
	AN ITALIAN C.S. BATTALION	(CM/512/1) (XII/811/1)
	OFFICERS' MESS COOKS SCHOOL, A.C.C.	(CM/252/1) (XII/831/1)
	CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN TRAINING CENTRE	(CM/282/2) (XII/1149/2)

M I N U T E S

2520 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) JOINT OFFICE AND JOINT TECHNICAL POOL FACTORY CONTROL (XVI/8106/1)

The addition of the following other ranks was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45.

Company quartermaster serjeant	1
Clerk (lance-corporal)	1
General dutymen (lance-corporals)	2

It was agreed that a footnote be added to the war establishment, stating that transport, and surrended enemy personnel (for administrative duties) will be authorised on separate war establishments.

Will be promulgated as C.M. Amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2521 HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (XVI/8005/1)

The addition of an administrative staff, consisting of 1 officer, 8 other ranks and 62 civilians, intended for employment with the Intelligence organisation was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45.

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OFFICERS' MESS COOKS SCHOOL, A.C.C. (C/252/1)
(XII/831/1)

CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN TRAINING CENTRE (CM/282/2)
(XII/1149/2)

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2522 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) HEADQUARTERS COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE (XVI/8003/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the addition of three military liaison officers (lieutenant-colonels) w.e.f. 13 Aug 45. This amendment is conditional upon the deletion of three army officers of equivalent or higher rank from other A.C. Austria establishments w.e.f. 13 Aug 45.

It was agreed that the Allied Commission should select three officers for deletion and report these to A.F.H.Q. not later than 10 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as C.M. Amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2523 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) HEADQUARTERS COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE (XVI/8003/1)

The deletion of the movements section, and the substitution of a new section was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45, the appointments of Colonel Q (M) - 1 and Assistant quartermasters general (M) - 2 being recommended to the War Office.

The new movements section consists of :-

Officers	15
Other ranks	38
A.T.S. other ranks	7
Civilians	3

The increase of 7 officers and 23 other ranks is covered by a corresponding decrease in WE CM/24/4, Movement Control, Allied Force, vide minute serial 2524B below.

Will be promulgated as C.M. Amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2524A MOVEMENT CONTROL AUSTRIA (CM/1076/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45.

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establishments w.e.f. 13 Aug 45.

It was agreed that the Allied Commission should select three officers for deletion and report these to A.F.H.Q. not later than 10 Sep 45.

Will be promulgated as C.M. Amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2523 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (XVI/8003/1)
(BRITISH ELEMENT) HEADQUARTERS
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Will be promulgated as C.M. Amendment No. 1.

File : 597/Org-3

2524 MOVEMENT CONTROL AUSTRIA (CM/1076/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45. 3354

Strength :	Officers	21
	Other ranks	110
	Civilians	6
	Vehicles	15

It was agreed that military personnel and vehicles required to implement this establishment should be deleted from WE CM/24/4, Movement Control, Allied Force vide minute serial 2524B below.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
		(CM/24/4) (XII/890/4)
25243	MOVEMENT CONTROL ALLIED FORCE	

The deletion of the following personnel and vehicles was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45 :-

Deputy assistant quartermaster-general (movements)	1
Staff captains 'Q' (movements)	4
Captains (movement control officers)	8
Lieutenants (movement control officers)	8
	21
Warrant officer, class II	1
Serjeants	7
Lance-serjeants	2
Corporals	9
Lance-corporals	11
Privates	78
	108
Attached	
Cook (corporal)	1
Cooks (civilians)	6
Total (including attached)	115
Tradesmen	
Clerks, R.E.	21
Checkers	45
Driver-mechanics	2
	68
Non-tradesmen	
General dutymen (may be civilians)	13
Drivers, I.C.	14
Motor-cyclists	5
	32
Total, rank and file	100
Transport	
Motor-cycles	9
Cars, 4-seater, 4 x 2	2

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Drivers, I.C.	14
Motor-cyclists	5
	32
Total, rank and file	100
Transport	
Motor-cycles	9
Cars, 4-seater, 4 x 2	2
Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2	12
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.	1
Total, transport	24

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 10.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2525 BRITISH CIVIL POLICE UNIT FOR GREECE (CM/972/1) (XII/675/1)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 93770 SD3 dated 16 May 45.

The deletion of the following personnel and vehicles was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45:-

Officers	9
Other ranks	33
Vehicles	19

All transport and driving personnel are being transferred from this unit to the British Police Mission to Greece.

Owing to the need for adequate police supervision during the forthcoming Greek elections, and for equipment for the Greek national police force, it was agreed that the establishment, including appointment of Colonel, civil affairs, should remain in existence until the end of October 1945, and that recommendation to this effect should be forwarded to the War Office.

It was stated that the one remaining staff officer, first grade, civil affairs would not be required after the middle of September.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 590/Org-3

2526 A GERMAN ENGINEER COMPANY (CM/1077/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45.

Strength, all German surrendered personnel :

Officers	3
Other ranks	200
Vehicles	8

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2527 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4) (XII/30/4)

The proposal to add certain personnel and vehicles to the above establishment for duties in

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Officers	2
Other ranks	33
Vehicles	19

All transport and driving personnel are being transferred from this unit to the British Police Mission to Greece.

Owing to the need for adequate police supervision during the forthcoming Greek elections, and for equipment for the Greek national police force, it was agreed that the establishment, including appointment of Colonel, civil affairs, should remain in existence until the end of October 1945, and that recommendation to this effect should be forwarded to the War Office.

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(CM/128/4)
(XII/30/4)

2527 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT

The proposal to add certain personnel and vehicles to the above establishment for duties in regard to captured enemy equipment was deferred.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2528 A WELL BORING CREW, R.E. (New W.E.)

The above proposed new war establishment was not approved, as it was decided that this organisation could be obtained by the partial implementation of W.E. CM/619/1, A Boring Platoon, R.E. to the extent of 10 other ranks and 2 vehicles.

File : 685/Org-3

2529 H.Q.T. DILUTION COMPANY A.P.C., CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1064/1)

The Committee agreed to substitute 1 Jul 44 as the effective date of the above war establishment

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 603/Org-3

2530 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A., GREECE (CM/1005/3)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 65079 SD3 dated 5 Aug 45.

The Committee agreed to recommend continuation of this establishment for the current month, and at the same time approved a reduced establishment for use during September, the appointment of staff officer, 1st grade for supplies and distribution being recommended to the War Office. It was further agreed that whilst a small number of officers and other ranks might be required during the month of October, the need for this establishment should come to an end on 1 Nov 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 590/Org-3

2531 SPECIAL LIAISON SECTION (CIVIL) BRITISH EMBASSY, CAIRO. (CM/985/1) (XII/381F/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the downgrading of the Chief Liaison Officer (brigadier) to the rank of colonel w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 594/Org-3

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File : 685/Org-3

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 590/Org-3

2531 SPECIAL LIAISON SECTION (CIVIL) BRITISH EMBASSY, GREECE. (CM/985/1) (XII/881F/1)

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 594/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2532 INCREMENT TO III CORPS (CM/555/2)

The addition of a General staff officer, 3rd grade, for staff duties, was approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45 until 31 Oct 45. This amendment is conditional upon the non-implementation, during this period, of the appointment of General staff officer, 3rd grade, liaison, on Headquarters III Corps (W.E. III/5/6).

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 8.

File : 590/Org-3

2533 HEADQUARTERS A SUB-AREA (CM/118/3)

The addition of the following footnote was approved w.e.f. 13 Aug 45, the first grade appointment being recommended to the War Office.

"The following amendment is authorised in respect of Headquarters 207 Sub-Area :-

Add	Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general	1
	Staff lieutenant 'A'	1
Upgrade	Staff captain 'A' to Deputy assistant adjutant-general	
Redesignate	Deputy assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general	
to read	Deputy assistant quartermaster-general".	

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 323/Org-3

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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E. A. C. Whitaker 3352
Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 8.

File : 590/Org-3

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to read	Deputy assistant quartermaster-general".	

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 323/Org-3

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225th Meeting held on Friday, 10th August 1945

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	Lieut-Col	R.H. BURNETT	Financial Advisor
	Major	R.B. D'EATH	Q (A.E.)
	Major	R.E.J. NICHOLS	Q (Maint)
	Captain	M.E. HODGSON	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 95.	
996	AN EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE UNIT (BOMB DISPOSAL) R.E.	(CM/389/1) (XII/231/1)
	The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 7 Aug 45	
	WSD/105 dated 7 Aug 45 refers.	
	File : 717/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 193.	
2134	HEADQUARTERS OF AN AIR DISTRICT	(CM/960/1) (XII/431/1)
	(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.)	
2134B	A DISARMAMENT DEPOT AND WORKSHOP	(CM/961/1)
	(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)	
2134C	A FLAK DISARMAMENT MOBILE UNIT	(CM/962/1) (XII/1205/1)
	(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.)	
2134D	A DISARMAMENT RECOVERY UNIT	(CM/963/1)

The designations of the above war establishments have been changed to read respectively, as under, w.e.f. 1 Aug 45.

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Lieut-Col R.H. BURNETT Financial Advisor

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Lieut-Col	R.H. BURNETT	Financial Advisor
Major	R.B. D'EATH	Q (A.E.)
Major	R.E.J. NICHOLS	Q (Maint)
Captain	M.E. HODGSON	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 95.	
996	AN EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE UNIT (BOMB DISPOSAL) R.E.	(CM/389/1) (XII/231/1)
	The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 7 Aug 45	
	WSD/105 dated 7 Aug 45 refers.	
	File : 717/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 193.	
2134	HEADQUARTERS OF AN AIR DISTRICT	(CM/960/1) (XII/431/1)
	(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.)	
2134B	A DISARMAMENT DEPOT AND WORKSHOP	(CM/961/1)
	(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.)	
2134C	A FLAK DISARMAMENT MOBILE UNIT	(CM/962/1) (XII/1205/1)
	(Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.)	
2134D	A DISARMAMENT RECOVERY UNIT	(CM/963/1)
	The designations of the above war establishments have been changed to read respectively, as under, w.e.f. 1 Aug 45.	
	HEADQUARTERS OF AN AIR DISARMAMENT DISTRICT (MILITARY COMPONENT)	
	FLAK DISARMAMENT DEPOT AND WORKSHOP (MILITARY COMPONENT OF A FLAK DISARMAMENT RECOVERY UNIT, R.A.F.)	
	FLAK DISARMAMENT MOBILE UNIT (MILITARY COMPONENT OF A FLAK DISARMAMENT RECOVERY UNIT R.A.F.)	
	FLAK DISARMAMENT RECOVERY UNIT (MILITARY COMPONENT OF A FLAK DISARMAMENT RECOVERY UNIT, R.A.F.)	
	WSD/149 dated 5 Aug 45 refers.	
	File : 301/Org-3	

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.

2289 INCREMENT TO BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/1016/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 w.e.f. 1 Jan 45 until 4 Mar 45.

Authority : War Office cable 95602 SD3(c) dated 23 May 45.

File : 763/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 213.

2359 CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER (CHIEF LINES OFFICER) CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/45/2)

Amendment No. 5 to the above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Authority : War Office cable 09192 SD3(C) dated 28 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 8.

File 380/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 39.

367 J.A.G. STAFF POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/141/1)

The above establishment has been re-written including amendments Nos. 1 - 13 inclusive w.e.f. 30 Apr 45.

Strength	:	Officers	28
		Other ranks	56
		Vehicles	14

File 582/Org-3

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2508 HEADQUARTERS, ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND (CM/450/2)

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Authority : War Office cable 95602 SD3(c) dated 23 May 45.

File : 763/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 213.

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		Vehicles	14

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MINUTES

2508 HEADQUARTERS, ROME AREA, ALLIED COMMAND (CM/450/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Amend note (d) to read :- "One warrant officer is for duty as Ordnance Warrant Officer, one warrant officer class II, one clerk (private) and one storeman (private) will be added for every 100 (or part of 100) self-accounting units in the area after the first 100."

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 741/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3.4(b)/NNDC No. T85020

Serial Number

War Establishment

2509 DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF ORDNANCE SERVICES, L OF C DEPOTS, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/288/3) (XII/576/3)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45. It was decided to review this W.E. on 10 Oct 45.

Under HEADQUARTERS

Delete Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) private 1

Ports
Clerks, technical (R.A.O.C.) privates 3

Depots
Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) private 1

Laundries
Clerks, technical (R.A.O.C.) corporal 1
private 1

M.T. stores advisers staff
Ordnance officers (subalterns) 2

Regimental
Add General dutymen (privates) 5

PROVISION

Delete Ordnance officer (captain) 1

P I.
Delete Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) private 1

P II.
Delete Ordnance officer (subaltern) 1
Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) corporal 1

P III.
Delete Ordnance officer (captain) 1
Clerks, technical, R.A.O.C. -
Staff-serjeant 1
Lance-corporal 1

Special Issuer branch
Delete Ordnance officer (captain) 1
Ordnance officer (subaltern) 1
Clerks, technical, R.A.O.C. (privates) 2

Publications
Delete Storeman, clothing and general (private) 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

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Delete	Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) private		1
	Ports		
	Clerks, technical (R.A.O.C.) privates		3
	Depots		
	Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) private		1
	Laundries		
	Clerks, technical (R.A.O.C.)	corporal	1
		private	1
	M.T. stores advisers staff		
	Ordnance officers (subalterns)		2
	Regimental		
Add	General dutymen (privates)		5

PROVISION

Delete	Ordnance officer (captain)		1
	P I.		
Delete	Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) private		1
	P II.		
Delete	Ordnance officer (subaltern)		1
	Clerk, technical (R.A.O.C.) corporal		1
	P III.		
Delete	Ordnance officer (captain)		1
	Clerks, technical, R.A.O.C. -		
		Staff-sergeant	1
		Lance-corporal	1
	Special Issuer branch		
Delete	Ordnance officer (captain)		1
	Ordnance officer (subaltern)		1
	Clerks, technical, R.A.O.C. (privates)		2
	Publications		
Delete	Storeman, clothing and general (private)		1

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 634/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 78502

Serial Number

War Establishment

2510 HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH ARMY (CM/223/1) (XII/46/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Delete note - "The following will be added for each British Corps under command :-

D.A.D.O.S. (laundries) (ordnance officer) (major)	1
Batman-driver	1
Car, 2-seater, 4 x 2	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 41.

File 500/Org-3

2511 STAFF AND SERVICES INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS 7 ARMY GROUP ROYAL ARTILLERY (CM/1074/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Strength	: Officers	9
	Other ranks	34
	Civilians	11
	Vehicles	6

It is designed to enable HQ 7 A.G.R.A. to undertake the duties hitherto performed by HQ 151 Sub-Area in addition to their operational role and will be off-set by the disbandment of 151 Sub-Area.

File 694/Org-3

2512 AN ITALIAN WORKSHOP COMPANY, R.E.M.E. (CM/476/1) (XII/611F/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Amend title to read BRITISH CADRE TO AN ITALIAN OR GERMAN WORKSHOP, R.E.M.E. and the deletion of all mention of Italian Co-operator Personnel and the further deletion of the following Italian personnel -

Officers	4
Other ranks	305

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Batman-driver 1
Car, 2-seater, 4 x 2 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 41.

File 500/Org-3

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Other ranks	305

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 542/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2513	A REST AND TRANSIT CAMP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/952/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Add Civilians

Drivers, I.C.	2
Cooks	32
Waiters	16
Orderlies	4
Camp maintenance -	
Chief foreman	1
Motor-mechanic	1
Foremen	3
Labourers	26

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File 319/Org-3

2514	A RECEPTION CAMP	(CM/413/1) (XII/660/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Against Commandant (lieutenant-colonel)
Add note (f) "Will be a major in the case of 4 Reception Camp".

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File 319/Org-3

2515	HEADQUARTERS BRITISH TROOPS SICILY	(CM/1075/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45 subject to review on 1 Nov 45.

Strength :	Officers	4
	Other ranks	11
	Vehicles	3

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File 319/Org-3

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The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45 subject to review on 1 Nov 45.

Strength :	Officers	4
	Other ranks	11
	Vehicles	3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2516 NO. 1 POSTAL TRACING SECTION, R.E. (CM/2/3) (XII/210/3)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Delete Postal workers - Serjeants 2
Corporals 3
Sappers 19

Under Attached

Delete Cook, A.C.C. (private) 1

Under Any arm

Delete Serjeant 1
Corporal 1
Privates 6

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 306/Org-3

2517 CENSORSHIP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/60/2) (XII/800/3)

The above proposal was deferred until 20 Aug 45.

File : 324/Org-3

2518 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/3) (XII/88/3)

The upgrading of fire officers (subalterns) - 6 to Staff lieutenants, A.F.S. - 6 was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 602/Org-3

2518 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO) (CM/508/2) (XII/884/2)

BRITISH LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT (FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE) (CM/1018/1) XII/881E/1)

The above establishments were reviewed and the Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office that the appointments of General staff officer, 1st grade on W.E. XII/884/2 and Commander (lieutenant-colonel) on W.E. XII/881E/1 be continued, subject to review [illegible] to the increasing training commitments

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File : 306/Org-3

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The above proposal was deferred until 20 .ug 45.

File : 324/Org-3

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 602/Org-3

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BRITISH LI.ISON .ND TR.INING UNIT (FOR REINFO.CEMENT TR.INING CENTRE, IT.LI.N COMB.T FORCE) (CM/1018/1) XII/881E/1)

The above establishments were reviewed and the Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office that the appointments of General staff officer, 1st grade on W.E. XII/884/2 and Commander (lieutenant-colonel) on W.E. XII/881E/1 be continued, subject to review 1 Dec 45 owing to the increasing training commitments of the Italian .rmy.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2519	.. TRANSIT CAMP (REVISED) CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CAi/552/1) (XII/664/1)

The Committee approved the addition of Commander (lieutenant-colonel) and the substitution of Second-in-command (major) for the Commander (major) in respect of 312 Transit Camp ONLY. The appointment of Commander (lieutenant-colonel being recommended to War Office w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5 applicable to 312 Transit Camp only.
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New War Establishments will not be implemented without ..F.H.Q. authority.

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E. A. [illegible] Williams
Lieutenant-colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

224th Meeting held on Monday, 6th August 45

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 165.	
1782C	INDEPENDENT INDIAN CAME	(CM/671/1)
1782E	INDIAN INCREMENT (TYPE 'B') TO A COLLECTION POST OR DETACHMENT ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION UNIT	(CM/673/1)

The above War Establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

WSD/131 dated 4 Aug 45 refers.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 171.

1864F	ALLIED MILITARY LIAISON HEADQUARTERS LBANIA	(CM/718/1) (XII/3810/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

WSD/148 dated 6 Aug 45 refers.

File : 759/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 215.

2399	CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER (ARMY) BALKAN AIR FORCE	33/2 (CM/2028/1) (XII/329/1)

War Office have approved the cancellation of

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Major	W.D.A. [illegible]	[illegible]
Major	R.B. D'EATH	Q (AE)
Captain	M.E. HODGSON	G-3 (Org)

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 171.

1864F	ALLIED MILITARY LIAISON HEADQUARTERS ALBANIA	(CM/718/1) (XII/881C/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 31 Aug 45.

WSD/148 dated 6 Aug 45 refers.

File : 759/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 215.

2399	CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER (ARMY) BALKAN AIR FORCE	3342 (CM/028/1) (XII/529/1)

War Office have approved the cancellation of of the above War Establishment w.e.f. 30 Jun 45.

Authority : War Office cable 64886 SD 3(C) dated 3 Aug 45.

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 221.

2480 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4) (XII/30/4)

War Office have approved the cancellation of the appointment of assistant director of veterinary and remount services w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Authority : War Office cable 64887 SD 3(C) dated 3 Aug 45.

File : 486/Org-3

Addition to minutes.

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS OF AN ARE. (CM/1519/1)✓

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS OF A SUB-ARE. (CM/1520/1)✓

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A BASE DEPOT POST OFFICE R.E. (CM/1530/1)✓

The above War Establishments are approved w.e.f. 1 Jul 45. Minutes of 10th meeting of Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MEA) War Establishments Committee held 7 Jul 45 refer.

File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes

ITALIAN INCREMENT TO COMBINED SERVICES DETAILED INTERROGATION CENTRE (CM/308/1)✓

The amendment passed at the 6th meeting (serial No. 20) of Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MEA) War Establishments Committee is promulgated w.e.f. 18 May 45.

ASD/949.4 dated 5 Aug 45 refers.

File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes

TRANSPORT PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP ✓ (CM/533/1) (XII/468/1)

HEADQUARTERS TRANSPORT AND SUPPLY COMPANY FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP ✓ (CM/531/1) (XII/467/1)

MECHANICAL ENGINEERS PLATOON FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP ✓ (CM/539/1) (XII/611V/1)

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Authority : War Office cable 64887 SD 3(O) dated 3 Aug 45.

File : 486/Org-3

Addition to minutes.

IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS OF AN ARE.. (CM/1519/1)

IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS OF A SUB-ARE.. (CM/1520/1)

IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO A BASE DEPOT POST OFFICE R.E. (CM/1530/1)

The above War Establishments are approved w.e.f. 1 Jul 45. Minutes of 10th meeting of Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMA) War Establishments Committee held 7 Jul 45 refer.

File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes

IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO COMBINED SERVICES DET.ILED INTERROGATION CENTRE (CM/308/1)

The amendment passed at the 6th meeting (serial No. 20) of Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMA) War Establishments Committee is promulgated w.e.f. 18 May 45.

ASD/949.4 dated 5 Aug 45 refers.

File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes

TR.NSPORT PL.TOON FOR .N IT.LI.N COMBAT GROUP (CM/533/1) (XII/468/1)

HE.DQU.RTERS TR.NSPORT .ND SUPPLY COMP.NY FOR .N IT.LI.N COMB.T GROUP (CM/531/1) (XII/467/1)

MECH.NIC.L ENGINEERS PL.TOON FOR .N IT.LI.N COMB.T GROUP (CM/539/1) (XII/611V/1)

Amendments passed at the 9th meeting (Serials 42, 43, 44) of Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMA) War Establishments Committee are promulgated w.e.f. 28 Jun 45.

.SD/949.4 dated 5 .ug 45 refers.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/3) (XII/38/3)

G.H.Q. India have approved the addition of deputy assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general - 1 w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.

Authority : G.H.Q. India cable 52312 SD6 dated 4 Aug 45.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 602/Org-3

M I N U T E S

2493 INDIAN ARMY LIAISON MISSION (CM/517/1) (XII/527/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

delete	Staff officer 2nd grade	1
	Aide-de-camp (subaltern)	1
add	General staff officer 3rd grade	1

Under Indian personnel

delete	Batman	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 655/Org-3

2494 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4) (XII/30/4)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

add	General staff officer 2nd grade (liaison)	1
	Batman-driver	1

Under Transport

add	Car 4 x 2 light utility	1

This appointment is to provide liaison with the Headquarters of General DOYEN. The necessary

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Secretary : G.H.Q. India Cable 32312 dated 4 Aug 45.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 602/Org-3

M I N U T E S

2493 MEDLN ARMY LIAISON MISSION (CM/517/1) (XII/527/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

delete	Staff officer 2nd grade	1
	Aide-de-camp (subaltern)	1
add	General staff officer 3rd grade	1

Under Indian personnel

delete	Batman	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 655/Org-3

2494 HEADQUARTERS 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/4) (XII/30/4)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

add	General staff officer 2nd grade (liaison)	1
	Batman-driver	1

Under Transport

add	Car 4 x 2 light utility	1

This appointment is to provide liaison with the Headquarters of General DOYEN. The necessary wireless detachment and operators will be provided by 2 District Signals.

It was decided that a car for local journeys only should be provided and that travel between HQ 2 District and General DOYEN'S HQ would have to be performed by air, or other means, owing to the distance.

This amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 492/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2495	ROYAL SIGNALS REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT AND SCHOOL OF SIGNALS	(CM/286/1) (XII/1145/1)

The Driver-Operators Training Section on the above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with Serial 2338 of 208th Meeting held 28 May 45.

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45 and will be reviewed on 15 Oct 45.

Under Driver-operators training section

delete	existing detail	
substitute	Lieutenants	3
	Serjeants	5
	Lance-serjeant	1
	Corporals	3
	Lance-corporals	5
	Signalmen	8
	Total	25

Under Transport

add Lorry 3 ton 4 x 2 G.S. 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 10.

File : 666/Org-3

2496	ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) POOL OF INTERPRETERS	(XVI/a101/2)

The following amendment was recommended to the War Office

Under German section
Russian section
French section

delete	Other ranks (any arm) (c)
substitute	Staff-serjeants (any arm) (c)
delete	footnote (d) and detail.
substitute	footnote (d) "May include 10 liaison officers (linguists) (majors, captains or subalterns), and 45 other ranks (staff-serjeants 4, serjeants 9, corporals 16, lance-corporals 16)".

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6 Aug 45 and will be reviewed on 15 Dec 45.

Under Driver-operators training section

delete	existing detail	
substitute	Lieutenants	3
	Serjeants	5
	Lance-serjeant	1
	Corporals	3
	Lance-corporals	5
	Signalmen	8
	Total	25

Under Transport

add Lorry 3 ton 4 x 2 G.S. 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 10.

File : 666/Org-3

2496 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) POOL OF INTERPRETERS (MVI/8101/2)

The following amendment was recommended to the War Office

Under German section
Russian section
French section

delete	Other ranks (any arm) (c)
substitute	Staff-serjeants (any arm) (c)
delete	footnote (d) and detail.
substitute	footnote (d) "May include 10 liaison officers (linguists) (majors, captains or subalterns), and 45 other ranks (staff-serjeants 4, serjeants 9, corporals 16, lance-corporals 16)".
add	NOTE - "Warrant officers will retain war substantive rank on posting to this pool".

War Office cable 60376 C.3 dated 17 Jul 45 refers.

File : 597/Org-3

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Special Number | War Establishment

2497 CIVIL CENSORSHIP GROUP HEADQUARTERS (AUSTRAL) (CM/791/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

Under Headquarters

add	Duty N.C.O. (corporal)	1
	Civilians -	
	General dutymen	10
	Cooks	2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 778/Org-3

2498 CIVIL CENSORSHIP GROUP FIELD STATION (CM/790/1) (XII/820/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

Under Headquarters

add	Duty N.C.O. (corporal)	1
	Civilians -	
	General dutymen	8
	Cooks	3

Under Transport

delete	Cars 4 x 2 light utility	2
add	Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 G.S.	2

The above amendment is NOT time-barred in respect of transport.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 778/Org-3

2499 NURSING OFFICERS TRANSIT HOSTEL CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/939/1)

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The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

delete	Nursing officer-in-charge (sister)	1
	General dutymen (any arm) (includes 1 lance-corporal)	3
	Cook, N.C.O. (private)	1
add	Nursing officer-in-charge (senior	

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	General dutymen	10
	Cooks	2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 778/Org-3

2498 CIVIL CENSORSHIP GROUP FIELD STATION (CW/790/1) (XII/820/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

Under Headquarters

add	Duty N.C.O. (corporal)	1
	Civilians -	
	General dutymen	8
	Cooks	3

Under Transport

delete	Cars 4 x 2 light utility	2
add	Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 4 G.S.	2

The above amendment is NOT time-barred in respect of transport.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 778/Org-3

2499 NURSING OFFICERS TRANSIT HOSTEL CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CW/939/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

delete	Nursing officer-in-charge (sister)	1
	General dutymen (any arm) (includes 1 lance-corporal)	3
	Cook, A.C.C. (private)	1
add	Nursing officer-in-charge (senior sister)	1
	Nursing member V.A.D. (for clerical duties)	1
	General dutymen (includes 1 corporal)	4
	Cooks A.C.C. (privates)	2

Under Civilians

add	Males(b)	2
	Female	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 433/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 185022

Serial Number

War Establishment

2500 TRUCK MAINTENANCE UNIT A.C. (CM/1073/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 1 Aug 45.

Strength : Officers 6
Other ranks 51

This unit is intended to train the maintenance organisation of the transport companies now being taken over by the Allied Commission Italy, and will be cancelled on 1 Oct 45.

File : 668/Org-3

2501 SHIPS STAFF (CM/186/1) (XII/778/1)

The proposed amendment to the above war establishment was withdrawn at the request of the sponsor.

File : 539/Org-3

2502(A) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/3) (XII/88/3)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

add	Majors R.A.S.C. (petroleum engineers)	2
	Major R.A.S.C. (petroleum chemist)	1
	Chemical laboratory assistants -	
	Serjeant	1
	Corporal	1
	Driver-mechanic (driver class)	1
	Drivers I.C. for duty as -	
	Batman-drivers	3

Under Transport

add	Cars 4 x 2 light utility	3
	Lorry 3 ton 6 x 4 petrol laboratory	1

This establishment provides a pool of technical experts and is necessitated by the disbandment of HQ. C.R.A.S.C., 11, 12 and 14 Petroleum Installations.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 602/Org-3

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This unit is [illegible] organisation of the transport companies now being taken over by the Allied Commission Italy, and will be cancelled on 1 Oct 45.

File : 668/Org-3

2501 SHIPS STAFF (CH/186/1) (XII/778/1)

The proposed amendment to the above war establishment was withdrawn at the request of the sponsor.

File : 539/Org-3

2502(A) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CH/605/3) (XII/88/3)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

add	Majors R...S.C. (petroleum engineers)	2
	Major R...S.C. (petroleum chemist)	1
	Chemical laboratory assistants -	
	Sergeant	1
	Corporal	1
	Driver-mechanic (driver class)	1
	Drivers I.C. for duty as -	
	Batman-drivers	3

Under Transport

add	Cars 4 x 2 light utility	3
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This establishment provides a pool of technical experts and is necessitated by the disbandment of HQ. C.R...S.C., 11, 12 and 14 Petroleum Installations.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 602/Org-3

2502(B) HEADQUARTERS 3 DISTRICT (CH/264/3)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

Under Supplies and transport

delete	Major R...S.C. (petroleum engineer)	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 625/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2503 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/3) (XII/88/3)

The proposed staff grading of fire officers (subaltern) was deferred to 10 Aug 45.

File : 602/Org-3

2504 PHYSICAL TRAINING AND SPORTS CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1027/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

for	Commander (major)	
substitute	Commander and chief instructor (major)	
delete	Clerk (corporal)	1
add	Regimental quartermaster-serjeant	1
	Clerks, general duties -	
	Serjeant	1
	Lance-corporal	1
	Postal dutyman (lance-corporal)	1
	General dutymen (privates)	2
	Civilians -	
	General dutymen	19
	General dutywomen	9
	Driver I.C.	1

Proposed addition to transport, owing to distance between the School and Stadium, was NOT granted, and Q (Maint) agreed to investigate provision from Area resources.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 516/Org-3

2505 CENSORSHIP CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/60/2) (XII/800/3)

The proposed amendment to the above war establishment was deferred to 10 Aug 45, pending further inquiries.

File : 324/Org-3

2505(A) 33 MILITARY MISSION (CM/241/3) (VIII/607/3)

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War

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2504 PHYSICAL TRAINING AND SPORTS CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1027/1)

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File : 324/Org-3

2505(A) 33 MILITARY MISSION (CM/241/3) (VIII/607/3)

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the restoration of General staff officer, 1st grade (training) to the above war establishment w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

File : 544/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2505(B) BRITISH CONTROL OF POLISH REPATRIATION CAMP (CM/1071/2)

The above new war establishment, intended to supersede "British Cadre to British Controlled Polish Repatriation Camp" (CM/1071/1, was approved w.e.f. 6 Aug 45.

The appointment of Commandant (colonel) being recommended to the War Office.

