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Civil Affairs Section
A.F.O. 394

Ref : SD/378.07

19 February, 1945

Subject: Military Security

To : See Distribution

1. The number of permits issued to civilians to visit ANCONA and LEBURN must be restricted to a minimum.
2. Similarly any applications made in the restricted zone for permits to visit U.S. should be refused in all but the most exceptional cases.
3. The reason for this request is the urgent requirements of military security, but U.S. officers in refusing permits should give no indication of why they are being refused.
4. As soon as it is considered that the necessity for increased security has passed you will be informed.

For the Chief Commissioner:

C.R. UPTON, Brig.
V.P. CA Section, A.C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ATO 394
POLITICAL SECTION

31 January 1945

SUBJECT: Travel.

TO :

During the month of January 1945, the following Italian diplomats and their families and one Swiss citizen proceeded to the points indicated below:

AIR			
Count	Carandini	Ambassador	London
Signor	Ferrero	Sec POW & I	London
Signor	Ruffini	Private Sec	London
Signor	Zanotti-Bianco	Consul-Gen	Barcelona
Signora	Zanotti-Bianco		Barcelona
Signor	Chiusano	Consul	Tetuan
Signor	Chiusano, Italo (son)		Tetuan
Signora	Vietri	Employee	Lugano
Signor	Giglioli	Secretary	Bern
Signor	Weil	Consul	Basel
Mr	Steffen (Swiss)		Bern
Count	Borromeo	Vice Consul	Locarno
Signor	Lamanna	Chancellor	Bern
Signora	Lamanna		Bern
SEA			
Count	Eno Capodilista	Secretary	Madrid
Countess	Eno Capodilista (2 sons)		Madrid
Signor	Mario Franzi	Vice Consul	Barcelona
Signora	Franzi (and son)		Barcelona
Baroness	Confalonieri		Dublin via London
Signor	Mengerini	Consul	San Sebastian
Duke	Gallaratti-Scotti	Ambassador	Madrid

It is the policy now that all persons leaving this theatre by air, should first have a medical examination.

All travelling now as for the expenses, duties etc will be borne by the individual and must be paid for at the time of booking passage.

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Political Section

HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

AG 370.5/476 P-0

28 December 1944

SUBJECT: Clearance Necessary Prior to Procurement of Transportation by ATC
Facilities

TO : All Concerned

1. The War Department Publication, AG 370.5 (10 Aug 44), subject, "Procedure for return of Individuals (Short Title: PRI)," dated 16 August 1944, contains specific directives concerning records, clothing and equipment, and physical inspections with which the command should be thoroughly familiar. As facilities do not exist in the theater at ATC installation for full processing of personnel, it is especially important that compliance with this directive be accomplished prior to coming under control of the ATC in all cases of personnel under orders to depart the theater by aircraft for the United States.

2. To insure that personnel departing from this theater by aircraft have complied with applicable parts of PRI, the following instructions will become effective 15 January 1945:

a. When applying to an ATC booking office for air reservations, each officer will present a certificate as to his personnel records, freedom of communicable diseases and statement by a medical officer as to prevalence of communicable disease in the area in which officer was last stationed.

b. When applying to an ATC booking officer for air reservation each civilian will present a certificate similar to that described in a above.

c. When application is made for air reservation for enlisted personnel a certificate will be presented containing information as to records and equipment, freedom of communicable disease and condition as to prevalence of communicable diseases in area in which last stationed.

d. All individuals will have in their possession an adequate number of copies of their orders. (minimum of 6 copies)

3. References:

- a. Paragraphs 15, 35, 41, and 45, PRI.
- b. War Department Circular Number 276, 1943.
- c. War Department Circular Number 200, 1944.

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4. The attached sample certificates are furnished only as a guide. Modifications will be made to fit peculiar conditions.

By command of Lieutenant General McWATNEY:

/s/ C. F. Christenberry
/s/ C. F. CHRISTENBERRY.
Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

- 2 Incls:
Incl #1 - Certificate, Officers and Civilians.
Incl #2 - Certificate, Enlisted Men.

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Allied Commission, APO 394, dtd 20 Jan 45.

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HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVHD), APO 394, U.S. Army,
20 January 1945.

TO: All Concerned.

For your information, guidance, and compliance.

By order of Colonel PARKIN:

D. W. Driggett
D. W. DRIGGETT
Lt Col, AGD
Adjutant

- 2 Incls:
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* I certify that I have in my possession all records required by paragraph 15a, PRI, War Department, 16 August 1944, except as stated below. (If no exceptions, so state)

Signature

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

I certify that the above named officer has been examined in accordance with Circular Number 270, War Department, 1 November 1943, and found free of communicable disease.

Statement as to prevalence of communicable disease in area in which officer was stationed:

Signature

*Certificate not required to be executed by civilian.
This certificate will be delivered to the AIC booking officer when application for air reservation is made.
Records required for officers, by paragraph 15a, PRI, War Department, 16 August 1944, as listed below:

- *Form 65, 65-1 or 65-10 (Officer's Identification Card)
- Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3 (Officer's and Warrant Officer's Qualification Card)
- *Form 77 (Officer's Pay Data Card)
- Form 78 (Syphilis Register) (For individuals under treatment for syphilis)
- *Form 81 (Immunization Register)
- *Copy of Orders authorizing flying status (flying personnel only)
- *Copy of Orders announcing rating (flying personnel only)
- *Record of leave accrued and granted (to be carried by officers, as prescribed in Circular Number 55, War Department 19 February 1943)
- Certificate covering any missing records (this certificate, stating all available facts in the case, will be furnished whenever missing records cannot be replaced or can be only partially reconstructed prior to return of the individual)
- Adequate number of copies of orders directing travel. (minimum 6 copies)
- *To be carried by each individual.

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I certify that the individual (individuals) named herein has (have) in his (their) possession all records required by paragraph 15a, PRI, War Department, 16 August 1944, has (have) been examined in accordance with Circular Number 276, D, 1 November 1943 and found free of communicable disease, has (have) in his (their) possession all articles of clothing and equipment required by Circular Number 200, War Department, 20 May 1944, as amended, and that C and E Adjustment Form (Forms) are complete.

Statement by medical officer showing prevalence of communicable disease in area where stationed is attached for each individual.

Signature

*This certificate will be delivered to the ATO booking office when application for air reservation is made.

Records required for enlisted men by paragraph 15a, PRI, War Department, 16 August 1944, are listed below:

Form 20 (Soldier's Qualification Card)

Form 24 (Service Record)

*Form 28 (Individual Pay Record)

C & E Adjustment Form, as prescribed in Circular Number 200, War Department, 1944.

