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RELEASE OF ITALIAN P.O.W.

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RELEASE OF ITALIAN P.O.W. CO-OPERATORS (IN ITALY) - RATIONS -  
DURING TRANSIT IN ROME

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IPW/44/104 April 1945

SUBJECT: Rations for Italian PW Co-operators during transit on repatriation.

TO : Rome Area Allied Command, APO 794, US Army.

Reference your letter Q.241/10 dated 3 April 1945.

1. This matter is now settled satisfactorily, and it has been arranged that rations will be indent-ed for by this HQ as and when these co-operators arrive in Rome.
2. The Italian Ministry of War have been re-quested to collect these rations ~~as~~ and when required.

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J. A. CAMPBELL,  
Lieut.-Colonel,  
Director,  
WMD & IPOW Sub-Com.

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
APO No 794 U.S. ARMY

Q. 241/10

SG/mv  
3 Apr 45

SUBJECT: Rations for Italian PW Co-operators  
during transit on repatriation

TO : Allied Commission (6)  
(War Materials Disposal & Italian PW Sub  
Commission)

Reference this office letter Q 241/10 dated 17 Mar 45.

1. May your reply now be received.

HEADQUARTERS  
3 APR 1945  
A. C.

*Alban Low*

ALBAN LOW  
Brigadier  
Deputy Commander

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Rations for Italian Co-operators.

IPW/44/S

Headquarters Commandant.

30 March 1946

With ref. to conversation Col. Robertson/Major Partridge.

1. Herewith attached copy of "Q" maintained authority for the drawing of rations for co-operators during transit in ROME.
2. As much notice as possible will be given to you of the impending arrival of any co-operators for whom rations are required.
3. For your information, the numbers involved will always be small. Probably in groups of 10/20 men, for whom rations will be required for not more than 3 days.
4. This matter has been discussed with S & T at RAAC, who are agreeable to the addition of these rations to the normal HQ.A.C. indent, quoting the "Q" maintenance authority.

J. A. CAMPBELL  
Lieut.-Colonel  
Director  
WMD & IPOW Sub-Com.

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IPW/44/7

30 March 1945

**Subject:** Restitution of Italian Prisoner of War Co-operators.

**To :** General Commanding, Autonomous Office for Veteran Soldiers and Repatriated Prisoners of War.  
(Attention: General A. Mannerini).

1. With reference to your letter 403591/RPGR dated 24 February 1945.

2. Authority to draw rations on the co-operator scale has been obtained from higher authority. There is, however, one condition that must be observed, and that is that the co-operators in question must retain their co-operator status until they actually leave the CIERSETI Barracks.

3. Arrangements are being made whereby these rations can be drawn from this Headquarters.

J. A. CAMPBELL  
Lieut.-Colonel  
Director  
WMD & IFOW Sub-Com.

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
APO No 794 U.S. ARMY

Q. 241/10

TEP/mv

17 Mar 45

SUBJECT: Rations for Italian  
PW Cooperators during  
transit on repatriation

TO : Allied Commission  
( War Materials Disposal &  
Italian PW Sub Commission)

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Reference AFHQ/2516/Q(Maint) dated 14 Mar 45  
addressed to this HQ copy to you.

1. Will you please confirm that action is  
being taken by you on the above mentioned letter.

HEADQUARTERS  
13 MAR 1945  
A. C.

*Subst Capt*  
ALBAN LOW  
Brigadier  
Deputy Commander

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correspondence attd)

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SUBJECT : Rations for Italian P.W.  
Co-operators during transit  
on repatriation.

AFHQ/2516/Q(Maint)

14 Mar 45.

TO : Headquarters,  
Rome Area Allied Command.

*See 1/4 + 6.*

Will you please take action on the attached letter  
IPW/44/4 of 10 Mar 45 received from WAD & IFOW Sub-Commission.

1. If these personnel retain the prisoner of war or Co-operator status whilst in the Rome transit camp, then they should be subsisted on the Co-operator ration scale provided from Allied military stocks.
2. If they have reverted to civilian status before reaching the transit camp, then they should be fed from civilian stocks.



*H. McLean*

H. McLEAN, Lt.Col.,  
for Major-General,  
D.Q.M.G.

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Copy to:- Allied Commission for WAD & IFOW Sub-Commission;  
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND  
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB-COMMISSION

EW/44/4510 March 1945

SUBJECT: Rations for Italian Prisoner of War Co-operators during transit on repatriation.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512.  
(Att: C-5 Section.)