		HQ	Each wing (7)
Strength :	Officers	4	3
	Other ranks	39	19
	Civilians	3	2
	Vehicles	7	3

File : 623/Org-3

2505(C) BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GREEK NATIONAL GUARD BASE AND L OF C) (CM/778/2)

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office w.e.f. 6 Aug 45 the addition of an Ordnance officer (lieutenant-colonel) to Part "X" Attached to Greek Base Ordnance and Ammunition Depot, conditional on the non-implementation of HQ III Corps Ordnance. This officer is required to train the Greek personnel and to control the Depot until they are trained; his presence was stated to have been found essential if the Greek Army is to be expeditiously equipped and grave waste of valuable stores avoided in the process. A lieutenant-colonel has in fact been on loan to the Base Ordnance Depot from III Corps.

File : 763/Org-3

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Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.

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The appointment of Commandant (Colonel) being recommended to the War Office.

		HQ	Each wing (7)
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

223rd Meeting, held on Friday, 3rd August 1945

Present :	Brigadier	J.D'A. ANDERSON	Chairman
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	Lieut-Col	W.B. WEBBER	Q (AE)
	Captain	M.E. HODGSON	G-3 (Org)

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 161 and 195.	
195/2172	HEADQUARTERS ASSEMBLY AND DISPERSAL CENTRE	(C1/652/2) (XII/1201/1)
195/2173	ASSEMBLY WING TYPE "A"	(C1/653/2) (XII/1195/1)
161/1745	ASSEMBLY WING TYPE "B"	(C1/654/1) (XII/1196/1)

The above War Establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 1 Aug 45.

War Office cable 09247 SD 3(D) dated 30 Jul 45 refers.

File : 764/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 138.

REMOUNT PURCHASING COMMISSION (C1/498/1) (XII/1105/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 10 Aug 45.

WSD/131 dated 30 Jul 45 refers.

File : 615/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 164.

1771 PHOTOGRAPHIC RECONNAISSANCE UNIT (C1/664/1) (XII/1197/1)

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Lieut-Col	R.H. BURNETT	Financial Adviser
Lieut-Col	W.B. WEBBER	Q (AE)
Captain	M.E. HODGSON	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 161 and 195.	
195/2174	HEADQUARTERS ASSEMBLY AND DISPERSAL CENTRE	(CL/652/2) (XII/1201/1)
195/2175	ASSEMBLY WING TYPE "A"	(CL/653/2) (XII/1195/1)
161/1745	ASSEMBLY WING TYPE "B"	(CL/654/1) (XII/1196/1)

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WSD/131 dated 30 Jul 45 refers.

File : 615/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 164.

1771	PHOTOGRAPHIC RECONNAISSANCE UNIT AIR LIAISON SECTION	(CL/661/1) (XII/417/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 31 Jul 45.

WSD/101 dated 2 Aug 45 refers.

File : 396/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 84.

1922 AFRICAN EDUCATIONAL POOL CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/361/1) (XII/726/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

WSD/131 dated 2 Aug 45 refers.

File : 704/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following War Establishments are cancelled w.e.f. dates as shown :-

39/420 G.S. DISTRIBUTION CENTRE (MAIN) R.A.O.C. (CE/873/1)

W.e.f. 31 Jul 45. WSD/120 dated 27 Jul 45 refers.

File : 683/Org-3

191/2095 INCREMENT TO BOLOGNA CITY COMMAND (CE/951/1) (XII/1H/1)

W.e.f. 15 Aug 45. WSD/101 dated 24 Jul 45 refers.

File : 323/9/Org-3

171/1859 TRAINING UNIT TO ITALIAN ARMY CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/700/1) (XII/1162/1)

W.e.f. 23 Jul 45. WSD/134 dated 25 Jul 45 refers.

File : 758/Org-3

139/1511 SPECIAL BOAT SERVICE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/573/1) (XII/640/1)

145/1583 SIGNAL TROOP (SPECIAL BOAT SERVICE) (CE/608/1) (XII/313/1)

129/1390 LIGHT REPAIR SQUADRON (S.B.S.) R.E.M.E. (CE/545/1) (XII/611T/1)

W.e.f. 15 Aug 45. WSD/113 dated 27 Jul 45 refers.

File : 474/Org-3

CAMOUFLAGE SECTION CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/4/1) (XII/200/1)

W.e.f. 8 Aug 45. WSD/106 dated 28 Jul 45 refers.

File : 501/Org-3

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WSD/131 dated 2 Aug 45 refers.

File : 704/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following War Establishments are cancelled w.e.f. dates as shown :-

39/420 G.S DISTRIBUTION CENTRE (M.I.N) R.A.O.C. (CM/873/1)

W.e.f. 31 Jul 45. WSD/120 dated 27 Jul 45 refers.

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W.e.f. 8 Aug 45. WSD/106 dated 28 Jul 45 refers.

File : 501/Org-3

Addition to minutes

The following new Italian War Establishment is approved w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

74 ITALIAN "X" REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE (CM/1524/1)

Minutes of 10th meeting of Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMA) War Establishments Committee refer.

File : 303/2/Org-3

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Special Number | War Establishment

Addition to minutes

The following new Italian War Establishments are approved w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

Minutes of 10th meeting of Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MTL.) War Establishments Committee refer.

51 AN ITALIAN VEHICLE TRANSIT PARK (MAIN) ✓ (CL/1505/1)

Strength : Officers 4
Other ranks 379

52 AN ITALIAN VEHICLE PARK ('B' VEHICLES) ✓ (CL/1506/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 130

55 AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT ✓ (CL/1509/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 67

56 AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A BASE HOSPITAL LAUNDRY (CL/1510/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 212

58 AN ITALIAN SPECIAL V.P. POLICE COMPANY ✓ (CL/1512/1)

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 114

62 AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A VEHICLE DISPOSAL UNIT ✓ (CL/1514/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 210

65 AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A RECEPTION STATION TYPE 'A' ✓ (CL/1517/1)

Strength : Other ranks 10

66 AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A RECEPTION STATION TYPE 'B' ✓ (CL/1518/1)

Strength : Other ranks 14

71 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A.C.C. TRAINING CENTRE ✓ (CL/1501/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 44

[illegible] CO. MOTOR ROCKET TRAINING CENTRE ✓ (CL/1522/1)

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Strength : Officers 4
Other ranks 379

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66 AN ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A RECEPTION STATION TYPE 'B' (CM/1518/1)

Strength : Other ranks 14

71 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO A.C.C. TRAINING CENTRE (CM/1501/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 44

72 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO FIELD BAKERY TRAINING CENTRE (CM/1522/1)

Strength : Other ranks 14

73 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING (CM/1523/1)

Strength : Officers 2
Other ranks 210

75 ITALIAN INCREMENT TO 'X' SPECIAL RECEPTION CAMP (CM/1525/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 92

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Serial number		War Establishment
77	IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO .. FIELD SURVEY DEPOT R.E.	(CH/1527/1)
	Strength : Other ranks 17	
	Minutes of 11th meeting of Land Forces Sub-Commission .C (MIL.) War Establishments Committee refer, w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.	
85	IT.LI.N SERVICE .ND M.T. COMPANY, A.C.	(CH/882/1)
	Strength : Officers 18 Other ranks 509	
86	IT.LI.N INCREMENT TO .. HORSE TRANSPORT COMPANY, R...S.C.	(CH/883/1)
	Strength : Officers 8 Other ranks 322	

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83	INCREMENT TO FORESTRY GROUP HEADQUARTERS	(CH/825/1) (XII/249/1)

The following amendment is approved w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.

Under (i) Personnel

.dd Drivers, T.C. (privates) - 11

Under (ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties

.dd Motor-cyclists - 3
Drivers of vehicles - 8

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 303/2/Org-3

.ddition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2158	ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTRUCTIONAL POOL FOR THE POLISH FORCES	(CH/968/1) (XII/729/1)

War Office have promulgated the above War Establishment as Vol. XII/729/1 w.e.f. 9 .pr 45.

.uthority : War Office cable 63297 SD 3 dated 28 Jul 45.

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Strength : Officers 18
Other ranks 509

86 TT.LI.N INCREMENT TO A. HORSE TR.NSPORT COMP.NY, R....S.C. (CE/885/1)

Strength : Officers 8
Other ranks 322

Addition to minutes

83 INCREMENT TO FORESTRY GROUP HEADQU.RTERS (CE/825/1) (XII/240/1)

The following amendment is approved w.e.f. 20 Jul 45.

Under (i) Personnel

Add Drivers, I.C. (privates) - 11

Under (ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties

Add Motor-cyclists - 3
Drivers of vehicles - 8

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2158 ENGLISH L.NGU.GE INSTRUCTIONAL POOL FOR THE POLISH FORCES (CE/968/1) (XII/729/1)

War Office have promulgated the above War Establishment as Vol. XII/729/1 w.e.f. 9 Apr 45.

Authority : War Office cable 63297 SD 3 dated 28 Jul 45.

File : 623/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2423 HEADQUARTERS CRETE (CM/760/1) (XII/16/1)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointment of Commander (colonel) until 1 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 64028 SD 3(c) dated 31 Jul 45.

File : 714/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2426 SPECIAL LIAISON SECTION (CIVIL) BRITISH EMBASSY GREECE (CL/985/1) (XII/881F/1)

War Office have approved the postponement of the review of the above War Establishment until 31 Oct 45.

Authority : War Office cable 64030 SD (C) dated 31 Jul 45.

File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) DISPLACED PERSONS AND PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION (XVI/9000/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 26 Jun 45 :-

Delete Note 1 all reference

Substitute Note

Any of the appointments on the war establishment shown as military or military "may be civilians" may be filled by civilians of suitable grade or by Royal Navy or Royal Air Force personnel at the discretion of the Admiralty or the Air Ministry respectively.

Authority : War Office cable 09183 SD 3(A) dated 28 Jul 45. 2210

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File : 714/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 218.

2126 SPECIAL LIAISON SECTION (CIVIL) (CM/985/1)
BRITISH EMBASSY GREECE (XII/881F/1)

War Office have approved the postponement of the review of the above War Establishment until 31 Oct 45.

Authority : War Office cable 64030 SD (C) dated 31 Jul 45.

File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes

ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/9000/1)
DISPLACED PERSONS AND PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 26 Jun 45 :-

Delete Note 1 all reference

Substitute Note

Any of the appointments on the war establishment shown as military or military "may be civilians" may be filled by civilians of suitable grade or by Royal Navy or Royal Air Force personnel at the discretion of the Admiralty or the Air Ministry respectively.

Authority : War Office cable 09183 SD 3(A) dated 27 Jul 45.

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War Establishment

2485 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI) (CM/508/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 3 Aug 45.

Under Staff and Attached to General Staff

Add	General staff officer, 2nd grade (training)	1
	Major (instructor)	1
	Serjeants (interpreters)	2
	Telephone orderlies (any arm) (privates)	2

Under Administrative Staff

Add	Ration N.C.O. (corporal)	1

Under Attached

Add	R.Signals - Serjeant	1

Under Transport

Add	Car, 4 x 2, light utility	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 758/Org-3

2486(A) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (C./30/4) (XII/1/4)

Supreme Allied Commander's Secretariat -

Historical Section -

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office that the appointment of Colonel, G.S. be continued subject to review 1 Nov 45.

2486(B) BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/999/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 3 Aug 45.

Under General Staff Section

Delete	General staff officer, 2nd grade (artillery)	1
Add	General staff officer, 3rd grade	1
Delete	Photographer, cartographic, R.E. or R.A.S.C. (corporal)	1
Add	Photographer, cartographic, R.E. or R.A.S.C.	1

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Major (Instructor) 1
Serjeants (interpreters) 2
Telephone orderlies (any arm) (privates) 2

Under Administrative Staff

Add Ration N.C.O. (corporal) 1

Under Attached

Add R.Signals - Serjeant 1

Under Transport

Add Car, 4 x 2, light utility 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 758/Org-3

2486(A) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (C./30/4) (XII/1/4)

Supreme Allied Commander's Secretariat -

Historical Section -

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office that the appointment of Colonel, G.S. be continued subject to review 1 Nov 45.

2486(B) BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CI/999/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 3 Aug 45.

Under General Staff Section

Delete General staff officer, 2nd grade (artillery) 1
Add General staff officer, 3rd grade 1

Delete Photographer, cartographic, R.E. or R.A.S.C. (corporal) 1

Add Photographer, cartographic, R.E. or R.A.S.C. (serjeant) 1
Developer, photogrphic, R.E. or R.A.S.C.) (corporal) 1

After Co-ordinating section

Add Records section -
General staff officer, 2nd grade 1
Clerks, general duties (any arm) -
Corporal 1
Privates 2

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2486(B)	BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION, C.M. - continued	(CM/999/1)

Under Adjutant and quartermaster-general's section

Delete	Staff officer, R.E., 2nd grade	1
	Staff captain 'Q'	1
Add	Deputy assistant adjutant-general	1
	Deputy assistant quartermaster-general	1

Under Administrative section

Delete	Driver-mechanic (lance-corporal)	1
Add	Vehicle-mechanic (corporal)	1
	Telephonists (privates)	3
	General dutymen (includes 1 serjeant)	3

For Italian Administrative Staff
Substitute Civilian Administrative Staff

Add	Drivers, I.C.	2
	Developer, photographic	1
Delete	Telephonists	3

Under Transport

		Staff	Administrative
Delete	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.		1
	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water		1
Add	Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	1	1
	Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1	

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 250/Org-3

2487 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.F., CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/164/3)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 3 Aug 45.

Under Headquarters

Delete	Quartermaster	1
	Unit education instructors (serjeants)	2
	Clerk (lance-corporal)	1
	Clerk (for pay duties) (corporal)	1
	Despatch rider (lance-corporal)	1
	[illegible] (corporals)	1

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Under Administrative section

Delete	Driver-mechanic (lance-corporal)	1
Add	Vehicle-mechanic (corporal)	1
	Telephonists (privates)	3
	General dutymen (includes 1 serjeant)	3

For Italian Administrative Staff

Substitute Civilian Administrative Staff

Add	Drivers, I.C.	2
	Developer, photographic	1
Delete	Telephonists	3

Under Transport

		Staff	Administrative
Delete	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.		1
	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water		1
Add	Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	1	1
	Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1	

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 250/Org-3

2487 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P., CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CX/164/3)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 3 Aug 45.

Under Headquarters

Delete	Quartermaster	1
	Unit education instructors (serjeants)	2
	Clerk (lance-corporal)	1
	Clerk (for pay duties) (corporal)	1
	Despatch rider (lance-corporal)	1
	Postal orderly (any arm) (private)	1
	Ration N.C.O. (corporal)	1
	Attached -	
	A.E.C. - Instructor (warrant officer, class I)	1
	Sanitary dutymen (any arm)	2
Add	Officers' mess steward (any arm) (serjeant)	1
	Serjeants' mess caterer (any arm) (serjeant)	1
	Sanitary dutyman (any arm) (lance-corporal)	1

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2487	DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P., CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN - continued	(C./164/5)
	Under Police wing	
	Delete Instructors -	
	Captains	2
	Company sergeant major	1
	Sergeants	4
	Corporals	5
	Clerk (lance-corporal)	1
	Attached -	
	A.C.C. - Cooks (privates)	4
	UNDER INSTRUCTION	
	For Other ranks 400	
	Substitute Other ranks 275	
	Under Polish wing	
	Delete Instructors (sergeants)	2
	Under Austrian wing	
	Delete Heading and all detail	
	Under R.E. wing	
	Delete Instructors -	
	Deputy assistant provost marshal	1
	Sergeants	2
	Corporals	2
	Attached -	
	Delete A.E.T.C. - Instructor	1
	Under W.T. wing	
	Delete Heading and all detail	
	Under Dominion wing	
	Delete Heading and all detail	
	Under Reinforcement company	
	Delete Instructor (sergeant)	1
	Under Italians - Headquarters	
	Add Butcher	1
	Sanitary dutyman	1
	Under UNDER INSTRUCTION	
	Delete "and Austrians"	

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Attached -

A.C.C. - Cooks (privates) 4

UNDER INSTRUCTION

For Other ranks 400
Substitute Other ranks 275

Under Polish wing

Delete Instructors (serjeants) 2

Under Austrian wing

Delete Heading and all detail

Under R.P. wing

Delete Instructors -
Deputy assistant provost marshal 1
Serjeants 2
Corporals 2

Attached -

Delete A.D.T.C. - Instructor 1

Under N.Z. wing

Delete Heading and all detail

Under Dominion wing

Delete Heading and all detail

Under Reinforcement company

Delete Instructor (serjeant) 1

Under Italians - Headquarters

Add Butcher 1
Sanitary dutyman 1

Under UNDER INSTRUCTION

Delete "and Austrians"

The Committee directed that enquiry should be made by G-3 (Org) and D.M.T. into the high scale of instructional transport.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2488 STAFF INCREMENT TO 1 CORPS HEADQUARTERS (GL/947/2)

The above new war establishment, intended to supersede W.E. GL/947/1, was approved w.e.f. 3 Aug 45.

Strength : Officers 11
Other ranks 14

It was agreed to recommend to the War Office the following appointments :-

Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general
Assistant director of medical services
Assistant director of army veterinary and remount services
Deputy director of technical services
Assistant director of technical services

File : 775/Org-3

2489 HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH ARMY (G/223/1) (XII/46/2)

The proposal to upgrade the appointment of warrant officer, class II, A.C.C. to warrant officer, class I, A.C.C. was NOT approved; it was stated by the Catering Adviser, A.F.H.Q. that his duties had not increased.

File : 500/Org-3

2490 HEADQUARTERS 218 (SPECIAL) AREA (GL/1072/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 5 Aug 45 and the following first grade appointments were recommended to the War Office :-

Commander (brigadier) 1

Operations and staff duties

General staff officer, 1st grade 1

Branch of the adjutant and quartermaster-general

Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general 1

Supplies and transport

Assistant director of supplies and transport 1

Medical

Assistant director of medical services 1

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following appointments :-

Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general
Assistant director of medical services
Assistant director of army veterinary and remount services
Deputy director of technical services
Assistant director of technical services

File : 775/Org-3

2489 HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH ARMY (G./223/1) (XII/46/2)

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File : 500/Org-3

2490 HEADQUARTERS 218 (SPECIAL) AREA (G./1072/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 3 Aug 45 and the following first grade appointments were recommended to the War Office :-

Commander (brigadier)	1
Operations and staff duties	
General staff officer, 1st grade	1
Branch of the adjutant and quartermaster-general	
Assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general	1
Supplies and transport	
Assistant director of supplies and transport	1
Medical	
Assistant director of medical services	1
Ordnance	
Assistant director of ordnance services	1
Electrical and mechanical engineers	
Assistant director of mechanical engineering	1

Strength	: Officers	39
	Other ranks	84
	Civilians	31
	Vehicles	15

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2490	HEADQUARTERS 218 (SECTOR) AREA - continued	(CM/1072/1)

The above war establishment will combine the duties and commitments of 214 Sub Area on (CM/118/3) and the P.W. Increment No. 1 District (CM/1012/2), both of these establishments will be disbanded on the implementation of this war establishment.

File : 323/Org-3

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New war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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E. A. C. Williams,
Lieutenant-colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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10 Aug 45

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E. H. Q. Williams.

Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.,
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

222nd Meeting, held on Friday, 27th July 1945

Present : Brigadier J.D'A. ANDERSON — Chairman
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Major R.B. D'EATH — Q (A.E.)
Major H.J.K. JACQUES — G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 72.	
826	BRITISH CADRE R.A.S.C. FOR AN ITALIAN ARMY GENERAL TRANSPORT COMPANY	(CM/317/1) (XII/456/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 5 Aug 45.

WSD/131 dated 25 Jul 45 refers.

File : 567/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 170.

1846	G.H.Q. LIAISON REGIMENT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/696/1) (XII/881D/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 1 Sep 45.

WSD/102 dated 26 Jul 45 refers.

File : 307/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

2421	HEADQUARTERS 3 DISTRICT	(CM/264/3)

The following will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

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Lieut-Col	R.A.W. WILLIAMS	Deputy Financial Advisor
Lieut-Col	R.H. BURNETT	Financial Advisor
Major	R.B. D'EATH	Q (A.E.)
Major	H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

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WSD/102 dated 26 Jul 45 refers.

File : 307/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 217.

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2421	HEADQUARTERS 3 DISTRICT	(CM/264/3)

The following will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

(iii) Increment (for welfare Italian co-operators)

Delete all reference.

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Addition to minutes.

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. dates as shown.

W.E.C. Meeting	W.E.C. Minute	C.M. Number	Vol. XII Number	Cancelled w.e.f.	Title
202	484	CM/183/1	XII/609/1	29 Apr 45	Italian Port Workshop, REME, CM
202	485	CM/184/1	XII/610/1	29 Apr 45	Italian Services Station, REME, CM
210	1657B	CM/621/1	XII/1158/1	7 Jun 45	'X' Officers' Training Unit, CM
210	1913	CM/757/1	XII/1164/1	10 Jun 45	280 Italian Driving and Maintenance School
210	2051A	CM/933/1	XII/488/1	12 May 45	Increment to Headquarters CMASC Army Transport Column, CM
210	2051B	CM/934/1	XII/487/1	12 May 45	Increment to General Transport Company, RASC, Type 'A', CM
210	2051C	CM/935/1	XII/489/1	12 May 45	Increment to General Transport Company, RASC, Type 'B', CM
211	1718	CM/643/1	XII/816/1	1 Jun 45	Intelligence Pool (Austria)
211	1914	CM/758/1	XII/1170/1	10 Jun 45	British Cadre for Italian Driving and Maintenance School, CM
211	2243	CM/446/1	XII/75/3	8 Jun 45	Headquarters Land Forces Adriatic

A.C.I. 810 of 45 refers.

M I N U T E S

Serial Number		War Establishment
2477A	PRISONER OF WAR ACCOUNTS OFFICE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/1068/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 4
Civilians 12

File : 452/Org-3

2477B GERMAN INCREMENT TO PRISONER OF WAR ACCOUNTS OFFICE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1069/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

Strength : German other ranks 12

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210	1913	CM/757/1	XII/1164/1	10 Jun 45	280 Italian Driving and Maintenance School
210	2051A	CM/933/1	XII/488/1	12 May 45	Increment to Headquarters CMASC Army Transport Column, CM
210	2051B	CM/934/1	XII/487/1	12 May 45	Increment to General Transport Company, RASC, Type 'A', CM
210	20510	CM/935/1	XII/489/1	12 May 45	Increment to General Transport Company, RASC, Type 'B', CM
211	1718	CM/643/1	XII/816/1	1 Jun 45	Intelligence Pool (Austria)
211	1914	CM/758/1	XII/1170/1	10 Jun 45	British Cadre for Italian Driving and Maintenance School, CM
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A.C.I. 810 of 45 refers.

M I N U T E S

Serial Number		War Establishment
2477A	PRISONER OF WAR ACCOUNTS OFFICE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/1068/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 4
Civilians 12

File : 452/Org-3

2477B GERMAN INCREMENT TO PRISONER OF WAR ACCOUNTS OFFICE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1069/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

Strength : German other ranks 12

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2478A HEADQUARTERS 86 (ARMY) AREA (CM/277/2) (XII/39/2)

The addition of an administrative staff, for use in place of the Italian administrative increment, and comprising 33 civilian personnel was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 323/Org-3

2478B ITALIAN ADMINISTRATIVE INCREMENT, HEADQUARTERS 86 (ARMY) AREA (CM/618/1) (XII/90/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

File : 323/Org-3

2479A CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER (CHIEF LINES OFFICER) MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCE (CM/45/2) (XII/290/1)

The above establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 54232 SD3C dated 22 Jun 45, and the following deletions were approved w.e.f. 4 Aug 45.

Staff officer	R.Signals	Major	1
Staff officer	R.Signals	Captain	1
Clerks	R.Signals	Corporal	1
		Signalmen	2
Draughtsman		Signalman	1
Drivers, I.C.			2
Orderly, any arm			1
Car, 2-seater, 4 x 2			1
Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2			1

The Committee agreed to recommend continuation of this establishment subject to review on 1 Oct 45 or on the appointment of Air S.O. in C. being held by a lower rank than Air Vice Marshal.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 7.

File : 380/Org-3

2479B CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER, AIR FORMATION SIGNALS, NORTH AFRICAN TACTICAL AIR FORCE (CM/46/1) (XII/280/1)

It was agreed that the above war establishment be cancelled w.e.f. 5 Jul 45.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 18522

2478B ITALIAN ADMINISTRATIVE INCREMENT. HEADQUARTERS 86 (ARMY) AREA (CM/618/1) (XII/90/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

File : 323/Org-3

2479A CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER (CHIEF LINES OFFICER) MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCE (CM/45/2) (XII/290/1)

The above establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 54232 SD3C dated 22 Jun 45, and the following deletions were approved w.e.f. 4 Aug 45.

Staff officer	R.Signals	Major	1
Staff officer	R.Signals	Captain	1
Clerks	R.Signals	Corporal	1
		Signalmen	2
Draughtsman		Signalman	1
Drivers, I.C.			2
Orderly, any arm			1
Car, 2-seater, 4 x 2			1
Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2			1

The Committee agreed to recommend continuation of this establishment subject to review on 1 Oct 45 or on the appointment of Air S.O. in C. being held by a lower rank than Air Vice Marshal.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 7.

File : 380/Org-3

2479B CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER, AIR FORMATION SIGNALS, NORTH AFRICAN TACTICAL AIR FORCE (CM/46/1) (XII/280/1)

It was agreed that the above war establishment be cancelled w.e.f. 5 Jul 45.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2479C	CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER, AIR FORMATION SIGNALS, NORTH WEST AFRICAN COASTAL AIR FORCE	(CM/47/1) (XII/282/1)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 54232 dated 22 Jun 45 and continuation recommended.

File : 380/Org-3

2480	2 CLAIMS COMMISSION	(CM/124/2) (XII/44/2)
	2 HIRINGS DIRECTORATE	(CM/125/2) (XII/45/2)

The above war establishments were reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 89340 SD3 dated 28 Apr 45. The Committee agreed that the retention of these establishments is necessary providing that their commitment remains unchanged.

It was decided that enquiry be made with regard to any change of policy over the handling of claims in Italy, and that meanwhile the establishments should continue as at present organised.

File : 483/Org-3

2481	POOL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. (GREECE)	(CM/1005/3)

The above establishment was reviewed for employment during August, in accordance with A.F.H.Q. minute 216/2410 dated 29 June 45. The Committee agreed to the deletion, w.e.f. 1 Aug 45, of eleven officers (including Staff officer, 1st grade, veterinary - 1) and nine other ranks, and at the same time agreed to recommend the reduced establishment to the War Office in accordance with their signal 59951 SD3(C) dated 14 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

This establishment is subject to monthly A.F.H.Q. review.

File : 590/Org-3

2482	STAFF INCREMENT TO A CORPS HEADQUARTERS	(CM/947/1)

The review of the above establishment was deferred.

File : 775/Org-3

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(XII/44/2)

2 HIRINGS DIRECTORATE (CM/125/2)
(XII/45/2)

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

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File : 590/Org-3

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The review of the above establishment was deferred.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2483 STAFF INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS XIII CORPS (CM/1070/1)

The above war establishment was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45, subject to review on 1 Nov 45.

Strength :	Officers	27
	Other ranks	98
	Vehicles	14

The following first grade appointments were recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 27 Jul 45.

General staff officer, 1st grade (SD)	1
Assistant adjutant-general	1
Staff officer, R.E. (lieutenant-colonel)	1
Assistant director of supplies and transport	1
Assistant director of medical services (Lt-Col)	1
Assistant director of veterinary and remount services	1
Assistant director of labour	1

A number of appointments authorised on the new establishment are subject to the non-implementation of appointments on the war establishment for a Corps headquarters.

Public Relations and Welfare representation was not included since personnel are available from pools within the theatre. It was agreed that Welfare should investigate a suitable scale for employment with XIII Corps.

File : 745/Org-3

2484 BRITISH CADRE TO POLISH REPATRIATION CAMP (CM/1071/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 27 Jul 45, the appointment of commandant (lieutenant-colonel) being recommended to the War Office.

File : 323/9/Org-3

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General staff officer, 1st grade (SD)	1
Assistant adjutant-general	1
Staff officer, R.E. (lieutenant-colonel)	1
Assistant director of supplies and transport	1
Assistant director of medical services (Lt-Col)	1
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WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

218th Meeting, held on 13th July, 1945

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	Major	H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 31.	
295(f)	ENGINEER STAFF POOL (AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION) CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CW/110/1) (XII/209/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 11 Jul 45.

WSD/105 dated 11 Jul 45 refers.

File : 263/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 170 and 194.

1461A	WELFARE TRAINING CENTRE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CW/564/1) (XII/1160/1)

The following will be promulgated as amendment No. 4 w.e.f. 22 Mar 45 :-

Delete	Commandant (major)	1
	Adjutant (subaltern)	1
Substitute	Commandant (lieutenant-colonel)	1
	Adjutant (captain)	1

Authority : War Office cable 06357 SD3(c) dated 6 Jul 45.

File : 497/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 184.

(CW/786/1)

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File : 497/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 184.

1987 RAIDING SUPPORT REGIMENT (CM/786/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 1 Aug 45.

WSD/113 dated 17 Jul 45 refers.

File : 746/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishments

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.

2186 A.T.S. BASIC ESTABLISHMENTS (CM/497/1) (XII/632/1)

The following will be promulgated as amendment No. 6, w.e.f. 16 Apr 45 :-

Reference amendment No. 5.

Delete Driver, I.C. (may be low medical category) (may be A.T.S.) 1

Substitute new paragraph

Attached, military, any arm
Driver, I.C. 1

Authority : War Office cable 59242 SD3(c) dated 12 Jul 45.

File : 633/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2207 ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION WELFARE STAFF (CM/992/1) (XII/1007/1)

The following amendment is promulgated w.e.f. 20 Apr 45 :-

Delete	Staff lieutenant (welfare)	1
	Welfare officers (lieutenants)	6
Substitute	Welfare officers (lieutenants)	7

The above war establishment has been promulgated by War Office as Vol. XII/1007/1.

Authority : War Office cable 59949 SD3(c) dated 16 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 452/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 212.

2377 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (GL/30/4)

The above war establishment will be reviewed at the War Office on 25 Aug 45.

War Office cable 07447 SD3(c) dated 14 Jul 45

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Attached, military, any arm
Driver, I.C. 1

Authority : War Office cable 59242 SD3(c) dated 12 Jul 45.

File : 633/Org-3

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 452/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 212.

2377 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CE/30/4)

The above war establishment will be reviewed at the War Office on 25 Aug 45.

War Office cable 07447 SD3(c) dated 14 Jul 45 refers.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 214.

2389 33 MILITARY MISSION (CM/241/3) (VIII/607/3)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointment of the Commander (major-general).

Authority : War Office cable 60248 SD3 dated 29 Jun 45.

War Office have approved the continuation of the following appointments :-

Assistant adjutant-general	1
Assistant quartermaster-general	1

and the delation of the following appointments w.e.f. 4 Jul 45 :-

General staff officer, 1st grade (training)	1
Assistant director of army welfare services	1

The whole of the above establishment is subject to review on 1 Oct 45.

Authority : War Office cable 59745 SD3(c) dated 13 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 544/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 216.

2401 INDIAN WING TO AN ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION CAMP (CM/670/1)

INDEPENDENT INDIAN CAMP (CM/671/1)

G.H.Q. India have approved the following amendment :-

The effective date of the above war establishments will be ante-dated to 1 Sep 44.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

Authority : GHQ India cable 30243 SD7 dated 13 Jul 45.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes.

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The following war establishments are cancelled with effect from dates as shown :-

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the following appointments :-

Assistant adjutant-general	1
Assistant quartermaster-general	1

and the deletion of the following appointments w.e.f. 4 Jul 45 :-

General staff officer, 1st grade (training)	1
Assistant director of army welfare services	1

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File : 643/Org-3

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Addition to minutes.

