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Ref: 364/385

22 December 1944

SUBJECT: Resumption of Diplomatic Relations
Between Haiti and Italy.

TO : Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1. With reference to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs' memorandum 6/1380/553 of December 15, Political Section has to state that the assumption of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs that the Haitian Government has shown its willingness to resume diplomatic relations with Italy is correct. In fact, this was made clear in Admiral Stone's letter of October 26 to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs informing the Ministry that all of the American Republics, with the exception of Argentina, have expressed desire to resume relations.

2. Insofar as the specific resumption of relations between Haiti and Italy is concerned, a dispatch has recently been received from the American Embassy at Port-au-Prince that the Haitian Government notified the United States Government on October 25 of its decision to recognize the Italian Government and to request the United States Government to handle Haitian representation in Italy until such time as a Haitian representative might be appointed.

WILLIAM W. BOHOTT
Vice President, Political Section

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UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE
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December 18, 1944

MEMORANDUM

TO: Political Section, Allied Commission

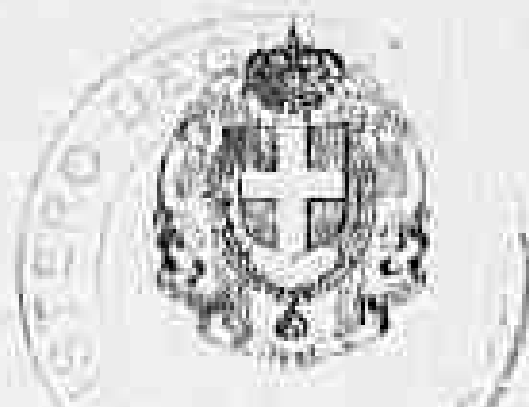
SUBJECT: United States Representation in Italy of Haitian Interests.

With reference to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs' memorandum 6/1280/553 of December 15 to the Political Section, a copy of which has been given to this office, the assumption of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs that the Haitian Government has shown its willingness to resume diplomatic relations with Italy is correct. In fact, this was made clear in Admiral Stone's letter of October 26 to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs informing the Ministry that all of the American Republics, with the exception of Argentina, have expressed desire to resume relations.

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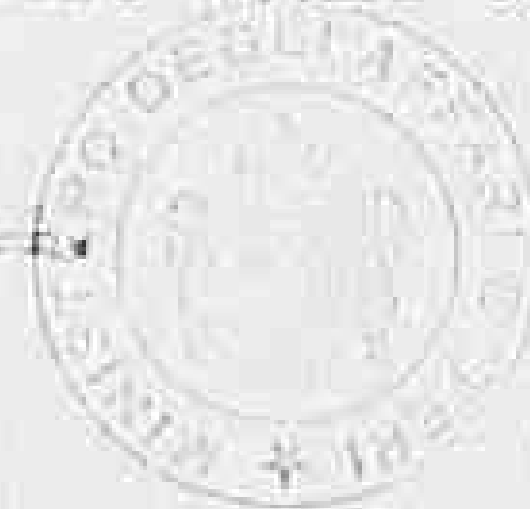
MEMORANDUM FOR THE POLITICAL SECTION A.C.

Reference is made to the Political Section's memorandum of December 15th, No. 354 regarding the Haitian interests in Italy.

As no direct communication has been received as to date from the Haitian Government concerning the resumption of diplomatic relations with Italy, the Ministry for Foreign Affairs would assume that the said Government, in requesting the United States Government to take charge of Haitian interests in Italy, have, at the same time, shown their willingness to resume diplomatic relations.

Confirmation to this effect would be much appreciated. *Sub*

Rome, 15th December, 1944.



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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Acting Chief Commissioner
APO 394

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A/CC 091.112-1

26 October 1944

My dear Mr. Prime Minister:

On behalf of the Dominican Republic the Department of State at Washington desires me to inquire if the appointment of Dr. Pedro Troncoso Sanchez as Dominican Minister is agreeable to the Italian Government. The Department would be grateful for a prompt reply, as the Dominican Government wishes to announce its resumption of relations with the Italian Government at an early date.

Yours very truly,

/s/ Elmer W. Stone

ELMER W. STONE
Commodore, USNR
Acting Chief Commissioner

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His Excellency Ivanoe Bonomi
The President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome

cc: Political Section
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COPYUNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE
ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR ITALY

Rome, October 25, 1944

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My dear Commodore Stone:

The Department has requested me on behalf of the Dominican Republic to inquire through your good offices if the appointment of Dr. Pedro Francisco Sanchez as Dominican Minister is agreeable to the Italian Government. The Department would be grateful for a prompt reply as the Dominican Government wishes to announce its resumption of relations with the Italian Government, at an early date.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ A. Kirk

Commodore Ellery W. Stone,
Acting Chief Commissioner,
Allied Control Commission,
Rome.

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File

Ref: 364

12 December 1944

SUBJECT: Ending of Swiss Charge of
Haitian Interests in Liberated Italy.