Form 78 (Syphilis Register) (For individuals under treatment for syphilis)

*Form 81 (Immunization Register)

*Copies of orders authorizing flying status (flying personnel only)

*Copy of orders announcing rating (flying personnel only)

Board Proceedings under Section VIII, AR 615-563, if applicable, properly indorsed by the convening authority and approved by the officer having discharge authority.

Certificate covering any missing records (this certificate, stating all available facts in the case, will be furnished whenever missing records cannot be replaced or can be only partially reconstructed prior to return of the individual).

Adequate number of copies of orders directing travel (minimum 6 copies)

*To be carried by each individual.

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AG 371.2/015 GBI-O

17 December 1944

SUBJECT: Port Security Instruction (Italy) No 709 - Travel of Civilians
From Italy to France.

TO : All Concerned.

1. Inter-Allied Laissez-passer will no longer be required for travel by civilians from Allied-occupied Italy to France. This will be replaced by Allied Expeditionary Force Permits and Military Travel Authorizations in accordance with the following paragraphs.

2. Effective this date the following regulations are applicable:

a. Civilians who require Military Travel Authorizations issued by G-2 (CI) Section, this headquarters, to leave Italy under the provisions of letter, this headquarters, file AG 371.2/015 GEG-O, subject: "Military Travel Authorizations", dated 7 November 1944, will also require French entry visas. Applications for Military Travel Authorizations will not be considered without production of a French entry visa.

b. All categories of persons exempted from Military Travel Authorizations under paragraph 2 of the above quoted letter, with the exceptions noted below, will in future require Allied Expeditionary Force Permits issued by G-2 (CI) Section, this headquarters, on behalf of SHAEF, unless already in possession of Allied Force Permits, Joint Chiefs of Staff Permits, or Allied Expeditionary Force Permits. Persons already in possession of the above permits which have not been validated for France should apply to G-2 (CI) Section, this headquarters, for the appropriate validation.

c. Allied service personnel will not require any form of military permit. This category includes British and US civilians employed by any of the Service Ministries in the UK or US who are in possession of AGO cards or British military, naval or air force identity cards.

d. War correspondents accredited to SHAEF or AFHQ, merchant seamen serving in Allied or Allied-operated ships, and merchant seamen, other than Italians, proceeding to France to join ships under proper authority, will not require any form of military permit for travel to France.

3. Persons who are not documented in accordance with the above will not be permitted to embark for France at sea or airports in Italy.

By command of Field Marshal ALEXANDER:

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Journey to LONDON of MARIAN JAN LISIENSKI referred to in your 7942 dated 9 December current. A new directive issued recently by TROOPERS states that civilians wishing to proceed to LONDON must apply to local passport control or consular officer, giving full name and date and place of birth. The application will then be forwarded by either of the above officials to LONDON. The reply from LONDON will cover war office approval for authorization to travel. In the case of LISIENSKI it is probable that the British Embassy in ROME has already cleared with LONDON prior to the granting of a visa and if this assumption is correct you are authorized to issue orders for him to proceed to LONDON. If no clearance has been obtained request you take necessary action through channels referred to above. Your future requests for authority for travel of a nature such as this should be forwarded to this Hq only after these conditions have been complied with, should state state that the concurrence from LONDON has been obtained and should include sufficient information to enable us to obtain the concurrence of interested staff sections here. Please advise on action taken reference LISIENSKI.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394

13019/F.

30 November 1944

SUBJECT: Visits of Civilians to Italy.

TO : Deputy Chief of Staff,
Economic Section.

A signal from the War Office addressed to me and asking for certain information to be passed to the former sequestrator of Barclays Bank Rome, ends with the following query:

"Do you see any possibility early relaxation present ban visits Representatives Barclays and other civilian concerns Italy".

It may be that this is a good occasion to examine the whole problem of visits to this country by civilians. It is undoubtedly confused at the present time; for example, the Allied Commission was rebuked by the War Office for allowing the visit of representatives of Mitchell Cotts. The recent visit of the Culbertson mission will certainly encourage prospective visitors to consider that the restrictions have been relaxed.

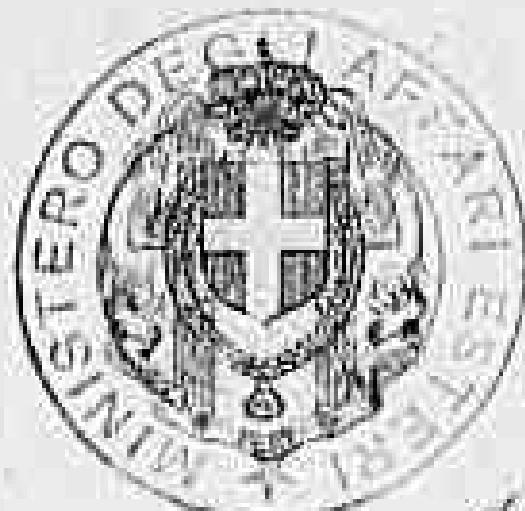
You may wish to discuss the matter in general terms at the next meeting of Vice-Presidents; the following reply is suggested:

"Plans under discussion look to early but very limited relaxation present ban on visits representatives civilian concerns in Italy. We probably will recommend to AFHQ admission single representatives of a concern in cases where attention to existing investments seems necessary to AC and where representatives can arrange for his accommodation and other needs independent of military and AC."

Personally I see no reason why a representative of Barclays should not be allowed to visit Rome to find out at first hand the position of this branch. It would, however, seem high inadvisable to encourage representatives of concerns to come to Italy at this time except in a few isolated cases. If it is considered that the precedent is too dangerous we might reply that we see no possibility of an early relaxation of the present ban, but the question is under consideration.

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/s/ A. P. Grafftey-Smith
Colonel,
Joint Director,
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION.



Ministero degli Affari Esteri

6/1057/H50

MEMORANDUM FOR THE POLITICAL SECTION A.C.

The newspaper Star and Stripes has published, on November 14th, the following news from Washington:

"Washington, Nov. 13. Nine areas previously blocked off by the war are now open to civilian travel without the need for military approval, the State Department announced here yesterday. They are: Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, Libya, Syria, Lebanon, Turkey, Cyprus, and that area of France known as "the zone of the interior", which is all of France save the portions involved in active combat.

Travel facilities to these countries are extremely limited, the State Department warned. It was made plain also that only journeys bearing on the war effort or made by Americans serving the national interest would have any prospect of clearance through the Department."

The Ministry for Foreign Affairs would be glad to obtain all possible details concerning the above announcement particularly as regards Libya and the possibility for Italian citizens to avail themselves of the new provisions. *RM*

Rome, 15th November, 1944.



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25 October 1944

SUBJECT: Authority to Issue Orders for Travel by Air.

