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Feb. Nov. 1946

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CARABINIERI GENERAL HEADQUARTERS

126/15-CAM

12 Nov. 46

Repairs to Staghound A/Cs. -

CC Central School HQ
Cadets Legion HQ
Mob. Bns H.Q.s
Cadets BN HQ

copy for information to:

CC Legion HQs, on whom Mob Bns depend
Organisation Office, CC GHQ
Land Forces Sub-Com CC Sec.

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Mario Sacchi,
Chief of Staff.

TR/am

Cadets EN HQ

Turkey

copy for information to:

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Rome
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BY ORDER

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Mario Sacchi,
Chief of Staff.

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TRANSLATION.

5th CC BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS

350/4-6

8 Oct. 46

SUBJECT : - Repairs to Allied Vehicles allotted to Carabinieri.
TO : - Major Lambert, Liaison Officer - Naples

We inform you that all means of transport of the Legions depending from this HQ have been sent to workshops for repairs.

(sgd) for General Branca
Lt Col Pelamatti

S E R I E S		Date
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GSD 2		
GSD 3		
GSD 4 (T18)		
DAA & OM7		

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TRANSLATION

(17)

FROM :- CCR. CHQ. CAM

REF :- 63/72-3 CAM

31 July 46.

SUBJECT :- Application for Tyres & Tubes.TO :- MINISTRY of INDUSTRY & COMMERCE, General Direction Industry & Mines,
4th Divn/ind.Copy to :- MMIA, AG (CCRR Section) ROME
ROME

(15)

Ref our 63/72-1 CAM dated 24 July.

Please release two tyres and two inner-tubes (size 3,25 x 19) to Bologna
CCRR Legion, to be used on a "Benelli" motor-cycle recently recovered.

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(sgd) By order
Mario Sacchi, col, Chief of Staff.

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CEO III		
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TRANSLATION

(16)

From : CHQ CARABINIERI - CAM

To : WAR MINISTRY, General Directorate of Artillery
and Motorization - Rome.

and for information to:
Land Forces Sub Commission, AC/WMIA, COMA Sec.
Rome.

Subject : Request of tyres.

Date : 26 Jul 46

Ref : Nr.63/74-1/CAM

Ancona Legion has requested the following tyres and tubes
this being urgently required to put on road Legion's Motor
Vehicles & Motorcycles:

<u>Size</u>	<u>Tyres</u>	<u>Tubes</u>
3.25 x 19	16	41
4.00 x 15	9	11
4.00 x 17	13	14
5.00 x 15	20	21
5.50 x 16	7	8
7.50 x 20	7	6
130 x 40	5	5
165 x 400	4	4
32 x 6	3	4
210 x 20	2	-

Please take this request in your kind consideration.

SEEN	DATE
GSO I	
GSO II	
GSO III	
ESA-GM3	

Transl. Rb.

Sgd Mario SACCHI, Col.
Chief of Staff.

6868 RELATION

From : GHQ CARABINIERI - CAN
To : MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE - General Directorate of Industry
and Mines - IV Industry Division - Rome.
(copy to Land Forces Sub-Commission, AG/AMIA - CCR Sec. - Rome)
Subject : Requirement of tyres.
Date : 24 Jul 46
Ref : 63/72-1-S.M

Bologna territorial Legion has forwarded the attached list of tyres and tubes which are urgently required in order to put in efficiency Legion's motor vehicles.

Will you please take in consideration this requirement?

Sgt Marco BIANCO, Lt.Col.

for the Colonel Chief of Staff.

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TRANSLATIONHQ BOLOGNA TERRITORIAL LEGION
"Administration Branch" - Depot SectionTYRES & TUBES NECESSARY FOR LEGION'S M/T.

