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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Patriots Branch

To : H.Q. A.C.C. - Patriots Branch

Subject : Report on the activity of Capt. Antonio Cutellè
from August 7 still September 20, 1944.

From August 7 till September 12 I was left inactive in Siena together with the representatives of Pisa and Florence.

On the 12th of September, having reached Leghorn, I presented myself to the Provincial Commissioner Lt. Col. F.J. Laboon, who gave me a kind reception, talking with me on the subject of "Patriots" and on the activity I had to develop.

For food and for lodging be directed me to the Command of the "Carabinieri" from whom I got highly precarious accommodation. May requests to improve my conditions and to allow me a car did not obtain any result.

Therefore I made an application for a permit to Rome, in order to report on the situation to the competent Authorities, which was granted.

During my brief stay in Leghorn I came into contact with the "Prefetto" (Civil Chief of the Province), with the Commander of the "Carabinieri" Legion and with the Leader of the Partisan Brigade.

The first information is as follows:

- (1) Units of the 3rd "Geribaldi" Brigade have operated in the province of Leghorn. I shall report on their activity as soon as possible.

(2) Patriot Certificates have been handed over to the Patriots of Leghorn, Cecina and Piombino. It seems that some certificates have been issued to persons who had not right to them. This fact has aroused some discontentment. Lt. Col. Laboon told me to collect information and to communicate to him the names of the persons erroneously awarded.

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For food and for lodging be directed me to the Command of the "Cerebiniari" from whom I got highly precarious accommodation. May requests to improve my conditions and to allow me a car did not obtain any result.

Therefore I made an application for a permit to Rome, in order to report on the situation to the competent Authorities, which was granted.

During my brief stay in Leghorn I came into contact with the "Prefetto" (Civil Chief of the Province), with the Commander of the "Cerebiniari" Legion and with the Leader of the Partisan Brigade.

The first information is as follows:

- (1) Units of the 3rd "Gariboldi" Brigade have operated in the province of Leghorn. I shall report on their activity as soon as possible.
- (2) Patriot Certificates have been handed over to the Patriots of Leghorn, Cecina and Piombino. It seems that some certificates have been issued to persons who had not right to them. This fact has aroused some discontentment. Lt.Col.Laboon told me to collect information and to communicate to him the names of the persons erroneously awarded.
- (3) No provisions have been made, so far, for the rehabilitation of unemployed Patriots or for their removal to their home-Communes. I got, however, the impression that the Provincial Commissioner is willing to settle this matter for the best.

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September 20, 1944.

The Officer of the P.D.
Leghorn
Sgd.Capt.A.Cutellà

Handwritten notes:
- Hello, Ruth
- copy to Y.H.P.
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To the H.C. - A.C.C.
Patriot Branch

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Object : Relation of the activities developed by Capt. Cuttelli
Antonio for the period 7th August - 30th Sept. 1944.

From the 7th till the 12th September I remained inactive at Siena, with the representatives of Fisa and Florence.

The 12th September, when I arrived at Livorno, I presented myself to the provincial Commissioner, Lt. Colonel F.M. Laboon, who received me kindly, and spoke with me about the "patriots" argument, and about the activity I had to develop.

For food and lodging he sent me to the Command of the RK.CC. (Royal Carabinieri) - where I got a very precarious arrangement.

My requests for an amelioration of my arrangement and for a car had not favorable results. Therefore I asked for a permit to take myself to Rome to explain the situation to the competent authorities.

During my brief absence at Livorno I have made the first contact with S.M. (his Intelligence) the Prefect - the Commander of the R.M. (Royal Carabinieri) Legion and the leader of the 3rd partisan Brigade.

This is the result of my first inquiries -

1) Formations of the 3rd Carabinieri Brigade, operated in the province of Livorno, about those activities I shall report as soon as I shall have more indications.

2) The certificates had been issued to the patriots of Livorno, Cecina and Piombino. - But it seems that this distribution had suscitied discontentment, owing to some persons who had not such a right, have benefited of those certificates. Lt. Colonel Laboon has charged me to assume information on the matter and communicate him the names of those people who had benefited by error.

3) No measures had till now been taken for the eventual arrangement of not employed patriots or for their transferment in their communes of descent. But it seems to me that the provincial commissioner is well disposed to resolve these questions.

20 September 1944.

The representative
of the "Patriots Branch"
(Capt. A. CUTTELLI.)

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My requests for an amelioration of my arrangement and for a car had not favorable results. Therefore I asked for a permit to let take myself to Rome to explain the situation to the competent authorities.-

During my brief appearance at Livorno I have made the first contact with S.I. (his Excellence) the Prefect - the Commander of the M.V. (Royal Carabinieri) Legion and the leader of the 3rd partisan Brigade.

This is the result of my first inquiries -

1) Verifications of the Ord. Carabinieri Brigade, operated in the province of Livorno, about those activities I shall report as soon as I shall have more indications.-

2) The certificates had been issued to the patriots of Livorno, Cecina and Pignatino.- But it seems that this distribution had suscitied discontentment, owing to some persons who had not such a right, have benefited of those certificates. Lt. Colonel Lascio has charged me to assure information on the matter and communicate him the names of those people who had benefited by error.-

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Roma, 15 Ottobre 1944.

Oggetto : Relazione Cap. CURELLI'.

Alla : Presidenza del Consiglio -
Ufficio Patrioti.-

Si trasmette, per competenza, l'unita
relazione pervenuta dal Cap. CURELLI',
Rappresentante di Livorno, circa l'attivi-
ta' da lui svolta dal 7 Agosto al 20 Set-
tembre c.a.

Col.

Col. Guido FAVA
Ufficiale di Collegamento,
Civil Affairs Section.
Patriots Branch.

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