TO : Head of Chancery, British Embassy, Rome.
THRU: Deputy President, Allied Control Commission, APO 394. ✓

1. Reference is made to your letter, dated 7 October 1944, in which you requested authority to issue movement orders.

2. Your request is not favorably considered in view of the fact that all inter-theater and intra-theater air travel facilities are military and as such must of necessity be controlled on that basis.

By command of General WILSON


Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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Return to Mr. G. C. C.

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25 October 1944

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SUBJECT: Authority to Issue Orders for Travel by Air.

TO : Head of Chancery, British Embassy, Rome.
THRU: Deputy President, Allied Control Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference is made to your letter, dated 7 October 1944, in which you requested authority to issue movement orders.

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By command of General WILSON:

H. V. ROBERTS,
Colonel, AGC,
Adjutant General.

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2 October 1944

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TO : Major Ballance
Public Safety Sub-Commission

FROM : Political Section

1. As a result of our conversation this morning I would suggest the following. The Political Section are approached by three different classes of Italians who wish to go abroad: (1) Officials of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, e.g. Reganuzzi; (2) A few special cases of interest for political reasons, such as Alfonso; (3) Italian Nationals whose papers are referred to us by the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, but who do not fall in with classes (1) or (2).

2. As regards class (1), I would suggest that in this Headquarters it must be for the Political Section to make themselves responsible for advising AFM who should go and who should not go. As to that, C-5, AFM have told us that they will only wish to be consulted about appointments to Heads of Foreign Missions, i.e. Ambassadors or Ministers, for the rest they will rely upon us to submit the cases to AFM through you for an M.F.A. My understanding with Major Wilson has been that for this purpose it would be sufficient for us to fill in "briefly" points 8 and 9 of the questionnaire (i.e. urgency and recommendation) which has to be answered in order to obtain an M.F.A. From my conversation with you I understand that "briefly" needs some definition and in order to save all our time, I suggest that the concrete cases now before you and any future case should be explained orally if the details given by this Section are not sufficient. Would you agree?

3. As regards class (2), the cases are very rare and I would suggest once again that if the written explanation at points 8 and 9 of the questionnaire (i.e. as regards urgency of the voyage and the recommendation) are not sufficient that you should obtain the further details that you require from this section by word of mouth. Do you agree?

4. As regards class (3), we will transmit these to you with a note in each case to say that we do not wish to be responsible in any way for the application which should be considered by you on its merits in accordance with your usual procedure. Do you agree?

5. I am going up to the Roma Meeting on Wednesday but should be back at this by first this Thursday morning. Could you have consulted Colonel Young by then and be able to let me know the views of your Sub-Commission.

Copy to : Brig. Lush.

H. A. GACCIA

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5 September 1944

TO: Colonel Young
Public Safety Sub-Commission

FROM: Political Section

I return your Memo of the 25 Sep 44 about M.T.A. - Reganocchi Vittorio. I think that we shall only be able to do business if you will take the advice of the Vice President of the Political Section as to whether these journals of Foreign Office officials are necessary. If convenient to you, I should like to have a word with you about this as soon as possible. But may I say again that in my view there can be only one section here responsible for how the Italian Foreign Service is organized to suit Allied needs and that is the Political Section.

Copy to: Brig. Lash

H. A. GAGGIA

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25 September 1944

TO : Colonel Torg
Public Safety Sub-Commission

FROM: Political Section

I return your Minute of the 23 Sep 44, about M.T.A. - Amordola, Adstasio. When the Political Section, APC and the other Allied authorities concerned are ready as an exception and as a political act to allow an Italian Citizen to return to Britain I do not understand the desire of your Sub-Commission to override (1) the Political Section (2) APC and (3) HQAF. This in being done as a political act and I must ask you to accept political advice on it.

H. A. CACCI

Copy to: Brig. Insp.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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*Political Section
for comment*

Adj: 580.

22 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Issuance of Air Travel Orders - Authority

TO : Commanding General, AFHQ (Attn: Air Priorities Board)

1. It is requested that the authority granted Allied Control Commission for the issuance of orders specifying travel by military aircraft contained in AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No. 3, 1944, at present limited to air travel within the theatre, be extended to include air travel outside the theatre.

2. In an increasing number of cases, it is necessary for this Headquarters to issue orders covering the travel of military and civilian experts to Washington and London. The responsibility for immediate contact with the Allied and neutral diplomats accredited to the Italian Government and to the Holy See also lies with the Commission, and orders covering their travel are issued, in most cases, by ACC.

3. Current practice now requires either the issuance of orders by AFHQ, or the obtaining of authority by this Headquarters from AFHQ for such action.

4. It is considered that existing administrative procedures would be simplified, and the interests of all concerned better served, by the action requested.

L. T. MONTANT, Jr.,
1st Lt, AGD,
Adjutant.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref 143/225/CA

7th August 1944

SUBJECT: Application to visit Libya

TO : Industry Sub-Commission

1. It is regretted that it is not possible to grant this application for the firm of SCALA to proceed to Libya.

2. For your information the policy is that no Italians may visit Libya, which includes Tripolitania at present.

G. W. I. SHIPP
Lt. Colonel
For Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Copy to:
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

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Tel. 348
Ref. ACC/5587/IND

3 August 1944

SUBJECT: Application from "SCALA"

To : Political Section H.Q. A.C.C.

- 1) Attached is an application from the Firm of contractors "SCALA" to visit their organisations in Libia.
- 2) Please advise us if such visits are permissible.
- 3) In this particular case we should say that the "SCALA" equipment was put to full use by Oeta

Incl.
Application from "SCALA"

John S. Todd
J. S. E. TODD
Colonel,
Acting Director,
Industry Subcommittee

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Societa Coloniale Anonima Lavori

Africa

Rome 31st July 1944

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To the

Allied Control Commission
Head QuarterR O M E

The Italian Colonial Society for works in Africa
(Societa Coloniale Anonima Lavori Africa (S.C.A.L.A.)
capitale L. 10.000.000. - has its main seat in Rome (Ca-
tania St. 9) and establishments in many towns in Africa,
as Tripoli, Misurata, Bengasi, Derna a.s.o.

This company before the allied occupation of the
country in 1943, has developed in Lybia (North Africa)
an important building-activity: industrial plants, roads,
harbours, and civil constructions of all kinds.

Some of the most important works are the followings:

TRIPOLI: Wheat-Silos at the Mole
Oil-reservoirs for the S.A. Petrolibia and the R. Aereo-
nautica Comando Building of the Aereonautica
Workshop and Bureau House FIAT
Modern Garage FIAT
High-Bridge "Sidi Muneder"

MISURATA: Workshop and bureau building FIAT
Oil-Reservoirs for the R. Aereonautica

BENGASI: Workshop and Offices FIAT
Oil-Reservoirs for the R. Aereonautica
Several Seaworks (moles, piers)
Workshop for the S.A. Savoia Marchetti
Wood-Store for the S.A. Attilio Bagnara

DERNA: Building for the S.A. Coloniale Siderurgica
Building for the Military District

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Rural centers "Cesare Battisti", "Goffredo Mameli"
"Alba" and at Slonta
Road from Alba to Fiorita, with several bridges
Road from Ras Hilal to Apollonia

FOUR: Oil-Reservoirs for the R. Aeronautica
Some photographs of these are enclosed here.