Type and make of Vehicle	Tyres required	Tubes required	Size
Car Mercedes W125	5	5	7.25x13
Light truck Opel Admiral	3	-	600x16
Car Fiat 500 (two)	9	9	4.75x17
Motor Fiat 626 and Bianchi Miles (two 10)	22	8	21x27
Motorcycles, various (16)	29	29	7.0x19
M/C comb BMW 1000	2	1	17x21.6
M/C Guzzi Alice 500	2	-	27x1.00
M/C Victoria 350	2	-	26x3.50
M/C Guzzi 500	2	-	4.35x18
Car Mercedes Benz	3	-	525x16
Car Fiat 1100	5	5	525x15
Car Fiat 508	5	3	4.25x17
Car Fiat 1500 and Jeep	3	2	600x16
Jeeps (2)	3	-	6x16
M/C Guzzi Alice 500	1	2	5.25x19
M/C D.S.W. 350	2	-	19x3.25
Bianchi 500	1	1	350x19
Car Fiat 1100	3	3	5.50x15
Car Fiat 1100	2	2	3.15 x 18
Car Fiat 1100 and Fiat 508 (4)	19	19	5.00x15
M/C Guzzi Alice 500	-	2	3.36x18
Lorry O.M. Taurus	1	-	750x20
Lorry Fiat 634	4	-	42 x 9
Lorry Fiat 666	2	2	270x20
Car Bianchi - Augusta	5	5	140 x 40 Airflex

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SUBJECT: Tools.

TO: CC.RR Liaison Officer,
IO III,
NAPLES.

Land Forces Sub Commission, IO.
M.M.I.A. (14)
RMB.

9/1/1/11/CC.RR.

July 1943.

1. Please obtain the signature of a CC.RR Officer on the third copy of each of the attached vouchers and return to this office.
2. The vehicles referred to are those used by the anti-brigandage squads, (Naples Legion)
3. Reference batteries. These were obtained from ADOS dump. Capt. Clarke will help you in this. GSA Authority is on the file dealing with the formation of this squad.

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C. MAYES, Major.
GSD II for Major General.
CC.RR. Section.
M. M. I. A.

CH/enc.

TRANSLATION

From :GHQ CARABINIERI - CAM.
 To :MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY & COMMERCE - Directorate General of Industry
 and Mines - 4th Div. Industry. - Rome.
 Copy to: Land Forces Sub Commission, AC/MIA - Carabinieri Sec. - Rome
 Subject :Requirement of tyres & tubes.
 Date :23 Jul.46
 Ref :63/70-1-CAM.

Report has been received from HQ Abruzzi Legion - Chieti that fifty per cent of M/T in hand is off road in account of bad condition of tyres, part of above vehicles having no tyres at all.

Such position compels the Legion in question to a complete inactivity and an issue of tyres is therefore necessary and urgent. The following tyres are required:

Tyres	2.70 x 20	3
Tyres	7,50 x 20	20
Tubes	7,50 x 20	15
Tyres	32 x 6	1
Tubes	32 x 6	1
Tyres	34 x 7	4
Tubes	34 x 7	4
Tyres	6,00 x 16.....	20
Tubes	6,00 x 16.....	22
Tyres	5,00 x 15.....	7
Tubes	5,00 x 15	7
Tyres	3,25 x 19	0

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Tubes	6.00 x 16	22
Tyres	5.00 x 15	7
Tubes	5.00 x 15	7
Tyres	3.25 x 19	64
Tubes	3.25 x 19	63
Tyres	4.25 x 17	11
Tubes	4.25 x 17	10
Tyres	1.65 x 400	4
Tubes	1.65 x 400	4

Will this Ministry kindly consider and satisfy this requirement?

Sgd. Marco BILICO, Lt. Col.
for the Colonel Chief of Staff

Transl. Rb.



Appendix "A" to C

PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION - STATIONED ARMoured CARS.

Territorial Command	<u>C. C. R. R.</u>		<u>A R M Y</u>		<u>R E S E R V E</u>		<u>B</u> unallot
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8 (Incl. SARDINIA)	56	56	8				
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BALANCE UNALLOTTED							130
TOTAL	168	168	65	NIL	28	NIL	130

Appendix "A" to Q.1370 23 May 46.

PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION - STAGHOUND ARMoured CAIS.

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Appendix "A" t

PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION - STAGHOUND ARMoured CAIS.

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BALANCE UNALLOTTED							1
TOTAL	168	168	63	NIL	28	NIL	1

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Appendix "A" to 137 of 23 May 46.

PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION - STAGHOUND ARMoured CARS.

<u>C. C. R. R.</u>		<u>A R H Y</u>		<u>R E S E R V E</u>		<u>B A L A N C E</u>		<u>T O T A L</u>	
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Appendix "A" to

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PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION - STATIONED ARMORED CARS.