The following war establishments are cancelled with effect from dates as shown :-

42/405 Battalion, The Royal Tank Regiment w.e.f. 16 Jul 45 (CM/151/1) (XII/102/1)

TSD/102 dated 15 Jul 45 refers.

File : 447/Org-3

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Serial Number			War Establishment
	The following war establishments are cancelled with effect from dates as shown :-		
132/1424	Intelligence School No. 9.	w.e.f.	(CM/551/1) (XII/810/1)
136/1471	Allied Interrogation Section (I.S.9.)	20 Jul 45	(CM/566/1) (XII/812/1)

WSD/127 dated 16 Jul 45 refers.

File 362/Org-3

157/1715 Increment to M.L. Headquarters, Albania — (CM/642/1) (XII/92/1)

w.e.f. 25 Jul 45.

WSD/136 dated 13 Jul 45 refers.

File 759/Org-3

181/1954 Headquarters, Field Radar Group, R.A. — (CM/768/1) (XII/162/1)

w.e.f. 14 Jul 45.

WSD/103 dated 12 Jul 45 refers.

File : 735/Org-3

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2425A A CIVIL POLICE INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS XIII CORPS — (CM/1046/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45, the appointments of Chief of Police (colonel), Assistant chief of police (deputy provost marshal) and Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs being recommended to the War Office.

Strength :	Officers	18
	Other ranks	24
	Civilians	9
	Vehicles	11

This establishment is designed for use in conjunction with an American element, and represents such of the British staff as can not be borne on existing local establishments. It was agreed that a reduction of civil affairs staff be made in [illegible]

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File 362/Org-3

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The integrated unit is designed for military and civil police functions in VENEZIA GIULIA.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2425B ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT AND ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION FOR ITALY (CM/266/2)

The deletion of the following officers and other ranks was approved w.e.f. the date of implementation of WE CM/1046/1, vide serial 2425A above.

Under Part II, Field Staffs.

Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs	1
Staff officers, 2nd grade, civil affairs	3
Staff officers, 3rd grade, civil affairs	11

Under Part III, Other Ranks.

Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.

Sergeant	1
Corporal	1
Lance-corporal	1
Privates	5

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 7.

File : 423/Org-3

2426 SPECIAL LIAISON SECTION (CIVIL) BRITISH EMBASSY GREECE (CM/985/1) (XII/881F/1)

The above para military establishment was reviewed in accordance with AFHQ War Establishments Committee minute 196/2200. It was agreed that reductions in staff were not practicable at present, and the Committee recommended that the establishment be continued, subject to further review after the Greek general elections. The sponsors stated that any appointments which in the mean while were found unnecessary would not be implemented.

File : 594/Org-3

2427 INCREMENT TO III CORPS (CM/555/2) (XII/82/2)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 53557 SD 30 dated 20 Jun 45.

Considerable reductions were recommended by the sponsors and the deletion of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

Officers	22
Other ranks	77
Vehicles	14

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Under Part III, Other Ranks.

Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.

Sergeant	1
Corporal	1
Lance-corporal	1
Privates	5

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 7.

File : 423/Org-3

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The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with War Office signal 53557 SD 3C dated 20 Jun 45.

Considerable reductions were recommended by the sponsors and the deletion of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

Officers	22
Other ranks	77
Vehicles	14

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The following recommendations were made :-

(a) It was agreed that the General staff officer, 1st grade, for intelligence duties be retained in view of the political situation in Greece and the Aegean.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2427 INCREMENT TO III CORPS - continued (CM/555/2) (XII/82/2)

(b) It was considered that the reorganisation of signal communications in Greece fully justified the retention of the staff officer 1st grade and the two staff officers 2nd grade R. Signals.

(c) It was agreed that the survey staff was necessary until the trigonometrical control identification in Greece be completed.

(d) The Committee considered that the work of the fine arts advisory staff was clearly a civil commitment, and it was agreed to recommend to the War Office that arrangements be made as soon as possible for this work to be transferred to the Civilian authorities.

(e) Owing to decreases which were approved in the Ordnance staff, the sponsors agreed to reorganise the ranks of the remainder of the Ordnance clerical staff.

(f) It was agreed that the retention of the Medical staff was justified by the importance of health and hygiene in Greece. The sponsors stated that the D.A.A.G. Malaria, his batman-driver and car light utility could be deleted from the establishment at the end of the malarial season.

(g) Continuation of the appointment of Assistant director of mechanical engineering was agreed subject to further review in one month, by which time it was stated that it might be possible to operate without the deputy director of mechanical engineering authorised on Headquarters III Corps. It was agreed that the Captain (wireless) should be retained in view of the need to maintain wireless installations in Greece.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 7.

File : 590/Org-3

2428 140 ORDNANCE DEPOT (CM/1047/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

Strength :	Officers	13
	Other ranks	230
	Vehicles	24

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Strength :	Officers	13
	Other ranks	230
	Vehicles	24

This unit is intended for use in place of the following units, together with a number of personnel attached from the X (iv) list.

3 Corps Troops Ordnance.
Headquarters and Stores Section, 3 Ordnance Beach Detachment.
8 Ordnance Beach Detachment.
Advanced Component, 583 Ordnance Depot.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2429 ADMINISTRATIVE TRAINING CENTRE ATHENS (New W.E.)

In view of the grave manpower situation, and of the progressive disbandment of training establishments in this theatre, it was decided that approval could not be given to a new war establishment for the above organisation. The Committee recommended that certain personnel required for this function should be found from within existing establishments.

File : 763/Org-3

2430 GREEK TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES MISSION (CM/1011/1)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with AFHQ War Establishments Committee minute 201/2272.

The sponsors stated that considerable progress had been achieved, and requested that the war establishment be continued until the end of September 1945. It was agreed to conduct a further review of the establishment on 31 Aug 45.

As a result of certain reductions which could now be made, a revised war establishment, CM/1011/2, which includes the upgrading of Lieutenant R.E. - 1 to Staff captain, was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

Strength :	Officers	8
	Other ranks	8
	Vehicles	7

The following amendment to the revised establishment was recommended w.e.f. 15 Aug 45.

Delete	Assistant Director of works	1
	Lieutenant, R.E.	1

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2431 REVISED ASSEMBLY CENTRE ORGANISATION

The following new war establishments were approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45, the appointments of Commandant (colonel) and officers (lieutenant-colonels) commanding each of 4, 5 and 6 Assembly Wings being recommended to the War Office.

HEADQUARTERS ASSEMBLY CENTRE (CM/1042(2))

Officers 13

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2431A REVISED ASSEMBLY CENTRE ORGANISATION

The following new war establishments were approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45, the appointments of Commandant (colonel) and officers (lieutenant-colonels) commanding each of 4, 5 and 6 Assembly Wings being recommended to the War Office.

HEADQUARTERS ASSEMBLY CENTRE (CM/1022),

Strength :	Officers	13
	Other ranks	219
	Vehicles	29

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2431A REVISED ASSEMBLY CENTRE ORGANISATION - continued

NO 4 ASSEMBLY WING (CM/1049/1)

Strength :	Officers	15
	Other ranks	271
	Civilians	60

NO 5 ASSEMBLY WING (CM/1050/1)

Strength :	Officers	17
	Other ranks	356
	Civilians	63

NO 6 ASSEMBLY WING (CM/1051/1)

Strength. :	Officers	20
	Other ranks	214
	Civilians	10

In view of the ruling given in respect of the original establishments, vide War Office signal 56691 SD 3C dated 1 Jul 45, the rank of major for the commanders of the rank and file companies was not agreed. The Committee however approved Company commanders (majors) for the two very large companies in Nos 4 and 5 Assembly Wings, which are designed to cater for Warrant officers and serjeants, and officers respectively.

These establishments are subject to review in three months, by which time it should be possible to reconsider the allotment of guard personnel, with a view to replacing them with part or whole of a separate guard unit.

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2431B TRANSIT FEEDING ORGANISATION FOR MEDLOC

The following new war establishments were approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

FEEDING CENTRE MEDLOC (CM/1052/1)

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	46
	Vehicle	1

FEEDING STAFF ITALY (CM/1053/1)

Strength :	Other ranks	5

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Other ranks 326
Civilians 63

NO 6 ASSEMBLY WING (CM/1051/1)

Strength.: Officers 20
Other ranks 214
Civilians 10

In view of the ruling given in respect of the original establishments, vide War Office signal 56691 SD 3C dated 1 Jul 45, the rank of major for the commanders of the rank and file companies was not agreed. The Committee however approved Company commanders (majors) for the two very large companies in Nos 4 and 5 Assembly Wings, which are designed to cater for Warrant officers and serjeants, and officers respectively.

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File : 764/Org-3

2431B TRANSIT FEEDING ORGANISATION FOR MEDLOC

The following new war establishments were approved w.e.f. 13 Jul 45.

FEEDING CENTRE MEDLOC (CM/1052/1)

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 46
Vehicle 1

FEEDING STAFF ITALY (CM/1053/1)

Strength : Other ranks 5

File : 319/1/Org-3

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Now war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 111.	
1177	BRITISH INCREMENT TO MEDICAL MISSION N.L.A.Y.	(CM/445/1) (XII/520/1)
	The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.	
	WSD/119 dated 31 May 45 refers.	
	File : 705/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.	
1999	HEADQUARTERS NO. 1 DISTRICT	(CM/77/3) (XII/21/3)
	War Office have approved the appointment of Principal Matron w.e.f. 1 Mar 45, subject to review 15 Oct 45.	
	Authority : War Office cable 52438 SD 30 dated 16 Jun 45.	
	File : 486/Org-3	

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

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	WSD/119 dated 31 May 45 refers.	
	File : 705/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.	
1999	HEADQUARTERS NO. 1 DISTRICT	(CM/77/3) (XII/21/5)
	War Office have approved the appointment of Principal Matron w.e.f. 1 Mar 45, subject to review 15 Oct 45.	
	Authority : War Office cable 92438 SD 30 dated 16 Jun 45.	
	File : 486/Org-3	

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2055 ROYAL ARTILLERY TRAINING DEPOT (CA/367/2)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 w.e.f. 23 March 45.

Under No. 2 Regiment - Non-tradesmen.

Delete Armourer (lance-bombardier) - 1

Under Maintenance Section - R.E.M.E. personnel.

Add Armourer (lance-bombardier) - 1

Under No. 2 Regiment - Attached R.A.O.C. personnel.

Delete Fitter (sergeant) - 1

Substitute Vehicle mechanic (sergeant) - 1

Delete Driver mechanics - 5

Substitute Driver mechanics, A.F.V. - 5

Under (ii) Transport.

Delete Tanks, Sherman - 2

Substitute Tanks, Cruiser, Sherman, M4A2 - 2

Under No. 1 Regiment - Non-tradesmen.

Delete Draughtsman (bombardier) - 1

Substitute Clerk, general duties (trained in Artillery Staff Duties) - 1

Under No. 1 Regiment - M.T. battery - One troop (tradesmen)

Delete Assistant instructors (driver-mechanics) -
Bombardiers - 3
Lance-bombardiers - 7

Substitute Assistant instructors (lance-bombardiers)-10

Authority : War Office cable 03448 SD 3C dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 662/Org-3

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Under Maintenance Section - R.E.M.E. personnel.

Add Armourer (lance-bombardier) - 1

Under No. 1 Regiment - Attached R.A.C. personnel.

Delete Fitter (serjeant) - 1

Substitute Vehicle mechanic (serjeant) - 1

Delete Driver mechanics - 5

Substitute Driver mechanics, A.F.V. - 5

Under (ii) Transport.

Delete Tanks, Sherman - 2

Substitute Tanks, Cruiser, Sherman, M4A2 - 2

Under No. 1 Regiment - Non-tradesmen.

Delete Draughtsman (bombardier) - 1

Substitute Clerk, general duties (trained in Artillery Staff Duties) - 1

Under No. 1 Regiment - M.T. battery - One troop (tradesmen)

Delete Assistant instructors (driver-mechanics) -
Bombardiers - 3
Lance-bombardiers - 7

Substitute Assistant instructors (lance-bombardiers)-10

Authority : War Office cable 03448 SD 30 dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 662/Org-3

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Declassified A.O. 1205 Section 3-402/NARS No. 18502

Serial Number

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2141 HEADQUARTERS EIGHTH ARMY (CM/223/1) (XII/46/2)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 39 w.e.f. 16 Mar 45.

Under Ordnance, against Captains.

Delete "(one may be a staff captain, A.T.S.)"

Substitute "(may be A.T.S.)"

Authority : War Office cable 53213 SD 3C dated 19 Jun 45.

File : 500/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2143 HEADQUARTERS NO. 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/3) (XII/30/4)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 34 w.e.f. 16 Mar 45.

Under Ordnance, against Captain.

Delete "May be a Staff Captain, A.T.S."

Substitute "May be A.T.S."

Authority : War Office cable 52317 (SD 3) dated 16 Jun 45.

File : 492/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 205.

2304 A TANK BATTALION (II/154/2)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 205th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 51852 SD 3(D) dated 14 Jun 45.

File : 447/Org-3

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Delete "(one may be a staff captain, A.T.S.)"

Substitute "(may be A.T.S.)"

Authority : War Office cable 53213 SD 3C dated 19 Jun 45.

File : 500/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2143 HEADQUARTERS NO. 2 DISTRICT (CM/128/3) (XII/30/4)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 34 w.e.f. 16 Mar 45.

Under Ordnance, against Captain.

Delete "May be a Staff Captain, A.T.S."

Substitute "May be A.T.S."

Authority : War Office cable 52317 (SD 3) dated 16 Jun 45.

File : 492/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 205.

2304 A TANK BATTALION (II/154/2)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 205th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 51852 SD 3(D) dated 14 Jun 45.

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 206.

2319 ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) POOL OF INTERPRETERS (XVI/8101/2)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 13 Jun 45.

Against civilians total 150 Add note (D)

"Ten officers (majors, captains or lieutenants) and forty five other ranks may be included in lieu of civilians".

Authority : War Office cable 51993 SD 3 dated 16 Jun 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 207.

2327 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS 2ND ECHELON CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/163/1) (XII/12/2)

War Office have approved the appointment of Assistant Adjutant General w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Authority : War Office cable 53366 SD 3 dated 20 Jun 45.

File : 317/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 208.

2330 PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8420/1)

War Office have approved the amendment proposed by the War Establishments Committee at their 208th meeting w.e.f. 7 Jun 45.

Authority : War Office cable 51082 SD 2 dated 12 Jun 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 209.

2347 MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT R.A.O.C. (TYPE "A") (III/292/1)
MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT R.A.O.C. (TYPE "B") (III/293/1)

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against civilians total 150 (see note 2)

"Ten officers (majors, captains or lieutenants) and forty five other ranks may be included in lieu of civilians".

Authority : War Office cable 31993 SD 3 dated 16 Jun 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 207.

2327 GENERAL HEADQUARTERS 2ND ECHELON (CM/163/1)
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (XII/12/2)

War Office have approved the appointment of Assistant Adjutant General w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Authority : War Office cable 53366 SD 3 dated 20 Jun 45.

File : 317/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 208.

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FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT)

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MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT R.A.O.C. (TYPE "B") (III/293/1)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 209th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 51853 SD 3(D) dated 14 Jun 45.

File : 683/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 209.

2354 PHYSICAL TRAINING AND SPORTS CENTRE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1027/1)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

Delete	Commander (lieutenant-colonel)	- 1
Substitute	Commander (major)	- 1
Delete	Adjutant (captain)	- 1
Substitute	Administration officer (captain)	- 1

Authority : War Office cable 52439 SD 30 dated 16 Jun 45.

File : 516/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 210.

2360 CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER (JUGY) BALKAN AIR FORCE (CM/1028/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of Chief Signal Officer (lieutenant-colonel) w.e.f. 8 Jun 45 subject to review 1 Jul 45.

Authority : War Office cable 53362 SD 3 dated 20 Jun 45.

File : 737/Org-3

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Delete	Commander (lieutenant-colonel)	- 1
Substitute	Commander (major)	- 1
Delete	Adjutant (captain)	- 1
Substitute	Administration officer (captain)	- 1

Authority : War Office cable 52439 SD 30 dated 16 Jun 45.

File : 516/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 210.

2560 CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER (ACSW) BALKAN AIR FORCE (CS/1028/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of Chief Signal Officer (lieutenant-colonel) w.e.f. 8 Jun 45 subject to review 1 Jul 45.

Authority : War Office cable 33362 SD 3 dated 20 Jun 45.

File : 737/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

MINUTES

2381 FINANCIAL AND AUDIT STAFF, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (C4/1034/1)

The above war establishment, approved at the 28th meeting (minute 258) is published as C4/1034/1 w.e.f. 1 Jul 43.

The following amendment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.

Delete	Assistant financial advisor (lieutenant-colonel)	1
	Assistant accountants, Grade I (majors)	2
	Clerks R...S.C. (staff serjeants)	3
	(corporal)	1
	Batman-driver R...S.C.	1
	Orderlies (b)	3
	Cars 4 seater 4 x 2	2
Add	Assistant accountants, Grade II (captains or lieutenants)	3
	Clerks R...S.C. (WO II)	1
	(serjeants)	3
	Batman	1
	Car 4 x 2 light utility	1

It was also agreed that a note "may be A.T.S." should be added to certain of the clerks, and that a second note "may be any arm" should be added to the batman-driver.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 250/Org-3

2382 CIVIL AFFAIRS LIAISON OFFICERS POOL GREECE (C4/973/1)

It was decided that the work undertaken by this pool could no longer justify the need for a separate war establishment, and that the unit should be disbanded and the establishment cancelled w.e.f. 30 Jun 45.

It was agreed that a small number of officers, still required for duty with U.N.R.R.A. should be transferred, w.e.f. 1 Jul 45, to T.E. C4/1005/3, vide serial 2385 below, and that details of these should be submitted as soon as possible by HQ Land Forces Greece.

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w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

The following amendment was recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.

Delete	Assistant financial advisor (lieutenant-colonel)	1
	Assistant accountants, Grade I (majors)	2
	Clerks R.A.S.C. (staff serjeants)	3
	(corporal)	1
	Batman-driver R.A.S.C.	1
	Orderlies (b)	3
	Cars 4 seater 4 x 2	2
Add	Assistant accountants, Grade II (captains or lieutenants)	3
	Clerks R.A.S.C. (TO II)	1
	(serjeants)	3
	Batman	1
	Car 4 x 2 light utility	1

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 250/Org-3

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It was agreed that a small number of officers, still required for duty with U.N.R.R.A. should be transferred, w.e.f. 1 Jul 45, to W.E. CA/1005/3, vide serial 2383 below, and that details of these should be submitted as soon as possible by HQ Land Forces Greece.

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War Establishment

2383 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. (GREECE) (CM/1005/2)

In view of the probable need for additional officers vide minute 2382 above, consideration of a new war establishment, intended for use during July, was deferred.

The following decisions were made in respect of the new W.E.

a) That the appointment of Staff officer, 1st grade civil affairs, veterinary should be retained.

b) That the N.C.O. inspector for veterinary duties, required in the new establishment, should be included in his substantive rank.

c) That any additional vehicles required during July should be provided from U.N.R.R.A. resources, and the drivers should be civilians.

d) The proposed addition of a clerk (WO I) was not agreed.

File : 590/Org-3

2384 INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS III CORPS (CM/555/2)

The addition of 14 interpreters (civilians) was approved w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.

File : 590/Org-3

2385 ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS' CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1030/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	8
	Civilians	8
	Vehicle	1

File : 270/Org-3

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2386 A.T.S. TRANSIT AND ASSEMBLY CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1031/1)

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of the new W.E.

a) That the appointment of Staff officer, 1st grade civil affairs, veterinary should be retained.

b) That the N.C.O. inspector for veterinary duties, required in the new establishment, should be included in his substantive rank.

c) That any additional vehicles required during July should be provided from U.N.R.R.A. resources, and the drivers should be civilians.

d) The proposed addition of a clerk (WO I) was not agreed.

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File : 590/Org-3

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The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	8
	Civilians	8
	Vehicle	1

File : 270/Org-3

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2386 A.T.S. TRANSIT AND ASSEMBLY CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1031/1)

The above new war establishment intended to provide accommodation for a total of 300 all ranks, A.T.S. was approved w.e.f. 22 Jun 45.

Strength :	Officers, A.T.S.	2
	Other ranks, A.T.S.	11
	Other rank (may be A.T.S.)	1
	Civilians	20
	Vehicle	1

File : 633/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2387	ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION, (ITALY)	(CA/1032/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 22 Jun 45, the appointment of general staff officer, 1st grade, (head of commission) being recommended to the War Office.

Strength : Officers 51
Other ranks 86
Vehicles 30

File : 588/Org-3

2388	ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION, (GREECE)	(CA/1033/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 22 Jun 45, the appointment of general staff officer, 1st grade, (head of commission) being recommended to the War Office.

Strength : Officers 38
Other ranks 74
Vehicles 25

File : 588/Org-3

2389	33 MILITARY MISSION	(CA/241/2)

The rank of the Commander (major general) was reviewed in accordance with minute 168/17321. It was agreed that continuation of this appointment be recommended to the War Office, subject to further review on 1 Oct 45.

File : 742/Org-3

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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2388 ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION, (GREECE) (CS/1033/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 22 Jun 45, the appointment of general staff officer, 1st grade, (head of commission) being recommended to the War Office.

Strength :	Officers	38
	Other ranks	74
	Vehicles	25

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2389 33 MILITARY MISSION (CS/241/2)

The rank of the Commander (major general) was reviewed in accordance with minute 168/17321. It was agreed that continuation of this appointment be recommended to the War Office, subject to further review on 1 Oct 45.

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Lieut-Col T.P. WHITAKER Q (Maint)
Lieut-Col R.H. BURNETT Financial Advisor
Lieut-Col W.B. WEBBER Q (A.E.)
Major H.J.K. JACQUES G-3 (Org)

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171	1864(B)	CM/644/1	XII/1F/1	Transportation Increment (Balkans)
181	1952	CM/766/1	XII/161/1	Field Radar Battery, R.A., C.M.
181	1954	CM/768/1	XII/162/1	HQ. Field Radar Group, R.A., C.M.
184	1700	CM/276/2	XII/218/2	Royal Engineer Training Depot, C.M.
185	2016	CM/903/1	XII/271/1	Port Operating Company (Mauritian) R.E., C.M.
185	2006	CM/902/1	XII/272/1	A Refrigeration Section, R.E., C.M.
185	2005	CM/901/1	XII/273/1	Mobile Machinery Spare Parts Section, R.E., C.M.
185	2018	CM/904/1	XII/324/1	Signal Section Air Landing Light Battery, R. Signals, C.M.
173	1889(c)	CM/736/1	XII/536/1	Italian Field Hygiene Section (Italian Army) C.M.
184	1988	CM/787/1	XII/537/1	Base Psychiatric Centre, R.A.M.C., C.M.
183	1979	CM/785/1	XII/538/1	Medical Squadron, R.A.M.C., C.M.
186	2030(d)	CM/911/1	XII/598J/1	Clothing Depot, R.A.O.C., C.M.
186	2030(h)	CM/915/1	XII/598K/1	Ammunition Sub-Depot, R.A.O.C., C.M.
186	2030(e)	CM/912/1	XII/598L/1	Clothing Sub-Depot, R.A.O.C., C.M.
183	1974	CM/783/1	XII/598M/1	"A" Vehicle Kitting Increment, R.A.O.C., C.M.
186	2029(a)	CM/906/1	XII/598N/1	HQ. Divisional Dumps, R.A.O.C., C.M.

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186	2030(e)	CM/912/1	XII/598L/1	Clothing Sub-Depot, R.A.O.C., C.M.
183	1974	CM/783/1	XII/598M/1	"A" Vehicle Kitting Increment, R.A.O.C., C.M.
186	2029(a)	CM/906/1	XII/598N/1	HQ. Divisional Dumps, R.A.O.C., C.M.
183	1983	CM/403/2	XII/611C/2	Base Manufacturing Workshop, R.E.M.E., C.M.
190	2070	CM/940/1	XII/650D/1	A Small Rest Camp, C.M.
190	2073	CM/942/1	XII/650E/1	Cypriot Advanced Base Camp
188	2052	CM/936/1	XII/673/1	Civil Affairs Selection Board, C.M.
184	1994	CM/790/1	XII/820/1	Civil Censorship Group Field Station, C.M.
184	1993	CM/789/1	XII/821/1	Intelligence Increment to Divisional HQ. C.M.

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W.E.C. Meeting	Minute	C.M. Number	Vol. XII Vol. VIII Number	Title
171	1864(F)	CM/720/1	XII/880B/1	HQ. Athens (including Staff of Athens Region)
171	1864(F)	CM/721/1	XII/880C/1	HQ. Patras (including Staff of Patras Region AML Greece)
171	1864(F)	CM/722/1	XII/880D/1	HQ. Salonika (including Staff of Salonika Region AML Salonika)
171	1864(F)	CM/725/1	XII/880G/1	HQ. Crete AML Greece
171	1864(F)	CM/726/1	XII/880H/1	Region B of AML Greece
171	1864(F)	CM/727/1	XII/880J/1	Region D of AML Greece
171	1864(F)	CM/728/1	XII/880K/1	Volos of AML Greece
171	1864(F)	CM/729/1	XII/880L/1	Region G of AML Greece
171	1864(F)	CM/716/1	XII/881A/1	Allied Military Liaison HQ Jugoslavia
171	1864(F)	CM/717/1	XII/881B/1	Increment Allied Military Liaison HQ Jugoslavia
171	1864(F)	CM/718/1	XII/881C/1	Allied Military Liaison HQ Albania
173	1882	CM/6/4	XII/1066/4	Allied Force Headquarters Printing Press
173	1889(D)	CM/757/1	XII/1168/1	HQ. CCRR Company (Italian Army) C.M.
182	1962(C)	CM/776/1	XII/1169/1	British Instructional Team C.M. (for attachment to Greek Mechanics School, E and M.E.)
178	1914	CM/758/1	XII/1170/1	British Cadre for Italian Driving and Maintenance School
173	1888	CM/733/1	XII/1171/1	British Training Increment for Italian Reinforcement Training Centre, Italian Combat Force.

A.C.I. 521 of 1945 refers.

195	2163	CM/971/1	XII/326/1	Air Support Signals Unit, Central Mediterranean

War Office cable C4018 SD 3C dated 14 Jun 45 refers.

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 60.	
705	G-2 (ADVANCED INTELLIGENCE) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS	(CM/281/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

WSD/127 dated 14 Jun 45 refers.

File : 681/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 63.

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171	1864(F)	CM/725/1	XII/880H/1	Region B of AML Greece
171	1864(F)	CM/726/1	XII/880J/1	Region D of AML Greece
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171	1864(F)	CM/729/1	XII/881A/1	Allied Military Liaison HQ Jugoslavia
171	1864(F)	CM/716/1	XII/881B/1	Increment Allied Military Liaison HQ Jugoslavia
171	1864(F)	CM/717/1	XII/881C/1	Allied Military Liaison HQ Albania
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173	1888	CM/733/1		

A.C.I. 521 of 1945 refers.

195	2163	CM/971/1	XII/326/1	Air Support Signals Unit, Central Mediterranean

War Office cable 04018 SD 30 dated 14 Jun 45 refers.

Serial Number		War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 60.

705 G-2 (ADVANCED INTELLIGENCE) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/281/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

WSD/127 dated 14 Jun 45 refers.

File : 681/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 63.

755 INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS' TRAINING CENTRE (CM/84/1) (XII/803/2)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 9 Jun 45 refers.

File : 432/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 78502

Serial Number		War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 77.

51 - POLISH LIAISON MISSION (ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS) (CM/346/1)

The title of the above War Establishment is changed to "POLISH MILITARY MISSION TO ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS".

Liaison Section letter dated 12 Jun 45 refers.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 623/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 82.

911 OFFICERS' CONVALESCENT WING (CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN) (CM/49/2) (XII/503/2)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 30 Jun 45.

WSD/119 dated 10 Jun 45 refers.

File : 572/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 126 and 173.

1342 "Z" TRAINING TEAM (FOR ITALIAN FORCES) R.A. (CM/510/1) (XII/155/1)

1887 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT FOR REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE (CM/732/1) (XII/887/1)

1888 TRAINING INCREMENT FOR REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE (CM/733/1) (XII/1171/1)

The above War Establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 7 Jun 45 refers.

File : 758/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 133.

1435 POST ARMISTICE "A" PLANNING COMMITTEE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/554/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of Assistant Director of Army Welfare Services w.e.f. 15 Aug 44 to 15 Mar 45.

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Authority : War Office cable 50344 SD 3 dated

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 185020

Liaison Section letter dated 12 Jun 45 refers.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 623/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 82.

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The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 30 Jun 45.

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The above War Establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 7 Jun 45 refers.

File : 758/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 133.

1435 POST ARMISTICE "A" PLANNING COMMITTEE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/554/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of Assistant Director of Army Welfare Services w.e.f. 15 Aug 44 to 15 Mar 45.

Authority : War Office cable 50344 SD 3 dated 9 Jun 45.

File : 497/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNRD NO. 125020

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 167.	
1806	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS	(CM/30/3) (XII/1/4)

War Office have approved the appointment of Assistant Director of Transportation (Finance) w.e.f. 6 Feb 45 to 16 Mar 45.

Authority : War Office cable 50863 SD 3 dated 11 Jun 45.

File : 260/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 167.

1802	ADVANCED REALLOCATION CENTRE (ALL ARMS)	(CM/676/1) (XII/650A/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 9 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 12 Jun 45 refers.

File : 720/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 170.

1854	BRITISH STAFF FOR ITALIAN ARMY PACK TRANSPORT TRAINING CENTRE (BOSSOMBRONE) AS AN INCREMENT TO R.A.S.C. TRAINING DEPOT	(CM/698/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 12 Jun 45 refers.

File : 742/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

1997(A)	A COMMAND PAY OFFICE - BASE, TYPE "A"	(IV/62/3)
1997(B)	A BASE CLEARING HOUSE, TYPE "B"	(IV/144/1)

War Office have NOT approved amendments recommended by the War Establishments Committee.

Authority : War Office cable 50343 SD 3 dated 9 Jun 45.

File : 435/Org-3

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNWG No. 78522

Authority : War Office cable 50863 SD 3 dated 11 Jun 45.

File : 268/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 167.

1802 ADVANCED REALLOCATION CENTRE (ALL ARMS) (CM/676/1) (XII/650A/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 9 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 12 Jun 45 refers.

File : 720/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 170.

1854 BRITISH DRAFT FOR ITALIAN ARMY PACK TRANSPORT TRAINING CENTRE (CASSOMBRONE) AS AN INCREMENT TO R.A.S.C. TRAINING DEPOT (CM/698/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 12 Jun 45 refers.

File : 742/Org-3

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1997(A) A COMMAND PAY OFFICE - BASE, TYPE "A" (IV/62/3)
1997(B) A BASE CLEARING HOUSE, TYPE "B" (IV/144/1)

War Office have NOT approved amendments recommended by the War Establishments Committee.

Authority : War Office cable 50343 SD 3 dated 9 Jun 45.

File : 435/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2012 A RAILWAY WORKSHOP COMPANY, R.E. (IV/21/5)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 185th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 99237 SD 3(A) dated 5 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2010 A RAILWAY OPERATING COMPANY, R.E. (IV/18/4)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 185th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 99833 SD 3(A) dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 441/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2007 AN I.W.T. (PORT) OPERATING COMPANY, R.E. (IV/22P/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 6 Jun 45, applicable to Central Mediterranean Theatre only, subject to review 6 Sep 45.