A great deal of building-material, as cement, bar-iron
timber, bricks a.s.o., were in our stores and in our building-
yards, together with tools and engines of any kind as motor-
rollers, concretemixers, stone-crushers, sand-mills, motor-
aircompressors with their pneumatic machinery, electric welding-
machines, motor-windlass, road-bitumaters, cars and trucks, a.s.o.

Our Company has own technical office in Rome for
studyng and projecting works of any Kind.

After the Allied occupation of North-Africa our Society
in Rome rimaines without any connection with Lybia.

Therefore we ask the A.C.C. for a permit to our procurator
ing. Luigi Cafiero to go in Lybia, in order to inform us about
the situation of machinery and of the personnel, to reorganize
our stores and bureaus to begin again as soon as possible our
activity, which will be completely at the orders of Allied
Authority.

S.G.A.L.A.

Il Vice-Presidente

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Societa Coloniale Anonima Lavori in
Africa

Roma 31 luglio 194

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ALLA COMMISSIONE ALBANA DI CONTROLLO
QUARTIERE GENERALE

R O M A

La sottoscritta societa coloniale anonima lavori in Africa (S.C.A.L.A.) con sede legale in Roma, Via Catania n. 9 capitale sociale L. 10.000.000.- ha svolto in Libia (Africa Settentrionale) fino all'occupazione alleata del 1943 una notevole attivita nel campo delle costruzioni edili, stradali, portuali, industriali, avendo propri uffici in Tripoli, Bengasi e Derna, magazzini nelle medesime citta, e cantieri attivi in numerose altre localita.

Alcune delle principali opere eseguite sono le seguenti:

TRIPOLI: Silos granario al Porto
Depositi carburanti S/A Petrolibia e R. Aereonautica
Palazzo del Comando della Aereonautica
Officina riparazione e sede FIAT
Garage Moderno FIAT
Ponte stradale di Sidi Muneder

MISURATA: Officina riparazione e sede FIAT
Depositi carburanti R. Aereonautica

BENGASI: Officina riparazioni e sede FIAT
Depositi carburanti R. Aereonautica
Lavori vari nel porto (Banchine e Pontili)
Officina S/A Eavoia Marchetti
Magazzini Legnami S.A. A. Bagnara

DERNA: Fabbricato sede della S.A. Coloniale siderurgica
Fabbricato sede distretto Militare
Villaggi colonici "Cesare Battisti" "Goffredo Mameli" "Alba"
Casette coloniche a Slonta
Strada da Alba a Fiorita, con numerose opere di arte
Strada da Ras Hilal ad Apollonia

TORREK: Depositi carburanti R. Aereonautica

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Di alcuni di questi lavori accludiamo documentazione fotografica.

Nei magazzini e nei cantieri della Società erano giacenti, oltre a fortissime scorte di materiale d'impiego, (cioè: cemento, ferro tondo, legname, laterizi, ecc.) macchinari ed attrezzatura di ogni genere quali: rulli compressori stradali, betoniere e motore, frantoi per pietrisco, molini per sabbia, compressori d'aria a motore ed attrezzatura pneumatica per cave di pietra, saldatrici elettriche, argani a motore, bitumatrici stradali, autocarri leggeri da cantiere, oltre a forti quantità di attrezzi individuali.

Dopo l'occupazione la nostra sede di Roma è rimasta priva di collegamento con la Libia.

Pertanto, scopo della presente, è di richiedere a codesto A.C.C. di autorizzare il nostro procuratore Ing. Luigi Cafiero a recarsi in Libia allo scopo di rendersi conto dell'esatta attuale consistenza dei cantieri e dei magazzini, di provvedere al loro riordinamento ed alla rimessa in efficienza del macchinario ed al raggruppamento delle maestranze, onde mettere la società in condizione di riprendere al più presto la propria attività che, fino da ora, si dichiara disposta a mettere a completa disposizione delle Autorità Alleate.

Con perfetta osservanza.

S, C, A, L, A,

Il Vice-Presidente

all. documentazione fotografica

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CHARGÉ D'AFFAIRES
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

2, via Boncompagni, Rome
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

July 27, 1944.

Dear Caccia:

I have received a request from the Vatican to visa the passport of Father Owen Noel Snedden for travel from Rome to Madrid via Algiers as diplomatic courier for the Holy See. As this Mission is not competent to issue visas for the travel indicated, I am returning the passport to the Secretariat of State and informing them at the same time that although the issuance of a visa is not possible, nevertheless I am taking up the Vatican's request to have Father Snedden travel to Madrid and return as a Vatican diplomatic courier with the appropriate Allied Authorities.

You will recall that diplomatic couriers was one of the subjects we discussed the other day in connection with the general question of Vatican communications and I suppose that it will not be possible to tell the Vatican anything definite at present, unless some decision has been reached in the meantime. Perhaps we could use this as a test case and forward it along through channels for whatever action may be possible.

Have you any suggestions?

Sincerely yours,

Harold H. Tittman

Harold Caccia, Esquire,
Joint Vice President, Political Section,
Allied Control Commission,
Ministry of Corporations, Rome.

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Please see file. My impression is that NO
repatriation to North Africa is being allowed.

Walter Paxon

This is correct. Would you kindly
inform I.G. Unit 276 informed 29/6-1951

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R. MINISTERO
DEGLI
AFFARI ESTERI

(file)

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
POLITICAL SECTION

Several Italian Lybian subjects, of Jewish extraction, have applied to the R. Ministry of Foreign Affairs for authorization to return to Tripolitania.

The Royal Ministry of Foreign Affairs should be grateful if the A.C.C. (Political Section) would kindly inform whether the above request may be granted and, if so, which is the procedure to be followed by the interested parties.

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SALERNO, 23 GIU 1944



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R. MINISTERO
DEGLI
AFFARI ESTERI

N° 4844

Memorandum per la Commissione Alleata di Controllo
(Sezione Politica)

Vari cittadini italiani libici, di razza ebraica, hanno chiesto di essere autorizzati a fare ritorno in Tripolitania.

Il R° Ministero degli Affari Esteri prega la Commissione Alleata di Controllo (Sezione Politica) di far conoscere se il desiderio dei predetti può essere accolto e, in caso affermativo, quali formalità debbano essere espletate dagli interessati.