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BALANCE UNALLOTTED							136
TOTAL	168	168	63	NIL	28	NIL	136

Appendix "A" to 1268.157 of 23 May 46.

PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION - STACFOUND ARMOURD CARS.

<u>C. C. H. R.</u>		<u>A. R. M. Y.</u>		<u>R E S E R V E</u>		<u>B A L A N C E</u>		<u>T O T A L</u>	
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From : GHQ CC.MR. = Communications, Armament, Motorisation Office
 To : LAND FORCES SUB-COMMISSION, AC, MMIA - ROME
 Subject : Tyres and tubes for motorvehs.
 Date : 14 May 46
 Ref.Nr. : 63/22-1/CAM

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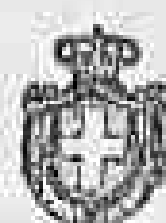
Ref.your CC.MR. 1/1 dated 8.4.46, subject as above, please
 find attached copy of the letter from Ministry of Industry & Com-
 merce Nr.633099 dated 26/4/46.

S E I C N		Date
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Sgd. Mario SACCHI, Colonel
 Chief of Staff

Transl.Rb.

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UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTI ARMAMENTO E MOTORIZZAZIONE
(C. A. M.)

BE. RR.

Roma, li 14 maggio 1746

Risposta al foglio del I/B-4-u/s. n. CC.BB./Q/I/I
 Allocato n.

OGGETTO: Copertoni e camere d'aria per automezzi.

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC. - M.E.I.A. -

ROMA

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In esito al foglio sopraindicato si trasmette copia del dispaccio n. 693089 del 26 aprile u/s. del Ministero dell'Industria e Commercio relativo all'oggetto. -

d'ordre

IL COLONNELLO CAPO DI STATO LAGGIORRE
-Mario Sacchi-

1266

From : MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY & COMMERCE - General Directorate
of Industry & Mines - IV Dep. Ind.

To : GHQ CARR - CAM - ROME

Subject : Release of tyres & tubes.

Date : 26 Apr 46

Ref.Nr. : 633099

Ref your letter 63/I dated 30/3/46 we have to inform you that your request have been partly accepted and that the following materials are now released to you:

<u>Tyres</u>	<u>Tubes</u>
500 x 15	50
550 x 15	20
400 x 15	50
425 x 17	75
750 x 20	40

to be collected from PIRELLI firm in Rome, which will draw them from the quantity reserved for this Ministry.

It is impossible to give you any tube 500x15 & 550x15 and other size tyres you have requested, as such sizes are not available.

As far as tyres & tubes for bicycles are concerned, it is pointed out that they are now unblocked and sold on the free market. Therefore the request for them should be addressed to the producing

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It is impossible to give you any tube 500x15 & 550x15 and other size tyres you have requested, as such sizes are not available.

As far as tyres & tubes for bicycles are concerned, it is pointed out that they are now unblocked and sold on the free market. Therefore the request for them should be addressed to the producing firms directly.

Sgd: for the Minister 1265
(signature illegible)

True copy by Rodolfo CELLI, Colonel
Chief of CAM Office

Copy to : SOCIETA ITALIANA PIRELLI - ROME.

Transl.Rb.

MINISTERO DELL'INDUSTRIA E DEL COMMERCIO - DIR. GEN. IND. E IIR/RE
Divisione IV/Ind.

N. 633099 di F/110

Roma, li 16 aprile 1946

Oggetto: Assegnazione pneumatici.

AL COMANDO GENERALE DELL'ARMA DEI CC. FF. - UFF. GEN. ARMAMENTO E LOG. (C.A.M.).
Risp. al foglio n. 63/I del 30 marzo 1946

e, per conoscenza:

SOCIETA' ITALIANA PIRELLI - Via Emilia, 85 -

ROMA

In relazione al foglio sopradistinto, si comunica che, a parziale accoglimento della richiesta fatta, si assegnano a codesto comando i seguenti materiali:

Aperture		Camere d'aria
500 x 15	n. 50	—
550 x 15	" 30	—
400 x 15	" 50	50
425 x 17	" 75	75
750 x 30	" 40	40

da ritirarsi presso la Società Italiana Pirelli, di Roma, sulla produzione riservata a questo Ministero.

Non è possibile provvedere all'assegnazione delle camere d'aria 500 x 15 e 550 x 15 nonché dei pneumatici delle altre misure per indisponibilità di tali materiali.