		Headquarters	2 sections (each)	Total IWT (port) operating company, R.E.
	Under (i) Personnel.			
Delete	Sappers	-	2	4
Add	Drivers I.C.	2	1	4
	Under (ii) Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties.			
Delete	Firemen (marine)	-	2	4
	Under Non-tradesmen			
Add	Drivers of vehicles	2	1	4
	Under (iii) Transport			
Add	Car 4 x 2 light utility	1	-	1
	Truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 G.S.	1	-	1
	Lorries, 3 ton 4 x 2 G.S.	-	1	2
	Trailer 1 ton 2 wheeled water 180 gallons	1	-	1

Authority : War Office cable 50265 SD 3A dated 8 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

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their 185th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 99833 SD 3(A) dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 441/Org-3

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Add	Drivers of vehicles	2	1	4
Under (iii) Transport				
Add	Car 4 x 2 light utility	1	-	1
	Truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 G.S.	1	-	1
	Lorries, 3 ton 4 x 2 G.S.	-	1	2
	Trailer 1 ton 2 wheeled water 180 gallons	1	-	1

Authority : War Office cable 50265 SD 3A dated 8 Jun 45.

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNRD NO. 185020

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2017 PORT REPAIR SHIP, R.E. (IV/117/2)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 4 Jun 45 :-

For	A.C.C. - Cooks (includes one for officers' mess)	- 3
Substitute	A.C.C. - Cooks (includes one corporal)	- 3

Under Transport

Add	Motor-cycle, solo	- 1
	Car, 5-cwt, 4 x 4	- 1

Authority : War Office cable 99711 SD 3 dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2008 HEADQUARTERS INLAND WATER TRANSPORT GROUP (TYPE 'C') R.E. (IV/222/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 4 Jun 45 :-

Under (i) Personnel

Delete	Sappers	- 2
Add	Drivers	- 2

Under (ii) Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Delete	Clerk	- 1
	Draughtsman - Railway or port construction	- 1
Add	Non-tradesmen - Drivers of vehicles	- 2

Under (iii) Transport

Add	Car, 5 cwt 4 x 4	- 1
	Lorry 3 ton 4 x 2 G.S.	- 1

Under Note

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Substitute A.C.O. - Cooks (Android Ch... corporal) - 3

Under Transport

Add — Motor-cycle, solo - 1
Car, 5-cwt, 4 x 4 - 1

Authority : War Office cable 99711 SD 3 dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2008 HEADQUARTERS INLAND WATER TRANSPORT GROUP (TYPE 'C') R.E. (IV/222/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 4 Jun 45 :-

Under (i) Personnel

Delete — Sappers - 2
Add — Drivers - 2

Under (ii) Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Delete — Clerk - 1
Draughtsman - Railway or port construction - 1

Add — Non-tradesmen - Drivers of vehicles - 2

Under (iii) Transport

Add — Car, 5 cwt 4 x 4 - 1
Lorry 3 ton 4 x 2 G.S. - 1

Under Note

Delete — Draughtsman, Railway or port construction - 1

Authority : War Office cable 99712 SD 3(A) dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

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Serial Number

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 192.

2118 A RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, R.E. (IV/16/4)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 192nd meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 99409 SD 3(D) dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 186.

2021 PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH STANDARD UNIT (CM/923/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 16 Mar 45 :-

Under Direction

Delete note "One must be a divilian"

Add "One may be a civilian"

Authority : War Office cable 50590 SD 3C dated 9 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 583/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 192.

2117 A RAILWAY SURVEY COMPANY (IV/13/2)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 192nd meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 50266 SD 3A dated 8 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 198.

2212 HEADQUARTERS OF SERVICES - PAY (III/3J/1)

War Office have NOT approved of the Committee's [illegible] for the substitution of a car 4 seater

Authority : [illegible]

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Authority : [illegible]
dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 186.

2021 PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH STANDARD UNIT (CM/923/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 16 Mar 45 :-

Under Direction

Delete note "One must be a divilian"

Add "One may be a civilian"

Authority : War Office cable 50590 SD 3C dated 9 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 583/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 192.

2117 A RAILWAY SURVEY COMPANY (IV/13/2)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by the War Establishments Committee at their 192nd meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 50266 SD 3A dated 8 Jun 45.

File : 685/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 198.

2212 HEADQUARTERS OF SERVICES - PAY (III/3J/1)

War Office have NOT approved of the Committee's recommendation for the substitution of a car 4 seater 4 x 2 in place of the existing car 2 seater 4 wheeled.

Authority : War Office cable 99834 SD 3(A) dated 7 Jun 45.

File : 435/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNRG NO. 18502

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 199.

2230 HISTORICAL SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/999/1)

The title of the above War Establishment has been amended to read "BRITISH HISTORICAL SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN".

Historical Section letter 312.2-2 dated 8 Jun 45 refers.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 204.

2300 SHIPS STAFF, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/186/1) (XII/1178/1)

War Office have NOT approved of the upgrading of Major (Officer Commanding Troops) to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in respect of 'Z' Ships Staff.

Authority : War Office cable 51526 SD 3C dated 13 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 539/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 205.

2305 FORMATION COLLEGE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1019/1)

War Office have approved the appointments of Commandant (Colonel) - 1 and Chief Instructor (Lieutenant-Colonel) - 1 w.e.f. 18 May 45.

Authority : War Office cable 51457 SD 3C dated 13 Jun 45.

File : 389/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 207.

2323 "X" REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/414/3) (XII/1188/1)

The following amendment is published w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Under Attached

Delete	Medical Officers	- 2
	Psychiatrist	- 1

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 204.

2300 SHIPS STAFF, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/186/1) (XII/1178/1)

War Office have NOT approved of the upgrading of Major (Officer Commanding Troops) to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in respect of 'Z' Ships Staff.

Authority : War Office cable 51526 SD 3C dated 13 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 539/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 205.

2305 FORMATION COLLEGE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1019/1)

War Office have approved the appointments of Commandant (Colonel) - 1 and Chief Instructor (Lieutenant-Colonel) - 1 w.e.f. 18 May 45.

Authority : War Office cable 51457 SD 3C dated 13 Jun 45.

File : 389/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 207.

2323 "X" REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/414/3) (XII/1188/1)

The following amendment is published w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Under Attached

Delete	Medical Officers	- 2
	Psychiatrist	- 1
Substitute	Medical Officers (Majors, Captains or Lieutenants)	- 2
	Specialist or graded Psychiatrist (Major, Captain or Lieutenant)	- 1

Authority : Memorandum M 5500 dated 10 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 319/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 208.

2332 INTERIOR DIVISION POST OFFICE BRANCH ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8800/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment.

Delete Draughtsman, R. Signals (corporal) - 1

Substitute Draughtsman, any arm (corporal) - 1

Authority : War Office cable 50342 SD 3 dated 9 Jun 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 210.

2359 CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER, (CHIEF LINES OFFICER), MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCES (CM/45/2)

The following amendment is published.

Under ADD

Delete Staff Officer, R. Signals (lieutenant-colonel) - 1

Substitute Staff Officer, 1st Grade R.Signals - 1

X 128/B dated 9 Jun 45 refers.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 380/Org-3

Addition to minutes

VEHICLE REPAIR WORKSHOP FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE (CM/891/1)

The above War Establishment recommended by Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMIA) at their 7th meeting (serial No. 26) is approved.

File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes

A PIGEON SECTION (CM/892/1)

The above War Establishment recommended by Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMIA) at their 7th meeting (serial No. 32) is approved.

File : 303/2/Org-3

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 1-402/HHDC No. 185020

Authority : War Office cable 50342 SD 5 dated 9 Jun 45.

File : 597/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 210.

2359 CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER, (CHIEF LINES OFFICER), MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCES (CM/45/2)

The following amendment is published.

Under ADD

Delete Staff Officer, R. Signals (lieutenant-colonel) - 1

Substitute Staff Officer, 1st Grade R.Signals - 1

X 128/B dated 9 Jun 45 refers.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 380/Org-3

Addition to minutes

VEHICLE REPAIR WORKSHOP FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE (CM/891/1)

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File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes

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File : 303/2/Org-3

Addition to minutes

AN ITALIAN C.S. BATTALION (CM/512/1) (XII/811/1)

The above War Establishment is cancelled. Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMIA) minute, serial number 31, 7th meeting, refers.

Authority : AG, 091.711/051 - GCT - 0 dated 17 May 45.

File : 303/2/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 765020

Serial Number		War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 146.

1595 AIR SUPPLY BASE, R.A.S.C., CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/610/1) (XII/477/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 1 Jul 45.

WSD/117 dated 14 Jun 45 refers.

File ; 404/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.

2182 FIELD DENTAL LABORATORY

War Office have NOT approved of the amendment recommended by War Establishments Committee at their 196th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 51549 SD3(A) dated 13 Jun 45.

File : 552/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2208 GRAVES REGISTRATION AND ENQUIRIES POOL (CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN) (CM/993/1)

War Office have approved the above new war establishment, including the appointments of Deputy Director of Graves Registration and Enquiries (Colonel) - 1 and Assistant Directors of Graves Registration and Enquiries (Lieutenant-Colonels) - 4 w.e.f. 1 May 45, subject to review 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 51479 SD3C dated 13 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 282/Org-3

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG No. T-25020

File ; 404/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.

2182 FIELD DENTAL LABORATORY

War Office have NOT approved of the amendment recommended by War Establishments Committee at their 196th meeting.

Authority : War Office cable 51549 SD3(A) dated 13 Jun 45.

File : 552/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2208 GRAVES REGISTRATION AND ENQUIRIES POOL (CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN) (CM/993/1)

War Office have approved the above new war establishment, including the appointments of Deputy Director of Graves Registration and Enquiries (Colonel) - 1 and Assistant Directors of Graves Registration and Enquiries (Lieutenant-Colonels) - 4 w.e.f. 1 May 45, subject to review 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 51479 SD3C dated 13 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 282/Org-3

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MINUTES

Serial Number

War Establishment

2371 CENSORSHIP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/60/2)

The deletion of 2 trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (for photographic censorship) was approved w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

It was decided that this war establishment should be reviewed in one month.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 254/Org-3

2372A HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT), LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (XVI/8005/1)

The proposed addition of a second medical officer was not agreed. It was considered that any additional medical supervision which might be required should be regarded as an Area responsibility, the Area or Sub-Area being supplemented if essential from the A.F.H.Q. Staff and Services Pool.

File : 597/Org-3

2372B ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA, BRITISH ELEMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE BRANCH (XVI/8780/1)

It was agreed to recommend to the War Office the addition of a personal assistant (civilian) to the deputy director and principal medical officer. This appointment is required as a substitute to the personal assistant (W.O. I) A.T.S., recommended for deletion vide minute 208/2331 dated 31 May 45.

File : 597/Org-3

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2373 VEHICLE REPAIR SHOP FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE (CM/891/1)

The above Italian war establishment was approved w.e.f. 31 May 45.

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 96

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG No. T-2520

It was decided that this war establishment should be reviewed in one month.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 254/Org-3

2372A HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT), LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (XVI/8005/1)

The proposed addition of a second medical officer was not agreed. It was considered that any additional medical supervision which might be required should be regarded as an Area responsibility, the Area or Sub-Area being supplemented if essential from the A.F.H.Q. Staff and Services Pool.

File : 597/Org-3

2372B ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA, BRITISH ELEMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE BRANCH (XVI/8780/1)

It was agreed to recommend to the War Office the addition of a personal assistant (civilian) to the deputy director and principal medical officer. This appointment is required as a substitute to the personal assistant (W.O. I) A.T.S., recommended for deletion vide minute 208/2331 dated 31 May 45.

File : 597/Org-3

2373 VEHICLE REPAIR AND SHOP FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE (CM/891/1)

The above Italian war establishment was approved w.e.f. 31 May 45.

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 96
Vehicles 9

File : 758/Org-3

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

Serial Number

War Establishment

2374 . HEAD QUARTERS, OIL STORAGE AND PIPELINE CONSTRUCTION GROUP, R.E. (CM/848/1)

As a result of experience gained since the formation of this unit in September 1944, it was considered that the responsibilities of the commanding officer are equivalent to those of a C.R.E. The Committee therefore agreed to recommend to the War Office, w.e.f. 15 Jun 45, the upgrading of the commanding officer (major) to the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

File : 685/Org-3

2375 . SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING (CM/115/2)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

(a) Upgrade Instructor (captain) (c), for duty with U.S. Engineer Training School to the appointment of Chief Instructor (major).

(b) Under Tradesmen, Technical ing
delete Operators excavator, lance-corporals - 6
substitute
Instructors (corporals) -
Concretor 1
Bricklayer 1
Plumber 1
Painter and decorator 1
Carpenter and joiner 1
Mason 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 9.

File : 665/Org-3

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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commanding officer (major) to the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

File : 685/Org-3

2375 . SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING (CM/115/2)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

(a) Upgrade Instructor (captain) (c), for duty with U.S. Engineer Training School to the appointment of Chief Instructor (major).

(b) Under Tradesmen, Technical Wing
delete Operators excavator, lance-corporals - 6
substitute
Instructors (corporals) -
Concretor 1
Bricklayer 1
Plumber 1
Painter and decorator 1
Carpenter and joiner 1
Mason 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 9.

File : 665/Org-3

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211th Meeting, held on 8th June 1945

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Major	H.J.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

War Office have promulgated Central Mediterranean War Establishments as follows :-

W.E.C. Meeting	Minute	C.M. Number	Vol.XII or Vol.VIII Number	Title
169	1831	CM/474/2	XII/1A/2	British Resident Minister, A.F.H.Q.
144	1570	CM/41/3	XII/1B/1	H.Q. of an Area, C.M.
149	1632	CM/277/2	XII/39/2	H.Q. (Army) Area
195	2166	CM/605/2	XII/88/3	A.F.H.Q. Staff and Services Pool
+183	1970	CM/781/1	XII/320/1	Increment to Armoured Brigade Signal Squadron, C.M.
183	1968	CM/780/1	XII/321/1	Special Line Section, C.M.
181	1960	CM/771/1	XII/322/1	Carrier Pigeon Loft, C.M.
178	1907	CM/755/1	XII/323/1	Increment to A.A. Brigade Signal Section, C.M.
184	1987A	CM/797/1	XII/486/1	Pack Transport Increment (Italian Army) to Raiding Support Regiment, C.M.
173	1889(b)	CM/735/1	XII/598F/1	Ration P.O.L. Depot and Clothing Store, C.M. (Italian Army)
172	1874(e)	CM/706/1	XII/598G/1	Italian Increment to M.T. Stores Company, R.A.O.C., C.M. (Italian Army
203	1874(a)	CM/702/1	XII/509W/1	Italian Increment to Base Ordnance Depot R.A.O.C., C.M.
172	1874(d)	CM/705/1	XII/599X/1	Italian Increment to Returned Stores Company, R.A.O.C., C.M. (Italian Army)
172	1874(b)	CM/703/1	XII/599Y/1	Italian Increment to General Stores Company, R.A.O.C., C.M. (Italian Army)
172	1874(c)	CM/704/1	XII/599Z/1	Italian Increment to Technical Stores Company, R.A.O.C., C.M. (Italian Army)
185	2002	CM/798/1	XII/612D/1	HQ Unit Maintenance Inspectorate "B" Vehicles (Italian Army)
185	2003	CM/799/1	XII/612E/1	Inspecting Increment Unit Maintenance Inspectorate "B" Vehicles (Italian Army)
173	1889(F)	CM/748/1	XII/612F/1	HQ Mechanical Engineers Reinforcement Company (Italian Army)

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

War Office have promulgated Central Mediterranean War Establishments as follows :-

W.E.C. Meeting	W.E.C. Minute	C.M. Number	Vol.XII or Vol.VIII Number	Title
169	1831	CM/474/2	XII/1A/2	British Resident Minister, A.F.H.Q.
144	1570	CM/41/3	XII/1B/1	H.Q. of an Area, C.M.
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195	2166	CM/605/2	XII/88/3	A.F.H.Q. Staff and Services Pool
+183	1970	CM/781/1	XII/320/1	Increment to Armoured Brigade Signal Squadron, C.M.
183	1968	CM/780/1	XII/321/1	Special Mine Section, C.M.
181	1960	CM/771/1	XII/322/1	Carrier Pigeon Loft, C.M.
178	1907	CM/755/1	XII/323/1	Increment to A.A. Brigade Signal Section, C.M.
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203	1874(a)	CM/702/1	XII/509W/1	Italian Increment to Base Ordnance Depot R.A.O.C., C.M.
172	1874(d)	CM/705/1	XII/599X/1	Italian Increment to Returned Stores Company, R.A.O.C., C.M. (Italian Army)
172	1874(b)	CM/703/1	XII/599Y/1	Italian Increment to General Stores Company, R.A.O.C., C.M. (Italian Army)
172	1874(c)	CM/704/1	XII/599Z/1	Italian Increment to Technical Stores Company, R.A.O.C., C.M. (Italian Army)
185	2002	CM/798/1	XII/612D/1	HQ Unit Maintenance Inspectorate "B" Vehicles (Italian Army)
185	2003	CM/799/1	XII/612E/1	Inspecting Increment Unit Maintenance Inspectorate "B" Vehicles (Italian Army)
173	1889(F)	CM/748/1	XII/612F/1	HQ Mechanical Engineers Reinforcement Company (Italian Army)
191	2093	CM/568/2	XII/672/2	No. 22 Civil Affairs Unit
184	1992	CM/788/1	XII/819/1	Intelligence Staff, Zone Headquarters (Austria)
184	1990	CM/113/3	XII/833/2	Army Catering Corps Training Centre, C.M.
207	2325	CM/414/2	XII/1167/1	'X' Reinforcement Training Depot, C.M.
203	2291	CM/764/1	XII/598H/1	Special Stores Depot, R.A.O.C. C.M.

A.C.I. 497 of 1945 refers.

189	2058	CM/241/3	VIII/607/3	33 Military Mission

+ War Establishment CM/781/1 is cancelled w.e.f. 12 May 45.

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The following War Establishments are cancelled w.e.f. dates as shown :-

178 BRITISH CADRE FOR ITALIAN DRIVING AND MAINTENANCE SCHOOL (CM/758/1) 1914

With effect from 10 Jun 45.
WSD/134 dated 5 Jun 45 refers.

File : 668/Org-3

158 INTELLIGENCE POOL (AUSTRIA) (CM/643/1) (XII/816/1) 1718

With effect from 1 Jun 45.
WSD/127 dated 5 Jun 45 refers.

File : 766/Org-3

56 OFFICERS MESS COOKS SCHOOL, A.C.C., C.M. (CM/252/1) (XII/831/1) 633

With effect from 1 Jun 45.
WSD/134 dated 5 Jun 45 refers.

File : 333/Org-3

The following amendments recommended by Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. (M.M.I.A.) have been approved :-

	MMIA WEC Meeting	MMIA WEC Minute	C.M. Number	Vol.XII Number	Title	Amendment Number
139/1510A	4	11	CM/574/1	XII/528/1	An Italian Field Hospital	2
139/1510B	4	12	CM/575/1	XII/529/1	An Italian Field Surgical Unit	2

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 118.	
1246	INDIAN WING (SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING) AND INDIAN ENGINEER TRAINING DEPOT	(CM/475/1) (XII/245/1)

The above War Establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jul 45.

WSD/144 dated 7 Jun 45 refers.

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File : 666/Org-3

158 INTELLIGENCE POOL (AUSTRIA) (CM/643/1) (XII/816/1) 1718

With effect from 1 Jun 45.
WSD/127 dated 5 Jun 45 refers.

File : 766/Org-3

56 OFFICERS MESS COOKS SCHOOL, A.C.C., C.M. (CM/252/1) (XII/831/1) 633

With effect from 1 Jun 45.
WSD/134 dated 5 Jun 45 refers.

File : 333/Org-3

The following amendments recommended by Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. (M.M.I.A.) have been approved :-

MMIA TEC Meeting	Minute	C.M. Number	Vol.XII Number	Title	Amendment Number
139/1510A	4	11	CM/574/1	XII/528/1	An Italian Field Hospital	2
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The above War Establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jul 45.

WSD/144 dated 7 Jun 45 refers.

File : 652/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG No. 125020

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 187.

2036 CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN POOL OF INDIAN ARMY EDUCATIONAL PERSONNEL (CM/929/2)

The following amendment is published w.e.f. 21 May 45.

Under V.C.Os. -

Delete Subalterns

Substitute Jemadars

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2058 33 MILITARY MISSION (CM/241/3)

War Office have NOT approved the appointment of Colonel "A".

Authority : War Office cable 99342 SD 3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 544/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2151 WORKSHOP PLATOON, R.A.S.C. (II/268/2)
2152 WORKSHOP PLATOON, R.A.S.C. (III/122/3)
2153 WORKSHOP PLATOON, R.A.S.C. (IV/99/3)

War Office have NOT approved the following amendment in respect of the above standard War Establishments :-

Under (i) Personnel, Workshop sections, all serials.

Delete	Coach painter	1
Substitute	Vulcaniser	1

Under footnote (e)

Delete the words "One of the artificer personnel will be trained in vulcaniser duties".

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 165020

21 May 45.

Under V.C.Os. -

Delete Subalterns

Substitute Jemadars

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2058 33 MILITARY MISSION (CM/241/3)

War Office have NOT approved the appointment of Colonel "A".

Authority : War Office cable 99342 SD 3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 544/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2151 WORKSHOP PLATOON, R.A.S.C. (II/268/2)
2152 WORKSHOP PLATOON, R.A.S.C. (III/122/3)
2153 WORKSHOP PLATOON, R.A.S.C. (IV/99/3)

War Office have NOT approved the following amendment in respect of the above standard War Establishments :-

Under (i) Personnel, Workshop sections, all serials.

Delete Coach painter 1

Substitute Vulcaniser 1

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Under footnote (e)

Delete the words "One of the artificer personnel will be trained in vulcaniser duties".

Add to Note 2.

"One vulcaniser and one coach painter will be held in lieu of one coach trimmer and one carpenter".

Authority : War Office cable 98942 SD 3(D) dated 5 Jun 45.

File : 404/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 199.

2238 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. (GREECE) (CM/1005/1

War Office have approved the appointment of Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, veterinary - 1 w.e.f. 1 May to 30 Jun 45.

Authority : War Office cable 99343 SD 3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 200.

2243 HEADQUARTERS, LAND FORCES ADRIATIC (CM/446/3) (XII/75/2)

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 8 Jun 45,

SD/111 dated 8 Jun 45 refers.

File : 737/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 201.

2269 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P. (CM/164/3)

War Office have approved the upgrading of the appointment of Commandant (A.P.M. - Major) to that of D.P.M. - Lieutenant-Colonel w.e.f. 4 May 45, subject to review 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 99344 SD 3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 513/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 201.

2268 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI) (CM/508/1)

War Office have approved the extension of the above War Establishment w.e.f. 25 Apr 45 including the appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st grade - 1.

War Office have approved the new War Establishment (CM/508/2)

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Staff officer, 1st grade, CMP
w.e.f. 1 May to 30 Jun 45.

Authority : War Office cable 99343 SD 3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 200.

(CM/446/3)
(XII/75/2)

2243 HEADQUARTERS, LAND FORCES ADRIATIC

The above War Establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 8 Jun 45,

WSD/111 dated 8 Jun 45 refers.

File : 737/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 201.

(CM/164/3)

2269 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P.

War Office have approved the upgrading of the appointment of Commandant (A.P.M. - Major) to that of D.P.M. - Lieutenant-Colonel w.e.f. 4 May 45, subject to review 1 Nov 45.

Authority : War Office cable 99344 SD 3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 513/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 201.

(CM/508/1)

2268 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (FOR GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI)

War Office have approved the extension of the above War Establishment w.e.f. 25 Apr 45 including the appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st grade - 1.

War Office have approved the new War Establishment (CM/508/2) CM/508/2 including the appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st grade - 1 w.e.f. 4 May 45 subject to review 1 Aug 45.

War Establishment CM/508/2 will not be implemented until CM/508/1 is cancelled.

Authority : War Office cable 99521 SD 3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 758/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 202.

2275 ARMOURED RECONNAISSANCE REGIMENT, TYPE 'B' (II/156/1)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by War Establishments Committee at their 202nd meeting.

Authority : War Office letter 79/MOB/5820 - SD3(d) dated 5 Jun 45.

File : 437/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 202.

2276 AN ARMOURED REGIMENT (II/151/3)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by War Establishments Committee at their 202nd meeting.

Authority : War Office letter 79/MOB/5820 - SD3(d) dated 5 Jun 45.

File : 437/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.

2294 BRITISH LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE. (CM/1016/1)

War Office have approved the above new war establishment including the appointment of Commandant (lieutenant-colonel) w.e.f. 11 May 45, subject to the cancellation of the war establishments CM/510/1, CM/732/1 and CM/733/1 and subject to review 1 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 99521 SD3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 758/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 206.

981 ARMOURED REINFORCEMENT REGIMENT, R.A.C. (CM/383/1) (XII/109/1)

The effective date of the cancellation of the above war establishment should read 20 Jun 45 and

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Authority : War Office letter 79/MOB/5820 - SD3(d) dated 5 Jun 45.

File : 437/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 202.

2276 AN ARMOURED REGIMENT (II/151/3)

War Office have NOT approved the amendment recommended by War Establishments Committee at their 202nd meeting.

Authority : War Office letter 79/MOB/5820 - SD3(d) dated 5 Jun 45.

File : 437/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.

2294 BRITISH LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE. (CL/1013/1)

War Office have approved the above new war establishment including the appointment of Commandant (lieutenant-colonel) w.e.f. 11 May 45, subject to the cancellation of the war establishments CL/510/1, CL/732/1 and CL/733/1 and subject to review 1 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 99521 SD3 dated 6 Jun 45.

File : 758/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 206.

981 ARMOURED REINFORCEMENT REGIMENT, R.A.C. (CM/383/1) (XII/109/1)

The effective date of the cancellation of the above war establishment should read 20 Jun 45 and NOT as previously shown i.e. 10 Jun 45.

ASD/134 dated 6 Jun 45 refers.

File 370/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 165022

M I N U T E S

Serial Number		War Establishment
2362	MOVEMENT CONTROL, ALLIED FORCE	(CM/24/4)

The addition of the following footnote was approved w.e.f. 17 Nov 44

"A.C.I. 1498/41 is only applicable to this establishment in cases specially authorised by A.F.H.Q."

It was further agreed that investigation should be made as to the advisability of including this clause in other C.M. war establishments which are organised on a pool basis.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 540/Org-3

2363	SURVEY COMPUTING UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/784/1)

The addition of the following other ranks was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Surveyors, trigonometrical	
Lance-corporal	1
Sappers	3
Clerk, field survey	
Lance-corporal	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 685/Org-3

2364	DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF ORDNANCE SERVICES, L OF C	(CM/288/3)

The addition of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Ordnance officer (subaltern)	1
Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties -	
Lance-corporals	2
Privates	4
Storeman, clothing and general	
Private	1

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approved w.e.f. 17 Nov 44.

"...C.I. 1498/41 is only applicable to this establishment in cases specially authorised by ...F.H.Q."

It was further agreed that investigation should be made as to the advisability of including this clause in other C.M. war establishments which are organised on a pool basis.

...ill be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 540/Org-3

2363 SURVEY COMPUTING UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/784/1)

The addition of the following other ranks was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Surveyors, trigonometrical		
	Lance-corporal	1
	Sappers	3
Clerk, field survey		
	Lance-corporal	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 685/Org-3

2364 DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF ORDNANCE SERVICES, L OF C (CM/288/3)

The addition of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Ordnance officer (subaltern)		1
Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties -		
	Lance-corporals	2
	Privates	4
Storeman, clothing and general		
	Private	1
Driver-mechanics -		
	Lance-corporal	1
	Private	1
Non-tradesmen -		
Drivers, T.C.	Corporal	1
	Privates	4
Motor-cyclist		1
Batmen		2
General dutymen		4

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2364	DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF ORDNANCE SERVICES, L OF C (Cont'd)	(CM/288/1)

R.E.M.E. attached personnel

Captain	1
Subaltern	1
Clerks, technical	
Serjeant	1
Corporal	1
Craftsmen	2
Artizans, fitters	
Serjeants	2
Corporal	1
Transport	
Motor-cycles	2
Car, 4 x 2, light utility	1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	3
Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1

It was agreed that the war establishment be subject to review in two months w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 634/Org-3

2365 PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1024/1)

The addition of the following personnel and vehicle was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Staff captain	1
Staff lieutenant	1
Clerks, general duties, any arm -	
Corporal	1
Private	1
Batman-driver	1
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	1

As these personnel are required for duty with the military occupation of Austria, it was recommended that they should be transferred as soon as possible to the war establishment of the appropriate formation concerned, and that the necessary amendment to W.E. CM/1024/1 should not, therefore, be time barred.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

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Clerks, technical

Serjeant	1
Corporal	1
Craftsmen	2

Artizans, fitters

Serjeants	2
Corporal	1

Transport

Motor-cycles	2
Car, 4 x 2, light utility	1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	3
Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1

It was agreed that the war establishment be subject to review in two months w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 634/Org-3

2365 PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES POOL, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1024/1)

The addition of the following personnel and vehicle was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Staff captain	1
Staff lieutenant	1
Clerks, general duties, any arm -	
Corporal	1
Private	1
Batman-driver	1
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	1

As these personnel are required for duty with the military occupation of Austria, it was recommended that they should be transferred as soon as possible to the war establishment of the appropriate formation concerned, and that the necessary amendment to W.E. CM/1024/1 should not, therefore, be time barred.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 290/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. T8502D

Serial Number | War Establishment

2366 HEADQUARTERS NO. 1 DISTRICT (Cm/77/3)

The addition of the following personnel and vehicles was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45, the appointment of assistant director of veterinary and remount services being recommended to the War Office.

Assistant director of veterinary and remount services	1
Staff captain	1
Clerk, R.A.V.C., serjeant	1
Batman-driver, R.A.V.C.	1
Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 26.

File : 486/Org-3

2367 WAR OFFICE SELECTION BOARD (O.C.T.U.), (OVERSEAS) (IV/141/1)

The hearing of the proposal to add certain administrative personnel to the above establishment was deferred at the request of the sponsor. It was recommended that, pending further consideration, the siting of this unit, and the possible use of existing holding establishments should be examined with a view to a saving in manpower.

File : 479/Org-3

2368 LEAVE HOSTEL, A.T.S., CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (Cm/1029/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Strength :	A.T.S. officer	1
	A.T.S. other ranks	15
	Other rank (may be A.T.S.)	1
	Civilians	2
	Vehicle	1

File : 633/Org-3

2369 SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. (Cm/764/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Released under E.O. 13526 Section 3.5(c)/NNDD No. T85022

..ssistant director of veterinary and remount services		1
Staff captain		1
Clerk, R...V.C., serjeant		1
Batman-driver, R...V.C.		1
Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2		1

..ill be promulgated as amendment No. 26.

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File : 479/Org-3

2368 LEAVE HOSTEL, ..T.S., CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (Ch/1029/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Strength :	A.T.S. officer	1
	A.T.S. other ranks	15
	Other rank (may be A.T.S.)	1
	Civilians	2
	Vehicle	1

File : 633/Org-3

2369 SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. (Ch/764/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 8 Jun 45.