Salerno, li 23 GIU 1944



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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Reference #260

28 April 1944

His Excellency don Renato Prunas
Secretary General, Royal Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

I have been asked by Mr. Caccia to reply to your personal note (2440) to him dated 24 April regarding a telephone message from the Town Major, Salerno.

On the afternoon of that day I received information from Naples that the Town Major had worried your office with an enquiry regarding the possibility of taking six Italian civilian laborers, who had attached themselves to an American unit, to Corsica. This enquiry did not amount to a request, but was a preliminary investigation.

These six Italian laborers were not enlisted men and retained their civilian status and nothing more has been heard of the matter. I am sorry you were bothered with it. The Town Major has been informed that any similar requests for information should be made through the Political Section.


J. M. PEARSON
Captain
Political Section

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R. MINISTERO
DEGLI
AFFARI ESTERI
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H. Caccia

Salerno, April 24th, 1944

Dear Caccia,

The Town Major of Salerno a few days ago enquired over the telephone as to the procedure and the documents necessary for six Italian workers, who had been enlisted by the Allied Authorities, to proceed to Corsica. He was duly informed that according to normal Italian regulations, in the case of civilians it would be necessary, in the first place, to furnish the workers concerned with a regular passport and the usual permission to expatriate. It was pointed out at the same time that in view of the fact that Italy did not have any Consular representative in Corsica, and therefore no legal protection, the situation should previously be given careful attention; moreover, whilst the matter did not come within our province, it was presumably necessary to obtain an authorization from the Allied and the French Authorities.

Enlarging on the matter, I would like to call your personal attention on the necessity that any similar expatriation of Italian citizens should be strictly controlled. In the particular case of Corsica, moreover, information is at hand that a group of Italian citizens who had been transferred there from the Islands of

Harold Caccia Esq.,
Vice-President
Allied Control Commission,
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R. MINISTERO
DEGLI
AFFARI ESTERI

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Gorgona and Capraja, apparently on the request of the Allied Authorities, were later arrested owing to lack of the necessary French documents, and only after a long period of internment allowed to proceed to Sardinia. As stated above, there is at present no recognised consular or other protection for Italian interests in Corsica, while on the other hand the situation of our nationals in the Island is extremely difficult in view of the attitude of the local population and Authorities in their regard. It therefore appears imperative that any future transfer of Italian citizens should be subject to proper guarantees being given by the French Authorities with regard to their entry and stay in the Island.

Whilst the question is being clarified, I should be grateful if you would be so kind as to give urgent instructions to the Town Major of Salerno to suspend the journey of any Italian workers to French territory.

Sincerely yours

R. Fumani

Security AAC - France to be informed -
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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref 7328/23/CA.

25 May 1944.

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER :
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M. S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

BRITISH VISAS.

Send particulars (? passports) of any neutral consuls or diplomats needing British visas to MR. BENTON, Visa Department, British High Commissioner's Office, as soon as application to travel is received, as his enquiries will generally take time.

who are
"Allied diplomats of executive rank/sponsored by their government" are the only people who will not want a visa.

- 22 Aug 44.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. Section
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M. S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS
 (HEAD) GENERAL INVESTIGATION
 Public Safety Sub-Commission
 APO 394

May 28, 1944

AGC/14313/5/22

Subject: Military Travel Authorizations.

TO: Political Section.

1. Reference your letter No: 260 and enclosure dated 27 May 44.

2. The application form which accompanied your letter is the standard form on which all applications for military travel authorizations must be made. Normally, application forms will be issued only by Public Safety Sub-Commission.

3. The Italian Foreign Office will submit applications by Italian Government officials to Public Safety Sub-Commission through Political Section. *with initial in Ital. covering has been prepared by SIM*

W.C. Ballance leaves

for

A. E. FOWLER, Colonel
 Deputy Chief, Public
 Safety Sub-Commission 3581

WCB/Asd

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Reference #260

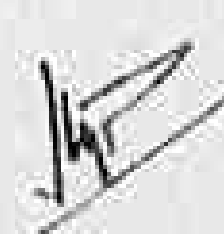
27 May 1944

SUBJECT: Military Travel Authorization

TO: Lt. Colonel R. R. Gripps, Administrative Section, Rear HQ ACC

1. With reference to executive memorandum No. 61 on this subject which has just reached me dated 25 May I should be glad to know if the attached form of application which up to now has been in use for officials of the Italian Foreign Office and others who are required by them to travel overseas is to be discontinued.

2. This form was sent to me by G-2 who have concerned themselves with the authority for the grant of permission. I understand from this executive memorandum that this function is to be taken over by Public Safety Sub-Commission and not as heretofore through the Secretary General's Department.


J. M. PEARSON
Captain
Political Section

Encl
Travel application
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Major F. J. Wilson
Public Safety

August 30, 1944.

MEMORANDUM TO: Major J. A. McKay,
Security Branch

SUBJECT: Travel of Italians Abroad

The question whether any of these applicants for travel out of Italy (attached papers) should be allowed to proceed depends so far as this Section is concerned, on whether any travel is permitted for private reasons. If my understanding is correct, this is not the case and means of transport are only made available to Italians who are going on approved Governmental missions.

May we please have your observations.

Harold Caccia
Political Section

Enclosures

MFA - 4/259/129 - 17 Aug (Zabucotto to Spain)
MFA - 6/16/40 - 31 July (Rivera to Lisbon)
MFA - 6/237/115 - 12 Aug (Muri to Tangiers)
MFA - 6/215/103 - 11 Aug (Rodi to Spain)

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RESTRICTED *POL SEC*
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: ACTION SHAEF INFO ACC, TO SHAEF FOR G-5 INFO ACC FOR CACCIA
 FROM: AFHQ SIGNED WILSON
 REFERENCE No: FX 30910
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: SEP 27 1049A
 SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 101/27
 CLASSIFICATION:
 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE
 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHCEG

Restricted REQUEST FURTHER THAT YOU CABLE THIS HQ, (REF OUR FX 28675 OF 22 SEPT)
 EACH TIME HOUR CONCURRENCE IS GIVEN.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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INFO - ACTION

TO: SHAEF INFO ACC FOR CACCIA

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 75/22

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED WILSON

CLASSIFICATION:

REFERENCE No: FX-28675

PRECEDENCE:

ROUTINE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: SEP 22 1529A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGEG

RESTRICTED. FREQUENTLY ALLIED GOVERNMENTS IN LONDON INSTRUCT THEIR DIPLOMATS IN THIS THEATRE TO RETURN IMMEDIATELY WITHOUT OBTAINING YOUR APPROVAL THEATRE ENTRY. DELAY OF 3 TO 5 DAYS THEN ENSUES WHILE AFHQ CABLES FOR APPROVAL. DELAY EMBARRASING HERE.