Per quanto concerne i pneumatici per biciclette si fa presente che con recente provvedimento tali materiali sono stati sbloccati e restituiti al libero commercio.

La richiesta per il rifornimento di detti pneumatici potrà, pertanto, essere rivolta direttamente alle ditte produttrici.

per IL MINISTRO
F/to illeggibile

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P. C. C.
Roma, li 16 maggio 1946
IL SOGGERNO C.F.O. UFFICIO C.A.M.
- Rodolfo Celli -

Celli

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SUBJECT: Repair of CC.MR. Vehicles.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(MIA) R. D. H. S.
26/33
7 May 1946

MIA: 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10 B.M.S.

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Reference by 26/33 of 20 March.

It is reported that approximately 40% of these vehicles are "off the road".

Attached are copies of War Ministry letters 23600/DM of 24 Feb. 46 and 24600/DM of 7 March 46 giving priority to the repair of these vehicles.

In view of the impending elections it is essential to improve the above situation and you are to bring all possible pressure to bear on the Territorial Command HQ's with whom you deal to rectify this situation enlisting the help of your B.L.U. Commanders where necessary.

Please inform me by 28 May of the situation as at 1200 hrs (7 May in the CC.MR. Legions (not the Mobile Bns.) in your area including that of the type 'B' B.L.U.s affiliated to you.

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AB Hunt
Lt. Col.
A.D.C.
M.I.A.

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Copy to: CC.MR.
War Diary.

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COPY

From : Ministry of War
To : All addresses

Ref: 24460/Dm

Date: 7/3/46

Subject: Repair of CC.RR. Vehicles.

- (1) It is essential, particularly at the moment, that the vehicles on issue to the HQ's and Units of the CC.RR. Corps are held in the most serviceable condition possible.
- (2) It is therefore ordered that priority be given to repair works on these vehicles whenever they are brought in to the Repairs Units for servicing.
- (3) The necessary orders will be given.

Gen Properzi

FROM : Ministry of War.

TO : All Mil. Terr. Hqs

Ref. 43800/MA

Date 24/4/45

Cardinal Mil. Office Cagliari

SUBJECT: Repairs to Vehicles belonging to the CC.MM.

- (1) Due to the particular situation and the special service requirements of the CC.MM. the necessity often arises that they have to arrange quickly for small and average repairs to the vehicles allocated to them.
- (2) Therefore, in accordance with the instructions in the circular from the Cabinet No. 208.000 dated 5/4/1945 CC.MM. Hqs which have vehicles located at repair units Hqs, have been authorised to have small repairs carried out by civilian firms, whilst Hqs which have vehicles outside the repair unit Hqs, plus the small repairs, may also have the larger repairs carried out by civilian firms.
- (3) Examination of the estimates and the authority for the relative expenses is the responsibility of the A/M repair directorates, and will always be kept within the limits referred to in para 5 of circular 15400 dated 24/7/1945.
- (4) Repair Directorates are also responsible for checking the unserviceable vehicles, check of works and the check of repaired vehicles, to be carried out sending their own representative to the place.
- (5) Approval will not be given for the estimates unless the licence N° and name of the unit which has the vehicle on charge is shown. If these are not shown, this information will be requested from the unit concerned, sending for information the letter concerned to the Gen.Hq of the CC.MM. Admin. Directorate and to this Ministry - M.T. Division.
- (6) CC.MM. units Hqs will arrange directly for the purchase of tyres from the open market, checked by a general officer, who will be in charge of the purchase Commission with the procedure laid down in circ. 24450 and 29400 dated 30/11 dated and 12/12/44.
- (7) Expenses for vehicles repairs and purchase of tyres effected by CC.MM. Hqs will be reported monthly to the