Under Headquarters

Delete	Vehicle-mechanics, R.E.M.E.	
	Serjeant	1
	Craftsmen	2
	Drivers, I.C.	4
	Motor-cyclist	1

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2369	SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. (Continued)	(CM/764/1)

Under Captured stores depot

Delete General dutymen
- Corporal 1
- Private 1

Armament artificer (field) R.E.M.E.
- Staff-sergeant 1

Sheet metal workers, R.E.M.E.
- Corporal 1
- Craftsman 1

Carpenters and joiners, R.E.M.E.
- Craftsmen 2

Under Traffic

Delete Ordnance officer, captain 1
Clerk, R.A.O.C. duties, corporal 1
Storemen, Corporal 1
Privates 6
Carpenter and joiner, R.E.M.E.
Craftsman 1

Under Ordnance sub-depot (votes 7, 8 and 9)

Delete Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties
Privates 2
Storemen, Privates 3

Under R.A.M.C. sub-depot

Delete all detail

Under R.E. section

Delete all detail

Under Transport

Delete Motor-cycles, solo 2
Car, 4 x 2, light utility 1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. 3

It was agreed that this war establishment be subject to review on 8 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 683/Org-3

2370 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P. (CM/164/3)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under Instructors, Delete Lieutenants and all detail.

Substitute Under Police wing, Captains 2
Under Polish wing, Captain 1
Captain 1

Corporal

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	Corporal		
	Craftsman		1
	Carpenters and joiners, R.E.M.E.		
	Craftsmen		2
Under Traffic			
Delete	Ordnance officer, captain		1
	Clerk, R.A.O.C. duties, corporal		1
	Storemen, Corporal		1
	Privates		6
	Carpenter and joiner, R.E.M.E.		
	Craftsman		1
Under Ordnance sub-depot (votes 7, 8 and 9)			
Delete	Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties		
	Privates		2
	Storemen, Privates		3
Under R.A.M.C. sub-depot			
Delete all detail			
Under R.E. section			
Delete all detail			
Under Transport			
Delete	Motor-cycles, solo		2
	Car, 4 x 2, light utility		1
	Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S.		3

It was agreed that this war establishment be subject to review on 8 Jul 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 683/Org-3

2370 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.F. (CM/1645) 5313

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under Instructors, Delete Lieutenants and all detail.

Substitute	Under Police wing,	Captains	2
	Under Polish wing,	Captain	1
	Under Italian wing,	Captain	1
	Under R.P. wing,	Captain	1
	Under Austrian wing,	Lieutenant	1
	Under W.T. wing,	Lieutenant	1
	Under Reinforcement company	Lieutenant	1

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2370	DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT, C.M.P. (Continued)	(CM/164/3)

Under Notes, delete Note 1.

Substitute, "When more than one S.I.B. course is being held, add Captain - 1."

Under Note 2, delete Lieutenant (instructor) 1

Substitute Lieutenant - 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1,

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New War Establishments will NOT be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. dates as shown :-

2051A INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS C.R.A.S.C. ARMY TRANSPORT COLUMN (CM/933/1) 178

12 May 45.

2051B INCREMENT TO GENERAL TRANSPORT COMPANY R.A.S.C. TYPE "A" (CM/934/1) 178

12 May 45.

2051C INCREMENT TO GENERAL TRANSPORT COMPANY R.A.S.C. TYPE "B" (CM/935/1) 178

12 May 45.

Authority : WSD/117 dated 28 May 45.

File : 404/Org-3

1913 280 ITALIAN DRIVING AND MAINTENANCE SCHOOL (CM/757/1) (XII/1164/1) 152

10 Jun 45.

Authority : WSD/928.8(B) 1 dated 31 May 45.

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File : 742/Org-3

1657(B) "X" OFFICERS TRAINING UNIT (CM/621/1) (XII/1158/1)

7 Jun 45.

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1657(B) "X" OFFICERS TRAINING UNIT (CM/621/1) (XII/1158/1)

7 Jun 45.

Authority : WSD/134 dated 4 Jun 45.

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War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 176.

1900(a) ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS - Postal (CM/30/4)

War Office have NOT approved the upgrading of Deputy Director of Army Postal Services (colonel) to the rank of brigadier.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 6.

Authority : War Office cable 98415 SD 3C dated 2 Jun 45.

File : 250/Org-3

MINUTES

2349 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT FOR GREEK NATIONAL GUARD, BASE AND L OF C (CM/778/1)

The addition of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Ordnance officer (major)	1
Ordnance officer (captain)	1
Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties, (serjeants)	2
Storemen M.T. (serjeants)	2
W and S (serjeants)	2
C and S (serjeants)	2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 763/Org-3

2350 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT FOR GREEK NATIONAL ARMY (FIELD DIVISION) (CM/777/1)

The addition of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Ordnance officer (captain)	1
Clerk, R.A.O.C. duties, (serjeant)	1
Storeman technical (serjeant)	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

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Authority : War Office cable 98415 SD 3C dated 2 Jun 45.

File : 250/Org-3

MINUTES

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 763/Org-3

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The addition of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Ordnance officer (captain)	1
Clerk, R.A.O.C. duties, (serjeant)	1
Storeman technical (serjeant)	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

(CM/614/2)

2351 BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE

The addition of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Deputy assistant director of ordnance services		1
Ordnance officer (captain)		1
Clerks R.A.O.C. duties	(corporal)	1
	(privates)	2

The Committee also approved the deletion of storemen, technical, serjeant - 1 and private - 1 w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 763/Org-3

(CM/994/1)

2356 J MISSION

The addition of one lorry 2½ ton SCR 399 mounted was approved w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 779/Org-3

(CM/890/1)

2357 AN ITALIAN GRAVES CONCENTRATION PLATOON

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 May 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	29
	Vehicles	3

File : 742/Org-3

Noted

(CM/590/2)

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2358 BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO HUNGARY

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Add	Drivers I.C.	2

Against total of Cooks (privates) - 5

Add note (f) "may be civilians".

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	Services	1
	Ordnance officer (captain)	1
	Clerks R.A.O.C. duties (corporal)	1
	(privates)	2

The Committee also approved the deletion of storemen, technical, serjeant - 1 and private - 1 w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 763/Org-3

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 779/Org-3

2357 AN ITALIAN GRAVES CONCENTRATION PLATOON (CM/890/1)

The above new establishment was approved w.e.f. 17 May 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	29
	Vehicles	3

File : 742/Org-3

2358 BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO HUNGARY (CM/590/2)

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It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Add Drivers I.C. 2

Against total of Cooks (privates) - 5
Add note (f) "may be civilians".

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

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2359 CHIEF AIR FORMATION SIGNALS OFFICER, (CHIEF LINES OFFICER), MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCES (CM/45/2)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 4 Jun 45.

Delete	Deputy Chief Air Formation Signals Officer (colonel)	1
Add	Staff Officer R. Signals (lieutenant-colonel)	1

It was decided that the above establishment should be reviewed on 4 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 380/Org-3

2360 CHIEF SIGNALS OFFICER (ARMY) BALKAN AIR FORCE (CM/1028/1)

The above new war establishment, designed for temporary employment on the disbandment of HQ Land Forces Adriatic (WE CM/446/3) was approved w.e.f. 4 June 45, the appointment of Chief Signal Officer (lieutenant-colonel) being recommended to the War Office.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	5
	Vehicle	1

This establishment is subject to review on 1 Jul 45.

File : 737/Org-3

2361 INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS NO 1 DISTRICT (CM/1012/2)

Consideration of the proposal to add certain ordnance personnel to the above establishment was deferred.

File : 486/Org-3

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Add Staff Officer R. Signals (lieutenant-colonel) 1

It was decided that the above establishment should be reviewed on 4 Aug 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 380/Org-3

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Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	5
	Vehicle	1

This establishment is subject to review on 1 Jul 45.

File : 737/Org-3

2361 INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS NO 1 DISTRICT (CM/1012/2)

Consideration of the proposal to add certain ordnance personnel to the above establishment was deferred.

File : 486/Org-3

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209th Meeting, held on 1st June 1945

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	Major	H.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 172.	
1877	POLISH PAY AND CLAIMS OFFICE	(CM/711/1)

War Office have NOT approved the appointment of Staff Paymaster, 1st class.

Authority : War Office cable 97570 SD3(D) of 30 May 45.
Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.
(File 623/Org-3)

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 180.

1601 HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH ARMY (CM/223/1) (XII/46/2)

War Office have approved the upgrading of the appointment Brigadier General Staff, Headquarters Eighth Army to Major-General with effect from 26 May 45.

Authority : War Office cable 96791 SD3 of 28 May 45.
Will be promulgated as amendment No. 38.
(File 500/Org-3)

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1977 A LIGHT FIELD AMBULANCE (XII/291/1) 3304

War Office have NOT approved of the substitution of four vans, 5-cwt in place of four motor-cycles.

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Lieut-Col	E.A.W.	[illegible]	[illegible] (Maint)
Lieut-Col	H.R.	HUNT	Financial Advisor
Lieut-Col	J.E.	HALL	[illegible] (A.E.)
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(XII/291/1)
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1977 A LIGHT FIELD AMBULANCE

War Office have NOT approved of the substitution of four cars, 5-cwt in place of four motor-cycles.

Authority : War Office cable 97898 SD3 dated 31 May 45.

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War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 194.

2146 HEADQUARTERS, ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND. (CM/450/1)

War Office have approved the following amendment.

Under Ordnance, against Captain
Add "(may be L.T.S.)"

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

Authority : War Office cable 98296 SD3C of 1 Jun 45.

Minute 194/2146 and current amendment No. 2 are thereby cancelled.

(File 741/Org-3)

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 199.

2229 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (C../30/4)

War Office have approved the upgrading of General Staff Officer, 1st grade - 1, Historical Section, to the appointment of Colonel, General Staff, with effect from 27 April 45, subject to review on 27 July 45.

Authority : War Office cable 97407 SD3 of 30 May 45.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 199.

2230 HISTORICAL SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/999/1)

War Office have approved the appointments of General Staff Officer, 1st grade - 1 and Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General - 1 with effect from 27 April 45, subject to review on 27 July 45.

Authority : War Office cable 97407 SD3 of 30 May 45.

File : 250/Org-3

Addition to minutes.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS - G-5 (Civil Affairs/Military Government) (CM/30/4)

(CM/569/1)

MILITARY GOVERNMENT STAFF (AUSTRIA)

(CM/568/2)

22 CIVIL AFFAIRS UNIT

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22 CIVIL AFFAIRS UNIT (CM/568/2)

Designations of officer appointments in the above war establishments have been amended in accordance with War Office directive 20/Gen/6206/(SD1) dated 19 May 45 with effect from 4 June 45.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2343 **26 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN** (CM/646/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 14 Apr 45.

Under Attached to General Staff
Artillery

Delete	General staff officer, 1st grade	1
	General staff officer, 2nd grade	1
Substitute	General staff officers, 2nd grade	2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 584/Org-3

2344 **INCREMENT TO BRITISH EMBASSY, BELGRADE** (CM/647/2)

The above new war establishment, intended to supersede W.E. CM/647/1, was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

Strength :	Officers	10
	Other ranks	51
	Vehicles	9

File : 745/Org-3

2345 **ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS** (CM/30/4)

Local administrative staff.

(a) The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45, the increases in personnel being subject to an equivalent decrease in other branches of the headquarters w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

Delete	Clerk, general duties, R.A.S.C. (AO II)	1
	Medical officer, R.A.M.C. (captain)	1
Add	Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C. -	
	Warrant officer, class I	1
	Serjeant	1
	Corporal	1
	Lance-corporal	1
	Privates	4
	Medical officer, R.A.M.C. (major)	1

(b) The proposed addition of a staff officer, 3rd grade

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Artillery

Delete	General staff officer, 1st grade	1
	General staff officer, 2nd grade	1
Substitute	General staff officers, 2nd grade	2

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Delete	Clerk, general duties, R.A.S.C. (WO II)	1
	Medical officer, R.A.M.C. (captain)	1
Add	Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C. -	
	Warrant officer, class I	1
	Serjeant	1
	Corporal	1
	Lance-corporal	1
	Privates	4
	Medical officer, R.A.M.C. (major)	1

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(b) The proposed addition of a staff officer, 3rd grade (education) was not approved.

It was agreed that educational staff should be provided by implementing W.E. CM/48/5, Army Educational Corps, C.M. to the extent of a garrison, less subaltern, batman-driver and transport.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2346	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS POOL FOR TRANSIT HOTEL DUTIES	(CM/588/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

Delete	Captains or lieutenants	20
Add	Majors (may be A.C.C.)	4
	Captains (may be A.C.C.)	16
	Instructor, A.C.C. (warrant officer, class I)	1
	Clerk (civilian)	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 433/Org-3

2347	MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT, R.A.O.C. (TYPE 'A')	(III/292/1)
	MOBILE LAUNDRY AND BATH UNIT, R.A.O.C. (TYPE 'B')	(III/293/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the transfer of the driver, I.C. and 15-cwt truck, added by amendments Nos. 2 and 3 respectively, from the headquarters to the Bath section, w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

File : 683/Org-3

2348	LABOUR COMPANY (INCLUDING SPECIAL LABOUR COMPANY)	(III/66/3) Ind

The addition of a second-in-command (subedar) was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45, in accordance with GHQ India signal 91986 SD7 dated 28 May. Will be promulgated as local amendment No. 1 applicable to C.M. theatre only.

File : 650/Org-3

2349	BRITISH LIAISON UNIT FOR GREEK NATIONAL GUARD (BASE AND L OF C)	(CM/778/1)

The proposal to add ordnance personnel (2 officers and 8 other ranks) was deferred.

File : 763/Org-3

2350	BRITISH LIAISON UNIT FOR GREEK NATIONAL ARMY (EARLY DIVISIONS)	(CM/777/1)

Captains (may be ...C.C.)
Instructor, ...C.C. (warrant officer,

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Captains (may be ...C.C.) 6
Instructor, ...C.C. (warrant officer, class I) 1
Clerk (civilian) 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

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2349 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT FOR GREEK NATIONAL GUARD (CM/778/1)
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The proposal to add ordnance personnel (2 officers and 8 other ranks) was deferred.

File : 763/Org-3

2350 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT FOR GREEK NATIONAL ARMY (CM/777/1)
(FIELD DIVISION)

The proposal to add ordnance personnel (1 officer and 2 other ranks) was deferred.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2351 BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/614/2)

The proposal to add ordnance personnel (2 officers and 3 other ranks) was deferred.

File : 763/Org-3

2352. ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/2)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 199/1957 dated 27 Apr 45, and the following amendments were approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45 :-

(a) Under Supplies and Transport

Delete	Majors, R...S.C.	2
	Lieutenants, R...S.C.	2
	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. -	
	Serjeants	2
	Privates	2

(b) Under Medical

Delete	Embarkation medical officer (major)	1
	Clerks, R.A.M.C. -	
	Staff-serjeant	1
	Lance-corporal	1
	Privates	4

(c) Under Ordnance

Delete	Clerk, R...O.C. duties (lance-corporal)	1
	Storeman, technical (serjeant)	1
	Shoemakers Serjeant	1
	Corporals	2

(d) Under Miscellaneous appointments

Delete	Staff officers, P...D., 2nd grade	7
	Staff officers, P...D., 3rd grade	4

(e) Under Administrative staff

Delete	Batman	1
	Batmen-drivers (b)	8

and the words "five of the staff officers, P...D." in note (b).

(f) Under Transport

Delete	Cars, 4 x 2, light utility (b)	70
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(a) Under Supplies and Transport

Delete	Majors, R...S.C.	2
	Lieutenants, R...S.C.	2
	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. -	
	Serjeants	2
	Privates	2

(b) Under Medical

Delete	Embarkation medical officer (major)	1
	Clerks, R.A.M.C. -	
	Staff-serjeant	1
	Lance-corporal	1
	Privates	4

(c) Under Ordnance

Delete	Clerk, R...O.C. duties (lance-corporal)	1
	Storeman, technical (serjeant)	1
	Shoemakers Serjeant	1
	Corporals	2

(d) Under Miscellaneous appointments

Delete	Staff officers, F...D., 2nd grade	7
	Staff officers, F...D., 3rd grade	4

(e) Under Administrative staff

Delete	Batman	1
	Batmen-drivers (b)	8
	and the words "five of the staff officers, P...D." in note (b).	

(f) Under Transport

Delete	Cars, 4 x 2, light utility (b)	76
Substitute	Cars, 4 x 2, light utility (b)	70

(g) Delete notes (c) and (d) with all detail.

(h) Under Electrical and mechanical engineers, and w.e.f. 30 Jun 45

Delete	Assistant directors of mechanical engineering	5
	Clerks, technical, R.E.M.E. (privates)	4
Substitute	Assistant directors of mechanical engineering	4
	Clerks, technical, R.E.M.E. (privates)	3

This establishment will be re-written as G4/605/3 w.e.f. 1 June 45.

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War Establishment

2352B PHYSICAL TRAINING POOL (CM/265/1)

The addition of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

Sports officer (major)	1
Batman-driver (private)	1
Car, 4 x 2, light utility	1

This establishment will be re-written as CM/265/2.

File : 507/Org-3

2353 SCHOOL OF MECHANICS, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1026/1)

The above new war establishment, intended for use in place of the Mechanics' School, included in CM/282/2, was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45, the appointments of Commandant and chief instructor being recommended to the War Office.

Strength :	Officers	6
	Other ranks	93
	Civilians	46
	Vehicles	67

File : 516/Org-3

2354 PHYSICAL TRAINING AND SPORTS CENTRE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1027/1)

The above new war establishment, intended for use in place of the Physical Training School, authorised on W.E. CM/282/1 was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45, and subject to review on 1 Sep 45, the appointment of Commandant (lieutenant-colonel) being recommended to the War Office.

Strength :	Officers	5
	Other ranks	47
	Civilians	28
	Vehicles	4

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This establishment will be re-written as CM/263/2.

File : 507/Org-3

2353 SCHOOL OF MECHANICS, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1026/1)

The above new war establishment, intended for use in place of the Mechanics' School, included in CM/282/2, was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45, the appointments of Commandant and chief instructor being recommended to the War Office.

Strength :	Officers	6
	Other ranks	93
	Civilians	46
	Vehicles	67

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Strength :	Officers	5
	Other ranks	47
	Civilians	28
	Vehicles	4

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without ...F.H.Q. authority.

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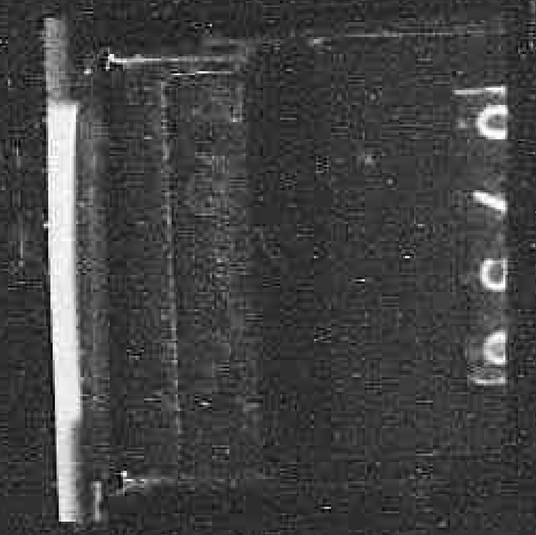
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208th Meeting, held on 28th May, 1945.

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Major W.D.A. CLARE — Q (Maint)
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Major H.K. JACQUES — G-3 (Org)

4 JUN 1945

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.	
2015	PORT MAINTENANCE COMPANY R.E.	(IV/22N/2)

War Office have approved w.e.f. 23 May 45 the following amendment :-

Under Headquarters

Add Drivers - 4

Under Four Sections (each)

Delete Driver - 1

Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Under Headquarters

Add Driver of vehicle - 1
Motor-cyclists - 3

Under Four Sections (each)

Delete Motor-cyclist - 1

Under Transport, Headquarters

Add Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S. - 3
Trailer, 1-ton, 2-wheeled, water, 180 gallons - 1

Delete Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2 - 2
Motor-cycle - 1

Under Four Sections (each)

Add Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 4, G.S. - 1

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Major J.R. Dicker
Major H.K. JACQUES G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.	
		(IV/22N/2)
2015	PORT MAINTENANCE COMPANY R.E.	
	War Office have approved w.e.f. 23 May 45 the following amendment :-	
	Under Headquarters	
	Add Drivers	- 4
	Under Four Sections (each)	
	Delete Driver	- 1
	Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties	
	Under Headquarters	
	Add Driver of vehicle	- 1
	Motor-cyclists	- 3
	Under Four Sections (each)	
	Delete Motor-cyclist	- 1
	Under Transport, Headquarters	
	Add Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	- 3
	Trailer, 1-ton, 2-wheeled, water, 180 gallons	- 1
	Delete Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2	- 2
	Motor-cycle	- 1
	Under Four Sections (each)	
	Add Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 4, G.S.	- 1
	Delete Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	- 1

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2015 POST MAINTENANCE COMPANY R.E. - continued (IV/22N/2)

War Office have approved w.e.f. 23 May 45 the following amendment to apply to units in 21 Army Group only, to be implemented at the discretion of the Theatre Commander.

Under Headquarters

Add	Corporal	- 1
Delete	Sapper	- 1

Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Under Headquarters

Add	Barge Engineer	- 1
	Watermen (including 1 corporal)	- 2
Delete	Bricklayers	- 3

Under Transport, Headquarters

Add	Harbour Launch	- 1

Authority : War Office cable 96504 SD 3A dated 25 May 45.

File : 685/Org-3

MINUTES

2328 REGIONAL ROAD TRANSPORT STAFF, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (CM/1025/1)

a) The above new war establishment, intended to operate initially in conjunction with the existing Gau organisation (TE CM/568/2), and to provide for the control of road transport during the present period was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	14
	Other ranks	36
	Vehicles	6

b) Included in the proposed war establishment were the appointments of deputy director (colonel) and three first grade staff officers for the Highways, Urban and Operating sections. It was stated that these officers would be required at a later stage to organise road repairs and the

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Under Headquarters

Add	Corporal	- 1
Delete	Sapper	- 1

Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Under Headquarters

Add	Barge Engineer	- 1
	Watermen (including 1 corporal)	- 2
Delete	Bricklayers	- 3

Under Transport, Headquarters

Add	Harbour Launch	- 1

Authority : War Office cable 96504 SD 3A dated 25 May 43.

File : 685/Org-3

MINUTES

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The Committee agreed to refer the need for these officers to the War Office for a ruling on the policy to be adopted in all zones of British occupation.

File : 397/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2329 EDUCATION BRANCH OF ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8940/1)

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Under Title.

Delete Education Division

Substitute Education Branch

File : 597/Org-3

2330 PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8420/1)

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Personal assistant, 70 I	1
Substitute	Personal assistant, Civilian	1

File : 597/Org-3

2331 INTERIOR DIVISION, HEALTH AND WELFARE BRANCH, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA, (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8780/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following amendments to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

a) Under Welfare section

Delete	Civilian of suitable grade	1
Substitute	Staff officer, 2nd grade	1

b) Under Planning section

Delete	Civilian of suitable grade	1
Substitute	Staff officer, 3rd grade	1
Delete	Staff officer, 1st grade	1
Substitute	Civilian of suitable grade	1

c) Delete Deputy director and principal medical officer (colonel) 1
Personal assistant A.T.S. (70 I) 1

Substitute Deputy director and principal

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Delete Education Division

Substitute Education Branch

File : 597/Org-3

2350 PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8420/1)

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Personal assistant, WO I	1
Substitute	Personal assistant, Civilian	1

File : 597/Org-3

2351 INTERIOR DIVISION, HEALTH AND WELFARE BRANCH, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA, (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8780/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following amendments to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

a) Under Welfare section

Delete	Civilian of suitable grade	1
Substitute	Staff officer, 2nd grade	1

b) Under Planning section

Delete	Civilian of suitable grade	1
Substitute	Staff officer, 3rd grade	1
Delete	Staff officer, 1st grade	1
Substitute	Civilian of suitable grade	1

c)

Delete	Deputy director and principal medical officer (colonel)	1
	Personal assistant A.T.S. (WO I)	1
Substitute	Deputy director and principal medical officer (civilian of suitable grade)	1

d) Under Coordination and liaison section

Upgrade Clerk, serjeant, - 1 to rank of staff serjeant.

File : 597/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NSDC No. T8502D

Serial Number

War Establishment

2332 INTERIOR DIVISION POST OFFICE BRANCH ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (XVI/8800/1)

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Draughtsman, R. Signals, (corporal)	- 1
Substitute	Draughtsman, any arm, (corporal)	- 1

File : 597/Org-3

2333 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS WORKS POOL (CK/399/2)

This war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 181/1955 dated 17 Mar 45.

The deletion of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Garrison engineers, (lieutenants)	4
Engineer clerks, (lance-corporals)	10
Surveyors' clerks, (staff-serjeant)	1
(corporal)	1

Continuation of the war establishment was approved subject to further review in three months w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 267/Org-3

2334 HEADQUARTERS CORPS TROOPS ORDNANCE (III/282/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Add	Storemen (privates)	2
	Clerk R.A.O.C. duties (private)	1
	General dutyman (private)	1
	Truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 GS	1
	Trailer, 2 wheeled, 180 gallon	1
Delete	Motor cycle, solo	1

File : 413/Org-3

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File : 597/Org-3

2333 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/399/2)
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Continuation of the war establishment was approved subject to further review in three months w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

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	Truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 GS	1
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Delete	Motor cycle, solo	1

File : 413/Org-3

2335 DEPOT TRANSPORT CONTROL UNIT R.A.S.C. (CM/769/1)
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 181/1956 dated 2 Mar 45, and continuation was approved subject to further review in three months w.e.f. 28 May 45.

File : 404/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2336	R.A.C. TRAINING DEPOT In view of the diminishing commitments of this depot, the proposed upgrading of the Welfare officer (lieutenant) to the rank of captain was not agreed. File : 661/Org-3	(CM/92/3)
2337	AN L OF C TELECOMMUNICATION REPAIR WORKSHOP R.E.M.E. The proposed addition of 13 drivers I.C. was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45. Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3. File : 400/Org-3	(CM/473/1)
2338	ROYAL SIGNALS REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT AND SCHOOL OF SIGNALS Amendment 7 to the above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 183/1969 dated 9 Mar 45, and continuation approved subject to further review on 1 Aug 45. File : 666/Org-3	(CM/286/1)
2339	REST AND TRANSIT CAMP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN The above war establishment, applicable to 159 Transit Camp, ROME, was reviewed in accordance with minute 192/2099 dated 2 Apr 45. Continuation was approved subject to further review on 1 Sep 45. File : 319/Org-3	(CM/543/1)
2340	A REST CAMP (REVISED), CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN The provision of messing personnel, in accordance with MCI 380/45, was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45. Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2. File : 319/Org-3	(CM/543/1)

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2337 AN L OF C TELEGRAPH UNIT ATTACHED REPAIR SECTION R.E.M.E.

The proposed addition of 13 drivers I.C. was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 400/Org-3

2338 ROYAL SIGNALS REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT AND SCHOOL OF SIGNALS (CM/286/1)

Amendment 7 to the above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 183/1969 dated 9 Mar 45, and continuation approved subject to further review on 1 Aug 45.

File : 666/Org-3

2339 REST AND TRANSIT CAMP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/543/1)

The above war establishment, applicable to 159 Transit Camp, ROME, was reviewed in accordance with minute 192/2099 dated 2 Apr 45. Continuation was approved subject to further review on 1 Sep 45.

File : 319/Org-3

2340 A REST CAMP (REVISED), CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/543/1)

The provision of messing personnel, in accordance with ACI 380/45, was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

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File : 319/Org-3

2341 A SMALL REST CAMP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/340/1)

The provision of messing personnel, in accordance with ACI 380/45, was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

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War Establishment

2342 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS ..... (CE/30/4)

Survey Section

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Captains R.E.	6
	Staff captain, A.T.S. or captain W.A.A.S.	1
Substitute	Captains R.E.	5
	Staff captains, A.T.S. or captains W.A.A.S.	2

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 266/Org-3

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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L. A. C. McWilliams.

Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.
Deputy Chairman.

HKJ/jmn
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	captain W.A.A.S.	1
Substitute	Captains R.E.	5
	Staff captains, A.T.S. or captains W.A.A.S.	2

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 266/Org-3

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Deputy Chairman.

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RESTRICTED

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

208th Meeting, held on 28th May, 1945

Present : Lieut-Col E.A.W. WILLIAMS — Deputy Chairman
Lieut-Col A.G. DAWTRY — G-1 (Br)
Major W.D.A. CLARE — Q (Maint)
Major S.H. EYRES — Financial Advisor
Major A.R. DICKER — Q (AE)
Major H.K. JACQUES — G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2015 PORT MAINTENANCE COMPANY R.E. (IV/22N/2)

War Office have approved w.e.f. 23 May 45 the following amendment :-

Under Headquarters

Add Drivers - 4

Under Four Sections (each)

Delete Driver - 1

Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Under Headquarters

Add Driver of vehicle - 1
Motor-cyclists - 3

Under Four Sections (each)

Delete Motor-cyclist - 1

Under Transport, Headquarters

Add Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S. - 3
Trailer, 1-ton, 2-wheeled, water, 180 gallons - 1

Delete Cars, 2-senter, 4 x 2 - 2
Motor-cycle - 1

Under Four Sections (each)

Add Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 4, G.S. - 1

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Major S.H. EYLES - Financial Advisor
Major A.R. DICKER Q (AE)
Major H.K. JACQUES G-3 (Org)

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Under Four Sections (each)

Add Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 4, G.S. - 1

Delete Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. - 1

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2015 PORT MAINTENANCE COMPANY R.E. - continued (IV/22N/2)

War Office have approved w.e.f. 23 May 45 the following amendment to apply to units in 21 Army Group only, to be implemented at the discretion of the Theatre Commander.

Under Headquarters

Add	Corporal	- 1
Delete	Sapper	- 1

Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Under Headquarters

Add	Barge Engineer	- 1
	Watermen (including 1 corporal)	- 2
Delete	Bricklayers	- 3

Under Transport, Headquarters

Add	Harbour Launch	- 1

Authority : War Office cable 96504 SD 3A dated 25 May 45.

File : 685/Org-3

MINUTES

2328 REGIONAL ROAD TRANSPORT STAFF, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) (CM/1025/1)

a) The above new war establishment, intended to operate initially in conjunction with the existing Gau organisation (WE CM/568/2), and to provide for the control of road transport during the present period was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

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	Other ranks	36
	Vehicles	6

b) Included in the proposed war establishment were the appointments of deputy director (colonel) and three first grade staff officers for the Highways, Urban and Operating sections. It was stated that these officers would be required at a later stage to organise road repairs and the

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the Theatre Commander.

Under Headquarters

Add	Corporal	- 1
Delete	Sapper	- 1

Distribution of rank and file by trades and duties

Under Headquarters

Add	Barge Engineer	- 1
	Watermen (including 1 corporal)	- 2
Delete	Bricklayers	- 3

Under Transport, Headquarters

Add	Harbour Launch	- 1

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MINUTES

(CM/1025/1)

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The Committee agreed to refer the need for these officers to the War Office for a ruling on the policy to be adopted in all zones of British occupation.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2329	EDUCATION BRANCH OF ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT)	(XVI/8940/1)

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Under Title.

Delete Education Division

Substitute Education Branch

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2330	PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT)	(XVI/8420/1)

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Personal assistant, 70 I	1
Substitute	Personal assistant, Civilian	1

File : 597/Org-3

2331	INTERIOR DIVISION, HEALTH AND WELFARE BRANCH, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA, (BRITISH ELEMENT)	(XVI/8780/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following amendments to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

a) Under Welfare section

Delete	Civilian of suitable grade	1
Substitute	Staff officer, 2nd grade	1

b) Under Planning section

Delete	Civilian of suitable grade	1
Substitute	Staff officer, 3rd grade	1
Delete	Staff officer, 1st grade	1
Substitute	Civilian of suitable grade	1

c)

Delete	Deputy director and principal medical officer (colonel)	1
	Personal assistant A.T.S. (70 I)	1
Substitute	Deputy director and principal	

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Delete Education Division

Substitute Education Branch

File : 597/Org-3

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It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Personal assistant, WO I	1
Substitute	Personal assistant, Civilian	1

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a) Under Welfare section

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b) Under Planning section

Delete	Civilian of suitable grade	1
Substitute	Staff officer, 3rd grade	1
Delete	Staff officer, 1st grade	1
Substitute	Civilian of suitable grade	1

c) Delete Deputy director and principal medical officer (colonel) 1
Personal assistant A.T.S. (WO I) 1

Substitute Deputy director and principal medical officer (civilian of suitable grade) 1

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d) Under Coordination and liaison section

Upgrade Clerk, serjeant, - 1 to rank of staff serjeant.