TO : Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1. Reference our Memorandum No. 364 dated 2 December 1944.
2. By memorandum dated 7 December 1944 the Swiss Legation, Foreign Interests Section, informed Political Section, Allied Commission, that from December 7th it no longer would be in charge of Haitian interests in liberated Italy, but would continue to protect Haitian interests in that part of Italy under German occupation.
3. As indicated in the communication under reference, the Government of the United States has assumed charge of Haitian interests in Liberated Italy.

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WILLIAM W. SCHOTT
Vice President, Political Section

CC: Am. Embassy
Brit Embassy

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**LEGAZIONE DI SVIZZERA
IN ITALIA**

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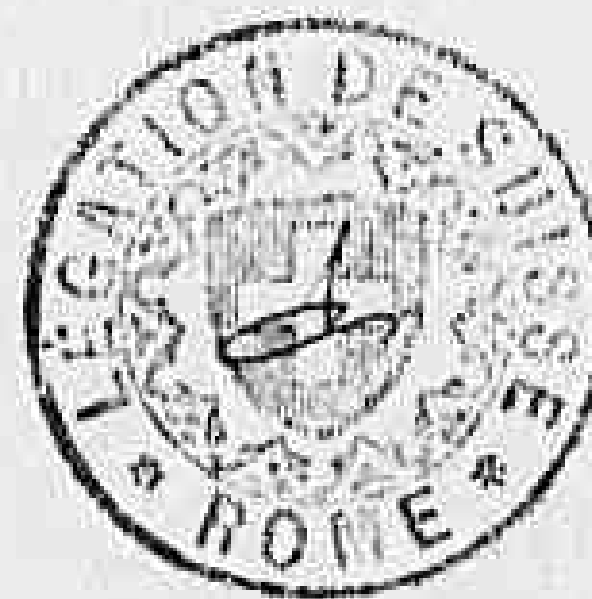
MEMORANDUM

To the Allied Control Commission - Political Section - Rome.

The Swiss Legation, Foreign Interests Section, has the honour to inform that, as from December 7th, 1944, it will no longer be in charge of Haitian interests in all the provinces of Italy occupied by the Allied Forces.

The Swiss Legation will continue to protect Haitian interests in that part of Italy occupied by the Germans.

Rome, December 7th, 1944.-



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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Chief of Staff

Tel : 289.

10 December 1944.

Ref/6502/COS.

SUBJECT: Haitian Interests.

TO : Political Section.

Attached letter from the American Consulate dated 8 December 44, advising that Mr. Huddleston has assumed representation of Haitian Interests in Rome, is passed to you for retention and appropriate action.

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f Chief Staff Officer,
To the Chief of Staff.

J. M. F. O. previously notified.
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IN REPLY REFER TO

FILE NO. 704 - Haitian Interests

JFM:sml



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

THE FOREIGN SERVICE
OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

AMERICAN CONSULATE

Rome, Italy, December 8, 1944

Rear Admiral Ellery W. Stone, USNR.,
Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission,
Rome.

29 DEC 1944

Dear Admiral Stone:

At the request of the Haitian Government and on instructions from the Department of State, I wish to advise that I assumed, on December 7, 1944, the representation of Haitian interests in the Rome consular district. Haitian interests were formerly represented by the Swiss Legation, Rome.

I should appreciate it if you would kindly inform the local authorities regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "J. F. Huddleston".

J. F. Huddleston
American Consul

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
POLITICAL SECTION
APO 394

Ref: 364

2 December 1944

The Honorable Alexander Kirk
U. S. Representative to Advisory
Council for Italy
Via Vittorio Veneto, 119
Rome

Sir:

Reference is made to the Department of State's letter 704/3851/
7-2044 dated November 9, 1944 regarding the representation of Italian
interests in liberated areas of Italy by the United States Government.

The Political Section has informed the Italian Ministry of Foreign
Affairs of the instructions of the Department of State as outlined in
the above referenced letter, to which it assents, and a copy of the
Department of State's letter has been forwarded to the Offices of the
British Resident Minister and of the U. S. Political Adviser, for their
information.

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Very truly yours,

WILLIAM W. SCHOTT
Vice President, Political Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
POLITICAL SECTION
APO 394

Ref: 364

2 December 1944

MEMORANDUM TO: Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

SUBJECT : Assumption by United States Government of the
Representation of Haitian Interests in Liberated
Italy.

To confirm oral conversation between Political Section and a representative of the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Political Section has to state that the Haitian Government has requested the United States Government to assume the representation of Haitian interests in the liberated areas of Italy. The Department, therefore, is authorizing the Consulate General at Naples and the Consulates at Rome and Palermo to assume, subject to the assent of the appropriate authorities, the representation of Haitian interests and instructing them concerning the steps to be taken in this connection. The Consulate General at Naples, in addition, is being directed, at such time as consular offices are reopened at other ports in Italy, to give to them appropriate instructions with respect to the representation of Haitian interests in their respective consular districts.