- (3) Examination of the estimates and the authority for the relative expenses is the responsibility of the A/M repair directorates, and will always be kept within the limits referred to in para 5 of circular 15400 dated 14/7/1945.
- (4) Repair Directorates are also responsible for checking the unserviceable vehicles, check of works and the check of repaired vehicles, to be carried out sending their own representative to the place.
- (5) Approval will not be given for the estimates unless the licence N° and name of the unit which has the vehicle on charge is shown. If these are not shown, this information will be requested from the unit concerned, pending for information the letter concerned to the Gen.HQ of the C.C.M. Admin. Directorate and to this Ministry - M.I. Division.
- (6) C.C.M. units will arrange directly for the purchase of tyres from the open market, checked by a general officer, who will be in charge of the purchase Commission with the procedure laid down in circ. 14450 and 25400 dated 10/11 dated and 12/12/44.
- (7) Expenses for vehicles repairs and purchase of tyres effected by C.C.M. H.Q.'s will be reported monthly to the Directorate who will include them in the monthly list laid down in circ. 17400 dated 18 October 1945.
- (8) The s/m instructions also apply for the repair of vehicles belonging to the S.C.C. unit several of which are supplied with civilian licence numbers, and for M.I. section belonging to N° 1 office.
- Each Car Repair Directorate will therefore take care of the repair of vehicles on issue to C.C.M. Centres located in territory under their own jurisdiction.

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SUBJECT-

Arms and AmmunitionLAND FORCE REGISTRATION NO.
INCA

OCT/1/7

18 April 66.CENTRAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY (OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF)Attached Letter from Ministry of War addressed to you
is returned with thanks.

WIS/100

H. H. I. A.
for Major General.
H. H. I. A.

For Major W. S. S.

From: MINISTRY OF WAR - General Direction of Artillery and Motorisation. 17

To : GHQ Carabinieri, Communication, Armament & Motorisation Office - Rome.

Subject: Tyres & tubes for Load-carriers.

Date : 2nd Apr 46

Ref Nr : 26839/DW

Reference is made to your letter dated 19.3.46 Nr.63/1.

1. Consideration is being given to the suggestion made by this GHQ with the above mentioned letter to the Ministry of Industry & Trade.
2. Since more than three months this Ministry is making pression upon the Ministry of Industry & Trade in order to obtain an adequate supply of tyres and tubes, the production of which ~~is~~ reaching a considerable level in Italy. The particular needs of CCRR have always been put forward, as it is known that motorvehicles are being purchased for you, all without tyres.
3. It is the opinion of this General Direction that a similar pression made by the Ministry of Interior will not be inopportune.

Sgd: P.G. PROPERZJ, General
General Director.

Transl. Rb.

	Date
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GSO II (100)	
DAA & OMO	18/4

SUBJECT:-

Tyres and Tubes for H.T. Vehicles.

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LAWD NARRING SUB COMMISSION, AG.
MELA

COM/2/4/4

A. April 1946.

COMMISSIONER GENERAL, BOMBAYReference your 65/6-3 dat of 1 April 46, regarding
subject matter.It is requested please, that a copy of the reply, when
received, to your letter 65/4-241 of 19 March 45, addressed to Ministry
Of Industry and Commerce, be forwarded to this Headquarters.

H. H. I. A.

H. H. I. A. Col.
For Major General.
H. H. I. A.

H. H. I. A.

Q/4/2 (15)

FROM : G.H.Q. CCRR
Communication - Armament - Motoriz. Office.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Comm. AC/MMA - Rome.

SUBJECT : Tyres and tubes for motor-vehicles.

DATE : 1 April 1946.

REF. No. : 63/6-3 C.A.M. (13)

Reference is made to your CCRR/2/1/1 dated 27 March 1946.

Copies of this Office letters Nr 63/1-CAM dated 19/3/46 and 63/1-1-CAM dated 30/3/46 addressed to the Ministry of Industry and Trade are attached.

On the letter 63/1-1-CAM are reported motor-vehicles which need tyres and tubes.

Up to-day this HQ have bought the necessary items on the market, accordingly to the memorandum Nr 10000 herewith attached. However, this system of supply is believed advisable no longer the prices being too high.

(sgd) MARIO SACCHI, Col.
Chief of Staff.

Transl/Rb/Lmr

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FROM : G.H.Q. CORR
Communication - Armament - Motoriz. Office.

TO : Ministry of Industry and Trade - ROMA

SUBJECT : Tyres and tubes for motorvehicles.

DATE : 30 March 1946.

REF Nr : 63/1-1-CAM.

Further to our letter 63/1-CAM dated 19 inst please find list of tyres and tubes requested for different legions and Mob. Bns.