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2332	INTERIOR DIVISION POST OFFICE BRANCH ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT)	(XVI/8800/1)

It was agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Draughtsman, R. Signals, (corporal)	- 1
Substitute	Draughtsman, any arm, (corporal)	- 1

File : 597/Org-3

2333	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS WORKS POOL	(GH/399/2)

This war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 181/1955 dated 17 Mar 45.

The deletion of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Garrison engineers, (lieutenants)	4
Engineer clerks, (lance-corporals)	10
Surveyors' clerks, (staff-serjeant)	1
(corporal)	1

Continuation of the war establishment was approved subject to further review in three months w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 267/Org-3

2334	HEADQUARTERS CORPS TROOPS ORDNANCE	(III/282/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Add	Storemen (privates)	2
	Clerk R.A.O.C. duties (private)	1
	General dutyman (private)	1
	Truck 15 cwt 4 x 4 GS	1
	Trailer, 2 wheeled, 180 gallon	1
Delete	Motor cycle, solo	1

File : 413/Org-3

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File : 597/Org-3

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	Trailer, 2 wheeled, 180 gallon	1
Delete	Motor cycle, solo	1

File : 413/Org-3

2335 DEPOT TRANSPORT CONTROL UNIT R.A.S.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/764/1)

The above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 181/1956 dated 2 Mar 45, and continuation was approved subject to further review in three months w.e.f. 28 May 45.

File : 404/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 85020

Serial Number		War Establishment
2336	R.A.O.C. TRAINING DEPOT	(C4/92/3)

In view of the diminishing commitments of this depot, the proposed upgrading of the Welfare officer (lieutenant) to the rank of captain was not agreed.

File : 661/Org-3

2337	AN L OF C TELECOMMUNICATION REPAIR WORKSHOP R.E.M.E.	(C4/473/1)

The proposed addition of 13 drivers I.C. was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 400/Org-3

2338	ROYAL SIGNALS REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT AND SCHOOL OF SIGNALS	(C4/286/1)

Amendment 7 to the above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 183/1969 dated 9 Mar 45, and continuation approved subject to further review on 1 Aug 45.

File : 666/Org-3

2339	REST AND TRANSIT CAMP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(C4/543/1)

The above war establishment, applicable to 159 Transit Camp, ROME, was reviewed in accordance with minute 192/2099 dated 2 Apr 45. Continuation was approved subject to further review on 1 Sep 45.

File : 319/Org-3

2340	A REST CAMP (REVISED), CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(C4/543/1)

The provision of messing personnel, in accordance with MCI 380/45, was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 319/Org-3

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 185020

2337 AN L OF C TELECOMMUNICATION REPAIR WORKSHOP R.E.M.E. (CE/473/1)

The proposed addition of 13 drivers I.C. was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 400/Org-3

2338 ROYAL SIGNALS REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT AND SCHOOL OF SIGNALS (CE/286/1)

Amendment 7 to the above war establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute 183/1969 dated 9 Mar 45, and continuation approved subject to further review on 1 Aug 45.

File : 666/Org-3

2339 REST AND TRANSIT CAMP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/543/1)

The above war establishment, applicable to 159 Transit Camp, ROME, was reviewed in accordance with minute 192/2099 dated 2 Apr 45. Continuation was approved subject to further review on 1 Sep 45.

File : 319/Org-3

2340 A REST CAMP (REVISED), CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/543/1)

The provision of messing personnel, in accordance with ACI 380/45, was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45. 3301

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 319/Org-3

2341 A SMALL REST CAMP, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CE/940/1)

The provision of messing personnel, in accordance with ACI 380/45, was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 319/Org-3

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

Serial Number		War Establishment
2342	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS	(CM/30/4)

Survey Section

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 28 May 45.

Delete	Captains R.E.	6
	Staff captain, A.T.S. or captain W.A.A.S.	1
Substitute	Captains R.E.	5
	Staff captains, A.T.S. or captains W.A.A.S.	2

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 266/Org-3

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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L.A.C. Williams.

Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.
Deputy Chairman.

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Staff captains, A.T.S. or
captains W.A.A.S. 2

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 266/Org-3

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New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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RESTRICTED

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

207th Meeting, held on 25th May 1945

Present :	Brigadier	J.D'A. ANDERSON	Chairman
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	Brigadier	M.C.E. SHARP	Q (Maint)
	Lieut-Col	E.A.V. WILLIAMS	Deputy Chairman
	Lieut-Col	J.E. HALL	Financial Advisor
	Major	A.F. DICKER	Q (AE)
	Major	H.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Under additions to minutes giving details of promulgation of Central Mediterranean war establishments by War Office :-

Delete CM/207/1 - XII/269/1 - Co-operator Docks Operating Company, C.M.

Add CM/207/1 - XII/217/1 - Co-operator Docks Operating Company, C.M.

CM/857/1 - XII/269/1 - Italian Docks Operating Company (Italian Army).

The following war establishments are cancelled w.e.f. dates as shown :-

189 37 MILITARY MISSION (CM/518/2) 2062

With effect from 18 Jun 45.

WSD/163 dated 23 May 45 refers.

File : 745/Org-3

107 1 TRANSIT CAMP (for 1000 men) (CM/427/1) (XII/661/1) 11223 3 0 1

With effect from 18 May 45.

WSD/133 dated 23 May 45 refers.

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Lieut-Col	J.E. HAIL	Financial Advisor
Major	A.T. DICKER	Q (ME)
Major	H.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

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With effect from 18 Jun 45.

TSD/163 dated 23 May 45 refers.

File : 745/Org-3

107 A TRANSIT CAMP (for 1000 men) (CM/427/1) (XII/561/1) 1122330/1

With effect from 18 May 45.

TSD/133 dated 23 May 45 refers.

File : 319/Org-3

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

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 68.	
798	HEADQUARTERS, UNDERGROUND CABLE COMPANY	(CM/306/1) (XII/299/1)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 8 w.e.f. 9 Apr 45.

Under For each maintenance team

Delete	Truck, 15 cwt, 4 x 4	- 1
Substitute	Truck, 15 cwt, 4 x 4 or Lorry, 3 ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	- 1

ESD/75 dated 24 May 45 refers.

File : 689/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 191.

2088 BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER A.F.H.Q. POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE BRANCH

War Office have approved the appointment of G.S.O. I - 1 w.e.f. 9 Mar 45, subject to review at War Office 9 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 95601 IOTWC dated 23 May 45.

File : 298/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 192.

2103	HEADQUARTERS OF A CORPS ANTI-TANK REGIMENT R.A.	(III/308/1)
2104	A CORPS ANTI-TANK BATTERY S.P., R.A.	(VIII/771/1)

War Office state that the following amendment to W.Es. VIII/771/1 and XII/158/1 has been approved w.e.f. 2 Apr 45 :-

"When an anti-tank regiment is organised with headquarters on W.E. - III/308/1, one battery on W.E. - VIII/771/1 and three batteries on W.E. - XII/158/1 additional ranks and appointments for repair tradesmen will be allotted on a regimental basis as follows -

Staff-sergeants	- 2
Sergeants	- 3
[illegible]	- 2

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NND NO. 745020

Delete	Truck, 15 cwt, 4 x 4	- 1
Substitute	Truck, 15 cwt, 4 x 4 or Lorry, 3 ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	- 1

ESD/75 dated 24 May 45 refers.

File : 689/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 191.

2088 BRITISH RESIDENT MINISTER L.F.H.Q. POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE BRANCH

War Office have approved the appointment of G.S.C. I - 1 w.e.f. 9 Mar 45, subject to review at War Office 9 Sep 45.

Authority : War Office cable 95601 TOTTO dated 23 May 45.

File : 298/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 192.

2103 HEADQUARTERS OF 1 CORPS ANTI-TANK REGIMENT R.A. (III/308/1)
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Staff-sergeants	- 2
Sergeants	- 3
Lance-sergeants	- 2
Bombardiers	- 5
Lance-bombardiers	- 7"

Authority : War Office cables 92842 SD 3(c) dated 11 May and 01698 SD 3(c) dated 18 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 375/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NRRG NO. 78020

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 192.

2105 M ANTI-TANK BATTERY, R.A. (CM/659/2) (XII/158/1)

Sub para (b) amendment No. 2 to W.E. - CM/659/2, ranks for repair tradesmen.

Delete existing ranks

Substitute

Sergeant	1
Lance-sergeant	1
Bombardier	1
Lance-bombardier	1

Authority : War Office cable 95967 SD3 dated 25 May 45.

File : 375/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.

2176 INDIAN L OF C [illegible]CN 1Y UNIT (CM/477/2)

G.H.Q. India have approved this establishment w.e.f. 16 Apr 45.

Authority : G.H.Q. India cable 90026/SD7 dated 21 May 45.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 201.

2273(A) A.F.H.Q. STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/2) (XII/88/3)

War Office have approved the appointment of G.S.O. I - 1 (Intelligence) w.e.f. 4 May 45.

W.E. - CM/605/2 (XII/88/3) will be revicwed at the War Office 4 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 95604 SD 3(c) dated 25 May 45.

3294

File : 602/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 201 and 204.

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDG No. T65020

Serjeant	1
Lance-serjeant	1
Bombardier	1
Lance-bombardier	1

Authority : War Office cable 95967 SD3 dated 25 May 45.

File : 375/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.

2178 INDIAN L OF C SECURITY UNIT (CM/477/2)

G.H.Q. India have approved this establishment w.e.f. 16 Apr 45.

Authority : G.H.Q. India cable 90026/SD7 dated 21 May 45.

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 201.

2273(A) A.F.H.Q. STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/605/2) (XII/88/3)

War Office have approved the appointment of G.S.O. I - 3 (Intelligence) w.e.f. 4 May 45.

T.E. - CM/605/2 (XII/88/3) will be reviewed at the War Office 4 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 95604 SD 3(c) dated 25 May 45.

3291

File : 602/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 201 and 204.

2271 2294(C) APPOINTMENTS TO HEADQUARTERS NO. 1 DISTRICT (CM/1012/1)

War Office have approved the following appointments w.e.f. dates as shown :-

A.Q.M.G.	- 4 May 45
A.D.M.S. (Col)	- 4 May 45
A.D.S.T.	- 4 May 45
A.A.G.	- 11 May 45

The above appointments are subject to review at War Office 23 Aug 45.

Authority : War Office cable 95603 SD 3(c) dated 23 May 45.

File : 486/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. [illegible]

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 203.

2289 INCREMENT TO BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/1016/1)

War Office have approved the appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st grade for period 1 Jan/4 Mar 45.

Authority : War Office cable 95602 (SD3C) dated 23 May 45.

File : 763/Org-3

MINUTES

2320 BRITISH INCREMENT TO 'N ITALIAN TRAFFIC CONTROL COMPANY (CM/1023/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	7

File : 495/Org-3

2321 PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES POOL CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1024/1)

The above new war establishment, which is divided into three sections, each intended for attachment to a Mobile Stationery Section, was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	3
	Other ranks	36
	Motor cycles	3

File : 624/Org-3

2322 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

G-1 Division, A-5 (Education)

The addition of one Staff Officer, 3rd grade, education, and one Clerk (serjeant) any arm, intended to educate Jewish units was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45.

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dated 23 May 45.

File : 763/Org-3

MINUTES

2320 BRITISH INCREMENT TO 'N ITALIAN TRAFFIC CONTROL COMPANY (CM/1023/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Strength : Officer 1
Other ranks 7

File : 495/Org-3

2321 PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES POOL CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1024/1)

The above new war establishment, which is divided into three sections, each intended for attachment to a Mobile Stationery Section, was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Strength : Officers 3
Other ranks 36
Motor cycles 3

File : 624/Org-3

2322 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)
G-1 Division, A-5 (Education)

The addition of one Staff Officer, 3rd grade, education, and one Clerk (serjeant) any arm, intended to educate Jewish units was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 5.

File : 250/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 11065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 185020

Serial Number

War Establishment

2323 X REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/414/3)

The above revised establishment, deferred at the 205th Meeting, and designed to undertake the reduced commitments of this depot, was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45, subject to review in three months.

Strength :	Officers	29
	Other ranks	319
	Vehicles	16

File : 319/Org-3

2324 CIVIL AFFAIRS LIAISON OFFICERS POOL GREECE (CM/973/1)

In view of the need for continued surveillance of civil affairs in GREECE, particularly in regard to the proper distribution of supplies and clothing, the Committee agreed to recommend the re-implementation of the above establishment for the period of one month, w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

File : 590/Org-3

2325 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. (GREECE) (CM/1005/2)

The above new war establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/1005/1, was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45, the following first-grade appointments being recommended to the War Office :-

Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (supplies)
Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (distribution)
Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (relief)
Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (veterinary)

Strength :	Officers	38
	Other ranks	25

This pool is designed for employment during the month of June. The establishment was approved on the condition that it be reviewed each month.

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File : 590/Org-3

2326 TRANSIT HOTEL FOR SENIOR OFFICERS. (New WE's)
TRANSIT OFFICERS' MESS AND TRANSIT HOTELS

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	Other ranks	319
	Vehicles	16

File : 319/Org-3

2324 CIVIL AFFAIRS LIAISON OFFICERS POOL GREECE (CM/973/1)

In view of the need for continued surveillance of civil affairs in GREECE, particularly in regard to the proper distribution of supplies and clothing, the Committee agreed to recommend the re-implementation of the above establishment for the period of one month, w.e.f. 1 Jun 45.

File : 590/Org-3

2325 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. (GREECE) (CM/1005/2)

The above new war establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/1005/1, was approved w.e.f. 1 Jun 45, the following first-grade appointments being recommended to the War Office :-

Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (supplies)
Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (distribution)
Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (relief)
Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, (veterinary)

Strength :	Officers	38
	Other ranks	25

This pool is designed for employment during the month of June. The establishment was approved on the condition that it be reviewed each month.

3298

File : 590/Org-3

2326 TRANSIT HOTEL FOR SENIOR OFFICERS, TRANSIT OFFICERS' MESS AND TRANSIT HOTELS (New WE's)

The proposed new war establishments were not approved, since staff for these establishments can already be provided from 'B' A.F.H.Q. Pool for Transit Hotel Duties.

File : 319/Org-3

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

Serial Number		War Establishment
2327	GENERAL HEADQUARTERS 2nd ECHELON CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN	(CM/163/1)

(a) The addition of documentation teams, intended to be attached to HQ Assembly Centre and Wings respectively, was approved w.e.f. 25 May 45, the appointment of Assistant adjutant general being recommended to the War Office, subject to review in three months.

Strength :

(i) For attachment to HQ Assembly and Dispersal Centre (WE CM/652/2)

Officers	4
Other ranks	56
Vehicles	2

(ii) For attachment to Assembly Wing, Type 'A' (WE CM/653/2)

Officer	1
Other ranks	27
Vehicle	1

This will be published as amendment No. 10.

Approval of this addition is subject to certain reductions in WEs CM/652/2 and CM/653/2, vide minutes 2327A and 2327B below.

(b) The cancellation of paragraph B of amendment No. 8 to WE CM/163/1 was approved w.e.f. the date of implementation of the new amendment No. 10, vide para (a) above.

Files : 317/Org-3
764/Org-3

2327A HEADQUARTERS ASSEMBLY AND DISPERSAL CENTRE (CM/652/2)

The following amendments were approved in accordance with minute 2327 above.

(a) Delete Assistant adjutant and quartermaster general - 1, and substitute deputy assistant adjutant and quartermaster general w.e.f. the date of implementation of the appointment of A.A.G. authorised by amendment No. 10 to

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Strength :

(i) For attachment to HQ Assembly and Dispersal Centre (WE CM/652/2)

Officers	4
Other ranks	56
Vehicles	2

(ii) For attachment to Assembly Wing, Type 'A' (WE CM/653/2)

Officer	1
Other ranks	27
Vehicle	1

This will be published as amendment No. 10.

Approval of this addition is subject to certain reductions in WEs CM/652/2 and CM/653/2, vide minutes 2327A and 2327B below.

(b) The cancellation of paragraph B of amendment No. 8 to WE CM/163/1 was approved w.e.f. the date of implementation of the new amendment No. 10, vide para (a) above.

Files : 317/Org-3
764/Org-3

2327A HEADQUARTERS ASSEMBLY AND DISPERSAL CENTRE (CM/652/2)

The following amendments were approved in accordance with minute 2327 above.

(a) Delete Assistant adjutant and quartermaster general - 1, and substitute deputy assistant adjutant and quartermaster general w.e.f. the date of implementation of the appointment of A.A.G. authorised by amendment No. 10 to WE CM/163/1.

(b) Delete

Drivers I.C.	- 2
Car, 4 x 2, light utility	- 1
Truck, 15 cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	- 1

w.e.f. date of implementation of amendment No. 10 to WE CM/163/1.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

Files : 764/Org-3
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

W.R ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

204th Meeting held on 14 May 1945

Present :	Lieut-Col	E.W. WILLIAMS	Deputy Chairman
	Lieut-Col	G. DENTRY	G-1 (Br)
	Lieut-Col	R.H. BURNETT	Financial Advisor
	Lieut-Col	R.E. POLLARD	Ind Army Liaison Mission
	Major	R.E. NICHOLS	Q (Maint)
	Major	E.R. DICKER	Q (AE)
	Major	H.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

The following war establishments, approved by M.M.I. War Establishments Committee, have been confirmed and allotted C.W.E. numbers as below :-

Title	Effective date	C.W.E. Number
Gas Training Team for Italian Combat Force (Italian Army)	12 April 45	C.W./874/1
Light Aid Detachment for an Italian Transport Company	18 April 45	C.W./875/1
An Italian Officers' Shop (Static)	26 April 45	C.W./876/1
An Italian Officers' Shop (Mobile)	26 April 45	C.W./877/1
An Italian Engineer Park Company	26 April 45	C.W./878/1
An Army Vehicle Disposal Unit	26 April 45	C.W./879/1

File : 303/2/Org-3

The following war establishments, approved by A.F.H.Q. have been promulgated by War Office as below :-

W.E.C. Meeting	C.W. W.E. Number	W.O. W.E. Number	Title	Minute
51	C.W./207/1	XII/269/1	Cooperator Docks Operating Company CW	520
183	C.W./255/2	XII/264/2	School of Electrical and Mechanical Engineering CW	1934
183	C.W./291/2	XII/1185/2	Mechanical Warfare Experimental Establishment CW	1960
181	C.W./346/2	XII/1303/2	Allied P.W. Repatriation Camp CW	1949
182	C.W./395/2	XII/38/2	Increment to Headquarters III Corps	1964
178	C.W./622/2	XII/41/2	Independent Para Brigade Group Depot CW	3297
153	C.W./627/1	XII/268/1	An Armoured Engineer Park Squadron RE CW	16668
171	C.W./651/1	XII/97/1	Military Headquarters Balkans	1684.

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GSO 3 (I)

Major H.K. JACQUES G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

The following war establishments, approved by M.E.W.E. War Establishments Committee, have been confirmed and allotted CM/- numbers as below :-

Title	Effective date	W.E. Number
Gas Training Team for Italian Combat Force (Italian Army)	12 April 45	CM/874/1
Light Aid Detachment for an Italian Transport Company	18 April 45	CM/875/1
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An Italian Engineer Park Company	26 April 45	CM/878/1
An Army Vehicle Disposal Unit	26 April 45	CM/879/1

File : 303/2/Org-3

The following war establishments, approved by M.E.W.E. have been promulgated by War Office as below :-

W.E.C. Meeting	C.M. W.E. Number	W.O. W.E. Number	Title	Minute
51	CM/207/1	XII/269/1	Cooperator Docks Operating Company CM	520
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181	CM/769/1	XII/485/1	Depot Transport Control Unit R.ASC CM	1956
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181	CM/773/1	XII/1004/1	Allied P.W. Repatriation Detachment CM	1949
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182	CM/779/1	XII/660/2	Headquarters Military Liaison Greece	1965
183	CM/784/1	XII/270/1	Survey Computing Unit	1975

MI 451/45 refers.

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 141

1526 HEADQUARTERS, INFANTRY REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT (CL/99/2) (XII/350/2)

The following amendment will be promulgated w.e.f. 16 Oct 44.

For Second-in-command (lieutenant-colonel) 1
Substitute Assistant commandant (lieutenant-colonel) 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 7.

File : 663/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 152.

1657(A) HEADQUARTERS, INFANTRY REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT (CL/99/3) (XII/350/3)

The following amendment will be promulgated w.e.f. 27 Nov 44.

For Second-in-command (lieutenant-colonel) 1
Substitute Assistant commandant (lieutenant-colonel) 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 663/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 171.

1863 HEADQUARTERS OF A COMMANDER, R.A.S.C. SUPPLY UNITS (IV/233/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

Under (i) Personnel

Add	Driver I.C.	1
	Batman-driver	1
	Motor cyclists	2
	Cook, A.C.C.	1
Delete	Issuer for duty as batman	1

Under (ii) Transport

Add	Motor cycle, solo	1
	Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2	1
	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4	1

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 663/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 152.

1657(A) HEADQUARTERS, INFANTRY REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT (CL/99/3) (XII/350/3)

The following amendment will be promulgated w.e.f. 27 Nov 44.

For	Second-in-command (lieutenant-colonel)	1
Substitute	Assistant commandant (lieutenant-colonel)	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

File : 663/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 171.

1863 HEADQUARTERS OF A COMMANDER, R.A.S.C. SUPPLY UNITS (IV/233/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

Under (i) Personnel

Add	Driver I.C.	1
	Batman-driver	1
	Motor cyclists	2
	Cook, A.C.C.	1
Delete	Issuer for duty as batman	1

Under (ii) Transport

Add	Motor cycle, solo	1
	Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2	1
	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4	1

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To be implemented at Theatre Commander's discretion.

Authority : War Office cables92608 SD 3 dated 11 May 45 and 93508 SD 3 dated 15 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 404/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 173.

1883 "X" REINFORCEMENT TRAINING DEPOT C.M.E. (CE/414/2)

Delete Masseuse (will be trained in occupational therapy) 1 (a)

Note (a)

Substitute Masseur (trained in occupational therapy) Corporal R.A.M.C. 1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 w.e.f. 13 May 45.

File : 720/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1968 SPECIAL LINE SECTION, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/780/1)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 9 Mar 45.

Add note "Of the total operators W & L, linemen/drivers, clerk/storeman, two will be corporals and two lance-corporals".

File : 588/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1970 INCREMENT TO ARMOURED BRIGADE SIGNAL SQUADRON C.M.E. (CE/761/1)

This establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 12 May 45.

WSD/111 dated 14 May 45 refers.

File : 410/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 184.

1986 INDIAN INFANTRY SPECIALIST SCHOOL C.M.E. (CE/507/2)

This establishment will be cancelled w.e.f. 15 Jun 45.

WSD/134 dated 16 May 45 refers.

File : 668/Org-3

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13 May 45.

File : 720/Org-3

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File : 588/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 183.

1970 INCREMENT TO ARMOURED BRIGADE SIGNAL SQUADRON C.M. (CM/781/1)

This establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 12 May 45.

WSD/111 dated 14 May 45 refers.

File : 410/Org-3

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Serial Number

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Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 186 and 196.

2021 PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH, ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CE/922/1)

War Office have now approved the appointment of Principal Finance Administrative Officer (colonel) in lieu of Principal Finance Administrative Officer (lieutenant-colonel) - 1 and Personal Assistant (captain or lieutenant) in lieu of Staff lieutenant - 1, subject to review at War Office 16 Jul 45.

The post-dating of the effective date of the establishment from 16 Mar 45 is still under consideration.

Authority : War Office cable 92401 SD 30 dated 9 May 45.

File : 583/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2058 33 MILITARY MISSION (CE/241/3)

War Office have approved the following appointments w.e.f. 23 Mar 45 subject to review there 4 Jul 45.

G.S.C. I (Training)	1
A.A.G.	1 (in lieu of Colonel 'A')
A.Q.M.G.	1
A.D.A.W.S.	1

The appointment of Colonel 'A' was not approved.

The substitution of A.A.G. - 1 for Colonel 'A' - 1 will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 23 Mar 45.

Authority : War Office cable 93052 SD 3(c) dated 12 May 45.

File : 544/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2058. ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT AND ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION FOR ITALY (CE/266(2))

In view of the non-approval by War Office of the appointment of Colonel 'A' on the revised WE - 33 Military Mission (CE/241/3) amendment No. 5 deleting

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NRDC NO. 185020

The post-dating of the effective date of the establishment from 16 Mar 45 is still under consideration.

Authority : War Office cable 92401 SD 3C dated 9 May 45.

File : 583/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2058 33 MILITARY MISSION (CA/241/3)

War Office have approved the following appointments w.e.f. 23 Mar 45 subject to review there 4 Jul 45.

G.S.O. I (Training)	1
A.A.G.	1 (in lieu of Colonel 'A')
A.Q.M.G.	1
A.D.A.W.S.	1

The appointment of Colonel 'A' was not approved.

The substitution of A.A.G. - 1 for Colonel 'A' - 1 will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 23 Mar 45.

Authority : War Office cable 93052 SD 3(c) dated 12 May 45.

File : 54/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 189.

2058. ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT AND ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION FOR ITALY (CA/266(2))

In view of the non-approval by War Office of the appointment of Colonel 'A' on the revised WE - 33 Military Mission (CA/241/3) amendment No. 5 deleting w.e.f. 23 Mar 45 Colonel, civil affairs - 1 will be cancelled by amendment No. 6 to be promulgated w.e.f. 23 Mar 45.

File : 423/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 187020

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 193.

2133 ENGINEER ENCRE ENT TO .. PIONEER CO.P.NY (CL/959/1)

Delete Compressor Operators
Lance-corporals 2

Substitute Engine Hands i/c
Lance-corporals 2

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 6 .pr 45.

File : 685/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2211 LIGHT .ID DET.CH.ENT FOR .N ITALI.N TR.NSPORT CO.P.NY (CL/875/1)

.mend effective date to read 18 .pril 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 18 .pril 45.

File :

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 199.

2238 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR .TT.CH.ENT TO U.N.R.A. (GREECE) (CL/1005/1)

For U.N.R.A.

Read U.N.R.R.A.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 27 .pril 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes

A.P.R. FIELD .MBUL.NCE (I/312/1)
FIELD .MBUL.NCE (1942) (II/296/1)
FIELD DRESSING ST.TION (1944) (II/301/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 9 May 45.

For .mbulances, 4 x 2

Substitute .mbulances, 4 x 4

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNRC No. 85020

File : 685/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2211 LIGHT AID DETACHMENT FOR AN ITALIAN TRANSPORT COMPANY (CL/875/1)

Amend effective date to read 18 April 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 18 April 45.

File :

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 199.

2238 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.A. (GREECE) (CL/1005/1)

For U.N.R.A.

Read U.N.R.R.A.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 27 April 45.

File : 590/Org-3

Addition to minutes

A.F.V. FIELD AMBULANCE (I/312/1)
FIELD AMBULANCE (1942) (II/296/1)
FIELD DRESSING STATION (1944) (II/301/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 9 May 45.

For Ambulances, 4 x 2

Substitute Ambulances, 4 x 4

Authority : War Office cable 92844 SD 3 dated 11 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 552/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 178502

MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
2295	G.H.Q. MIDDLE EAST WELFARE POOL	(CA/370/1)

The Committee agreed to antedate the appointment of deputy assistant director of army welfare services (major I...) - 1 to 14 Sep 44, this being the date upon which the officer was appointed. The above appointment was authorised by Amendment No. 2, in accordance with ...HQ MEC Minute 156/1617, and GHQ India Defence Department letter 24845/25/Wel I... dated 21 Oct 44.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 641/Org-3

2296 AFRICAN AND COLONIAL BASE CAMP (CA/215/1)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45, in accordance with GRO 31/45.

Under African personnel (b)

delete all existing detail.

substitute

	A	B	C
Company serjeants major	1	1	1
Education instructors (serjeants)	2	1	1
Clerks, serjeants	4	3	2
Cooks, serjeants	2	1	1
corporals	1	2	1
privates	13	11	8
Driver mechanics, lance corporals (a)	1	1	1
Drivers M.T., privates (a)	2	1	1
Batmen, privates	2	2	1
General duty men, lance corporals	1	1	1
privates	4	2	2
Medical orderlies, corporals	1	1	1
privates	1	1	
Mess orderlies, privates	5	2	1
Despatch riders (MC) privates	1	1	1
Regimental police, serjeants	1	1	
corporals	1	1	
lance corporals	5	5	1
Sanitary assistants, lance corporals	1	1	1
privates	11	8	5
Butchers, privates	1	1	
Carpenters and joiners, privates	2	2	1
Leather workers and boot repairers, privates	2	2	1
Tailors, privates	2	1	1
Storemen, lance corporals			

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 641/Org-3

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privates	4	2	2
Medical orderlies, corporals	1	1	1
privates	1	1	
Mess orderlies, privates	5	2	1
Despatch riders (MC) privates	1	1	1
Regimental police, serjeants	1	1	1
corporals	1	1	
lance corporals	5	3	1
Sanitary assistants, lance corporals	1	1	1
privates	11	8	5
Butchers, privates	1	1	
Carpenters and joiners, privates	2	2	1
Leather workers and boot repairers, privates	2	2	1
Tailors, privates	2	2	1
Storemen, lance corporals	2	1	1
Packers and storemen, lance corporals	1	1	1
privates	3	2	1
Total	73	56	37

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 319/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2297 AFRICAN AND COLONIAL FORCES RECEPTION STATION (OVERSEAS) (III/AF/460/1)

It was agreed to recommend to the War Office that the 5 African non tradesmen cooks (1 lance corporal and 4 privates) should be authorised as tradesmen (European cookery).

File : 319/Org-3

2298 HEADQUARTERS NO. 3 DISTRICT (C/264/2)

(a) The addition of one general staff officer, 3rd grade, liaison (for Jugo-slav affairs) was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45, subject to review on 14 Jun 45.

(b) The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45.

Under General staff branch

Delete	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C., privates	8
Substitute	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. privates	6

Under Branch of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General

Delete	Staff captains 'A' (one will be A.T.S.)	
Substitute	Staff captains 'A' (one may be A.T.S.)	
Delete also,	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. privates	11
Substitute	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. privates	13

(c) The addition of one Catering Advisor (major) was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45, subject to review after a period of three months, or sooner if the feeding strength in 3 District should fall below 80,000.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 15.

File : 625/Org-3

2299 HEADQUARTERS UNIT MAINTENANCE INSPECTORATE ('B' VEHICLES) C.M.F. (C/5[illegible]) 3291

(a) The proposed upgrading of a clerk (staff-serjeant) to the rank of warrant officer, class II, was not agreed.

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Delete	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C., privates	8
Substitute	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. privates	6

Under Branch of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General

Delete	Staff captains 'A' (one will be ...T.S.)	
Substitute	Staff captains 'A' (one may be A.T.S.)	
Delete also,	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. privates	11
Substitute	Clerks, general duties, R...S.C. privates	13

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 15.

File : 625/Org-3

2299 HEADQUARTERS UNIT MAINTENANCE INSPECTORATE ('B' VEHICLES) C.M.F. (CL/5849) 3291

(a) The proposed upgrading of a clerk (staff-serjeant) to the rank of warrant officer, class II, was not agreed.

