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AUTHORITY TO DRAW RATIONS FROM ITALIAN ARMY

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FROM: M of W  
TO : MMIA copy

REF. NO. 11390/S/1

DATE: 22 Oct. 44

## REGULATION FOR RATIONS WITHDRAWAL

This follows telegram No. 11249/S/1 of the 18 Oct. 44.

It appears that some units when indenting for rations with vouchers Mod. K instead of showing ration strength as per establishment fixed by the Allied authorities have been showing ration strength as it appeared in list attached to letter 7650/S of the 26/7/44.

Apert from the facts that the ration scale must only be effective in the unit itself, the withdrawal of ration on such bases, causes evident errors in the distribution of Rations of Rice and Maccaroni from the food depots, lack of balance in the issue of ration is caused by the transfer of a unit for a determined period and which would mean an issue in excess or below the laid down scale applicable to the A/M foods.

So as to avoid further errors the order that units (no exemption to the rule) give to the depots concerned the voucher compiled as from the scale of ration shown below.

Daily Ration  
Fundamental Ration

Flour	gr.	339 ✓
Bread	gr.	440 — ?
Maccaroni	gr.	84 ✓
Rice	"	28 — 28
Meat of fish	"	84 (1) — 85
Dried Vegs.	"	56 (peas beans lentils) (2) ✓
Dehydrated vegs.	"	28 (3)
Tinned food stuff	"	14 (4)
Tinned cheese	"	28 ✓
Pepper	"	0.14 grs.
Sugar	"	28 ✓
Coffee	"	14 ✓
Tea or	"	4.7
Cocoa or	"	7
Butter or Marg.	"	28 (in place of oil)
Matches	"	40 per week

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(1) Some of the Meat, fish, or sausages in tins can be substituted by 200 grms. of horse meat including bones or by 1/2 a tin of Italian tinned meat or 28 grm of dehydrated meat from Allied sources.

(2) In substitution of the 56 gr. of vegs., 28 grms of dehydrated veg. or

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112 gr of tinned vegs can be issued if former not available in the stores.

(3) In substitution of the 28gr of dehydrated vegs 56 gram of dried vegs at 112 gr of tinned vegs 4 from allied sources, meat extract, tomatoes paste, peeled tomatoes if double concentration 28 gram if triple concentration 10 if concentrated 6 times 6 grams.

Additional Foodstuff

Olive Oil	gr 10 (can be substituted by 28 gr of marg.)
Salt	gr 20 ✓
Wine	1/2 litre ✓
Cigarettes	5 daily ✓ ?
Cheese par (grated)	4 grms. ✓
Dried fruit	28 (1) ✓
Fresh fruit	113 (2) ✓
Fresh Vegs.	350 (2)

1. To be bought locally by corp or units when not available in Military depots. During summer May to Sept. to be replaced by 56 gr of fresh fruit.

2. To be bought locally by unit or corps when not disposable in stores of the Italian Army.

For the Royal Navy and Air Force this rule only apply to unit who owing to their locality are obliged to the disposition taken on letter 7700/S of the 29/9/44 remains valid about the fourthnight assignment to be withdrawn from the depot of the Italian Army which must take place with withdrawal voucher M.K. in triplicate (that for the 2A/m foras).

In that we precise that voucher M.K. will only be used for fundamental rations the rest of rations will be shown on older type of request vouchers.

As regards to the additional ration the third copy is not needed as not requested by MMIA.

The addresses must communicate the rules and regulation contained in this letter and send copy to dependant corp and units.

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From: M of W

Ref No. 10807/s/1

To MMIA

Date: 9 Oct 44.

## Withdrawal of Rations from Rome Depot

To comply with verbal request we attach list of the units which are authorized to draw rations from the Rome Depot showing the maximum strength of each unit.

Copy of this list is also being sent to the Rome Depot so as to enable them to comply with the daily list ; eventual changes will be communicated so as to enable alterations.

For the districts of Viterbo Littoria, and Frosinone and for Cerseti the strength shown refers only to actual personnel on strength. Rations for the personnel recalled in the army will be requested separately, in accordance to orders.

For the CCRR the data have been slightly altered on indication from their Commandant; Who has pointed out that on the 15 Sept they have opened a school for CCRR in Rome which does not figure in any previous list. Therefore, the strength does not exceed the prescribed limits.