M/CARS

- Fiat 1100 size 5.00 x 15	tyres and tubes	450
- Fiat 1500 " 5.40 x 15	"	40
- Fiat 1500 " 5.50 x 16	"	10
- Fiat 500 " 4.00 x 15	"	250
- Fiat 508 " 4.00 x 17	"	400
- Lancia Augusta-size-140x40	"	20
- Lancia Aprilia " 165x400	"	30
TOTAL		1,200

LORRIES

- Fiat 626 size 300 x 20	tyres and tubes	220
- Spa 38 " 200 x 20	"	80
- O.M. Taurus" 750 x 20	"	100
TOTAL		400

M/C and M/C COMB

- size 3,50 x 14 (3/8)	tyres and tubes	800
- " 3,25 x 15 (1 1/4)	"	200
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- " 3,25 x 19 (1 1/4)	" "	200
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BICYCLES

- size 28 1 1/8 - 1 1/8

tyres and tubes
1,000

True copy by
Rodolfo Celli, Col.
C.A.M. Officer

(sgd) MARIO SACCHI, **6257**
Chief of Staff

Transl/Rb/lmr

FROM : G.H.Q. CCRP
Communication - Armament - Motoriz. Office.

TO : Ministry of Industry and Trade - ROMA
and for knowledge to :
War Ministry - Art. and Mot. Dep. Rome
Ministry of Interior - Rome.

DATE : 19 March 1946.

REF Nr : 63/1-CAM.

In order to supply CCRP Corp with a minimum of transport, up to-day we were obliged to by tyres ~~and free~~ market or to hire private vehicles, but now the situation grew unbearable, both for the constant increase of prices of tyres and the very considerable amounts of money expended for hiring of vehicles.

Considered the very urgent actual needs of CCRP, this Ministry is requested to examine the possibility of giving to Legions and Mob. Bns. a part of tyres a tubes produced by "Pirelli" Factory at Milan and Tivoli.

In order to put on road the held vehicles, the following articles are necessary for the time being :

- 1200	tyres and tubes for various cars;
- 400	" " " lorries
- 1000	" " " M/C
- 5000	" " " bicycles

(sgd) BRUNETTO BRUNETTI
General Commander

True copy by
Rodolfo Celli, Col.
Chief of Staff.

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General Commander

True copy by
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Chief of Staff.

Transl/Rb/lmr

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Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTI - ARMAMENTO E MOTORIZZAZIONE (C. A. M.)

N. 10000 Promemoria Riservatissimo.

Roma, li 18 ottobre 1945

OGGETTO: Riparazione automezzi CC. RR. e approvvigionamento gomme.

Al Comando di Legione Territoriale Carabinieri Reali
Al Comando della Legione Alivici Carabinieri Reali
Al Comando della Squadra Centrale Carabinieri Reali
Alla Compagnia Comando del Comando Generale Carabinieri Reali
Al Comando di Gruppo (tutti)
Al Comando dei Battaglioni Mobili (tutti)

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e, per conoscenza:

Al Sig. Generale Coruso
Al Sig. Capo di Stato Maggiore
All'ufficio Ordinamento
Alla Direzione di Amministrazione del Comando Generale Carabinieri Reali
All'ufficio Mobilitazione del Comando Generale Carabinieri Reali
Allo Stato Maggiore R. E. - Ufficio Inf. - Sez. 2^a -
Al Comando di Divisione Carabinieri Reali
Al Comando di Brigata Carabinieri Reali
Al Comando di Raggruppamento dei Battaglioni Mobili Carabinieri Reali di:

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MIANO - PALERMO -
 ROMA - TORINO

Al Gruppo Autonomo Carabinieri Reali presso il Ministero della R. Marina
Al Gruppo Autonomo Carabinieri Reali presso il Ministero della R. Aeronautica

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1°) - Con riferimento alle disposizioni contenute nel promemoria 5000, sono pervenute al Ministero Guerra, per la prescritta autorizzazione, numerosi preventivi di riparazione automezzi presso ditte civili, molti dei quali per importi addirittura irrisori.

2°) - Di parecchi automezzi, dei quali è stato trasmesso preventivo di spesa o richiesta di gommature, non viene indicato il numero di targa, nè l'ente che li ha in carico e tanto meno se sono autorizzati a circolare.