PARA. TO OBVIATE DELAY SUGGEST ALLIED GOVERNMENTS BE INFORMED NECESSITY YOUR APPROVAL AND URGED TO OBTAIN IT AT TIME THEY INITIATE RECALL OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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INFO - ACTION

DATE and Time of RECEIPT SEP 22 1845A

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When travel form as attached is returned to us completed by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs the Political Section should add:

(8) Degree of Urgency. This should say whether it is necessary that the journey should take place as near the date given under (7) as possible, or whether it is routine, etc.

(9) Recommendation; i.e. does Political Section think the journey necessary.

The completed form then should be passed by Political Section to Major J. M. Wilson, 5th Floor, Room 2.

F. J.

W.S.
W.H.
D.D.
G.C.

1. Name _____
2. Occupation _____
3. Residence _____
4. Identity Documents Held _____
5. Intended Destination _____
6. Reasons for Proposed Journey _____

7. Date of Journey _____

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MEMORANDUM TO: Major J. A. McKay,
Security Branch.

August 28

*Central diplomats
don't U.T.H.*

*Italian diplomats +
private citizens*

An instruction has been received from Allied Force Headquarters relative to the travel of individuals from Italy abroad. Allied Force Headquarters states that such persons may not travel without a Military Travel Authorization issued by G-2 (CI) Section, AFHQ.

At the meeting of the Vice Presidents of the Allied Control Commission held this morning, it was decided that Security Branch should handle the mechanics of applying for such travel authorization in accordance with MCS 200.4-4 of 14 January, Subject Travel Control and Amendments of 29 February, upon receipt of request from the Political Section on behalf of the individual or individuals concerned. Security Branch will not inaugurate requests but merely act upon them as they are received from Political Section, and conversely the Political Section will inform the Foreign Office or person concerned as and if such authorizations are granted.

Enclosed are two requests for travel authorizations: for Menotti Corsini, and Luca Dainelli; together with above referred to instruction from Allied Force Headquarters. However, it is regretted that the Political Section does not appear to possess the Amended Paper of February 29, and it is suggested that it be requested from Allied Force Headquarters, Military Government Section. Forms for use in this connection are also enclosed.

HAC
Harold Caccia

Vice President Allied Control Commission

*Maccia to Madrid
Dainelli to Cadix
Corsini to Tangier*

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Military Government Section

1744
 103/10/CSGS
 14th January, 1944

103: 300.4-4

SUBJECT: Travel Control

TO : H.Q., Allied Central Commission. (2 copies)
 H.Q., A.M.G., Allied Forces in Italy (2 copies)
 H.Q., A.M.G., S.M.F. (2 copies)

1. The following instructions regarding Travel Control will not apply to British and United States government officials at the present time, and are intended primarily to cover residents in occupied Italy (including Sicily and Sardinia), or refugees, who may wish to leave the country. The regulations will apply to Italian Government officials, who may be given Military Travel Authorizations for an appropriate number of journeys.

Your Headquarters will not be concerned with Inter-Allied Leases-Passes, nor Allied Force Permits (as mentioned in para 2). Enforcement of the regulations will be the duty of Field Security personnel and C.I.C. agents, acting under instructions of Advanced G-2 C.I. section, A.F. H.Q.

2. Civilians (of whatever nationality) wishing to leave Italian territory (including Sicily and Sardinia) must obtain from the nearest Civil Affairs Officer, or such other officers as you may designate, an application form for a Military Travel authorization, and must fill in the form under their supervision. When available application forms will be forwarded to your Headquarters by Advanced G-2 C.I.,

(Persons already in possession of an Inter-Allied Leases-Pass or Allied Force Permit for Italy or Sicily not marked "Single Journey Only" do not require a Military Travel Authorization).

3. The application form will be completed in duplicate and will be typewritten, or written in block capitals where no typewriter is available. For Travel to North Africa the application form will be in triplicate.

4. The applicant must furnish, where photographic facilities exist, two full face and two profile photographs of passport size which will be affixed to the two copies of the application form as indicated in the spaces provided. In the case of travel to North Africa, where photographic facilities exist, an extra copy of each photograph will be attached. Where the applicants cannot provide photographs, three right thumb prints will be separately affixed to the application form, in the presence of officers as specified in para. 2, and forwarded with the application.

5. Officers as specified in para 2 will satisfy themselves as to the identity of the applicant and as to the reasons for his proposed journey, and will note in the first few lines of the "Remarks" section of the application form any information available locally concerning the applicant, and any comments of his own. They will also consult with the local (British) Field Security Section, or (American) Counter-Intelligence Corps Detachment, on each application. These Officers will then fill in the items "Counter signature of Civil Affairs Officer and Office Stamp" and "Region and Province", but will leave the remaining spaces blank. Any remarks of Field Security Section or C.I.C. will be noted on the form.

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7. Advanced Allied Force Headquarters G-2 C.I. after consideration of the applications, will then return one copy of the application to whichever of your Headquarters is appropriate, with the decision as to grant or refusal, and where the application is granted will forward along with the form the appropriate Military Travel Authorization for transmission to the applicant.

8. Officers as specified in para. 2, will on no account communicate to persons whose applications have been refused the grounds for such refusal, nor should

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they attempt to indicate, in view of the detailed research by G-2 C.I., which will be necessary in many cases, the time which may elapse before applications are cleared.

9. It should be made known to intending travellers that the Military Travel Authorization is merely an authorization to leave Italian Territory and, with the exception of North Africa, does not authorize their entry to the country of destination, whose visa requirements must be complied with.

10. In the case of travellers from Italian Territory to North Africa a French entry visa is not required, but in such cases a third form of application must be submitted.

11. In the case of travellers from Italian Territory to the United States, Gibraltar and Malta, other than British Nationals, the officers as specified in para 2 will advise themselves that the applicant holds a passport bearing an entry visa for the United States or British Territory respectively, and will note this fact in the remarks section. If necessary, applications should be delayed until the necessary entry visa has been obtained.

12. Applications will not be forwarded in any case in which an entry visa has been refused, whatever may be the country of destination.

13. Military Travel Authorizations are not required for children under the age of sixteen (16) except when travelling unaccompanied. Separate applications must be submitted for wives and for each child over the age of sixteen (16).

14. This instruction does not apply to parties of refugees leaving occupied Italy, Sicily and Sardinia. In the case of refugees a nominal roll with particular of identity will be submitted to Advanced G-2 C.I., who will issue a block travel authority in accordance with procedure detailed in our message 54348 of 25 November, as amended by our MIB-221-12 of 28 December.

15. Except in the case of refugees, journeys will not be authorized except where they benefit the war effort.

16. The above instructions will come into effect upon receipt by your Headquarters of the application forms.

17. A memorandum on travel control in general will be forwarded to you in due course, for your information.

COPY TO:

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Civil Affairs Office
The Office of the British Resident Minister

/s/ D. S. JACKLING
/t/ D. S. JACKLING
Lt. Colonel.