WILLIAM W. SCHOTT
Vice President, Political Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
POLITICAL SECTION
APO 594

2 December 1944

Ref: 504

SUBJECT: Italian Interests in Liberated Italy

TO : C-5 Section, Allied Force Headquarters
Copies to: U. S. Political Advisor
British Resident Minister

1. Enclosed herewith for information is a copy of a letter from the Department of State, No. 704.3851/7-204, of November 9, 1944, to the United States Representative on the Advisory Council for Italy which informs of arrangements that are to be made in relation to the Italian Government's request that the United States Government assume representation of Italian interests in liberated Italy.

2. The Political Section has informed the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Italian Government's request and of the instructions issued by the Department of State in regard to the United States Government's assumption of its responsibilities.

For the Chief Commissioner:-

WILLIAM W. SCHOFF
Vice President, Political Section

1 encl: As in para 1 above.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Washington

No. 43

November 9, 1944.

The Honorable ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
Alexander C. Kirk,
United States Representative on the
Advisory Council for Italy,
c/o American Consulate General
Naples, Italy.

Sir:

The Italian Government has requested the United States Government to assume the representation of Italian interests in the liberated areas of Italy. The Department, therefore, is authorizing the Consulate General at Naples and the Consulates at Rome and Palermo to assume, subject to the assent of the appropriate authorities, the representation of Italian interests and instructing them concerning the steps to be taken in this connection. The Consulate General at Naples, in addition, is being directed, at such time as consular offices are reopened at other ports in Italy, to give to them appropriate instructions with respect to the representation of Italian interests in their respective consular districts. ~~Copies of the Department's instructions are enclosed.~~

In a despatch dated July 20, 1944 the Honorable Robert D. Murphy, Political Adviser, Allied Forces Headquarters, Algiers, informed the Department that no objection was perceived by the appropriate authorities to such representation. You may at your discretion communicate with the Italian Foreign Office in this connection informing it of the instructions under reference.

Very truly yours,

For the Secretary of State

/s/ illegible

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7 November 1944

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Dear Marchese Visconti Venosta:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated October 31, 1944 informing me that R.A.H. the Lieutenant General of the Kingdom of Italy has agreed to the appointment of Dr. Francesco Saverio as Minister of the Dominican Republic in Rome and requesting that this information be forwarded to the Government of the Dominican Republic.

This information now has been transmitted through the U. S. Representative to the Advisory Council for Italy.

Very truly yours

WILLIAM J. STONE
Commodore, USNR
Acting Chief Commissioner

His Excellency Marchese Giovanni Visconti Venosta
Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs
Italian Government
Rome

Copies to:
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ALLIED [REDACTED] COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Diplomatic Relations between
Dominican Republic And Italy

FILE No. P/364/385

TO : Office of the Acting Chief Commissioner 7 November 1944

Reference your memorandum A/CC 091.112-1 dated 6 November 1944.

A copy of Marchese Venosta's letter No. 2115/71 of 31 October 1944 has been sent to the office of the U. S. Representative to the A.C.I. with the request that its contents be communicated to the government of the Dominican Republic.

Attached for A/CC's signature is the requested acknowledgement.


WILLIAM W. SCHOTT
Vice-President, Political Section

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7 November 1944

Dear Marchese Visconti Venosta:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated October 31, 1944 informing us that M.R.N. the Lieutenant General of the Mission of Italy has agreed to the appointment of Mr. Trosceno as Minister of the Dominican Republic in Rome and requesting that this information be forwarded to the government of the Dominican Republic.

This information has been transmitted through the U. S. Representative to the Advisory Council for Italy.

Very truly yours

WILLIAM A. STONE
Comptroller, USA
Acting Chief Commissioner

His Excellency Marchese Giovanni Visconti Venosta
Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs
Italian Government
Rome

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ALLIED ~~CONTROL~~ COMMISSION
INTER OFFICE MEMO

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From: Office of the Acting Chief Commissioner

SUBJECT: Diplomatic Relations between
Dominican Republic and Italy

FILE No. A/CC 091.112-1

TO: Political Section, Hq A.C.

6 November 1944

Re attached letter, please take necessary action and put up
acknowledgement for A/CC's signature.

J. A. Quayle
J. A. QUAYLE
Major, R.A.
Staff Officer to A/CC

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cc: COS
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A/cc 806
3-11-44Translationthe Undersecretary of State
for Foreign Affairs

2115/71

Rome, 31 October 1944

Dear Admiral,

Thank you for your kind letter A/C3 091.112-1 of October 26th, and also for telling me that the Government of the Dominican Republic had decided to resume diplomatic relations with Italy and had appointed Minister Plenipotentiary Dr. Pedro Francisco Sanchez.

I take the liberty of asking you, my dear Admiral, to express to the Dominican Government our deep satisfaction about a decision which reestablishes the friendly and harmonious relations which always existed in the past between Italy and San Domingo.

Will you also inform the Government of this Republic that H.R.H. the Lieutenant General of the Kingdom, has informed us that he agrees the appointment of Dr. Francisco Sanchez as Minister of San Domingo in Rome.

I remain, my dear Admiral,

yours truly,

/s/ Visconti Venosta

Admiral Ellery W. Stone
High Commissioner of the Allied Commission
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