(b) The addition of the following civilian personnel to the headquarters was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45.

Head cooks	4
Waitresses	4
Cleaners	4

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 601/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC NO. 165720

Serial Number

War Establishment

2300 SHIPS STAFF, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/186/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend to the War Office the upgrading of Major (officer commanding troops) to the rank of lieutenant-colonel in respect of Z Ships Staff only. It was agreed that the proposed amendment should be subject to review after a period of three months, or at an earlier date should the average loading of this ship decrease to less than 2000 troops.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 539/Org-3

2301 HEADQUARTERS TRAIN GUARD CONTROL (CM/761/1)

The proposal to delete major - 1, and substitute a colonel was not agreed. It was decided that the functions of this unit have not changed sufficiently since the establishment was approved to justify a higher rank.

File : 341/Org-3

2302 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45.

Under G-4 Division (Movements)

Delete	Staff captains (M)	21
Substitute	Staff captains Q (M)	21

The proposal to transfer the movement control personnel under the heading of Clerks, R.E. was withdrawn.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 4.

File : 268/Org-3

2303 ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CM/30/4)

Supreme Allied Commander's Secretariat
Staff message control

The proposal to upgrade clerks, general duties, serjeants - 3 to the rank of staff serjeant was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45.

It was not considered that the personal responsibilities 329/1
of the 3 corporal clerks, employed on despatch duties

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 339/Org-3

2301 HEADQUARTERS TRAIN GUARD CONTROL (CM/761/1)

The proposal to delete major - 1, and substitute a colonel was not agreed. It was decided that the functions of this unit have not changed sufficiently since the establishment was approved to justify a higher rank.

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Will be incorporated in amendment No. 4.

File : 268/Org-3

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Supreme Allied Commander's Secretariat
Staff message control

The proposal to upgrade clerks, general duties, serjeants - 3 to the rank of staff serjeant was approved w.e.f. 14 May 45.

It was not considered that the personal responsibilities of the 3 corporal clerks, employed on despatch duties were sufficient to warrant the rank of serjeant, and this upgrading was not agreed. 329.)

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 4.

File : 250/Org-3

New War Establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

H. B. A. Gilliam

Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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21 May 45

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203rd Meeting, held on 11 May 1945

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ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 155.	
1691	BRITISH MILITARY TRAINING DIRECTORATE	(G/65/2)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade, Training - 1 subject to review on 5 June 45.

Authority : War Office cable 53268 SD 3 dated 19 Dec 44.

File : 416/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 169 and 187.

1830 2034	G.H.Q. 2nd ECHELON (INDIAN) C.M.	(G/690/1)

G.H.Q. India have approved this war establishment w.e.f. 1 Oct 44.

Authority : G.H.Q. India cable 86478 SD 7 dated 8 May 45. 3288

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 195.

2171C	AN ASSEMBLY CENTRE	~~(G/975/1)~~

Amend title to read

"[illegible] PERSONS ASSEMBLY CENTRE"

Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 75022

Lieut-Col	R.H. BURNETT	[illegible]
Major	A.E.R. DICKER	Q (AE)
Major	H.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

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2034 G.H.Q. 2nd ECHELON (INDIAN) C.M.

G.H.Q. India have approved this war establishment w.e.f. 1 Oct 44.

Authority : G.H.Q. India cable 86478 SD 7 dated 8 May 45. 3288

File : 643/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 195.

~~(CL/975/1)~~

21710 AN ASSEMBLY CENTRE

Amend title to read

"DISPLACED PERSONS ASSEMBLY CENTRE"

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.

(G-1(Br)1172/A.1 dated 8 May 45 refers).

File : 597/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.

2200 LIAISON SECTION, BRITISH EMBASSY, GREECE (CE/985/1)

War Office state the following first grade appointments and above have been approved subject normal para-military procedure w.e.f. date of Treasury sanction.

a) Brigadier - 1

b) Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs - 1

c) Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs, chief legal adviser - 1 (subject to deletion of equivalent appointment on WE - Increment to HQ III Corps (CE/555/2))

d) Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs (assistant to HM Consul General, SALONIKA) - 1 (transferred from HQ Salonika District, CE/722/1)

e) Deputy financial adviser, (lieutenant-colonel) (civil affairs) - 1 (transferred from HQ 1L Greece, CE/779/1)

f) Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs (Secretariat) - 1 (transferred from WE - Increment to HQ III Corps, CE/555/2)

The designation of the unit has been amended to to Special Liaison Section (Civil) (Not a Military Establishment). This amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. date of Treasury sanction of the war establishment.

Authority : War Office cable 91797 SD 3 dated 7 May 45.

File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 198.

2217 MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA (CE/667/1)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointments of :

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of equivalent appointment on WE - Increment to HQ III Corps (CL/555/2))

d) Staff officer, 1st grade, civil affairs (assistant to HM Consul General, SALONIKA) - 1 (transferred from HQ Salonika District, CL/722/1)

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Authority : War Office cable 91797 SD 3 dated 7 May 45.

File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 198.

2217 MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA (CL/667/1)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointments of :

Head of Mission (brigadier) - 1
Political advisor (General staff officer, 1st grade) - 1

until 3 August 45.

Authority : War Office cable 92293 SD 30 dated 9 May 45.

File : 770/Org-3

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Declassified E.O. 12065 Section 3-402/NNDC No. 74502

Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 200.

2260 A MOBILE METHOD OF INSTRUCTION TEAM (G/493/1)

Amend minute 2260 to read

Delete	Batman	- 1
Add	Driver, I.C.	- 1
	Batman-driver	- 1
	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	- 1
	Car, 4 x 2, light utility	- 1

File : 369/Org-3

Addition to minutes

INDIAN ANTI-TANK BATTERY, INDIAN ARTILLERY (I/10-B/3)

G.H.Q. India cable 70127 SD 7 dated 20 Mar 45 authorised the implementation of amendment No. 3 in this theatre.

WSD/144 dated 22 Mar 45 also refers.

File : 201/Org-3

Addition to minutes

HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA (BRITISH ELEMENT) - ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH (XVI/8004/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.

"Add Welfare officer (captain). Not to be implemented until receipt of instructions from War Office".

War Office have approved implementation w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.

3287

Authority : War Office cable 91951 SD 3A dated 7 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 597/Org-3

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Batman-driver	- 1
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	- 1
Car, 4 x 2, light utility	- 1

File : 369/Org-3

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MINUTES

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2290	EQUITATION TRAINING UNIT The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45. Strength : Officer 1 Other ranks 11 Civilians 10 Vehicle 1 File : 611/Org-3	(CX/1017/1)
2291	SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN The above establishment was reviewed in accordance with AFHQ minutes 180/1947 dated 17 Mar and 184/19960 dated 24 Mar, and the following officers and other ranks deleted w.e.f. 11 May 45.	(CX/764/1)

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War Office for guidance on policy.

File : 250/Org-3

2289 INCREMENT TO BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE (CM/1016/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 1 Jan 45, in accordance with War Office signal 80560 SD 3(c) dated 28 Mar 45, for employment during the period 1 Jan to 4 Mar 45.

Strength : Officers 37

The appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 was recommended to the War Office, and it was agreed that the establishment be cancelled w.e.f. 4 Mar 45.

File : 763/Org-3

2290 EQUITATION TRAINING UNIT (CM/1017/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	11
	Civilians	10
	Vehicle	1

File : 611/Org-3

2291 SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/764/1)

The above establishment was reviewed in accordance with AFHQ minutes 180/1947 dated 17 Mar and 184/19960 dated 24 Mar, and the following officers and other ranks deleted w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Under Headquarters.

Ordnance officer (lieutenant-colonel)	
Chief ordnance officer	1
Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties	
Sergeant	1
Private	1
Drivers I.C. privates	4
General dutyman, private	1
Cook, A.C.C., private	1

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Serial Number

War Establishment

/2291 SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN - continued (CM/764/1)

Under Ammunition and Explosives Depot.

Inspecting ordnance officer, captain	1
Storemen ammunition	
Sergeant	1
Lance-corporals	2
Privates	6
Ammunition examiners	
Warrant officer class II	1
Sergeant	1
Corporal	1
Clerks R.A.O.C. duties	
Corporal	1
Privates	3
Carpenter and joiner, R.E.M.E.	1
Sheet metal worker, R.E.M.E.	1

Continuation of this war establishment was agreed subject to further review in one month.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 683/Org-3

2292 ITALIAN OFFICERS' SHOP (MOBILE) (CM/877/1)

In view of the grave scarcity of transport, the proposal to include a 3 ton lorry in the above establishment was not agreed.

File : 742/Org-3

2293 ITALIAN ENGINEER PARK COMPANY (New W.E.)

The proposal for the above new war establishment was withdrawn at the request of the sponsors.

File : 742/Org-3

2294 BRITISH LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE ITALIAN COMBAT FORCES (CM/1018/1)

3285

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Strength : Officers 17
Other ranks 47

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	Warrant officer class II	1
	Sergeant	1
	Corporal	1
Clerks R.A.O.C. duties		
	Corporal	1
	Privates	3
Carpenter and joiner, R.E.M.E.		1
Sheet metal worker, R.E.M.E.		1

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File : 742/Org-3

2294 BRITISH LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE IN ITALIAN COMBAT FORCES (CE/1018/1)

3284

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	17
	Other ranks	47
	Vehicles	8

This establishment is intended to supersede WE's CE/510/1, CE/732/1 and CE/733/1.

File : 758/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2294A ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (A/30/4)

G-1 (British) Division (A-4)

The deletion of one clerk, general duties, R.A.S.C. (corporal) and the addition of the following officers and other ranks was approved w.o.f. 11 May 45.

Deputy assistant adjutants general	2
Staff captains	4
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.	
Privates	16

The additions are subject to the corresponding disbandment and cancellation of WE G/554/1, The Post Armistice "A" Planning Committee, vide minute serial 2294B below.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 4.

File : 258/Org-3

2294B THE POST ARMISTICE "A" PLANNING COMMITTEE (G/554/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 11 May 45.

File : 258/Org-3

2294C INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS 1 DISTRICT (G/1012/1)

The addition of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45, the appointment of Assistant adjutant general being recommended to the War Office.

Under General Staff Branch, Intelligence

Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.	
Lance-corporal	1
Private	1

Under Branch of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General

Assistant adjutant general	1
Staff captain "A"	1
Deputy assistant quartermaster general	1
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.	
Staff serjeant	1
Serjeant	1
Lance-corporal	1
Private	1

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Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Privates 16

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Will be incorporated in amendment No. 4.

File : 258/Org-3

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File : 258/Org-3

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Under General Staff Branch, Intelligence

Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Lance-corporal 1
Private 1

Under Branch of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General

Assistant adjutant general 1
Staff captain "A" 1
Deputy assistant quartermaster general 1
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Staff serjeant 1
Serjeant 1
Lance-corporal 1
Private 1

Under Services, Supplies and transport.

Deputy assistant director of supplies and transport 1
Captains R.A.S.C. 2
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Corporal 1
Privates 2

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2294C	INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS 1 DISTRICT - continued	(CM/1012/1)

Under Administrative personnel

Medical officer's orderly, any arm Private	1
Batmen-drivers	3
Batmen	3

Under Transport

Car 4 x 2 light utility	1
Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.	2

This war establishment will be re-written as WE CM/1012/2, incorporating the above amendment.

File : 486/Org-3

Now war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

HKJ/jmn
16 May 45

K. A. C. Chilvers
Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

203rd Meeting, held on 11 May 1945

Present : Brigadier G.B.S. HEADLEY — Chairman
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Major A.E.R. DICKER — Q (AE)
Major H.K. JACQUES — G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number — War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 155.

1691 BRITISH MILITARY TRAINING DIRECTORATE (G1/65/2)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointment of General staff officer, 1st grade, Training - 1 subject to review on 5 June 45.

Authority : War Office cable 53268 SD 3 dated 19 Dec 44.

File : 416/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 169 and 187.

1830 2034 G.H.Q. 2nd ECHELON (INDIAN) C.M. (G1/690/1)

G.H.Q. India have approved this war establishment w.e.f. 1 Oct 44.

Authority : G.H.Q. India cable 86478 SD 7 dated 8 May 45.

File : 643/Org-3

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 195.

2171C AN ASSEMBLY CENTRE (G1/975/1)

Amend title to read

"DETAINED PERSONS ASSEMBLY CENTRE"

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Lieut-Col	R.H. BORRETT	[illegible]
Major	A.E.R. DICKER	Q (AE)
Major	H.K. JACQUES	G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number — War Establishments

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Addition to minutes of meeting No. 195.

2171C AN ASSEMBLY CENTRE ~~(G/975/1)~~

Amend title to read

"DISPLACED PERSONS ASSEMBLY CENTRE"

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.

(G-1(Br)1172/A.1 dated 8 May 45 refers).

File : 597/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 196.	
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File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 198.

2217 MILITARY MISSION TO ALBANIA (CX/667/1)

War Office have approved the continuation of the appointments of :

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3283

Authority : War Office cable 91951 SD 3A dated 7 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

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Truck, [illegible]
Car, 4 x 2, light utility - 1

File : 369/Org-3

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War Office for guidance on policy.

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(CE/1017/1)

2290 EQUITATION TRAINING UNIT

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	11
	Civilians	10
	Vehicle	1

File : 611/Org-3

(CE/764/1)

2291 SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

The above establishment was reviewed in accordance with AFHQ minutes 180/1947 dated 17 Mar and 184/1996C dated 24 Mar, and the following officers and other ranks deleted w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Under Headquarters.

Ordnance officer (lieutenant-colonel)	
Chief ordnance officer	1
Clerks, R.A.O.C. duties	
Serjeant	1
Private	1
Drivers I.C. privates	4
General dutyman, private	1
Cook, A.C.C., private	1

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2291 SPECIAL STORES DEPOT, R.A.O.C. CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN - continued (CM/764/1)

Under Ammunition and Explosives Depot.

Inspecting ordnance officer, captain	1
Storemen ammunition	
Sergeant	1
Lance-corporals	2
Privates	6
Ammunition examiners	
Warrant officer class II	1
Sergeant	1
Corporal	1
Clerks R.A.O.C. duties	
Corporal	1
Privates	3
Carpenter and joiner, R.E.M.E.	1
Sheet metal worker, R.E.M.E.	1

Continuation of this war establishment was agreed subject to further review in one month.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 683/Org-3

2292 ITALIAN OFFICERS' SHOP (MOBILE) (CM/877/1)

In view of the grave scarcity of transport, the proposal to include a 3 ton lorry in the above establishment was not agreed.

File : 742/Org-3

2293 ITALIAN ENGINEER PARK COMPANY (New W.E.)

The proposal for the above new war establishment was withdrawn at the request of the sponsors.

File : 742/Org-3

2294 BRITISH LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE ITALIAN COMBAT FORCES (CM/1018/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	17
	Other ranks	47

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Warrant officer class II	1
Sergeant	1
Corporal	
Clerks R.A.O.C. duties	1
Corporal	3
Privates	1
Carpenter and joiner, R.E.M.E.	1
Sheet metal worker, R.E.M.E.	

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The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	17
	Other ranks	47
	Vehicles	8

This establishment is intended to supersede WE's CE/510/1, CE/732/1 and CE/733/1.

File : 758/Org-3

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War Establishment

2294A ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS (CE/30/4)

G-1 (British) Division (A-4)

The deletion of one clerk, general duties, R...S.C. (corporal) and the addition of the following officers and other ranks was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45.

Deputy assistant adjutants general	2
Staff captains	4
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.	
Privates	16

The additions are subject to the corresponding disbandment and cancellation of WE CE/554/1, The Post Armistice "A" Planning Committee, vide minute serial 2294B below.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 4.

File : 258/Org-3

2294B THE POST ARMISTICE "A" PLANNING COMMITTEE (CE/554/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 11 May 45.

File : 258/Org-3

2294C INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS 1 DISTRICT (CE/1012/1)

The addition of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45, the appointment of Assistant adjutant general being recommended to the War Office.

Under General Staff Branch, Intelligence

Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.	
Lance-corporal	1
Private	1

Under Branch of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General

Assistant adjutant general	1
Staff captain "A"	1
Deputy assistant quartermaster general	1
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.	
Staff sergeant	1
Sergeant	1
Lance-corporal	1
Private	1

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Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Privates 16

The additions are subject to the corresponding disbandment and cancellation of WE CM/554/1, The Post Armistice "A" Planning Committee, vide minute serial 2294B below.

Will be incorporated in amendment No. 4.

File : 258/Org-3

2294B THE POST ARMISTICE "A" PLANNING COMMITTEE (CM/554/1)

The above war establishment is cancelled w.e.f. 11 May 45.

File : 258/Org-3

2294C INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS 1 DISTRICT (CM/1012/1)

The addition of the following personnel and transport was approved w.e.f. 11 May 45, the appointment of Assistant adjutant general being recommended to the War Office.

Under General Staff Branch, Intelligence

Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Lance-corporal 1
Private 1

Under Branch of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General

Assistant adjutant general 1
Staff captain "A" 1
Deputy assistant quartermaster general 1
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Staff serjeant 1
Serjeant 1
Lance-corporal 1
Private 1

Under Services, Supplies and transport.

Deputy assistant director of supplies and transport 1
Captains R.A.S.C. 2
Clerks, general duties, R.A.S.C.
Corporal 1
Privates 2

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Serial Number		War Establishment
22940	INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS 1 DISTRICT - continued	(CM/1012/1)

Under Administrative personnel

Medical officer's orderly, any arm Private	1
Batmen-drivers	3
Batmen	3

Under Transport

Car 4 x 2 light utility	1
Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.	2

This war establishment will be re-written as WE CM/1012/2, incorporating the above amendment.

File : 486/Org-3

New war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

HKJ/jmn
16 May 45

Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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RESTRICTED

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

202nd Meeting held on 7th May, 1945

Present: Lieut-Col E.A.V. WILLIAMS — Deputy Chairman
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Lieut-Col A.R.E. POLLARD — Ind Army Liaison Mission
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ADDITIONS TO TABLES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 48.	
483	CO-OPERATOR L OF C WORKSHOP R.E.	(CW/181/1)
484	CO-OPERATOR PORT WORKSHOP R.E.	(CW/183/1)
485	CO-OPERATOR SERVICE STATION R.E.	(CW/184/1)

The above establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 29 Apr 45.

WSD/124 dated 29 Apr 45 refers.

File : 719/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2013	RAILWAY MOBILE WORKSHOP R.E.	(IV/184/3)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 30 April 45.

Delete	Car 2-seater, 4 x 2	1
Add	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4 C.S.	1

Authority : War Office cable 90624 SD3 dated 3 May 45.

This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

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Lieut-Col	W.B. WEBBER		G (AE)
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Major	H.F. JACQUES		G-3 (Org)

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 48.	
483	CO-OPERATOR LOCK WORKSHOP R.E.	(CW/181/1)
484	CO-OPERATOR PORT WORKSHOP R.E.	(CW/183/1)
485	CO-OPERATOR SERVICE STATION R.E.	(CW/184/1)

The above establishments are cancelled w.e.f. 29 Apr 45.

WSD/124 dated 29 Apr 45 refers.

File : 719/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 185.

2013 RAILWAY MOBILE WORKSHOP R.E. (IV/16A/3)

War Office have approved the following amendment w.e.f. 30 April 45.

Delete	Car 2-seater, 4 x 2	1
Add	Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 4 G.S.	1

Authority : War Office cable 90624 SD3 dated 3 May 45.

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This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

File : 605/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 191.

2091A STAFF INCREMENT TO A CORPS HEADQUARTERS (CM/947/1)

War Office have approved w.e.f. 30 Mar 45 the following appointments subject to review on 27 July 45.

A.A. and Q.M.G.	1
Staff Paymaster	1
A.D.M.S. (Lieutenant-Colonel)	1
A.D.S.T.	1
A.D.V. and R.S.	1
A.A.G.	1
D.D. War Materials (Colonel)	1
A.D. War Materials (Lieutenant-Colonels)	3
D.D. Technical Services (Colonel)	1
A.D. Technical Services (Lieutenant-Colonels)	3

The following will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 w.e.f. 30 Mar 45.

Delete A.D. War Materials (Lieutenant-Colonels) 2

Authority : War Office cable 91371 SD 3 dated 5 May 45.

File : 775/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197.

2210 'J' MISSION (CM/994/1)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 w.e.f. 20 Apr 45.

Delete	Driver-mechanic (lance-corporal)	1
Add	Vehicle-mechanic (lance-corporal)	1

File : 779/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 198.

2222 NO. 2 BRITISH MILITARY PRINTING PRESS PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES (CM/406/2)

Amend title to read

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A.D.S.T.	1
A.D.V. and R.S.	1
A.A.G.	1
D.D. War Materials (Colonel)	1
A.D. War Materials (Lieutenant-Colonels)	3
D.D. Technical Services (Colonel)	1
A.D. Technical Services (Lieutenant-Colonels)	3

The following will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 w.e.f. 30 Mar 45.

Delete A.D. War Materials (Lieutenant-Colonels)	2

Authority : War Office cable 91371 SD 3 dated 5 May 45.

File : 775/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 197. (CM/994/1)

2210 'J' MISSION

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 w.e.f. 20 Apr 45.

Delete	Driver-mechanic (lance-corporal)	1
Add	Vehicle-mechanic (lance-corporal)	1

File : 779/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 198. (CM/406/2)

2222 NO. 2 BRITISH MILITARY PRINTING PRESS PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES

Amend title to read

"NO. 6 BRITISH MILITARY PRINTING PRESS PRINTING AND STATIONERY SERVICES"

Authority : G.R.O. 722 of 1944.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 624/Org-3

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Serial Number | War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 199.

2235 GARRISON PROVOST COMPANY, C.M. (CM/1003/1)

Amend title to read

"GARRISON PICQUET COMPANY, C.M."

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 495/Org-3

Addition to minutes

HEADQUARTERS OF A CORPS (III/5/6)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under Military Secretary's Branch

Add	Clerk, R.A.S.C. (private)	1

Authority : War Office cable 91643 SD 3 dated 6 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 354/Org-3

Addition to minutes

SPECIAL CIPHER SECTION, TYPE 'M' (VIII/485/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under (i) Personnel

Add	Serjeants	2
	Batman-driver	1
Delete	Corporals	2
	Batman	1

Under (ii) Transport

Add	Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 4 (cipher office)	1

Authority : War Office cable 91572 SD 3(A) dated 7 May 45.

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will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 495/Org-3

Addition to minutes

HEADQUARTERS OF A CORPS (III/5/6)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under Military Secretary's Branch

Add	Clerk, R.A.S.C. (private)	1

Authority : War Office cable 91643 SD 3 dated 6 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 354/Org-3

Addition to minutes

SPECIAL CIPHER SECTION, TYPE 'M' (VIII/485/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under (i) Personnel

Add	Serjeants	2
	Batman-driver	1
Delete	Corporals	2
	Batman	1

Under (ii) Transport

Add	Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 4 (cipher office)	1

Authority : War Office cable 91572 SD 3(A) dated 7 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 712/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes

A. TELECOMMUNICATIONS EXPERIMENTAL DETACHMENT R.E.M.E. (IV/271/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Delete	Motor-cycle, solo	1
Add	Car, 4 x 2, light utility	1

Authority : War Office cable 91288 SD 3 dated 5 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 719/Org-3

Addition to minutes

FIELD SURVEY COMPANY R.E. (III/326/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under Reproduction Sections (each)

Add	Trailers, 20-cwt, 2-wheeled, G.S.	2

Authority : War Office cable 91289 SD 3 dated 5 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 685/Org-3

MINUTES

2274 INDIAN RECONNAISSANCE REGIMENT (CM/397/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45 in accordance with GHQ India letter 12370/GS AFV dated 17 Apr 45.

Delete sub paragraph Crew Tradesmen.

Substitute

Crew Tradesmen (d) (f)	RHQ	HQ Squadron	Three Squadrons (each)	Total Regiment
Crew driver operators	5	11	24	88
Crew driver mechanics	14	60	48	218
Crew [illegible]	3	11	24	88

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..uthority : War Office cable 91288 SD 3 dated 5 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 719/Org-3

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FIELD SURVEY COL.PANY R.E. (III/326/1)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Under Reproduction Sections (each)

..dd Trailers, 20-cwt, 2-wheeled, G.S. 2

..uthority : War Office cable 91289 SD 3 dated 5 May 45.

This does not constitute authority to implement.

File : 685/Org-3

MINUTES

2274 INDI..N RECONN..ISS..NCE REGIMENT (Cs/397/2)

The following amendment was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45 in accordance with GHQ India letter 12870/GS ..FV dated 17 ..pr 45.

Delete sub paragraph Crew Tradesmen.

Substitute

Crew Tradesmen (d) (f)

	HHQ	Hq Squadron	Three Squadrons (each)	Total Regiment
Crew driver operators	5	11	24	88
Crew driver mechanics	14	60	48	218
Crew gunner operators	3	13	14	58
Crew gunner mechanics	3	34	20	97
Vehicle mechanics I...C.	2	10	10	42
Electricians ..F.V.	-	3	2	9
Total Crew Tradesmen	27	131	118	512

..dd also Note (f).

"The proportion of crew tradesmen i.e. crew driver operators, crew driver mechanics, crew gunner operators, crew gunner mechanics, vehicle mechanics I..C. and electricians ...F.V. may be redistributed at the discretion of the commanding officer."

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 4.

File : 651/Org-3 ...../ 5.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2275 ARMOURED RECONNAISSANCE REGIMENT TYPE 'B' (II/156/1)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following local amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 27 Apr 45.

Add Note 3.

"When a unit organised on this establishment is equipped with armoured infantry carriers, the following upgradings are authorised :-

(i) Under each squadron headquarters,

delete	mechanist serjeant	1
substitute	mechanist staff-serjeant	1

(ii) In respect of each squadron equipped with 14 A.F.Vs. per troop, the scale of 1 serjeant, 3 corporals and 13 troopers allocated to each troop will be replaced by an aggregate total of 8 serjeants, 24 corporals and 53 troopers for sub-division into the four troops in which the squadron is reorganised.

(iii) In respect of each squadron equipped with 8 A.F.Vs. per troop, the scale of 1 serjeant, 3 corporals and 13 troopers allocated to each troop will be replaced by an aggregate total of 8 serjeants, 12 corporals and 65 troopers for sub-division into the four troops in which the squadron is reorganised".

It was not considered that the increased volume of spare parts needed for the above organisation is sufficient to justify the proposed upgrading of the technical storemen.

File : 437/Org-3

2276 AN ARMOURED REGIMENT (II/151/3)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following local amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 27 Apr 45.

Add Note 3.

2278

"When a unit organised on this establishment is equipped with armoured infantry carriers, the following upgradings are authorised :-

(i) Under the Administrative troop of each squadron,

delete	mechanist serjeant	1
substitute	mechanist staff-serjeant	1

(ii) In respect of each squadron equipped with

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(i) Under each squadron headquarters,

delete	mechanist serjeant	1
substitute	mechanist staff-serjeant	1

(ii) In respect of each squadron equipped with 14 ...F.Vs. per troop, the scale of 1 serjeant, 3 corporals and 13 troopers allocated to each troop will be replaced by an aggregate total of 8 serjeants, 24 corporals and 53 troopers for sub-division into the four troops in which the squadron is reorganised.

(iii) In respect of each squadron equipped with 8 ...F.Vs. per troop, the scale of 1 serjeant, 3 corporals and 13 troopers allocated to each troop will be replaced by an aggregate total of 8 serjeants, 12 corporals and 65 troopers for sub-division into the four troops in which the squadron is reorganised".

It was not considered that the increased volume of spare parts needed for the above organisation is sufficient to justify the proposed upgrading of the technical storemen.

File : 437/Org-3

2276 AN ARMOURED REGIMENT (II/151/3)

The Committee agreed to recommend the following local amendment to the War Office w.e.f. 27 Apr 45.

Add Note 3.

3278

"When a unit organised on this establishment is equipped with armoured infantry carriers, the following upgradings are authorised :-

(i) Under the Administrative troop of each squadron,

delete	mechanist serjeant	1
substitute	mechanist staff-serjeant	1

(ii) In respect of each squadron equipped with 8 A.F.Vs. per troop, the scale of 1 serjeant, 2 corporals and 11 troopers allocated to each troop will be replaced by an aggregate total of 8 serjeants, 12 corporals and 50 troopers for sub-division into the four troops in which the squadron is reorganised".

It was not considered that the increased volume of spare parts needed for the above reorganisation is sufficient to justify the proposed upgrading of the technical storeman.

File : 437/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2277 A DOCKS WORKSHOP SECTION R.E. (CM/600/1)

* The proposed addition of a driver I.C. and a lorry 3 ton 4 x 2 G.S. was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 460/Org-3

2278 CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, BALKANS (New W.E.)

The proposal for the above new war establishment was withdrawn at the request of the sponsors.

File : 759/Org-3

2279 INDEPENDENT MOTOR BRIGADE SIGNAL SQUADRON (CM/581/1)

The substitution of three motor battalion troops, in place of the existing one motor battalion troop and the two horsed infantry battalion troops was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

It was agreed that the personnel and vehicles authorised under Squadron Headquarters on this establishment should only be implemented with A.F.H.Q. authority and is intended for when the motor brigade is operating independently.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 712/Org-3

2280 CHARLTONS CENTRE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1013/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45. It is intended that the commandant and the instructional staff shall be provided from the A.F.H.Q. Staff and Services Pool (WE CM/605/2).

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	8
	Vehicle	1

It was agreed that no time bar should be imposed if amendments to this war establishment were found to be desirable at a later date.

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2276 CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, CENTRAL

The proposal for the above new war establishment was withdrawn at the request of the sponsors.

File : 759/Org-3

2279 INDEPENDENT MOTOR BRIGADE SIGNAL SQUADRON (CM/581/1)

The substitution of three motor battalion troops, in place of the existing one motor battalion troop and the two lorried infantry battalion troops was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

It was agreed that the personnel and vehicles authorised under Squadron Headquarters on this establishment should only be implemented with A.F.H.Q. authority and is intended for when the motor brigade is operating independently.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3.

File : 712/Org-3

2280 CHAPLAINS CENTRE, CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/1013/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45. It is intended that the commandant and the instructional staff shall be provided from the A.F.H.Q. Staff and Services Pool (WE CM/605/2).

Strength :	Officer	1
	Other ranks	8
	Vehicle	1

It was agreed that no time bar should be imposed if amendments to this war establishment were found to be desirable at a later date.

File : 270/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2281 POLISH CHIEF PAYMASTER MEDITERRANEAN AREA (CM/1014/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	13
	Other ranks	23
	P.W.A.S. officer	1
	P.W.A.S. other ranks	3
	Vehicles	4

The following appointments were recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 7 May 45.

Chief Paymaster (colonel)	1
Assistant Chief Paymaster (lieutenant-colonel)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (General branch)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (Budget branch)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (Supervisory and control branch)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (Legal and adjustment branch)	1

File : 623/Org-3

2282 TRANSIT CASH OFFICE (CM/1015/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	5
	Other ranks	7

File : 435/Org-3

2283 BRITISH TROOPS NORTH AFRICA STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CM/754/1)

The addition of the following personnel, intended for the supervision of civilian labour in Morrocco, Algeria and Tunisia, was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45. *

Captain	1
Serjeant	1
Corporal	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

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P.W.A.S. other ranks	3
Vehicles	4

The following appointments were recommended to the War Office w.e.f. 7 May 45.

Chief Paymaster (colonel)	1
Assistant Chief Paymaster (lieutenant-colonel)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (General branch)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (Budget branch)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (Supervisory and control branch)	1
Lieutenant Colonel (Legal and adjustment branch)	1

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Corporal	1

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 6.