11. In the case of travellers from Italian Territory to the United States, other than U.S. Nationals, and of travellers to British Territory including Gibraltar and Malta, other than British Nationals, the officers as specified in para 2 will satisfy themselves that the applicant holds a passport bearing an entry visa for the United States or British Territory respectively, and will note this fact in the remarks section. If necessary, applications should be delayed until the necessary entry visa has been obtained.

12. Applications will not be forwarded in any case in which an entry visa has been refused, whatever may be the country of destination.

13. Military Travel Authorizations are not required for children under the age of sixteen (16) except when travelling unaccompanied. Separate applications must be submitted for wives and for each child over the age of sixteen (16).

14. This instruction does not apply to parties of refugees leaving occupied Italy, Sicily and Sardinia. In the case of refugees a nominal roll with particulars of identity will be submitted to Advanced G-2 C.I., who will issue a block travel authority in accordance with procedure detailed in our message 54346 of 25 November, as amended by our MMS-321-12 of 28 December.

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/s/ D. S. JACKLING
/t/ D. S. JACKLING
Lt. Colonel.

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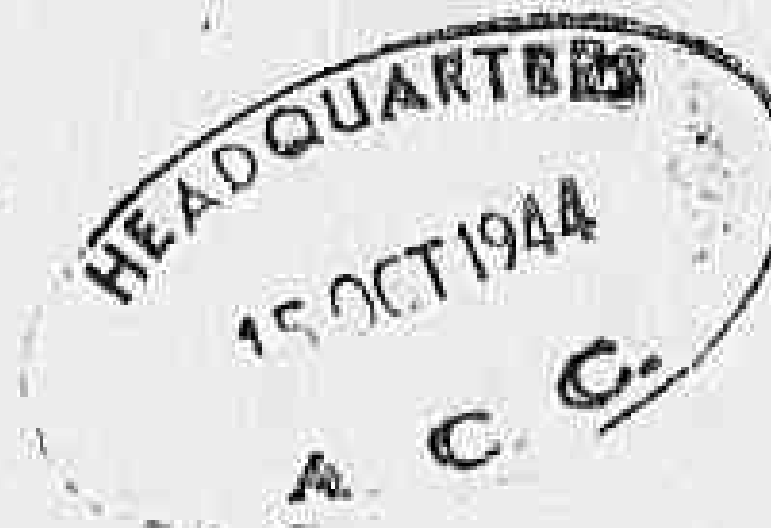
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1. Following will arrive TARANTO in XIF23 for onward movement to ALGIERS.

French nationals mainly government officials and families men 35 women 23 children
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2. MOVEIT will move these personnel by rail to NAPLES where they will be accommodated at AVENSA under arrangements ACC.

3. MOV NAPLES will call forward at first opportunity for embarkation to ALGIERS.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
 (Forward Counter Intelligence
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B-389.506/72 Adv.

29 Jun. 44.

SUBJECT : Military Travel Authorizations.

TO : Rear HQ Allied Control Commission,
 APO 394 U.S. Army. (for P.S. Sub-Commission).

1. Reference your ACC/14918/S/PS of 20 Jun. 44 which has just reached this office.

2. Military Travel Authorizations are not required in the case of Allied Military personnel on assigned Missions.

3. All civilians require MTAs, except the following categories:

- (a) Accredited diplomats and Consular Officials.
- (b) British and U.S. Government Officials (incl. Technicians assigned for duty with Service formations).
- (c) Persons already in possession of Inter Allied laissez Passers or Allied Force Permits for Italy or Sicily not marked: "Single Journey only"

for S.S. HILL-DILLON,
 Col. General Staff,
 G-2 (C.I.) Section.

Further reference to B-389.506/72 Adv.

"It is pointed out that the second paragraph "Military Travel Authorizations are not required in the case of Allied Military Personnel on assigned Missions" does not apply to partisan or Royalist Yugoslav Military. Persons in this category do require M.T.A.S.

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B 389.506/72 Adv. of June 29, 1944

from ACoS, G2, CMA

"Accredited diplomats and Consular officials do
not require Military Travel Authorization."

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DISTRO FOR FORWARD COUNTER INTELLIGENCE, FATIMA
FOR INFO

By DRL 1115 hrs (AC)
2/29/44

See our 55513 dated 23 February.

1. If Manzini and Verrando not already in possession MTA S essential you authorize them leave Italy by telephone or telegraph without required document. We shall give telegraphic authorisation. Political Section ACC will refer such cases here by cable copy to you. We shall reply copy to you. Application form for MTA will be forwarded to you by ACC in such.

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Mr. Caccia:

This copy is forwarded to you for record in the event of other Italian officials being required to travel.

29 February 1944

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Capt

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
POLITICAL SECTION

Ref: P/505 SC

7 February 1945

SUBJECT: Travel authorization requested for Representatives of the
Christian Democrat Party to proceed to FLORENCE.

TO : AMG 5th Army.

The Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs has informed the Political Section that the following representatives of the Christian Democrat Party have requested travel authorization to proceed to Florence in order to discuss with local leaders matters connected with the organization of the said political party:

	NAME	ADDRESS (ROME)	IDENTITY CARD NO.
Signor	Mario SCILBA	Via Crazio, 3	354937
Signor	Piercarlo RESTAGNO	Via Paraguay, 18	31196
Signor	Giulio PASTORE	Via Stazione, S. Pietro, 40	8891869
Signor	Vittorio VINDITTI	Via Pietro Borsieri, 25	3949
Signor	Filippo ALATRE	Via Paraguay, 118	4129842
Signor	Mario GARBARI	Via S. Marino, 36	4125353

They would avail themselves of a private motor-car (licence number 47185 - Rome) and would reside in Florence at No. 12, Via Palazzolo in the premises of the Christian Democrat Party.

The Ministry has given assurances that, while in Florence, these persons will not hold public meetings nor make political speeches.

By command of Rear Admiral STONE:

WILLIAM W. SCHOTT
Vice President, Political Section

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MESSAGEFORM

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

APO 512

FILE NO. AG 091.112/019

Date 26 February.

Office of origin AG PERSONNEL

Address

To:

THE PRESIDENT,

ALLIED COMMISSION.

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ROUTINE	ORDINARY
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1. Reference is made to your letter P/505/BO, dated 20 February 1945, subject: Mr. FILIBERTO DONAVENTURA's journey to CHUNGKING.
2. You are now authorized to issue Travel Orders to the above named to proceed from present station to CHUNGKING to take up his appointment as Chancellor to the Italian Embassy there.
3. Travel by aircraft, surface, rail and/or road transportation is authorized.
4. All charges and expenses incidental to travel by aircraft furnished by ATO or MATS or by water transportation furnished by United States facilities will be chargeable to the individual, and your orders will so state.
5. Enclosed herewith are Application and Military Travel Authorization No. 988.