Authorization given to some unit to draw indefinite No. of rations or for limited periods, ~~unlimited~~ are indicated on the list and without serial No.

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Roma

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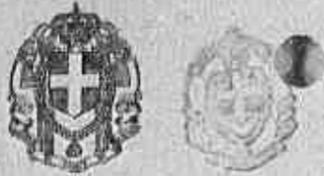
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ELENCO DEI REPARTI AUTORIZZATI A PRELEVARE -  
PRESSO IL MAGAZZINO VIVERI DI ROMA -

✓-1 - Stato Maggiore Generale Q.G.	- razioni	200 (1)	
✓-2 - Stato Maggiore Generale SIM	- razioni	922 (1)	
✓-3 - Ministero della Guerra	- "	1260 (2)	
✓-4 - Real Casa	- "	65	
-5 - Ministero della Marina	- "	1750	
-6 - Ministero della Aeronautica	- "	2235	
✓-7 - Comando Militare Lazio	- "	141	
✓-8 - Cerveteri	- "	150	
-9 - Ufficio Assistenza Milit. in transito	- "		
-10 - " " " " " "	- "		
-11 - Direz. Sanità di Roma	<i>floating strength</i> forza fluttuante (3)		
-12 - 8 <sup>a</sup> Sez. Disinfezioni	- razioni	3	
-13 - 8 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia Sanità	- "	20	
-14 - Ospedale Militare	- "	467	
-15 - Degenti Ospedali Militari	<i>floating strength</i> forza fluttuante	415	
-16 - Direzione di Artiglieria	- razioni	257	
-17 - Direz. Sup. Serv. Tecnici Art.	- "	15	1011
-18 - Vetreria ottica	- "	7	
-19 - Spolettificio R. Esercito	- "	7	
-20 - Laboratorio Precisione R. Esercito	- "	7	
-21 - Primo Centro Esperienze	- "	10	
-22 - Secondo Centro Esperienze	- "	10	
-23 - 8 <sup>o</sup> Centro Riparaz. Recuperi	- "	328	
-24 - Delegaz. Milit. Trasporti n. 606	- "	26	
-25- 251 <sup>o</sup> Autoreparto	- "	218	
-26- 82 <sup>o</sup> Autoreparto	- "	156	
-27- Autocrappello del Comando Militare	- "	100	
-28- Direzione di Comm. to Milit. di Roma ed Enti dipendenti	- "	268	
-29- Battaglione trasmissione	- "	329	
-30- 135 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia Marconisti	- "	159	
-31- Squadra Bonifica presso 8 <sup>o</sup> Genio	- "	60	
-32- Ufficio Lavori Genio	- "	230	
-33- Centro Rifornimenti quadrupedi	- "	32	
-34 - Ufficio Consunta Militare di Roma	- "	22	