File : 496/Org-3

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2264	INDIAN GRAVES REGISTRATION AND CONCENTRATION UNIT	(CM/928/1)

The following amendments were approved w.e.f. 7 May 45.

(a) Under Indian other ranks

Delete Sepoys and all detail.

Substitute Sepoys (includes batmen for officers and V.C.O's.)

Headquarters	6
Hindu Section	6 (a)
Mohammedan Section	6 (a)
Sikh Section	6 (a)
Total	24

(b) Under Non-Combatants (enrolled)

Delete Water carrier 1

Substitute Water carriers

Hindu section	1
Mohammedan section	1
Sikh section	1
Total	3

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : G43/Org-3

2265 ALLIED LIAISON SERVICE (BRITISH SECTION) (CM/177/2)

The above new war establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/177/1 was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45, subject to review on 9 Jul 45.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	4
	Vehicles	2

File : 535/Org-3

2266 R...S.C. MOBILISATION CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/633/1)

The appointment of Chief Instructor (major) was reviewed in accordance with A.F.H.Q. War Establishments Committee minute 168/1682 and continuation was approved.

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	Headquarters	6
	Hindu Section	6 (a)
	Mohammedan Section	6 (a)
	Sikh Section	6 (a)
	Total	24

(b) Under Non-Combatants (enrolled)

Delete	Water carrier	1
Substitute	Water carriers	
	Hindu section	1
	Mohammedan section	1
	Sikh section	1
	Total	3

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 643/Org-3

2285 ALLIED LIAISON SERVICE (BRITISH SECTION) (CM/177/2)

The above new war establishment, intended to supersede WE CM/177/1 was approved w.e.f. 7 May 45, subject to review on 9 Jul 45.

Strength :	Officers	2
	Other ranks	4
	Vehicles	2

File : 535/Org-3

2286 R.A.S.C. MOBILISATION CENTRE CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN (CM/633/1)

The appointment of Chief Instructor (major) was reviewed in accordance with A.F.H.Q. War Establishments Committee minute 168/1632 and continuation was approved.

It was decided that the whole of this war establishment should be reviewed on 1 Jul 45.

File : 668/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2287 POOL OF PERSONNEL FOR ATTACHMENT TO U.N.R.R.A. (GREECE) (G.1/1005/1)

The addition of the following personnel was approved w.e.f. the date of formation of this unit. Staff officer, 2nd grade (civil affairs) - 1, Captain R.A.M.C. - 1, Public Health Officer (lieutenant) - 1, Clerk, general duties, R.A.S.C. (corporal) - 1.

It was agreed that these appointments should be subject to the conditions relating to the remainder of the pool, vide minute 199/2238, and should remain in existence not later than 1 Jun 45.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 590/Org-3

New war establishments will not be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

H.J/jmn
15 May 45

Lieutenant-colonel, G.S.,
Deputy Chairman.

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RESTRICTED

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

A G E N D A

The 203rd meeting will be held at 1400 hours on Friday, 11 May 45 in the G-1 (British) Conference Room, Caserta Palace.

Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2288	Approval of REDEPLOYMENT POOL C.M. This pool is intended for use in place of the following war establishments :- Brigadiers' Pool (CM/480/1) Staff Pool C.M.F. (CM/339/1) A.T.S. Staff Pool (CM/292/1) Staff Pool, North Africa (XII/8/1) File : 250/Org-3	New W.E.	Yes	Dep Mil Sec	1400
2289	Approval of INCREMENT TO BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE Strength : Officers 37 Vide Annexure 1. File : 763/Org-3	New W.E.	Yes	Dep Mil Sec Liaison	1415
2290	Approval of EQUITATION TRAINING UNIT Strength : Officer 1	New W.E.	No	V & R	1425

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2289	Approval of INCREMENT TO BRITISH MILITARY MISSION TO GREECE Strength : Officers 37 Vide Annexure 1. File : 763/Org-3	New W.E.	Yes	Dep Mil Sec Liaison	1415
2290	Approval of EQUITATION TRAINING UNIT Strength : Officer 1 Other ranks 11 Civilians 10 Vehicle 1 Vide Annexure 2. File : 611/Org-3	New W.E.	No	V & R	1425

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2291	Amendment to SPECIAL STORES DEPOT R.A.O.C., C.M. By the proposed deletion of : Officers 2 Other ranks 26 Vide Annexure 3. File : 683/Org-3	CM/764/1	No	Ord S.O.M.	1435
2292	Approval of ITALIAN OFFICERS' SHOP (MOBILE) Strength : Officer 1 Other ranks 3 Vehicle 1 Vide Annexure 4. File : 742/Org-3	New W.E.	No	G-3 (Org For) Ord	1440
2293	Approval of ITALIAN ENGINEER PARK COMPANY Strength : Officers 5 Other ranks 126 Vehicles 18 Vide Annexure 5. File : 742/Org-3	New W.E.	No	G-3 (Org For) Engr	1445

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By the proposed deletion

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By the proposed deletion of :

Officers	2
Other ranks	26

Vide Annexure 3.

File : 683/Org-3

2292 Approval of

ITALIAN OFFICERS' SHOP (MOBILE)

New W.E. No G-3 (Org For) 1440 Ord

Strength :

Officer	1
Other ranks	3
Vehicle	1

Vide Annexure 4.

File : 742/Org-3

2293 Approval of

ITALIAN ENGINEER PARK COMPANY

New W.E. No G-3 (Org For) 1445 Engr

Strength :

Officers	5
Other ranks	126
Vehicles	18

Vide Annexure 5.

File : 742/Org-3

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2294	Approval of				
	BRITISH LIAISON AND TRAINING UNIT FOR REINFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTRE, ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE	New W.E.	No	G-3 (Trg) D.M.T. G-3 (Org For) HQ Infantry Arty Engr Signals S & T Med Ord R.E.M.E. P.M.	1450

Strength :

Officers	17
Other ranks	66
Vehicles	9

This establishment is intended for use in place of the following Italian Training establishments :-

TE - CM/510/1
CM/732/1
CM/733/1

Vide Annexure 6.

File : 742/Org-3

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8 May 45

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Major, G.S.,
Secretary,
War Establishments Committee.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

WAR ESTABLISHMENTS COMMITTEE

201st Meeting, held on 4 May 1945

Present :	Brigadier	G.B.S. HINDLEY	Chairman	
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	Lieut-Col	W.B. WEBBER	Q (AE)	161/5
	Lieut-Col	R.H. BURNETT	Financial Advisor	
	Major	J.B. HUCKLE	G-3 (Org)	

ADDITIONS TO MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 114.	
746	A SURGICAL DRESSING STERILIZATION UNIT R.A.M.C.	(CW/294/1)
	Amend amendment No. 1, effective date 17 Aug 44, issued by HQ. A.A.I. under reference 1701/3/G(SD2) to read amendment No. 2.	*
	Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3 w.e.f. 17 Aug 44.	
	File : 594/Org-3	
	Addition to minutes of meeting No. 156.	
1695	ADVANCED AMMUNITION DEPOT	(IV/55/2)
	War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 27 April 45.	*
	In preamble	
	for "holding 7,000 tons"	
	substitute "holding a minimum of 7,000 tons"	3271
	Under Chief Ordnance Officer's Office	
	Delete Clerks -	
	Warrant officer, class II 1	
	Serjeant 1	
	Privates 2	

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Lieut-Col	W.J. WEBER	G (AT)	
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File : 594/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 156.

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In preamble

for "holding 7,000 tons"

substitute "holding a minimum of 7,000 tons"

3271

Under Chief Ordnance Officer's Office

Delete	Clerks -		
	Warrant officer, class II	1	
	Serjeant	1	
	Privates	2	
Add	Storemen -		
	Warrant officer, class II	1	
	Serjeant	1	
	Corporals	2	
	Lance-corporal	1	
	Privates	5	

Under Regimental Headquarters

Delete	Clerk -	
	Private	1
	Post orderly -	
	Lance-corporal	1

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 156 - continued

1695 ADVANCED AMMUNITION DEPOT - continued (IV/55/2)

Under Traffic Office

Delete	Clerks -	
	Serjeant	1
	Corporal	1
	Storeman -	
	Lance-serjeant	1

Under Inspecting Ordnance Officer's Office

Delete	Clerks -	
	Lance-corporal	1
	Private	1
Add	Ammunition examiner -	
	Serjeant	1

Under Transport

Delete all detail.

Substitute	Bicycles, G.S.	6
	Motor-cycles, solo	3
	Cars, 4 x 2, light utility	2
	Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, G.S.	2
	Trailer, 1-ton, 2-wheeled, water, 180 galls	1
	Lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.	1

Add new note 3 "Two storemen in the Ammunition Company will be trained as Drivers, I.C."

Authority : War Office cable 89715 SD 3A dated 29 April 45.

This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 158.

1725A AN ARMOURED REGIMENT R.E., C.M. (CM/625/1)

Delete	Mechanist Quartermaster Serjeant	1
	Mechanist Serjeants	3
Substitute	Military Mechanist Quartermaster Serjeant	1
	Military Mechanists, Staff-Serjeants, R.E.	3

Under Tradesmen

Against	Electricians insert R.E.	
Delete	Miscellaneous A - D Trades	138
	Vehicle Mechanics (AFV) Driver class	30
Substitute	Blacksmiths	6
	Bricklayers	12
	Carpenters	36
	Electricians - wiremen	12
	Painters	12
	Plumbers	6
	Saddlers	6
	Tinsmiths	12
	Pioneers	36
	Operators A.V.R.E.	30

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3 w.e.f. 1 Dec 44.

War Office cable 68811 SD 3C dated 15 Feb 45 refers.

File : 713/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 171.

1864(B) TRANSPORTATION INCREMENT (BALKANS) (CM/644/1)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 27 Dec 44.

Add footnote : "Administrative personnel may be of any arm and will be unsuitable for combatant duties".

WSD/108 dated 2 May 45 refers.

File : 759/Org-3

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Under Tradesmen

Against Electricians insert R.E.

Delete	Miscellaneous A - D Trades	138
	Vehicle Mechanics (AFV) Driver class	30
Substitute	Blacksmiths	6
	Bricklayers	12
	Carpenters	36
	Electricians - wiremen	12
	Painters	12
	Plumbers	6
	Saddlers	6
	Tinsmiths	12
	Pioneers	36
	Operators A.V.R.E.	30

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 3 w.e.f. 1 Dec 44.

War Office cable 68811 SD 30 dated 15 Feb 45 refers.

File : 713/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 171.

1864(B) TRANSPORTATION INCREMENT (BALKANS) (CM/644/1)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 27 Dec 44.

Add footnote : "Administrative personnel may be of any arm and will be unsuitable for combatant duties".

* 3271

WSD/108 dated 2 May 45 refers.

File : 759/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 179.

1925 HEADQUARTERS CRETE (CM/760/1)

War Office have approved w.e.f. 23 Feb 45 the appointment of Commander (Colonel) subject to review on 1 July 45.

Authority : War Office cable 90206 SD 30 dated 1 May 45.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 190.

2084 ANTI-AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS RCOM R.A. (MOBILE) (III/189/2)

War Office advise that the amendment recommended has been approved w.e.f. 2 May 45.

Authority : War Office cable 96561 SD 3A dated 3 May 45.

This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

File : 482/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 193.

2134C A DISARMAMENT MOBILE UNIT (CM/962/1)

Amend title to read :

"A FLAK DISARMAMENT MOBILE UNIT"

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 775/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 195.

2172 HEADQUARTERS, ASSEMBLY AND DISPERSAL CENTRE (CM/652/2)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.

Under (i) Personnel

Delete Clerks for postal duties 18

Under Attached

Delete Clerk, postal worker R.E. (Warrant officer, class II) 1

G-1(B)/12056/A.11 dated 2 May 45 refers.

File : 764/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 197 and 200.

2210 'J' MISSION (CM/994/1)

War Office now state that the appointment of C.S.O. (Colonel) - 1 has not been approved and

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File : 482/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 193.

2134C A DISARMAMENT MOBILE UNIT (CM/962/1)

Amend title to read :

"A FLAK DISARMAMENT MOBILE UNIT"

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 775/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meeting No. 195.

2172 HEADQUARTERS, ASSEMBLY AND DISPERSAL CENTRE (CM/652/2)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.

Under (i) Personnel

Delete Clerks for postal duties 18

Under Attached

Delete Clerk, postal worker R.E. (Warrant officer, class II) 1

G-1(E)/12056/A.11 dated 2 May 45 refers.

File : 764/Org-3

Addition to minutes of meetings Nos. 197 and 200.

2210 'J' MISSION (CM/994/1)

War Office now state that the appointment of C.S.O. (Colonel) - 1 has not been approved and appointment will be deleted.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1 w.e.f. 20 Apr 45.

Authority : War Office cable 90083 SD3C dated 1 May 45.

File : 779/Org-3

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Serial Number

War Establishment

Addition to minutes

AN ARMY TROOPS WORKSHOP (CM/323/2)

The following amendment will be promulgated as amendment No. 2 w.e.f. 13 Apr 45.

Under (iii) Transport amend number of Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 4, machinery, type 'K' light under Workshop Section to read 2.

File : 692/Org-3

Addition to minutes

HEADQUARTERS OF AN INFANTRY DIVISION (II/116/3)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 29 Mar 45.

Delete	Staff captain	1
Add	Staff captain 'A'	1
	Staff captain 'Q'	1

Authority : War Office cable 909290 SD 3(A) dated 1 May 45.

This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

File : 445/Org-3

Addition to minutes

WORKSHOP PLATOON, R.A.S.C. (II/268/3) (III/122/4) (IV/99/4)

War Office advise that the following amendment to these establishments has been approved w.e.f. 2 May 45.

Under IV Allotment of Workshop Platoons.

Against Artillery Company add footnote

"Will be serial 4 when Artillery Company is allotted to an A.G.R.A."

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Authority : War Office cable 90936 SD3 dated 4 May 45.

This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

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[illegible] to read 2.

File : 692/Org-3

Addition to minutes

HEADQUARTERS OF AN INFANTRY DIVISION (II/116/3)

War Office advise that the following amendment has been approved w.e.f. 29 Mar 45.

Delete	Staff captain	1
Add	Staff captain 'A'	1
	Staff captain 'Q'	1

Authority : War Office cable 909290 SD 3(A) dated 1 May 45.

This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

File : 445/Org-3

Addition to minutes

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3269

Authority : War Office cable 90936 SD3 dated 4 May 45.

This does NOT constitute authority to implement.

File : 404/Org-3

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MINUTES

Serial Number		War Establishment
2263	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS	(CM/30/4)

This proposal was withdrawn at the request of the sponsors.

File : 272/Org-3

2264	ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION	(CM/239/2)

The above new war establishment, intended on implementation to supersede W.E. - CM/239/1, was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45.

Strength :	Officers	18
	Other ranks	43
	Civilians	2
	Vehicles	11

The revised war establishment, which makes provision for the employment of personnel in N.W. Italy represents a decrease of one officer, including the deletion of three A.Q.M.Gs. and three O.Rs. on the existing W.E. - CM/239/1.

The revised scale of transport consists of :-

Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2	1
Cars, 4 x 2, light utility	10

File : 343/Org-3

2265	ARMY SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, N.E.C.	(CM/511/2)

The above new establishment intended to supersede W.E. - C.M/511/1 on implementation was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45. The revised W.E. consists of :-

Headquarters

No. 1 Wing designed to cater for 100 Unit Education Officers

No. 2 Wing designed to cater for 150 Unit Education Instructors in general subjects.

No. 3 Wing designed to cater for 150 Unit Education Instructors in technical subjects.

Strength :	Officers	21
	Other ranks	95
	Civilians	163
	Vehicles	5

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	Other ranks	43
	Civilians	2
	Vehicles	11

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The revised scale of transport consists of :-

Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2	1
Cars, 4 x 2, light utility	10

File : 343/Org-3

2265 ARMY SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, M.E.C. (CM/511/2)

The above new establishment intended to supersede W.E. - CM/511/1 on implementation was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45. The revised W.E. consists of :-

Headquarters

No. 1 Wing designed to cater for 100 Unit Education Officers

No. 2 Wing designed to cater for 150 Unit Education Instructors in general subjects.

No. 3 Wing designed to cater for 150 Unit Education Instructors in technical subjects.

Strength :	Officers	21
	Other ranks	95
	Civilians	163
	Vehicles	5

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Serial Number		War Establishment
2266	TRAINING INCREMENT R.E.M.E. TO B.L.U. (For GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI)	(CM/640/1)

This establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute serial 1707 of WEC meeting 157 and continuation approved.

File : 758/Org-3

2267	BRITISH CADRE FOR ITALIAN BASE REINFORCEMENT DEPOT	(CM/731/1)

This establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute serial 1805 of meeting 173, and the following amendment was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45 :

a) Add lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. - 2

Two drivers I.C. for these additional vehicles will be incorporated in amendment 1 to WE - Italian Base Reinforcement Depot (CM/730/1) as approved by Land Forces Sub Commission MC (MAIL) WEC vide minute serial 6 WEC meeting 3 held 18 Apr 45.

b) The Committee also approved the amending of the effective date of the establishment to 9 Dec 44.

The effective date of implementation will be amended to 9 Dec 44 in the case of Italian Base Reinforcement Depot located at ORVIETO only.

File : 742/Org-3

2268	BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (For GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI)	(CM/508/1)

This establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute serial 1341(A) of meeting 184 and continuation in its present form recommended to the War Office, pending decision concerning the future employment of the Italian Combat Groups.

The Committee agreed that should the Italian Combat Groups be employed upon internal security duties, a revised establishment consisting of the following personnel should be promulgated as CM/508/2 to supersede the existing establishment on implementation :-

2268

General staff officer, 1st grade - 1
Deputy assistant adjutant and

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REINFORCEMENT DEPOT

This establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute serial 1805 of meeting 173, and the following amendment was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45 :

a) Add lorries, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. - 2

Two drivers I.C. for these additional vehicles will be incorporated in amendment 1 to WE - Italian Base Reinforcement Depot (CM/730/1) as approved by Land Forces Sub Commission .C (M.E.) WEC vide minute serial 6 WEC meeting 3 held 18 Apr 45.

b) The Committee also approved the amending of the effective date of the establishment to 9 Dec 44.

The effective date of implementation will be amended to 9 Dec 44 in the case of Italian Base Reinforcement Depot located at ORVIETO only.

File : 742/Org-3

2268 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (CM/508/1)
(For GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTI)

This establishment was reviewed in accordance with minute serial 1341(A) of meeting 184 and continuation in its present form recommended to the War Office, pending decision concerning the future employment of the Italian Combat Groups.

The Committee agreed that should the Italian Combat Groups be employed upon internal security duties, a revised establishment consisting of the following personnel should be promulgated as CM/508/2 to supersede the existing establishment on implementation :-

General staff officer, 1st grade	-	1
Deputy assistant adjutant and quartermaster general	-	1
General staff officer, 3rd grade	-	1
Staff captain	-	1
Ordnance officer (captain)	-	1
Captain, REME	-	1
Captain, R.SC	-	1
Other ranks	-	15
Vehicles	-	6

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2268(..) AN IT.LI.N INCRE.ENT TO A BRITISH LI.ISON UNIT (For GRUPPO DI COMB.TTI.ENTI) (CM/509/1)

The Co..ittee approved the following amendment w.e.f. 4 May 45, which will only be i..ple..ented when the unit is employed with a British Liaison Unit (for Gruppo di Combattimenti) organised on WE - CM/508/2.

Delete	Drivers I.C.	8
	Batmen	3

Will be pro..ulgated as a..endment No. 2.

File : 758/Org-3

2269 DE.OT .ND TR.I.ING EST.BLISHMENT C.M.P. (CM/164/3)

The above new war establishment which on i..ple..entation will supersede CM/164/2 was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45, the appointment of Commandant (DEM) being recommended to War Office for approval.

This establishment is designed to train 1000 students at one time and will cater for the provision of military police personnel in the immediate post hostilities period.

Strength :	Officers	24
	Other ranks	228
	Civilians	61
	Vehicles	8 (administrative)
		24 (instructional)

The establishment is subject to review 4 .ug 45.

The .ustrian Wing will not be i..ple..ented until .ustrian personnel are available for instruction.

File : 513/Org-3

2270 WELF.RE POOL, C.M.P. (CM/132/3)

The addition of the following sections was approved w.e.f.4 May 45.

a) For each .GR. and independent brigade .roup add :-

Staff lieutenant (welfare)	- 1
Other ranks	- 4

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Will be promulgated as amendment No. 2.

File : 758/Org-3

2269 DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT C.M.P. (CM/164/3)

The above new war establishment which on implementation will supersede CM/164/2 was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45, the appointment of Commandant (DFM) being recommended to War Office for approval.

This establishment is designed to train 1000 students at one time and will cater for the provision of military police personnel in the immediate post hostilities period.

Strength :	Officers	24
	Other ranks	228
	Civilians	61
	Vehicles	8 (administrative)
		24 (instructional)

The establishment is subject to review 4 Aug 45.

The Austrian Wing will not be implemented until Austrian personnel are available for instruction.

File : 513/Org-3

2270 WELFARE POOL, C.M. (CM/132/3)

The addition of the following sections was approved w.e.f.4 May 45.

a) For each AGRA and independant brigade group add :-

Staff lieutenant (welfare)	-	1
Other ranks	-	4
Vehicle	-	1

b) For Rome Area Allied Command add :-

Deputy assistant director of Army Welfare Services	-	1
Staff captain (welfare)	-	1
Staff lieutenant (welfare)	-	1
Entertainments officer (captain)	-	1
Welfare officers (lieutenants)	-	2
Other ranks	-	12
Vehicles	-	4

Not to be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

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Serial Number

War Establishment

2270 WELFARE POCL, C.M. - continued (CM/132/3)

On provision of the above section, it was agreed that Rome Area Allied Command will not be provided with a Welfare Section as authorised for an Area.

The upgrading of one staff captain (welfare) to Deputy assistant director of Army Welfare Services (major) for duty with each Army or District and the addition of one lorry, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. and one driver I.C. for use with Armoured Divisions was not approved.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 497/Org-3

2271 ARMY WELFARE SERVICES, C.M. (CM/563/2)

The above new war establishment intended to supersede CM/563/1 on implementation was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45, the appointment of Assistant director of Army Welfare Services (Law Section) being recommended to the War Office.

File : 497/Org-3

2272 GREEK TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES MISSION (CM/1011/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45 the following first grade appointments and above being recommended to the War Office:-

Colonel (Head of Mission)	- 1
Assistant director of transportation (Railway construction member)	- 1
Assistant director of works (Road construction member)	- 1
Assistant director of transportation (Port construction member)	- 1
Assistant director of supplies and transport (Motor transport member)	- 1

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The purpose of the Mission is to advise the Greek Government on the best methods of repairing and rehabilitating transportation facilities in GREECE.

Certain personnel, including Colonel 'Q' (Mov & Tn) - 1, and Assistant director of transportation - 1 at present borne on WEs Movement Control, Allied Force (CM/24/4) and Transportation Increment (Balkans)

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not approved.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 1.

File : 497/Org-3

2271 ARMY WELFARE SERVICES, C.M. (CM/563/2)

The above new war establishment intended to supersede CM/563/1 on implementation was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45, the appointment of Assistant director of Army Welfare Services (Law Section) being recommended to the War Office.

File : 497/Org-3

2272 GREEK TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES MISSION (CM/1011/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45 the following first grade appointments and above being recommended to the War Office:-

Colonel (Head of Mission)	- 1
Assistant director of transportation (Railway construction member)	- 1
Assistant director of works (Road construction member)	- 1
Assistant director of transportation (Port construction member)	- 1
Assistant director of supplies and transport (Motor transport member)	- 1

3267

The purpose of the Mission is to advise the Greek Government on the best methods of repairing and rehabilitating transportation facilities in GREECE.

Certain personnel, including Colonel 'Q' (Mov & Tn) - 1, and Assistant director of transportation - 1 at present borne on WEs Movement Control, Allied Force (CM/24/4) and Transportation Increment (Balkans) respectively will be attached to this unit, but will remain on their own establishments.

Strength :	Officers	7
	Other ranks	11
	Vehicles	7

This establishment is subject to review 15 July 45.

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Serial Number | War Establishment

2273 INCREMENT TO HEADQUARTERS NO. 1 DISTRICT (CL/1012/1)

The above new war establishment was approved w.e.f. 4 May 45, the following first grade appointments and above being recommended to the War Office for approval :-

Assistant adjutant and quartermaster general - 1
Assistant director of supplies and transport - 1
Deputy director of medical services (colonel) - 1

This increment is intended to assist the District Headquarters with the maintenance, documentation and safeguarding of approximately 400,000 German PW, who are to be concentrated in the District Area.

Strength :	Officers	14
	Other ranks	28
	Vehicles	7

This establishment is subject to review 4 August 1945.

File : 486/Org-3

2273(a) A.F.H.Q. STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CL/605/2)

The Committee approved the following amendment w.e.f. 4 May 1945 subject to review 4 August 1945.

Under General Staff Branch.

Add new section Intelligence

General staff officer, 1st grade - 1 (subject to War Office approval)
General staff officers, 2nd grade - 1
General staff officers, 3rd grade - 2
Other ranks - 5
Vehicles - 2

The above personnel will form part of a team composed of American and British personnel, who will assist the Intelligence staffs of Headquarters Nos. 1 and 2 Districts with their new commitments in North and North West Italy.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

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Deputy director of medical services (Colonel) - 1

This increment is intended to assist the District Headquarters with the maintenance, documentation and safeguarding of approximately 400,000 German PW, who are to be concentrated in the District Area.

Strength :	Officers	14
	Other ranks	26
	Vehicles	7

This establishment is subject to review 4 August 1945.

File : 486/Org-3

2273(a) A.F.H.Q. STAFF AND SERVICES POOL (CL/605/2)

The Committee approved the following amendment w.e.f. 4 May 1945 subject to review 4 August 1945.

Under General Staff Branch.

Add new section Intelligence

General staff officer, 1st grade	- 1 (subject to War Office approval)
General staff officer, 2nd grade	- 1
General staff officers, 3rd grade	- 2
Other ranks	- 5
Vehicles	- 2

The above personnel will form part of a team composed of American and British personnel, who will assist the Intelligence staffs of Headquarters Nos. 1 and 2 Districts with their new commitments in North and North West Italy.

Will be promulgated as amendment No. 5.

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New War Establishments will NOT be implemented without A.F.H.Q. authority.

E. A. L. Chapman

Lieutenant-Colonel, G.S.,
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The 201st meeting will be held at 1400 hours on Friday, 4th May 1945 in the G-1 (British) Conference Room, Caserta Palace.

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2263	Amendment to ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS Medical Section	CM/30/4	No	G-1 (Br) A-6 Medical	1400
	By the addition of Officer 1 Sergeant 1 Havilder 1 Vide Annexure 1. File : 272/Org-3				
2264	Amendment to ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION	CM/239/1	No	A.F.L.R.S.	1415
	By the deletion of Officer 1 and the addition of Vehicles 3 Vide Annexure 2. File : 343/Org-3				
2265	Amendment to ARMY SCHOOL OF EDUCATION A.E.C. (C.M.)	CM/511/1	No	G-1 (Br) A-5 Catering R.E.M.E.	1435
	By the addition of				

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2263	Amendment to				
	ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS Medical Section	CM/30/4	No	G-1 (Br) A-6 Medical	1400
	By the addition of				
	Officer 1 Sergeant 1 Havilder 1				
	Vide Annexure 1.				
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2264	Amendment to				
	ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION	CM/239/1	No	A.F.L.R.S.	1415
	By the deletion of				
	Officer 1				
	and the addition of				
	Vehicles 3				
	Vide Annexure 2.				
	File : 343/Org-3				
2265	Amendment to				
	ARMY SCHOOL OF EDUCATION A.E.C. (C.M.)	CM/511/1	No	G-1 (Br) A-5 Catering R.E.M.E.	1435
	By the addition of				
	Other ranks 22 Vehicles 2				
	and the deletion of				
	Officers 3 Italian civilians 16				
	Vide Annexure 3.				
	File : 389/Org-3				

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2266	Review TRAINING INCREMENT R.E.M.E. TO B.L.U. (for Gruppo di Combattimenti) W.E.C. Meeting 157 Minute 1707 refers. Vide Annexure 4. File : 758/Org-3	CM/640/1	Yes	G-3 (Org) Foreign R.E.M.E.	1450
2267	Amendment to BRITISH CADRE FOR ITALIAN BASE REINFORCEMENT DEPOT a) By the addition of Vehicles b) Amend effective date of W.E. from 9 Feb 45 to 9 Dec 44. Vide Annexure 5. File : 742/Org-3	CM/731/1	No	G-3 (Org) Foreign	1500
2268	Review of BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (for Gruppo di Combattimenti) W.E.C. Meeting 184 Minute 1341A refers. File : 758/Org-3	CM/508/1	No	G-2 G-3 (Ops) G-3 (Org) Arty Engr Signals S & T Ord (Br) R.E.M.E. Foreign	1510
2269	Approval of DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT C.M.P. Strength : Officers 24	New W.E.	Yes	G-1 (Br) A-5 G-2 G-3 (Trg) D.M.T. S & T Med	1530

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Vide Annexure 4.

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2267 Amendment to

BRITISH CADRE FOR ITALIAN BASE REINFORCEMENT DEPOT — CM/731/1 — No — G-3 (Org) Foreign — 1500

a) By the addition of

Vehicles

b) Amend effective date of W.E. from 9 Feb 45 to 9 Dec 44.

Vide Annexure 5.

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2268 Review of

BRITISH LIAISON UNIT (for Gruppo di Combattimenti) — CM/508/1 — No — G-2, G-3 (Ops), G-3 (Org) Foreign, Arty, Engr, Signals, S & T, Ord (Br), R.E.M.E. — 1510

W.E.C. Meeting 184 Minute 1341A refers.

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2269 Approval of

DEPOT AND TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT C.M.P. — New W.E. — Yes — G-1 (Br) A-5, G-2, G-3 (Trg), D.M.T., S & T, Med, R.E.M.E., P.M. (Br) — 1530

Strength :

Officers	24
Other ranks	239
Italians	61
Vehicles	35

Additional for Increment

Other ranks	9
Vehicles	4

Vide Annexure 6.

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours
2270	Amendment to WELFARE POOL, C.M.	CM/132/3	Yes	G-1 (Br) A-4 Welfare	1600

By the addition of

a) for Rome Area Allied Command

Officers	3
Other ranks	3
Vehicles	3

b) for each A.G.R.A.

Officer	1
Other ranks	4
Vehicle	1

c) for each Brigade Group

Officer	1
Other ranks	4
Vehicle	1

d) for each Armoured Division

Other rank	1
Vehicle	1

Vide Annexure 7.

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2271 Amendment to

ARMY WELFARE SERVICES, C.M. — CM/563/1 — Yes — G-1 (Br) A-4 Welfare — 1620

By the increase of

Officers	2
Other ranks	127
Vehicles	6

and proposed upgradings.

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Officers	3
Other ranks	3

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Officers	5
Other ranks	3
Vehicles	3

b) for each A.G.P.A.

Officer	1
Other ranks	4
Vehicle	1

c) for each Brigade Group

Officer	1
Other ranks	4
Vehicle	1

d) for each Armoured Division

Other rank	1
Vehicle	1

Vide Annexure 7.

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2271 Amendment to

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Serial Number	PROPOSAL	W.E. Number	Whether higher approval required	Branches to send representative	TIME (hours)
2272	Approval of GREEK TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES MISSION Strength : Officers 9 Other ranks 22 Vehicles 7 File : 768/Org-3	New W.E.	Yes	G-4 (Mov & Tn) Engr (Br) Tn (Br) S & T	1700

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