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SINCE SOME IN THE WENT OF THE LIBERATED AREAS WHERE SWISS ARE EXTENSIVELY PROVIDING RELIEF FOR BRITISH AND AMERICAN NATIONALS A CERTAIN CONFUSION HAS ARISEN IN REGARD TO THE PAYMENT BECAUSE ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, UNDER STANDING INSTRUCTIONS, HAS ALSO INDICATED THE PROCEDURES WHICH IT HAS FOLLOWED HERETO IN ITALY. OUR UNDERSTANDING IS THAT IT IS THE WISH OF THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS THAT THE SWISS SHOULD CONTINUE TO MAKE PAYMENTS UNTIL THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND FOREIGN OFFICE REPRESENTATION IS ESTABLISHED FOR THIS PURPOSE. THE SWISS HAVE AGREED TO Carry on for the moment AND ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION IS CARRYING THIS ACTIVITY IN THE HOME AREA BEHIND FRENCH DEVIATIONS. PARA TWO. HOWEVER THE SWISS HAVE, WITHIN THE LAST TWO MONTHS, HAD EXPLICIT INSTRUCTIONS FROM SWISS GOVERNMENT TO PAY RELIEF ONLY AT THE RATE OF 35 ~~FRANK~~ LIRE TO THE DOLLAR AND 100 LIRE TO THE POUND. IN ORDER TO AVOID HARDSHIP ^{to} OUR NATIONALS WE ARE ARRANGING WITH SWISS REPRESENTATIVES TO PAY RELIEF AT OFFICIAL RATE OF 100 LIRE TO THE DOLLAR AND 400 LIRE TO THE POUND. IT IS URGENT THAT SWISS GOVERNMENT SHOULD BE ASKED TO CONFIRM THIS ARRANGEMENT OF BEHALF OF ALLIED GOVERNMENTS.

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Reference ⁷⁰ of 6 November and TAM 117 of 29 December.

(1) Some military missions requesting bulk advances of lire for relief payments to own Nationals on scales determined by them. Some missions also requesting relatively substantial sums without furnishing explanation of use to which funds will be put. AGI are of opinion that they have no authority to make advances in either case. Have given provisional authority for bulk advances for the first but not for second category.

(2) Necessary have ruling on how far relief extended United Nations Nationals is proper charge against Italian Government. Italian relief rates most instances too low and additional relief necessary. Where United Nations Nationals arrived in ITALY of own accord relief in excess of Italian rates would appear to be justifiable charge against government concerned. Where United Nations arrived in ITALY not of own volition but as part of Axis Internment Policy should cost of additional relief be debited to government concerned or to the Italian Government.

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