3°) - Le richieste di gommature sono ammontate poi a centinaia di unità e con pressanti indicazioni di urgenza, senza tenere nel debito conto che le fonti di approvvigionamento sono da anni inaridite e che i pochi esemplari che a fatica si riesce a raccogliere, debbono essere riservati a quei casi di assoluta ed inderogabile necessità.

4°) - Per i motivi sopraindicati si è reso indispensabile annullare il promemoria 5000 per sostituirlo col presente, più rispondente alle speciali condizioni del momento.

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AVVERTENZE PRELIMINARI

5^a) - Per disposizioni di carattere generale, presso i reparti riparazione possono essere presentati per la riparazione soltanto automezzi con una delle seguenti targhe: R. E. - S. M. - R. A. A. C. - CC. RR.; sono quindi tassativamente *esclusi* automezzi con targa civile i quali, se venissero presentati ai reparti riparazioni, sarebbero senz'altro trattenuti e non più restituiti.

SERVIZI RIPARAZIONI

6^a) - Per le spese di manutenzione e piccole riparazioni di cui al n. 4 della circolare 15400 del Ministero Guerra in data 24 luglio c. a. e cioè fino a L. 10.000 per gli autocarri ed autospeciali, L. 8.000 per le autovetture, L. 4.000 per i motoveicoli, L. 3.000 per i motocicli e L. 5.000 per i rimorchi, non occorre nessuna preventiva autorizzazione.

7^a) - Per le riparazioni di maggiore entità il cui importo non superi L. 100.000 per gli autocarri, 75.000 per le autovetture, 35.000 per i motoveicoli, 25.000 per i motocicli e 50.000 per i rimorchi, come stabilito nel n. 3 della citata circolare 15.400, tutti i comandi dipendenti chiederanno, d'ora in avanti, la relativa autorizzazione alla Direzione Riparazioni competente per territorio. A questa è devoluta la facoltà discrezionale di verifica degli automezzi, di controllo delle lavorazioni e di collaudo dei veicoli riparati, a mezzo di propri incaricati che potranno essere inviati sul posto.

Si ritiene opportuno segnalare le sedi dei reparti riparazioni auto:

- primo	reparto	Torino	- nono	reparto	Bari
- secondo	"	Genova	- decimo	"	Napoli
- terzo	"	Milano	- undicesimo	"	Palermo
- quarto	"	Bolzano	- dodicesimo	"	—
- quinto	"	Udine	- tredicesimo	"	—
- sesto	"	Bologna	- quattordicesimo	"	Cagliari
- settimo	"	Firenze	- quindicesimo	"	Piacenza
- ottavo	"	Roma	- sedicesimo	"	Verona

8^a) - Soltanto per le riparazioni di grande entità, la cui spesa superi i limiti massimi stabiliti dal n. 3 della circolare 15400, occorre richiedere l'autorizzazione preventiva del Ministero, inviando copia per conoscenza a questo Comando Generale.

RIFORNIMENTO GOMMATURE

9^a) - La persistente critica situazione delle gommature non consente alcuna distribuzione diretta dal magazzino centrale ricambi.

10^a) - I comandi che hanno automezzi dislocati nelle sedi dei reparti riparazioni presenteranno a questi gli automezzi con le gomme fuori uso, che saranno sostituite in quanto disponibili.

11^a) - Per i comandi che hanno automezzi dislocati fuori della sede dei reparti riparazioni e per quelli di cui al precedente n. 10, che non abbiano ottenuto la sostituzione

delle gomme dai reparti riparazioni predetti, sarà provveduto con acquisto dal commercio a mezzo delle commissioni di cui al n. 12 successivo, e con le cautele di cui alle circolari del Ministero Guerra nn. 24450 e 25400 rispettivamente in data 30/11/1944 e 12/12/1944 che sono state perciò estese ai comandi dei CC. RR.

12°) - Per l'acquisto di gomme (copertoni e camere d'aria) sarà costituita una apposita commissione presso ciascun comando di Brigata. La commissione sarà nominata e personalmente presieduta dal comandante della Brigata.

AUTOMEZZI FUORI USO

13°) - Per quanto riguarda gli automezzi che devono essere considerati fuori servizio, in quanto abbisognevole di riparazioni di troppo grande entità perché la riparazione possa essere ritenuta conveniente, si continuerà da parte di tutti i comandi ad applicare la norma generale, che prevede il versamento degli automezzi ai reparti di riparazione e la restituzione dell'etichetta allo Stato Maggiore Regio Esercito, tramite questo Comando Generale.