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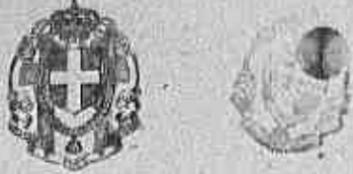
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-35- Ufficio Censura Militare Rieti	- razioni 7 (4)	
-36- Battaglione Speciale Granatieri	- " 248	
-37- 509 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia Nebbiogeni	- " 286	
-38- Comando 2 <sup>o</sup> Regg.to Genio Ferrovieri	- " 110	
✓-39- 600 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia A.P.C.	- " 330	
-40- II <sup>o</sup> Nucleo A.P.C.	- " 27	
✓-41- Comando A.P.C.	- " 10	
-42- Tappa 120	- " 93	
-43- Tappa 205	- " 13	
-44- 2 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia Genio Distribuzione carburanti	- " 206	
-45- 6 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia del III <sup>o</sup> Batt.Genio Ferr.	- " 276	
✓-46- 870 <sup>a</sup> Nucleo guastatori	- " 30	
-47- 545 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia Autonoma Servizi Generali	- " 155	
✓-48- Distretto Militare di Viterbo	- " 35	
-49- Distretto Militare di Littoria	- " 35	
✓-50- Distretto Militare di Prosinone	- " 35	
-51- 508 Sez. Telefoniche	- " 96	
-52- Nucleo Comando II <sup>o</sup> Reggr.Genio Ferr e 9 <sup>a</sup> S.M.E.	- " 249	1010
-53- 916 <sup>o</sup> Reparto Artieri	- " 152	
-54- II <sup>a</sup> Compagnia del 408 Compagnia Fanteria	- " 250	
-55- 2 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia Petroli del 35 <sup>o</sup> B.T.G.Serv.	- " 230	
-56- 28 <sup>a</sup> Compagnia Artieri	- " 125	
-57- 913 <sup>o</sup> Reparto Lavoratori	- " 130	
-58- Artieri Reggr.to Legnano	- " 12 (5)	
-59- Distaccoamento 35 <sup>o</sup> Regg.to Art. presso Scuola Artiglieria di Colleferro	- " 190	
-60- 13 <sup>a</sup> Officina autocarrata	- " 28	
✓-61- Distaccoamenti IC24 IC25 Compagnia artieri	- " 396	
-62- Compagnia A.C.C.	- " 617	
-63- Delegazione T dello S.M.R.E.	- " 99	
-64- 47 <sup>a</sup> Sez. Motorizzata CC.RR.	- " 66	
-65- 220 <sup>a</sup> Sez. Mista CC.RR.	- " 65	
-66- 336 <sup>a</sup> Sez. Mista CC.RR.	- " 65	
-67- 701 <sup>a</sup> Sez. Mista CC.RR.	- " 65	
-68- Legione CC.RR. Roma	- " 4200 (6)	
-69- Compagnia Comando Legione Lazio	- " 560	
-70- Comando Gruppo laziale primo	- " 400	





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-71- Comando Gruppo Laziale secondo	-razioni	480
-72- Comando Gruppo Viterbo	- "	520
-73 - Comando Gruppo Frosinone	- "	420
-74 - Comando Gruppo Littoria	- "	370
-75 - Comando Gruppo Rieti	- "	570
-76 - Comando Gruppo Perugia	- "	630
-77- Comando Gruppo Terni	- "	550
-78- Comando Centro Raccolta CC.RR.	- "	1000
-79- Legione Allievi CC.RR.	- "	800
8 <sup>a</sup> Distaccamento Cerseti	- "	10
11 <sup>a</sup> Regg. Art. Legnano ( presso Cerseti)	- "	14

- 1- Solo generi addizionali *only additional food stuff*  
 -2- Compreso undici militari colombofili aggregati *includes 11 military fowling pigeons loft*  
 -3- Per i militari in transito per servizio *for personnel in transit*  
 -4- Aggregato al Gruppo Rieti dei CC.RR. *attached to CC.RR. RIETI* 1000  
 -5- Aggregati al 18<sup>o</sup> Centro riparaz. recuperi *attached to 18th repair and salvage center*  
 -6- Compreso il Comando Generale dell'Arma *including General Command of the arm*
- 1 *only additional food stuff*  
 2 *includes 11 military fowling pigeon lofts*  
 3 *for military personnel in transit*  
 4 *employed by RIETI CC.RR.*  
 5 *by 18th Repair and Salvage center*  
 6 *includes General Command of this arm*

**SUBJECT:- RATIONS - Daily Issue of - Rome.**

ARMY SUB COMMISSION ACC  
 HQ (MMIA)  
 ROME  
 AQ/2/20  
13 August 1944.

TO 1- S & T.

1. Attached herewith is a list of Units in Rome Area authorized to draw rations to date.
2. Please instruct the Ministry of War to render a daily return in this form showing units drawing rations together with the number of days rations drawn.
3. Units will be given serial numbers in accordance with attached and the Minister of War should complete columns d and e. The correct numerical sequence will be maintained on each daily return submitted.
4. This Headquarters will be informed of any Unit ceasing for any reason to draw rations.
5. The return will be rendered in duplicate one copy for the use of this office.

*Tommy T. Rose*  
 TOMMY T. ROSE, Major  
 for Major General  
 ARMY SUB COMMISSION ACC.