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDER:

ALLEN J. WINFIELD,
CAPTAIN, AGD,
Asst Adj Gen.

Encl: Application,
MTA # 988.

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MESSAGEFORM
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
 APO 512

FILE NO. **AG 091.112/057**
 Office of origin **AG PERSONNEL**
 Address **AFHQ**

Date **3 March 1945.**

To: **The President,
 ALLIED COMMISSION.**

PRECEDENCE

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URGENT	AIR MAIL
PRIORITY	SPECIAL DELIVERY
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1. We make reference to your letter R/505/VI dated 23 February 1945, subject: Journey of COLONEL MASSIMO ADOLFO VITALE to Tangier.
2. You are now authorized to issue Travel Orders to the above named and his daughter, GERMA VITALE, to proceed to Tangier.
3. Travel by surface transportation is authorized.
4. All charges and expenses incidental to travel by aircraft furnished by ATC or NATS or by water transportation furnished by United States facilities, will be chargeable to the individual, and your orders will so state.
5. Applications for, and Military Travel Authorization No. 1037, enclosed herewith.

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDER :

ALLEN J. WINFIELD,
 CAPTAIN, AGD.
 Asst Adj Gen.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

APO 512

FILE NO. AG 091.112/019

Date 19 February 1945.

Office of origin AG PERSONNEL

Address

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To:

THE PRESIDENT,

ALLIED COMMISSION.

PRECEDENCE

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1. We make reference to your letter reference P/505-DE of 3 January 1945, Subject: REQUEST FOR TRAVEL AUTHORIZATION AND FACILITIES FROM ROME TO LISBON AND RETURN FOR COUNT GIULIO DEL BALZO.

2. You are authorized to issue orders to Count DEL BALZO to proceed from ROME to LISBON and upon completion of his mission to return to proper station.

3. Travel by aircraft and/or water transportation is authorized.

4. All charges and expenses incidental to travel by aircraft furnished by AIC or MATS or by water transportation furnished by United States facilities will be chargeable to the individual, and your orders will so state.

5. Enclosed herewith are application and MIA No. 761.

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDER;

AILEN J. WINFIELD,
CAPTAIN, AGD,
Asst Adj Gen.

ENCLOS: MIA,
Permit # 761.

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APO 512

FILE NO. AG 091.112/019

Office of origin AG PERSONNEL

Address

Date 9 February 1945.

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To:

THE PRESIDENT,

ALLIED COMMISSION.

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1. Reference is made to your letter, dated 2 February 1945, reference travel to LONDON of Miss ADA RUFFINI, daughter of Count Carandini's private secretary.
2. You are authorized to issue Travel Orders to this individual to proceed to LONDON.
3. Travel by aircraft and/or surface transportation is authorized.
4. All charges and expenses incidental to travel by aircraft furnished by ATC or NATS or by water transportation furnished by United States facilities will be chargeable to the individual, and your orders will so state.
5. Military Travel Authorization and Permit No. 893 is enclosed herewith.

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ALLEN J. WINFIELD,
CAPTAIN, AGO,
Asst Adj Gen.

Encl: MTA,
Permit #893.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS APO 512		Date 2 February 1945.
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1. Reference is made to your letter, file classification Ref P/505/-MI dated 23 January and inclosure from MEA of 22 January 1945 No.226/106, Subject MTA applications for journey to the United Kingdom.

2. You are authorised to issue orders to each of the following named family members of officials of Count CARANDINI's Staff to proceed to LONDON, England:

- 1) MRS. GIACOMINA MIGONE,
- 2) MISS DENYSE DE GRENUS,
- 3) MISS GHERTRUDE MARIA WESTERDHAL,
- 4) MISS ITALIA FREGONESE,
- 5) MRS. GIORGIA RUFFINI,
- 6) MRS. ORIETTA FERRERO, and 2 children, (both minors),
- 7) MISS LUCIA GUASTELLI.

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3. Travel by surface transportation is authorised.

4. All charges and expenses incidental to travel by surface transportation furnished by British or United States facilities will be chargeable to the individuals and your orders will so state.

5. A baggage allowance of 200 lbs is allowed each person travelling, and they are further authorised to carry a baggage allowance of 200 lbs on behalf of each of those members of the Embassy Staff who proceeded to London by aircraft.

6. MTAs and Permits in respect of 5), 6), 7) are inclosed herewith. Please note that MTAs are only valid as travel documents in conjunction with British visas of which it is noted there is no mention in your application.

Allen J. Winfield
ALLEN J. WINFIELD,
CAPT, AGD,
Asst Adj Gen.

Incl: MTAs & PERMITS Nos 859, 860, 861.

MESSAGEFORM
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
APO 512

Political 8397
Date 20 January 1945.

FILE NO. 091.112/019

Office of origin AG PERSONNEL

Address

To:

THE PRESIDENT.

ALLIED COMMISSION.

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1. You are authorised to issue orders to Judge GIOVANNI APOSTOLI to proceed to TANGIER to take up a permanent assignment.
2. Travel by air and/or surface transportation is authorised.
3. All charges and expenses incidental to travel by United States facilities will be chargeable to the individual and your orders should so state.
4. Application for Military Travel Authorisation and Permit No.816 is enclosed.

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Allen J. Winfield
ALLEN J. WINFIELD,
CAPTAIN, AGP,
Asst Adj Gen.

Encl: Application for MTA,
Permit No.816.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
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FILE NO. AG 091.112/029/017

Date 5 February 1945.

Office of origin AG PERSONNEL

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To:

THE PRESIDENT,

ALLIED COMMISSION.

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1. Reference is made to your letter dated 17 January, subject Signor RICCIO - Travel to Spain.

2. The appointment of Signor RICCIO as Charge d'Affaires to the Italian Legations in COSTARICA, NICARAGUA, PANAMA and HONDURAS was approved on 27 December 1944 and you were so advised. As there is no apparent reason for his return to Spain to resume official duties, his request to proceed to CADIZ is refused.

3. Authority is granted you to issue orders for the return to Italy of Signor RICCIO's family.

4. Travel by surface transportation is authorized for this journey.

5. All charges and expenses incidental to travel by aircraft furnished by AIC or NATS or by water transportation furnished by United States facilities will be chargeable to the individual, and your orders will so state.

6. Please inform American Milattache in MADRID when orders are issued for the return of the family.

7. Military Travel Authorisation application in duplicate in respect of the above named are returned herewith.

NORMAN R. SMITH,
MAJOR, AGD,
Asst Adj Gen.

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