Va tenuto presente che all'atto del versamento, il reparto riparazioni rilascerà ricevuta in triplice copia.

Appena in possesso della ricevuta, le legioni inoltreranno la richiesta di assegnazione di un nuovo automezzo allo Stato Maggiore R. E. allegandovi due copie della ricevuta rilasciata dal reparto riparazioni. Copia di tale richiesta sarà inviata a questo Comando Generale per conoscenza.

RIEPILOGO MENSILE DELLE SPESE

14°) - Un riepilogo delle spese sostenute sia per le riparazioni automezzi e sia per l'acquisto di gommature sarà dalle legioni mensilmente inviato alle direzioni riparazioni dei Comandi Militari Territoriali e, per conoscenza, a questo Comando Generale - Direzione di Amministrazione.

15°) - In conseguenza delle disposizioni che precedono, il promemoria 5000 deve intendersi abrogato.

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO C. A. M.
Rodolfo Celli

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SUBJECT: Tyres and tubes for M.T. Vehicles.

LAND FORCES HQ COMMISSION. AG.
M.S.I.A. BOMB.

OMR/4/1.

27 March 1946

General Headquarters.

Further to this HQ OMR/4/1 of 15 March and your reply under reference 61/6-I-23 of 23 March 46.

1. Copies of relative correspondence to GPR and their replies thereto have not been sent to this HQ.
2. Please state the actual numbers of fit vehicles by types which require tyres and tubes only, to make them roadworthy.
3. Information is also required as to any other source of supply which has been exploited, and with what effect, if any, e.g. purchase from Arab, releases by Ministry of Industry, etc.
4. Please expedite information requested herein as early as possible.

Hu
L. MICHAEL, Lt. Col.
For Major General,
M. S. I. A.

WHD/can

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Translation

COMANDO GENERALE DELL'ARMA DEI CARABINIERI REALI
 Ufficio Collegamenti Armamento e Motorizzazione
 (C.A.M.)

N° 63/6-I-CAM

Rome, March 23th 1946

re :

Tyres and tubes for motorvehicles.

TO: Land Forces S/C. A.C.
 MMIA

This H.Q. has several times requested S.M.R.E. and the General Direction of Motorisation for tyres and tubes.

The above named offices have never ^{in the past} been able to obtain from the Ministry of Industry the materials requested on account of the absolute lack of production by the Pirelli works.

In urgent cases small quantities of tyres have been bought on the open market. But, on account of the excessive price it is not advisable to day to pursue this system.

The Ministry of Industry has been directly requested to assign to the CC.RR. part of the actual Pirelli production.

by order

The Colonel Chief of Staff
 Mario Sacchi

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22 March 46.

ADME. MILIA.

Reference your ME/20 of 22 March 46.

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Subject :- Repair Services - CC.RR.

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SUBJECT :- Tyres and Tubes for M.T. Vehicles.

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15 March 45.

GHC. CC.MR.

1. It is understood that a considerable number of mechanically fit vehicles, are "off road" as tyres and tubes are not available.
2. May this HQ please be informed what action has been taken by you to procure these items.
3. If this matter has been dealt with in conjunction with the Ministry of War, a copy of all relative correspondence is requested please.
4. An early reply will be appreciated.

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H. MICHALL. Lt. Col.
for Major General,
E. M. I. A.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUMSUBJECT:- Vehicles - Spare Parts

CC.RR. BRANCH

TO: 'Q' BRANCH

CCRR/Q/1/1.

11 March 46.

Allied vehicles at present held by CC.RR. i.e. HUMBER Armoured Cars, and M/Cs, have not been scaled with spare parts.

As this matter is one of considerable importance may an indication be given please as to whether provision of spares for these vehicles will be made, and in particular, if they will be provided for STAGHOUNDS & Jeeps, to be issued in the immediate future.

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H. MIGHALL Lt. Col.
GSO I CC.RR. Branch
M. M. I. A.

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The position is

1. The War Min are responsible for maintenance of CCRR transport.
2. Sufficient allied spare parts for maintenance of allied vehicles have not been made available or are obtainable from Theatre stocks.
3. This unsatisfactory state of affairs is being represented to the "Powers that be" at a high level conference on 18 Mar.

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