*See 1/3 & 5*

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2. It is requested that authority be given to draw British rations to feed these co-operators during transit, documentation etc.
3. The number is never likely to exceed 50, and rations will only be drawn for the actual number of co-operators passing through the camp - THE PERIOD IN TRANSIT ETC. SHOULD NEVER EXCEED 3/4 DAYS.
4. If authority is given, IMIA can arrange for distribution etc.
5. Your early reply is requested.

For the Chief Commissioner :

*JAL*  
J. A. CAMPBELL,  
Lieut.-Colonel,  
Director,  
WD 3: ICOM Sub-Com.

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J.A. CAMPBELL,  
Lieut.-Colonel,  
Director,  
WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

*B/F 8/3/45*  
*gc.*

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MINISTRY OF WAR

Autonomous Office for Veterans  
and Repatriated Prisoners of War.

File No. 403591/AFGR

Rome, 24 February 1945

To: Lt. Col. J.A. CAMPBELL  
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.  
A.O., ROME

Subject: Restitution of Italian PW "Co-operators".

I acknowledge receipt of your letter IPW/36 of 22 Feb 45.

At the barracks of "Ce. R. Se. Ti." in Rome already 60 beds are ready, which number within 48 hours can be brought to 180.

I beg to let me know if to these co-operators during their short stay at the "Ce.R.Se.Ti." barracks while waiting to be dispersed, will be allotted military rations.

THE GENERAL  
Head of the Autonomous Section

s/ A. Mannerini

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## HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

## INTER OFFICE MEMO

3 March 1945

FROM: WMD &amp; IPOW Sub-Com.

SUBJECT: Rations for IPOW Co-operators during transit on repatriation.

To : Land Forces Sub-Commission (Att: Colonel Noakes).

Ref. attached translation of letter from General Mannerini on the question of rations for Co-operators being repatriated with a view to demobilization, -We spoke.

The number is never expected to exceed 50 at any one time and will be very spasmodic. I do not see how we can do other than ration these men. We should in this case never be held for more than maximum of 2/3 days. I shall be pleased to hear that you agreed to military rations being issued.

JAC

J.A. CAMPBELL  
Lieut.-Colonel  
Director  
WMD & IPOW Sub-Com.

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THE GENERAL  
Head of the Autonomous Section

s/ A. Mannerini

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
 APO 394  
 WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND  
 ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

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 IPW/WW

22 February 1945

To: General Commanding, Autonomous Office for War Veterans  
 and Repatriated Prisoners of War.  
 (Attention: General A. Mannerini).

Subject: Restitution of Italian Co-operator Prisoners of War.

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Reference your N.403359/RPCR dated 18 February 1945.

- 1/. It is impossible to state the exact numbers of co-operators that will be released. Numerous requests for the repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War who were in North Africa were forwarded sometime ago and it has now been found that certain Prisoners of War whom it was decided to release are now in Italy as Co-operators.
- 2/. I know of approximately 20 such Co-operator Prisoners of War who have been passed for release and others will follow.
- 3/. I think that groups to be released will be small in number, never more than 20/30 but I suggest that accommodations to take care of 50/100 be made available so as to provide for eventualities. Should the numbers to be repatriated ever go beyond the 100 figure I hope to be in a position to give sufficient notice to allow time to prepare any increase in accommodation that is necessary.
- 4/. I note that for the present any co-operator Prisoners of War released should be sent to Cerseti, Rome.

*JAC*  
 J. A. CAMPBELL  
 Lieut.-Colonel  
 Director  
 WMD & IPOW Sub-Com. 7500

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MINISTRY OF WAR

Autonomous Office for

War Veterans & Repatriated PW

Rome, February 18th 1945

N.403359/RPGR

TO: WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL & IPW SUB-COMMISSION. ROME?

SUBJECT: Restitution of It.Co-operators PWs'.

Attention: Liut.Col.Campbell.

*See 2.*

In reference to our conversation this morning regarding the releasing of the It.P.O.Ws' cooperating in the working groups in Italy and that the Allies have decided to release, I will furnish you with the full information relative to subject, as soon as you inform me as to the exact number of the military personnel to be released.

In the meantime I beg you to arrange that the said military personnel, who will be released in groups or individually, will be sent to "CERSETI".=ROME.=

Signed:

The General Commanding  
the Autonomous Office.

A.MANNERINI.

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