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DAILY RETURN OF UNITS AUTHORIZED  
TO DRAW RATIONS IN ROME

13 August 1944

SERIAL No.	UNIT	AUTHORIZED (c) RATION STRENGTH	No. of days Drawn (d)	ACTUAL NO. OF RATIONS DRAWN (e)
1	Personale della Real Casa	65		
2	Ministero della Marina	530		
3	" " Aeronautica	313		
4	Comando Presidio Militare Roma-Commando	30		
5	Autodirappello Prontidio	20		
6	Enti Sanitari Militari	580		
7	Enti Commissariato Militare	150		
8	Distretto Roma I	20		
9	Distretto Roma II	20		
10	Ufficio Lavori Genio	40		
11	Distaccamento 65 Compagnia Telegrafisti	28		
12	Distaccamento 824 Compagnia Telegrafisti	23		
13	C.I.L.	124		
14	Artisti per il 2675 Reggimento Americano	80		
15	Distaccamento Ministero Guerra e SMRE	1000		
16	3 Battaglione Genio Ferr-ovieri (compresa la 6 compagnia in campolenone)	276		
17	701 Sezione CC NR delle SMRE	60		
18	CGNR	855		
19	R.G.F.	482		
20	C.E.N.S.E.T.I.	30		
21	Gruppo Gunstatori (adde- ti al rastrellamento mine nella zona di Ostia)	30		
22	HQ A.P.C.	24		
23	600 A.P.C.	130		
24	120 Transit Camp	65		
25	205 Transit Camp	114		
26	213 Transit Camp	50		
27	611 A. P. C.	44		
28	612 A. P. C.	28		
29	(1924 G. T. Coy (Italian))			
30	(1925 G. T. Coy (Italian))			
31	541 Service Coy	367		
32	543 Service Coy	118		
33	956 Coy Artilleria attd	107		

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1	Comando Presidio Militare	30
2	Roma-Comando	20
3	Antedraappello Presidio	580
4	Enti Sanitari Militari	150
5	Enti Commissariato Militare	20
6	Distretto Roma I	20
7	Distretto Roma II	40
8	Ufficio Lavori Genio	28
9	Distaccamento 65 Compagnia	23
10	Telegrafisti	124
11	Distaccamento 888 Compagnia	80
12	Telegrafisti	1000
13	C.I.L.	276
14	Artisti per il 2675 Regg- imento Americano	60
15	Distaccamento Ministero Guerra e SMRE	9855
16	3 Battaglione Genio Ferr- oviari (compresa la 6 com- pagnia in compelenone)	1482
17	701 Sezione CC NR dello SMRE	30
18	CCRR	30
19	R.G.F.	30
20	C.N.R.S.E.T.I.	24
21	Gruppo Guastatori (addetti al rastrellamento mine nella zona di Ostia)	24
22	HQ A.P.C.	130
23	600 A.P.C.	65
24	120 Transit Camp	114
25	205 Transit Camp	50
26	213 Transit Camp	44
27	611 A. P. C.	28
28	612 A. P. C.	367
29	(1024 G. T. Coy (Italian)	118
30	(1025 G. T. Coy (Italian)	107
31	541 Service Coy	202
32	543 Service Coy	43
33	954 Coy Officina attd R.E.M.E.	30
34	CHSSTI DET.	124
35	2001 Service Platoon	18202
36	Coy of Granatieri	
	*TOTAL	

TRANSLATION

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Sept 9, 44

From: M of W

To : MMIA

Ref 9418/S/1

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Subject: Italian Rations.

Referring to letter 4601/S dated May 9, 44 and to the attached instructions of this Ministry regarding issue of rations (letter ref: 4430/S dated May 5, 44) sent to you for information.

The units are drawing rations from the depots with a fortnightly indent form i.e., for the period authorized by MMIA (according to previous instructions (see letter ref 4430/S dated May 5) rations were drawn every ten days. Strength of the unit is shown on return as for the first day of fortnight, and necessary changes of strength will appear on the returns of the following fortnight. The fact reported by MMIA can be explained as follows:

- 1) Units owing to lack of transport, can be compelled to draw rations for some days in a quantity inferior to the ration strength, eventually making up in the following days.
- 2) Food supplies depots, owing to temporary lack of supplies because of the shortage of transport, must sometimes issue a number of rations inferior to the ration strength, making up the difference later on; when difficult food supplies are available.
- 3) Movements of Units cause changes of strength which consequently tell upon the issue of rations.

Anyhow, rations are always as they must be, drawn on the basis of effective ration strength.

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